



	Club Hours	
Monday:	Closed	
Tuesday:	Closed	
Wednesday:	4:00-10pm	(Kitchen opens 5:00)
Thursday:	4:00-11pm	(Kitchen opens 5:00)
Friday:	3:00-11pm	(Kitchen opens 5:00)
Saturday	Closed unless Club Event	
Sunday	Closed unless Club Event	

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Winter doesn't have to be a bleak, lonely time of year! Join us at the club for a month of fun activities with old and new friends! The club is always ready to welcome you warmly. Remember, if you're not getting your monthly newsletter, email us. There are also printed copies available at the club. See an officer with any questions.

Bryn Weckel, Newsletter Coordinator

February Events

- 8th- German Language Class 7:00
- 9th- Fasching (Mardi Gras)
- 11th- Superbowl Party
- 14th- Valentine's Day Special Meal
- 16th- 3rd Friday Band
- 21st- Culinary Tour- France
- 22nd- Thirsty Thursday
- 23rd- Kermit Night 6:00
- 23rd- Board Meeting open to General Members 7:30
- 24th- Wine and Cheese Night
- 28th- Trivia Night

MARCH 2nd- FRONTIER FEAST

Our website is www.readingliederkrantz.com You will find complete information on how to sign up for the email blast and newsletter. Current and past newsletters will be found under Member Info.

Other important information:

E-mail: info@readingliederkrantz.com

Rentals: rentals@readingliederkrantz.com

Volunteers: volunteers@readingliederkrantz.com

Membership: membership@readingliederkrantz.com

Reservations: tables.toasttab.com

Mailing Address: *Reading Liederkrantz,
PO Box 4338, Reading, PA 19606-4338*



Be sure to look at the website for 2024 rules and application for our Reading Liederkrantz

Scholarship awards. We award two \$1000 Scholarships to high school senior students (children or grandchildren of Reading Liederkrantz members) who are bound for college or other post graduate education.

Full rules and regulations are on the website. Deadline to apply is March 31st. So don't wait!

Save the Dates:	March 2	Frontier Feast
	March 3	BINGO
	March 9	Bockbier Fest
	March 16	St. Patrick's Party



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Jackie Dell-Shearer
Brad Edwards
Jennifer Larkin
Scott Mitchell**

**Kara Rohrbach
Kyle Rohrbach
Kari Schaeffer
Thomas Schaeffer
Crystal Scolastico**

**Dana Shearer
Nic Stoltzfus
Scott Sunderland
Kelly Sweigart**

Travel

Scheduled:

Norwegian Sun 9 day Alaskan Cruise round trip from Seattle June 25th-July 5th – 57 travelers.

We will have a final documents and instructions meeting about 10 days before departure in June. Watch for that date via email to travelers registered.

New-In planning stages- Please mark your calendar!

Dec 8-12, 2024- Motor Coach trip to Asheville, NC, to visit the Biltmore at Christmas. Brochure to be available mid-March with all details. Sign up quickly when announced with any Boscov's Travel Center.

Plan ahead and save the date- Exciting news!

July 10-17, 2025- flight trip to Reutlingen, Germany, Reading's partner city.

One hotel, with day trips to surrounding cities and attendance at the Schwörtag City Festival in Reutlingen. Price will be all inclusive. Brochure will be available in early July this year, one year prior to this fabulous trip. Watch for exciting details!

GUTE REISE - BON VOYAGE

*Condolences go out to the families and friends of long-time members
George Allmendinger and Luzia Gaisbauer
who passed away recently.*



NEWSLETTER PATRONS— help defray printing costs by a donation of \$20 a year. Checks should be made out to *Reading Liederkrantz* and sent to the club at the address found on the first page. Please mark to the Attention of Bryn Weckel. We appreciate your support! The following patrons are shown with the expiration date of their donation.

Barry & Cherylene Shollenberger	3/24
Bob & Nini Zoppel	3/24
Linda Bordic	3/24
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Gerald & Janet Trate	3/24
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Corrie Crupi-Zana	3/24
Bert & Renate Walker	5/24
Linda & Rudy Rauh	5/24
Ann Gagliano & Bob Sabalski	5/24
Glenn & Robin Wolfe	5/24
Donna Yohn	5/24
Curtis Rapp	9/24
Jeff & Judi Eshelman	9/24
Len & Bryn Weckel	9/24

Brenda Dugan	9/24
Harry & Leni Poch	11/24
Ron & Janet Bortz	11/24
John Schuler	1/25
Susan Shuler	1/25
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Reading Liederkrantz 2024 Membership Renewal

Membership annual dues of \$25.00 per person **MUST** be paid by **February 1, 2024** to avoid a **LATE FEE**. Any member that chooses to renew between **February 1, 2024 and March 31, 2024** will incur an additional **late renewal fee of \$10.00 per member**. All members not current with their dues by March 31, 2024 will be **dropped** from all mailing lists, and are **required to reapply for membership, losing all accrued years**. Members needing a **new card**, regardless if it is lost or damaged will be assessed **\$15.00** per card to cover costs.

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 4338, Reading, PA 19606-4338
Please mail your renewal to the attention of the Financial Secretary

Please clip and return with your renewal payment of \$25.00 per membership per year, made payable to the **Reading Liederkrantz**

2024 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Name(s) _____

Address _____ City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Payment Amount _____

Method of Payment: Cash _____ Check No. _____ Credit Card Order No. _____

Credit Card payments can only be accepted at the club.

I also wish to contribute to the Reading Liederkrantz Building Fund. Please recognize my donation, in the amount of \$5 \$10 \$25 \$50 \$100 \$_____.

Your donation will be recognized by the name(s) of the donor in a news letter next year.

You may also direct your donation to be recognized in memory of a loved one, or remain anonymous.

Replacement cards cost \$15.00 per card.

Received by: _____

Date: _____



Fasching (Mardi Gras)

Friday, Feb 9

Music by "The Adlers" 7-10pm

Members: FREE Non-Members and Guests: \$10



If you've never been to Mardi Gras come and enjoy the German Version— a proud Liederkrantz tradition for over 70 years!

Doors open at 5, Dinner available from menu 6-8:00

Come in costume for your chance to win prizes





SUPER BOWL PARTY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11



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On November 26, Germania defeated Governor Mifflin in the playoff game of the season, 3-1. Team Captain Jeff Geist showed up to cheer on the team even though he was on crutches with a broken leg from a previous game! Besides that, it was raining heavily and very cold! Kudos to both teams and the referees for playing through and-

Congratulations Germania!



Germania has been a very strong, proud part of the Reading Liederkranz since its formation in 1926. Over the years it was known as the German-American SC, Reading-American Premiers (Amerks) and then reborn as Germania. We will be celebrating Germania's 100th anniversary in 2026.

For more information contact President Len Weckel through
info@readingliederkranz.com



Valentine's Day Dinner

We cater to Pairs or Spares
Wednesday, February 14

Love is in the Air!

Order off the menu, no need for reservations
Unless you are a party of 8 or more

*Chef Tanya has prepared a Special Valentine's Day Menu including
Appetizers, Salad, Entrees and Dessert
(Ash Wednesday options are also available!)*

Specialty drinks from the bar

*DJ Scottie will be entertaining us with music to dine by or dance to!
Music from 6-8*



WINE AND CHEESE

Saturday, February 24

This popular evening is taking on a new look! You can still reserve your spot for the Wine and Cheese tasting by sending in the coupon below or ordering online at Reservations: tables.toasttab.com

Deadline for Reservations is February 18

Please note this is for the Wine and Cheese Tasting only. Dinner is available for purchase that evening from our Club Menu with specials.

This event sells out quickly so don't delay in reserving!

RESERVE YOUR SEAT AT THE WINE AND CHEESE EVENT BY RETURNING THIS COUPON TO:
READING LIEDERKRANZ, PO BOX 4338, READING, PA 19606-4338 BY FEBRUARY 19 ~ ATT: WINE AND CHEESE

Name(s) _____

Check enclosed for _____ Members (\$15) _____ Guests (\$25)

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FRONTIER FEAST

MARCH 2ND, 2024

Doors open at: 5:00pm
Social Hour with Cash Bar: 5-6pm
Buffet 7:00 -8:30pm
Music 6:30- 9:30pm

Entertainment:
Mountain Folk Band

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143 Spook Lane, Reading Pa 19606



\$60.00 per Person in advance

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Volunteers:

Volunteers are needed to help keep the club moving forward. Help is needed in the kitchen, special monthly events, club cleanup etc.

Contact Volunteer Coordinator Patrick Nelis at (484)955-1547

or email: volunteers@readingliederkranz.com

Ladies Auxiliary:

Meetings are monthly, the third Friday at the club. The Ladies are purchasing the HVAC needed to heat and cool our hallways and restrooms. Thank you for supporting all our projects!

NEW OFFICERS OF THE READING LIEDERKRANZ FOR 2024

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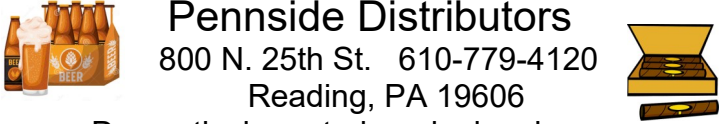
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