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NEWSLETTER

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

What an August we've had! Sunny days, hot weather and lots of beach time. Now that travel has opened up to us, I hope you've had a great summer vacationing with family and friends!

Lest you think club members have punched the "pause button" for the summer, please think again! Many of our members have been busy with committee meetings planning our fall events. For example, the 30th Jubilee committee has been working hard to plan a stellar evening. How lucky are we to be celebrating 30 continuous years as a club? The Jubilee will take place on Thursday evening October 6, 2022 at the Wentworth Country Club in Rye New Hampshire, so mark your calendars and please get ready to respond when the invitation hits your mailbox!

Fundraising continued this month with a pot-luck pool party at Deb McConnell's home and the "Lobster Dinner for 4" basket raffle. The drawing occurs at the August luncheon just in time for you and your guests to celebrate the Labor Day weekend with butter smiles!

I'll end with news of my favorite gathering this month, the New Members tea organized by our Membership Chair, Yvonne Chainey and her helper Marian Stanton (a fairly new member herself)! Hosted by Ellen Farber, almost twenty of our new members attended to learn more about each other and the Club from Board members. It was a two way street for learning and I urge any new members who were not able to attend to feel free to contact me, or any of our Board members if you have any questions about the Club.

Cindy Sayers

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The next board meeting is Sept. 14
If you would like to attend the board meeting please contact Cindy.

NOTE: Next newsletter submissions will be on or before Sept. 16.

The newsletter will be sent to those members who request it. As always it can be downloaded on our website:

www.iwcne.net

IWCNE 30th Anniversary Jubilee

Invitations and programs completed. See you Thursday, October 6, 5:00-8:30 pm for the time of your life. You will receive your invitation soon to the Wentworth Country Club pavilion.
Ellen Farber-Libowitz, Jubilee Chair



Raising money for these charities this year:

- **A Place to Start** - help for families dealing with Alzheimer's Disease
- **Girls on the Run**—healthy and educational activities for girls
- **Camp Kita**—for children dealing with the suicide of a loved one.
- **240 Strings**—making classical music accessible to youths and families through free instruction and free concerts

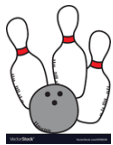
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ACTIVITIES and INTEREST GROUPS

NEW ACTIVITY

Our next activity will be bowling on Monday, September 12 at 5 pm. Please rsvp Ellen Farber at 207-251-1746 or musicaellen@yahoo.com. Please let me know if you prefer candlepin or large pins. We will get dinner after.



BOOK CLUB

Thursday September 22nd 4 pm
Book: Wild Swans: Three Daughters of China

Author: Jung Chang

Hostess: Barb Poulin 207-337-2623 (cell)
barbpoulin@aol.com

Please notify the hostess if you plan to attend.



We welcome new members.

World Cinema Tips

Available streaming on Amazon Prime Video

From Great Britain/Thailand: the 2022 Documentary: *Thirteen Lives*, 2 hours, 27 minutes in length

A Ron Howard directed film that recreates the incredible rescue of a soccer coach and twelve young boys trapped in a flooded series of underground caves in Thailand.

Streaming on Netflix:

From Israel, Season 2 of *The Beauty Queen of Jerusalem*

More of a multi-generational family living through the Ottoman Empire, The British Mandate and Israel's War of Independence. In Hebrew, English, Ladino and Arabic.



FRANCOPHONE

September date to be announced.



Si vous voulez pratiquer votre français, venez déjeuner avec nous. Contact Zoi Diamond at zoidiamond6@gmail.com

for more information



IWCNE is a member of Welcome Clubs International. If you are interested in the locations of the other members throughout the world, visit the website wciclubs.org and click on Member Clubs.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sep 08 Potluck Fundraiser
- Sep 12 Bowling
- Sep 14 Executive Board of Directors Mtg.
- Sep 16 Deadline for Luncheon Reservation
- Sep 16 York Museum Fundraiser
- Sep 22 4 pm Book Club
- Sep 24 Monthly Meeting / Luncheon

FUNDRAISING

IWCNE ANNUAL HOLIDAY FAIR

Saturday, November 12, 9—2 at the community room of First Congregational Church in York

At our final major fundraiser of the year, we host vendors who sell a variety of goods and we serve homemade soup for lunch and sell our own homemade goods at our bake sale table. Please join us for a wonderful day!!! And invite family, friends & neighbors. The Funds we raise will support this year's charities.

Still time to volunteer! There are many ways you can help besides coming and bringing lots of customers. If you would like to make soup, contact Micky at kennethmoirarobinson@gmail.com or 207 363-8074. If baking is your thing, contact Charline at ccludgate@comcast.net or 207 439-8884. If you just want to volunteer in general, contact Yvonne at ychainey@aol.com or 603 436-7990. See you there !!

Potluck Fundraisers are social gatherings where we all get together to share food AND donate \$15 to the charity fund.



Friday Sept. 9 at noon POTLUCK FUNDRAISER at the home of Audrey Belle-Isle, Rye, NH, in the garden. Bring a dish to share and \$15 for Charity. **Rain date Sept.10.**

Reservations to annesupenia@icloud.com or 207 646 9524.

Guests welcome, carpooling encouraged

Sept. 16, 2:30 pm York Museum and Cocktail Party Fundraiser



Marion McAuliffe and her husband Ken have again invited our members to a **York Historical Society museum visit and Wine and Cheese Party Fundraiser at their home.**

They will welcome us at the Historical Society Welcome Center for a guided museum tour at 2:30 pm. The buildings include the Remick Gallery, Jefferds Tavern, the Schoolhouse and The Old Goal (jail). The Jail involves considerable walking and can be left out. After the tour they invite us to their home for Wine and Cheese (alcohol free drinks will also be available). Museum admission is \$10 and the charity donation is \$15. Please contact Lucille at lucillegen@gmail.com or (207) 318-7304 to reserve a spot. As usual, significant others and guests are welcome.



We all enjoyed the pot luck at Deb and Jeff McConnell's home. We got an added bonus with an informative talk by Deb about her beautiful and extensive paper weight collection. It was definitely a "lunch and learn". Thank you so much.

Something different for September

Reservation Deadline: Friday, September 16, 2022

LUNCHEON: Saturday, September 24, 2022

The Brick Store Museum, 117 Main Street, Kennebunk, Maine

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AS PRICES HAVE CHANGED

YOU MUST HAVE A PAID RESERVATION BEFORE THE DEADLINE.

You can call and make a reservation and menu choice at either 310-749-8356 (Deborah Forster)

Or 516-819-1987 (Jane Bagnell) and send your \$20 check either to Deborah Forster at 13 Marden Way, Durham, NH 03824 or Jane Bagnell at 15 Marden Way, Durham, NH 03824

Or go to our website, and pay \$21 (Pay Pal charges) www.iwcne.net, then go to "events" – then pay with Pay Pal or Credit Card.

Important: You must call or e-mail your menu choice to either deborah.forster13@comcast.net or janemooney@comcast.net

Once your payment is received you will get a confirmation email or call.

Cancellations need to be 7 days before luncheon, or you will be asked to pay.

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

\$20 BOXED LUNCH SANDWICH CHOICES

(Choose one)

- 1) Egg salad sandwich 2) Tuna salad sandwich 3) Chicken salad sandwich

All sandwiches are on multigrain bread.

Boxed lunches also include a small bag of chips, fruit and dessert bar or brownie, plus bottled water.

September Luncheon Speaker, Cynthia Walker

Cynthia Walker, the current director of the Brick Store Museum will share the museum's history and that of its founder, Edith Barry, the only woman to ever found a museum, which occurred in 1936, during the Great Depression!

September Birthdays

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|----|-----------------|----|--------------------|
| 04 | Joyce Marchand | 21 | Jean Hurley |
| 11 | Marsha Miller | 24 | Katrina Carye |
| 13 | Yvonne Chainey | 25 | Margaret Weeks, |
| 15 | Devora Kaiser | | Birgit Chritiansen |
| 20 | Lucille Gentsch | 28 | Francoise Meissner |
| | | 29 | Bonnie Keast |



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MEETINGS/LUNCHEONS Calendar- 2022

SEP 24 Brick Store Museum
OCT 22 Wentworth C .C.
NOV 16 Jonathan's

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.

Treasurer's Report Aug 15
Charity \$ 13,045.17
Admin \$ 6,275.14
CD \$ 5,222
Birgit Christiansen, Treasurer

Calling on All Members for Board Nominations

Do you have an interest in serving on the Club Executive Board? We are currently seeking nominations for any of the various positions. The one-year term begins January 2023. We are especially looking for coordinators for the luncheons, programs at the luncheons, and the potlucks. There is also a position to pull together the monthly newsletter. Feel free to contact any one of us on the Nominating Committee to discuss the positions and duties. Thank you....Margaret Weeks, Yvonne Chainey, Barb Poulin, Mary Lucas, Linda Anderson.