

Elgin Turners

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A Message from Ed Flavin, President

Thank you Cyril " Bill " Braun for the generous donation towards our security system. With continuing Turner support we can achieve our goals. Just like our kitchen project, it takes money and volunteers, unfortunately we have very little money and only a few Turners that are willing to volunteer.

We are getting into some colder and rainy weather and we need to finish painting the auto repair shop next door. Again we need your help. Let our club manager know if and when your available.

Being a Turner member is more than paying dues and buying coupon books. It's about getting involved in your club. You can pay dues to a health club, but if you don't go to work out you won't see any positive results. I know not everyone is able to help for one reason or another. I respect that, but for those of you that can, please do.

We have our Haunted House opening soon and it takes volunteers to make it work. So please sign up and scare the bee gee bees out of someone. We also have our kids Halloween Party coming up. But if we don't get 20 kids signed up we'll have to cancel it. So not fair to our kids and grandkid's. Our future is in your actions or lack of!

On a positive note. We had a pretty good softball event at Turner Camp. Thanks to all who helped. It went very smooth and everyone had a good time. This wouldn't have gone as good if it weren't for other society Turner's stepping up to help. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEW SATURDAY HOURS - 2 pm until 9 pm

IL DISTRICT PAINTBALL TOURNAMENT – October 19

KIDS HALLOWEEN PARTY – October 20

HAUNTED HOUSE – October

Please contact Bonnie Haney at 847-915-9390 to see how you can help make this year's haunted house a success!

TURKEY (MEAT) RAFFLE – November – ON SALE NOW!!

The club will be doing a 50/50 raffle this year instead of the pink turkey raffle tickets. Tickets can be purchased at the club, during other club events and through board members. Tickets will be 2 for \$5 or 5 for \$10.

A Message from Theresa Ernst, Vice President

There are so many people to thank for their hard work at the softball tournament and so as not to forget anyone I'm just going to say **THANK YOU** to everyone who helped with the softball tournament. Whether you worked or were just came to support the event we greatly appreciate it!!!!

The Haunted House is our next big fund raiser and we are looking for volunteers to sell tickets, sell candy/pop, seat people and scare people. We are also in need of batteries, black paint and food for the workers. So if you can donate something please bring it down to the club. Dates of the Haunted House are October 11th, 12th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 25th, 26th, 27th and 31st. Friday and Saturday's from 7:30 – 12:00, Sunday's and Halloween from 7:00 – 10:00. A lot of help is needed so come on down!

The kids Halloween party is scheduled for October 20th from 1:00 – 3:00. If there are not 20 kids signed up by October 11th the event will be cancelled. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board at the club.

Illinois District is holding a Paintball Tournament on October 19th at Paint Ball Explosion in Dundee. The cost is \$45.00 per person. The cost includes Paintball Gun and Mask Rental, 500 Paintballs, Unlimited Air Re-fills **and 4 HOURS of playing time on up to 5 different battlefields**. The event is open to Turners and their guest. Sign-up sheets are attached and there will be some on the bulletin board at the club. If you need further information or have questions feel free to contact Jack Bucaro at Buc_13@hotmail.com, Charlie Gloppe at itc_spyder@yahoo.com or Nick Barts at nbarts5@yahoo.com.

The 1450 Dinner Dance will be on November 2nd, tickets are available at the club or by contacting Wayne Elste at 847-533-0045. The annual Turkey Raffle is on November 9th.

Don't forget that Lightning is back every Friday (new start time 7:30), Beer Sausage is the 3rd Sunday of every month, Family Breakfast is the last Sunday of every month, Meat Raffle is the last Sunday of every month following Family Breakfast and if your birthday is during the current month your steak dinner is free (with the purchase of one dinner) the last Thursday of each month.

October 2013

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 29 Family Breakfast 9 – 12 BEARS Game at noon MEAT RAFFLE 1:00 | 30 CLUB CLOSED | 1 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 2 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 3 Open Grill | 4 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 | 5 Club Open NEW HOURS 2 – 9pm |
| 6 Club Open 11:30 AM for BEARS Game at noon | 7 CLUB CLOSED | 8 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 9 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 10 <i>Family Dinner</i> <i>Chicken Piccata</i> 6 pm to 8:30 pm | 11 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 Haunted House | 12 Club Open 2 – 9pm Haunted House |
| 13 CLUB CLOSED | 14 CLUB CLOSED | 15 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 16 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 17 Open Grill | 18 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 Haunted House | 19 Club Open 2 – 9pm Haunted House |
| 20 Beer Sausage 9 – 12 BEARS Game at noon Kid's Halloween Party | 21 Board Meeting 6 PM Membership Meeting 8 PM | 22 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 23 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 24 Open Grill | 25 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 Haunted House | 26 Club Open 2 – 9pm Haunted House |
| 27 Family Breakfast 9 – 12 MEAT RAFFLE 1:00 Haunted House | 28 CLUB CLOSED | 29 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 30 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 31 Steak Dinner <i>October Birthday Celebrants eat free with one paid dinner</i> Haunted House | 1 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 | 2 Club Open 2 – 9pm 1450 Dinner |
| 3 CLUB CLOSED | 4 CLUB CLOSED | 5 Spin the Wheel Night! \$.50 Wings! | 6 Burger Specials \$1 Eggrolls | 7 Open Grill | 8 FISH FRY 5 – 8 pm LIGHTNING 7:30 | 9 Club Open 2 – 9pm |



Happy Birthday Elgin Turners!



Bill Mroczkowski 10/2, Mary Kennedy 10/3, Craig Benthussen 10/7, Robert Kraft 10/8, Bonnie Haney 10/9, Erika Wickstrom 10/10, Haley Wickstrom 10/10, George Gockman 10/12, Frank Warga 10/14, Randall Gunderson 10/16, Tyler Lau 10/16, Joseph Mueller 10/16, Shannon Parry 10/16, Jim Payne 10/16, Dave Williams 10/18, Bernice O'Brien 10/19, Patrick Benden 10/20, Susan Reed 10/20, Tom Severson 10/23, Sharol Holstein 10/26, Sharon Kothe 10/26, Howard Boress 10/28, Gregory Klemm 10/29, Ronald Salzmman 10/30, Shawn Stevenson 10/30, Sunday Bounnavong 10/31



1st Annual Illinois District Paintball Tournament October 19th

Play starts at fields 11:00 A.M. Be early so we do not waste anytime

Paintball Explosion Dundee, IL

This year we are proud to announce the addition of the Illinois District Paintball Tournament to our Illinois district sports tournament series.

Cost is \$45.00 per person and includes:

Paintball Gun and Mask Rental

500 Paintballs

Unlimited Air Re-fills

And 4 HOURS of playing time on up to 5 different battlefields!!!!!!

Please bring your friends out and enjoy this great event. Teams will be chosen the day of the tournament. You do not need to be a Turner Member to play.

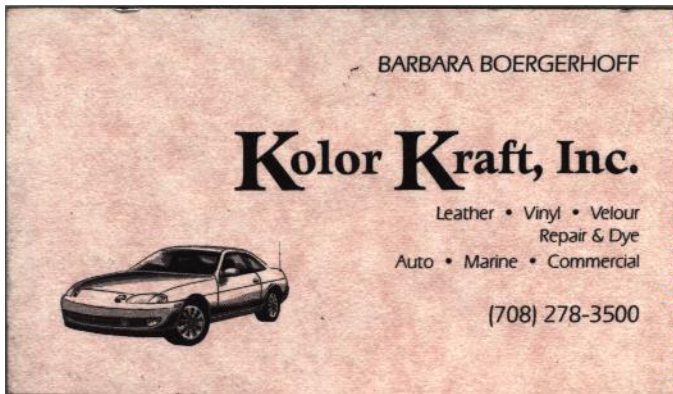
Name: _____ Society: _____

Members Name (if you are the friend of a Member): _____

For more information or to return your sign up form please contact Charlie Gloppe at itc_spyder@yahoo.com,

Nick Barts at nbarts5@yahoo.com, or Jack Bucaro at Buc_13@hotmail.com.

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*If you are interested in having your business noted in our monthly newsletter,
please contact Peggy Crain at 630-885-3472 for details.*