



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

LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

October 19, 2017
Stoneybrook Country Club (407) 384-6888
2900 Northampton Avenue,
Orlando, FL 32828

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 16, 2017
Hyatt Place, Lake Mary
Holiday Arts and Crafts Auction
December 14, 2017
Timacuan Country Club
Holiday Entertainment

Storyteller Madeline L. Pots



Gather around and let me tell you a story. You might hear family secrets, wise and humorous anecdotes or spooky stories on a dark and stormy night. The tradition of storytelling goes back many centuries before the invention of the printing press and the emergence of the large, commercial publishing companies. Tales of heroic deeds and unexplained supernatural events were passed along from generation to generation by gifted tellers in the towns and courts of many countries. Madeline L. Pots continues that age-old tradition with her personal, heartwarming anecdotes and a special ghost story to set the mood for Halloween.

In addition to being a talented storyteller, Madeline is an award-winning craftsperson and composer of children's music. She is a finalist at the National Storytelling Festival and the Grand Slam Winner at the 2016 Orlando Story Club. Come and meet our delightful and entertaining raconteur at the October luncheon. Be prepared to be scared!

Directions to Stoneybrook Country Club: SBCC is South on Alafaya Trail past the Waterford Lakes Community. Turn left at second Stoneybrook entrance. Again, take second left onto Northampton Avenue. (If you arrive at the gate house, you've gone too far.)

OCTOBER BUFFET MENU

CAESAR SALAD

Romaine Lettuce, Parmesan Cheese, Croutons with Creamy Caesar Dressing

ENTREES:

TILAPIA SCAMPI

Baked Tilapia in a Garlic-Lemon, Butter and Herb Wine Sauce

CHICKEN MARSALA

Chicken Cutlets Sautéed in Sweet Marsala Wine and Cremini Mushrooms

TORTELLINI BOLOGNESE

Cheese Tortellini in Bolognese Sauce

SIDES

Seasonal Mixed Vegetables and Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Warm Rolls and Butter

Coffee, Hot Tea and Iced Tea, Soft Drinks and Lemonade

DESSERT

Apple Pie

\$25 per person

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 are not valid.

PLEASE, NO CALLS AFTER 5 P.M.

A-K Pat Cranford 407-616-8891 L-Z Christine Shapin 407-497-7109

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 THURSDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON (OCTOBER 12, 2017). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.

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HURRICANE IRMA

Irma was here she filled us with fear - We stocked up on water to the shelter we sauntered. After days of no power and food that went sour- we started cleaning the mess to relieve all our stress. Good riddance Miss Irma You tried but you failed! Newcomers are quite able to remain strong and stable.

Dear Newcomers, Just a quick note to say I hope and pray everyone in your family came through Hurricane Irma with little or no injuries. It was a rough and challenging time for many of us! I am grateful to have no structural damage to my home. We lost all our food and five days of power. The hotel we stayed at was filled with people who lost everything. I am grateful!

The September luncheon at the Hilton Orlando in Altamonte Springs was delightful. The Argentine Tango Dancers were truly captivating! Thank you, Haylee Lane and Joan Lenard. Once again you delivered an innovative and enjoyable afternoon of entertainment. Our next luncheon at Stoneybrook on October 19 will feature Storyteller Madeline H. Pots. If you have never seen this type of performance, you are in for a surprising treat.

Please read your *Chatter* to take advantage of the wide array of wonderful activities coming up. We are so lucky to have such creative and versatile members.

As we begin this festive time of year, stay healthy, stay calm and love one another.

Your president & friend,
Judy Babine



The Calendula, pretty and practical, is the Birth Month Flower of October. This flower is used by many gardeners as an insect repellent and by cooks as a spicy seasoning or coloring for food. Dried, the calendula can spice up and brighten up a salad.

The Calendula's bright colors ranging from gold to bright orange have also been boiled to make brilliant dyes for fabrics, cosmetics and food. The Calendula, or marigold (referred to as "Mary's Gold" by early Christians), was considered a sacred flower. Its floral meaning is associated with "winning grace." In ancient times, garlands of marigolds protected homes from evil by being strung at doorsteps. It was once thought that placing these garlands under a bed would cause the sleeping person to have prophetic dreams.

BOARD MEETING

Thursday, October 5, 2017, 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 Judy Babine by phone or email.



MEET OUR MEMBERS



Kay Kane moved to Orlando from Pennsylvania in 1972 with her parents and siblings. Her father served in the Air Force for 22 years--attaining the rank of Master Sergeant, while her mother was a busy stay-at-home mom who raised eight children. Kay joined the Orange County Sheriff's Office in 1979, and worked as a civil process officer (serving legal papers) until retiring recently after 35 years with the department. She has two sons, one daughter, and two beautiful twin granddaughters.

In her leisure time, Kay enjoys going on cruises, playing Bingo, and shopping for good deals at favorite stores like JC Penney and Kohl's. She joined Newcomers in March 2017 after attending a luncheon as the guest of Pam Feldman. "I have met many lovely ladies at club events," she explains.



Marcia Hahn was born in Brooklyn, NY and attended Brooklyn College. She married her first husband, Edward Hahn, in 1959, and had three children. After becoming a widow, Marcia moved to

Altamonte Springs in 1985 to be closer to her parents and brother in FL. She joined a variety of activity groups, including book and dance clubs, and met her second husband, George Sutton, at a singles gathering. They married in 1998. The pair love cruising to such destinations as Europe, Asia, North Africa and the Caribbean, and plan to visit Cuba in 2018.

Marcia joined Newcomers in September 2016 after reading about the club in the *Orlando Sentinel* and attending her first luncheon at Cafe Murano. She enjoys reading, antiques, playing mah jongg, and volunteering at the Maitland Library and Maitland Senior Center. "I am so glad to have joined Newcomers, and every month I meet new lovely women," she notes.



MEMBERSHIP CHAIR
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 Current Membership: 167

NEW MEMBERS

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MEMBERSHIP CHANGES
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October Birthdays

1 Louise Gallagher
 8 DeDe Fluhr
 8 Marquita Nelson
 10 Gail Rodriguez
 12 Chris Myers
 14 Tonia Thoms
 15 Janine Doane
 22 Gretchen Washburn
 23 Michelle Ward
 26 Susan DeTemple
 27 Gayle Hildebrandt
 27 Susan Morrow
 28 Debbie Stroub
 29 Nancy Ruscitti
 31 Tracy Pappafotis



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	Brenda Jones	407-366-7751
SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS		
Bridge	Sim Horst	407-678-2961
	Pat McRee	407-359-1228
Bunko 4th Mon 2nd Fri	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625
	Lona Love	407-977-0046
Couples 3rd Sat	Judy Babine	321-972-8510
	Margie Rick	732-763-5277
Chick Flicks	Margie Rick	732-763-5277
Hooked on Books	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
Mah Jongg	Sharon Shulman	407-625-1716



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THANK YOU NOTE: Heathrow Country Club

WELCOME PACKET TO: Marsha Testa, Sue Horn, Inda Peoples-Jones, and Joann Mazefsky

HOOKED ON BOOKS

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Panera's
Mitchell Hammock Rd., Oviedo
Tuesday, October 10, 2017, 1:30 p.m.



- Oct *Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane* by Lisa See
- Nov *Flight Patterns* by Karen White
- Dec *The Underground Railroad* by Colson Whitehead
- Jan *Into the Water* by Paula Hawkins
- Feb *The Summer Before the War* by Helen Simonson
- Mar *Rules of Civility* by Amor Towles

Calling All Artists and Crafters!



The November 16 luncheon will feature an innovative Arts and Crafts auction. We're looking for any member or even a friend or family member who loves to create beautiful handmade items and would be willing to donate them to our function. We will pick them up personally and store them in a climate - controlled area to preserve the beauty of your creations. Paintings in all mediums, paper crafting greeting cards, knitted and crocheted items, sculpture, baskets, wreaths and quilts are just samples of what we're hoping to display. Besides being a fun event, it will be a Ways and Means activity for our club. Come shop til you drop for unique gifts and decorations at our delightful holiday fundraiser. Please call **Haylee Lane or Joan Lenard**, Co-VP-Programs, to arrange for pick-up of the donated items by November 12.



HELPING HANDS

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

INSIDE THE ARTS

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Wednesday, Oct. 4, *Man of La Mancha* 2 p.m. matinee at Orlando Shakespeare Theater, 812 E. Rollins St., Orlando. Contact Ronnie to be placed on the waiting list for last-minute cancellations. Optional dinner at Olive Garden (across from Winter Park Village), 665 N. Orlando Ave., Winter Park, after the show. Ticket holders can pick up tickets from Ronnie in the theater lobby starting at 1:30 p.m.



Thursday, Oct. 12, New date for 2 p.m. tour of four Maitland Museums (Waterhouse Residence and Carpentry Shop, plus Maitland Historical Museum and Telephone Museum). \$4. Optional lunch at Crispers in Winter Park Village at 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 30, *Daddy Long Legs* musical at the Winter Park Playhouse, 711 N. Orange Ave., Winter Park. Four tickets remaining, 2 p.m. matinee, \$31 per ticket. Make check payable to Ronnie Telzer to reserve your spot. Come join us for a heart-warming Cinderella story about a young woman and her mysterious benefactor.



Wednesday, Dec. 20, *It's a Wonderful Life* Radio Play and private backstage tour, one ticket remaining, \$22, 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. tour followed by 2 p.m. senior matinee at Orlando Shakespeare Theater.

Save the Date: *Babes in Hollywood: the Music of Garland and Rooney*, Thursday, Feb. 8, 2018, \$31, 2 p.m. matinee at Winter Park Playhouse. Featured songs in this musical about the legendary careers of Judy Garland and Mickey Rooney include *Over the Rainbow*, *Easter Parade*, *Meet Me in St. Louis*, and *That's Entertainment!*

Be sure to check out Newcomers' new and expanded website: **Newcomerscfl.org**



You can view past and present issues of *The Chatter*, view photos from a wide range of activities, see job descriptions for board members, learn about the history of the club, read about current interest groups, and print membership applications and other forms. Click on thumbnail photo images in the photo gallery to view club photos in larger sizes. Please let our webmaster Ronnie Telzer know if you have any suggestions or questions about how to use the new format.

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.



BUNKO GROUPS



Bunko

4th Monday of the month 11:30 a.m.
Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625

Dacey Bunkettes

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

Couples Bunko

3rd Saturday of the month 6 p.m.
Judy Babine 321-972-8510
Each couple brings an appetizer to share and BYOB.
The host couple provides soft drinks and dessert.

*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



REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH

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Hello All,

The hurricane is behind us, and we can get back to business. Our October Outreach projects will focus on the Russell Home for Atypical Children. We will be collecting monetary donations for the Russell Home, as well as contributions of paper products that include paper towels, tissues, toilet paper and adult diapers. These are items that never go out of favor!

Also, we have made arrangements for our group to tour the Russell Home and see the new expansion and renovations. There are still a few openings left. The tour is scheduled for Wednesday, November 1 at 10:30 a.m., with a lunch stop after the tour. The address is: 510 Holden Ave., Orlando 32839.

Christmas is fast approaching for Outreach. Watch for future announcements concerning our holiday projects that will begin in November. Yes, it's really that time again. Just take a walk through Hobby Lobby!

Barb Kalicki, Outreach Chairperson

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 on the last Tuesday of each month 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 selected movie and 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 starting time. There is no need to RSVP. However, if you have any questions, please feel free to call Margie directly at the number listed above. See you at the movies!

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. As always, bring a bag lunch and \$5 cash. See you there!

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

FALL GAME DAY ON OCTOBER 26, 2017

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

Tusawilla Country Club
1500 Winter Springs Blvd, Winter Springs, FL
32708

9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Coffee, Muffins, etc., Light Lunch
Door prizes, 50/50

Play your favorite games

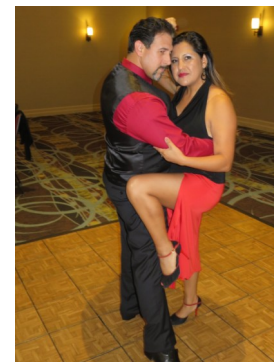
Bunko: Helen Hoppmann (772) 521-5877
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Euchre: Judy Babine (321) 972-8510
Mah-Jongg: Sharon Shulman (407) 625-1716
Mexican Train: Linda Hargreaves (407) 695-3944

Please send your \$27 check payable to Newcomers of Central FL, Inc. to your activity game chair by Saturday, Oct 21, 2017. We are looking forward to seeing you. Let the games begin!

The charity for this event is: The Russell Home for Atypical Children.



Co VP Programs Haylee Lane introduced our performers Richard and Melina.



Richard and Melina Lucia, Argentine Tango dancers, presented a beautiful program.



Elegant silhouette and roses centerpiece made by Haylee and Joan.



One of their intricate tango steps.



Marquita Nelson's wish came true as she and Richard danced the Tango around the floor.



The intrepid 10 volunteers who participated in the dance lesson. Sharon Shulman, Pat Brizel, Pat Cranford, Dee Johnson, Betty Hastings, Dee Legler, Joan Lenard, Haylee Lane, Marquita Nelson and Barbara Kalicki.



Louise Gallagher was treated to a private lesson with Richard before lunch.



Linda Hargreaves, Co-VP Luncheons with dear friend Virginia Gallaway.



September birthday lady Shirley McMenamain.

Monthly winners were Barbara Moore, \$68.50 from 50/50 drawing, Brenda Jones, \$10 gift card and Dee Johnson, free luncheon.





New members Inda Peoples-Jones and Joann Mazefsky attended their first luncheon.



Dee Johnson and new member Sue Horn posed for a picture.



Old friends from up north Roberta Valania and Edith Smith.



As always, DeDe Fluhr will happily sell you the winning ticket.



Past Presidents Dru Juhl and Joan Bové.



Barbara Miles and Myrna Page always enjoy coming to a luncheon.



Linda Tucker, Susan Murray, Betty Rizzi and Jenny Iacovazzi



Pat Cranford and Christine Shapin, our cheery Reservations Chairs.



Co VP's for Programs Haylee Lane and Joan Lenard wore black and red to match the beautiful centerpieces.



Charlotte Becker and Pat Dedrel helped out with the Door Prize drawing.



Membership Chair Brenda Jones distributed our new directories.



Barbara Moore and her friend Marsha Testa who is a recent member.



Ronnie Telzer, with Karine Limelli, President of the Casselberry Women's Club who was Judy Babine's guest.

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See the Chatter in color at www.newcomerscfl.org

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22	23  Mah Jongg	24	25  Ladies Bridge	26  Game Day	27	28
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