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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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SECOND ANNUAL HUG GALA

BENEFITTING A SAFE PLACE PORTSMOUTH, NH

June 15 6:30 -9:30 PM

Abenaquei Country Club 731 Central Rd Rye Beach, NH 03871

STARRING: 70 Silent Auction Items Live Auctions Include:

Outfitted Kayak Debauchery Wine Tree African Photo Safari

TRIP FOR TWO to LONDON OLYMPICS

“Hand Rolled Cigars” Scotch Tasting Classic Cars on display

RSVP by June 1, 2012 Tickets: \$60

call 207 646-7270 or purchase online at IWCNE.net

or mail checks to: PO Box 351 Cape Neddick, Me. 03902

Heavy hors'doeuvres; Cash bar; Popovers dessert station Live Music

There is something in this for everyone. It will be an exciting event for a wonderful cause that saves lives. DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!

LUNCHEON PROGRAM TODAY

Our May speaker is **Raymond Clark**, President of the Friends of the Maine Wildlife Park located in Gray, Maine. Ray will tell us about the several free-roaming Maine animals such as great horned owls, white tailed deer, bald eagles, mountain lions, bobcat, lynx, black bear, and moose that you can see at the Maine Wildlife Park. At the Park, Ray conducts tours for all ages and tells stories for children. Ray is part of a devoted volunteer staff who are parking lot attendants, gatekeepers, gardeners, tour guides, storytellers, snack counter staff, fundraisers, and many more things needed. The Maine

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The sixth board meeting of 2012 will be on June 11 at :9:30 AM at the home of Ellen Farber-Libowitz. Next newsletter deadline will be Monday, June 11. 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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The President's Corner

Some quotes for our lives: Nobody has ever measured, not even poets, how much the heart can hold. - Zelda Fitzgerald

A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature. - Ralph Waldo Emerson

I will tell you that there have been no failures in my life. I don't want to sound like some metaphysical queen, but there have been no failures. There have been some tremendous lessons. - Oprah Winfrey

Spread love wherever you go; first of all in your own house. Let no one ever come to you without leaving better and happier. Be the living expression of God's kindness; kindness in your face, kindness in your eyes, kindness in your warm greet - Mother Theresa

I long to accomplish a great and noble task, but it is my chief duty to accomplish small tasks as if they were great and noble. - Helen Keller

When your life is filled with the desire to see the holiness in everyday life, something magical happens: ordinary life becomes extraordinary, and the very process of life begins to nourish your soul! - Rabbi Harold Kushner

In friendship, Ellen Farber-Libowitz

Book Club

Co-Facilitators: Julie Stathoplos/Anna McGann

MAY BOOK CLUB

Date: Tuesday, May 29 at 7 PM

Book: Gracelin O'Malley

Author: Ann Moore

Hostess: Barb Poulin at York Beach

JUNE BOOK CLUB

Date: Tuesday, June 26 at 7 PM

Book: The Cookbook Collector: A Novel

Authors: Allegra Goodman

Hostess: tbd

Please be sure to call hostess if you plan to attend and for directions when needed.

JUNE CALENDAR

May 29 Book Club
June 4 World Cinema
June 11 Board Meeting
June 15 Auction Fundraiser
June 18 Francophone Lunch
June 23 Club Luncheon
June 26 Book Club
July 10 Special Activity
July 14 Bastille Day Potluck

Francophone Gourmet Circle

Monday, June 18 at noon at venue in Maine to be chosen.

Please email Johanna Mangion at rhmangion@juno.com if you plan to attend and for directions. She will call those without email access.

Next Potluck

We are looking for hosts for Summer.

A Bastille Day Brunch will be held on Saturday July 14 at 11:00 AM at the home of Michele Hovde. Please sign up ASAP with Regina Godfrey or Lynne Gass Thank you 207-363-7547 or 207-490-1391

If you sign up for a pot luck and are not able to attend it is mandatory that you call ahead as we have a waiting list & if its too short a notice you are still expected to bring your assigned pot luck as well as your donation. The pot lucks are a integral part of our fund raising. Thank you for your help in this matter. Call Regina Godfrey at 207.363.7547 or email regal207@aol.com or co-chair Lynne Gass at 207.490.1391 or email lgass@metrocast.net

IWCNE ACTIVITY

The next fun activity will be at the Seacoast Science Center, 570 Ocean Blvd, Rye, NH on **TUESDAY, JULY 10.**

Director Wendy Lunt will personally conduct a guided tour of the new exploration of Whales, followed by a garden tour. We will picnic afterward outside on lobster rolls, chips, and water. Because of the high cost of gas, I recommend you car pool. First tour starts at 10am.

Cost is \$17.00. This includes entrance fee, Whale tour, Garden Tour and lobster lunch.

Please sign up by emailing or calling me. Mail check made out to me, Darleen Chadwick

163 Central Road, Rye NH 03870 603.379.2147

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World Cinema Discussion

Date: Monday, June 4

Time: 7 pm

Place: Yorkshire Commons
Route 1A York Maine

Film: Albert Nobbs, the 2011 film that won 3 Oscars, starring two astonishing actresses with Maine-connections : Glenn Close and Janet McTeer. Directed by Rodrigo Garcia

In English, no subtitles, 113 minutes long Light refreshments will be served. Call Barb Poulin at 207.337.2623 if you plan to attend. \$2 donation

Les Chanteuses

Call Ellen Farber at 207.646.8666 for further information as to the group's activities during June.

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LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM SATURDAY, June 23, 2012

Varanos, 62 Mile Road, Wells, ME 207.641.8550
(Please fill out-clip-send) Send checks for \$20 by Friday, June 15, 2012 to:

**Marsha Miller
59 Meadowlark DR
York, ME 03909**

Social Time and Meeting at 11:00 Lunch at Noon

SPEAKER:

Raymond Clark, President, Friends of Maine Wildlife Park

NAME: _____ **PHONE** _____

Enclosed \$ ___ for # ___ Reservations

Tossed Salad

Oven Roasted Salmon - oven roasted fresh salmon fillet topped with a citrus butter.

Served with a sweet pea & mushroom risotto.

Chicken Pizzaiola - pan seared breast of chicken topped with fresh mozzarella.

Served over bucatini pasta tossed with vine ripe tomatoes, bell peppers and sweet onions.

Chef's Dessert

Coffee, Decaf, Tea, Milk, Soda

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

NEXT MONTH'S SPEAKERS

On June 23rd we will hear from Kimberly Allen, Executive Director, Dress for Success Affiliate in Portland, Maine and Marsha Miller, IWC 2012 Luncheon Chair. Kimberly holds a Master's Degree in Non-Profit leadership from New England College and a BS in Exercise Physiology from the University of Southern Maine. Marsha is a retired health professional and volunteers for Dress for Success. Dress for Success is an international non-profit organization that offers clothes and services to help disadvantaged women seek and maintain employment. The client starts with a free outfit and shoes for an interview and returns for another week of free outfits once she is employed. Clients can also participate in support programs and a career center that promotes confidence, professionalism, and skills training. Dress for Success has helped more than 50,000 women in the U.S., Australia, Canada, Britain, New Zealand, Australia, Mexico, Poland, the Netherlands, and the West Indies.

Holiday Fair at York Middle School Cafeteria on Saturday November 10, 2012

The Holiday Fair Committee is doing nicely. Applications have been sent to over 80 potential vendors. However, any IWCNE event needs support from all members, and there are several ways you can help. If you know craft artists who would be a good addition for our shoppers, please send names, addresses, and descriptions of what they make to Charline Ludgate. If you have pins or ear rings to sell at the Fair, please call Charline to arrange a time to pick them up.

Jaye Anderton has volunteered to gather all crafts from last year, as well as materials, and have them in one place. Later on she will be holding meetings to make the few additional ones needed.

Charline Ludgate 2 Barters Creek Road Kittery Point, ME 03905 207.439.8884 ccludgate@comcast.net



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WCI LIAISON REPORT

Sister Clubs' News - March, 2012 Attached is the latest newsletter from Le WIC du Languedoc-Roussillon, listing their May activities and describing two major upcoming events. Read their nice message below. If you wish to read the entire newsletter, please download it from www.wic-lr.com.

Here is our latest Bulletin showing our activities for May. It also introduces two of our major events of the year which will take place in June. These include our picnic, this year in the theme of red, white and blue to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth, the Second of UK...60 years on the throne...no mean achievement. These tricolore colours are also, of course, the same as the French flag.

Our Vente de Charité is one of our other main events, proceeds from which will go to charities.

Whatever you are doing this summer, enjoy it and fill up with Vitamin D.

Many of you will be going to the Conference in Denver. Unfortunately our Club will not be represented but on behalf of our members, I wish you a successful Conference. In friendship, Pearl Casteleyn, International Liaison Co-ordinator for Le WIC du Languedoc-Roussillon

In friendship, Zoi Diamond, WCI Liaison for IWCNE

Yearly Luncheon Calendar– 2012

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

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.

WCI CORNER

WCI International Conference June 21-25 2012

Denver, Colorado
Post trip Conference
June 26-July 1 2012
Santa Fe, Grand Canyon, Las Vegas

Please view all details at
www.welcomeclubs.org

FLEA MARKET

A Flea market will be held on a Saturday in August TBA. All items for Flea Market can be dropped off at Regina Godfrey's shed at 22 Bluestone Lane York ME 207-363-7547 or email regal207@aol.com

Thank You. All items will be accepted but please check first.