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FIRST CLASS

## President's Message – November 2021

Dear Members of VE,

Thank you to all the Club members who attended our anniversary banquet celebrating 90 years at Vereinigung Erzgebirge! We are looking forward to 90 more years preserving German heritage and sports programs at VE.

I would also like to thank Edie Bitterlich and the entire banquet committee for their time and effort making our 90th anniversary banquet such a success. Your dedication to the Club is much appreciated.

As the holiday season is quickly approaching, I would like to wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving! I also invite you to attend our Christkindlmarkt on Saturday, November 27 from 10:00AM - 5:00PM. Please come support our local vendors, the Club and get a jump on your Christmas shopping.

Alles Gute  
Philip Gabel, President, Vereinigung Erzgebirge

## VE 90th ANNIVERSARY BANQUET

Ninety years is a worthy milestone! Our anniversary banquet was a grand occasion honoring Vereinigung Erzgebirge's past. A special thank you to our Club members, the many German organizations, friends and guests who came out and supported our celebration. Thanks also to the banquet committee, office staff and the dining services team for their excellent work. Let's look forward to many more memorable events and future celebrations together.

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## CHRISTKINDLMARKT 2021

**Don't forget — Come out and join us  
Saturday, November 27<sup>th</sup> from 10AM-5PM  
for the Christkindlmarkt!**

The holidays will be here before you know it and the Christkindlmarkt is a great place to look for those special gifts. We will have lots of vendors on site selling gift items such as nutcrackers, jewelry, holiday ornaments/decorations, quilts, wreaths, candles, luminaries, children's items, many handcrafted items and much, much more. The vendors will include VE Strudl Haus for sweets, treats and more.

If you are interested in being a vendor for this event please contact Jessica Wilson at:

[VECLUBEVENTS@gmail.com](mailto:VECLUBEVENTS@gmail.com) to get an application form.

Deadline for signing up as a vendor for Christkindlmarkt ends Friday, November 5<sup>th</sup>. We hope to see you at our 2021 Christkindlmarkt.

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## DAMENCHOR WALD-ECHO

Happy Autumn from Damenchor Wald-Echo. We have our first affair on Sunday, November 14, 2021, at 2PM in the Evergreen Room (the large dining room). It is a Mitsingen (Sing-a-Long) with the Franklinville-Schwarzwald Männerchor.

Bar will be open to purchase beverages and food will be available for purchase at the window after the singing is over. For tickets or info, please call Betty Boyts at 215-725-1718.

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## DID YOU KNOW?

For 2021, the annual gift tax exemption is \$15,000 per recipient. This means that you can give up to \$15,000 to as many people as you want during 2021, including VE, without any of it being subject to a gift tax. A husband and wife can each make up to \$15,000 gifts, doubling the impact. (Always check with a tax professional.)

We have many projects on the horizon. Any gift large or small is much appreciated.



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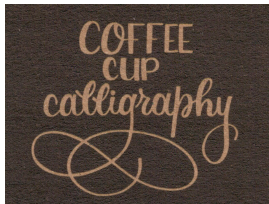


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### LADIES AUXILIARY

*HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS.*

OUR AGENDA FOR NOVEMBER IS AS FOLLOWS:

Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> – Atlantic City Trip to CAESARS CASINO – The cost is \$35 per person. The coin package will be announced upon our arrival at the Casino. Please arrive at the VE Parking lot at 8:45AM. The bus leaves at 9AM and returns at approximately 6:30PM. For reservations call the Taubenbergers at 215-343-2580. Just a reminder to bring YOUR TOTAL REWARDS CARD for the coin package.

**FLASH-CARD AND BINGO** – The date has been changed to **November 17<sup>th</sup>** due to Thanksgiving holiday. Donation is \$5 per person. Doors open at 11AM and Card Party begins at 12:30PM. Come early for coffee and danish. All members and friends are invited for an afternoon of warm and friendly atmosphere. Sandwiches are available for purchase at our self-service window.

Hope to see you at our functions.

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### ENTERTAINMENT NEWS

With the Biergarten now closed until next year, we will be moving things indoors for the rest of the Fall and Winter.

**Music Bingo Night** – Saturday, November 6<sup>th</sup> in the Ratskeller. Doors open at 6PM, Bingo starts at 7PM. Food and beverages available for purchase. Hope to see you there!

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### HERZLICH WILKOMMEN ZU UNSERER KLUB

*Welcome to Our Club!*

Welcome to the new members who recently joined our Club in October 2021. We hope you will enjoy our facilities and have many happy and memorable hours at the Club.

**Transfer to Active:** Betty Caya

**Passive:** Mark Bachinsky, Dorota Biel, Terrance Brennan, Gerald Bowen Jr., Shannon Campbell, Melanie Conion, Jessica Cook, Jonathan Denny, Mitesh Desai, Danielle Donovan, Kelly Dougherty, Susan Flannery, Tommy Flebbe, Erica Graham, Keith Landi, Liz Martin, Brent Otto, FR. Carl Pieber, William Powers, James Reich, Michael Schonfield, Kathryn Smith, Mark Willard, Jim Wood

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### BUNGALOW NEWS

**Just a reminder:**

**Beginning November 1<sup>st</sup>** the Bungalows are to be shut down for the season and will reopen in the Spring of 2022. Per the Bungalow Rules, the Bungalows are for seasonal use only. They should not be used between November 1<sup>st</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup>, therefore the access road will be locked.

Any Bungalow owner in need of a copy of the rules, should contact Bungalow Chairperson, Peter Hansen.

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### PINOCHLE LEAGUE

Pinochle is in full swing every Thursday night in the Garden Room. If you would like to be a sub, please email the club at [veclub@verizon.net](mailto:veclub@verizon.net) or call Monika @ 267-304-3217.

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Manfred W. Bast  
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Melanie Branchide  
Kenneth P. Carter  
Liliane Davis  
Bonnie Emilius  
Karen M. Eppinger  
Lynda Marie Faulkenstein  
James P. Fischer  
Craig Wm. Fisher  
Brenda Fletcher  
Janet Fox  
Taylor S. Fox  
Erika Gratzinger  
Raymond Groeber  
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Ilise Hausner

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Linda Haywood  
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Cacilia Honig  
Glen Jaskewicz  
Richard Jethon  
Susan Kearney  
Paul G. Klein  
Anna Keller  
Ulta Kirk  
Kelly Kupper  
Maureen Lamplugh  
Scott Logan  
Rita Lukas  
Edward W. Maier  
Cyndy G. Malcolm  
Wilfred Martin  
Brendan McDermott  
Jonathan D. Miller

Christine Marie Morrell  
Alfred Mueller  
Erich Resch  
Kristine Rinker  
Kristine Robinson  
Kathryn Roetz  
George Ropars  
Jo Ann Ryan  
Marianna Schubert Salmon  
Patricia Schaefer  
Mark Scheffler  
Harvey W. Scherzer  
Arthur J. Siegfried  
Hugo H. Scholer  
Selva Jean Ullrich  
Michelle Vorwerk  
Karl Walter  
Barbara West  
Ronald Wilson

## PASSIVE

Douglas Alff  
Lisa Arehart  
Brandon W. Bentz  
William N. Bothwell  
Caitlyn Quinn Buck  
Debra Burns  
Robert J. Burns  
James Campbell  
Marybeth Canally  
Jennifer Canning  
Jared Cannon  
Elizabeth Cirelli  
Bob Connelly  
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Frank Dick  
David Dickson  
Ericka DiGregorio  
Sandra Doubek

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Vincent Elia  
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Nora Gallagher  
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Dawn Hood  
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Ruth McNeil  
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IN MEMORIAM



The Board of Directors extends our deepest sympathy to the family of the following member who has left us:

**Ingeborg Zapf**, who passed away on September 15, 2021, joined VE in 1958, a 63 year member

**Ruhe in Frieden**

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# SPORTS KORNER – “KICKS IN THE GRASS”

At the mid-way point of our fall season, our teams are doing well in all age groups. The weekend weather has been very cooperative and we've been playing every Saturday and Sunday. The Majors and Reserves keep rolling and are leading their divisions with the Majors ready for EPSA State Cup action. Over the Columbus Day weekend we had several youth teams capture championship trophies in their tournaments with a few more as finalist in their groups.

More up to date information can be found by following us on our Facebook page.

Steve Feuchter / VESC Chairman

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# AISL

Exciting News! Back by popular demand, **both darts and shuffleboard** will be starting up this month! Darts is scheduled to begin on Tuesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm and Shuffleboard will begin on Wednesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm. Any last minute interest in joining, please email us at [veindoor@yahoo.com](mailto:veindoor@yahoo.com).

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# PARADE/FLOAT COMMITTEE

Everyone likes a Parade – and we find ourselves in need of a chairperson to run this Committee for our Club. If you would like to help us out, please send an email to the Club ([veclub@verizon.net](mailto:veclub@verizon.net)) with your name and contact number and we will be in touch.

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# VE MEMBERSHIP NEWS

As we approach the end of 2021, we would like to thank all the members who have volunteered their time to the Club. We have many opportunities to get involved and help support our great Club. Please read the weekly email and monthly newsletter to keep current on Club activities.

Membership dues were due August 31, 2021. If you have not yet paid your dues, please send a check to the Club or pay online at [VEClub.org](http://VEClub.org). \$5.00 late fee applies.

Questions about VE or membership?

Email your questions to: [veclubmembership@aol.com](mailto:veclubmembership@aol.com)

**Take out dinners are back beginning in November!**  
**We will be having them on Thursday nights**  
**from 4:30-6:30pm.**

**Thursday Night Takeout – \$15.00 per meal**

All orders must be placed in advance and prepaid with Credit Card. Please call 215-675-5380 to place your order Monday or Tuesday between 10am and 4pm and Wednesday between 9am and 10:30am.

Orders can also be placed online starting Friday morning until Wednesday by noon at [veclub@verizon.net](mailto:veclub@verizon.net).

**November 4**

Hearty Vegetable Soup  
Bacon Wrapped Meatloaf  
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Green Beans  
Buttercake

**November 11**

Butternut Squash Soup  
Pork Schnitzel  
Spaetzle  
Sauerkraut  
German Chocolate Cake

**November 18**

Tomato Bisque  
Chicken Marsala  
Au Gratin Potatoes  
Broccoli & Garlic  
Carrot Cake

**November 25**

**THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**  
**NO TAKEOUT**

**December 2**

Cream of Chicken Soup  
Kassler Rippchen (smoked pork chop)  
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy  
Red Cabbage  
Apple Cake