

## WELCOME CLUB OF HENDERSON COUNTY FEBRUARY 2012

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

Happy New Year, happy new year! By now we have survived the holidays and are ready to tackle our 2012 resolutions! As we begin 2012, Welcome Club is pleased to let you know our members have selected Boys and Girls Club as our charity. I spoke with Executive Director Scotty Parker and will meet with him later in the month. They are grateful for our support. As their program runs from 3:30 to 6:00 pm, they can always use folks to volunteer to read to children, help with homework, etc. If you are so inclined, give them a call at 693-9444.

Our new directory will be mailed to you by the middle of next month. If you do not receive yours by February 15<sup>th</sup>, please contact our Membership Chair, Vicky Lieber. As you attend your monthly groups, please remind members to send renewals to Vicky if they have not already. And watch your emails for our newsletters. Some changes are in the works so keep your eyes peeled.

To our friends who go to warmer climates as I write this, we are in the midst of a 22 degree sunny afternoon. Mountain tops are sprinkled with flurries and the wind is brisk.....brrrr! While we will miss you while you are gone, we also might be a bit envious...at least till it warms up again later this week!!

Best regards to one and all...take care of yourself not only for your sake, but for those who love you

*Francine*



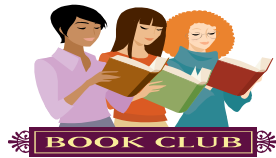
### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 2 Susan Aronowitz
- 5 Barbara Stangl
- 9 Pat Podlipec
- 9 Harriet Stafford
- 12 Judi Wondolowski
- 13 Joy Charlebois
- 19 Nancy Hoffstadt
- 19 Carol Sewell
- 23 Rose Ann Browning
- 25 Gretchen Batra
- 28 Jan Partin



## BOGGLE

GROUP	CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Third Tuesday (was 1 <sup>st</sup> Friday)	Vicky Lieber, 890-3408 <a href="mailto:evlieber@bellsouth.net">evlieber@bellsouth.net</a>	Ace Hardware/Cuppys	21 February 2012 1:30 pm
Third Thursday	Linda Holt, 698-6670	Peggy O'Connor 890-0412	16 February 2012 1:30pm



GROUP	CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME	BOOK/AUTHOR
Tuesday Morning Book Club	Jan Spicka 891-1606	Diane Soder	14 February 2012 10:00 am	Battle of Villa Fiorita, Rumer Godden
Second Tuesday Book Bugs	Sue Hatch 890-0151	Terri Gibson	14 February 2012 10:00 am	The Big Thirst Charles Fishman
Thursday Afternoon Book Club	Carolyn Wig 890-0006	Elaine Tully 890-2932	16 February 2012 1:00 pm	In the Garden of Beasts, Erik Larson
Ladies of the Evening Book Club	Rose Marie Puncke, 777-6832	Rose Ann Browning 693-0309	20 February 2012 7:00 pm	South of Broad Pat Conroy
Page Turners Book Club	Jan Scott 230-4039	Susan Aronowitz 692-7793	9 February 2012 1:00 pm	Thirteen Moons Charles Fraiser
Flat Rock Readers and Feeders	Terry Goodfield 693-6024	Terry Goodfield	2 February 2012 10:00 am	The Art of Fielding Chad Harbach
Blue Ridge Readers	Mary Boteilho 698-2558	Elaine Maimone	29 February 2012 1:30 pm	The Postmistress Sarah Blake
Ravenous Readers	Sharon McGreevy 697-0977	Tina Capogna	13 February 2012	Garlic and Sapphires, Ruth Reichi



## BRIDGE

DAY OF THE WEEK	TIME OF THE DAY	LOCATION
First Thursday	1:00 pm	Member's homes
Second Monday	1:00 pm	Ace Hardware/Cuppy's
Third Monday	1:00 pm	Ace Hardware/Cuppy's
Fourth Monday	1:00 pm	Ace Hardware/Cuppy's



## BRUNCHES AND LUNCHES

CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Rose Marie Puncke, 693-7183 <a href="mailto:rpuncke@morrisbb.net">rpuncke@morrisbb.net</a>	Cynthia Vondrasek <a href="mailto:cynvon01@aol.com">cynvon01@aol.com</a>	8 February 2012



## CANASTA

GROUP	CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Last Tuesday	Elaine Tully, 890-2932	Kay Lund, 693-9115	28 February 2012 1:00 pm

## COFFEE AND CONVERSATION



Time to start off the new year by meeting new friends and catching up with what's happening with others! And what better place to do all that than at the February Coffee and Conversation!! A new member, Michele Hyde, will be hosting, so be sure to come and meet her and welcome her to the area!

TIME: 10:00 AM  
DATE: TUESDAY, 21 FEBRUARY  
PLACE: 1903 Country Club Road (directions below)

CO-HOSTESSES: Mary Boteilho, Nancy Chiarenza, Terry Goodfield and Nan Payne

Be sure to RSVP no later than Sunday 5 February to either Cathy Blair (693-5357 or [flowersfish@morrisbb.net](mailto:flowersfish@morrisbb.net)) or Corinne Maier (595-4586 or [cormaier@aol.com](mailto:cormaier@aol.com))

DIRECTIONS TO MICHELE'S HOME: From Fresh Market, turn right on White Street, left on Kanuga, then right on Hebron and then left on Willow. In less than 2 miles you will see the Valley Hill Fire Department on the corner facing Stepp St. Go past that and the next street on the right is Country Club Road. Home phone: 348-4317; cell: 772-6272

Chairs: Cathy Blair and Corinne Maier



## FUN 'N GAMES

CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Lynne Stafford, 696-1581	Jan Partin, 692-8306	24 February 2012, 7:00 pm



## KNITWITS

CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Rhoda Galvani, 551-4679	Cyndi Buhr, 693-0779	23 February 2012, 1:00 pm



### LUNCHEON 8'S

GROUP	CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE
Group #1	Elaine Tully, 890-2932	Mary Kauffold	1 February
Group #2	Terri Gibson, 699-5502	Patty Small	7 February



### MAH JONGG

CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Sally VonHoene, 693-9049	Pat Podlipec	14 February 2012, 1:00 pm



### RUMMY Q

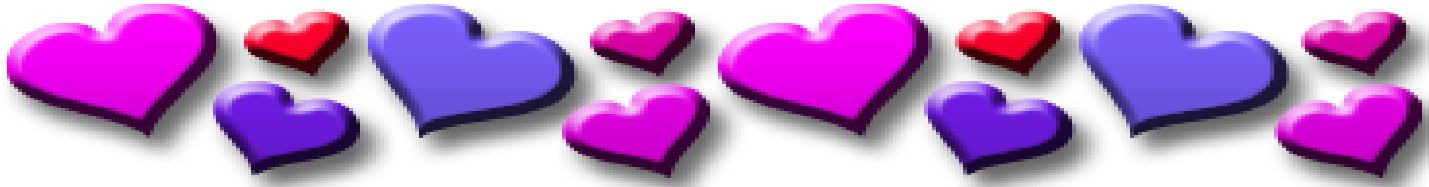
CHAIR	LOCATION	DATE/TIME
Nancy Chiarenza, 891-7109	Ace Hardware, Cuppy's	10 February 2012, 1:00 pm
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CHAIR	HOSTESS	DATE/TIME
Sue Kamerick, 891-4890	Doreen Mawson	7 February 2012, 1:30 pm

Please welcome New Member:

Judy Townsend  
830 S. Park Place  
Hendersonville, NC 28791  
(H) \*551-9377 (c) 333-0105  
DOB: 31 Jan  
Formerly: Ft. Pierce, FL  
[Castlegarden830@aol.com](mailto:Castlegarden830@aol.com)



The Charity Corner  
By Mary Boteilho

Your votes are in and counted and the Boys and Girls Club of Henderson County has been selected as our charity for 2012. Your Board of Directors will be meeting with the staff of the Boys and Girls Club to understand their needs and see how we can help contribute to their 2012 goals.

The mission statement for the Boys and Girls Club of Henderson County is "To inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible and caring citizens".

The club opened their doors on November 1, 1993 and have continued serving the needs of the youth in Henderson County. In 2010 the total number of youth served was 1510. As with most charity

organizations, volunteers are an integral piece. Volunteers logged in 6094 hours during 2010.

In the months to come, Charity Corner will focus on some of the Programs and Services that the Boys and Girls Club offer to members of the community. Their programs and services include:

- Education and Career Development
- Fitness and Recreation
- The Arts
- Health and Life Skills
- Character and Leadership Development

Stay in touch to see what you and Welcome Club can do to make a difference for the Boys and Girls Club of Henderson County in 2012.

Please let us know your thoughts on Charity Corner, by sending an email to [boandmary@hotmail.com](mailto:boandmary@hotmail.com).

Welcome Club of Henderson County, North Carolina

## MEMBER RENEWAL FORM 2012

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## NEW MEMBER FORM 2012

Please PRINT all information

Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

(You may list one or both numbers. If you list both, but have a preference as to which number WC members should use, please asterisk the preferred number)

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Formerly From \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Month/Day of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

### RENEWALS ONLY

Please indicate your preference for our 2012 charity: (see next page for info on each)

\_\_\_\_\_ Blue Ridge Humane Society  
\_\_\_\_\_ Boys & Girls Club  
\_\_\_\_\_ Bullington Center  
\_\_\_\_\_ Habitat for Humanity

(To be included in 2012 directory, renewals must be received by 16 Dec 2011)

### NEW MEMBERS ONLY

Please indicate the activities you would be interested in:

_____ Boggle	_____ Fun 'N Games
_____ Book Clubs	_____ Luncheon 8's
_____ Bridge	_____ Mah Jongg
_____ Canasta	_____ Rummy Q
_____ Coffee & Conversation	
_____ Scrabble	_____ Evening Socials
_____ Other	

ANNUAL DUES for the calendar year are \$25.00 per year.

For those joining after July 1, dues for the remainder of the year are \$12.50

AMOUNT INCLUDED: \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK NO. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and mail the entire form, with check payable to Welcome Club to:

Vicky Lieber  
47 Hunters Lane  
Hendersonville, NC 28791  
Phone: 828-890-3408      Email: [evlieber@bellsouth.net](mailto:evlieber@bellsouth.net)



New Member names and contact information will appear in the next Newsletter, available online at [www.welcomeclubhc.org](http://www.welcomeclubhc.org)



**WANT TO TRY SOMETHING NEW?  
HOW ABOUT "MEXICAN TRAIN"?**

A new member – Michele Hyde – is looking for ladies who are interested in playing – or learning to play! It's a game similar to dominoes.  
Contact Michele at 348-4317 or [smamex2004@yahoo.com](mailto:smamex2004@yahoo.com)

**FEBRUARY 2012**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Luncheon 8	2 Book Club Bridge	3	4
5	6	7 Luncheon 8 Scrabble	8 Brunches and Lunches	9 Book Club	10 Rummy Q	11
12	13 Book Club Bridge	14 Book Clubs (2) Mah Jongg   VALENTINES DAY	15	16 Boggle Book Club	17	18
19	20 Book Club Bridge   PRESIDENT'S DAY	21 COFFEE AND CONVERSATION Boggle	22   ASH WEDNESDAY	23 Knit Wits Rummy Q	24 Fun 'N Games	25
26	27 Bridge	28 Canasta	29 Book Club			