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## President's Message – November 2022

Dear Members of VE,

With Thanksgiving coming up this month, I want to reflect on all the hard work and dedication that our membership has given to our Club. We are open year-round and there is always something going on. Allowing the Club to maintain its large property and building is a huge task that falls on the shoulders of key people who want the Club to thrive and grow. We had a great Sportfest and are gearing up for our Christkindlmarkt. Both events project the uniqueness of our Club and help assure our financial well-being.

We ask that all members continue to frequent our Club whether it's during an event, a take out meal, or sitting in the Ratskeller. Our members are the heartbeat of the Club, and your patronage is important to us.

Wishing everyone a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Glück Auf,  
Philip Gabel, President

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## HERZLICH WILIKOMMEN ZU UNSEREM KLUB

### Welcome to Our Club!

Welcome to our new members who recently joined our Club in October 2022. We hope you will enjoy our facilities and have many happy and memorable hours at VE.

**Transferred to Active:** Charles Cirelli and Dave Jones

**Passive Members:**

Michael Breslin, George Caruso, Steve (HJ) Kim, Chris Oswald,  
Bernadette Sheeron, Michael Trautz, and Jermaine Washington

We are always looking to increase our VE Club membership. Please refer friends and family to join our Club.

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**November 4**  
**Cigar and Bourbon**  
**Night**

**November 6**  
**Schlachtfest**

**November 12**  
**Trivia Night – 6pm**

**November 13**  
**Sunday Brunch –**  
**10am-2pm**

**November 20**  
**VE Majors vs. West**  
**Chester – Lamar Hunt**  
**Cup**

**November 26**  
**Christkindlmarkt**  
**10am-4pm**

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Thursday dinner is available  
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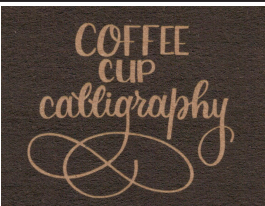
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## SCHLACHTFEST

Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022, from 1:00pm to 7:00pm

Advanced Reservations Required!

Our traditional Schlachtfest is back! Chef Ed is offering a typical German Schlachtplatte with all the fine Wursts and Roast Pork, as well as Roast Beef. We also will be serving a special Bock Beer for the occasion. Enjoy a nice afternoon with us and enjoy Don Bitterlich's accordion playing as well. Please consider attending this event.

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### What's Cooking in the VE Kitchen?

**Wednesday Night Dinners** are back by popular demand! Every Wednesday night from 5-7pm come into the large dining room for dinner and drinks with friends and family. Set pricing information and menu will be listed on our website [veclub.org](http://veclub.org) and in the weekly email blast.

**Thursday Night Takeout meals** – 4:30-6:30pm, has also returned weekly to the VE kitchen. Great for families on the go and friends that don't feel like cooking at home. Great for soccer moms and dads out on the fields watching their kids play or after practice. Want to stay for a drink in the Ratskeller? Perfect! Pick up your takeout order and bring it downstairs to enjoy in house. Menu is listed on the website weekly. Pre-order and pay for your meals by Wednesday 12pm, then pick up Thursday at your scheduled time.

**Friday Night at the Ratskeller** – enjoy several reasonably priced choices from our menu every Friday in the Ratskeller starting at 5pm.

**Sunday Brunch** – Sunday brunch has returned! Our next brunch shall be on November 13<sup>th</sup>. Reservations are recommended.

**WE ARE HIRING** – Great opportunity for experienced staff or those willing to learn! The VE kitchen needs kitchen cooks, barbacks, servers, and bussers. Please call the office Wednesday and Friday 9-5pm at 215-675-5380, and ask for Jess or email at [veclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:veclubevents@gmail.com) any time. Looking forward to working with you soon.

If you are not getting the weekly update email, please let the office know. This is the best way to keep you up to date about any last-minute updates to VE.

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### Bourbon and Cigar Night

Join us at the VE Canteen for an Evening of Bourbon Tasting and Cigars  
Friday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022, from 7:00pm to 11:0 pm / Limited space available

\$55 per person (VE member) / \$60 per person (non-member)

Paid Admission includes a Tasting of Four Exquisite Bourbons, Two Complimentary Premium Cigars, and Light Fare. Additional drinks, premium beer, and cigars can be purchased separately. Call the Club at 215-675-5380 or email Jessica at [veclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:veclubevents@gmail.com) to reserve your ticket today!

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# Happy Thanksgiving!

## VE LADIES' AUXILIARY

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS!

First of all, I want to thank the ladies and men that came out to help peel potatoes and onions etc. for our successful OCTOBEREFEST/SPORTFEST. As our short season is winding down for the year, our November schedule is as follows:

### Wednesday November 30<sup>th</sup> CARD & BINGO PARTY

Doors open at 11 am. Come early for Coffee and Danish. Entrance Fee is \$7 per person. All members and friends are invited for an afternoon of warm and friendly atmosphere. Sandwiches are available for purchase at the self-service window. Card and Bingo games begin at 12:30pm.

THERE WILL BE NO CARD and BINGO FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER.

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### Did You Know?

Saxony (German: Sachsen), officially the Free State of Saxony (German: Freistaat Sachsen), is a landlocked state of Germany, bordering the states of Brandenburg, Saxony-Anhalt, Thuringia, Bavaria, as well as the countries of Poland and the Czech Republic. Its capital is Dresden, and its largest city is Leipzig. Saxony is the tenth largest of Germany's sixteen states, with an area of 18,413 square kilometers (7,109 sq mi), and the sixth most populous, with more than 4 million inhabitants.

The term Saxony has been in use for more than a millennium. It was used for the medieval Duchy of Saxony, the Electorate of Saxony of the Holy Roman Empire, the Kingdom of Saxony, and twice for a republic. The first Free State of Saxony was established in 1918 as a constituent state of the Weimar Republic. After World War II, it was under Soviet occupation before it became part of the communist East Germany and was abolished by the government in 1952. Following German reunification, the Free State of Saxony was reconstituted with enlarged borders in 1990 and became one of the five new states of the Federal Republic of Germany.

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## CHRISTKINDLMARKT

### A TRADITIONAL GERMAN CHRISTMAS MARKET

Saturday, November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022, from 10am to 4pm.

Our Club welcomes everyone to attend this one-day event. Large selection of vendors offering interesting items. The Club will be serving food as well as the traditional German Glühwein!

Volunteers are needed to help with Christkindlmarkt. Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> starting at 2pm or after, whenever available, to help move tables and chairs for Christkindlmarkt vendor event. Please email or call Jess to coordinate helping with this event: [veclubevents@gmail.com](mailto:veclubevents@gmail.com), 215-675-5380. Volunteers also needed Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 5-7pm, to help vendors bring their items to their location and Volunteers needed for event day, November 26<sup>th</sup>, starting at 7:30am. We appreciate you and thank you in advance for helping us make this event a huge success.



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## 2022 FIFA WORLD CUP

For the first time in World Cup history, the games shall be played in the winter (from November 20 until December 18). This year's event is being held in Qatar with 32 teams competing. Of special interest are the United States men's team and the German Mannschaft. VE will be televising games with special focus on the US and German teams. Please come out to the club and cheer your team(s) on!

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## SOCCKER KORNER

Our younger youth teams are finishing their Fall season this month. Best of luck in your league play and hope our teams win their respective divisions. The high school aged players start their late fall play this month and hope to squeeze in as many games as possible before things start to freeze up.

Might Mites are wrapping up their successful season on November 11<sup>th</sup>. This season was exceptional, and we hope all the players and their parents enjoyed their first experience playing soccer. We will be following up with the older kids interested in forming next season's travel teams. Thank you to all the volunteers who made this program a huge success.

Our Majors and Reserves are also doing well with both teams sitting at the top of their leagues. The Majors are playing in three cups at present and have advanced to the third round of the Lamar Hunt Open Cup. They advanced to play West Chester on November 20<sup>th</sup>. There is an excellent article about our Majors team and the Club on US Soccer's website. Please check it out at [ussoccer.com](http://ussoccer.com).

Please come out and support our teams. For current soccer news and game schedules, please visit our website or our Facebook page.

Steve Feuchter / VESC Chairman

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## MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE

There are many maintenance items that are required year-round that can be handled without any supervision. We can always use help with yard work (weeding the gardens, weed whacking, leaf blowing, snow blowing and collecting sticks/trash) as well as assorted maintenance. If you would like to help with one of these projects, please email us at [veclub@verizon.net](mailto:veclub@verizon.net), or just stop by and get started. We will NEVER turn away volunteers!!!

Thank you for helping us keep our Club beautiful!!!

- The Maintenance & Grounds Committee