

The Compass Rose

December 2019

The Spokane Compass Club Newsletter

Upcoming Events

- 11/27 deadline for luncheon reservations & cancellations
- 12/3 Luncheon 11:00
- 12/5 Bridge 1:00
- 12/5 Scrappin' & Craftin' 1:00
- 12/5 Young & Fun Limo Ride 5:00
- 12/12 Books & Coffee 12:00
- 12/12 Bridge 1:00
- 12/12 Scrappin' & Craftin' 1:00
- 12/15 Quilt & Stitch 1:30
- 12/17 Daytime Books 12:00
- 12/19 Bridge 1:00
- 12/19 Night Owls 7:00
- 12/26 Bridge 1:00



LUNCHEON

Our December 3rd luncheon will be at the Manito Golf & Country Club. Menu is Chicken and Mushroom Crepes w/ Mornay sauce, array of sliced fruit, Holiday Ice Cream Sundae. Cost is \$25 per person.

Our program is Diane Copeland playing piano for our listening pleasure followed by a Christmas sing along after lunch.

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

MEMBERSHIP

"Let's increase our membership 2 fold this year...."

There are so many wonderful women in our community that would be great assets to our club. Let's get them involved.

Introduce a friend or neighbor to Compass Club. If she becomes a paying member, you will receive a \$10 gift card.

If you have questions or need a membership application, contact Susie Volwiler at Susqvol@gmail.com or call 831-233-8649."

FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Compass ladies,

Brrrr, it is getting cold! It seems to me the summer came and left so quickly, we hardly had a chance to enjoy. The holidays are just around the corner, and with all decorations out in the stores, I personally am itching to decorate.

Have you all thought how far we as women have come in the world? It was not that long ago when women could not vote. I believe Alva Vanderbilt-Belmont had a lot to do with giving us the freedom we deserve. She was one of the first women ever to be elected to the American Institute of Architects. In 1921 she was elected President of the National Womens Party, a post she held for the rest of her life. She was also the founder of the Political Equality League. Her original advice "Pray to God, She will help you." She divorced her first husband on the grounds of adultery, because of that she was excluded by most of the society in New York. Her second husband was the love of her life, when he died in 1908 Alva became deeply interested in the cause of women rights. At her request all the pall bearers were female at her funeral

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Reservations must be communicated to your caller or emailed to: Sue Harris, harris1003@comcast.net. Deadline for reservations and cancellations is NOON on the Thursday before the luncheon (unless otherwise specified). Please contact Sue Harris if you need to be called to remind you of a luncheon RSVP.

Please do not use compassres.com.

Remember: "A reservation made is a reservation paid."

BOOKS & COFFEE

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

Dec 12 *The Only Woman in the Room*, Marie Benedict
Darcy's Restaurant

Jan no meeting
Feb no meeting



DAYTIME BOOKS

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



Nov 26 *The Silent Patient*, Michael Michaelides
Hostess: Anne Lauderbaugh

Dec 17 **Christmas Luncheon**
12:00, TBA

Jan 28 *The Hummingbird's Daughter*, Luis Alberto Urrea
Hostess: Cindy Bell

Feb 25 *A Nearly Normal Family*, M.T. Edvardsson
Hostess: Connie Branch

Mar 24 *Eligible*, Curtis Sittenfield
Hostess: Becky Dahlager

Apr 28 *The Paris Architect*, Charles Belfoure
Hostess: Pat Partovi

May 26 *Where the Crawdads Sing*, Delia Owens
Hostess: Ginny Bott

Jun 23 Choose Books
Hostess: Linda Milsow

NIGHT OWLS BOOK CLUB

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



11/21 *When All Is Said*, Anne Griffin

Hostess: Joanne Moyer

12/19 @ 6 pm, Christmas Poems
Hostess: Ann Lively @ The Ridge Clubhouse, 162 S. Coeur d'Alene St, 8101

Hostess: Jan Lohan

THEATRE GOERS

"Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder"

Sunday, February 16, 2 pm
Restaurant: Twig's Downtown

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

—Carol Hannah
cthannah@q.com.

QUILT & STITCH

On Nov. 18, we will meet at Nancy Mackenzie's, 5809 N.

Woodview Ln,
phone 979-0540.

Bring fabric, rulers and cutters for winter project plans. There will be treats by Anne. Please RSVP so we can plan for all of you. Dec 15 will be at Sue Harris'. For more info, call Anne Slauson, 496 -2635; anneslauson@gmail.com



SCRAPPIN' & CRAFTIN'

Schedules have changed at 3 Craft Chicks for the holiday months. There are retreats in November where Michele is tied up on Thursdays and the 28th is Thanksgiving. We are scheduled twice in December - December 5th and 12th. Location is 3 Craft Chicks in Airway Heights, 13106 W Sunset Highway. Bring your lunch or order out ... it's a great time crafting, chatting & just having fun. — Judy Brender



HAPPY FEET HIKERS/ WALKERS

We are taking a break during November and December, however



some of us will be WALKING the Arthritis Foundation's Jingle Bell Run on December 7th at Riverfront Park. Anyone is welcome to join us. Please call me or email me for details. You must register online.

Susie Volwiler
Susqvol@gmail.com

Interest Groups

Please shoot me an e-mail at cthannah@q.com if you are the chairperson of an interest group or if you would like to get a new interest group started.

Thanks,

Carol Hannah, Interest Group Coordinator

WINE TASTING

Due to the holidays and winter weather we are taking a break. We will **not** meet in December, January or February, but will resume in March.



Rita Van Cleve,
rcvanclave@gmail.com



At Barrister Winery in the cellars during November 2 Wine Tasting.

BYOB

Come join the fun at this casual social gathering open to all Compass Club members, their friends and family. Please bring a savory nibble to share and the beverage you wish to drink. RSVP's are a must! Call to let hostess know if you are attending so that she may plan her party!!

Sunday, November 17, 4 pm
Hostess: Mimi Anderson

Please contact me if you wish to be a "hostess with the mostess" for our lively and entertaining Sunday afternoon gatherings. I will ensure it is published here in the newsletter and announced at our monthly luncheons.
Vicki Deschaine, BYOB Chair

YOUNG & FUN

Young & Fun is organizing a limousine ride on Thursday, December 5 to view Christmas lights and dine afterwards.

8 lucky ladies will enjoy a 4 hour outing starting at 5 pm. Cost for limo ride is \$75 which includes tip. Dinner will be at Downriver Grill at an additional cost.

If you're interested, give Kathy Catron a call at 979-2335 ASAP. First 8 callers get a seat in the limo.

We'll be meeting in the parking lot near Hobby Lobby on the north side at 5 pm.

50/50

November was our auction, so we did not do 50/50—but be prepared to participate during the December luncheon. —Carol Isakson

PHILANTHROPY

We'll be selling tickets at the December luncheon. — Suzanne Lopes

DECORATIONS

Table centerpiece winners at the November 5 luncheon were: **Jeannette Karis, Myrna Brandmueller, Ann Fly, Judy Brender, Erin Heilig, Dale Boercker, Carole Anderson, Carol Isakson, Anne Slauson and Sylvia Bumgarner.**

Thank you to Carol Isakson for assisting me with the drawing.

Patty Hostetter

AUCTION

The auction was a great success! The Auction Committee —Hildy Cox, Kathie Heim, Susan Harris, Karen Eckel and Bonnie Walker — thanks you for your donations of gorgeous baskets, unique high quality silent auction items and delicious baked goods and meals. Special thanks to our quilters who made beautiful quilts, pot-holders and other useful items with their skilled hands. A special thanks to our auctioneer Vicki Deschaine and all the ladies who donated live auction events. There was some lively bidding going on! After the cleanup, there was nothing to take home except the supplies needed for the auction. Preliminary reports are that the auction brought in over \$4,200. The committee would love to have your feedback on this scaled down version of the auction. Please send comments to kathieheim@comcast.net.



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in 1933. I will venture to say she was an outspoken suffragist. Though I may not agree with everything she advocated, I have to admit she was a very brave woman and should be remembered for all her efforts to make life better for women.

Happy Thanksgiving to you all.

Warm regards,
Ann Fly



Compass Club Board Members & Interest Group Chairs 2019-2020

Position/Group	Name	Position/Group	Name
President	Ann Fly	Two-Bit Tours	Vicki Deschaine
Vice President	Sheryl Krauser	BYOB	Vicki Deschaine
Recording Secretary	Mimi Anderson	Daytime Books	Becky Dahlager
Corresponding	Barbara Richardson-Crandell	Quilt & Stitch	Anne Slauson
Treasurer	Pat Partovi	Wine Tasting	Rita Van Cleve
Past President	Hildy Cox	Theatre Goers	Carol Hannah
Bingo/50-50	Carol Isakson	Books & Coffee	Becky Dahlager
Communications	Leta Klutz	Bridge	Roynane Lisk
Decorations	Patty Hostetter	Happy Feet Hikers	Susie Volwiler
Fundraising	Hildy Cox & Kathie Heim	Compass Campers	Marti Lee
Greeter Hostess	Kathy Cousineau	Culinary Corner	
Interest Group Coord	Carol Hannah	Night Owls	Ann Lively
Membership	Susie Volwiler	Bowling Group	
Newsletter	Maureen Boutz	Young & Fun Group	Shari Russell
Philanthropy	Suzanne Lopes	Scrappin' & Craftin'	Judy Brender
Phone Committee	Sue Harris		
Webmaster	Kathy Piper		

Please refer to your printed directory for contact information.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

1	Pamela Brown	22	Deb Mallion
4	Marianne Leek	24	Barbara Birch
5	Mari Ann Leffler	26	Lynn Volwiler
8	Susie Volwiler	27	Connie Trobridge
11	Sharon Colley	29	Sonia Bertsch
19	Karen Snyder Scott	29	Nancy Hughes Smith
21	Christine Welch	31	Sylvia Bumgarner
		31	Barbara Richardson-Crandell

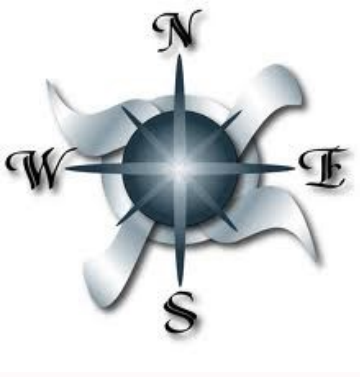
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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.



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Compass Club Monthly Planner

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 <i>Luncheon 11:00</i>	4	5 <i>Bridge 1:00</i> <i>Scrappin & Craft- in 1:00</i> <i>Young & Fun- Limo Ride 5:00</i>	6	7
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22	23	24	25 <i>Merry Christmas!</i>	26 <i>Bridge 1:00</i>	27	28
29	30	31 <i>New Year's Eve</i>	1/1	1/2	1/3	1/4