

December 2010



WOW Newsletter



West Orange Women

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Barbara Aboushahba, Editor

Dear Ladies,

Just a short note to wish you all a Happy Holiday Season; it is a time to stop and reflect on the blessings we have and on all our good friends in WOW.

We had a wonderful turnout for our luncheon at Flemings. The food was fabulous and I am sure everyone enjoyed the fashion show by Christopher & Banks. The response to our Second Harvest Food Bank collection was marvelous - such generosity from all of you! Our WOW ladies showed that it is the time of year to remember those less fortunate than ourselves.

In December for our Holiday Luncheon we are planning a very festive affair. I am sure you will all enjoy what we have in store for you. Our activities are in full swing and being enjoyed by all participants. If you are interested in any of the many activities we have available please call the chairperson of the group as listed on the back of this newsletter.

The remainder of our Executive Board is also doing a fine job and I am so grateful for their help in this new position. Hope to see you all at the luncheon December 16th at Westerly's at Metro West Golf Club.



Noel Anne McGuigan, President

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Join us on December 16 for a meeting and lunch at *Westerly's*

Bergamos closed unexpectedly in mid November. Elaine is putting together the best lunch and program she can.

2100 S. Hiawasse Road, Orlando, FL 32835 407-299-1099
(at Metro West Golf Club)

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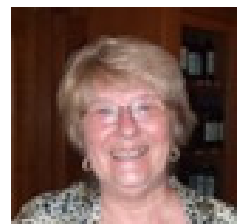
Entrées: Garlic & pepper crusted pork loin, herbed red skinned potatoes, julienne vegetables OR Macadamia crusted grouper with basmati rice pilaf and grilled mixed vegetables

Sides: Garden Salad, rolls & butter

Dessert Red velvet cake

Beverages: Coffee, Tea

PROGRAM: TBA



Elaine Wilson, 1st VP



ALL RESERVATION CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY DOTTIE by the FRIDAY BEFORE EACH LUNCHEON. NO EXCEPTIONS. Ladies, please be sure to take only your own name tag at the luncheons. This affects what we're charged. Mail \$25 in time to be received by December 10. Indicate pork or fish on your check. Dottie, 407-258-8155, 11014 Belmere Isles Court, Windermere, FL 34786

WOW Annual Holiday Bazaar by Clarice Drexler, Chair

I would like to thank all of WOW members who helped with the Holiday Bazaar: the committee members, the volunteers, the donors and the customers...The Russell Home appreciates all your hard work and devotion. I understand Katie and Tonya are still talking about how much fun they had. They loved going around to meet everyone. Thank you for being so nice to them.

The Craft Group, the WOW cafe staff, the Book Store, the Bake Sale, the Raffle crew, our own coffee lady and the vendors who rented tables for the event, all did an out standing job to help us raise more money than last year. After the final tally, I think the total will be about \$4400. Plus, the Russell Home plant sale raised \$565 for themselves.

Again, thank you to each and every one of you. Clarice

International Dining

For our December meeting we will celebrate a wonderful British tradition and partake of High Tea, at Disney's Grand Floridian Hotel. The lobby boasts a breathtaking Victorian Christmas tree and a real gingerbread house!!

Date: Tuesday, December 14

Time: 3:45 p.m.

Place: The Garden View Tea Room/Lounge at Disney's Grand Floridian Resort & Spa

R.S.V.P.: No later than Sunday, December 5 at 407-614-7144 or by e-mail at kimcrookshanks@cfl.rr.com.

Maximum number allowed, 20.

For more information on the venue, please visit the Walt Disney World Resort website and navigate to Dining or the Grand Floridian.

December Birthdays



- 12/2 Sharon Robertson
- 12/3 Jacqueline Bradley
- 12/3 Tanya Chesire
- 12/8 Joyce Furr
- 12/11 Linda Poe
- 12/12 Inez Garrambone
- 12/14 Joan Yancey
- 12/15 Klasina Brun
- 12/15 Fran Keating
- 12/15 Lynne Koch
- 12/15 Carol Wolfe
- 12/15 Pam Wood
- 12/16 Jo Anne Rover
- 12/17 Charlotte Wasser
- 12/19 Pearl Palmer
- 12/22 Linda Gidel
- 12/23 Sally Bower
- 12/25 Holly Grace
- 12/25 Linda Zeigler
- 12/27 Jerry Buchanan
- 12/28 Susan Toppari
- 12/31 Gail Carman
- 12/31 Carol Jones

From Fran—WOW has sent get well cards to members Maureen Toole, Joyce Fischer, and Joyce Clegg. Sympathy cards were sent to Eileen Bergin. Contact Fran to let her know who needs to be remembered. Fran Jarolimek 407-226-9880 or fran-



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November Outreach Project for Second Harvest Food Bank a Huge Success!

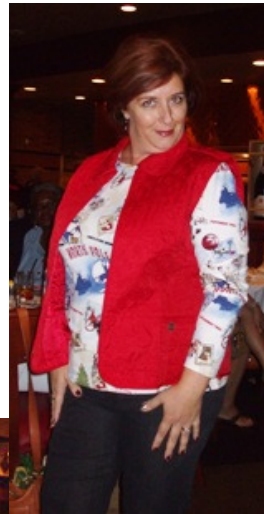
by Darby Turnipseed, Chairwoman



Thank you to everyone who brought food or made a donation at our November luncheon. We collected **238 pounds of food and \$339.00** to donate to the *Second Harvest Food Bank*. At this time of the year especially, we are grateful for all of our blessings and are thankful that we are able to share them with others. **Happy Holidays!**



WOW ladies Annette Jaronski, Aurie Bremer, Inez Garrambone, Letitia Brandsgaard, and Joan Lohn at the November luncheon at Flemings modeling clothes from **christopher & banks**, Winter Garden Mall. Other models were Diane Zdeb, Noel McGuigan, Darby Turnipseed & Ruth.



The **NEW** directories will be available at the December luncheon. Note that the following ladies are new members and are included in the 2010 – 2011 WOW Directory.

- Dorothy Battaglia
- Sharon Blayney
- Linda Caimano
- Olga Davila
- Donna Ditzes
- Betty Fleshman
- Sonja Gibson
- Gayle Gilbert
- Olga Heylek,
- Dianne Karesh
- Maxine Lee
- Barbara Marks
- Alma Mathews
- Kim Servis
- Maryanne Skaling
- Jeanette Wright
- Jetty Young



Newest member,
Jetty Young

Changes to Directory: Please send changes in address, phone, and email to Nancy May, nmmay@msn.com

or
call 407-909-1639



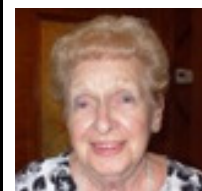
November Birthday celebrants from the November luncheon at Flemings: Front row -Anne Guerriero, JoAnn Anderson, Alice Campion, Wendy Hollis, Barb High, Alma Matthews, Ruth Runkle, Irma Rosenweig. Back row—Julia Paset, Shirley Wakefield, Judy Mellott, Maxine Lee.

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Happy Holidays

WOW Clubs and Activities contact Information

Book Club 1 st Mon, 11:00 a.m. till 12:15 p.m.	tkchesire@yahoo.com
Casual Lunch Bunch Full-meets in homes	Ann Guerriero 407-240-8308
Ladies Gourmet Lunch Full-meets in homes	Linda Carricato 407-909-9367
<u>New Ladies Gourmet Lunch</u> **** Seeking Members****	Ruth Wheeler 407-614-4314
Ladies Night Out 4 th Thursdays, 5:30	Dottie Ansel 407-258-8155
International Dining 2 nd Tuesdays	Kim Crookshanks 407-614-7144
Ladies Daytime Bunco 2 nd Mondays	Nancy May 407-909-1639
Couples Evening Bunco and Dining Out 1 Sat./mo.	Judy Mellot 4 07-291-7972
Ladies Evening Bunco 2 nd Thursdays	Noel McGuigan 407-532-0608
Pan 1 st and 3 rd Thurs, 6pm	Jean Monahan 407-929-7048
Scrapbooking 1 st Monday, 10 till 2	Judy Mellot 407-291-7972
Freestyle Crafts 2 nd and 4 th Wed, 10:00 am	Mary Greene 407-352-7264
Ladies Afternoon Bridge 1 st t, 4 th Thursdays, 1pm	Joyce Belan 407-877-3087
Ladies Evening Bridge 2 nd Tuesdays, 7 p.m.	Jane Winegard 407-877-4771
Couples Bridge 2 nd ,3 rd Sunday, 7 to 10:30 pm	Kathy Kennedy 407-352-5428
Ladies Daytime Poker 2 nd and 4 th Mondays	Pat Rixmann 407-578-1186
Ladies Evening Poker Every other Tuesday	Jo Anne Rover 407-352-8023
Ladies Afternoon Mah Jongg Wednesdays	Evelyn Chassin 407-345-1526
Ladies Evening Mah Jongg Every other Tues, 7 pm	Noel McGuigan 407-532-0608
Golf is starting up again in October.	Liz Passarelli 407-905-2500
Tennis Wednesdays, Fridays. 9 to 10 a.m.	Susan Toppari 407-352-9451



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WOW Members, if you are interested in joining an activity, please contact the chairperson of that activity directly. Thank you.