## NEWCOMERS of Central Florida, Inc.



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Please be aware that all Newcomers activities are currently cancelled due to the stay-at-home mandate. Activities will resume when it is deemed safe for us to gather again.



**COOKING CLUB** Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

We hope to be able to get together for our May 14 meeting. This lunch will be hosted by Christine Shapin who has chosen the theme: Recipes From Our Moms. Please

contact Christine by Thursday, May 7 to reserve your spot. There is a limit of ten participants.

Although we were unable to meet for our April meeting, we got together via email. Our host, Carol Smith, shared a recipe for Roasted Green Beans which she had just tried. Various members shared additions they have made to a similar recipe. You will find the recipe and variations below. Happy Cooking!

## **Roasted Green Beans**

Ingredients:

2 pounds fresh green beans edges trimmed

- 2 tablespoons canola oil
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt

1/2 teaspoon coarse ground black pepper

Directions:

- 1. Preheat the oven to 425 degrees.
- 2. Toss the green beans with the oil, salt and pepper and put them onto a baking sheet.
- 3. Bake for 18-20 minutes or until slightly wrinkled looking.

*Betty Little*: Try sprinkling the green beans with some Italian seasoning before roasting and squeeze some fresh lemon juice just before serving – yum!

*Vicki Nidzgorski:* I just add small bacon pieces on top of the beans, a favorite at our house.

**Brenda Jones:** I am going to try this recipe. I think I would add grated orange peel to give it a little different taste.

*Linda Gallagher:* I make this green bean recipe with Parmesan cheese and garlic. Next time I will try it with bacon pieces on top.

Please visit our website to view photos from club activities. www.newcomerscfl.org



CHATTER

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The May birth flowers are the lily of the valley and the hawthorn plant, and the birthstone is an emerald. The fragrant lily of the valley signifies sweetness,

humility, and a return to happiness. If you would like to show your loved one that your life is complete with them, give them a few lilies of the valley.

## **Book Club Reading List**

Thinking about joining book club – here are the books we will be reading over the next several months.

- MAY *Last Day* by Luanne Rice
- JUNE Olive Kitteridge by Elizabeth Strout
- JULY Olive, Again by Elizabeth Strout
- AUG The Fall of Marigolds by Susan Meissner
- SEP The Broken Circle: The Memoir of Escaping Afghanistan by Enjeela Ahmadi-Miller



# MONDAYS

## **MAH JONGG**

### Marge Ahearn 407-834-5625

When: Mondays, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Bring lunch, beverage and **\$5** in change. See you there!

#### **MEXICAN TRAIN**

#### Pam Feldman 352-857-9868

When:3rd Monday of the month<br/>10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.Where:430 Raymond Avenue<br/>Longwood, FL 32750Limit:18 participants

Lunch provided. Come join us.

Call one week prior: 352-857-9868

## TUESDAYS

### **HOOKED ON BOOKS**

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

- When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month 1:30 p.m. Where: Dunkin' 3551 Dovera Dr., Oviedo
- MAY *Last Day* by Luanne Rice
- JUNE Olive Kitteridge by Elizabeth Strout
- JULY Olive, Again by Elizabeth Strout
- AUG *The Fall of Marigolds* by Susan Meissner

## **CHICK FLICKS**

#### Margie Rick 732-763-5277 mrick1953@gmail.com

When: Last Tuesday of the month Where: Oviedo Regal Cinemas

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

## WEDNESDAYS

#### LADIES BRIDGE - 1st Wednesday

#### Sue Horn

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Call Sue Horn for reservations at Home: 321-424-5973 Cell: 303-807-4088

#### LADIES BRIDGE - 4th Wednesday

Pat McRee 407-359-1228 patmcree@bellsouth,net

Sim Horst 407-678-2961 skhorst2@gmail.com

When: 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Where: Tremont in Oviedo

Make your reservation with either of the Chairs.

## THURSDAYS

### **BOARD MEETING**

When: 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Where: Perkins Restaurant & Bakery 6425 University Blvd. Winter Park, FL 32792

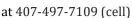
Please RSVP to Joan Bové by phone or email.

### **COOKING CLUB**

#### Vicki Nidzgorski 813-395-3611

- When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month Noon
   Where: Christine Shapin 1543 Braewick St Winter Springs, FL 32708
   Theme: Recipes From Our Moms
- Limit: 10 participants

RSVP to Christine by Thursday, May 7





Please check with your interest group chairs regarding when your group will resume meeting.

# FRIDAYS

### **BUNKO - Dicey Bunkettes**

Lona Love 407-977-0046 sunsh132@bellsouth.net

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month 11 a.m. Where: Contact Lona Love for location.

## SATURDAYS

## **COUPLES BUNKO**

#### Gail Boudreaux 407-678-3341 flcajun2@cfl.rr.com

When: 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

### **CHATTER ARTICLES**

Please email *Chatter* articles to Carol Smith by the Friday before the luncheon: <u>smith4cr@gmail.com</u>





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