

President's Message:

With all of the great things to do through the summer in and around our three towns, I guess I missed the start of pumpkin spice latte season. But here we are! I hope all have enjoyed their summer and look forward to taking part in the programs, socials, and activities in store for us this coming N & N year. Thanks to those who've been putting in the work all summer, to provide us with the directory, program guide, activities and more. Don't forget to invite others, participate, and enjoy the Autumn,

Steve

Check our website for calendar and activities or to refer potential new members

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**Monthly Meeting
Thursday September 5, 6:30 pm**

Speaker: Curtain UP!

Two young, actors from Kennebunk will kick off our first meeting of the 2024/2025 season. If you like local theater, chances are you've seen brothers Owen and Schuyler White on stage at the City Theater in Biddeford. From roles in Agatha Christie "who done it's" through musical reviews like *Forever Plaid*, these versatile actors will sing songs for us and tell us what motivates them to tread the boards!

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We rely on members to contribute nibbles (hors d'oeuvres or desserts) for the social part of our monthly meetings. If you can bring something to our first meeting on September 5, please let Harriet Solomon. Thank you.

We will have a sign-up sheet available for future meetings.

Breakfast Group: Tuesday, September 10th, 9:30 am at All Day Breakfast, Kennebunk
Please respond to Kathy Johnson by Monday, September 9th if you plan to come.

Beachside Bookenders: book group will hold the September meeting on the 12th. The book for the month is *The Tubman Command* by Elizabeth Cobbs. We meet the second Thursday of each month at 3:30. If you are interested in joining us, please email Susan Gilbey.

Bridge at Duffy's: We have a great group of players every week, of all skill levels. Even if you haven't played in many years, you will remember and have fun. Lunch at 12:30 and then bridge from 1:30 to 3:30. Please join us. Leader: Tom Boak

Trivia Lunch! The once-per month trivia lunch at Duffy's is scheduled to reconvene at noon on Tuesday, September 10. For those planning to participate, before noon on Monday, September 9, please respond to Charles so that Duffy's can arrange the proper number of place settings for us.

There is still plenty of time to prepare! Also please remember to remain a member of Newcomers and Neighbors (N&N) organization, since monthly Trivia remains a part of N&N.

REMINDER for the N&N 2024-2025 Directory Photos!

As previously announced, this year's directory will have a new individualized format, and you have been invited to submit a personal photo to complete your profile.

The deadline for photo submission is fast-approaching in mid-September, so please send your photo (the best format is a full-face photograph against a light background, just like a passport photo) to Judy Burgess, this year's directory coordinator. Make certain to include your name!

Nearly all members have a cell phone, so take a "selfie" or have a friend take your photograph and send it to Judy no later than September 20, 2024 for this year's Directory. And don't forget to include your name!

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



(Photo by Audren Lakin)

Chairs are empty because owners are at an N&N event!

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