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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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Ana Knowles presents \$500 check from Bank of Maine to sponsor IWCNE Fashion Show Fundraiser. Club members pictured from L to R, Marsha Miller, Micky Robinson, Ana Knowles, Jaye Anderton, and Karen Peterson.

Beginner's Bridge Classes

Thursdays; August 21, 28, Sept. 4, 18, 25 & Oct. 2 5:00—6:45 p.m.
Have you always wanted to play bridge? Did you play years ago, and would like to learn the current approach to the game? The York Library is offering a six-session Beginner's Bridge Class, starting on Thursday, August 21st. They'll explain how to evaluate your hand, bid and play. Every session will include hands-on practice games. We're not experts - just bridge players who like to have fun! Please sign up at the York Library (207.363.2818) Class size is limited to 16. Also and/or alternatively contact IWCNE Board Member Betsy Wilde 207.646.9994 if you want to explore other Bridge playing options with similarly-minded IWCNE members.

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The ninth board meeting of 2014 will be on September 8th at 10 AM at Sentry Hill. Next newsletter deadline will be Monday, September 8. 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.

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Fashion Show Only Two Months Away

In September, all Club members will be receiving invitations to attend the Fashion Show Fundraiser and Luncheon to be held Oct. 19 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. Raffle prizes include dining gift certificates, jewelry, and Lindt chocolate. Raffle tickets will also be included in the mailing for purchase before the event or on Oct. 19. This wonderful fundraiser is open to the public, so please encourage your friends and family to attend. Proceeds will benefit Partners for World Health, Esperanza Academy, Fair Tide, Inc.

IWCNE BOOK CLUB

Facilitators: Julie S and Barb Poulin

AUG BOOK CLUB MEETING

Date: Tuesday, Aug 26 at 7 PM

Book: *I know Why the Caged Bird Sings* Author: Maya Angelou

Hostess: Gwyneth Wykes

SEPT BOOK CLUB MEETING

Date: Tuesday, Sept 30 at 6 PM

Book: Reading of your choice Authors: Various or Yourself

Hostess: Betsy Wilde 207.646.9994

Please call the hostess if attending.

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

Aug 26 Book Club at 7 pm
Aug 29 Musical Evening at 6
Sept 8 Board Meeting at 10
Sept 8 World Cinema at 3
Sept 15 French Lunch at 12
Sept 17 Chili Pot Luck 5-7pm
Sept 27 Club Luncheon at 11
Sept 30 Book Club at 6 pm
October 2 Tea House Activity
October 19 Fashion Show
November 8 Holiday Fair

Special Activity:

Trip to Tea House October 2

Our car pools plan to leave from the Wells Transportation Center at 11 AM on Thursday, October 2nd for:

The Clipper Merchant Tea House. It is located at 58 Main St. in Limerick Maine. 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."

Call Betty Williams at 207.646.5777 FMI.

Francophone Gourmet Circle

The next Francophone luncheon will be on Monday, September 15th at Stage Neck Inn. If you want to attend or join the Francophone group, please contact Zoi at zoidiamond@aol.com

Two Potluck Fundraisers!

On Friday, August 29th at 6 PM:
A Musical Evening Pot Luck at Ellen Farber-Libowitz in Ogunquit

The Best Chili in Town Pot Luck at Mary Lee Pon's on Wed. Sept 17 from 5-7 PM in Kennebunk. Please email Lynne Gass at lgass@metrocast.net or call her on her cell 207.608.7332 to register for Musical Evening (\$15 donation + your food) or for Chili potluck (\$10 donation and your corn muffins, cheese, or drinks you have coordinated with Lynne). 8 signed up; room for 10 more Les Chanteuses

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

World Cinema Discussion

Date: Monday, September 8

Time: 3 pm

Place: York Senior Center
York, ME 2013 US Film:

Tim's Vermeer 80 minute long
Documentary no subtitles

Teller, of Penn and Teller fame, directs this absorbing film about inventor Tim Jenisen's quest to solve one of art's greatest mysteries: How did Dutch master Johannes Vermeer paint so photo-realistically 150 years before the invention of photography?

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 August 11, 2014, the Club's Administrative Account was \$3,062.94 and the Charity Account \$4,079.04 for a total of \$7,141.98. Submitted by Jaye Anderton, Treasurer

President's Message:

During my first year as your president, I have asked what activities you might enjoy if IWCNE were to sponsor them. Now, I'd like to know which of the activities suggested would be most popular so we know where to start. Listed below are a number of activities which we might undertake. Please check one box on each row to indicate for each one whether that activity is one that. . .

- You would have no interest in,
- You might like to try once or twice if it were convenient,
- You might like to participate in once or twice a month,
- You might like to participate in once a week.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>No Interest</u>	<u>Try Once/ Twice</u>	<u>Once or Twice A Month</u>	<u>Once or Twice A Week</u>
<u>Cards</u>				
Beginning/Refresher Bridge	[]	[]	[]	[]
Intermediate Bridge	[]	[]	[]	[]
Other card games: Gin Rummy, Hearts, Poker, Canasta	[]	[]	[]	[]
<u>Board games</u> such as Monopoly, Trivial Pursuit, MaJong, Scrabble				
[]	[]	[]	[]	[]
<u>Arts and crafts</u> – bring your own handi-work and enjoy the company as you work on knitting, embroidery				
[]	[]	[]	[]	[]
<u>Exercise</u>				
Walking together	[]	[]	[]	[]
Biking together	[]	[]	[]	[]
Going to the gym together	[]	[]	[]	[]
Pool swimming – with aerobics	[]	[]	[]	[]
<u>Spanish Conversation</u>	[]	[]	[]	[]

Over, please . . .

Please send your completed questionnaire to me.

By email to kip1230@comcast.net

At the luncheon (August 23) – just hand it to me

By mail to Karen Peterson, Unit F-302, 100 Shepards Cove Road, Kittery, ME 03904

Thanks for your help!

Karen

LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM SATURDAY, September 27, 2014

Jonathans 92 Bourne Lane Ogunquit, ME 207.646.4777

(Please fill out-clip-send) Send checks for **\$25** by Friday, September 19, 2014 to: Marsha Miller
75 Hampton Meadows Hampton, NH 03842

Social Time and Meeting at 11:00 Lunch at Noon

Speaker: Artist Carol Santora
Demonstrating Painting Horses on Large Canvases

NAME: _____ **PHONE** _____

Enclosed \$ ____ for # ____ Reservations

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

Jonathan's Garden Salad with House Vinaigrette
Entrée Choice
Roast Loin of Pork Served with pan gravy, mashed potatoes and vegetable or
Seafarer's Cache: Shrimp, salmon & white fish baked in a white wine & lemon sauce with
seasoned bread crumbs;
served with potato and vegetable
Dessert: Cheesecake with Fruit Garnish

Best known for her expressionistic and soulful animal paintings, Carol Santora works in acrylic and soft pastel, and her styles are equally diverse. Santora employs the drip-painting method of the abstract expressionists in her acrylic paintings on canvas and board. Her pastels are intimate close-ups of animals that employ bold strokes of pastel, the emotion of color and the beauty of form.

Both media express her passion for animals in different ways. Primarily painting horses, Santora's portfolio also includes pet portraits, some farm animals, the great cats and select species of Maine and western wildlife. Graduating with a BFA, summa cum laude from Framingham State University, Santora retired from nursing in 1996 to pursue her art career full time. With over 30 years of experience, she has taught from her studio and at museum and gallery schools, and is a requested judge/juror and demonstrator for various art groups and non-art audiences.

Her work has been shown in museums and galleries across the country and in France, and is currently part of a traveling museum show 'Environmental Impact' curated by David J Wagner, LLC, 2013 - 2016. Her work has been selected to represent animal advocacy agencies including the Texas Dispute Resolution System's Office of Dispute Resolution, Lubbock, TX. She was juried in to 'Season of Equine', for a fall of 2014 exhibition about the horse at the Customs House Museum, Clarksville, TN.

Today's (August 23) Speaker: Dr. Vahid Varasteh on Iran



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Yearly Luncheon Calendar– 2014

JANUARY 25
FEBRUARY 22
MARCH 22
APRIL 26
MAY 24
JUNE 28
JULY 26
AUGUST 23
SEPTEMBER 27
OCTOBER 25
NOVEMBER 22

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.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Please welcome new members:

Marge Dunnington (Glenn)
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All new members are given an IWCNE Member Directory. Next month's newsletter will include a summary of all year-to-date member information additions, updates and corrections for 2014.

We now have 99 members!

Birthday September 2: Lucille Gentsch