





Dear Members,

What an enjoyable luncheon we had at Heathrow! Playing Bingo for prizes while "breaking bread" with our friendly club members is always so special. It doesn't take long to bond with the great ladies in Newcomers.



The first Monday in September is Labor Day--a national holiday set aside to pay tribute to working men and women. It has been celebrated as a national holiday in the U.S. and Canada since 1894. For many of us, September marks the end of summer, the beginning of school, an end to wearing white, and a day off early in the month. As Newcomers of Central Florida members, we know what labor means--whether it's having children, pursuing a long-lasting career, doing anything to make ends meet, volunteering or caregiving.

After a summer of delightful, relaxed programs, September begins our luncheons extraordinaire. Haylee Lane and Joan Lenard have prepared new and interesting future events for our 2017-18 year. All the activity groups (Chairs Sharon Shulman-Mah Jongg; Joan Bové-Hooked on Books; Chick Flicks-Margie Rick; Bunko-Lona Love, Marge Ahearn and Judy Babine; Bridge-Sim Horst and Pat McRee) are in full swing with more on the way. Inside the Arts, thanks to Ronnie Telzer, is jam-packed with upcoming museum and theatrical experiences. Outreach continues to provide much needed help to various charities with Barbara Kalicki at the helm. Karen Jacobs is our concierge who makes sure Hospitality is always at the forefront of everything we do. Mary Beth Russo keeps the Publicity up to date by letting the public know who we are and what activities we have to offer. Louise Gallagher with Helping Hands is always so giving of her time and energy. DeDe Fluhr and Marge Ahearn always do an outstanding job of selling 50-50 tickets at every luncheon (with half of money collected going to Ways & Means to fund club activities). None of these things could take place without the dedicated solid foundation of VP Luncheons Linda Hargreaves and Linda Gallagher; Recording Secretary Diana Hochstetter; Corresponding Secretary Joan Bové; VP Membership Brenda Jones; Treasurer Helen Hoppmann; Parliamentarian Karyll Shaw; Chatter Editor Beulah Ali-Carr; and Newsletter Mailing Mary Ward. Next time you see them, say thanks. You make our club great.

Have you seen the website? [www.newcomerscfl.org](http://www.newcomerscfl.org)  
Webmaster: Ronnie Telzer

Honored to be your president,  
Judy

MEET OUR MEMBERS

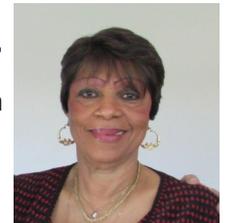


**Trisha Fuston** was born in Louisville, Kentucky. She arrived two months prematurely, and weighed only 2 lbs. at birth! Trisha has lived in Central

Florida for over 35 years and resided in Oviedo for 20 years. She has been employed by the City of Longwood for 29 years, and is currently working in Payroll and Human Resources.

She married her husband, Robert Viars in 2003, and loves spending time with her family. In addition, Trisha enjoys yoga, working out, roller skating, rollerblading, traveling, and going to movies. She joined Newcomers in February 2012, and assisted with membership. "I am so blessed and thankful for all the friends I have met through Newcomers," she says.

**Virginia Gallaway**



was born in Panama, Republic of Panama. After graduating from high school in Panama, she met James, an American who was serving in the U.S. military in Panama. They married in 1962, and moved to New Jersey later that year. Fluent in Spanish (her native language), Virginia worked part-time as a translator and unit clerk at Muhlenberg Hospital in Plainfield, NJ while her three children were growing up. Later, she worked for Revlon Cosmetics for 18 years.

The couple moved to Winter Springs, Florida in 1996. Virginia joined Newcomers in 2008, and is a member of the Tusawilla Woman's Club, Cosmopolitan Club (for foreign-born women), Jack and Jill of America, and the Panamanian and Puerto Rican Association. She also crochets hats for Winnie Palmer Hospital's neonatal unit. She and James enjoy Latin dancing and have traveled extensively. Favorite vacations included a month-long train trip around the U.S. in 2016 and an overseas journey to Beijing and Shanghai, China in 2015.

**BOARD MEETING**

**Thursday, September 7, 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.



**MEMBERSHIP CHAIR**

Brenda Jones 407-366-7751

Current Membership: 161

*September Birthdays*

- 11 Pam Richards  
 13 Cindy VanDeventer  
 18 Shirley McMenamin  
 21 Jerolyn Marks  
 25 Ruth White



*The September Birth Flower is the Aster. This fall-blooming herb with daisy-like flowers is also called the September flower and is said to symbolize love, faith, wisdom and color, which blooms in pink, red, white, lilac and mauve.*

**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 who needs a Helping Hand, please contact Louise Gallagher @ 321-765-4371.

**2017-2018 EXECUTIVE BOARD**

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50/50	Marge Ahearn	407-834-5625
	DeDe Fluhr	407-366-9084
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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	Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Fri	Lona Love 407-977-0046
Couples	3 <sup>rd</sup> 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  
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**THANK YOU NOTE:** Heathrow Country Club

**THINKING OF YOU:** Marquita Nelson

**GET WELL:** Margie Rick

**HOOKED ON BOOKS**

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Panera's

Mitchell Hammock Rd., Oviedo

Tuesday, September 12, 2017, 1:30 p.m.

- 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

**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.



**INSIDE THE ARTS**

Ronnie Telzer rtelzer@gmail.com  
Home: (407) 365-1580 (preferred);  
Cell: (407) 577-7401



**A Victorian Home Tour in Maitland**  
**Thursday, Sept. 14, 2017**  
**Time: 2 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.**

Docent tour of Waterhouse Residence and Carpenter Shop, 820 Lake Lily Drive, Maitland, plus Maitland Historical Museum and Telephone Museum a few blocks away.

Cost: \$4 for seniors

Time: 2 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

Contact Ronnie to sign up  
(very limited availability).

Optional lunch at Crisper's in Winter Park Village prior to the tour. Meet at 12:20-12:30 p.m. if you want to join the group for lunch.

**Other Upcoming Events:**

**Wednesday, Oct. 4**

*Man of La Mancha* 2 p.m. matinee at Orlando Shakespeare Theatre--all 33 tickets have been sold. Contact Ronnie to put your name on the wait list.



**Thursday, Nov. 30**

*Daddy Long Legs* musical at the Winter Park Playhouse, seven tickets remaining, 2 p.m. showtime, \$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, two tickets remaining, \$22, 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. tour followed by 2 p.m. senior matinee at Orlando Shakespeare Theatre.





**BUNKO GROUPS**



**Bunko**

4th Monday of the month  
Marge Ahearn

11:30 a.m.  
407-834-5625

**Dicey Bunkettes**

2nd Friday, Deer Run Country Club  
Lona Love

11 a.m.  
407-977-0046

**Couples Bunko**

3rd Saturday of the month  
Judy Babine  
Each couple brings an appetizer to share and BYOB.  
The host couple provides soft drinks and dessert.

6 p.m.  
321-972-8510

\*Call the Chairs of any group you would like to join or to be put on their substitute list.



**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.

Thank you.  
Margie Rick

**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



**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.

**REACHING OUT WITH OUTREACH**

Barb Kalicki, Outreach Chairperson  
barbkalicki@gmail.com H: 407-542-5712 C: 407-797-7507



Hello my "hot" friends,

Summer is here, and you can take my greeting any way it works for you! As always, thank you for your very generous donations of socks and underwear for Woodbury Pantry in July and school supplies in August. Betty Tines reports that the volunteers at the Pantry were overwhelmed with the amount of merchandise donated. These are the "feel good" things that we do. We were also able to give them a larger than usual check, thanks to a generous donation by one of our members. This member also gave us a generous check for our troops. Thank you, thank you!

Our September project will be a monetary donation to Hope Helps, a local organization that helps the homeless and disadvantaged in our local area. They have a thrift shop called The Hope Chest on State Road 426, near the Mitchell Hammock (Red Bug) intersection. Stop in to see if there is something you just can't live without! They also take donations and have a pick up service for large furniture items. Also, in September, we will be collecting Nutri-Grain Bars, breakfast bars, or any nutrient supplement bar. Safe House expressed a need for these for their children to take to school. They have a pantry that feeds their families. They are at capacity, and the bars help a lot as healthy snacks and sometimes as breakfast for the kids.

Last but not least, I have arranged for a tour of the newly remodeled and expanded Russell Home for Atypical Children. Russell Home will receive half of the proceeds from our upcoming Game Day on October 26. The tour will be on Wednesday, November 1 at 10:30 a.m., when we will present them with a check. I will have a sign-up sheet at the luncheon. I'm sure we'll find a place for lunch afterwards, or maybe just fill up on leftover Halloween candy from the night before!

Don't forget your tabs. I am accumulating a collection. Peace Out!--Barb Kalicki, Outreach Chairperson



CHICK FLICKS



Left to right: Dee Johnson, Debra Pollock (Dee's daughter), Bunny Hayden and guest Betty Carroll dining at BJ's Restaurant & Brewhouse after the movie



Chick Flicks group dining at BJ's Restaurant and Brewhouse July 25



Left to right: Ronnie Telzer, Sharon Prescott, Mary Ann Dougherty, Margie Rick, Carolyn Williams, Ruth White, Caroline Dawson and Shirley Freet at Regal Oviedo Mall July 25 to see *The Big Sick* movie with the Chick Flicks group

AUGUST LUNCHEON HEATHROW COUNTRY CLUB



Barbara Wiseman served as our official Bingo caller.



Barbara Wiseman, Barbara Rustigian and Mary Ward



Historian Caroline Dawson and Treasurer Helen Hoppmann



Table mates striking a pose included Sharon Shulman, Ronnie Telzer, Linda Gallagher and Joan Orlovsky (standing); and Brenda Jones and Christine Shapin (seated).



Ladies who celebrated August birthdays at the luncheon included Dru Juhl, Karen Jacobs, Edith Schulman, Tina Parrish, Jenny Iacovazzi, Pam Feldman and Joan Orlovsky.



Co-VP-Programs Joan Lenard and Haylee Lane with gift bags full of prizes for lucky Bingo winners



Prize winners at the luncheon included Barbara Wiseman (free luncheon), Frances Geszler (\$10 Regal Cinemas gift card), and Betty Tines (\$86 in the 50/50 jackpot drawing).



Hospitality Chair Karen Jacobs greeted Diane Olivi.



Tina Parrish and Edith Schulman enjoyed celebrating their August birthdays at Heathrow Country Club.



President Judy Babine



Pam Feldman showed off her Bingo prize to new member and friend Marsha Testa.



Barbara Rustigian won an impressive four rounds of Bingo.



Outreach Chair Barb Kalicki with Tonia Thoms and Dee Johnson



Nancy Raymond won three Bingo gifts.



Dru Juhl won the grand prize cash jackpot of \$100 that was presented by Joan Lenard.



Betty Tines was delighted with the large volume of school supplies and backpacks donated by club members for the Woodbury Pantry.



Charlotte Becker, Jenny Iacovazzi, Pat Dedrel and Betty Rizzi (seated)



Carolyn Williams and Barbara Rasmussen

**NEWCOMERS**  
of Central Florida, Inc.



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

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

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

# September 2017

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17	18  Mah Jongg	19 Chatter deadline	20	21  Luncheon	22	23
24	25  Mah Jongg Bunko 	26  Chick Flicks	27  Ladies Bridge	28	29	30