



Saline Newcomers

Building “community” one friend at a time...

A NOTE FROM OUR PRESIDENT, BRENDA TERPSTRA



So, it's February already. Hard to believe! That means there are only a few months left in this membership year AND it's time to start planning for the next one. I need a few gracious (and calculating, in the best sense of the term) individuals to

serve as this year's Nominating Committee. If you know yourself to be persuasive or know someone else in the Club who is, please put forth your name (or theirs) for this short-lived opportunity. As well, if you have interest in serving in any particular position on the Board of Directors (Executive Committee plus Chairs of all Standing Committees), don't hesitate to let us know. One of the great things about our organization is


how willingly so many qualified members step up to the offices each year. Everyone working together makes a very light load. So, will you consider what your part will be?



Meanwhile, don't miss our General Meeting this month. Our Program Chair does a great job of securing speakers on subjects of interest to all of us. Let's support her with our presence.

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Angel Network
Newcomers, if you know of a member experiencing an illness, a birth, or the death of a family member, please send an email to **both** Liz Kostora at arnienliz@comcast.net & Brenda Terpstra at bterpstra@comcast.net. Thank you!

WELCOME WAGON SERVICE

If you are new to Saline (within the past year) or know someone who is, please enjoy the services of the Welcome Wagon. (Pass it on!) Contact Sue Corcoran at 734-944-4799 for your Welcome Package of coupons and information about businesses in the Saline Area and things to do.



General Membership Meeting

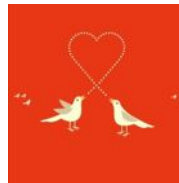
Please join us on **Thursday, February 25th at 7 p.m.** at the First United Methodist Church on Ann Arbor-Saline Road/Woodland Drive.



We will be learning how to take better photographs with Gina Harrison, a professional photographer in Saline and fellow Newcomer. Bring your questions and your cameras (if you wish) as Gina teaches us some simple tricks to improving our photography skills.

Special Interest Group Chairs

Barbie Bunco:	Gina Harrison 429-0409
Book Club:	Liz Hartley 944-5360
Bunco Babes:	Sue Wodkowski 944-2428
Bunco Belles:	Mary Jo Schulte 944-1076
Card Club:	Sue Wodkowski 944-2428
Chick Flicks:	Susan Philp 476-9545
Euchre I:	Sue Wodkowski 944-2428
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Dinner Group:	Elizabeth Jarzembowski 662-5088
Lunch Bunch:	Cheri Scrivan 470-6109 & Jayne Haynes 929-5663
Men's Poker:	Ben Schafer 429-3919
Night Trippers:	Judy Neeb 944-3733
Playgroup:	Rebecca Meyers 526-9472 & Amanda Mepham 316-2483
Walking Club:	Deanna Richter 944-2609
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Barbie Bunco

Barbie Bunco will be held Tuesday, February 9th, at 7pm. Our hostess is Andrea Nicosia and we'll be meeting at 5338 Village Rd.

Contact Gina Harrison at 429-0409

Chick Flicks

Contact Susan Philp at 476-9545

Night Trippers

For additional information, call or email Judy at 944-3733 or jneeb55@comcast.net.

Book Club

Book Club will meet on Tuesday, February 16, at 7:00 at Liz Hartley's house, 6360 Robison Lane in the Warner Creek subdivision. We will be discussing the play, "Uncommon Women," then watching the video performance starring: Meryl Streep, Swoosie Kurtz, and Jill Eikenberry. Please bring an appetizer or dessert to share.

Want to get a jump start on future book picks? Read the non-fiction book about two sisters who ran the largest and most elite brothel in Chicago during the early 1900s. *Sin and the Second City*, by Karen Abbot, is our March selection. *A Reliable Wife*, by Robert Goolick, is the suspenseful thriller about a husband and wife and our book selection for April.

Any questions, call Liz @ 944-5360.

Euchre I

Euchre I will meet on Saturday, Feb 27, at Bill and Marylou Feights.

Contact Sue Wodkowski at sueinsaline@msn.com or 944-2428.

Lunch Bunch

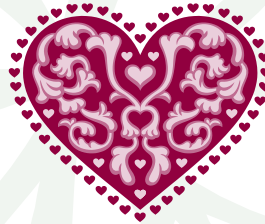
It's the Mardi Gras season – to celebrate, the "ladies who lunch" will be meeting at the Quarter Bistro & Tavern, 300 S. Maple Rd, Ann Arbor on 12th February at 12 pm. The "Q" (as it is affectionately known) aims to deliver a unique and exciting dining experience by marrying European Bistro dining with a Cajun/Creole twist. Please join us for some convivial company – all welcome. Please RSVP to either Jane or Cheri by 10th of February.

Jane Haynes: jane.hancock@virgin.net 734 972 5431

Cheri Scriven: cheriscriven@yahoo.com 734 470 6109

Bunco Babes

Bunco Babes will meet Wed, Feb 3 at Michelle Wtzig's. Let Michelle know who is subbing for you if you cannot play. If you need the sub list, contact Sue Wodkowski at sueinsaline@msn.com or 944-2428.



PLAYGROUP

To join the Thursday Playgroup, Contact Amanda Mephram at 316-2483.

To join the Friday Playgroup, Contact Becky Meyers at 526-9472.

Bunco Belles

Bunco Belles will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 11th, at Cindy Bonczyk's house, 1370 Annandale Ct, Ann Arbor. If you are unable to attend please let Cindy know who will be subbing for you. Also let her know that you haven't forgotten and will be there for Bunco and know about the change. Thanks. cindybonczyk@yahoo.com

Men's Poker

Contact Ben Schafer 645- 6800

Walking Group

Walk M-F 9:30am-11am @ Liberty school gym. Park in the front of the school, use the glass doors to enter and the gym is on the right hand side. NO WALKING on 2/12, 2/15 & 2/26 because there is no school.

Any questions? Deanna Richter 944-2609, cell:734-347-2693 dlr714100@comcast.net

Card Club

Morning cards will be meeting on Friday, Feb 19. Brenda Terpstra will be hosting and Betty Hughes co-hosting.

If you are interested in joining the morning card group, please contact Sue Wodkowski at sueinsaline@msn.com or 944-2428.

Newcomers Worker Bees

A Volunteer Group, new this year!

If interested, contact Michelle Warwrzynski at shelld8@aol.com or 944-9040.

Welcome Coffees

Next will be held in March.

For more information, contact Susan Henderson at 998-0473.

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Love is but the discovery of ourselves in others, and the delight in the recognition.
- Alexander Smith

Community Service

Please bring donations for Saline Social Services to the General Membership Meeting this month. Any canned meats such as tuna, chicken, salmon, spam, spaghetti and meatballs, beefaroni and beefstew are needed. Let's be generous to those neighbors who really need a hand in these tough economic times.

Saline Newcomers also deliver Meals on Wheels to Saline area residents on the 3rd, 4th, and 5th Thursdays of each month. If you have some free time and are available around lunchtime on any of these days, you could receive free training to be a driver. Meals on Wheels is a much needed service in the community and I would love to hear from you if you have an interest in making a difference.

Thanks,
Ginny Lilja 944-3230

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