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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

As you'll recall (I hope) I have on several occasions written or spoken about an idea I thought might be interesting to many of you – to find a topic, game, or activity that a group of us might enjoy doing together. Last month I included a questionnaire for you to tell us what, if anything, interested you.

So few of you provided any response that the board and I agreed you had voted it down by indifference. With one exception the new activity selection has been dropped as an idea for IWCNE.

For those who are interested in learning bridge or refreshing your college game, Betsy has informed us that the Center in Ogunquit has a program to teach bridge on Thursdays at 10 AM which is free. We urge you who want to learn bridge to pursue this opportunity for learning from a professional.

Karen

Dear IWCNE members: It seems that Thursday afternoons from 1-4 pm at the homes of different hostesses (who sign up) would be a good day and time. There would be one or two tables and each hostess would provide refreshments. This would not be beginner's bridge. If I receive further interest, we will start the week after Thanksgiving, on Thursday, December 4 at my home, and meet once a week except for Christmas, then begin again on Thursday, January 8, 2015 and continue through April of 2015. We will need 4-8 regular players and several substitutes for when people are on vacation or are otherwise unable to play. Substitutes can include spouses and friends, not necessarily members of IWCNE. Please give me a call at 207.646.9994 if you might be interested. I will be away from Oct 14-26 and Oct 31 to Nov 11. Do leave your name and phone number. I look forward to hearing from you. Besides enjoying each other's company, bridge is good for the brain and can help keep away those "winter blues." Let's get this going.

Sincerely, Betsy Wilde

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The tenth board meeting of 2014 will be on October 13th at 10 AM at Sentry Hill. Next newsletter deadline will be Friday, October 10. Note: EARLIER THAN USUAL! Newsletters will be mailed the week following the Saturday luncheon to members unless they have indicated to us that they are willing to access the newsletter posted on our website:

WWW.IWCNE.NET.

VERY IMPORTANT

If you have not yet received your invitation to the Fashion Show please call Ellen O'Toole at 207.439.3172 immediately!

The second book of raffle tickets was sent to you in the hope that you might sell them to friends, thus increasing awareness of the IWCNE and of the Fashion Show.

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October 19 Fashions for Fun & Fancy

By now you have received your invitation to the Oct. 19 Fashion Show and Luncheon that will take place at the Stage Neck Inn. Casual and Evening Wear from Carla's (Ogunquit) and fabulous hats from Queen of Hats (Portland) will be modeled. Everyone who attends the fashion show will receive a gift certificate from Carla's. Please return your reservations by October 8.

You can buy raffle tickets without attending the event, because you need not be present to win. Raffle prizes include: Necklace & Earrings; Gold Plate & Crystal Necklace; Peacock Feather Broach (green, blue, clear crystal); \$35 Gift Certificate from Bed Bath & Beyond; \$50 Gift Certificate from Carla's; \$50 Gift Certificates from Cape Neddick Inn, Stage Neck Inn, and York Harbor Inn; Large Box of Lindt Truffles; and a few more items.

This wonderful fundraiser is open to the public, so please encourage your friends and family to attend. If you cannot attend this event, please consider sending a donation. Proceeds will benefit Partners for World Health, Esperanza Academy, Fair Tide, Inc. Questions? Please call Ellen O'Toole at 207.439.3172

IWCNE BOOK CLUB

Facilitators: Julie S and Barb Poulin

SEPT BOOK CLUB MEETING

Date: Tuesday, Sept 30 at 6 PM

Book: A Reading of your Choice

Authors: Various or Yourself

Host: Julie Stathoplos 207.646.3874

OCT BOOK CLUB MEETING

Date: Tuesday, Oct 28 at 6 PM

Book: *Reading Lolita in Tehran*

Author: Azar Nafisi

Hostess: Barb Poulin 207.337.2623

Please call the hostess if attending.

OCTOBER CALENDAR

Sept 30 Book Club at 6 pm
Oct 5 Autumn Pot Luck at 4
Oct 9 Tea House Activity
Oct 13 Board Meeting at 10
Oct 13 World Cinema at 3
October 19 Fashion Show
Oct 20 French Lunch at 12
Oct 25 Club Luncheon at 11
Oct 28 Book Club at 6 pm
Nov 8 Holiday Fair-new site
Nov 22 Club Luncheon

Special Activity: (Note New Date)

Trip to Tea House October 9

Our car pools plan to leave from the Wells Transportation Center at 11 AM on Thursday, October 9th for 58 Main St. Limington and

The Clipper Merchant Tea House.

We plan to have lunch there and a tour at about noon. There is an Antiques Gallery across the street from the tea house. Victorian House magazine called this "one of the top Tea Houses in America."

Please call Betty Williams (207.646.5777) FMI.

Francophone Gourmet Circle

The next Francophone luncheon will be on Monday, October 20th at Salt at the Wentworth by the Sea Hotel in Rye (not the Club). If you want to attend you must email Michele at michele-hovde5@aol.com by Thursday, October 16.

Autumn Potluck Fundraiser!

On Sunday, October 5th from 4-7 PM Betsy and Chip Wilde will host an Early Autumn Pot Luck fundraiser at their seaside home in Moody. Please email Lynne Gass at lgass@metrocast.net or call her on her cell 207.608.7332 to register. \$10 p/p donation plus your food or beverage which you have coordinated with Lynne. Room for up to 30. For directions and carpool parking info call Betsy at 207.646.9994. Bring a swimsuit if you dare!

Les Chanteuses

Call Ellen Farber at 207.646.8666 for more info on their activities.

World Cinema Discussion

Date: Monday, October 13

Time: 3 pm

Place: York Senior Center
York, ME 2012 Film from Saudi Arabia: *Wadjda* 98 minutes long In Arabic with English subtitles

Persistent 10-year-old Wadjda would like nothing more than a new bicycle so she can beat her friend (a boy) in a race. But it's going to take some ingenuity to get one -- especially in her culture, which sees bikes as a threat to a girl's virtue.

Note: same new time and place but new day of week!!

Call Barb Poulin at 337.2623 if you plan to attend.

Treasurer's Report

As of September 8, 2014, the Club's Administrative Account was \$2,828.95 and the Charity Account \$4,479.04 for a total of \$7,307.99. Submitted by Jaye Anderton, Treasurer

LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM SATURDAY, October 25, 2014

Coastal House Route 1 Wells, ME 207.641.8300

(Please fill out-clip-send) Send checks for \$25 by Friday, October 17, 2014 to: Marsha Miller

75 Hampton Meadows Hampton, NH 03842

Social Time and Meeting at 11:00 Lunch at Noon

Speaker: Chef Liz Barbour

NAME: _____ **PHONE** _____

Enclosed \$ ____ for # ____ Reservations

NOTE: ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE IN 8 DAYS BEFORE THE LUNCHEON

1st Course - Mixed greens salad with roasted butternut squash, feta and raisins

2nd Course - Haddock with a lemon crumb OR Chicken Caprese with boneless chicken breast,
mozzarella, tomato, basil and a balsamic reduction

Dessert Course – Assorted cake bites (Italian lemon cake) with a sea salt and caramel crisp

Liz Barbour has been cooking professionally in the Boston area since 1992 and started *Liz Barbour's Creative Feast* in 2004. Liz built her cooking career in a variety of Boston's catering and restaurant settings. After starting her family, Liz reentered the food world as an instructor, sharing her professional experiences and knowledge with her students and clients through cooking demonstration classes, in-home cooking parties, and boutique-style private catering. Liz's Classes: Liz is passionate about providing her students with the skills to help them to be better cooks at home. Classes and recipes are designed to demystify the cooking process while focusing on basic cooking techniques, knife skills, healthy ingredient combinations, and the use of herbs and spices to enhance flavors. Catering: Liz's passion for delicious food combinations and eye catching presentations are the basis for every customized menu she creates for her clients.

Liz's cooking demonstrations and recipes have been featured on New Hampshire Chronicle, Liz appears regularly on WMUR Channel 9's "Cooks Corner", and her recipes are featured in various publications including New Hampshire Magazine, the Nashua Telegraph, and The Hippo.

Professional Experience:

Chef at Grappa in Maynard, MA
Chef and Manager at Barsamian's in Cambridge, MA
Catering Chef at Baker's Best in Newton, MA
Pastry Chef at the Inn at Harvard in Cambridge, MA
James Beard Foundation in New York City, NY

Today's (September 27) Speaker: Artist Carol Santora



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