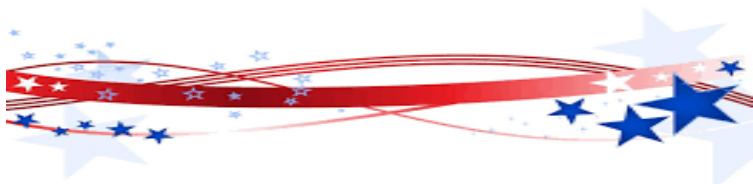




Flag Day

Come join us as we celebrate Flag Day at our June 16 luncheon and show your patriotism by wearing red, white and blue apparel or your favorite American flag-themed jewelry. There will not be a formal program this month, just time to catch up with friends and table mates sharing past summer fun and plans, present or future, for your summer. We love to chat during the luncheons, and this could be the ideal time to meet a new friend.

Please note that space is limited to 48, so get your reservation in early by calling Paula Ritchie (A to K) or Mary Ward (L to Z)



LUNCHEON RESERVATION PROCEDURE

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 indicate your choice of entrée unless it is a buffet luncheon. Paula or Mary will call you back to confirm your reservation. Remember, you must be confirmed. Reservations by email will not be accepted.

PLEASE, NO CALLS AFTER 5 P.M. OR ON WEEKENDS

A to K Paula Ritchie 407-222-5205

L to Z Mary Ward 407-222-4446

You may pay by CASH (exact change is appreciated) 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 June 9, 2022, the Thursday before the luncheon.

Anyone who cancels after the deadline will reimburse the club. No walk-ins allowed.

LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

June 16, 2022

Carrabba's Italian Grill
5820 Red Bug Lake Rd.
Winter Springs, FL 32708

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

SPACE IS LIMITED TO 48

JUNE MENU

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Tuscan-Grilled Sirloin
with Mr. C's Grill Baste of Olive Oil and Herbs
Topped with your Choice of
Spicy Sicilian Butter or Marsala Sauce

or

Tuscan-Grilled Chicken
with Mr. C's Grill Baste of Olive Oil and Herbs

or

Spaghetti with Pomodoro Sauce

SALAD AND SIDES

Caesar Salad
Bread with Dipping Oil

DESSERT

Mini Cannoli

BEVERAGES

Non-alcoholic Beverage
Sangria and Wine Available for \$8/glass

LUNCHEON COST: \$25

Directions to Carrabba's:

5820 Red Bug Lake Rd.
Winter Springs, FL 32708

Located in Red Willow Plaza at the intersection
of Red Bug Lake and Tuskawilla Rds.





PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings, Ladies!

As we move into June and the summer months, we are moving into another year for Newcomers of Central Florida. Our year is a fiscal year, which runs from June to May. The new board members were

installed in *flamazing* fashion at the May luncheon, and they will transition into their offices at the June board meeting. You will find a current list of board members and their contact information in this newsletter. The information will also be on our website and published in our new directory. As you can see, some of our current board members are taking a well-deserved rest for a little while, and others will serve on the new board, some in different capacities. It is my honor to serve as your president for the 2022-2023 year.

I would be remiss if I didn't take a moment here to thank all the board members who thought they were volunteering for a year in 2020 and ended up serving for two years and facing enormous challenges as they guided us through the pandemic. Midway through their term, the nation went into lockdown, and we were unable to have our monthly luncheons and other planned activities for almost six months. President Betty Little guided us through the changing guidelines and slowly we began to have luncheons, small at first, but almost back to normal now. Your Board decided to suspend dues for a year because of the lockdown and worked hard to keep costs down despite rising costs all around us. Many thanks to all the Board members for all their hard work and unflinching support! And many thanks to all of you for your continued support!

We will continue to face some of these challenges in the upcoming year, and your Board is committed to continue to sponsor events that you enjoy at the lowest possible cost. We will need your help to do that! The most important thing you can do is participate in those activities that you enjoy! The second most important thing you can do is give us feedback on what you like and don't like. We are also still in need of volunteers in several areas: Fashion Show, Game Day and Helping Hands, to name a few.

In our June and July meetings your Board will be planning the events for the upcoming year, so we need your input! We had several suggestions over the last year that we will be reviewing as we plan. If you think you might be interested in serving on the Board in some capacity, please contact the current Chairperson of that activity and see if you might be able to shadow them this year to see if you would be interested in working on the Board. Our Board meets the first Thursday of every month at the Perkins on SR 434 at 10 a.m., and you are welcome to join us at any meeting.

Thank you again for your continued support; we look forward to another enjoyable year of getting together!

Sue

UPCOMING LUNCHEONS

July 21 Hat Day
Orlando Hilton Altamonte

August 18 Bingo!
UCF DoubleTree



A Change Is Coming

Corresponding Secretary Vicki Nidzgorski
vanum77@aol.com 813-395-3611

Almost 2 years ago, the Board voted to send monthly birthday cards to members. Since we were unable to meet in person, the mailed birthday cards were a way to stay connected. Starting in June, with the new administration, the Corresponding Secretary will no longer be sending out monthly birthday cards to our members. This action has been taken as a cost cutting measure and because we will celebrate birthdays in person at the luncheons. "Milestone" birthdays will still be acknowledged with a card if the Corresponding Secretary is made aware. Thinking of You, Get Well, Sympathy and Thank You cards will continue to be sent out as needed. Please contact Vicki if you know of a member who is ill, lost a loved one or just needs to know that we care so that she can send a card. Thank you for your support!

A Few More Words from Betty

I would be remiss if I didn't give my heartfelt thanks for the silver engraved bracelet I received as my special gift from each of you for my term as your president. I am looking forward to showing it off at our luncheon at Carrabba's.

Thank you!
Be safe and be well,

Betty Little



Inside the Arts

Chair: Sheri Dyer 407-766-1804



Inside the Arts is on summer hiatus until September.



JUNE BIRTHDAYS



- 1 Johanna Lampel
- 12 JoAnne Bandy
- 13 Pat Cranford
- 13 Yvonne David
- 14 Betty Little
- 15 Carolyn Williams
- 21 Liz Payer
- 23 Barbara Wiseman
- 25 Joan Vindett
- 30 Marge Ahearn

CHICK FLICKS

Trisha Fuston 407-789-9420



TUESDAY, JUNE 21

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 Regal Oviedo Mall movie theater box office area 20 minutes before the movie's starting time. If you have any questions, please feel free to call or text Trisha directly at the number listed above. See you at the movies!

Please RSVP so that Trisha has a count for BJ's Restaurant.



MEMBERSHIP

Chair: Brenda Jones 407-435-3026

Current Membership: 146

It is time to renew your Newcomers membership. The application for 2022-2023 membership is now available on the club website: www.newcomerscfl.org.



The completed application along with your check/cash should be received by your Membership Chair by July 31, 2022. If you are unable to print the form, contact Brenda Jones at 407-435-3026, and she will make sure you get one.

COOKING CLUB

Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611



Our Picnic theme was a raucous time at Carol Smith's with cold strawberry soup cups, potato and brussels sprout salads, a tomato, cheddar and bacon pie, handheld meat pies and blackened salmon tacos topped with Serrano slaw and aioli. We finished with lemon blueberry Whoopie Pies. Needless to say, we were stuffed! Carol gifted us s'mores kits to take home. On June 9, Cooking Club will meet at the home of Vicki Nidzgorski, where the theme will be "Wedding Blues/Bliss." Based on the rhyme "Something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue," participants will be assigned either "old, new, borrowed or blue" from which they are to find a recipe to prepare for our meeting. Contact Vicki to learn your assigned category. If you enjoy trying new recipes, good conversation and laughter, please consider joining us.



To participate in June, contact Vicki by text/email/phone with TWO recipes that you have not made before, which you are willing to prepare for our theme. Vicki will let you know which recipe has been chosen for you to prepare. Ensure your participation by emailing or texting the recipe to Vicki by Thursday, June 2. Come to Cooking Club on June 9 with your prepared dish, a serving utensil if needed, and your printed recipe PDF that will be emailed to you. Plan to enjoy taste testing our "Wedding Blues/Bliss" recipes. Participants limited to 10.

HOOKED ON BOOKS

Carol Smith 407-618-3478



Discussing a good book with friends over coffee and donuts – it doesn't get much better than

this! For May, the club read the 2021 Goodreads Choice Award for Mystery & Thriller, *Apples Never Fall* by Liane Moriarty. Our conversation focused on the family dynamics of the characters as well as the surprise at the double ending of the book. With a mystery, it is always interesting to talk about the clues that were sprinkled throughout the story and to see which of our members figured out the culprit before the end of the book.

Hooked on Books Book Club is a delightful place to make friends and have intriguing book discussions over a cup of coffee and a donut. Join us in June when we will be discussing *Eight Hundred Grapes* by Laura Dave. See page 4 for more details.



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



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

MONDAYS

MAH JONGG

Loretta Kowalski 407-405-2446

When: Mondays

11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Bring lunch, beverage and \$5 in change.

See you there!

TUESDAYS

HOOKED ON BOOKS

Carol Smith 407-618-3478

smith4cr@gmail.com

When: 2nd Tuesday – June 14

1:30 p.m.

Where: Dunkin'

3551 Dovera Dr., Oviedo

JUNE *Eight Hundred Grapes*
by Laura Dave

JULY *The Midnight Library*
by Matt Haig

AUG *Time After Time*
by Lisa Grunwald

SEP *The Maid*
by Nita Prose

CHICK FLICKS

Trisha Fuston 407-789-9420

tfuston@aol.com

When: Tuesday – June 21

Where: Regal Oviedo Mall Movie
Theater

Members will receive an email to inform
them of the movie title and meeting time
the weekend before the screening.

Please RSVP to Trisha.

CHATTER ARTICLES



Please email *Chatter*
articles to Carol Smith
at smith4cr@gmail.com
by **June 16.**

WEDNESDAYS

LADIES BRIDGE – 4th Wednesday

Sue Horn 303-807-4088

When: 4th Wednesday

10:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Where: Carrabba's Italian Grill

5280 Red Bug Lake Rd

Winter Springs, FL 32708

Anyone interested in playing should
contact Sue Horn at the number listed
above.

THURSDAYS

BOARD MEETING

Sue Horn 303-807-4088

swfhorn@aol.com

When: 1st Thursday of the month

10 a.m. – Noon

Where: Perkins Winter Springs

701 E. State Rd. 434

Winter Springs, FL 32708

Please RSVP to Sue Horn.

COOKING CLUB

Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

When: 2nd Thursday – June 9

12 p.m.

Where: Vicki Nidzgorski

360 Fairgreen Place

Casselberry, FL 32707

Theme: Wedding Blues/Bliss

Limit: 10 participants

RSVP to Vicki by Thursday,
June 9 at 813-395-3611

Recipe name must be submitted by
Thursday, June 9, to Vicki Nidzgorski at
[vanum77@aol.com](mailto:v anum77@aol.com).

FRIDAYS

BUNKO - Dacey Bunkettes

Lona Love sunsh132@bellsouth.net

When: 2nd Friday of the month

10:45 a.m.

Where: Outback Steakhouse

5891 Red Bug Lake Rd.

Winter Springs, FL 32708

At the corner of Red Bug Lake and
Tuskawilla Rds.

If you are interested in joining the
group, please email Lona, putting
BUNKO in the subject line.

SATURDAYS

COUPLES BUNKO

Gail Boudreaux 407-678-3341

flcajun2@cfl.rr.com

When: 3rd 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.



ON-LINE LADIES BRIDGE

Several of the bridge players have
been playing on-line bridge using
trickster.com. If you are interested in
trying it, Sue Horn would be happy to
help you get on the app and see how it
works. You can contact Sue at:

Cell: 303-807-4088

See pictures from our
MAY events on our
Facebook page or our
website.

www.newcomerscfl.org

[https://www.facebook.com/Newcomers
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Organization Chart 2022-2023

If you are interested in filling any open position, please contact club president Sue Horn.

Executive Officers	
President	Sue Horn
VP Programs	Betty Little
	Dru Juhl
VP Luncheons	Tina Parrish
	Lorraine Nelson
VP Membership	Brenda Jones
Recording Sec.	Ellen Bronikowski
Corresponding Sec.	Vicki Nidzgorski
Treasurer	Helen Hoppmann
Parliamentarian	Loretta Kowalski
Committee Chairpersons	
Fashion Show	Open
Fifty/Fifty	Marge Ahearn
	Dede Fluhr
Game Day	Open
Helping Hands	Open
Historian	Ronnie Telzer
Hospitality	Diana Engling
Inside the Arts	Sheri Dyer
Newsletter Editor	Carol Smith
Outreach	Barbara Tuson
Photos	Ronnie Telzer
Publicity	Trisha Fuston
Reservations	Paula Ritchie
	Mary Ward
Ways & Means	Ronnie Telzer
	Linda Gallagher
Webmaster	Ronnie Telzer
Special Interest Groups	
Mah Jongg	Loretta Kowalski
Hooked On Books	Carol Smith
Chick Flicks	Trisha Fuston
Ladies Bridge	Sue Horn
Cooking Club	Vicki Nidzgorski
Dacey Bunkettes	Lona Love
Couples Bunko	Gail Boudreaux