



LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

June 18, 2015

Café Murano

309 Crane's Roost Blvd.

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701 407-834-5880

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 16, 2015

Deer Run Country Club

Summer Luncheon with

No Formal Program

Wear Red, White and Blue!

Let's Talk About the Tropics

Come join us at the June 18 luncheon for a relaxing afternoon of friendship and camaraderie.

There will not be a formal program, just an opportunity to catch up with friends and table mates as you reminisce and chat about your favorite beach vacations and destinations.

Our theme for June is "tropical vacation memories," so feel free to don your favorite Hawaiian shirt, island print outfits and accessories.

Each table will have a colorful list of suggested topics to help promote discussions and help you get better acquainted with other members and friends.



June Luncheon Menu Buffet

All entrees are served with fresh bakery breads, butter or dipping oil.

Chicken Della Casa
Sautéed with mushrooms, garlic, artichoke hearts and capers in white wine lemon butter sauce

Eggplant Al Forno
Layers of ricotta, spinach, marinara and mozzarella

Meat Ravioli
A blend of roasted pork and beef.
Served with pink vodka sauce

Cake for Dessert
Iced & Hot Tea and Coffee

\$23

Directions to Café Murano: Take Semoran Blvd "SR 436 West." Right on Festival Dr. Left on Crane's Roost Blvd. Coming from Interstate 4 - Exit 92 "SR 436 East." Left on Crane's Roost Blvd.

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 Mary Ward 407-222-4446

M-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 SUNDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON (JUNE 14, 2015). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Back in the '80s, when we were planning our wedding, my future husband and I looked for a song for our special first dance. The song we selected was "When You Wish Upon a Star" from the Disney classic film, *Pinocchio*. Little did we know that just a few years later, we'd be moving from the Northeast to a suburb of the Magic Kingdom and making some magic of our own in Central Florida.

I hope you enjoyed the June luncheon as much as I did. It was wonderful to welcome the incoming 2015-2016 Board Members with a star-themed Installation ceremony. We had over 90 people in attendance--our biggest Installation audience ever! Thanks to past president Joan Leonard for serving as mistress of ceremonies. Joan and I loved having the opportunity to mix and mingle with so many of our illustrious past presidents including: Joan Bove, Sandi Eckstein, Linda Selby, Lynne Snowden, and Helen Terefinko.

Of course, the highlight of the luncheon was the musical cabaret show, "Heather and the Boys," which starred Heather Alexander, Roy Alan, Kevin Kelly, and Todd Allen Long from the Winter Park Playhouse. Musical accompaniment was provided by the very talented Chris Leavy. If you haven't been to a musical show at the Winter Park Playhouse, you should check it out. You'll get a warm welcome from Heather or her husband, Roy Alan, and the other staffers who work there. And you'll see a charming, uplifting musical show in an intimate setting. Thanks again to Janine Johnson, our VP-Programs, for donating this special program to our group.

June marks the start of our new membership year--so please fill out your membership application, sign the form, and mail your \$25 check to VP-Membership Brenda Jones. Although we are keeping 2015-2016 membership dues at \$25, we will be raising the cost of luncheon tickets to \$25 starting in January 2016. This increase is necessary so that we can continue to find venues that deliver the high level of food quality and service that we have come to expect at our monthly luncheons. The staff at Rio Pinar did an outstanding job in May. We look forward to visiting Cafe Murano for another outstanding dining experience next month.

At our May Board Meeting, we voted to donate substantial funds from our treasury to five charities. They are: Seniors First, Safe House of Seminole, the Russell Home for Atypical Children, Wounded Warriors, and Woodbury Food Pantry. Your support of Newcomers and participation in activities like the 50-50 drawings, cruises, and Game Day help make this charitable giving possible. Thank you for being a shining star in our ever-expanding universe of friends.

--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.

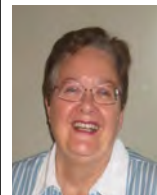
**BOARD MEETING
Thursday, June 4, 2015
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

This will be a crossover board meeting for all incoming or outgoing Board Members including Committee and Interest Group Chairs.

RSVP to Ronnie by phone or email. Perkins Restaurant & Bakery, 6425 University Blvd., Winter Park, FL 32792.



MEET OUR MEMBERS



Margie Rick is a native of New York City. She moved to east Orlando with her son, Matthew, from Princeton, New Jersey, in November 2012. Before her retirement, Margie worked in the 401(k) Services Division of Merrill Lynch. Prior to that, she and her husband, now divorced, lived in Oklahoma City, where she worked as a Producer for the ABC News Division. She is proud to have been part of a news team whose credits included winning the Peabody Award for Outstanding Broadcast Journalism.

Margie enjoys attending local theater productions, spending time at Clearwater Beach, traveling to different countries, and just having fun times with good friends and family. She joined Newcomers in November 2013, and is currently Reservations Co-Chair with Mary Beth Russo and Mary Ward.



Teri Gilbert spent her childhood in central Wisconsin and raised her son and daughter in Oregon. She married her

husband, Tom, in 2005. They lived in Bosnia and the Philippines before returning to the U.S. In 2008, Teri was diagnosed with breast cancer. After treatment, she and Tom moved to Sindelfingen, Germany, where they lived for three years.

A veteran who worked as a fitness instructor for the Army, Teri's interests include gardening, arts and crafts, photography, music and travel. She and Tom (and their fluffy dog Apollo) moved to Oviedo in May 2014. Teri joined Newcomers in June 2014, and is happy and excited to serve as the club's new Hospitality Chair.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION



MEMBERSHIP CHAIR Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

We ended the year 233 members.

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.

J U N E B I R T H D A Y S	6/1	Johanna	Lampel
	6/3	Mary Ann	Dougherty
	6/6	Lydia	Dante
	6/12	JoAnne	Bandy
	6/12	Caren	Gout
	6/13	Pat	Cranford
	6/13	Yvonne	David
	6/14	Betty	Little
	6/15	Carolyn	Williams
	6/17	Patricia	Dedrel
	6/17	Janet	Reddington
	6/19	Valari	Canonic
	6/20	Ilene	Colwill
	6/21	Liz	Payer
	6/23	Barbara	Wiseman



CORRESPONDENCE

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



If you know of or hear of a member who is ill, please notify Joan Bove.

Get well card sent to **Mike Frazier**.

Sympathy cards sent to **Susan Murray, Dru Juhl and Christine Walsh**.

Thank you card sent to **Heather Parks**, Catering Sales Manager, Rio Pinar Country Club.

Thank you note sent to **Janine Johnson**.

Thank you note sent to **Heather Alexander, Roy Alan, Todd Allen Long, Kevin Kelly, Christopher Leavy, and Alan Gallant**, Winter Park Playhouse.

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

2015-2016 OFFICERS

President	Ronnie Telzer	407-365-1580
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Publicity	Diane Olivi	407-542-3114
Reservations	Mary Beth Russo	352-262-4226
	Margie Rick	407-512-4187
	Mary Ward	407-222-4446
Ways & Means	Pam Richards	321-804-5111
Website	Pat Fluno	407-998-1037

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Blackjack	Névine Snyder	407-381-4408
Bridge	Sim Horst	407-678-2961
Bunko	3rd Mon.	Sharen Isham 407-380-1676
	4th Thurs.	Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625
	2nd Fri.	Lona Love 407-977-0046
Chick Flicks	Sharon Prescott	407-924-1598
Hooked on Books	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
International Dining	Joan Gray	407-677-5447
Let's Chat & Chew	Névine Snyder	407-381-4408
Let's Do It	Pat Brizel	407-277-2070
	Petrana Yonkova	407-971-7701
Mah Jongg	Sharon Shulman	407-388-1716
Floater	Diane Olivi	407-542-3114
50/50	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625
	Lorraine Barnett	407-312-9670
	DeDe Fluhr	407-366-9084



OUTLOOK ON OUTREACH

By Karen A. Jacobs,
Outreach Chairman
912-660-8063 kja9850@hotmail.com



Hi Ladies! Please continue to collect aluminum can tabs, clothing, and personal hygiene items for our various charities. We will have word soon on our 2015-2016 needs and activities.

We will be presenting our various charities with additional funds as voted on by our Board in June. We'll keep you posted on this in the near future. Thanks, as always, for your continued support! YOU are making a huge difference in the lives of folks in Central Florida and around the United States!

Thanks, ladies, for generously donating \$168.76 for our troops at the May luncheon! Super way to end our year! Please bring tarps, men's underwear (all sizes needed) and men's socks to the June luncheon at Cafe Murano for our wonderful Woodbury Pantry.

10 Night Southwest Panama Cruise

November 11-21, 2015
MSC Divina



Final payment is due by 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

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
Petra Yonkova 407-971-7701
Activities will resume in the Fall.

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

New Address: Denise Ferguson
4765 North Goldenrod Rd. Apt. B
Winter Park, FL 32792 (same complex)
Telephone: (407) 280-4655 or
(956) 473-9972
denisefrgsn845@aol.com

**International Dining and
Let's Chat and Chew!**

Will resume soon.



WINNERS AT THE MAY LUNCHEON



Janet Angelin, Margie Rick and Rose Owens with their plants.



Marcella Adams with her 50-50 winnings.

14 centerpiece winners
Free luncheon - Joyce Byram
\$10 Appleby's gift card - Jeanne Layton
50-50 jackpot of \$106 - Marcella Adams



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.



CHICK FLICKS
(last Tuesday of the month)

Oviedo 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

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

2nd Friday Deer Run Country Club 11:00 a.m.
Lona Love 407-977-0046

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

LADIES BRIDGE



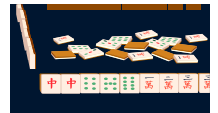
We play on the fourth Wednesday of the month at Deer Run Country Club, 300 Daneswood Way, Casselberry, at 11 a.m. and enjoy lunch there.

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 407-388-1716



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.



HOOKED ON BOOKS

Joan Bové 407-971-3911

Tuesday, June 9, 2015 at 1 p.m. Oviedo Mall
South end of the food court

June: *The Boys In the Boat* by Daniel James Brown

July: *The Ghost Map* by Steven Johnson

August: *All The Light We Cannot See*
by Anthony Doerr

We look forward to seeing you.

High Tea at the Grand Floridian Resort Hotel May 8, 2015





Karen Jacobs, Outreach; Wendy Jackson, Director of Development, Seniors First; and President Ronnie Telzer at Game Day

Spring Game Day



Sharon Frumkin, Ann McLean, Brenda Jones, Game Day Co-Chair, and Denise Tucker



Joan Bové, Game Day Chair, with Virginia Gallaway, Linda Gallagher, and Betsy Kraynick

Martha Cirrotti, Charlotte, Becker, Susan DeTemple, and Ronnie Telzer at the Tuscawilla Country Club on Game Day.



Bunko players Janine Johnson, DeDe Fluhr, Ronnie Telzer, Louise Vance and Cindi Wilson pose with the gifts they won on Game Day.

THE WINEY WENCH- April 30, 2015



Denise Manara instructor at The Winey Wench



Inside the Arts Co-chairs Louise Gallagher and Tracy Pappafotis set up The Winey Wench activity.

ENJOYING A MEAL AFTER THE MOVIES



Chef Randy entertains Teri Gilbert, Sharon Prescott, Nevine Snyder and Mary Ann Dougherty.



Karen Jacobs, Teri Gilbert, Lona Love, T.K. White, Lorrie Fleming, Sharon Prescott, Bunny Hayden, Pat Cranford, Nevine Snyder, Mary Ann Dougherty, Diane Olivi and Peggy Byrnes enjoyed a great meal at Oyishi Japanese Steakhouse in Oviedo after watching the movie "Little Boy" at Regal Cinema-Oviedo Mall on April 28, 2015.



Winter Park Playhouse Cabaret Show



Heather Alexander



"Heather and The Boys"



Roy Alan taps



Ronnie presents gifts to Heather.



Janine Johnson graciously donated the Winter Park Playhouse show at the May luncheon.



May Birthday Ladies (left to right): Jeanne Layton, Sydney Spence, Diane Olivi, Lynne Snowden, Betty Tines, Diane Hicks, Linda Tucker, Ann Denton, Teri Gilbert and Janine Johnson



Joan Lenard presents the outgoing President's Scrapbook to Ronnie Telzer

Past Presidents (left to right): Ronnie Telzer, Lynne Snowden, Sandi Eckstein, Linda Selby, Joan Bove, Joan Lenard and Helen Terefinko



Mary Jane Godfrey (left) and her cousin Susan Murray



Newly installed Executive Board members for 2015-2016: Joan Hansen, Carolyn Williams, Joan Bove, Brenda Johnson, Brenda Jones, Sharon Frumkin, Linda Hargreaves, Janine Johnson and Ronnie Telzer.

**NEWCOMERS
of Central Florida**

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



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See the Chatter in color at www.newcomerscfl.org

June 2015

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