

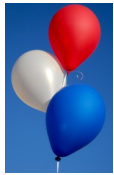
There are no strangers,
just friends we haven't met!



LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

July 20, 2017

Country Club at Deer Run (407) 699-9710
300 Daneswood Way, Casselberry, FL 32707
Member Appreciation Lunch



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

Red, White and Blue Celebration

It's time for us to bring out all our patriotic-colored clothing. Join us in showing off your best red, white and blue attire. Find those flag scarves, pins, hats, shirts and anything else that celebrates the USA. There will not be a formal speaker's presentation this month -- just time to share summer fun and mix and mingle with your Newcomers Club friends and table mates.



This is also our member appreciation luncheon offered at the reduced rate of \$18. The Country Club at Deer Run is offering a lighter fare of wraps and pasta salad for the summer. We will be looking for a few adventurous volunteers to participate in an interactive game of Guess the Patriot's Identity.

As always, there will be lots of good conversation, delicious food and yummy desserts.

Directions to Deer Run CC: 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 onto 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 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 (JULY 13, 2017). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB. NO WALK-INS ALLOWED.

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 17, 2017

Heathrow Country Club
Bingo, Anyone?

September 21, 2017

Hilton in Altamonte Springs
Argentine Tango Duo
Richard and Melina Lucia

JULY LUNCHEON BUFFET

Luncheon Wraps
Assortment of All Three

CHICKEN SALAD WRAP

Diced chicken tossed in mayo,
celery & lightly seasoned.

TUNA SALAD WRAP

Albacore tuna, tossed in mayo,
celery & lightly seasoned.

CLUB WRAP

Ham, turkey, American cheese,
bacon, lettuce, tomato & mayo.

Served with Pasta Salad

DESSERT

Patriotic-themed Cake

BEVERAGE STATION

Regular and Decaf Coffee
Iced and Hot Tea

\$18

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My Place



Dear Members,

We begin our new year with four new board members: Recording Secretary Diana Hochstetter, Co-VP Programs Haylee Lane, Reservations Co-Chair Pat Cranford (A-K), and Fashion Show Chair Betty Hastings. Thank you, ladies, for "stepping up." These board positions are an integral part of the team that keeps Newcomers of Central Florida running smoothly. We still need help with Ways & Means and Floaters. Please call me if you can assist us.

Thanks to Joan Lenard and Haylee Lane for a fun-filled Caribbean experience at Cafe Murano. We all enjoyed the great food and tropical theme that commemorated the start of our leisurely summer luncheons. I am looking forward to the rest of the year with these two ladies' innovative and creative approach to luncheon programs. I know they already have some nice surprises planned for us! Our July meeting at Deer Run will be our Member Appreciation Luncheon--with a special price of \$18 for a light summer salad buffet and a lovely red, white and blue theme. You won't want to miss this patriotic summer gathering!

There are approximately 29 members who volunteer their energy, time and talent every month to make Newcomers one of the best women's groups in Central Florida. Our newsletter, *The Chatter*, and our new website, www.newcomerscfl.com, are certainly among the best in the state. Thanks to our new Webmaster Ronnie Telzer and Chatter Editor Beulah Ali-Carr for their devotion to accuracy in maintaining these two very important resources. Also, thanks to all of you for your contributions to this club.

My life is richer because of you. And my wish for all of you is that you find friendship and pleasure because you are a member of Newcomers. Whether you participate a lot or a little, I hope your association with the club brings you happiness. I love you all.

Your President,
Judy Babine

BOARD MEETING
Thursday, July 6, 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



Betty Hastings

Betty was born and raised in New England and attended Becker Junior College. She and her husband, Arthur, married in 1958 and moved to Orlando in 1970. He was employed by Darden Restaurants while Betty worked as a commercial insurance agent for 40 years. After retiring, the couple moved to St. Cloud. They have three sons including two in Orlando and one in St. Cloud. They also have four grandchildren and four beautiful great granddaughters.

In her leisure time, Betty enjoys reading, traveling and spending time with family and friends. She joined Newcomers in June 2016 after attending a luncheon as the guest of Pat Cranford. "I have met many lovely people and enjoy the camaraderie," she explained. Betty has volunteered to serve as our Fashion Show chairperson for 2018.

Joann moved to Orlando for the first time in 1997, and built her dream house in the city beautiful.



Joann Skoropowski

She joined Newcomers, learned to play Mah-Jongg, headed the needlework committee (one of the club's interest groups at that time), and took lots of trips around Florida with the group.

After three years, she moved to Northern California, where she lived for the next ten years. Eventually, she and her husband, Eugene, returned to their Florida dream house, and Joann joined Newcomers again in July 2010. Joann still enjoys wonderful trips around Florida. Even though the club has grown, she says, "The women are one in a million!"



MEMBERSHIP CHAIR
Brenda Jones 407-366-7751
 Membership Number 204

NEW MEMBERS

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 Birthday: Nov-30 Lithuania

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES:

(Please make these changes in your newest directory)

Genevieve Iacovazzi's new email address is:
 jeniaco1@gmail.com

LaVeta Logan's new email address is:
 lavetalogan23@gmail.com

July Birthdays

2 *R. Fay Rodgers*
 4 *Mary Rinaldi*
 4 *Lynne Roeca*
 5 *Roberta Valania*
 6 *Wilma Cubero*
 7 *Pamela Swanson*
 8 *Joan Gray*
 9 *Jane Haum*
 10 *Marcia Hahn*
 10 *Lorraine Macaione*
 10 *Dawn Penuel*
 12 *Mary Jane Burrows*
 14 *Nancy Raymond*
 21 *Joan Lenard*
 24 *Joan Bové*
 24 *Brenda Johnson*
 28 *Michael Frazier*
 30 *Martha Cirrotti*



2017-2018 EXECUTIVE BOARD

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	TBA	
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WAYS & MEANS

50/50	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625
	DeDe Fluhr	407-366-9084
Game Day	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
	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
Chick Flicks	Margie Rick	732-763-5277
Hooked on Books	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
Mah Jongg	Sharon Shulman	407-625-1716



CORRESPONDENCE

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



THANK YOU NOTE: Stoneybrook Country Club
THINKING OF YOU: Louval Larry
GET WELL: DeDe Fluhr, Karen Jacobs,
Linda Smith
SYMPATHY: Family of Louval Larry

HOOKED ON BOOKS

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Panera's
Mitchell Hammock Rd., Oviedo
Tuesday, July 11, 2017, 1:30 p.m.

- July *Say Goodbye For Now*
by Catherine Ryan Hyde
- Aug *In Farleigh Field* by Rhys Bowen
- Sep *Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane* by Lisa See
- Oct *Flight Patterns* by Karen White
- Nov *The Underground Railroad*
by Colson Whitehead
- Dec *Into the Water* by Paula Hawkins
- Jan *The Summer Before the War*
by Helen Simonson
- Feb *Rules of Civility* by Amor Towles



July Flower - Larkspur

The Larkspur, favorite during the Victorian era, has symbolic colors:

*Pink to symbolize fickleness
White for being joyful and happy-go-lucky
Purple reflects a sweet disposition*

INSIDE THE ARTS



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Cell: (407) 577-7401

Here is our theater schedule for Oct. 2017-Feb. 2018. Mark your calendars, and sign up with Ronnie Telzer at a luncheon or by mail. Our group ticket allotment is limited, so please sign up and pay early to reserve your ticket. No refunds after our ticket order has been paid. Checks should be made payable to Ronnie Telzer, mailing address: 660 Saranac Drive, Winter Springs, FL 32708. Our September 2017 event will be announced next month. Lunch or dinner options will be announced closer to the show dates.

Oct. 4, 2 p.m., \$22
Man of La Mancha (Musical)
Orlando Shakespeare Theater
Last Call!

Nov. 30, 2 p.m., \$31
Daddy Long Legs (Musical)
Winter Park Playhouse

Dec. 20, 12:30 p.m. for tour,
2 pm. for show, \$22
It's a Wonderful Life Radio Play and Private Backstage Tour
Orlando Shakespeare Theatre

Feb. 8, 2018, 2 p.m., \$31
**Babes in Hollywood:
The Music of Garland & Rooney**
Winter Park Playhouse

NOTICE OF NEWSLETTER RATE INCREASE

Due to increases in postage and printing, we regret that our club is no longer able to absorb the cost of mailing printed copies of *The Chatter* (which costs the club close to \$2,000 a year). Most organizations now offer only e-mailed newsletters. However, we will continue to offer mailed copies of *The Chatter* at cost in order to accommodate members who request a printed subscription.

The price is an additional \$12 per year starting with the new membership year in June--or \$6 for those new members who join the club starting in January-May 2018. When you receive your membership renewal application, choose the option you prefer--and make the appropriate payment: \$25 for an annual membership that includes an e-mailed monthly *Chatter* newsletter, or \$37 for an annual membership that includes 12 issues mailed via the U.S. Postal Service. Make checks payable to Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc. If you are traveling, you can always check our new website www.newcomerscfl.com for the latest issue as well as back issues.



BUNKO GROUPS



Bunko

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

Dicey Bunkettes

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

Couples Bunko

6 p.m.
3rd Saturday of the month 321-972-8510
Judy Babine
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.

REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH

Barb Kalicki, Outreach Chairperson
barbkalicki@gmail.com 407-542-5712



Hello Friends,

Happy Red, White and Blue month! Thank you for your generous donations for our military. I received a very heartwarming thank you from Project Vet Relief, a part of our local USO. There is a great need in our area, and your generosity was greatly appreciated.

We are picking up the pace of our Outreach program after a few months of "downtime." In July, the focus is on donations for children whose families depend on Woodbury Pantry. They have enough good used children's clothing, but are currently in need of new (not used) socks and underwear. Therefore, at the July luncheon, I will be collecting loads of children's socks and underwear for girls and boys ages 5 to 11 (grade school). They will be able to start school with clean, fresh undies! Your monetary donations in July will be used to purchase the meat that is distributed through Woodbury Pantry. We can never be reminded too often of the need for the basic things we all take for granted.

Thank you for making the Newcomers Club the caring organization that it is in our continued effort to reach out to those that need us.

Sincerely,
Barbara

CHICK FLICKS- Oviedo
(last Tuesday of the month)



Margie Rick 732-763-5277

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 Oviedo Mall Regal Cinemas' box office 20 minutes before show time.

LADIES BRIDGE



Summer Break: The Bridge Group will resume playing Bridge on September 27, 2017. (This is the 4th Wednesday.) Have a good summer.

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Sim Horst
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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.

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.



HELPING HANDS

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



Former Co-VP-Programs Ronnie Telzer presented a large bag of costume jewelry to Alvin Harris, grandson of Russell Home Founder Vantrease Russell, who happily accepted Newcomers' donation on behalf of the Russell Home Thrift Shop in Orlando. Thanks to everyone who participated in the very successful Jewelry Exchange fundraiser at the club's May 18 luncheon.



Newcomers' Board Members



Newcomers 2017-2018 Executive Board Members posed for a group photo at the June 1 Crossover Board Meeting at Perkins in Winter Park. Standing (left to right) are Co-VP-Programs Joan Lenard and Haylee Lane, Treasurer Helen Hoppmann, VP-Membership Brenda Jones, and Co-VP-Luncheons Linda Gallagher and Linda Hargreaves. Seated (left to right) are Corresponding Secretary Joan Bove, President Judy Babine, Recording Secretary Nominee Diana Hochstetter, and Parliamentarian Karyll Shaw.



Ronnie Telzer officially installed incoming Recording Secretary Diana Hochstetter and Co-VP-Programs Joan Lenard.



Newly elected Recording Secretary Diana Hochstetter at the June luncheon

Chick Flicks



Chick Flicks attendees for May included Dee Johnson, Barb Kalicki, Janet Angelin and chairperson Margie Rick. The group saw "Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Men Tell No Tales" and then enjoyed dinner after the movie at BJ's Restaurant & Brewhouse.



Newcomers group at BJ's Restaurant & Brewhouse after the May 30 movie included Ruth White, new member Shirley Freet, Janet Angelin, Karyll Shaw, Mary Ann Dougherty, Margie Rick, Barb Kalicki and Dee Johnson.

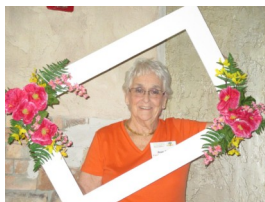
June 15 Luncheon -- Café Murano



President Judy Babine and Outreach Chair Barb Kalicki were happy to attend the tropical summer luncheon at Cafe Murano.



Joan Bove, Trisha Fuston, Helen Hoppmann and Louise Gallagher



Joan Bove



Co-VP-Luncheons Linda Hargreaves and Linda Gallagher



Luncheon centerpiece designed by Haylee Lane



Judy Babine changed into a tropical "bikini."



Co-VP-Programs Joan Lenard taught luncheon attendees a simple line dance.



Karen Jacobs



Marge Ahearn, Barbara Wiseman, Pat Dedrel and Pat Cranford celebrated their birthdays at the June luncheon.



Lucky prize winners included Judy Converso, who won a bottle of wine, and Linda Smith, who won a tropical-themed centerpiece.



Judy Aakeberg won a \$10 Target gift card. Helen Hoppmann won a free luncheon.



Susan DeTemple won the 50-50 jackpot of \$70.



Program Co-Chairs Joan Lenard and Haylee Lane with the tropical photo frame.



Linda Gallagher and Ronnie Telzer



50-50 jackpot ticket sellers DeDe Fluhr and Marge Ahearn



Lorraine Macaione and Diane Arserio



Dee Johnson



Mary Jane Godfrey



Historian Caroline Dawson



Pat Biechele



Rae Vigilante



Pat Brizel



New member Nancy Raymond (right) was welcomed by Kay Kane and Pam Feldman.



Gail Boudreaux, Barbara Moore and Linda Hargreaves



VP-Membership Brenda Jones welcomed sisters Mary and Kathleen Tiedeken to their first luncheon.



Bunny Hayden and Dee Johnson



Charlotte Becker and Pat Dedrel organized raffle tickets for the prize drawing.



Reservations co-chairs Pat Cranford and Christine Shapin



Gayle Hildebrandt, Judy Brierley, Mary Jane Godfrey and Susan Murray

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

NOTE: All Chatter information for publication should be sent to alicarrbeulah@gmail.com by the Tuesday before the monthly luncheon. Thank you, Beulah

See the Chatter in color at www.newcomerscfl.org

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23	24  Mah Jongg  Bunko	25  Chick Flicks	26	27	28	29
30	31  Mah Jongg					