

March 2016



WOW Newsletter 3/16



West Orange Women

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Barbara Aboushahba, Editor

Dear Ladies,

Yipeee, the weather is getting warmer and spring is here - or almost. I feel sorry for those who live in the North.

Our March luncheon will be at Orange Tree Country Club with a buffet for \$25.00. The program will be a fashion show by The Dress Barn. It should be a good one as they have a multitude of sizes from small to plus sizes. I hope to see you all there.

Our April luncheon will be at Westerly's, and we want to have a mini fundraiser like we did Christmas 2014 only it will have a spring theme. The grand prize will be a gold coin worth about \$150.00. Tickets will be \$5.00 each and each ticket will win a prize. We hope to have 100 prizes. To reach that number we are asking for donations from the members. I know we are asking a lot, but this year we have two charities we will be giving to. If you have anything to donate, get in touch with Barbara Aboushahba or Darby Turnipseed. Gift cards would be extremely useful but any small item would be appreciated.

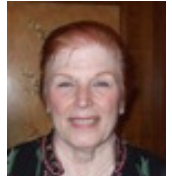
I will be seeing you at Orange Tree. Till then, be safe.

Fondly,

Aurie Bremer, President

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Please join us on March 17th at ORANGE TREE GOLF CLUB,

7540 Woodgreen Drive, Orlando, FL.32819 (Take Dr. Phillips Blvd. to Orange Tree G.C.

Begin to arrive at 11:00, 11:30 - meeting, followed by lunch

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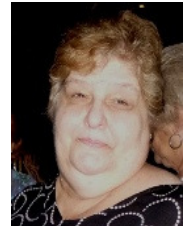
BUFFET STYLE MENU

Variety of salads, entrees, vegetables and starches, and desserts

Coffee and Tea



Cindy Aebischer



Mary Greene

Program: Fashion Show by Dress Barn

Second Harvest Food Drive

ALL RESERVATION CHECKS MUST BE RECEIVED BY DOTTIE by

Thursday, March 10th

Mail **\$25** check made out to WOW to

Dottie Ansel, 11014 Belmere Isles Court, Windermere, FL 34786 407-258-8155.

If you are having a birthday or bringing a guest, please write the information on a separate paper and mail with your check. We don't want to miss anyone.

NO CALLS BEFORE 10 A.M. or AFTER 8 P.M.



Community Outreach

A reminder to send your Charity donation.

Our charities this year are Dave's House and The Howard Phillips Center for Children & Families. All proceeds will be divided equally to both charities. **The checks will be presented to the charities at the April luncheon.** Any questions, please call Kellianne or Mary Greene, Charity Co-Chairwomen 407-352-7264

Nominated Officers for 2016 -2017

President - Elaine Wilson
1st VP (Luncheons) - Dottie Ansel & Noel McGuigan
2nd VP (Membership) - Mary Borgan
3rd VP (Activities) - Darby Turnipseed
Secretary - Cindi Aimo
Treasurer - Ann Rodgers

Additional nominations will be accepted at the March luncheon. Voting will take place at the April luncheon. Installation of officers will take place at the May luncheon.



Randolph Russell, author of *American History in No Time*, spoke at the February luncheon about the lack of basic knowledge of American history by citizens of all ages.



2nd Harvest food drive at March Luncheon.

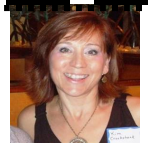
Non-perishables and money donations accepted. Even just a can of soup would be appreciated.

Spring Egg Basket - April Luncheon

We will be having a fund raiser at the April luncheon. We'll be selling eggs for \$5 each. One lucky person will win a **gold coin worth \$150**. Everyone will win a prize. **Donations are needed of any small item.** One suggestion: unused gift cards. Maybe you have a gift card that you've had laying around for a while. It may be for a store or restaurant you don't visit. To donate please contact Barbara Aboushahba or Darby Turnipseed. barbaboush@aol.com 407-761-8810 or darby0209@yahoo.com 407-299-8449, c 407-491-7415

International Dining

In March let's take a culinary excursion to **India**.



Date/Time: Tuesday, March 8, 11:30 a.m.

Place: **Chutneys**, 7637 Turkey Lake Road, 407-730-9624 www.chutneysorlando.com

This is a lunch buffet (\$9.95 each). Many thanks to Margie Brennan for the recommendation.

Please RSVP no later than Saturday, March 5 to me 407-614-7144 or kimcrookshanks@cfl.rr.com



Windermere Garden Club's Annual Scholarship

Crazy Card Party and Luncheon is Thursday, March 31st, 10 am- 2pm. Silent Auction, Raffle, Luncheon featuring WOW Member Peggy Collins' chicken salad and "crazy cards" game with no experience or predetermined partners needed. \$25/person. Make check out to "Windermere Garden Club" then send to Windermere Garden Club, P.O. Box 502, Windermere, FL 34786-0502. Include names and phone numbers of attendees. Reservations Required. Questions? Call WOW Member Tanya Cheshire at 407-905-9963.

Birthdays

March

- 3/2 Susan Segal
 3/7 Maureen Chadwick
 3/10 Frances Scoglio
 3/14 Peggy Collins
 3/14 Jessie Newman
 3/17 Jacque Cockrell
 3/19 Shantha Subramaniam
 3/22 Beatrice Pimpinella
 3/23 Gerry McCarty
 3/25 Bettye Ballenger
 3/25 Brenda Fides
 3/26 Ann Boatwright
 3/29 Leonor Velez
 3/30 Dianne Karesh
 3/31 Lindy Hasson

Membership



We currently have 202 members. Please welcome new members **Clara** and **Shantha**. If your contact info changes, please notify our Membership VP, Mary Borgan, at mborgan@hotmail.com, 407-351-3243, cell 407-929-3030, A hard copy of the 2015-2016 WOW Directory is available for all members at the monthly luncheons.

New Members

Clara O'Connell 10/30 Mike
 9046 Reflection Pointe Dr
 Windermere FL 34786
 Winderemere Trails OH
 614-313-5003
 claraoconnell@aol.com

Shantha Subramaniam 3/19
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 Windermere FL 34786
 Keenes Point FL
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Directory Corrections and Update:

Returning Member

Maxine Lee 11/2
 4826 Hurdle Ct
 Orlando FL 32818
 Steeplechase FL
 407-295-4427, c407-451-9273



New Member:
Clara O'Connell attended
 the February luncheon



February Birthdays: Darby Turnipseed, Joan Dullmeyer, Jennie Forsythe

From Fran Gieny



Ackerman and Sheila Docherty are having medical problems and could use a get well card. **Joan Brindle** is on the mend after her hospitalization. Snow Birds Mary Kenes and former member Marie Salerno have been in town but will be returning shortly to the north. Please continue to support **A Gift for Teaching**. Several WOW ladies volunteer on the first Wednesday morning of the month. More volunteers are needed. Call me. If you like to read to children, call me for more information. Whether your news is good or bad, contact me, Fran Jarolamek at 407-226-9880 or 407-765-8953 or franjwow@gmail.com

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Canasta Subs needed

We are looking for alternates so if you can play occasionally and would like to be added to our sub list, call or email Mary Borgan at 407-9293030 or mborgan@hotmail.com.



WOW Activity Groups and Contact Information

Elaine Wilson is the new 3rd VP, the Coordinator for Clubs and Activities. Contact her at 407-614-5510 or sunnyew@hotmail.com By joining any of our WOW Activities is a great way to meet and get to know the wonderful women who are already participants of WOW Activity Groups. There are many groups to choose from so just pick one and call the contact person to learn more.



New Pinochle group - call Elaine.

Golf	Joanna Magel	239-776-4476
Book Club <i>Last Mon, 10:00 am till 11:00</i>	Tanya Chesire	tkchesire@yahoo.com
Casual Lunch Bunch (Full) <i>3rd Tuesday, 11:30 am</i>	Margaret Krass	407-876-1445
Lunch and Laughs <i>1st Tuesday</i>	Lynette Griffin Sheila Thomas	407-395-9069 407-876-3956
International Dining Group <i>2nd Tuesday</i>	Kim Crookshanks	407-614-7144
Ladies Night Out <i>4th or 5th Thursdays, 5:30 pm</i>	Dottie Ansel	407-258-8155
Ladies Daytime Bunco 3rd Monday Noon	Judy Mellott	407-291-7972
Couples Evening Bunco and Dining Out <i>one Sat./month</i>	Judy Mellott	407-291-7972
Ladies Evening Bunco <i>2nd Thursday</i>	Phyllis Tepper	407-614-4640
Craft Club <i>2nd and 4th Wednesday, 10:00 am</i>	Mary Greene	407-352-7264
Pan <i>1st and 3rd Thurs, 6:00 pm</i>	Phyllis Tepper	407-614-4640
Scrapbooking <i>1st Monday, 10 till 2</i>	Judy Mellott	407-291-7972
Canasta subs needed mborgan@hotmail.com	Mary Borgan	407-929-3030
Ladies Afternoon Bridge <i>1st, 4th Thursdays, 1 pm</i>	Joyce Belan	407-877-3087
Ladies Evening Bridge <i>2nd Tuesdays, 7 pm</i>	Jane Winegard	407-877-4771
2nd Evening Bridge NEW 2 more members needed	Elaine Wilson	407-614-5510
Couples Bridge <i>2nd and 3rd Sun, 7 to 10:30 pm</i>	Kathy Kennedy	407-352-5428
Ladies Daytime Poker (open now) <i>Mondays</i>	Fran Jarolimek	407-765-8953
Ladies Evening Poker <i>Every other Tuesday, 7 pm</i>	Jo Anne Rover	407-352-8023
Tennis <i>Wednesday, Fridays 9 to 10:30</i>	Sandra Nittoli	407-363-5511
Ladies Afternoon Mah Jongg (Full) <i>Wednesdays</i>	Evelyn Chassin	407-345-1526
Ladies Evening Mah Jongg <i>Every other Tuesday, 7 pm</i>	Fran Jarolimek	407-226-9880