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just friends we haven't met!

CHATTER

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LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

April 18, 2019

Hilton Orlando-Altamonte Springs 407-830-1985
350 S. Northlake Blvd., Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
Gather at 11:30 a.m. Lunch at Noon

"Once Upon a Time" Fashion Show with Stein Mart



Journey with us into the world of fantasy at our annual fashion show luncheon. Our "princesses" will stroll the runway in beautiful casual and dressy ensembles from Stein Mart. Marie Johnson, Stein Mart's style consultant in Central Florida, will provide expert narration and fashion tips for building beautiful everyday and formal wardrobes.

There also will be a wide variety of door prizes and enchanting centerpieces you might win. Don't forget to make your reservation and invite friends to attend what promises to be one of our club's most popular events.

Directions to Hilton Orlando: From I-4, take exit 92, go east on SR 436 to Northlake Blvd. (1st street after I-4 exit). Turn right onto Northlake Blvd. for approximately 1/2 mile. The Hilton hotel is on your right. From Oviedo or Winter Springs, take SR 436 to Northlake Blvd. Turn left onto Northlake Blvd., go about 1/2 mile and see the Hilton on your right.

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 and say your phone number. Please be sure to indicate your choice of entrée unless it is a buffet luncheon. You will receive a phone confirmation. You must be confirmed. Email reservations are not valid.

PLEASE, NO CALLS AFTER 5 P.M.

A to K Pat Cranford 407-616-8891

L to Z Betty Hastings 407-892-5205

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. Please prearrange payment for guests.

RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 P.M. ON THE THURSDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON (APRIL 11, 2019). ANYONE WHO CANCELS AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 16

Café Murano
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
Installation of Officers

June 20

Summer Luncheon
Location TBD

APRIL LUNCHEON MENU

ENTREES

Chicken Breast Piccata served with Creamy Lemon Caper Sauce
or

Dijon Crusted Pork Loin served with Roasted Shallot Demi Glaze
or

Vegetarian: Farfalle Pasta Primavera with Oven Roasted Vegetables, Eggplant, Zucchini, Yellow Squash, Tomatoes and Peppers Sautéed with Olive Oil, Garlic & Fresh Basil

SALAD and SIDES

Mixed Garden Greens
Seasoned Green Beans
Horseradish Mashed Potatoes
Assorted Rolls and Butter

DESSERT

Newcomers Cake

BEVERAGES

Regular and Decaf Coffee,
Hot and Iced Tea
\$25

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Hi Ladies,

I'm sorry I wasn't able to join you at the Penny Auction luncheon. It's always fun to see the variety of items offered and to see the smiles of delight when someone wins an item she wanted.



In April, we have our annual fashion show, which I know most of you will attend. It's usually our most popular luncheon. Everyone loved the show we had a few years ago when we partnered with Stein Mart, so I'm sure this year's outfits will be just as fashionable and make you wish you could buy them all. I hope to see you there.

We also vote at April's luncheon on the proposed slate of officers to serve on our Executive Board. The nominees are listed below. Please review them and come prepared to cast your vote. The new board will be installed at our May luncheon.

Enjoy our beautiful spring weather. I hope to see you soon.

Joan

PROPOSED SLATE OF OFFICERS - 2019-2020

President	Joan Bové
Co-VP Programs	Dru Juhl
	Caroline Dawson
Co-VP Luncheons	Betty Little
	Haylee Lane
VP Membership	Brenda Jones
Corresponding Secretary	Christine Shapin
Recording Secretary	Louise Gallagher
Treasurer	Sue Horn
Parliamentarian	Judy Babine

BOARD MEETING

Thursday, April 4, 2019, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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



Meet Our Members

Malinda Bohan married William A. Bohan in 2002. They have two children, Billy, 14, and Brooke, 11. Eleven years ago, her husband accepted a job working for EA Games in Maitland. As a result, the family moved from beautiful Sausalito, California to Oviedo.



Malinda enjoys spending time with her children and works with nursery-age children in her church. She loves visiting Leu Gardens and being outdoors. She also serves as the family's master vacation planner for visiting Florida.

She joined Newcomers in July 2018 after being introduced to the club by her mother, member Veline Ball, who joined the club in January 2018. Both Malinda and Veline say they appreciate the kindness they find at Newcomers.



Veline Ball has been married to Charles Ball for 46 years this May. They moved to Winter Springs in 2017 from Rohnert Park, California, when Charles retired as a facilities manager for a large area in Northern California. Her new neighbor,

Brenda Jones, introduced her to Newcomers, which she feels is a blessing since she's so far from many family members.

Charles and Veline decided to move to Florida after making numerous trips to see their daughter Malinda and her family. "There's so much nature here, and so many things to see and do," says Veline. They are currently Disney passholders who enjoy our wonderful theme parks.

Veline has worked in a flower shop, bakery and frame shop. She loves quilting, sewing and a variety of handicrafts. She even has a quilting/craft room in her home. Veline currently serves in her church as the women's activity leader. Her large family includes four children, 17 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.



MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

Brenda Jones 407-366-7751
Current Membership: 168

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

Please make these changes in your newest directory.

NEW MEMBERS

Patricia Pillion

803 Woodling Place
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701
Birthday: Oct-18
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288 Saxony Court
Winter Springs, FL 32708
Kathy.przydzial@gmail.com
Birthday: Sep-23
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Cell: 407-670-9998

Hallie Skura

17114 Picketts Cove Road
Orlando, FL 32820
Birthday: Dec-7
Home: 407-568-2664
Cell: 407-765-9151
Hal4golf2@aol.com
Canada

OTHER CHANGES

Pat Pepler's new e-mail address:
patricia.pepler45@gmail.com

April Birthdays

- 3 Sally O'Brien
- 4 Wendy Dorn
- 7 Sandra Roth
- 11 Nancy Allen
- 11 Judy Brierley
- 11 Sylvia Fultz
- 11 Mary Tiedeken
- 13 Patti Zedo
- 15 Ronnie Telzer
- 16 Pat Brizel
- 17 Carol Smith
- 18 Sharon Tackaberry
- 20 Edith Smith
- 26 Paula Ritchie
- 26 Louise Vance
- 30 Betty Hastings



The April birth flowers are the **daisy** and the **sweet pea**, and the birthstone is **diamond**.



The daisy conveys innocence, loyal love, and purity. It is given between friends to keep a secret; the daisy means "I'll never tell."

2018-2019 EXECUTIVE BOARD

President	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
VP Programs	Dru Juhl	407-682-6306
	Caroline Dawson	321-439-3194
VP Luncheons	Linda Hargreaves	407-695-3944
	Betty Little	407-679-7395
VP Membership	Brenda Jones	407-366-7751
Recording Sec.	Pam Feldman	352-857-9868
Corresponding Sec.	Christine Shapin	407-497-7109
Treasurer	Helen Hoppmann	772-521-5877
Parliamentarian	Judy Babine	407-767-6729

COMMITTEES

Chatter Editor	Karyll Shaw	407-636-5075
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Fashion Show	Joan Lenard	407-671-8454
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	DeDe Fluhr	407-366-9084
Floater	Louise Gallagher	321-765-4371
Game Day	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
	Brenda Jones	407-366-7751
Helping Hands	Louise Gallagher	321-765-4371
Historian	Caroline Dawson	321-439-3194
Photos	Ronnie Telzer	407-365-1580
	Jojo Keller	850-728-9043
Hospitality	Diana Engling	407-256-3592
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	Linda Gallagher	407-592-9573
Outreach	Barbara Kalicki	407-542-5712
Publicity	Mary Beth Russo	352-262-4226
Reservations	Pat Cranford	407-616-8891
	Betty Hastings	407-892-5205
Webmaster	Ronnie Telzer	407-365-1580
Ways and Means	Haylee Lane	407-620-8484

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Bridge	Sim Horst	407-678-2961
	Pat McRee	407-359-1228
Bunko 2nd Friday Couples, 3rd Saturday	Lona Love	407-977-0046
	Gail Boudreaux	407-678-3341
Chick Flicks	Margie Rick	732-763-5277
Cooking Club	Monthly Hostess	See <i>Chatter</i>
Euchre	Judy Babine	407-767-6729
Hooked on Books	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
Mah Jongg	Sharon Shulman	407-625-1716
Mexican Train	Pam Feldman	352-857-9868



REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH

Barb Kalicki, Outreach Chairperson
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Hello Friends:

Thank you for your generous donations of breakfast bars. They are always well-received by our community service groups.



At the April luncheon, I will be collecting money for programs that assist our local military people with their various needs. This is done through the local reserve unit and covers everyone from retired individuals to struggling families. Your generosity is put to good use as we recognize their service and sacrifice.

Don't forget your aluminum tabs for Ronald McDonald House.

As always,
Barb

INSIDE THE ARTS



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Cell: 407-577-7401
Linda Gallagher johngallagher3885@att.net
Cell: 407-592-9573

Thursday, April 11, 2 p.m.

What a Glorious Feeling: The Story of Singin' in the Rain, \$33, Winter Park Playhouse. Optional dinner after the show at Cheesecake Factory in Winter Park. Check with Ronnie and Linda for information on last-minute ticket availability.

Thursday, May 23, 11 a.m.

Luncheon at Lavender and Lace tea room, Lake Alfred, FL, with optional visit to nearby Barn Antiques after the meal. Order from the restaurant menu and explore the venue's teacup displays and adjacent gift shop. Please RSVP no later than May 16. Group size is limited to approximately 25.

HELPING HANDS

If you know of a member who needs a Helping Hand, please contact Louise Gallagher @ 321-765-4371.



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.

HOOKED ON BOOKS

Joan Bové 407-971-3911
nurseynurs@icloud.com



PANERA'S on Mitchell Hammock Rd., Oviedo
Second Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

- APR *Where The Crowdads Sing* by Delia Owen
- MAY *My Grandmother Asked Me To Tell You She's Sorry* by Fredrik Backman
- JUNE *The Next Person You Meet in Heaven* by Mitch Albom

SEE YOU AT THE FASHION SHOW

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32701*





BUNKO GROUPS*

Dicey Bunkettes

2nd Friday, Deer Run Country Club **10:30 a.m.***
Lona Love 407-977-0046

Couples Bunko

3rd Saturday 6 p.m.
Gail Boudreaux 407-678-3341

Each couple brings an appetizer to share and BYOB.



The host couple provides soft drinks and dessert.

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

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
407-359-1228
patmcree@bellsouth.net

Sim Horst
407-678-2961
skhorst@embarqmail.com

MAH JONGG

Sharon Shulman 407-625-1716



Mondays 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Bring lunch, beverage and **\$5** in change.

Mah Jongg is held at the Tremont in Oviedo. Bring a bag lunch and **\$5 cash**. See you there!

Sharon is teaching a Beginner Mah Jongg class on Tuesday mornings from 9:30-11:30. Classes are at Sharon's home at 914 Lotus Vista Drive, #302, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714.

Any member wishing to learn should RSVP to her at sshulman43@gmail.com.

MEXICAN TRAIN

Pam Feldman 352-857-9868

When: 3rd Monday of the month
10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Where: 430 Raymond Avenue
Longwood, FL 32750

Call one week prior: 352-857-9868

Lunch provided. Come join us.
Maximum of 18 people



CHICK FLICKS

Oviedo Regal Cinema
(last Tuesday of the month)
Margie Rick 732-763-5277



Everyone is welcome to join our group of lovely ladies for a movie and dinner afterwards at BJ's Restaurant. Our goal is to have fun and make new friends.

All members will be notified by email of the movie selected and the meeting time on the weekend before the Tuesday movie. We meet at the Oviedo Mall Regal Cinema's box office area 15 minutes before the movie's starting time. There is no need to RSVP. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Margie directly at the number listed above.

COOKING CLUB

The Cooking Club is not changing its name, as reported in the March *Chatter*. So come join in with the Cooking Club and enjoy some new recipes and good conversation



among a small group of Newcomers friends. We rotate among three websites to find recipes for each luncheon. For the luncheon on April 25:

1. Go to www.epicurious.com and select one to two recipes you'd like to prepare.
2. Call the hostess to confirm your participation, and she will confirm your recipe choice.
3. Come to the luncheon to enjoy taste-testing and discussing the selected recipes.

Thursday, April 25, Noon

(moved to 4th Thursday for April to avoid conflict with Inside the Arts event)

Where: Betty Little's home
5433 Rocking Horse Rd.
Orlando, FL 32817

Call: 407-679-7395
by Thursday, April 18

Limit: 10-12 participants



Newcomers Activities and Luncheon



Newcomers enjoyed seeing *Isn't It Romantic?* On February 26, followed by fun at BJ's Restaurant. Left to right: Margie Rick, Diana Engling, Betty Carroll, Dee Johnson, Vicki Nidzgorski, Carolyn Williams, and Sharon Prescott.



Members enjoyed the Uptown Arts Expo on March 24, and lunch afterwards at Café Murano. Shown here are: Jim Gallagher, Louise Gallagher, Dee Johnson, Debra Pollack, Linda Hargreaves, Caroline Dawson, Barbara Moore, Pam Feldman, Kay Kane, Joan Orłowski, Linda Gallagher and John Gallagher

Penny Auction Luncheon at Heathrow Country Club



Co-VP Programs, Caroline Dawson and Dru Juhl opened the meeting.



Christine Shapin drops her winning number into one of her auction choices.



Barbara Wiseman called out the winning numbers, while Michelle Marino was one of the runners who delivered the prizes.



Barbara Moore and her guest, Michelle Haug, with Allison Feldman, guest of her mom, Pam Feldman



Mary Beth Russo and Tina Parrish, examining Penny Auction items



Christine Allard was the guest of Vicki Nidzgorski.



Ladies who celebrated their March birthdays at the luncheon included Helen Hoppmann, Brenda Jones, Sherry McFarland, Charlotte Becker, Linda Selby, Bunny Hayden, and Diana Engling



Diane Antaya, with the first of her many wins at the auction



Brenda Jones (center) with new members, Patricia Pillion and Paula Ritchie



Lucky prize winners at the March luncheon included Linda Selby (free luncheon), Pat Cranford (gift card) and Sue Horn (50-50 jackpot of \$86).



Bunny Hayden is all smiles after winning the sumptuous door prize.



Helen Hoppman, Linda Hargreaves, Kathy Jones and Nancy Raymond check out the door prize.



Barbara Moore, guest Michele Haug, Rosemary Kubanet, guest Allison Feldman, Marge Ahern, Betty Rizzi and Genevieve Iacovazzi



Brenda Jones, Veline Ball and Virginia Galloway



Kay Kane, Gerry Hindes, and Debbie Arblaster came dressed in St. Patrick's Day green.



Linda Tucker, Susan Murray, Charlotte Becker and Judy Brierly

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NOTE: All *Chatter* information for publication should be sent to kshawncfl@gmail.com by the Friday prior to the monthly luncheon (this deadline is a change from previous practice). Thank you!

The *Chatter* (in color) also at www.newcomerscfl.org

April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1  Mah Jongg	2	3	4  Board Meeting	5	6
7	8  Mah Jongg	9  Hooked on Books	10	11  Luncheon RSVP by 5 p.m. Inside the Arts	12  Bunko Chatter Deadline	13
14	15  Mah Jongg  Mexican Train	16	17	18  Luncheon	19	20  Couples Bunko
21	22  Mah Jongg	23	24  Ladies Bridge	25  Cooking Club	26	27
28	29  Mah Jongg	30  Chick Flicks				