



Doo-Wop Singer Michael Russo

Let's go back to the days of sock hops, 45 records, and transistor radios. Doo-wop singer Michael Russo will bring back memories at our September luncheon. Russo, an original South Philly guy, performs doo-wop, Motown, 70's old school jams, and fabulous songs from the disco era. It's sure to be a fun afternoon rockin' to the oldies at Timacuan. Hope to see you there!



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 Paula Ritchie 407-222-5205

L to Z Marlene Radloff 407-920-3084

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
SEPTEMBER 9, 2021, THE THURSDAY BEFORE THE LUNCHEON.**

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

HOW CAN WE
HELP?

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.

LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING

September 16, 2021

Timacuan Country Club
550 Timacuan Blvd., Lake Mary, FL 32746

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

September Menu

ENTRÉE CHOICE

Crab Cake-encrusted Alaskan Cod

Pork Tenderloin with Diane Sauce
(stone-ground mustard and brandied demi-glaze)

Baked Penne Pasta with Fresh Mozzarella,
Roasted Tomatoes, Olives and Spinach

SALAD AND SIDES

Timacuan Garden Salad

Cod and Pork Entrées Also Served with:

Roasted Garlic Vegetable Medley
Creamy Mashed Potatoes

DESSERT

Sweet Shot Selection

BEVERAGES

Regular and Decaf Coffee
Iced and Hot Tea

LUNCHEON COST: \$25

Directions to Timacuan Country Club:

550 Timacuan Blvd, Lake Mary, FL



*Note: You **must** enter from Rinehart Rd. Your GPS may try to take you to the back entrance which is for residents only.*

- From I-4: Take exit 101A – HE Thomas Parkway. Turn left onto Rinehart Rd. Turn right onto Timacuan Blvd. The Country Club will be on your right.
- From FL-417: Take exit 54 – Rinehart Rd. Turn left onto Rinehart Rd. Turn left onto Timacuan Blvd. The Country Club will be on your right.

Timacuan will provide a golf cart to assist individuals with difficulty walking from the parking lot if needed.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Ladies,
During August's Board Meeting, we learned that programs and venues for our luncheons have been finalized for 2021, and that plans for 2022 are close to completion. Please check

your *Chatter*, your source for information on a wide range of Newcomers happenings. I also want to give a shout out to luncheon attendees who are making Dede and Marge shine with your contributions to 50/50. At the July luncheon, the club netted \$83 from 50-50 sales. Also, I would like to thank member Sharon Prescott who attended our August board meeting and expressed her interest in helping the club continue to flourish. She is spearheading research that she will submit to the Board to help with future planning.

September is one of four months with only 30 days, so it seems to come and go very quickly. Labor Day is almost here, and sales may be calling our names as retailers try to clear out inventory that didn't sell in the summertime. When shopping, remember the sayings: "buyer beware" and "if it's too good to be true, it probably is."

I'm sure you know how much I like to celebrate. September is often associated with new beginnings, the return of football season, the emergence of the harvest moon, and more. There are many lesser known holidays in September, and I am sure there will be at least one special occasion that will make you smile. It may just be "National Read a Book Day," "Waffle Week" or "National Be Late for Something Day." Whatever works for you, make sure to have fun and enjoy life!

Whatever happenings your September calendar brings, remember to include Newcomers as a part of your activities. Your *Chatter* will help keep your September calendar complete. "The willingness to show up changes us. It makes us a little braver each time." ~ Brené Brown
As the heat continues, be safe with the sunscreen and stay hydrated!

Betty Little



REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH

Outreach Chairs: Dru Juhl
Barbara Kalicki

Please continue collecting the can tabs for Ronald McDonald House and bring them to the September luncheon.

Thank you for all who have contributed to Outreach!



UPCOMING LUNCHEONS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- October 21 Kevin King
Comedy Magic Show
Heathrow Country Club, Lake Mary
- November 18 Program TBD
Gift Basket Auction
Hilton Orlando-Altamonte Springs

WAYS & MEANS



Co-Chairs: Linda Gallagher
Ronnie Telzer

Our previous gift basket fundraisers have been so successful that we are planning another one at this year's **November 18** luncheon. We're asking club members to put together themed baskets, tins or decorative wreaths and donate them to the club. Feel free to create a basket with a group of ladies or friends from an interest group so you can share the expense. If you need a free basket or a tin to get started, contact Ronnie Telzer or Tina Parrish.

Please obtain a donation form by email from Linda or Ronnie, give your donation a catchy title, and include the names of all contributors to your basket, tin or wreath, a list of the contents, and the approximate total value. Bring your item and completed donor form to the November 2021 luncheon at the Hilton Orlando-Altamonte Springs--or ask us to store and deliver your basket, tin or wreath for you if you are unable to attend the luncheon. Thank you for supporting our Ways & Means holiday fundraiser. Please note: there will **not** be a basket auction at the December luncheon.



Ladies Bridge Is Back!

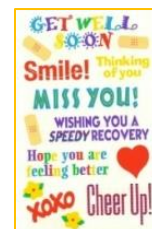
Contact: Sue Horn 303-807-4088

On July 28, the Ladies Bridge group got together for the first time in a year and a half. The group meets the fourth Wednesday of every month from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Carrabba's at the corner of Tuscawilla and Red Bug Lake Rds. If you are interested in joining us, please contact Sue Horn at 303-807-4088.

Several of us are continuing to play virtually, using trickster.com. If you are not quite ready to go out but are interested in playing online, please call Sue at the number above.

Your Help Is Appreciated!

Corresponding Secretary Vicki Nidzgorski requests your help. 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. You can contact her by email at vanum77@aol.com or text/call her at 813-395-3611.





INSIDE THE ARTS

Co-Chairs: Linda Hargreaves 407-227-3828
Helen Hoppmann 772-521-5877

Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2021, 10 a.m.

Where: Museum of Art – Deland Cost: \$8
100 N. Woodland Blvd.

Sign up deadline: **Tuesday, August 24**

Join us at the Museum of Art – Deland for a guided tour of “Out of Paradise,” an exhibition by Adam Straus, followed by lunch across the street at The Table. To reserve your spot, make your check out to Helen Hoppman and get it to her by the due date. For more details, see the August *Chatter* or contact Helen.

Thursday, October 14, 2 p.m.

Where: Winter Park Playhouse Cost: \$35
Group size limited to 25

Sign up deadline: **Monday, September 13**

The Book of Merman, this very popular and new side-splitting musical comedy, takes a hilarious look at an encounter between Ethel Merman and two young Mormon missionaries who arrive at her door. Optional dinner after the show will be at P.F. Chang’s China Bistro in Winter Park Village.

Tickets are \$35 each, payable by cash or check. Sign up now and make checks payable to Helen Hoppmann. The final day to reserve your spot and make your payment is **September 13**. You may mail your check to Helen, 1719 Tealbriar Ave., Oviedo, FL 32765, making sure to allow enough time for it to be received by the due date. Please check with Linda or Helen for last-minute availability.



**Save the Date:
Wednesday, November 17
Festival of Trees**

CHICK FLICKS

Margie Rick 732-763-5277
September 28 at Regal Oviedo Mall



CO-CHAIR NEEDED – Contact Margie

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 Regal Mall Cinemas box office area 15 minutes before the movie’s starting time. If you have any questions, please feel free to call Margie directly at the number listed above. See you at the movies!

Please RSVP so that Margie has a count for BJ’s.

September Birthdays

- 2 Ellen Bronikowski
- 2 Cindy Bennett
- 11 Pam Richards
- 14 Loretta Kowalski
- 18 Shirley McMenamin
- 23 Kathy Przydzial
- 25 Ruth White
- 26 Patricia Karnes



MEMBERSHIP

Chair: Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

Current Membership: 135

Please make these changes in your newest directory.

Returning Members

Pat Brizel (Ken)

13432 Kitty Fork Rd.

Cell: 908-507-1236

Home: 407-277-2070

Birthday: April 16

Orlando, FL 32828

Email: pbrizel@gmail.com

Originally from: New York

New Members

Donna Zalewski (Ed)

7780 Earlwood Ave.

Cell: 267-256-4504

Birthday: May 29

Tangerine, FL 32757

Email: garnatmom@yahoo.com

Originally from: New Hope, PA

COOKING CLUB

Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

Cooking Club met at Helen Hoppmann’s home to sample and discuss our “No Stoves Allowed” recipes. All turned out great! The most unusual, but tasty, was Carol Smith’s microwaved “Ghost Bread,” so named because it doesn’t brown. You can find our photos on Facebook. On September 9, Joan Bové will be hosting us. From May 2020 to April 2021, we met on Zoom, but we were unable to sample each other’s recipes, so September’s theme is “The Best of Zoom.” If you enjoy trying new recipes and having good conversations with a small group, please consider joining us.



To participate in September, contact Vicki by text/email/phone with the name of TWO recipes that you are willing to make from our theme along with the Zoom month they are from. They cannot be your Zoom recipes but must be another cooking club member’s Zoom recipes. Vicki will let you know which recipe has been chosen for you to prepare. You DO NOT need to send the actual recipe this month. Carol already has them. Please RSVP to Vicki by September 2. Come to our Cooking Club luncheon on September 9 with your prepared dish, a serving utensil if needed, and your printed recipe PDF that will be sent to you. Plan to enjoy taste testing and discussing our “Best of Zoom” recipes. Participants limited to eight this month.



NEWCOMERS
of Central Florida, Inc.



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

Joan Bové 407-971-3911

nurseynurs@icloud.com

When: 2nd Tuesday – September 14
1:30 p.m.

Where: Dunkin'
3551 Dovera Dr., Oviedo

SEP *Before We Were Yours*
by Lisa Wingate

OCT *The Book of Two Ways*
by Jodi Picoult

NOV *The Rose Code*
by Kate Quinn

DEC *American Dirt*
by Jeanine Cummins

CHICK FLICKS

Margie Rick 732-763-5277

mrick1953@gmail.com

CO-CHAIR NEEDED – Contact Margie

When: Last Tuesday of the month

Where: Regal Oviedo Mall

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

Please RSVP to Margie.

WEDNESDAYS

LADIES BRIDGE – 4th Wednesday

Sue Horn 303-807-4088

When: 4th Wednesday
11 a.m.-3 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

Betty Little 407-719-3066

brlittle7@gmail.com

When: 1st Thursday of the month
10 a.m. – Noon

Where: The Town House Restaurant
139 N. Central Ave., Oviedo

Please RSVP to Betty Little.

COOKING CLUB

Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

When: 2nd Thursday – September 9
12 p.m.

Where: Joan Bové's home
1325 Tall Maple Loop
Oviedo 32765

Theme: The Best of Zoom

Limit: 8 participants

RSVP to Vicki by Thursday,
September 2 at 813-395-3611

Recipe name must be made by Thursday,
September 2, to Vicki Nidzgorski at
vanum77@aol.com.



CHATTER ARTICLES

Please email *Chatter* articles to Carol Smith by the 16th of the month.

Send articles to smith4cr@gmail.com.

FRIDAYS

BUNKO - Dacey Bunkettes

Lona Love sunsh132@bellsouth.net

When: 2nd Friday of the month
10:45 a.m.

Where: Macaroni Grill
7123 Red Bug Lake Rd.
Oviedo, FL 32765

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 August events on our Facebook page or our website.

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