

The Compass Rose

May 2019

Upcoming Events

- 5/2 deadline for luncheon reservations, cancellations
- 5/4 Wine Tasting
- 5/6 Happy Feet Hikers 9:00
- 5/7 May Luncheon 11:00
- 5/9 Books & Coffee 10:00
- 5/16 Night Owls 7:00
- 5/19 BYOB
- 5/19 Theatre Goers 2:00
- 5/20 Quilt & Stitch 1:30
- 5/21 Happy Feet Hikers 9:00
- 5/23 Scrappin' & Craftin' 10:00
- 5/28 Daytime Books 1:00
- Bridge: EVERY Thursday at 1:00



The Spokane Compass Club Newsletter

LUNCHEON

The May luncheon is on Tuesday, May 7 and will be at the Centennial Hotel in the Skyline Ballroom (site of December luncheon). The menu is: Caesar Salad, Seared Chicken Breast with sherry mushroom cream, herb roasted potatoes, and seasonal vegetables. Dessert is Chef's choice. Coffee, hot tea and iced tea are included. Cost is \$25 pp. A no-host wine bar will be available.

The program will feature Mike Kobluk who as Director of Performing and Visual Arts for Expo 74 was responsible for booking all the entertainment for the 6-month event. May is the 45thAnniversary of the start of Expo 74 – an event that changed the landscape of downtown Spokane. Mike was an original member of the Chad Mitchell Trio and was also the speaker at our September luncheon.

NOTE! The treasurer prefers that you please PAY BY CHECK for luncheons!

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Compass Ladies,

Our season is coming to an end and it feels like the months just flew by. Maybe it has to do with age. I remember as a child a year seemed almost like a lifetime. Being the president of this amazing club has been an honor and I have enjoyed every minute. The board members are all first class women and it has

been a pleasure working with each and every one. I hope your expectations of my leadership have

been
met to
your satisfaction
and if
confirmed
I will do
the best I
know how
to keep
the Com-



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Reservations must be communicated to your caller, or emailed to: monalisa41@comcast.net, or phoned to Judith Kocher at 509-822-7082. Or, email compassres@gmail.com. Deadline for reservations and cancellations is NOON on the Thursday before the luncheon. Please contact Judith if you need to be called to remind you of a luncheon RSVP. Remember: "A reservation made is a reservation paid."

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BOOKS & COFFEE

Books & Coffee meets the second Thursday of the month at 10:00 for light refreshments and book discussion.

May 9 *White Houses,* by Amy Bloom
Hostess: Carol Hannah

Jun 13 *Cold Dish* (Longmire #1), by Craig Johnson Hostess: Mary Scarpelli

Becky Dahlager, Chair

DAYTIME BOOKS

Daytime Books meets the fourth Tuesday of every month at 1:00 for light refreshments and book discussion.

Becky Dahlager, Chair

May 28 *Educated: a memoir,*

by Tara Westover Hostess: Pat Partovi Dessert: Marjorie Bender

NIGHT OWLS BOOK CLUB

Night Owls meets the 3rd Thursday of every month at 7:00 pm.

May 16 Lilac Girls by Martha Hall Kelly Hostess: Josie Selfridge, at Ridge Clubhouse



June 20 (at 6 pm) next year's book selection dinner Hostess: Ann Lively

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BYOB

Hello Ladies!

Marilyn Haugen has volunteered her home Sunday, May 19th for our first BYOB and I will host in June but that is the extent of our calendar so far this year. Would anybody else like

to volunteer for 2019?? Please let me know and I'll get it in the newsletter!

Vicki Deschaine BYOB Chair



TWO-BIT TOURS AND YOUNG & FUN

Hello to all of you adventurers!

Once again the two interest groups, 'two bit tour group' and 'young & fun' are teaming up to bring you a great event.

This dinner cruise on Lake Ponderay leaves from Sandpoint, ID. The price for dinner & eagle viewing will be \$49 per person. A no-host bar is provided.

The date is TBD, awaiting the late spring summer schedule. It's a great opportunity to spend time in beautiful Sandpoint by arranging for accommodations. You are encouraged to invite guests for this great event. Stay tuned for details as the event unfolds!

Vicki Deschaine, Kathy Catron & Shari Russell Interest Group Event Planners, TBTG & YAF

Compass Club Luncheon Minutes April 2, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 11:34 am.

President Ann Fly informed the group that there have been a few changes in the slate of officers for the coming year. Kathie Heim will be in charge of fundraising with help from Hildy Cox. Mimi Anderson will be the Recording Secretary instead of Shari Russell.

The program was presentations by those proposing charities for next year's philanthropy project. Ballots were distributed and voted with Sally's House getting the most votes.

The revision to the bylaws was presented last month. Pat Partovi moved to approve the changes as presented, it was seconded by Carol Hannah and the motion carried.

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Compass Club Board Members & Interest Group Chairs 2018-2019

Position/Group	Name	Position/Group	Name	
President	Ann Fly	Two-Bit Tours	Vicki Deschaine	
1st Vice President	Maureen Boutz	ВУОВ	Vicki Deschaine	
2nd Vice President	Colleen Striegel	Daytime Books	Becky Dahlager	
Recording Secretary	Pat Partovi	Quilt & Stitch	Sue Harris	
Corresponding Secretary	Barbara Richardson-Crandell	Wine Tasting	Rita VanCleve & Jan Carrington	
Past President	Hildy Cox	Theatre Goers	Carol Hannah	
Treasurer	Kathie Heim	Books & Coffee	Becky Dahlager	
Interest Group Coord	Suzanne Lopes	Bridge	Roynane Lisk	
Membership	Susie Volwiler	Happy Feet Hikers	Susie Volwiler	
Decorations	Shari Russell	Compass Campers	Marti Lee	
Webmaster	Kathy Piper	Culinary Corner		
Newsletter	Kathy Piper	Night Owls	Ann Lively	
Philanthropy	Patty McCarty	Bowling Group		
Communications	Leta Klutz	Young & Fun Group	Shari Russell	
Phone Committee	Judith Kocher	Scrappin' & Craftin'	Judy Brender	
Ways & Means	Patty Hostetter			
Mentors	Kathy Cousineau			

Please refer to your printed directory for contact information.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Beverly Turner
- 7 Rose Messick
- 11 Sharon White
- 13 Maureen Boutz

- 13 Dona Farsdahl
- 18 Mimi Anderson
- 19 Shirley Rodman
- 21 Susan Miles



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FROM OUR PRESIDENT

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pass Club the Club that everyone wants to join.

With warm regards, Ann Fly

My last article will be about the Swedish Hospital in Seattle. Nils August Johanson a Swedish born surgeon, founded the Swedish Medical Center. Dr Johanson immi-

Johanson immigrated to the USA in 1893. In 1908, a group of ten area businessmen joined Dr. Johanson in

signing incorporation for the Swedish Hospital. The hospital's incorporation papers stipulated that only Swedish Americans could be trustees, a requirement that would remain in place until 1967. I believe Swedish Medical center is the largest nonprofit health provider in the greater Seattle area.

BTW: At the May and June luncheons we will have a signup sheet for the **BBQ in September**. There will be carpooling so if you need a ride or if you have room in your car please sign up. Remember this is a fundraiser and you are welcome to bring your significant other or a friend. This should be a fun event to start up our fall season. The park is located at McKuen Park in Coeur d' Alene.

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Currently our Compass Club has 143 members. We would like to see this number grow to include more women in the community that are either new to the area or are transitioning in some way along their life journey. Please reach out to friends and neighbors and invite them to our April, May and June luncheons or special interest groups. Each Compass Club member who refers a new lady will, once the referral becomes a bona fide member to our club, receive a gift card and also have her name submitted in a drawing held at our June luncheon.

Let's get busy and show other women in the community the many benefits that we get from being a Compass Club member.

Please call me at 831-233-8649 if you have questions.

Susie Volwiler Membership Chair



THEATRE GOERS

Theater Goers 2018-2019 Schedule

"Young Frankenstein" **Sun. May 19th 2:00 pm**Restaurant: to be determined

I will order all tickets for those who wish to attend and you can pay me, Carol Hannah.

Tickets will always be at will call under Compass Club Carol Hannah

We go out to dinner after the play so you will need to let me know if you wish to go as I make reservations.

I e-mail out the play info and if you want to go you e-mail me back. if you are not on the email list for getting play reminders and wish to join the group send me an email and I will add you.

We have had a great season so look for the new play list in the August newsletter. Thanks to all who attended and supported this fun group.

Thank you,

Carol Hannah cthannah@g.com

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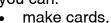
SCRAPPIN' & CRAFTIN'

Come and join us at 3 Craft Chicks, The Coop in Airway Heights 13106 W Sunset Highway.

We meet the 4th Thursday of the month for all kinds of crafting opportunities.

Upcoming dates: May 23rd June 27 July 25 August 22

As these pictures indicate you can:



- do shadow boxes with monthly inserts
- create banners
- scrapbook
- gals from quilting stitch have joined us to do embroidery work for their quilts.
- and so much more!
 Join us any time from 10:00
 am until close at 5 pm.
 Contact Judy Brender for questions!

Bring your lunch or order out ... it's a great time crafting, chatting & just having fun!

Judy Brender

BOWLING(?)

The bowling group would like to start up in the coming months. The bowling group is currently without a leader. If anyone is interested In taking over this group, please let Suzanne Lopes know. She is the interest group coordinator



BRIDGE

Bridge Group meets every
Thursday, starting at 1:00,
with play rotating between
member's homes. We are a
friendly group that plays
"party" bridge with an emphasis on learning. We always welcome new
players. "Car
Pooling" is
usually available.

Ro Lisk roynane68@gmail.com

COMPASS CAMPERS

Hello Campers. It is time to begin making reservations for camping this summer. As you know we have a very short season and more and more people are camping these days, which makes it very difficult to get into various campgrounds. I urge you to make your reservations right away. Following are the camp outs already made:

Luby Bay - June 10, Site 10, check out June 14 Wallowa Lake - June 22, Site C20, check out, July 6

Sam Owen - July 9, Site 70, check out July 14

Indian Creek - August 27, Site 85, check out Sept 1

If you make a reservation and want some company, post the information to the group.

If you wish to join Compass Campers please send an email to me:

marti.lee@yahoo.com.

Happy Camping in the great outdoors.

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HAPPY FEET HIKERS/ WALKERS

We are a group of ladies that enjoy walking and exploring the Spokane area. We normally walk for about an hour and then grab a beverage at a local coffee shop near our exploration. We have been seen walking areas of the Centennial Trail, Manito Park, Riverside Park, Kendall Yards, Ben Burr Trail and more. In the winter we often walk inside the malls and sky walks.

We will resume our original schedule: 1st Monday, 3rd

Tuesday, 9am unless otherwise noted. Locations to be determined soon.



Susie Volwiler SusieVol@yahoo.com



WINE TASTING

Our next wine tasting will be on Saturday, May 4th.

Place: Petunias Marketplace,

2010 N. Madison **Time:** 5 - 7pm

Price per person: \$30 inclu-

sive

Maximum attendance: 30 people

Event: Wine tasting with small bite food pairing (a seated event)

Wine: Robert Karl Sauvignon

Blanc

Pairing: cracker with fresh Chevre (goat cheese)

cracked pepper

Wine: Oregon Pinot Noir

Rose

Pairing: crostini with smoked

salmon

Wine: California Pinot noir Pairing: cracker, goat gouda,

huckleberry jam

Wine: Zinfandel

Pairing: cracker with smoked

provolone

Wine: WA State Red Blend Pairing: Red Wine infused Dark chocolate truffle

Bread bites and olive oil on the table to nibble on.

Please RSVP to Maureen Boutz no later than May 1 myboutz@hotmail.com

home: (509) 747-9162 mobile: (509) 230-1649

QUILT & STITCH

Quilt and Stitch meets the 3rd Monday each month 1:30 at the

Dance Hall.



DECORATIONS

"Tra-La! It's May! The lusty month of May;
That time of year when everyone goes blissfully astray..."
from Camelot, by Lerner & Lowe

Tra-La Indeed! As our amazing newsletter editor, Kathy Piper, has christened this month.

The bunny hipped & hopped in April ... So what do you suppose May will bring for our luncheon table decorations?

Shari Russell Decorations Chair



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PHILANTHROPY

Thank you for your generous support of our veterans via the Spokane Club current Philanthropy project, Inland Northwest Honor Flight. To date, we have collected \$892 for Inland Northwest Honor Flight. Inland Northwest mission is to transport Inland Northwest war veterans to Washington, D.C. to visit those memorials dedicated to honor their service and sacrifices. Top priority is given to our most senior heroes of WWII and Korea as well as those veterans with serious health issues who wish to visit their memorials. I will be selling raffle tickets at the May 7th luncheon. At each luncheon, there will be a ticket drawing for a winner of a surprise.

At the April 2nd luncheon, the members voted for "Sally's House" as the 2019-2020 Philanthropy project. Sally's House is an emergency receiving facility for children 2 to 12 years of age who are removed from their home due to abuse, neglect, abandonment, or criminal activity.

Patty McCarty Philanthropy Chair



50-50

Ruth Beck had the winning ticket for the 50/50 drawing at the April luncheon. Ticket sales amounted to \$178: \$89 awarded to Ruth and \$89 raised for Compass Club. Thank you to all who purchased 50/50 tickets!







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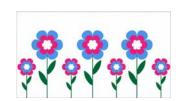
Luncheon Minutes April 2, 2019 (continued)

President Ann reminded members that the first meeting in September will be a fundraising BBQ at McKuen Park in Coeur d'Alene. Kathy Cousineau will arrange carpooling for anyone who wants a ride or is willing to provide a ride. Members were encouraged to bring a spouse or a friend.

The bridge group will be meeting on Thursdays from now on.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Respectfully submitted by Pat Partovi, Recording Secretary







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Compass Club Monthly Planner

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