

DIE ZEITUNG DES NEWARK MÄNNERCHORS

February, 2026

PO Box 264, Newark OH 43058-0264 (740) 323-1163 NewarkMaennerchor.com

A Note from our President

Winter greetings everyone. First of all I would like to thank our members who have entrusted me with another year as your president. I promise to do my best to keep our values and do what is best for our club. Also a big "thank you" to all of the Officers and Trustees who have agreed to stay on.

A good time was had by all at our 2nd annual member Christmas party on Dec 12, a much deserved treat for our members.

Our delicious monthly Spaghetti and Noodle dinners continue to bring many guests to our club for a tasty, affordable family dinner. Our food prep and service workers have become a well oiled machine to make these dinners major fundraisers for our club. Thanks all!

Another capital improvement project was just completed. 3 countertops in the kitchen were replaced and they look incredible. A very nice upgrade to the appearance of the kitchen. Improvements as such are a direct result of the Sherman sweepstakes capital improvement fund (to which we have sold approx. 700 tickets) we also received a generous donation from our singers for \$1000 for the new countertops. Thanks Cara! The Ladies section have also been generous to our needs by donating money for kitchen supplies, 100 new dish cloths, and some new cutlery. Thanks Ladies! I also want to thank Mr. **Fred Nickerson**, who has been drafting and filing our 1099's and 990 tax forms pro-bono for many years. Fred has recently retired and we wish him the best in his endeavors. Thanks Fred! As always in true Maennerchor form another member has stepped up to take on this task. **Jerry Rank** has agreed to do our filings for us. Thanks Jerry!

We also have more upgrades planned for the upcoming year as we practice continuous improvements to our club.

It's great to be starting another fun year at the Maennerchor and seeing all of my friends to "raise a glass". See ya soon!

As always, God Bless Us Everyone

Your President, Mike

RENTALS by **Barry McDougal**

We have set some club dates both for 2026 as well as 2027, as we are booking rentals for both years. We also have made a few changes in how rentals will be handled by the trustees. As always give Barry a call at 740-323-1163 to book a rental or any questions.

Life Members by **Steven Snow**

The Life Members' Christmas party was held at Olive Garden on January 15, 2026. We had a wonderful turnout with 25 life members and guests in attendance. Everyone had a great time and truly enjoyed each other's company throughout the event.

Ox Roast by **Steve Ehret**

If you are preparing your yearly calendar, please mark down our 73rd Annual Ox Roast will be **August 15th** this year!



Jack Sherman Sweepstakes by **Jeff Crabill**

The year end winners for 2025:

11/19 Stephanie Shaw

11/26 Linda Lynch

12/11 John Hinderer

We had 36 weekly winners in 2025.

Thanks to everyone who participates in our largest annual Capital Improvement fundraiser for the past 15 years.

We have sold nearly 700 ticket numbers to date for 2026.

Get with me (call or text 740-404-0744) if you need more tickets to sell/purchase. Thank you!

Ladies Section by **Marty Werner**

With the help of the Trustees, the Ladies were able to get the club decorated for Christmas the Sunday after Thanksgiving. We always appreciate the Trustees help every year with this. Due to the December weather the Ladies meeting and Spaghetti dinner was canceled and the Christmas cards with candies couldn't be passed out until the January Spaghetti dinner. Our dessert sales were \$250. The extra cards with candy we had left were donated. Measuring cups and towels for the kitchen were purchased. We are working on a project for Betty's Kids with more info to come.

Our next gathering will be our members dinner at the Olive Garden at 6:30 on Tuesday March 3rd. Our April 7th meeting will be our election meeting and we welcome guests if you are able to attend. As always we appreciate desserts for our Spaghetti and Noodle dinners. For any questions contact Marty Werner at

740-739-3146.



Singers News by **Cara Noyes** 740-877-2722

Singers will be rehearsing on Mondays in February to prepare for the National Saengerfest in San Antonio in early May.

We hope to have another fundraiser at City BBQ or elsewhere in the next 6 weeks, so stay tuned on Facebook.

Musically,
Cara Noyes

DUES ARE DUE NOW!

Dues for 2026 are now due. Please remit your **Social Membership dues of \$40** (\$25 for Senior Members, age 65 and older AND a Newark Männerchor member for ten consecutive years or more to Newark Männerchor, Post Office Box 264, Newark, OH 43058-0264 You may also pay at any Business or Social Meeting. Thank you for your timely payment!



Park

NATIONAL BANK

THE EYE SITE
Doctors of Optometry
 Nancy R. Dietz, O.D.
 Brett A. Dietz, O.D.
 Glasses Contact Lenses
 Eye Diseases

GRANVILLE OFFICE
 114 North Galway Drive
 Granville, Ohio 43023
 Phone (740) 587-4970

MILLERSPORT OFFICE
 12464 Lancaster Street
 P.O. Box 421
 Millersport, Ohio 43046
 Phone (740) 467-2525

[wwwTheEyeSite.net](http://www.TheEyeSite.net)

Jack's Septic Tank Cleaning and Construction

274 South Sixth Street
 Newark, OH 43055

740.366.3255
www.jackssepticoh.com



Spaghetti Dinner

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2026
Dine In or Drive Thru
 Public Welcome

Newark Männerchor
 195 West Orchard St., Newark, Ohio
 \$12/adults • \$5 children 12 and under
 Credit cards accepted for dine-in

Thank you for your patronage!



Beef & Chicken NOODLE DINNER

Wednesday, March 18, 2026
4:30 PM - 7:00 PM
 Open to the Public!
 Credit cards now accepted for dine-in only

Newark Männerchor
 195 West Orchard St., Newark, Ohio
 \$12 Adults • \$5 Children 12 & Under

Thank you for your support!

Ryan T. Bubb
 Newark City Auditor

Paid for by Citizens for Ryan T. Bubb

JIM HOPEWELL KITCHEN
 YOUR DEDICATION IS THE FOUNDATION OF OUR SUCCESS



FEBRUARY

2,9,16,23.....Singers' Rehearsal
 4.....Spaghetti Dinner
 10.....Trustee Meeting
 11.....Executive Board & Business Meeting
 21.....200 Club Dinner
 25.....Life Members & Social Meeting

This space is Available!
 Contact Deb Jackson
 740-403-3290

This space is Available!
 Contact Deb Jackson
 740-403-3290



200 Club Dinner!
 Saturday, February 21

Reservations for everyone are due by Saturday February 7th . Contact Joyce Blackstone by email jlstone4@yahoo.com
 You can also text or call 740-334-0630.
 Leave a message: I will need to know how many people you have attending, names of each person, and if they are a member or a guest.
 INVITE your friends or family, fill a table!

Henderson Van Atta
STICKLE
 Funeral & Cremation Service

59 North Fifth Street
 Newark, Ohio 43055
740-345-9864

A note from your newsletter editor: Thank you to all of the newsletter contributors! You all make my job easy. If you know of anyone who would like to take one of the two ad spaces, they are \$75 and \$100. Prost!