



Luncheon and Business Meeting
The Westin Hotel in Lake Mary
2964 International Parkway
Lake Mary, Florida 32746
November 21, 2013
Gather at 11:30 a.m. Lunch at noon

Upcoming Events

December Program: Gala Holiday
Gathering with Music by The Caroling
Company Singers

January Program: Scott Fais- Reporter
"Florida on a Tankful," News 13

Directions to the Westin Hotel: Take Interstate 4 to Exit 101A. At the top of the ramp, turn left. At the next light, International Parkway, turn right. The hotel will be on the left.

November Program:

"How To Protect Yourself from Identity Theft"



An officer from the Seminole County Crime Prevention Unit will discuss techniques for protecting your personal information, methods to reduce your risk, and tips on what to do should you become a victim of identity theft.

Identity theft can wreak havoc on your personal finances and credit history. It can take a substantial amount of time, money and patience to resolve. Orlando is particularly vulnerable--ranking 10th in the nation for reported identity theft.



Learn how advances in technology, computers and mobile electronic devices have created new security challenges and new opportunities for identity theft.

Menu

Organic Baby Lettuce Salad with
Tomatoes, Kalamata Olives, Maui Onion and
Roasted Pumpkin Seeds,
with Walnut Sherry Vinaigrette
Freshly Baked Artisan Bread and Sweet Butter

Entrée Choices

Ginger Sesame Grilled Chicken served with
Lime and Shitake Basmati Rice with Bok Choy
and Julienne Carrots

or

Pan Roasted Fresh Seasonal Catch served
with Lime and Shitake Basmati Rice with Bok
Choy and Julienne Carrots

or

Wild Mushroom Ravioli served with Braised
Spinach, Fresh Tomatoes and Garlic Cream
Sauce

Dessert

China Mist Iced Tea
Freshly-Brewed Starbucks Coffee

\$23

PROCEDURES FOR LUNCHEON RESERVATIONS

Call for reservations between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. according to the first initial of your last name. To leave a message, spell your last name, say your phone number and your choice of entrée. You will receive a phone confirmation. You must be confirmed. Thanks! E-mails not valid.

PLEASE, NO CALLS AFTER 5 P.M.

A-L Betty Little 407-679-7395 M-Z Linda Hargreaves 407-695-3944

You may pay by CASH or CHECK made out in advance to Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc. Pick up your name tag at the welcome table. Prearrange payment for guests.

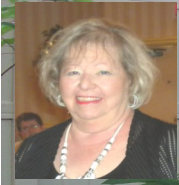
RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 P.M. ON THE MONDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON (NOVEMBER 18). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB.

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MY PLACE



Judy Babine



Dear Newcomers,

Welcome back to My Place. We have baby birdies – five little tiny cardinals. The egg shells slowly cracked, and there they were. Their little mouths were wide open in ready position. The parents went back and forth from the feeder to the nest. The other bird friends (bluebirds and doves) were diligently watching the frenzied feedings. Congratulations! You are all aunts by proxy.

In my absence, Ronnie Telzer chaired the board meeting. Many thanks. They reported that a new group is beginning on November 22 at 11 a.m. It is called "Let's Chat & Chew," and the chair is Névine Snyder. It will be at Névine's home in November to discuss future plans. Everyone should bring an appetizer and/or a dessert.

What a terrific luncheon at Tusawilla Country Club! The food was hot and delicious, and the service superb. Our speaker, Amy Kaufeldt, co-anchor of Fox TV's "Good Day Orlando" was inspiring, upbeat, and humorous. She lifted my spirits with her pragmatic views on balancing family, life and work. Thank you, Amy.

Finally, my gratitude to you all for the cards, phone calls, prayers and well wishes during my surgery and recovery. Your kind words and support for strength and courage helped me so much. I am blessed to be part of this wonderful organization we call Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc. For me, it is a lifeline.

Your president,
Judy

Winners at the Luncheon

- Free Luncheon - Christine Porter
- \$10 Gift Card to Chick Fil-A - Diane Arserio
- \$10 Gift Card to Eastern Pearl -Sharen Isham
- 50/50 - Charlotte Becker

BOARD MEETING



**Thursday
November 7, 2013
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

Perkins Restaurant & Bakery
6425 University Blvd
Winter Park, FL 32792
407-679-6798



Susan Murray

Susan now calls Florida home, having a brother, sister, and cousin Mary Jane Godfrey nearby. She has been a member for three years and is our current Parliamentarian and a host of Chick Flicks. After a 35-year career in five states, she retired from her position as Library Director at Valencia College.

She met Paul, her high school sweetheart, again at their 40th reunion, and they have been married for five years. She has two daughters, two stepsons, and four grandchildren. She loves volunteering at the Central Florida Zoo where she brings animals out to visit with guests and to schools to encourage wildlife appreciation.

International Dining Chairs:

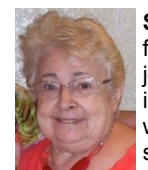
International Dining has quickly become a favorite activity.



Névine Snyder is from Egypt and has been a member of Newcomers since 2011. She is a Professor of Counseling at

the University of Central Florida. Névine is married to John, and they have one son, Christopher. Hobbies include needlepoint, jigsaw puzzles, and reading historical novels.

Névine also chairs Blackjack and Hooked on Books and is starting a new "Let's Chat & Chew" group.



Solly Haber is from Turkey. She joined Newcomers in 2010. Solly is a widow and has four sons. She is a retired Con-

vention Specialist in Languages. Her hobbies are traveling and painting. Solly is the Ways & Means Chair providing fundraising projects for our club treasury and charities.



Membership

Joan Gray & Trisha Fuston

We now have 188 members. The new Membership Directories are now being distributed. We encourage you to attend the luncheons to retrieve yours, but if you cannot attend, the Chair of a group you participate in could get yours for you. DeDe Fluhr has stepped down so Joan and Trisha are helping each other with the Membership duties. Many thanks to DeDe for her exceptional work in this position.

Happy Birthday!!!

11/1	Joan Ross
11/2	Linda Smith
11/5	Mary Ward
11/6	Marcella Adams
11/7	Ellen Brighton
11/11	Sue Petersen
11/14	Nancy Jaeger
11/16	Vilma Hugh
11/17	Helen Cisch
11/21	Mike Krajewski
11/21	Ann McLean
11/22	Joan Hansen
11/25	Joan "Joni" DeFoor
11/25	Frances Sams

Welcome our newest member!

Betty Schaadt

More information next month

INSIDE THE ARTS

MARY ANN DOUGHERTY 407-463-4345 cell
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2013
ALBIN POLASEK MUSEUM & SCULPTURE GARDENS
633 Osceola Avenue
Winter Park, FL 32789
Phone: 407-647-6294

MEET at the MUSEUM at 11 a.m.

\$5 per adult or \$4 Senior (pay at the door)

Docent-led tour of House, Chapel, and Gardens
Museum is located on Aloma Avenue
(on the right before the library)

Then join us for lunch at Paris Bistro
216 N. Park Avenue

Please let me know in advance that you're coming.

2013-2014 OFFICERS

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	Betty Little	407-679-7395

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Bridge	Pat McRee	407-359-1228
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4th Thurs.	Jenny Iacovazzi	407-331-4523
2nd Wed.	Mary Ward	407-366-3015
Chick Flicks Oviedo	Susan Murray Odd months	407-375-9417
	Mary Ann Dougherty Even months	407-463-4345
Hooked on Books	Névine Snyder	407-381-4408
International Dining	Névine Snyder Solly Haber	407-381-4408 321-972-5521
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Pot Luck Dining	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
Let's Do It	Pat Brizel Dru Juhl	407-277-2070 407-682-6306
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Let's Chat & Chew	Névine Snyder	407-381-4408



WAYS & MEANS

Solly Haber 321-972-5521
Joan Lenard 407-671-8454

Good news! Our bus is full as we head for Charleston and Savannah on Oct. 28.

Sorry for those of you that could not join us this time, but I promise you that I have a lot of fun-filled trips coming up, and I hope more of you will be able join us then.

Let's Chat & Chew!

Appetizers and Dessert Extravaganza!
Friends, Food and Fun



Névine Snyder 407-381-4408

Where? 14784 Burntwood Circle, Orlando

When? Friday, November 22

What Time? 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

*What to bring? either an appetizer or a dessert. *bring a take-home container to take plenty back home* I encourage and welcome anyone who wants to join us. Interested in coming? Call Névine.*

OUTREACH Karen Jacobs 912-660-8063

Several of us had a GREAT time at Safe House's "Purses for a Purpose" fundraiser on 10/11 at Crane's Roost! Thanks for generously donating over 60 purses for the silent auction!

The holidays are almost upon us – so a reminder that at the November and December luncheons, we will be collecting \$\$ to purchase designated holiday gifts for Safe House children! Contributions can be made in cash or with a check (made out to Newcomers of Central Florida and please mark "Safe House" on your check). Right after the December luncheon, some Newcomers' elves will be hitting the stores to shop 'til we drop (or run out of funds). If you'd like to participate, please let me know! Our USO Troop Donations Can will be at the entry table at each luncheon, so you can still donate, but it will not be passed at the luncheons until after the first of the year. We really want to emphasize Safe House at holiday time. We still need aluminum tabs from soups/pet food/sodas & beer for the Ronald McDonald House! Please reach out to family members, friends & neighbors even if you do not use these items! Many people want to give something, but don't know HOW!! I will collect these at each luncheon!

CORRESPONDENCE



Ann Denton 407-831-7720

If you know of a member who is ill or has a family member in the hospital, please notify Ann. She will send a card.

Get Well card:

Edith Smith

Judy Babine

Fran Sams

Nellis Bushnell

Sympathy card:

Lisa Batcho

Bob and Chris Boffi

Thank you notes:

Amy Kaufeldt

Tuscawilla Country Club

International Dining



Interested in joining us?

Please call to let us know of your interests in various international cuisines.

We will not be meeting in November.

Névine Snyder (407) 381-4408

Solly Haber (321) 972-5521

Hooked on Books

Névine Snyder (407) 381-4408



Tuesday, November 19 at 1:30 p.m.
The Tremont (2nd floor library) located next to Macaroni Grill.
7015 Red Bug Lake Rd Oviedo, FL 32765

Nov. 19 - The Last Lecture by Randy Pausch
Dec. 17 - The Kingmaker's Daughter by Phillipa Gregory

I encourage and welcome anyone who would like to join us. Interested in coming? Call Névine.



Let's Do It!

Dru Juhl 407-682-6306

December 10, 2013

Epcot Candlelight Processional



Mass choir and 50-piece orchestra along with Sigourney Weaver as the guest narrator of the Christmas story.

We will leave for Disney at 12 noon to enjoy the Epcot holiday decorations and have dinner before the 8:15 p.m. presentation and stay for the fireworks show.

Daily admission ticket or Disney pass **plus** \$65.34 for Biergarten dinner including tax & gratuity (all-you-can eat buffet), reserved show seating and a pre-arranged viewing area for the fireworks.

RSVP and send your check to Dru Juhl by **October 30** to confirm our group reservation. Carpools may be arranged after we know how many are attending. Call Dru for more details.



Mary Ann Dougherty (right) is the chairperson for Inside the Arts this year--along with committee member Ann Osbo-Minor (left).



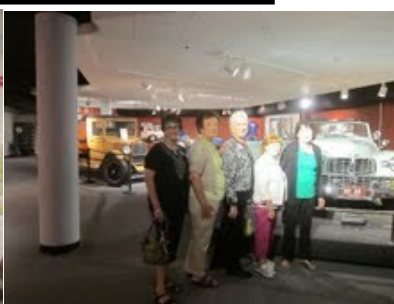
Inside the Arts September 27 visit to the Museum of Arts and Sciences In Daytona Beach



Joan Hansen, Brenda Jones and Joan Bové at the Hiawatha train exhibit.



Group with tour guide, minus Ronnie Telzer, photographer.



Ann Osbo-Minor, Marie Pisano, Joan Hansen, Betty Little and Martha Cirrotti by one of the classic cars.

One of the classic cars on display



Sculpture garden at the museum.



Group photo of members near train exhibit



Aunt Catfish restaurant for lunch: Joan Bové, Ronnie Telzer, Brenda Jones, Joan Hansen and other members are happily waiting to have lunch after the museum tour.



Oviedo and Winter Springs members at the October luncheon at Tusawilla Country Club



Sharon Prescott, Solly Haber and Carolyn Williams at the October luncheon.



Pat Brizel and Joan Lenard



Birthday ladies Chris Myers and Louise Gallagher



Prize winners Christine Porter, Diane Arserio and Sharen Isham.



Ronnie Telzer and Linda Gallagher with luncheon speaker Amy Kaufeldt



Charlotte Becker wins 50/50



Georgeann Clemons with her guest Peggy Pomeroy



Brenda Jones with Dana Carr



Judy Babine with Betty Muscarella



Kathy McCabe, left, guest and daughter of Shirley McMenamin



Lona Love with her guest Norma Porter



Ruth Shpargel guest of Pat Bearden



Solly Haber with her guest Betty Schaad



Tina Parrish with her guest Rose Owens



Edith Smith, Eileen Guesman with new member Denise Ferguson



Speaker Amy Kaufeldt's shoes were quite a hit!



Christine Porter, Vilma Hugh and Linda Selby



Dawn Sumrall and T. Kay White

NEWCOMERS
of Central Florida, Inc.















*There are no Strangers,
Just Friends we haven't met !*



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See the Chatter and more photos in color at www.newcomerscfl.org

November 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2  POT LUCK
3	4  MAH JONGG	5	6	7  BOARD MEETING	8	9
10	11  MAH JONGG  BUNKO	12  BLACKJACK	13  BUNKO	14	15	16
17	18  MAH JONGG	19  HOOKED ON BOOKS	20	21  LUNCHEON	22 LET'S CHAT AND CHEW	23  GAYLORD PALMS "ICE"
24	25  MAH JONGG	26  CHICK FLICKS	27	28  BUNKO	29	30