



THE COMPASS ROSE

CALENDAR

- 11/17 Night Owls 7:00
Scrapbooking 10:00
- 11/21 Happy Feet Hikers 9:30
Quilt & Stitch 1:30
- 11/22 Daytime Bridge 1:00
Daytime Books 12:30
- 11/28 Bowling 10:00
- 12/1 Deadline for luncheon reservation
- 12/2 Deadline for luncheon cancellation
- 12/3 Wine Tasting 5:15
- 12/5 Happy Feet Hikers 9:30
- 12/6 Luncheon 11:30
- 12/11 Culinary Corner 1:00
Theatre Goers 2:00
BYOB 4:00
- 12/12 Bowling 10:30
- 12/13 Daytime Books 12:30
Daytime Bridge 1:00
- 12/14 Books & Coffee 10:00
- 12/15 Night Owls 6:00
- 12/19 Happy Feet Hikers 9:30
- 12/20 Daytime Bridge 1:00
- 12/26 Bowling 10:30

LUNCHEON VENUES

January 3

Barrister Winery

February 7

Red Lion River Inn - Chet Casky

March 7

Max at the Maribou - Bingo

April 4 Kress Gallery

DECEMBER LUNCHEON

Come to the Christmas Luncheon at Manito Golf and Country Club, 5303 S. Hatch Road on December 6, 2016. Listen to barbershop quartet Deja Vu and get into the Christmas Spirit!

Menu:

Quiche Lorraine OR Vegetarian Option - Chef's Choice

Caesar Salad

Caramel Apple Cream Puff

Coffee, Decaf, Tea

Soft Drinks purchased separately

No Host Bar - cash or check only, no credit cards

Cost: \$25.00

Doors Open: 11:00

Lunch Served: 12:00

If you are not called for luncheon reservations and would like to attend, or to cancel a reservation, call Dona at 509-654-3014, or email compassres@gmail.com.

Reservations must be made by Thursday, Dec. 1.

Cancellations must be received by Friday, Dec. 2.

Please indicate your luncheon preference, Quiche Lorraine or Vegetarian Option at the time you make your reservation.

With over 100 years of combined barbershop quartet experience, Jim Pepers, Joe Lykins, Bob Thackston, and Jon Kolp make up Deja Vu.

They sing with both the Coeur d'Alene and Spokane Chapters of the Barbershop Harmony Society, and have performed all over the Pacific Northwest. Back by popular demand, they will be making their third appearance at our Christmas luncheon.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It's the time of year when summer gives way to crisp colorful days of autumn. All of us are busy cleaning up the yard readying ourselves for the start of winter where in days are shorter, the soup is in the crockpot and you want to put on your jammies at 5 p.m.

The annual Compass Club Auction was a huge success. It was a whirlwind organizing the volunteers, preparing, collecting, and staging all the donations plus baked goods. The results are in!!! Thus far we have made \$5,582 which is more than we budgeted. We owe our success to the many ladies who donated so much time, effort and items for the auction. Additionally, I want to thank our amazing Ways and Means leaders Deena Munguia and Shirley Shirkey. Without their direction, planning and hard work, this definitely would not have been possible.

I invite all our members to explore our website and our Facebook page to learn more about Compass Club. Check out our interest group updates and photos. There are times when a photo can speak more than words to the fun times we have together. Compass Club is an all-encompassing group of ladies who promote FRIENDSHIP which I know for a fact is being done every day.

Thanksgiving is an opportunity to realize we have much for which we can be thankful. This truly American holiday allows us to focus on our blessings and the freedoms we enjoy. To all of you have a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving. I look forward to seeing you at the Christmas Luncheon at Manito Golf & Country Club where we will kick off the Christmas season.

With Warm Regards,
Kathie Heim
President

JUST ANOTHER DAMN AUCTION

To all our members, spouses and friends, Deena and I give you our heart felt thanks for a successful Auction 2016. From the gathering of items from our members donating all those items, to the pricing gals, to the hauling and set up at the Ramada and to all the people working the floor, we could not have done it without all of you and your generous help.

We ended with a profit of over \$5000.00 after expenses. Thanks everyone.
Shirley and Deena

Now Taking Luncheon RSVPs on meetup.com

Members now have the option of making a luncheon reservation directly from the announcement that comes via email IF you are a member of the Compass Club page on meetup.com. Doesn't get much easier than that! Join CC's meetup.com group, and you will automatically receive luncheon and BYOB info AND be able to make your reservation with one (or two?) mouse clicks.

I HATE FACEBOOK

Nonetheless...there are reported to be 1.71 BILLION Facebook users (worldwide), so it's time that we Compass Club members become enlightened.

All Facebook requires for setting up an account (without which you cannot view the postings) is an email address and a name.

Set up a new gmail account if you are uncomfortable using your primary email address. Facebook asks for your real name....but....

some people get creative.

Once you've set up a Facebook account, you will be able to view the articles about, and photos of, luncheons and interest group activities. See what your friends are doing, and think about joining in!

BOOKS & COFFEE>

Books & Coffee meet the 2nd Thursday of the month at 10AM. Hostesses will offer light refreshments. Here is our schedule for the next following months:

December 14th (Yes, it is on a Wednesday...)

•Celebrating the holidays luncheon: Please RSVP Carol Hannah for time & place

January - No meeting scheduled

February 9th - Place: Val Gonzalez

Book Discussion: *Flight Behavior* by: Barbara Kingsolver (460 pages)

March 9th - Place: Carol Hannah

Book Discussion: *Maisie Dobbs* by: Jacqueline Winspear (300 pages)

April 13th - Place TBD

Book Discussion: *Just Mercy* by: Bryan Stevenson (300 pages)

Contact: Tudi Pitman, Leader

BRIDGE>

Bridge group meets the second and third Tuesday each month. We will now be alternating between the homes of Birgitta Landreth, second Tuesday, and Hildy Cox, third Tuesday. Play begins at 1:00 and ends around 3:00. Come happy or don't come!

**BOWLING>**

Bowling will begin on Monday, November 14 at 10:00 at Valley Bowl at 8005 E. Sprague Avenue. We will be playing on the second and fourth Mondays until golf season begins in the spring of 2017. We stress, as we do in golf, that this group is for fun! Feel free to compete with yourself! There is a restaurant on the premises for those inclined to lunch afterward together. 🍷

BYOB>

Come join the fun at this casual social gathering open to all members of the Compass Club, their friends and family. There is none scheduled for Nov. but our Dec. gathering will be at Marti Lee's home on Sunday, Dec. 11th as long as the roads are clear and begins at 4 p.m. and ends around 6-ish. Please bring a savory nibble to share and the beverage you wish to drink. RSVP's are a must! Call to let her know if you are attending so that she may plan her party!! We don't have any scheduled after Marti's so if you would like to volunteer to host a BYOB gathering, please let me know!!

See you there!
Vicki Deschaine,
BYOB Chair

CULINARY CORNER>

Here's a holiday event that sounds festive and enormous fun—particularly if you can find a child to go with you: The Gingerbread House Build-off! This is the major fundraiser for Christ Kitchen, an organization that trains women living in poverty to be professional bakers. It's being held this year at the Davenport Grand Hotel on Sunday, December 11 from 10am to 4pm. Admission is free.

From 10 to 4, kids and kids-at-heart can listen to carols while they decorate their own little "gingerbread" houses— "house kits" can be purchased for \$7 online or at the event. From 10am to 1pm, six teams of professional bakers will each decorate a very large gingerbread house—this year's theme is "Favorite Christmas Gift Ever."

The teams will compete for the Judges Trophy and also the People's Choice award (from votes of participating children and adults from 2-4). The six houses will be

exhibited at the Davenport Grand until Christmas.
 But wait! There's more! You can also get your picture taken with the Gingerbread Man by a professional photographer (free but donations accepted); and you can purchase raffle tickets for some fabulous prizes. And if you need a snack or food gift, Christ Kitchen's bakery goods will be available for purchase. You can find out more on line at christkitchen.org.

We can start this adventure about 1 with coffee at Zola's, (south side of Main between Browne and Division), then head two blocks west on Main to the Davenport Grand. If you think you'll be there, let me know.

DAYTIME BOOKS>

Daytime Books meets the fourth Tuesday of every month at 12:30, Shadle Library. Readers may bring a beverage and/or snack for themselves.

- Nov. 22 The Sense of an ending,
 Julian Barnes
- Dec. 13 Christmas luncheon
- Jan. 24 Just Mercy, Bryan Stevenson
- Feb. 28 When breath becomes air,
 Paul Kalanithi
- Mar. 28 Inukshuk, Gregory Spatz
- Apr. 25 Astoria, Peter Stark
- May 23 The notorious RBG: the life and times of Ruth Bader Ginsburg;
 Irin Carmon and Shana Knizhnik
- June Choose new books



NIGHT OWLS>

The December Night Owls book club meeting is coming up on Thursday the 15th at 6:00. Linda Milsow will be hosting and the book selection is The Selected Poetry of Edna St. Vincent Millay. Linda's address is 404 W Sumner Ave, 838-9168. Please let her know if you are attending.

QUILT & STITCH>

Quilt and Stitch meets at 1:30 on Nov. 21st at the Corbin Senior Center.

SCRAPBOOKING>

Scrapbooking Group Meeting on the 4th Thursday of the month But this month (due to Thanksgiving) we will meet Nov. 17th.
 Time: 10 to 5 Any time works
 Cost: \$5 for the 7 hours
 Bring a lunch or we usually make a run for fast food
 Place: 3 Craft Chicks 14915 W Hwy 2 Airway Heights
 Call Judy 466-4902

THEATRE GOERS>

Here is the Theater Goers Schedule? for 2016-2017. It is tentative depending on ticket availability. We attend the 2 o'clock Sunday matinees at the Civic Theater. Afterwards we go out for dinner at various restaurants. Here are the plays and dates:

- "Forever Plaid: Plaid Tidings(Musical) Dec. 11th & Safari Room
- "A Little Night Music" (Musical) Feb 26th & The Onion Downtown

"Noises Off" (Play) April 9th & Restaurant to be determined

"Kiss Me Kate" (Musical)--June 4th & PF Chang's

The cost of the tickets are \$30 for Adults, \$28 for Seniors (65 and over) for the Musicals. A ticket for a Play costs are \$27 for Adults and \$25 for Seniors. I send out reminders of upcoming plays and the purchase of tickets to anyone on the theater list. If you have any questions or wish to be put on the e-mail list please let me know.

You can contact me at 509-467-4106 or at cthannah@q.com.

Thanks Carol Hannah



WINE TASTING>

The third wine tasting for the group's 10th season will be held on Saturday, December 3rd at The Vino Wine Shop at 222 South Washington, Spokane.

The tasting will begin at 5:15 PM and end at 6:45PM.

As announced earlier, this temporary location is due to the renovations at The Fairwinds. There will be no tasting in January 2017, following past practice. The first tasting next year will be held at the Fairwinds on Saturday, February 4th, and will revert to our normal starting and ending times (5:00 and 6:30 PM). The tasting fee will remain at \$10.00 per person. Have a bountiful and joyous Holiday season. Cheers!!

Sue and Dan Harris
Karen and Kit Eckel

PHILANTHROPY>

Hello Ladies,

For those of you who are not familiar with our philanthropy, this year we sponsor PAL. It is a Spokane Police Activity League that engages participating youth in positive and academic programs, including gang and drug intervention and prevention. Kids entering 4th through 8th grade are encouraged to attend. I believe this is a very worthy program for us to support and according to ticket sales you ladies seem to feel the same.

At our Christmas luncheon we will have three prizes, a pumpkin cheese pie with a Swedish ginger cookie crust, a small jam dish, spoon and a jar of huckleberry jam, also a Paula Deen Christmas magazine with lots of her favorite recipes.

Thank You,

Ann F 😊

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY >

November birthday cards have been sent out.

A sympathy card went to Marcia Rowley and a Thinking of you/speedy recovery sent to Sue Harris.

Compass Club Luncheon Minutes November 1, 2016 Ramada Inn

The meeting was called to order by President Kathie Heim at 11:47 am.
The minutes of the October luncheon meeting were approved as presented.
The Treasurer’s Report was approved as presented in printouts on the tables. Guests were introduced and the drawing for the centerpieces was done. There was a “secret” philanthropy prize which was won by Carol Hannah.
There being no further business the meeting was adjourned and the live auction began at 12:00 noon.

Respectfully submitted by Pat Partovi, Recording Secretary

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS: Pease update your directory.

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DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Pamela Brown	1 Dec.	Deb Mallion	22 Dec.
Sandy Linebarger	2 Dec.	Barbara Birch	24 Dec.
Mari Ann Leffler	5 Dec.	Lynn Volwiler	26 Dec.
Susan Volwiler	8 Dec.	Christine Miller	27 Dec.
Barbara Boniface	10 Dec.	Sonia Bertsch	29 Dec.
Sharon Colley	11 Dec.	Sylvia Bumgarner	31 Dec.
Ann Shirkey	18 Dec.	Barbara Richardson-Crandell	31 Dec.
Karen Snyder Scott	19 Dec.		
Christine Welch	21 Dec.		
Karen Hedrick	22 Dec.		



2016-2017 Board Members and Committee Chairs

Executive Committee:

President	Kathie Heim
1st Vice President	Mimi Anderson
2nd Vice President	Suzanne Lopes
Treasurer	Ro Lisk
Recording Secretary	Pat Partovi
Corresponding Secretary	Carol Hannah
Past Pres/Advisor	Shari Russell

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Membership	Sue Harris
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Philanthropy	Ann Fly
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Ways and Means	Deena Munguia
	Shirley Shirkey
Interest Gps Coord.	April Laschinger

Interest Group Chairs:

Books & Coffee	Tudi Pitman	Quilt & Stitch	Sue Harris
Bridge	Ro Lisk	Scrapbooking	Judy Brender
BYOB	Vicki Deschaine	Theatre Goers	Carol Hannah
Compass Campers	Marti Lee	Trash to Treasure	Mimi Anderson
Compass Dinner Group	Ginny Langpap		Shari Russell
	Linda Milsow	Two Bit Tours	Vicki Deschaine
Compass Gardners	Shirley Calkins	Wine Tasting	Karen Eckel
Culinary Corner	Susan Gray		Sue Harris
Daytime Books	Becky Dahlager		
Games	OPEN		
Golf/Bowling	deb Spiger		
	Ro Lisk		
Happy Feet Hikers	Linda Milsow		
	Susie Volwiler		
Night Owl Books	Ann Lively		
Pinochle I	Marcia Rowley		



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