

CHATTER

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LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

July 16, 2015 Country Club at Deer Run 300 Daneswood Way, Casselberry, FL 32707 407-699-9592

Gather at 11:30 a.m. Lunch at noon



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UPCOMING EVENTS

August 20, 2015

Alaqua Country Club

Let's Play Bingo for

Fun and Prizes!

Bring \$1 (Exact Change Please)

To Purchase a Bingo Card

Caesar or Garden Salad with House Dressing

Chicken Piccata Baked Manicotti

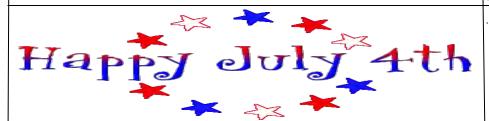
Green Beans Almondine Long Grain & Wild Rice

Rolls and Butter

Chocolate Mousse with Wafer

Regular and Decaf Coffee, Iced & Hot Tea and Sodas

\$23



A Salute to the Fourth of July!

Come celebrate Independence Day at our July luncheon and show your patriotism by wearing your favorite red, white and blue apparel, or American flag-themed jewelry and accessories. We'll even have a prize for the best outfit. There will not be a formal speaker's presentation this monthjust time to share summer childhood memories, and mix and mingle with your Newcomers club friends and table mates. In the meantime, we hope all of you have a super Fourth of July celebration this year!

Directions to Deer Run Country Club: Take your best route to Red Bug Lake Road and turn into Deer Run at Eagle Circle for half a mile. Turn at the first right onto Eagle Circle (before the 7-11 convenience store) and proceed approximately one mile to turn left on Daneswood Way to the country club.(Eagle Circle makes a loop inside the subdivision.)

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.

NOTE: Change in alphabetical contact for calling in your luncheon reservations

A-K Mary Ward 407-222-4446

L-Z Mary Beth Russo 352-262-4226

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 <u>SUNDAY BEFORE</u> THE LUNCHEON (JULY 12, 2015). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



"There's no place like home." Do you remember when Dorothy spoke those words in The Wizard of Oz? I always feel the same way when I get home from a trip, even a visit to my favorite hometown of NYC, where I spent time catching up on some Broadway shows and seeing friends and family.

Here at Newcomers of Central Florida, we're enjoying a leisurely summer and the camaraderie of a growing circle of friends. It was great seeing everyone decked out in tropical attire at the June luncheon at Cafe Murano. Ariana Lynn (Martha Cirrotti's 12-year-old granddaughter) sang a beautiful Inspiration before our group of 67 attendees. Thanks also to our new Co-VP-Luncheons Sharon Frumkin and Linda Hargreaves who handled arrangements at Cafe Murano, one of our favorite local restaurants. They have some great venues selected for the next few months including the country club at Deer Run in July and Alaqua Country Club in August.

Don't forget to get your 2015-2016 signed membership application and \$25 payment to VP-Membership Brenda Jones by July 31. We start working on producing the new membership directory in August--so it's very important to get your updated forms in on time.

At the June luncheon, we voted and approved our 2015-2016 budget. All of us work very hard to keep membership dues down while maximizing member benefits and community outreach efforts. You can help us by getting your Chatter e-mailed instead of mailed. Just check the appropriate box on the membership application which is available on-line, in the Chatter, and distributed at select summer events.

Many of our board members are already hard at work planning activities for the club. If you're interested in chairing or co-chairing our April fashion show, please let me know. As always, we welcome your suggestions and look forward to a great year of friendship, food and fun! Have a great summer!--Ronnie Telzer

Notice of Luncheon Price Increase Effective January 2016

After many years of holding the line on our monthly luncheon prices, we are no longer able to keep the price at \$23. Starting in January 2016, we will be increasing the luncheon ticket price to \$25 per person. This increase is necessary in order to find area hotels, country clubs and restaurants that can accommodate our group and provide the level of food and service we have come to expect at our monthly luncheons.

> **BOARD MEETING** July 2, 2015 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All board meetings are held on the first Thursday of the month. Perkins Restaurant & Bakery, 6425 University Blvd., Winter Park, FL 32792. RSVP to Ronnie by phone or email.



Christine Shapin

Originally from Chicago, Christine Shapin has lived in Central Florida for over 30 years. She decided to join Newcomers last

summer after retiring as an elementary school teacher in Orange County, where she taught fifth grade reading and language arts.

She enjoys getting together with friends, scrapbooking, card making, reading, traveling with her husband, and most of all, spending time with her new twin granddaughters in Atlanta.

Christine is serving as 2015-2016 Historian for Newcomers. In this position, she will take photos at many of our club's events and create the president's scrapbook. She welcomes photos from any club events you attend--just e-mail your pictures to: chriss218@aol.com



Beulah (Green) Ali-Carr was born in Texas and raised in New versity and earned

Mexico. She attended Eastern New Mexico Uni-Beulah Ali-Carr a B.S. in Home

Economics. She and her husband, Bob, have three children and celebrated their 50th anniversary last month. As an Air Force wife, Beulah has lived in several states, the Philippines, Saudi Arabia and Germany, and traveled to Greece, Turkey and South Africa. She has worked as a broker, teacher and executive secretary at the U.S. Embassy in Saudi Arabia. She moved to Central Florida in 1997. Her lifetime dream came true in April 2015, when she attended a Johnny Mathis concert. Not only did she meet him, but he wiped the sweat from her face with his hands! Beulah joined Newcomers for the second time in January 2011. She has served on the Hospitality Committee and is Chatter editor for 2015-16. She enjoys socializing, traveling, crafts, sewing, puzzles, reading, music and theater.



MEMBERSHIP CHAIR Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

Membership applications for 2015-2016 are available on-line, at selected Newcomers' events, and in mailed copies of the *Chatter*.

Please fill out and sign your application, and mail it with your \$25 payment (Checks made payable to Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc.) to Brenda Jones, 677 Oneida Lane, Winter Springs, FL 32708

Deadline is July 31, 2015

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7/10 Lorraine Macaione

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7/24 Brenda Johnson

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7/30 Martha Cirrotti



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	Pat McCree	407-359-1228	
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4th Thurs.	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625	
2nd Fri.	Lona Love	407-977-0046	
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Hooked on Books	Joan Bové	407-971-3911	
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Let's Chat & Chew	Névine Snyder	407-381-4408	
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50/50	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625	
	Lorraine Barnett	407-312-9670	
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OUTLOOK ON OUTREACH Karen A. Jacobs, Outreach Chairman Kja9850@hotmail.com

912-660-8063

Please keep those aluminum can tabs (for Ronald McDonald House), unexpired coupons (for the Russell Home) and personal hygiene items/gently used clothing coming for the Woodbury Food Pantry and Safe House of Seminole! Your support has been superb and is much appreciated!

Coming up: Please bring monetary donations to our July luncheon to support our troops, and children's socks/underwear and jars of jam/jelly and peanut butter to our August luncheon to help the Woodbury Pantry get our children off to school well clothed and fed!

On September 22, we invite you to join us for high tea at the Pine Castle Women's Club (suggested donation \$20 or more). 100% of monies received go directly to the Russell Home for Atypical Children! Carpooling will be available, but attendance is limited to 24 ladies. Call or e-mail me to sign up. Thanks again for your continued interest and support of our charities!



Ronnie Telzer and Karen Jacobs presented our club's donation check to Arlene Wood and Betty Tines who accepted it on behalf of the Woodbury Food Pantry. The money was used to purchase a new freezer for the organization.

10 Night Southwest Panama Cruise November 11-21, 2015 MSC Divina



Final payment is due August 11, 2015

For more information, please contact: Joan Lenard (407-671-8454) JLenard1@aol.com or Solly Haber (321-972-5521) sollyhaber@aol.com

CORRESPONDENCE

Joan Bove 407-971-3911

nurseynurs@icloud.com



If you know of or hear of a member who is ill or has a family member in the hospital, please notify Joan. Thinking of you card sent to Ann-Osbo Minor.

Get well card sent to Gloria Irwin

New member packets to:

Sandy Chauvin, Judith Ely, Helen Hoppman, Dee Johnson, Meredith Mastropietro, Ruth White and Louval Larry

Thank you note sent to Mary Hoskins, Event Coordinator at Cafe Murano

INSIDE THE ARTS

Louise Gallagher: 321-765-4371 Tracy Pappafotis: 407-234-8955 Activities will resume in September.

LET'S DO IT!

Pat Brizel: 407-277-2070 Petrana Yonkova 407-971-7701 Activities will resume in the Fall.

Let's Chat and Chew!

Will resume soon.

Helping Hands

If you know of a member who may need a Helping Hand, please contact Judy Babine 407-222-2961 or Huana Hankins 407-365-1178



Special Needs at Luncheons

For those who have difficulty walking into or out of our luncheon venues, or need help carrying your food plates at a buffet, please tell our Reservations team when you make your reservation. They will contact our Helping Hands team who will assist you. Please do not call the venue.



POT LUCK DINING Joan Bové 407-971-3911

We are on an indefinite hiatus. Anyone interested in hosting in the Fall? Contact me.



BUNKO GROUPS

Salad Bunko

3rd Monday 12 noon Sharen Isham 407-380-1676

Thursday Bunko

4th Thursday 6:30 p.m.

Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625 **Dicey Bunkettes** 11 a.m.

2nd Friday Deer Run Country Club

Lona Love 407-977-0046

*Call the Chairs of any group you would like to join or to be put on their substitute list.

CHICK FLICKS

Regal Cinemas - Oviedo Mall (last Tuesday of the month)

Members will receive an email to inform them of the chosen movie. At the end of the movie, attendees will choose a restaurant or restaurants where they'd like to eat. No need to RSVP for the movie or meal. Simply meet at the box office 20 minutes before show time.

Sharon Prescott 407-924-1598

LADIES BRIDGE

We play on the fourth Wednesday of the month at Deer Run Country Club, 300 Daneswood Way, Casselberry, at 11 a.m. and enjoy lunch there.

Make your reservation with either of the Chairs:

Pat McRee Sim Horst 407-359-1228 407-678-2961

patmcree@bellsouth.net skhorst@embarqmail.com



HOOKED ON BOOKS

Joan Bové 407-971-3911

PLEASE NOTE: NO MEETING IN JULY

WE WILL MEET AGAIN AUGUST 11, 2015 at the South end of the Food Court at the Oviedo Mall.

July: No meeting

August: All The Light We Cannot See by Anthony Doerr

September: At The Waters Edge by Sara Gruen

October: The Nightingale by Kristen Hana

Also note: *The Bone Tree* is now out and ready to be read. We look forward to seeing you in August.

MAH JONGG Sharon Shulman 407-625-1716



Mondays 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Bring lunch, beverage and \$4 in change.

Mah Jongg is held at the Riverside Park in Oviedo. As always...bring a bag lunch and \$4 cash.

See you there!

Edith Schulman will teach any members interested in learning the game.



International Dining

Ali Baba 1155 West SR 434, Longwood

We are going to the exotic Ali Baba for a Persian buffet dinner and belly dancing show on Friday, July 24 at 7:30 pm. The buffet offers everything from soup and salad to hummus and babaganoush as well as three or four different entrees and side dishes. We have a special price of \$16.95 per person (regular price is \$25) if we have at least 20 people. Beverages are extra. The show starts between 8:15 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. and runs until 11 p.m. You can stay as long as you like. The dancers are amazing!

Please do not make a reservation unless you intend to join us as you are taking the spot of someone who would truly like to attend. Reservations are required, and our group is limited to 40 people.

Please RSVP by Monday, July 20 to Joan Gray at JcgJbg@aol.com or 407-677-5447





The Russell Home for Atypical Children tour participants on May 28 included (left to right): Samantha Gray, Betty Muscarella, Martha Cirrotti, Karen Jacobs (Outreach Chair), Betty Turner (Russell Home Director), Caroline Dawson, Mary Ann Dougherty, and Joan Hansen and her grand-daughter Ashley Lynch. Karen Jacobs also presented a donation check for \$250 to the Russell Home from Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc.



WINNERS AT THE JUNE LUNCHEON

Free luncheon winner: Linda Tucker 50/50 jackpot winner of \$76: Bunny Hayden \$10 Walgreen's gift card: Louise Gallagher



(Left to right) Pat Cranford, Carolyn Williams, Pat Dedrel, Janet Reddington, Liz Payer, Barbara Wiseman, Marge Ahearn and Marie Pisano.



Barbara Wiseman with her guest Janene Guardi



Diane Olivi, Janet Reddington and Mary Beth Russo at the check-in desk

LUNCHEON AT CAFÉ MURANO





Ariana Lynn singing as Joyce Byram looks on



Three generations: Martha Cirrotti, her daughter Theresa Lynn and her granddaughter Ariana Lynn



The wonderful staff at Cafe Murano included Server Rebecca Rosado, Chef Scott Baade and Event Coordinator Mary Hoskins.



Brenda Jones introduces new member Judith Ely.



Brenda Johnson and Barbara Higgins



Linda Hargreaves showing off the dessert selection



Ladies enjoying lunch at Café Murano on June 18, 2015



See the Chatter in color at www.newcomerscfl.org

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