



## LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

February 20, 2020

Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs  
350 Northlake Blvd., Altamonte Springs, FL 32701  
Ladies Accessory Market

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



## Ladies Accessory Market

If you enjoy shopping and bargain hunting, you won't want to miss our February Ladies Accessory Market Luncheon which will feature a wide variety of member-donated jewelry, handbags and scarves. We'll have flat rate tables for low-end merchandise (starting at \$1), along with silent auction bidding for higher-end items. Ways & Means co-chairs Linda Gallagher and Ronnie Telzer prefer to collect and tag your donations of new and gently used jewelry and scarves before the luncheon--if possible. Please bring large or heavy items like purses and handbags right to the hotel on February 20, along with any other last-minute "finds."

Make sure to take your checkbook or some cash, and have fun shopping with other club members at the Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs. Proceeds benefit Newcomers Ways & Means which helps support club activities all year long. Any unsold items will be donated to charity or returned to the donor upon request. This event will take the place of a traditional program, so come enjoy a great lunch and perhaps score a sweet deal on some beautiful and fashionable items.

### 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**

**February 13, 2020, THE THURSDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON.**

**ANYONE WHO CANCELS AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

March 19

Heathrow Country Club  
2100 Bridgewater Drive, Lake Mary, FL 32746  
Heritage Detective Annette Burke Lyttle

April 16

Timacuan Country Club  
550 Timacuan Blvd., Lake Mary, FL 32746  
Fashion Show by Stein Mart

## FEBRUARY MENU

### ENTREES

Grilled Marinated Chicken Breast  
with Roasted Tomato Orzo and Garden Vegetables

Southwestern Roasted Pork Loin  
Topped with Caramelized Onions

Vegetarian: Farfalle Pasta Primavera  
with Eggplant, Zucchini, Squash, Tomatoes and Peppers

### SALAD AND SIDES

Mixed Garden Greens  
Balsamic Vinaigrette or Buttermilk Ranch Dressing  
Warm Rolls with Butter

### DESSERT

Sheet Cake

### BEVERAGES

Regular and Decaf Coffee  
Iced and Hot Tea

**LUNCHEON COST: \$25**

## Directions to Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs

350 Northlake Blvd., Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

- From I-4, take exit 92, go east on SR 436 to Northlake Blvd. Turn right onto Northlake Blvd. (1st street after I-4 exit) 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., The Hilton hotel is approximately 1/2 mile on your right.

## 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. Please **do not** call the venue.





### FROM OUR PRESIDENT



Hi my friends:

Congratulations to the La Bamba table, winners of Newcomers first ever Trivia Competition. What a fun way to put all the knowledge we have accumulated to use. This month, we can give our brains a rest and go shopping at the Ladies Accessory Market. At our Winter Game Day on March 6, we have the opportunity to support one of my favorite charities, The Russell Home for Atypical Children. You can join one of the standing groups or gather your friends to bring a new game to the event. Either way, I hope to see you there.

**Happy Valentine's Day!** - Joan Bové



### WINTER GAME DAY

Coordinators: Joan Bové 407-971-3911  
Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

Date: Friday, March 6

Time: Check in is from 9:30-10 a.m. Games will begin at 10 a.m. and go until 3 p.m.

Place: Tusawilla Country Club, 1500 Winter Springs Blvd., Winter Springs, FL 32708

Cost: \$27 which includes a light lunch. Beverages will be available throughout the day.

Join us for games, a light lunch and door prizes. The proceeds of this event will benefit The Russell Home for Atypical Children.

**Play your favorite games:**

Bunko: Helen Hoppmann 772-521-5877

Bridge: Sim Horst 407-678-2961

Euchre: Caroline Dawson 321-439-3194

Mah-Jongg: Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

Mexican Train: Linda Hargreaves 407- 695-3944

**OR:**

Get your playing partners (4-6) together to play a game of your choosing. Let us know what game and how many will be playing so that a table to accommodate your group will be made available.

Please send your \$27 check, payable to Newcomers of Central FL, Inc., to your activity game chair by **Friday, February 28.**

You may also send your payment to Brenda Jones at 677 Oneida Lane, Winter Springs, FL 32708, indicating the game you would like to play. We are looking forward to seeing you. Let the games begin!



### WAYS & MEANS



Co-Chairs: Linda Gallagher  
Ronnie Telzer

As you sort through your holiday gifts and organize your closets and drawers for the new year, please consider donating any unwanted new or gently used jewelry, purses and scarves to Newcomers for our February 20 Ladies Accessory Market Luncheon. Proceeds from this event will benefit Ways & Means, which helps fund club operations all year long.

You can give us your jewelry and scarves in advance so we have time to organize and tag these items. For larger items like purses, just bring them in on the day of the luncheon. We'll have some flat rate tables for low-end merchandise, and silent auction bidding for more high-end items. Bring your checkbook or some cash, and have fun shopping at the Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs. We greatly appreciate your support and generosity.



### REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH

Outreach Chairs: Anita Blackwelder, Bunny Hayden,  
Debra Pollock

Happy Valentine's Day!

**Did you know that February is American Heart Month?** Not only is it a month filled with hearts, thanks to Valentine's Day, but February is also the month we recognize the hearts that work hard every day to keep us all alive. American Heart Month is designed to raise awareness about heart disease and promote heart-healthy lifestyles. The annual celebration began in 1963 to encourage Americans to join the battle against heart disease. A presidential proclamation pays tribute each year to researchers, physicians, public health professionals and volunteers for their tireless efforts in preventing heart disease. The American Heart Association is a non-profit organization in the United States that funds cardiovascular medical research, educates consumers on healthy living and fosters appropriate cardiac care in an effort to reduce disability and deaths caused by cardiovascular disease and stroke. So, in honor of such a worthy cause, Newcomers will be collecting monetary donations for the American Heart Association local Central Florida chapter at the February luncheon.

We will continue to collect the following at each luncheon:

- Aluminum tabs for Ronald McDonald House
- Toiletries for the homeless — hotel sizes are great
- Clean used blankets, towels, and canned cat food for Pet Alliance of Greater Orlando

If you have any questions, please contact Debra at 407-501-2408. We appreciate your support!



### MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

Judy Galloway 850-320-5400  
Brenda Jones 407-366-7751  
Current Membership: 154

### MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

Please make these changes in your newest directory.

Add New Member:

Meryl Meher Home: 407-365-4996  
672 Saranac Dr. Cell: 407-312-9347  
Winter Springs, FL 32708 [Meher1024@gmail.com](mailto:Meher1024@gmail.com)  
Birthday: Aug 13 New York



### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

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|---------------------|--------------------|
| 4 Debbie Arblaster  | 20 T. Kay White    |
| 9 Marsha Hammond    | 23 Barbara Kalicki |
| 12 Judy Aakeberg    | 23 Susan Murray    |
| 17 Vicki Nidzgorski | 25 Myrna Page      |
| 18 Christine Shapin | 27 Judy Galloway   |
| 19 Petra Tanner     | 28 Caroline Dawson |
| 20 Mary Beth Russo  |                    |



### BOARD MEETING

Thursday, February 6, 2020, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.  
Perkins Restaurant & Bakery,  
6425 University Blvd.,  
Winter Park, FL 32792

Please RSVP to Joan Bové by phone or email.



### COOKING CLUB

Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

If you enjoy trying new recipes, good company and conversation, this is the group for you! The hostess of the month selects a theme or recipe website for the luncheon.

Call the hostess with one or two recipes you are willing to prepare, related to the theme/website. The hostess will confirm one recipe selection and your participation. Come to the luncheon with your prepared dish and copies of the recipe.

Our February 13 meeting will be hosted by Dru Juhl who has chosen the theme: Vegetarian Dishes. Please contact Dru by February 6 to reserve your spot. Please plan to carpool due to limited parking.

### INSIDE THE ARTS



Linda Hargreaves [lindah1@earthlink.net](mailto:lindah1@earthlink.net)  
Cell: 407-227-3828 (text preferred)  
Helen Hoppmann [hhoppmann@hotmail.com](mailto:hhoppmann@hotmail.com)  
Cell: 772-521-5877 (text preferred)

#### Wednesday, February 19, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a docent tour of The Orlando Museum of Art. After the tour, we will meet for lunch at Cheesecake Factory in Winter Park. The cost is \$10. Please make checks out to Helen Hoppmann.

#### Wednesday, March 18, 2 p.m.

Come on a swashbuckling adventure to see *The Three Musketeers* at the Orlando Shakes. We will end our escapade with dinner at Firebirds Wood Fired Grill Restaurant which is at 1562 North Mills Ave., just a half mile from the theater. The cost is \$29. Please make checks out to Helen Hoppmann.

Sign up for these events at the luncheon or call Helen Hoppmann at 772-521-5877.

### CHICK FLICKS

Margie Rick 732-763-5277  
January 28 at Oviedo Regal Cinemas



Everyone is welcome to join our group of lovely ladies to enjoy 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 Cinemas' 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. See you at the movies!



### JUST CHECKING

Many of our club members live alone and would benefit from a brief daily telephone call to check on their well-being. If you would like to be added to the list of people who want to be called, or the list of those who will commit to make the phone calls, please contact Haylee Lane at 407-620-8484.

**Please visit our website to view photos from club activities.**

[www.newcomerscfl.org](http://www.newcomerscfl.org)





## MONDAYS

### MAH JONGG

**Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625**

When: Mondays, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Bring lunch, beverage and \$5 in change. See you there!

### MEXICAN TRAIN

**Pam Feldman 352-857-9868**

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

Where: 430 Raymond Avenue  
Longwood, FL 32750

Limit: 18 participants

Lunch provided. Come join us.

Call one week prior: 352-857-9868

## TUESDAYS

### HOOKED ON BOOKS

**Joan Bové 407-971-3911**

[nurseynurs@icloud.com](mailto:nurseynurs@icloud.com)

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month  
1:30 p.m.

Where: Dunkin'  
3551 Dovera Dr., Oviedo

FEB *The Last House Guest*  
by Megan Miranda

MAR *The Giver of Stars*  
by Jojo Moyes

APR *Last Day*  
by Luanne Rice

May *Olive, Again*  
by Elizabeth Strout

### CHICK FLICKS

**Margie Rick 732-763-5277**

When: Last Tuesday of the month

Where: Oviedo Regal Cinemas

Movie title and meeting time will be sent to all members by email the weekend before the screening.

## WEDNESDAYS

### LADIES BRIDGE - 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday

**Sue Horn**

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month  
11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Call Sue Horn for reservations at  
Home: 321-424-5973  
Cell: 303-807-4088

### LADIES BRIDGE - 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday

**Pat McRee 407-359-1228**

[patmcree@bellsouth.net](mailto:patmcree@bellsouth.net)

**Sim Horst 407-678-2961**

[skhorst2@gmail.com](mailto:skhorst2@gmail.com)

When: 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month  
11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Make your reservation with either of  
the Chairs.

## THURSDAYS

### BOARD MEETING

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month  
10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Where: Perkins Restaurant & Bakery  
6425 University Blvd.  
Winter Park, FL 32792

Please RSVP to Joan Bové by phone  
or email.

### COOKING CLUB

**Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611**

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month  
Noon

Where: Dru Juhl  
551 Majestic Way  
Altamonte Springs, 32714

Theme: Vegetarian Dishes

Limit: 12 participants

Please plan to carpool due to limited  
parking.

RSVP to Dru by Thursday,  
February 6 at 407-682-6306  
or 407-592-8351(cell)

## FRIDAYS

### BUNKO - Dacey Bunkettes

**Lona Love 407-977-0046**

[sunsh132@bellsouth.net](mailto:sunsh132@bellsouth.net)

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month  
11 a.m.

Where: Contact Lona Love for location.

## SATURDAYS

### COUPLES BUNKO

**Gail Boudreaux 407-678-3341**

[flcajun2@cfl.rr.com](mailto:flcajun2@cfl.rr.com)

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday at 6 p.m.

Where: Hosted by participants

Contact Gail Boudreaux for more  
information.

Each couple brings an appetizer to  
share and BYOB. The host couple  
provides soft drinks and dessert.



If you are interested,  
please contact Gail  
Boudreaux.

## CHATTER ARTICLES

Please submit *Chatter* articles and  
information to Carol Smith by the  
Friday before the luncheon.

Email information to:

[smith4cr@gmail.com](mailto:smith4cr@gmail.com)

**NEWCOMERS**  
of Central Florida, Inc.

There are no strangers,  
just friends we haven't met!

P.O. Box 620384, Oviedo, FL 32765-0384