

The Compass Rose

The Spokane Compass Club Newsletter

November 2022

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Luncheon News

NOVEMBER IS BINGO!

The November luncheon will be at the Ramada Inn Airport on Tuesday, November 1, 2022. Check-in begins at 11 a.m.

The Menu is Tossed Green Salad w/ choice of Italian or ranch dressing, Old Fashioned Home style meatloaf, roasted red potatoes and gravy, fresh seasoned green beans, fresh baked hard rolls with creamy butter, 1/2 chocolate mousse cake-1/2 cheese cake w/fresh berries.

Vegetarian option: Vegetable Tortellini.

The no-host bar will be set up with house wine and mid price range wines.

The cost is \$25 pp.

NOTE: The Treasurer prefers that you pay by check for the luncheons.

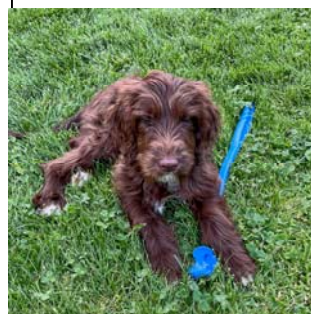
The Phone Committee will be making reminder calls to you to make reservations for the luncheon. Or you may contact phone chair Sheryl Krauser: Cell: (509) 435-2535 or email: skrauser@comcast.net to make or cancel a reservation.

Board members, remember you have an automatic reservation and only need to let Sheryl know if you don't plan to attend. Deadline for reservations and cancelations is Noon on Thursday, Oct. 27.

Kathy Cousineau
Vice President

President's Corner

I hope you all are enjoying this beautiful fall season as much as I am. The puppy antics continue at my house and we had a bit of an "incident" yesterday. The pup likes to sit near or on the AC vent cover located on the floor.



It's metal and she got her ID tag caught in it when she got up and the vent cover came off and was dangling from her collar. It freaked her out but I finally

caught her and got the collar off. There has been one other incident lately at my son's house but we won't talk about that one. There's never a dull moment with a puppy!

I thoroughly enjoyed the October luncheon at Darcy's and the speakers from Big Table were warm, friendly and dedicated to their cause. I think we all appreciated their presentation and their enthusiasm. I hope we can make a difference for them with our donation at the end of the year.

The November luncheon is **Bingo**. The board decided to swap the dates for the auction and the bingo so we now do bingo in November and the auction in March. I'm one of the people who love playing bingo but if it isn't your cup of tea, please come to the luncheon anyway for the social aspect and feel free to leave at any time. I hope to see a great turnout at the Ramada. See you there!

Pat Partovi
President



Philanthropy

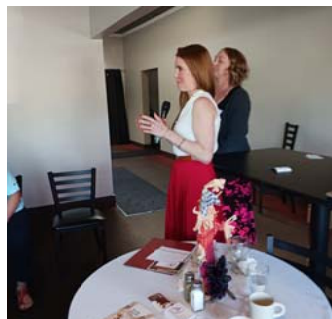
I would like to thank **Kathy Cousineau** and **Sandy Colquhoun** for planning such a wonderful October Luncheon. Compass Club was honored to have a presentation about our Philanthropy Partner, **Big Table**. Kelsie Less and Nicole Eggers shared information on the founder and the mission of Big Table. Both women are volunteers with the charity. Kelsie sits on Big Table's Kitchen Cabinet, the executive board for Big Table. Nicole Eggers was a Care Recipient over a decade ago and gives back by volunteering.



The presentation was very informative and demonstrated the need for the help this charity offers. I know the Compass Club members will be generous in their support of this year's Philanthropy Project. Please send your donations to Kathie Heim, Treasurer, at 4776 West Lowell Avenue, Spokane, WA 99208. Also, you can support Big Table by buying raffle tickets at the luncheons. The October raffle winner was **Kathy Cousineau**. The prize this month was a homemade loaf of sourdough bread and a bottle of wine. I would like to thank **Carole Parfett** for selling the raffle tickets at the luncheon.

Let's give a shout out to our members, **Susan Miles** and **Erin Heilig** for volunteering at Big Table's annual fundraiser the night before our luncheon.

Kathi Brandmueller
Philanthropy Chair



Scrappin' & Craftin'

Hello ladies! Dust off your scrapping supplies because on Monday, October 17 from 11 AM to 4 PM will be meeting at my home.

We are going to be a little bit eclectic this year but that's OK. Please let me know if you are coming so that I can make sure I have enough table space for you. The 11 to 4 means that you can come and go or stay the whole time, arrive early ~leave early ~ it's all up to you. Bring your projects, your smiles and let's have some fun!

I am also attempting to have a couple of classes in the crafting arena. Since the materials and the teacher will be supplied there will be a cost and a limit to the number of attendees. In the works are a card making class and also a crafty project. Details to come!

Shari Russell

Crafting and scrapping interest group leader

Quilt & Stitch

The Nov. meeting of Quilt & Stitch will be held on Monday, Nov. 21 at 1:00. We'll meet at Anne Slauson's condo in Fairwood, 312 W Hastings Rd, #602. Please look for parking suggestions in an email. Bring ideas for Thanksgiving and Christmas projects. Call at (509) 496-2635 or email anneslauson@gmail.com. All are welcome.

For more information, contact

Anne Slauson,
(509) 496-2635 or
anneslauson@gmail.com



The Caring Corner

Cards sent to members this month:

Karen Snyder Scott—get well

Karen Eckel—sympathy

Mary Scarpelli—sympathy

Maureen Boutz—thinking of you

Shirley Calkins—thinking of you

Kathy Piper—thinking of you

Compass Club Board Members & Interest Group Chairs 2022-2023

Board Members	Name	Interest Groups	Name
President	Pat Partovi	Two-Bit Tours	Vicki Deschaine
Vice Presidents	Sandy Colquhoun Kathy Cousineau	BYOB	Vicki Deschaine
Secretary	Dona Farsdahl	Daytime Books	Kathy Cousineau
Treasurer	Kathie Heim	Quilt & Stitch	Anne Slauson
Membership	Mimi Anderson	Wine Tasting	
Philanthropy	Kathi Brandmueller	Books & Coffee	Kathi Brandmueller
Fundraising	Patty Hostetter	Young & Fun Group	Shari Russell
50/50 Bingo	Shirley Calkins	Scrappin' & Craftin'	Shari Russell
Decorations	Shari Russell	Theatre Goers	Linda Milsow
Newsletter	Kathy Piper	Happy Feet Hikers	
Interest Groups	Julia Marvel	Compass Campers	
Phone Committee	Sheryl Krauser	Bridge	Patty McCarty
Hostess	Kathleen Howlett	Mahjong	Dona Farsdahl
Corresponding Secy.	Barbara Boniface		
Advisor/Past President	Maureen Boutz		

Please refer to your Compass Directory for contact information.



November Birthdays

3	Kate Mietus	21	Kathi Brandmueller
9	Pat Patovi	21	Sheryl Gibson
16	Tyra Demateis	27	Ginny Bott
18	Kathy Catron	29	Tricia Sims



Bake Sale (yummm...)

December Bake Sale

Our December luncheon event will include a bake sale which is a fundraiser for our club. Please don your apron and bake cookies, bread or other specialty items to donate to this event. Baked goods will be displayed on tables.

PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE - No need for bakers to price the goods as the purchase of the items will be by donation only. Decide what you want to pay for an item, then drop that amount of money in the Donation Basket.

Thank you for your upcoming participation to make this fundraiser a sweet success.

Patty Hostetter
Fundraising Chair



Mahjong

Mahjong is a tile-based game developed in the 19th century in China. It has evolved in China to mean friendship! Our interest group is all about friendship - and fun.

We've had several members join the group since our September meeting. We come from a variety of backgrounds from those with no knowledge of the game - to experience with a different type of Mahjong - to having played for years! Everyone is welcome!

Mahjong meets at 1:00pm on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Our next meetings are October 19th, November 2nd and 16th. We play in a variety of locations. If you're interested, contact Dona Farsdahl at dfarsdahl@comcast.net so you can be added to our email reminder list.

Dona Farsdahl



Directory Updates



to new member **Tyra Demateis**
Tyra's email:
tyrademateis@me.com

Debra Belair's email is belairdebra@gmail.com

Imelda Williams' address has changed. It is now
P.O. box 8234 99203



Decorations

Winners of the October table decorations were:
Irene Hernandez, Nicole Eggers, Mary Scarpelli, Susie Volwiler, Shirley Calkins, Kathleen Hyde, Sandy Colquhoun and Sheryl Gibson.

Each winner received an Azteca gift card attached to a decorative scarecrow figure. The centerpieces were crafted by **Shari Russell**, Decorations Chair for 2022-2023.

Patty Hostetter for
Shari Russell
Decorations Chair



Daytime Books

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

November 22

Elephant Company

by Vicki Croke

Hostess: Anne Lauderbaugh

December Lunch

Date and Location to be Determined

January 24

Great Circle

by Maggie Shipstead

Hostess: Becky Dahlager

February 28

The Weekend

by Charlotte Wood

Hostess: Kathy Cousineau

March 28

The Lamplighters

by Emma Stonex

Hostess: Mary Huggins

April 25

Black Cake

by Charmaine Wilkerson

Hostess: Linda Milsow

May 23 **Diamond Eye**

by Kate Quinn

Hostess: Jan Schnurr

June 27 Choose New Books

Hostess: Pat Partovi

Kathy Cousineau

Daytime Books Chair



Books and Coffee

The Books and Coffee group meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 10am. If you are not already in the group and wish to join please drop an email at kibrandmueller@gmail.com. The books to be discussed are attached below. Locations will be announced as they are finalized.

November: **West with Giraffes**

by Lynda Rutledge

December: **A Thousand Splendid Suns**

by Khaled Hosseini

January 2023: **The Weekend**

by Charlotte Wood

Kathi Brandmueller
Books & Coffee Chair



BYOB

BYOB is a fun, casual social gathering hosted by members in their homes and open to all Compass Club members, their friends and family. Guests bring an appetizer to share and their favorite beverage to drink. Hostess provides glasses, plates, napkins and space for gathering/visiting. Please contact me if you wish to be a "hostess with the most-ess" for our lively and entertaining Sunday afternoon gatherings. I will ensure it is published here in the newsletter and announced at our monthly luncheons.

There will be a BYOB at the home of **Mimi** and Tim Anderson on Sunday, Oct. 23 from 5-7 pm. Bring an appetizer to share and a beverage of your choosing. There will be a limit of 24 guests.

RSVP: Andersons
(509)808-2960

Our President, Pat Partovi will be our hostess on Sunday November 13th 4 - 6 p.m. Please RSVP Pat to let her know you are coming!

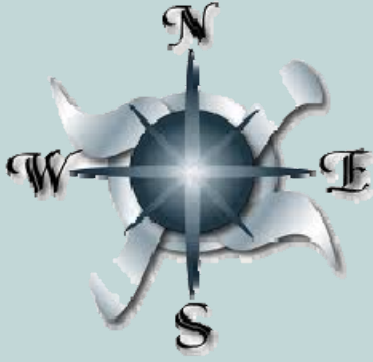
Vicki Deschaine
BYOB Chair



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... to join in the fun at
our monthly luncheons





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Compass Club Monthly Planner

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27	28	29	30			