



**Kennebunk - Kennebunkport - Arundel  
NEWCOMERS AND NEIGHBORS CLUB  
NEWSLETTER**

**May 2019**

**Newcomers and Neighbors  
Note from the President  
4/18/19**

Hi Newcomers and Neighbors-

Spring has presumably arrived and I for one am as happy as the frogs croaking in our swamp! The program committee is to be congratulated for bringing in Delilah Poupore, Executive Director of Heart of Biddeford. The program was well attended, and we all enjoyed learning about new places in Biddeford to visit.

The May 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting will feature our own Wendy Zarrella, a master gardener, who will give us some ideas on beautifying small spaces with plants and containers. I expect it will be very useful as we swing into warmer weather and want to spend time outside. As always, social time at 6:30pm and meeting at 7:00pm.

At the May meeting the nominating committee report was delivered to the members present for review. We have a number of people, some new and some old, who have volunteered to lead the club next year. In order to satisfy the by-laws, we need a quorum of 25% of the membership or a minimum of 46 members in order to elect the new slate of officers. So members please come to the meeting and help elect the new leadership team! A copy of the nominating committee report is included below and is subject to other nominations from the floor prior to the vote.

Lastly, the Social Committee has one more big event planned, the famous Colony picnic. It is not too late to sign up.

Doug Butler

**Your Elected Officers for 2018-19**

**President: Doug Butler**  
**Vice President:**  
**Treasurer: Doug Fraser**  
**Secretary: Chris Deliee**

If you have moved, changed your e-mail or gotten a new cell phone number, please notify Bob Mills.

**NOTE**

If you know of a club member who is sick or hospitalized, please let Donna Lombardi know so she can send a card.

Like Us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/kptanewcomers](http://www.facebook.com/kptanewcomers)

## **2019 Newcomers & Neighbors Picnic at the Colony**

**Date: Thursday May 30th, 2019**

**Time: 5:15 - 6:00PM Cash Bar / Socializing  
6:00 - 8:00 PM Buffet Dinner**

**We hope you will join us for an evening with friends and neighbors in one of the loveliest spots in town!**

**If the weather is perfect, we will be in the garden area. If the weather is otherwise, we will be in the Maine Ballroom!**

**Come help us wrap up our year and celebrate the coming of summer!**

**Cost per person for members is \$37.00**

**Cost per person for non-members is \$47.00**

**Please send a check made out to Newcomers and Neighbors to :  
Esther Rohrs 20 Talbot Drive, Arundel Maine 04046**

**Registration deadline is Wednesday May 15th**

**Hope to see you there!**

**Regards,  
Your Social Committee**

## **2019-2020 OFFICERS/Board:**

### **PRESIDENT:**

Esther Rohrs, Pat Georges

### **VICE PRESIDENT:**

OPEN

### **TREASURER:**

Tim Pattison

### **SECRETARY:**

Chris Deliee

### **WEBMASTER:**

Peg Nelson

### **NEWSLETTER EDITOR:**

Jeff Gaulin

### **DIRECTORY EDITOR:**

Bob Mills

### **MEMBERSHIP:**

Nancy Flynn

Chris Deliee - chair

### **HOSPITALITY**

Lorraine Carroll - Chair

Donna Gomez

Carol Walsh

### **PROGRAMS**

Cindy Sayers - Chair

Donna Murphy

Kate Bauer Burke

### **SOCIAL**

Alice Ferran-Chair

Lynn Fraser

Liz Walsh

Amy Francis

Jeannine Roy

Robin Ruggiero

### **SUNSHINE**

Donna Lombardi

### **TGFun**

Pat and Bill Dugan

Doug and Jeanne Butler

### **BREAKFAST**

Kathy Johnson

Esther Rohrs

### **WEDNESDAY BRIDGE AT DUFFY'S**

Tom Boak

### **SCRABBLE**

Cindy Shaughnessy

### **OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES**

Wendy and John Zarrella

### **KNITTING**

Jeanne Butler

### **TRIVIA**

Lynn Fraser

**PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Donna Murphy (but wants an eventual replacement)

**BROCHURE**

MaryLynne Marnell

**BOWLING**

Bill Skulski

**DINE AROUND**

Kate Bauer Burke

Jim Burke

**BOOK GROUP**

Susan Gilbey

**MENS LUNCH**

George Acker

**LADIES GADABOUTS**

Ad Hoc group

**PARTNERS BRIDGE**

Eliminate- Wednesday At Duffy's available.

**MOVIE GROUP**

OPEN

## Club Calendar

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>GROUP</b>
May 1	1:00 PM	Bridge Group
May 2	5:30 PM	Monthly Meeting
May 7	1:30 PM	Knitting/Crochet/Craft Group
May 7	TBA	Poker Knights
May 8	9:30 AM	Breakfast Group
May 8	1:00 PM	Bridge Group
May 8	7:00 PM	Trivia Group
May 9	4:00 PM	Beachside Bookenders
May 11	6:30 PM	Partners Bridge
May 13	6:30 PM	Scrabble Group
May 15	1:00 PM	Bridge Group
May 17	5:00 PM	TGFun
May 18	TBA	Dine Around
May 19	10:00 AM	Walking/Outdoor Group
May 19	TBA	Movie Group
May 21	12:00 PM	Men's Lunch Bunch
May 22	1:00 PM	Bridge Group

**Some of these events need reservations  
Details are on the following pages**

<b>Monthly Activities</b>	
Beachside Bookenders	<p>May 9<sup>th</sup></p> <p>The Beachside Bookenders is the book club associated with Neighbors and Newcomers. We meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 4:00 p.m. We still have room for new members. If you'd like more information, contact Susan Gilby.</p>
Bowling	<p>Thursdays at noon</p> <p>Garden Street Bowl hosts a senior group on Thursdays: drop by when you are able. It's \$10 for two hours, including shoes. Contact Bill Skulski for more information.</p>
Breakfast Group	<p>WEDNESDAY May 8<sup>th</sup> 9:30AM</p> <p>NOT the usual Tuesday since the restaurant is closed on Tuesday's. Place: Merriland Farm Cafe 545 Coles Hill Road Wells, Maine</p> <p>Please respond to Esther Rohrs by Sunday May 5th if you will be coming</p>
Bridge Group	<p>May 1st, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Group meets for lunch every Wednesday at 1 PM and play bridge from 2 PM to 4 PM in the back room at Duffy's Irish Bar on rte 1 in Kennebunk. Contact Tom Boaks.</p>
Dine Around	<p>May 18<sup>th</sup></p> <p>This is an opportunity to meet new people or get to know people better in small groups. You have the option to sign up as host{s} or guest{s}. The host prepares the main course, and the guests bring everything else. If you would like to host on Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, how many guests you would like to have (can be anywhere from 3 to 8). If you are not needed as a host, would you like to be a guest? If you would like to be a guest, do you need a ride? The host will call you with details about time and food. FMI contact Lucille Gentsch.</p>

Knitting/Crochet/ Craft Group	<p>May 7<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Our May get-together will be at Cindy Shaughnessy's home at 1:30pm.</p> <p>Another notice will be sent, to those on the email list, 4 days prior to our get-together with directions. RSVP to host directly after e-mail.</p> <p>If anyone would like to join our group, please contact Jeanne Butler.</p>
Men's Lunch Bunch	<p>May 21<sup>st</sup></p> <p>Group meets every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 12 PM at Duffy's Irish Tavern in downtown Kennebunk. No reservations are needed. Please contact George Acker.</p>
Movie Group	<p>May 19<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Movie Sunday meets on the third Sunday of the month.</p> <p>Contact Bill Schubert.</p>
Partners Bridge	<p>May 11<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Partners Bridge will play at the home of Carolyn and Gordon Kershaw at 6:30 pm.</p> <p>If you would like to play please contact Carolyn.</p>
Poker Knights	<p>May 7<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Group meets the first Tuesday of the month</p> <p>Contact Herb Cohen.</p>
Scrabble	<p>May 13<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Scrabble is the second Monday of the month. I will send out an email to the group with the details.</p> <p>Cindy Shaughnessy</p>



<p>TGFun</p>	<p>May 17<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Hobbs Harborside, Wells</p> <p>Once again, our last official TGFun of the year will be held at Hobbs restaurant in Wells. Drinks will be at 5:00 in the bar area overlooking the lovely harbor. If weather permits, we can go outside.</p> <p>We will need a count by Monday, May 13 if you are staying on for dinner – contact the Dugans. No need to reserve if you are just having drinks.</p> <p>TGFun is an informal way for both singles and couples to meet and get to know other Newcomers. A soft drink or an alcoholic beverage can be enjoyed while socializing. Please join us!</p> <p>For more information Bill and Pat</p>
<p>Trivia</p>	<p>May 8<sup>h</sup></p> <p>Trivia meets at Litchfield's on the second Wednesday of each month.</p> <p>Plan to arrive by 7 PM to arrange teams, get a table, and place your food and drink orders. Trivia starts at 7:30 PM.</p> <p>Please let Lynn Fraser know if you plan to attend.</p>
<p>Walking/Outdoor Group</p>	<p>May 19<sup>th</sup></p> <p>Our monthly hike/walk is tentatively scheduled for May 19<sup>th</sup> walk along the Mousam River starting at Kennebunk Old House Parts store. We will contact our group with details on the event .</p> <p>For more information Wendy and John Zarrella</p>

## **Newcomers and Neighbors Outdoor Group Annual Outing**



The Newcomers and Neighbors Outdoor Group has scheduled the annual outing for three days and two nights –September 10th, 11th and 12th. The boutique property Newagen Seaside Inn on Southport Island are hosting us, just 10 minutes from downtown Boothbay Harbor. Guests will be able to simply kick back and relax while enjoying the view of the harbor or take advantage of several day trip adventures. We suggest you check out the Newagen Seaside Inn website, then called to make your reservation. If you pre-pay soon, you can save 25% off the room rate. Make sure to tell Abby that you are with the Newcomers and Neighbors group from Kennebunkport.