



**LUNCHEON on September 20**  
**Gather at 11:30 with lunch at noon**  
**Westin Lake Mary hotel**  
**2974 International Parkway, Lake Mary**  
**Phone: 407-531-3555**

**Directions:**

**From I-4 E**, take exit 101A/CR-46A  
Sanford/Heathrow  
Turn Left onto HE Thomas Jr. Pkwy.  
(CR46A W).

Turn right onto International Pkwy.  
Westin is on your left—U turn required.

**From 417N:**

Take Exit 54, Rinehart Rd., Turn left onto  
Rinehart Rd. go 1.5 mi. Turn right onto  
HE Thomas Jr. Pkwy. Turn right onto  
International Pkwy. Westin is on your  
left—U turn required.

**“HOW TO START YOUR  
JOURNEY TO A  
HEALTHY 100”**

A speaker from Florida Hospital will discuss "How to Start Your Journey to a Healthy 100." Learn the secrets of living a longer, happy and healthier life through nutrition and lifestyle changes as the club launches its 2012-2013 programming year with a luncheon and general meeting at the Westin Lake Mary. Guests are welcome. Be sure to catch up with your Newcomers club friends and make new ones at what promises to be a very informative and enlightening event.

**MENU**

**Salad**

Caesar Salad with  
Romaine Hearts,  
Parmesan, and Rosemary  
Focaccia Croutons

**Entrees (Choose One):**

**Honey and Thyme  
Glazed Chicken Breast**  
With Whipped Potatoes,  
Broccoli and Carrots

**Pan Roasted Florida  
Grouper**  
With Jasmine Rice,  
Broccoli and Carrots

**Wild Mushroom Ravioli**  
With Spinach and  
Tomatoes in a Garlic  
Cream Sauce

**Fresh Bread and Rolls  
with Butter**

**Dessert:**  
White Chocolate Mousse  
Cake with Double  
Whipped Cream and  
Fresh Berries

**Iced Water, Tea and  
Coffee**

**\$23 inclusive  
Cash or check**

**PROCEDURES FOR LUNCHEON RESERVATIONS**

Call for reservations between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. according to your last name's initial. Please spell your last name, give your phone number and your choice of entrée. You will receive a phone confirmation ASAP. You must be confirmed. Thanks! **NO E-MAILS.**

**A-L Terry Becker 407-695-8145 M-Z Linda Hargreaves 407-695-3944**

You may pay by **CASH** or **CHECK** (made out in advance to Newcomers of Central Florida, Inc.) and pick up your name tag at the Welcome table. Pre-arrange payment for guests.

**ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 P.M. ON THE MONDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON (Sept. 17). ANYONE CANCELLING AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL REIMBURSE THE CLUB.**

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# THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Hi ladies,

“School days, school days, good old Golden Rule days...” Judging by the number of school busses on the road lately, it must be back to school time for all the local children. Fortunately, I still have another week and a half but I’ll be there soon enough.

I absolutely love reading the Chatter and seeing all the exciting activities already scheduled for the fall with Inside the Arts, Let’s Do It and a new dining group called “On the Towners” (see pg. 6). Please make sure you keep reading the newsletter. You don’t want to miss out on anything. Pat Fluno is the one we have to thank for such a professional looking, informative publication.

I thought the Café Mura-no location, food and staff were outstanding. I wouldn’t mind going back there for another luncheon this year. Everything was freshly made and served hot. There were two lines which helped move things along nicely

and constant replenishing of the food so no one had to scrape the bottom of a chafing dish. Wasn’t it nice of them to supply “to-go” boxes so none of the food was wasted? That was the first time I had seen a restaurant do that. It certainly was a class act.

Speaking of class acts, we should pat ourselves on the back. I loved the 100% participation of the members in the black and white theme. Everyone had such a sophisticated, elegant look. The black and white baby pictures were adorable. No wonder we’re such a good looking bunch today – just look how we started out. I think everyone loved the idea of participating somehow, whether it was the outfit, photos or old newspaper articles. The winners of the oldest publications were Tina Parrish with her book and enclosed newspaper clipping from 1883, Lynne Roeca with a 1904 newspaper, and Judy Babine with a magazine from 1937. All of the 17 contributed articles were so interesting. Thanks, ladies. Ronnie and Linda are keeping us all active and involved. Next month starts our regular speaker programs. I predict a very informative and entertaining year.

DeDe reported that we now have 159 members. That is

excellent. I know we will add more new members as the year goes on but what a wonderful way to begin. I received great feedback from the Tuesday Chick Flicks group. The ladies said they enjoyed the movie and had a delightful time sharing dinner and good conversation.

The number of people signed up for the March cruise has surpassed all expectations. I can’t wait. I’m going to be torn between snorkeling, dancing, eating and Mah Jongg. I guess I won’t get any sleep until we come home. Such a problem! There seems to be a lot of interest in the new International Dining group. It starts in October, and we will enjoy the German food and entertainment at the Willow Tree Restaurant in Sanford. Please read the Chatter for details. Another reminder – Game Day is up and running. If you are interested in playing any of the games listed in the newsletter, please contact the appropriate captain and send in your check for \$23.

Our monthly lucky winners were Pat Dedrel, the free luncheon certificate, Annie Carthey, a \$10 gift card to Dillard’s, and Trisha Fus-

ton, one of our birthday girls, the 50/50 prize of \$56. Congratulations to all.

See you next month at the Westin in Lake Mary.  
Joan L.

## GAME DAY

**Date:** Friday,  
September 28,  
2012

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. until  
2:00 p.m.

**Place:** Renaissance  
Senior Center, 3800 S.  
Econlockhatchee Trail,  
Orlando FL 32829

**Phone:** (407) 254-9070.

Lots of parking.

**Cost:** \$23, including  
lunch and door prizes.

**Charity:** Russell Home  
for Atypical Children

To sign up contact:

**Mah Jongg:**  
Mary Jane Godfrey  
407-365-9745

**Mexican Train:**  
Gloria Irwin  
407-331-6147

**Bridge:** Sim Horst  
407-678-2961

**Bunko:** Mary Ward  
407-366-3015

**Euchre:** Judy Babine  
321-972-8510



## MEMBERSHIP by DeDe Fluhr

Thank you, ladies, for your wonderful cooperation in helping us complete our membership renewals for the 2012-2013 year. Our membership stands at 159 members. We are hoping to produce our directory with an additional 5 members. Stand up and cheer for a great year coming up.

### September Birthdays

Lorraine	Barnett	9/2
Grace	Hagan	9/7
Margie	Simmons	9/9
Pam	Richards	9/11
Claudia	Downs	9/12
Sharen	Isham	9/13
Eleanore	Smith	9/15
Mary Jo	Odahowski	9/23



**Happy  
Birthday!!!**

### New Members

**Joan Gray**, B'day: 7/8, 5312 Tattinger Lane  
Oviedo, FL 32765 Phone: 407-677-  
5447 Cell 412-559-1976 E-mail:  
JLGJBG@aol.com

**Cindy Bishop**, B'day: 10/28, P.O. Box 300196  
Casselberry, FL 32707 Phone: 321-  
214-5889 E-mail: cbishop10@cfl.rr.com

**Patricia Dedrel**, B'day: 6/17, 551 Mystic Wood  
St., Casselberry, FL 32707 Phone:  
407-388-0707 Cell 407-463-2468  
E-mail: patriciadedrel@live.com

**Frances Sams**, B'day: 11/25 524 Woodfire  
Way, Casselberry, FL 32707 Phone:  
407-695-7358 Cell 407-312-1493  
E-mail: redbug3434@earthlink.net

### BOARD MEETING

Thurs. Sept. 6

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Perkins on West University near  
Forsyth Rd.



### 2012-2013 OFFICERS

<b>President</b>	Joan Lenard	407-671-8454
<b>VP Programs</b>	Ronnie Telzer Linda Gallagher	407-365-1580 407-359-1893
<b>VP Luncheons</b>	Ann Denton Marge Ahearn	407-831-7720 407-834-5625
<b>VP Membership</b>	DeDe Fluhr	407-366-9084
<b>Corresponding Sec.</b>	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
<b>Recording Sec.</b>	Louise Gallagher	321-765-4371
<b>Treasurer</b>	Sharon Frumkin	321-765-4804
<b>Parliamentarian</b>	Judy Babine	321-972-8510

### COMMITTEES

<b>Outreach</b>	Pat Pepler	407-895-2922
<b>Helping Hands</b>	Mary Jane Godfrey	407-365-9745
<b>Historians</b>	Rosemary Kubanet Kathy McCullar	407-702-2384 407-951-5445
<b>Newsletter/Web</b>	Pat Fluno	407-998-1037
<b>Hospitality</b>	Brenda Jones	407-366-7751
	Shirley Thomas	407-359-9670
<b>Publicity</b>	Diane Olivi	407-542-3114
<b>Inside the Arts</b>	Wendy Jackson	407-761-1496
<b>Reservations</b>	Christine Porter	407-703-4389
	Linda Hargreaves	407-695-3944
	Terry Becker	407-695-8145
<b>Ways &amp; Means</b>	Solly Haber Sylvia Abolafia	321-972-5521 407-862-5338

### SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

<b>Bridge</b>	Pat McRee	407-359-1228
	Sim Horst	407-678-2961
<b>Bunko Babes</b>		
<b>3rd Mon.</b>	Sharen Isham	407-380-1676
<b>4th Thurs.</b>	Judy Babine	321-972-8510
<b>2nd Wed.</b>	Mary Ward	407-366-3015
<b>Chick Flicks</b>	Oviedo-Susan Murray	407-375-9417
	WFord- Nevine Snyder	407-381-4408
	Altamonte Springs- Norma Lebedz	904-540-7165
<b>Hooked on Books</b>	Jackie Searcy Joan Ross	407-282-4935 321-765-4204
<b>Mah Jongg</b>	Mike Frazier	407-365-5251
<b>Pot Luck Dining</b>	Joan Bové	407-971-3911
<b>Let's Do It</b>	Pat Brizel Maureen McBride	407-277-2070 440-759-4642



## BUNKO GROUPS



### **Bunko Belles**

2nd Wednesday, Sept. 12 11:30 a.m.  
Sandy Ogilvie 407-482-5538

### **Salad Bunko**

3rd Monday, Sept. 17 noon  
Ellen Brighton 407-923-0150

### **Bunko Belles**

4th Thursday, Sept. 27 noon  
Ann Denton 407-831-7720

## WAYS AND MEANS



### **Cruise News**

The March 3, 2013 cruise is filling up very nicely. So far we have 19 paid up guests. There are about 8 more guests that are thinking of joining us. My hope is to have 34 guests cruising with us. Let's hope that we can meet that goal.

### **New Day Trip Planned**

I am planning to do a day trip to Solomon Castle in Ona, FL. Again we will have to rent a 47 passenger bus for this day trip. It will be an almost 2-1/2 hr. bus ride. If we would like to attend the Lippizan Horse Show, it will be a very long day. Please let me know by e-mail how many are interested in going before I start making the necessary arrangements. E-mail me at Sollyhaber@aol.com.

Thank you

*Solly Haber*

## COUPLES MAH JONGG



(new group forming)

Mike Frazier would like to start a couples Mah Jongg group. She'll even teach the guys how to play! If you are interested, contact Mike at 407-365-5251.

## MAH JONGG



Mike Frazier 407-365-5251

Monday 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Bring lunch, beverage and \$4 in change.  
We play every Monday. Sept. 3 is at the Tremont on Red Bug Lake Road, and from Sept. 10 on, we play at Riverside Community Center in Oviedo. A monthly fee of \$3 or \$4 is required for Riverside.

RSVP to Mike if you are coming.



**Pot Luck Dining**  
**Saturday, Sept. 8**  
**Time: 6:30 p.m.**



**Hosts:**  
**Nancy and Jay Small**  
**1678 Eagle Nest Cir., Winter Springs**

**Anyone who wants to come should call 407-359-9144 to reserve your spot.**  
**Please note that reservations will not be taken until Thursday, August 23.**

**Remember to bring your own bottle!**



## ***Hooked on Books***



**Joan Ross 321-765-4204**

**Jackie Searcy 407-282-4935**

**We meet the third Tuesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at the Tremont's second-floor library on Red Bug Lake Rd.**

September 18: Triple Agent by Joby Warrick

October 16: The Shoemaker's Wife by Adriana Trigiani

November 20: 11-22-63 by Stephen King

December 18: The Lifeboat by Charlotte Rogan

## ***CHICK FLICKS***



**Last Tuesday of the month!  
We alternate between Oviedo Mall and Waterford Lakes/Altamonte Springs Mall Theaters**

An e-mail will be sent the weekend before the meeting date. If you do not have e-mail, please call the chairperson to find out the start time and to RSVP. A dinner option is provided, so please RSVP to either or both. You will receive two e-mails on Waterford/Altamonte months, one for each theater.

Susan Murray—Oviedo 407-375-9417

Nevine Snyder — Waterford Lakes 407-381-4408

Norma LeBedz—Altamonte Springs 904-540-7165

***Oviedo September 25***

## **LADIES BRIDGE**



**Every fourth Wednesday  
September 26**

The Tremont is located next to Macaroni Grill at 7015 Red Bug Lake Road, phone 407-359-5787.

Make your reservation with either of the Chairs:

**Pat McRee  
407-359-1228**

**Sim Horst  
407-678-2961**

**patmcree@bellsouth.net skhorst@embarqmail.com**

## **YARN ALIVE !**

Saichigahama, Japan was severely damaged by the March 2011 tsunami. A group of women there share their time and get together to knit or crochet. They are looking for donations to be sent to them by way of a church in Ohio. Some members of their church who are not knitters, but are willing to donate money to cover the cost of shipping the yarn to Japan. I am in hopes of finding some generous Newcomers who would be willing to help me collect the yarn and other appropriate supplies to send to Ohio. The group is called "Yarn Alive."

Please bring any excess yarn to the Sept. and Oct. luncheons, and we will send it on.

**Pat Bearden 407-339-3597**

## ***Correspondence***

**By Joan Bove**



**Thank you card: Ron Marth of Carrabba's**

**Sympathy card: Pat Pepler**

If you know of any member going through a difficult time, please let me know.

**Joan Bove 407-971-3911**



INSIDE THE ARTS



Reminder: September Inside the Arts: Lakeridge Winery and Vineyards, Sept. 16, 2012 at 11 a.m. Tour of the winery, wine tasting, and jazz! Check your August Chatter for details.

October Inside the Arts:

Ladies, mark your calendars for Friday, October 26, 2012 for a full day of fun at the Kennedy Space Center and "Lunch With an Astronaut."



General admission is \$45 per adult and includes the following: 2 IMAX Videos, Shuttle Launch Experience Simulator, Astronaut Hall of Fame Museum, current shows and exhibits, and a bus tour of the Saturn V Building and Viewing Gantry. Lunch is an additional \$24.99, starts at noon, lasts about 1 hr. and 15 minutes and includes the presentation from the astronaut.

The NASA astronaut that week is James (JR) Reilly II. Reilly flew on STS-89 (Endeavor) in 1998 and STS-104 (Atlantis) in 2001, and in 2007 was a member of the crew of STS-117 (Atlantis). He has logged over 517 hours in space, including three space walks totaling 16 hours and 30 minutes. In addition, he has worked both on the ISS and Mir space stations.

Travel: Car pools will be arranged closer to the date once I know how many of us will be attending. Let's meet at the Twistee Treat at 16801 E. Colonial Dr., Orlando, at 8:30 a.m. We hope to leave KSC at 3:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. for our return.

Please RSVP to Wendy Jackson at wensue@aol.com or 407-761-1496 by Oct. 15 in order to make a reservation. I will collect the total cost of the outing of \$69.99 at the Sept. luncheon or you can mail a check to my home at: 14213 Ludgate Hill Lane, Orlando, FL 32828 no later than Oct. 15th. If you prefer, you can go on line and purchase your tickets directly at www.kennedyspacecenter.com and click on "buy tickets," and choose "lunch with an astronaut."

Let's Do It!

Saturday Oct. 13, 6 p.m.

Hilarious Dance Party with Live DJ



4270 Aloma Ave., Suite 116, Winter Park in the Winter Park Palms shopping center behind KFC.

Move it or lose it!

Songs are the top 40 hits and oldies.

We will dance with mops, paint brushes, clothes hangers, etc....

The DJ will lead us in 3 or 4 steps, and then we make it our own dance.

Light appetizers provided. BYOB.

\$10 per person. Limited space.

Mail check by Sept. 24 to Pat Brizel, 13432 Kitty Fork Rd., Orlando, FL 32828

This fun activity is open to ladies, boyfriends, husbands, cute guys on the corner. All are welcome!

Introducing the "On-the-Towners"

"On-the-Towners" is a new group that will start this October! We will meet on the first Wednesday of the month for a casual lunch at different restaurants around Orlando. Your friend/guest, spouse or significant other is welcome. We will order from the menu and receive separate checks. Our first lunch will be October 3 at Romano's Macaroni Grill in Waterford Lakes, 315 N. Alafaya Trail, at 11:45 a.m. They have a new Executive Chef, and the food is excellent. To RSVP, e-mail or call Pam Richards at prichards777@gmail.com or 321-804-5111 with your name(s) and phone number. Deadline to RSVP is 5 p.m. on October 1. See you there!





Nancy Small and Ronnie Telzer pose with the baby pictures brought to the luncheon.



Pat Bearden and Carolyn Williams sell 50/50 tickets.



Earlena Sawyer, Brenda Jepson, Gloria Irwin and Terry Schuster



Annie Carthey won a \$10 Dillard's gift certificate.



Trisha Fuston won the 50/50 jackpot of \$56.



Pat Dedrel won a free lunch.



Cindy Bishop with guest Gloria Berg



Birthday Girls: Pat Fluno, Gloria Irwin, Christine Porter, Chris Boffi, Aileen Steed, Trisha Fuston and Tina Parrish



Pat Fluno gave the inspiration: Andy Rooney's "Ode to Women Over 40."



Chris Boffi with guest Margaret Pistole



Linda Hargreaves with guest Sue Gaddone



Marilyn Schwartz, guest of Solly Haber



Cindy Bishop, Mary Ward, Fran Sams

Our website, [www.newcomerscfl.org](http://www.newcomerscfl.org), contains Chatters, photos taken at luncheons and events, plus several President's scrapbooks, all in COLOR!











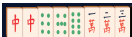



# NEWCOMERS of Central Florida, Inc.



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

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See the Chatter and more photos in color at [www.newcomerscfl.org](http://www.newcomerscfl.org)

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