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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB OF NEW ENGLAND

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The aim of the club is to foster friendship and understanding among people of different nations and to support charities that assist women and children.

NEWSLETTER

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President's Message

Dear Members,

I have always emphasized that the companionship and fellowship I feel in IWCNE is of utmost importance to me. It truly became evident this last month. My daughter's youngest daughter was severely injured in an auto accident on a Saturday evening in Wisconsin. I was there less than 24 hours later to take care of the other two girls and run the household while mother and father stayed at the bedside of Anneliese (6 years old) day and night. It was a busy time at IWCNE: I was scheduled to attend a museum and lunch with my Gallery Goers group, narrate the fashion show, host a book club meeting at my house and preside over a luncheon. It all came about seamlessly despite my absence because my dear IWCNE friends pitched in and helped. I cannot tell you what a relief it was to know that everything was in good hands! I'm back "on the job" now and Anneliese is slowly on the mend, but I will never forget the loving support I received from IWCNE. Thank you from the bottom of my heart, Lucille



Luncheon/Fashion Show/Raffle

There were many bumps on the road that led to More Fashions for Fun 'n Fancy 2017, but each bump proved to be a boost up and on Sunday, June 26th, we celebrated one of our most successful fund raisers.

The day was absolutely gorgeous, the rooms with their special views of the water looked particularly lovely with Lynn Pahland's beautiful pink, white and green floral arrangements that went home with one lucky lady from each table. Many thanks Lynn for buying, making and transporting all 11 arrangements. It was much appreciated.

Jane Landry, the owner of PJ's Unique Peek in Kennebunk, Jeanne Mahony, manager, and Karen Stoma provided fabulous fashions for the show that ranged from casual to glitzy. The clothes were appropriate for all ages and every model looked terrific! It was great to have our club members "strut their stuff" for us and it was very special to have Polly Coletti with us again. Many thanks to each and every one of our models - the stars of the show. To each and every committee member - those in the trenches so to speak - once again you made it all happen.

Special thanks to Micky Robinson for keeping reservations and raffle tickets so well organized - therefore keeping everyone happy. And a thanks to Marge Dunnington for the publicity in both Maine and New Hampshire papers. Also to Rosa Hernandez and Maria Twomey-Thompson for taking over key roles when Betty Williams and Lucille Gentsch were unable to continue as planned. What would we have done without them. Thanks a million!! While our profit for the day was far from a million, we're more than happy to report that our "income over expense" was \$3,713.00. I can't conclude this report without commenting on the enthusiasm that seemed to prevail throughout the afternoon. Gwyneth Wykes told me later that as she "walked the runway" every person in the room seemed to be thoroughly enjoying the show and the day. My personal favorite recollection was hearing the squeals of delight from the various raffle winners - most memorable from the winner of the Basket of Cheer. The enthusiasm of the day was a reward in itself. Guess we must have done something right!

Many thanks to all of you, Betty Williams, Rosa Hernandez and Ellen O'Toole

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The eighth meeting of 2017 will be on Monday, August 14th, 10 AM at Sentry Hill. Note: Next news-letter submissions will also be on or before this date. The newsletter will be sent to the members who request them. However, they will continue to be posted on our website:

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MEMBERSHIP NEWS - Welcome New Members

Robin Milward (David), 509 Shore Road, Ogunquit, ME 03907, H-207-641-2295, C-207-361-7322, Email: rw.milward@anypah.com
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Note: Barbara O'Leary's Winter Address is: PMB#24, POB 413005, Naples, FL 34101

IWCNE BOOK CLUB

Date: Tuesday, Aug. 29th at 6:00 PM

Book: Hillbilly Elegy

Author: J. D. Vance

Hostess: Monique Zombeck

Please call/email if you plan to attend:
207-363-5786 or mizombeck@gmail.com

NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME

World Cinema

Thursday , Aug. 10th at 3:00 PM

York Senior Ctr., Rt. 1A, York Beach, ME.

2017 US File: **A Quiet Passion**

Famously reclusive poet Emily Dickinson comes to life in this lush biopic that follows her from her days as a gifted but insecure student through her days as an introverted adult.

124 minutes

Please call Barb at 207-337-2623 if you plan to attend.

Treasurer's Report-July 10, 2017

Administrative Account	\$ 1,606.14
Charity Account	\$ 6,121.03
TOTAL:	\$ 7,727.17

Barb Poulin, Treasurer

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

07 Marie Milard
11 Jean Carey
16 Gwyneth Wykes
18 Roberta Horn & Micky Robinson
24 Diedre O'Flaherty
25 Ellen O'Toole
31 Mary Lee Pons

August CALENDAR

Aug. 10 World Cinema
Aug 12 Pot Luck
Aug 16 Gallery Goers
Aug 21 Francophone
Aug 23 Second **Wed.** Luncheon of season
Aug 29 Book Club
Aug 31 Hackmatack Theater Fund Raiser

Hackmatack Theater Tickets for Thursday, August 31st

IWCNE members are invited to attend a **MATINEE** performance starting at 2:00 PM of "THE FANTASTICKS". The tickets are on sale now. Please send your check for \$25.00 made out to IWCNE to Marge Dunnington, 43 Bayberry Ave, Kennebunk, ME 04043. This is a great fundraiser as \$10 of each ticket sold thru us will go to our club. It will be a fun afternoon - please come and bring your friends and neighbors. If there are any questions, please call or email Marge: 903-491-8065 or mmdunnington@gmail.com

LES CHANTEUSES

We continue to perform 5 times a month at local senior, assisted living and nursing facilities. Contributions are given to IWCNE. Please join us! Call Ellen Farber for details: 207-251-1746.

FRANCOPHONE

We welcome new members who are able to converse in French. The next luncheon will be at noon, Monday, August 21st. Please contact Shona Taplin at downpat26@comcast.net for more information or if you are interested in attending this luncheon.

POT LUCK

Our next Pot Luck will be Aug 12th at Ellen Farber's house. A BBQ from 5-7. Please contact Lynne Gass at 207-490-1391, 207-607-1305 or lgass@metrocast.net for reservations & directions.

And a special thanks to Yueying LaFleur for welcoming us to her beautiful home on July 15th.

2017 HOLIDAY FAIR - NOVEMBER 4TH

At the last meeting we set chairpersons & time line. The next meeting will be Sept. 18th, 5 PM at Ellen Faber's house. At this meeting we will do flyers. Please get in touch with Ellen Farber at 207-251-1746 or email musicalellen@yahoo.com for information about joining the workforce.

GALLERY GOERS

Pam Lynch and Donna Freni will be taking the Gallery Goers to visit the revitalized mill town of Biddeford on Wednesday, Aug. 16th. We will tour the Pepperell Mill, which was America's largest cotton mill and has been re-purposed for a wide variety of uses. Our tour guide will be a former mill worker who will give us the history of the mills and talk about the different ethnic groups that worked there.. After the tour we will have a casual lunch outdoors overlooking the water and time to explore the area boutiques. We will carpool from the Wells Transportation Center at 9 AM or you can meet us at the mill. To sign up, please call Pam at 207-216-4168 or email: pamcomre@aol.com.

A SPECIAL THANKS....

To Marian McAuliffe for arranging a lovely visit to view the Best of York exhibit, showcasing the Bulman bed hangings and lunch at her home afterwards. Thanks to her husband, Kenneth, Director of Visitor's Services, for his informative presentation on June 21st.

IWC CORNER

WCI held it's annual Board of Directors Meeting in Cyprus this past May. A new program, WCI Initiative, "Intends for WCI to grow per the times and to respond to the current challenging reality with a spirit of generosity and compassion", according to Maria Fernanda Arduino, WCI President. It also emphasizes projects that deal with education, particularly educational opportunities for women. There is also a new WCI Blog "to help us interconnect with WCI members throughout the world, to learn more about different countries, customs, and cultures, and to grow in understanding and friendship". The Blog can be accessed on the WCI website. You are encouraged to visit and share your opinions. Please contact zoidiamond5@gmail.com or a Board Member to obtain our club's User ID and Password for the WCI website's private domain which contains the Blog.

Reservation Deadline: August 15, 2017

LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM, Wednesday, August 23, 2017

Wentworth by the Sea Country Club, 60 Wentworth Road, Rye, NH 03870

You can text or call **207-229-8785** and pay at the door or send a check for **\$28.00** to:
IWCNE, PO Box 351, Cape Neddick, ME. 03902
You will receive a confirmation of your reservation

Social Time: 11:00 AM, Meeting:11:30 AM, Lunch at Noon followed by program

NAME: _____ PHONE _____

Reminder: Cancellations need to be 7 Days before luncheon or you will be asked to pay.

Custom, Buffett Menu

Garden Salad with Assorted Dressings	Sauteed Chicken with Sage Browned Butter	Herb Crusted Haddock
Garlic and Rosemary Potatoes	Seasonal Pasta Salad	Haricot Verts

Served with Rolls and Butter (GF Bread Available)
Dark Chocolate Mousse (GF Option)
Tea and Coffee available at 11:00 AM
Coffee and Dessert Station

TODAY'S LUNCHEON PROGRAM

JULY LUNCHEON SPEAKERS - MARC AND ELIZABETH KEROACK

Journey to Cuba

Just ninety miles away from Miami, the country of Cuba remains an enigma to most Americans. With the easing of the Cuban embargo, Cuba now represents an opportunity for Americans to travel, with some remaining restrictions, to explore the colonial cities, lush countryside and beautiful beaches as well as to enjoy the culture of the country's creative, inventive and friendly people.

Please join Marc & Elizabeth as they present a slide show of their November, 2016 two week tour of Cuba during the very week of Fidel Castro's death.

Both Marc & Elizabeth are retired Massachusetts' school administrators. Marc holds a BA and MA in Music Education from UNH and retired as the K-12 Curriculum Coordinator of Art, Music and Drama for the Chelmsford, MA public schools. He now supervises music student teachers for UNH and plays trombone in two swing bands. Liz holds a BA and MST in English Education from UNH and a doctorate in Curriculum Leadership from Boston University. She retired as Assistant Superintendent for the Malden, MA public schools and now consults in MA schools. She also acts as a docent at the Currier Museum of Art in Manchester, NH.

August Luncheon Speaker: IWCNE Member, Lee Anderson, An Ashram Pilgrimage in India

Lee Anderson is a retired anthropologist with a life-long interest in India and yoga. Her presentation will show slides from a "yatra" (pilgrimage) in southern India, in which she participated with a group from a Sivananda "ashram" (spiritual community). Lee will explain the purpose of the pilgrimage and details of the specific religious sites visited in India.



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Yearly Luncheon Calendar– 2017

JANUARY 28

FEBRUARY 25

MARCH 25

APRIL 22

MAY 20

JUNE 28 (Wed)

JULY 26 (Wed)

AUGUST 23 (Wed)

SEPTEMBER 23

NOVEMBER 18

The Board strongly encourages members to attend the monthly meetings, which are integral to IWCNE. Luncheons promote friendship, introduce new members, provide information about club activities as well as furthering our mission of understanding the diversity of cultures in our country and throughout the world. It is also your opportunity to invite friends who can learn about the club and its various programs and projects.

