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- A calendar of events you can download
- Current newsletter
- Photos
- Membership Application
- A list of members who can recommend a variety of services.
- AND MORE

Visit our page on Facebook: Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club

Volunteer Needed

Publication Deadlines

Interest Group calendar submissions should be sent by the 4th of the month. to **Connie Clark.** <u>conmclrk@qmail.com</u>

Deadline for **general announcements in the newsletter** is the 10th of the month preceding the month of the event to the editor.

Please send **requests for special occasion cards** (e.g. Sympathy, Wedding) to Jan Greenwood. (No birthdays, please.)

The **Newcomers & Neighbors News** is published every two months for members of the BNNC. Annual membership is \$20. First time members have a discounted rate of \$10.

Meet & Greet

as we kick off the new year with the Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club

Annual Fall Kick Off

Tuesday, September 11, 6:00 pm



Lamkin Room, Main Campus 200 Daniels Way, Bloomington

Attend to sign up for Interest Groups and pick up your new BNNC Member Directory

Pork Loin, Penne Pesto
Mashed Red Skin Potatoes and gravy, Scalloped Corn Casserole
Roma Tomato Salad, Mixed Greens with Dressing
Rolls and Butter Tea and Coffee
Assorted Cobbler for Dessert
Open Cash Bar

The BNNC is charging \$30 per person. The total cost is actually more than \$30.00. As is the practice, BNNC will pick up the excess amount.

Seating is limited to the first 60 people to submit their RSVP. Use the form to make your reservation today!

Fall Kick Off RSVP

For Tuesday, Sept 11th in the Lamkin Room of IVY Tech Main Campus at 6:00 pm

RSVP due by Tuesday, Sept 4th

No payments taken at the door

Please make check payable to:

Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club

Mail RSVP and check to:

Treasurer
Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club
PO Box 8231

Bloomington, IN 47407-8231

Name(s):
Guest(s):

Cost each @ \$30.00 _____ = \$ ___

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Interest Group Sign-Up Sheet

Each new year we ask members to sign up for the various interest groups at the Fall Kick Off. I you are not able to attend, we are including the following in the newsletter to collect the names and contact information to share with the various interest group leaders. Please provide your name and contact info, check the groups for which you would like to receive meeting details and either mail the form to the address below, give it to a Board member, or deliver it at the October luncheon meeting. You may select as many groups as you would like. You may duplicate the form when there are two members in a household. You may also download a copy from the website.

Name

Phone:	email:				
Book Club #1 at Bell Trace	Fun Lunch Bunch	☐ 1st Tues Bridge			
Book Club #2	T.G.I.F.	1st Tues Men's Bridge			
Book Club #3 2nd Mondays Evening	Getting to Know You Dinners	2nd Wed Ladies Bridge			
☐ Needlework	Ladies Night Out	3rd Mon Bridge			
Lunch & Matinee	Men's Breakfast	3rd Wed Bridge			
☐ International Issues	☐ Wine Tasting #1	3rd Thur Men's Bridge			
☐ Canasta	*Wine Tasting #2	3rd Fri Ladies Bridge			
Ladies Bunco	☐ Mah-Jong	4th Mon Bridge			
**Games & Cards	*Cribbage	4th Fri Couples Bridge			
**Gardening	*Euchre	4th Tues Duplicate Couples Bridge			
Out & About Group	*Craft Beer/Pub Crawl	***Using Technology			
OTHER:Would you be the leader? VES NO					
*Interest Group with leader looking for members. **Interest groups which have previously been offered but need a leader to resume. *** Possible interest groups that have interested members, but need a leader. If mailing, send to: Treasurer					

Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club PO Box 8231 Bloomington, IN 47407-8231 **Board Listing:** Look at the listing on the left for the new BNNC Board positions. **Please note that vacancies remain and we seek new volunteers to step up to leadership positions.**

Newsletter Change: Until a new volunteer serves as editor, the newsletter will now be published every other month.

FALL BNNC EVENTS

Aug 21: Fall Social, Upland Brewery, (page 3)

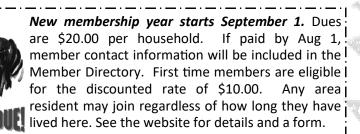
Sept 11: Fall Kickoff, (page 22)

MONTHLY BNNC MEETINGS

Typically held at the American Legion, 1800 W 3rd St.

See page 3 for a tentative shedule or the website:

Bloomingtonnnc.com



Reminder: BNNC Membership is required to participate in BNNC sponsored interest groups.

Please pay dues to retain eligibility.

Please contact the BNNC Hospitality Chair in the event that your membership status changes due to such life events as moving from Bloomington or loss of a spouse from death or

divorce. When a death occurs, we would like to send our condolences. Contact Jan Greenwood, (630) 272-0107, jantareenwood@gmail.com



MONTHLY MEETINGS

ALL GENERAL MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE HELD AT THE AMERICAN LEGION. 1800 W 3RD ST.

- Meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month and are open to all members. Guests are welcome.
- <u>LUNCHEON MEETINGS:</u> Doors open at 11:30 to permit meal orders. The meeting will start at noon.
- <u>EVENING MEETINGS:</u> (added to accommodate those who work during the day.) Doors will open at 5:30 pm to permit meal orders. The meeting starts at 6:00 pm.
- SOCIAL EVENTS: Four special events are held each year to encourage members to meet and socialize; A Fall Kick
 Off in September, The Holiday Party in December, the Spring Fling, and a summer picnic in July. The locations vary.
 The following is a tentative schedule of up-coming events.

6:00-8:00 PM	FALL SOCIAL at Upland Brewery	
6:00-8:00 PM	FALL KICK OFF at IVY Tech, Lamkin Room RSVP by Sept 4, (limited to 60)	
NOON	Bloomington Parks & Recreation; The new Switchyard Park	
TBA	Ken Crawford: Recovering the Remains of WWII Veterans Part II	No. 10 Secret
6:00-8:30 PM	Winter Holiday Party: тва	AV VALLE
NOON	Bloomington Breweries	
TBA	IU Speakers Bureau	
TBA	Scott Russells, Environmentalist	Nath () Wind UGOO
TBA	ТВА	THE PLANT
6:00-8:30 PM	SPRING FLING TBA	
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BNNC Board Meetings are held the first Thursday of the month at 10:30 at the Sherbrooke Place Clubhouse, 1309 E. Sherbrooke Dr. and are open to all members. Next meeting: Sept 6. (no Aug meeting)

Join us at Upland Brewery

Tuesday, August 21 6:00-8:00 PM

There is no regular meeting in August, so come for a relaxed and casual time to just socialize and meet BNNC members



RESOURCES FOR EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

BTOWN SCENE is an App for smartphones that will sync to your smart calendar. Just look in your Apple or Google Store

WEBSITES FOR ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

Visitbloomington— a comprehensive listing for a multitude of venues and activities

Check out the Parks and Recreation Schedule for free concerts and activities.

http://bloomington.in.gov/calendars

Bloomington Community Farmers' Market
A Fair of the Arts
Concerts in the Park
Movies in the Park
Nature Sounds
Drool in the Pool

Volunteer Opportunities

Musical Festivals
Lotus Fest
4th Street Art Fair & GarlicFest
Gallery Walks on Friday Nights
Oliver Winery Saturday live Music
Olivery Winery Jazz on Sundays
New Seasons for Shows & Plays

Don't forget to check out events throughout the state:

Indiana State Fair: Aug 3 –19: indianastatefair.com

visitindiana.com/events

in.gov/activecalendar

visitindiana.com/trip-ideas/12279-bloomington-fun-for-all-ages

indiana.edu/hoosier-life/attractions

groupon.com/local/bloomington-in/things-to-do

10best.com/destinations/indiana/indianapolis/attractions/holiday-attractions

Volunteer/Donate for Your Health and Happiness

There are several opportunities to help others. Details for Fall opportunities can be found on the website: bloomingtonyolunteemetwork.org/calendar.

You can sign up for weekly alerts at: <u>BloomingtonVolunteerNetwork.org</u> There are multiple opportunities for involvement. Check out the websites at: <u>Bloomington.in.gov/volunteer</u> and/or <u>area10agency.org/volunteer</u>. View





Remember to donate food, toys, toiletries, clothes and household items to the various local charitable organizations. Organizations such as Bloomington Thrift Shop "My Sister's Closet", churches, food pantries. Goodwill, Habitat ReStore and more appreciate your

Make a Difference, Make Friends, Have Fun, Feel Good.!!

What do you want to do? Bloomington has it.

The following is a list of some of the local August and September events. Watch the *Herald Tribune* for information or go to **VisitBloomington.com**

Labor Day Weekend

- Fourth Street Festival 9/1 & 2
- GarlicFest 9/1 & 2

Focus on Food

- Farmer's Market each Saturday morning and Tuesday evening
- Food Truck Fridays now located at the Herald Times parking lot
- September Cork and Fork @ Creekbend
- Sycamore Branches: Work and Brew
- Tea Club @ Cup & Kettle

Music & Parks

- Bloomington Boogie Woogie Piano Festival 8/11-13
- Peoples Park Concerts Last: 8/28
- Sunday Concerts @ Bryan Park last 8/5
- McCormick's Creek: Dance in the Park..
- Convention Cntr: B'Town Jazz Fest
- WHB Park (3rd St Park): Bloomington Symphony Orchestra 8/19
- Live Music at Oliver Winery Sat
- Music & Mimosa @ Oliver, 8/12
- Live music at Creekbend Vineyard
- Bloomington Community Song Circle
- Midway Music Festival

Arts/Crafts/Festival

- Fair of the Arts @ Farmer's Market 1st Sat
- 2018 Bloomington Pridefest
- On-going Exhibits and First Fri-Gallery Walk: The Venue, By Hand Gallery, Gather handmade Shoppe, FAR Center for Contemporary Arts, Bloomington Watercolor Society, Blueline Gallery, Dimensions Gallery, Thomas Gallery, Grunwald,
- Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival

For Kids

Wonderlab

Concerts, Films & Theater

- Cardinal Stage: The Lian, The Witch & the Wardrobe 9/7-23
- IU Theater: Stardust Road
- Buskirk Chumley: The NY Dog Film Festival.
 VaVaVa Vaudeville, John Popper, Tig Novaro
- IU Auditorium: Steve Martin & Martin Short
- Lotus World Music & Arts Festival 9/27-30
- PP: Glitches in Reality
- IU Cinema

Comedy

Comedy Attic: Melissa Villa Senor from SNL, Magic of Justin Willman, Chris Redd, Ron Funches, Mark Maron, Aparna Nancherla, Buskirk-Chumley: Tig Navaro

Fun Outdoors

- Kiwanis Indiana Balloon Fest
- Lake Monroe Cleanup
- Flora Field Day @ Monroe Lake
- S'Mores Celebration @ Paynetown Rec 8/11
- Sycamore Branches: Hike & Brew

Local Exploration

- Kirkwood Observatory Wednesdays
- Monroe County History Center:
- Breaking the Color Barrier
- Thank You Andrew: A history of Carnegie Libraries
- IU Archives: Jack Welpott: IU Years 1949-1959
- IU Campus Limestone Architecture Tour

Miscellaneous

- Ice Arena: Junk in the Trunk 8/18
- Drool in the Pool 8/8 & 9 @ Mills Pool
- Mon Co Library: ...Initiating Civil Dialogue...
- Afro-Latin Dance Party @ Serendipity
- Stitch and Sip, Game Night, @ Cup & Kettle
- Tour Dillman Rd Wastewater Treatment
- Convention Cntr: Makevention & Indiana Toy & Comic Expo

Welcome New Members

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812-219-4158	812-219-5929	262-914-2522
ghassler@indiana.edu	ghassler@indiana.edu	pkern4@comcast.net



Would you like to become friends with an international student? Since 1954 Bloomington Worldwide Friendship (BWF) has matched community members with Indiana University international students for cultural exchange. There is no home-stay. Members and students meet 2-3 times per semester for activities of their choice. Visit bloomingtonworldwidefriendship.org or call Cindy York 812-333-4729 for more information.

South Central Community Action Program Volunteer Opportunities

Recently this organization contacted BNNC to inform our members of the need for volunteers. For more information about any of the following opportunities, contact Linda Patton, Thriving Connections Coordinator, (812) 339-3447 ext. 206 or lindap@insccap.org. website: insccap.org

- Become an Ally! To use your life experiences to a a guide to a family living in poverty to increase their resources
- Be a Youth Volunteer! Working with Children of all ages
- Be a Food Volunteer! to help plan, shop, prepare, serve, and clean!
- Be a Transportation Volunteer! by giving participating families rides to and from meetings.
- Adult Programming! If you have an idea for a discussion or presentation for a Thursday night meeting, let us know!
- Youth Programming! If you would like to lead an activity or share a special talent with one of our youth community groups, we'd love to hear from you!
- Join the SCCAP Thriving Connections advisory board, the Guiding Coalition!



September Special Events Check out Herald-Times Thursday Calendar

Fourth Street Festival Labor Day Weekend September 1 & 2: Listed as one of the top 100 art fairs in the country, The Fourth Street Festival offers Arts, Fine Crafts, Live Music, and more with free admission. See 4thstreet.org for photos and details.





Bloomington GarlicFEST features food, live music, local artists, a kidzone, cooking competitions, healthy eating education, a beer garden, and more. The festival for offers free admission to the public Saturday and September 1 & 2, beginning daily at 11 a.m. at Third Street Park.

Lotus World Music & Arts Festival September 27-30: Established in 1994, it is one of the oldest world music festivals in the US and the only festival of its kind in the state of Indiana. More than 12,000 people are attracted to the 4-5 days of music and arts from around the globe. World class performers represent the highest standard of musicianship and professionalism. Be sure to get your tickets early or apply to volunteer at lotusfest.org/festival. Everyone should experience Lotus Fest. Details will also be in the Hearld-Times.



Outdoor Farmer's Market held at the Showers Plaza on Saturdays 8 a.m. - 1 p.m. Fair of the Arts held on September 8th. Local entertainment provided each week at the market. Salsa contest, tomato testing Don't miss it! The weekday version of the Bloomington Community Farmers' Market, Tuesday Market is held from 4-7 p.m. with music each Tuesday from June through September. Tuesday Market is located at the corner of Sixth and Madison Streets, next to Bloomingfoods Near West Side.

Movies in the Park: Bring your blanket and some popcorn and hang out under the stars as you watch some of your favorite movies in your favorite city parks! Rain dates are the Saturday following a rainout. Locations include Bryan Park, Reverend Ernest D. Butler Park, and Waldron Hill Buskirk Park. Movies begin at dusk Pre-movie activities begin 30 minutes before the movie start time. For up-to-the-minute information on weather-related cancellations, call the Bloomington Parks and Recreation Community Events Hotline at 812-349-3754.





musical entertainment.

Monroe County Fall Festival: Sept 20- Sept 22. Recurring daily at the Marci Jane Lewis Park. 106 S. Park Street. Ellettsville. The Fall Festival has been a tradition for over 50 years and has something for everyone, including a stage with live music and entertainment, queen contest, craft booths, commercial tent, food vendors, games, education day, and a parade. There is no entrance fee.

Annual Kiwanis Hot Air Balloon Fest September 7-9 at the Monroe County Fairgrounds. It is sponsored by The Kiwanis Club of South Central Indiana. Funds generated from the Balloon Fest go to support Riley Children's Hospital, Boys & Girls Clubs of Bloomington and other club projects that benefit the children of our community. The event features 20 colorful, enormous hot air balloons as they ascend into the sky at dusk. Following each evening's launch the balloons return to the festival to conduct a Night Glow synchronized to music. Tethered balloon rides will be available throughout the event at a nominal cost. You'll find food vendors, contests and

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August in Bloomington Check out Herald-Times Thursday Calendar



Head to the Outdoors. Escape the last of the summer heat at one of three local lakes: Monroe Lake, Lake Lemon, and Griffy Lake. Don't forget the area state parks: Brown County/Hoosier Forest, McCormick's Creek. Fairfax State Recreation Area (beach), Cataract Falls and Spring Mill State Park.

Drool in the Pool: Mills Pool is open August 8 & 9 for your canine buddy's enjoyment. The first evening: offers dog paddling fun and a jumping contest. The second evening is filled with more contests. Register at https://bloomington.in.gov/recreation/programs/10440

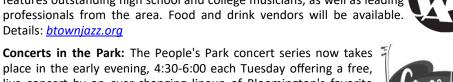


Bloomington Blues & Boogie Piano Fest: Performances by artists from all over the country may be seen at the Waldron Center & more Aug 11-13th. Details at: *bloomingtonboogies.com*

The B'town Jazz Fest on Aug 18 at the Monroe Convention Center showcases the amazing jazz talent in Bloomington and

features outstanding high school and college musicians, as well as leading professionals from the area. Food and drink vendors will be available.

Details: btownjazz.org



place in the early evening, 4:30-6:00 each Tuesday offering a free, live concert by an ever-changing lineup of Bloomington's favorite local musicians. Performing Arts Series in Bryan Park: The last one of the season will be Aug 5 from 6:30 to 8:00. For a performance

list, checkout: bloomington.com/things-to-do/events



Bean Blossom Blues Festival: August 23, 24, 25 Voted #1 Best 2016 Indiana Music Festival Location: Bill Monroe Music Park & Campground, 5 miles North of Nashville. beanblossomblues.com



BLOOMINGTON The fourth annual Pridefest: Saturday, August 25 on Kirkwood Avenue between Walnut and Lincoln Streets; featuring live music, family-friendly activities, educational workshops, a lip sync battle, drag entertainment, local food trucks, and more!

Free, but suggested \$5 donation. bloomingtonpride.org/pridefest/



Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls, circus lovers from around the world! You are hereby invited to be spectacularly amazed

the GREATEST showcase of

agriculture and entertainment. Step Right Up! to The GREATEST 17 days of Summer at your 2018 Indiana State Fair, August 3rd through 19th. COME ONE, COME ALL and enjoy our NEW Big Top Circus! Details at indianastatefair.com/state-fair/





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Bunco Group Says Good-bye to Katie Zuber before she moves away.



Good Eatin' Groups!



FUN LUNCH BUNCH 3RD WED

11:30 AM

Janie Harnett (812) 339-4528 or Jane.harnett@comcast.net

AUG 15TH @ 11:30 Join us at the Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen located on 126 S. Franklin Rd. **RSVP by August 14th**, if you plan to attend. Call or email Janie.

SEPT 19TH @ 11:30 Join us at the De angelo's located in Eastland Plaza. RSVP to Janie by Sept 18th. MEN ARE ALWAYS WELCOME NOT JUST WOMEN'S GROUP

"GETTING TO KNOW YOU" DINNERS

Ginny & Jerry Myerson, (812) 824-9019 jgmyerson@hotmail.com

This group will NOT meet in August. 6-10 people come together for an intimate meal once every two months. Contact the Myersons for the September plans.



LADIES NIGHT OUT

6:00 PM

Debbie Horan (765) 967-0407 <u>ladiesnout@gmail.com</u>

AUG 7th 6:00 PM Join us at Samira, 100 W. 6th St. RSVP by Aug 3rd. **SEPT 19th 6:00 PM** Bring a appetizer to share & your beverage of choice to Connie Clark's, 3609 E 3rd St. Parking and carpool from the Lutheran church at Smith & 3rd. RSVP Debbie by Friday, Sept 8th.

T.G.I.F.

Connie Clark (317) 850-8202 conmclrk@gmail.com

For those interested in good food and good conversations, send your contact information to Connie to be put on the email list. Fall events TBD. This group meets in members' homes. Attendees bring an appetizer to share and their beverage of choice besides soda & coffee. (No red wine please without host approval) Hope to see new faces there. **IF YOU WOULD BE WILLING TO HOST, CONTACT CONNIE.**

MEN'S BREAKFAST -Every Thursday

8:15 AM-9:30 AM

Hugh St. Leger (219) 688-8828

This group meets in the back room at the Uptown Café, 102 E. Kirkwood Avenue, with orders taken around 8:30am. We hope to see the regulars and new faces alike. Remember to feed the meters or park in the 4th Street Garage or the E. 4th St. and Washington St. lot (behind the Buskirk -Chumley.) Both offer three hours of free parking.



WINE TASTING

Linda Burton (812) 369-4611 brtnlin@yahoo.com

The current wine tasting group is full.



A NEW WINE TASTING GROUP: Typically, members take turns to host meetings and provides wines to sample. The cost of the wines is shared by the participants. If you would like join send your contact information to Monica Dignam, mondig90@gmail.com, 812-345-8770.

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INTEREST GROUPS!

NOTICE

Contact any group leader to learn more about the group or to confirm meeting date, time or location. Let the host know you plan to attend.

NEEDLEWORK GROUP 2nd Thursday- Carol Peterman 323-7823

peterman53@vahoo.com

Aug 9th 11:00AM

Host: Carol Haywood, 3502 N. Stonybrook Blvd. 812-334-1002

Sept 13th 11:00 AM

Host: Judy Killigrew, 841 W. Rosewood Drive 812-330-1139

LUNCH & A MATINEE 1st Tuesday- Dee Dee Bratton (732) 236-8543

Aug 7th 11:00 AM Sept 4th 11:00 AM

An email is sent to members of the group the weekend before the meeting, Contact

Dee Dee if you would like to join. dianebratt@aol.com

BOOK CLUB #1 Susan Koutiel (773) 678-4280 greenviewsusan@gmail.com

Aug 29th 12:00 PM

This group meets at Bell Trace. "The Elephant Whisperer" by Lawrence Anthony.

Sept 26th 12:00 PM "Hidden Figures" by Margo Shetterly.

BOOK CLUB #2 Marie Gougeon, (812) 336-3591 or mgoougeon@gmail.com

Aug 24th 9:30 AM

Host: TBA, book selection meeting

Sept 28th 9:30 AM

Host: Ann McNair. We will discuss "Hillbilly Elegy" by J/D. Vance.

BOOK CLUB #3 Second Monday Evening - New Leader: Harriet Kulis

(812) 824-5308

5:30-7:30 PM Aug 13th Guests Welcome.

Potluck at Gail Feagan, W 858 Baywood Dr. 301 351-5197 gafeagans5169@gmail.com

Sept 10th 5:30 PM -7:30 PM

Host: Gail Feagan. No book selected at this time.

No August event **INTERNATIONAL ISSUES**

> Sept 27th 4:30 pm

> > Andy Bratton, (732) 236-8543 a7bratton@aol.com

Meeting at Colorado Steakhouse. Contact Andy if you would like to join the discussion.

Note: Volunteers are needed to be Interest Group Leaders for some previous." Interest Groups (such as the Out & About Club) or to organize new groups. The duties are simple. At the beginning of the year, submit a list of meeting dates for the ! newsletter. Then each month email meeting details to the group members.

n\ New Interest Groups

Recently some members have expressed an interest in leading some new interest groups. If you think you would like to join them, contact them at the information provided.

More importantly, If you have an idea for a group, consider becoming the leader to organize it. Typically leadership rotates over time among the group members. The leader's responsibilities are simple; facilitate identifying dates, times and locations of the meetings and send the info to the Coordinator for the Interest Groups for submission in the newsletter. Then send a meeting reminder (typically through email) to the group members. Most groups rotate meeting locations so that no one person is burdened with meeting preparations. Other groups identify a standing meeting location such as a community meeting room. clubhouse or restaurant.

LEADERS SEEKING GROUP MEMBERS

NEW WINE TASTING GROUP: One Wine Tasting Group is already filled. However, Monica Dignam has indicated she would like to start a second group The first group typically operates such that the host provides 4 wines for tasting. Attendees share the cost. A group will identify their own guidelines and practice. Monica can be contacted at: Monica Dignam. (812) 345-8770 mondig90@gmail.com

NEW EUCHRE GROUP: If you would like to learn or join a group for euchre, contact Cindy York 812-333-4729 or cookie2852@aol.com She is looking for a group and suggestions as to where the group could meet.

NEW CRIBBAGE GROUP: Want to learn or join a cribbage group? Contact Susan Koutiel, greenviewsusan@gmail.com or Jerry Gonyo (see below) to be placed on contact list for a possible new group.

CANASTA: Jerry Gonyo, jerrygonyo@comcast, (812) 287-8879

AUG 24 Host: Susan Koutiel

SEPT 9 SEASON KICKOFF Host: Jerry Gonyo, 139 S. High St. New Members are welcome

as well as more experienced players.

GARDENING: Over the last few months a notice has been posted in the newsletter seeking those interested in resurrecting the Gardening Club. Rosie Johanson has volunteered to organize and lead the group. In the past this group ventured to various local gardening attractions. Rosie is looking for ideas and participants. If interested, contact Rosie at rjohanson@gmail.com or (708) 269-2418

GROUPS SEEKING LEADER

THE OUT AND ABOUT GROUP: Recently this group lost its leaders, but interested members remain. This group was known for its day trips to interesting locations, often venturing beyond the Bloomington area borders. If you would be willing to become the leader, a contact list of interested participants will be shared. Contact Connie Clark at conmclrk@amail.com (317) 850-8202.

GAMES AND CARDS LOOKING FOR A NEW LEADER TO KEEP THE GROUP GOING

If you would like to volunteer to serve as the leader or would like to join send your contact information to Connie Clark, conmclrk@gmail.com or (317) 850-8202.

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The groups shaded in grey are filled. To be placed on a sub list for the Bridge Groups, contact the Bridge Coordinator, Connie Clark, (317) 850-8202 conmclrk@gmail.com Group leaders will provide details for location and dates. Be sure to inform your group leader if you will be sending a sub.

3RD MONDAY BRIDGE Jeanne Kessell. (812) 333-5113 ikess6@att.net.

AUG 20TH 12:00 PM TBA SEPT 17TH 12:00 PM TBA Contact Jeanne for information

2ND WED-LADIES BRIDGE Mary Rucker (812) 333-0734 maryflynnrucker@gmail.com

AUG 8TH 12:30 PM Mary Rucker 12:30 PM Connie Clark SEPT 12TH

4TH MONDAY BRIDGE Linda Burton (812) 369-4611 brtnlin@yahoo.com

AUG 27TH 12:00 PM TBA SEPT 24TH 12:00 PM TBA **3RD WED BRIDGE** Susan Graham

12:30 PM, Carol Anthony **AUG 15TH** SEPT 19TH 12:30 PM, Monica Dignam

1ST TUESDAY BRIDGE Linda Burton (812) 369-4611 brtnlin@yahoo.com

AUG 7TH 1:30 PM TBA SEPT 4TH 1:30 PM TBA

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3RD FRI LADIES BRIDGE Linda Burton (812) 369-4611 brtnlin@yahoo.com

AUG 17TH 12:20 PM, TBA SEPT 21ST 12:20 PM, TBA

4TH TUES DUPLICATE COUPLES BRIDGE 7:00 PM

Helen Sauer, (812) 822-2474

4TH FRI COUPLES-BRIDGE

(812) 334-0623 Call Karen to confirm date and location

Date and location to be determined.

(765) 491-6017,

lentieman@yahoo.com

Gayle Tieman,

LADIES BUNCO NIGHT -3RD THURS

Janie Harnett, (812) 339-4528 jane.harnett@comcast.net

Karen Karpinski

AUG 16TH 6:30 PM, Diane Ballard 320-8930 SEPT 20TH 6:30 PM. TBA

Members will vote on the future of this group

Contact Gayle for further information

THE FOLLOWING GROUPS ARE SEEKING NEW MEMBERS.



NEW EUCHRE GROUP: If you would like to learn or join a group for euchre, contact Cindy York 812-333-4729 cookie2852@aol.com



NEW CRIBBAGE GROUP: Want to learn or join cribbage group? Contact Susan Koutiel, greenviewsusan@gmail.com or Jerry Gonyo (see below) to be placed cribbage on contact list for a possible new group.



CANASTA

Jerry Gonyo, jerrygonyo@comcast, (812) 287-8879

AUG 24 Host: Susan Koutiel

SEPT 7 SEASON KICKOFF Host: Jerry Gonyo, 139 S. High St. NEW MEMBERS STILL WELCOME, BEGINNERS OR EXPERIENCED.

1ST TUES-MEN BRIDGE

For info: Rich Weyand, weyand@rcn.com



3RD THUR-MEN BRIDGE

For info: Bill Greenbaum, 369-4077 joelgreenbaum@msn.com



GAMES AND CARDS LOOKING FOR A NEW LEADER TO KEEP THE GROUP GOING

If you would like to volunteer to serve as the leader or would like to join send your contact information to Connie Clark, conmclrk@gmail.com or (317) 850-8202.

Showtime!

Janie Harnett, (812) 339-4528 iane.harnett@comcast.net

The press time for the newsletter comes too early to announce scheduling for many events. E-mails are sent to Showtimers. Contact Janie if you wish to be added to the e-mail list. For details on the listings below: VisitBloomington. com

Cardinal Stage: The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe in Sept 7-23, Details at cardinal stage.org

IU Theatre: Stardust Road, Aug 15-18; The Heiress, Sept 21-39 Details at indiana.edu/~thtr

IU Auditorium: Steve Martin & Martin Short, Sept 22. Details at juauditorium.com/events

IU Jacobs School of Music: Check out the website for various student and/or faculty recitals and concerts: music.indiana.edu/events

Free Movies at the IU Cinema: are located on the 7th Street side of the IU Auditorium near the Hoagy Carmichael sculpture. Check the schedule at cinema.indiana.edu/calendar/ or the newsletter calendar. Most films are free but you need to obtain tickets at the Auditorium box office. August: "Austerlitz"; "Kartemquin Films: Past, Present, and Future"; "Lust in the Archive: Reflections on Production, Texts, and Exhibition from the Kinsey Film Collection"; "The Illinois Parables/Hacker Circuit"; "The Event"; "Dawson City: Frozen Time/Buried and Breaking Away-World Premiere", "The Yellow Submarine", "Ava", "The Virgin Spring", "White Nights", "What About Bob?", "Blade", "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid", "Hair", "Young Marx", "Blow-Up", "Under the Tree", See website for September.

Bloomington Playwrights Project: Glitches in Reality Sept 21-Oct 05, Visit newplays.org

Buskirk-ChumleyTheatre: Top Hat (film) Aug 3; The NY Dog Film Festival Aug 4; RBG: Ruth Bader Ginsburg (film), Aug 4; Va-Va-Va Vaudeville, Aug 18; TEDx Bloomington: GROW Aug 24; Being The Encounter Premier (film) Aug 26; John Popper, Sept 19; An Evening With Latino Filmmaker Peter Bratt, (film), Sept 20; Five for Fighting with String Quartet, Sept 22; Tig Notaro, Sept 25; United Way of Monroe County: The Talent Show!, Oct 2; Visit buskirkchumley.org

New Movie Mondays are held at the Monroe Co. Public Library on the second Monday of the month at 6:30 pm. The title of the movie will be announced via an email or you can contact the library.

Comedy Attic: Many of the comics have appeared on various television & radio programs: Bloomington Comedy Festival, Aug 1; Melissa Villasenor from SNL, August 02-04: The Magic of Justin Willman, Aug 9-11: SNL's Chris Redd, Aug 16-18: Ron Funches, Aug 23-25: Marc Maron, Aug 30-Sept 1: Benefit For Teachers Warehouse w/Apama Nancherla, Sept 6; Apama Nancherla, Sept 6-8; For details visit comedvattic.com

Bear's Back Room presents Jazz Legends every Thursday evening starting at 5:30 PM. You can hear outstanding jazz from the Jacobs School of Music.

Players Pub: Visit theplayerspub.com for music or other events happening almost every Tues-Sun.

Brown County Playhouse: I've Got the Music in Me, Aug 3-11: If You Don't Outdie Me-musical reading, Aug 16; Hoosier Harmony Aug 17-26; The Birth of Rock'N'Roll, Aug 31-Nov 9: The EPIC Era, Sept 1-Nov 10; Mellencougar featuring Toby Myers, Sept 8; Platinum Girls The Musical, Sept 14-23; Ol' Blue Eyes, Sept 29; For movie showings and details go to browncountyplayhouse.org

Ryder Film Series:: AUGUST: King of Hearts; Heart of a Dog;. Death of Stalin; RBG: Ruth Bader Ginsburg; Let the Sun Shine In; The Cakemaker; First Reformed; SEPTEMBER: see the website; details at: theryder.com/events

The Bluebird: For performance details visit thebluebird The Bishop: live bands the bishop bar.com

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Parlour Theater: Magic Show Info: thecardwiz.com

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4th St Festival of the Arts & Crafts Garlicfest & Community Art Fair Oliver Winery: Live Music Wonderlab: Bubblefest	HONOR LABOR Labor Day Wonderlab: Bubblefest	4 Lunch & Matinee 1st Tues Bridge 1st Tue Men's Bridge RSVP due for the Fall Kick Off	5 Kirkwood Observatory Open House	6 BNNC Board Meeting Men's Breakfast CA: Apama Nancherla	Canasta Kick Off Food Truck Friday Monroe Co Fairgrounds: Kiwanis Indiana Balloon Fest IVTW: The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe CA: Aparna Nancherla	Outdoor Farmers Market & Fair of the Arts Monroe Co Fairgrounds: Kiwanis Indiana Balloon Fest Midway Music Festival IVTW: The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe Oliver Winery: Live Music CA: Aparna Nancherla WHB Park: "Double Indemnity"
Monroe Co Fairgrounds: Kiwanis Balloon Fest IVTW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe Scarlet Oak Woods: Trees of Scarlet Oaks Woods Bishop: Sales	10 2nd Mon Evening Book Club #3	11 _{Fall Kick Off} 6:00 pm at IVY Tech Lamkin Room	12 2nd Wed Ladies Bridge Kirkwood Observatory Open House Bluebird: Ripe, The Brook & The Bluff	13 Men's Breakfast Needlework Group Bluebird: Dylan Scott Bishop: Japanese Breakfst with Ought	14 Food Truck Friday IVTW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe IUC: "On Your Marc Documentary Sneak Preview Screening Bloomington Community Song Circle	Outdoor Farmers Market Oliver Winery: Live Music IVTW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe MCHC: Solar Celebration MCCC: Science Night Out: Magnified Bryan Prk: "Tomorrowland"
10TW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe Oliver Winery: Music & Mimosas Bloomington Walk to End Alzheimer's Bishop: Ethers & En Attendant Ana	17 3rd Mon Bridge	18 Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side	19 3rd Wed Bridge Fun Lunch Bunch Ladies Night Out BCT: John Popper Kirkwood Observatory Open House	Bishop: Sunflower Bean	Pridge 3rd Fri Ladies Bridge Food Truck Friday IVTW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe IUT: The Heiress IU Campus Limestone Architecture Tour Ellettsville: Monroe County Fall Festival	Farmers Market BPP: Glitches in Reality Oliver: Live Music IUA: Steve Martin & Martin Short IUT: The Heiress Monroe County Fall Festival Creekbend: Cork & Fork IVTW: The lion, The witch, & IU Campus Limestone Architecture Tour
23 IVTW: The lion, The witch, and the Wardrobe IU Campus Limestone Architecture Tour	24 Ath Mon Bridge Bishop: Diet Cig w/ Illuminati Hotties & Nice Try Night Owls @ Cowork	25 4th Tues Duplicate Couples Bridge BCT: Tig Notaro Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side IUT: The Heiress	Book Club #1 Kirkwood Observatory Open House IUT: The Heiress	Men's Breakfast International Issues Lotus World Music & Arts Festival BPP: Glitches in Reality IUT: The Heiress Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival Bluebird: Cherub Tea Club: Cup & Kettle	28 Book Club #2 4th Fri Couples Bridge Food Truck Friday Lotus World Music & Arts Festival IUT: The Heiress BPP: Glitches in Reality Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival Bloomington Song Circle	BPP: Glitches in Reality Lotus World Music Festival Hoosier Outrun Cancer Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival IUT: The Heiress Oliver: Live Music 30 Lotus World Music Festival BPP: Glitches in Reality Oliver: Live Music

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5 BP: Piano boogie with Marinie's Boogie and Jenn Cristy	6 Lake Monroe Cleanup at North Fork State Wildlife Refuge	Lunch an d Matinee Ladies Night Out 1st Tues Bridge 1st Tues Men's Bridge Monroe Lake: Flora Field Day IUC: Austerlitz Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side Peoples Park: Amigo Fields	8 2nd Wed Ladies Bridge Drool in the Pool @ Mills Pool Kirkwood Observatory Open House Stitch & Sip @ Cup and Kettle Tea Co.	Men's Breakfast Needlework Group Drool in the Pool @ Mills Pool CA: Magic of Justin Willman IUC: "Kartemquin Films:" & "Lust in the Archive: Exhibition from the Kinsey Film Collection. Players Pub: Spoken Word Series Bishop: Sales with Hana Vu	Food Truck Friday 10 CA: Magic of Justin Willman IUC: "The Event" & "The Illinois Parables/Hacked Circuit" Bloomington Community Song Circle	Farmer's Market & Art Fair Oliver Winery: Live Music IVTW: Bloomington Blues and Boogie Woogie Piano Festival Bishop: Sammy Brue & Pearl Charles Players Pub: Jimmie Nicol Band Plays the Beatles Early Hits & B-Sides Live CA: Magic of Justin Willman Wonderlab: Wonders of Nature Paynetown: S'Mores Celebration
1VTW: Blues & Boogie Woogie Piano Festival Oliver Winery: Music & Mimosas	2nd Mon Evening Book Club #3 NTW: Bloomington Blues and Boogie Woogie Piano Festival MCPL: "Initiating Civil Dialogue"	Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side Peoples Park: The 1-4-5's	15 3rd Wed Bridge Fun Lunch Bunch Kirkwood Observatory Open House	Men's Breakfast Ladies Bunco Night 3rd Thurs Men's Bridge IUT: Stardust Road CA: Chris Redd from SNL IUC: Yellow Submarine Bishop: Amy O, Free Cake for Every Creature, Nice Try Wonderlab: Coder Dojo Root Cellar: Wet Eyed Liars	3rd Fri Ladies Bridge Food Truck Friday IUC: "AVA" CA: Chris Redd from SNL IUT: Stardust Road	Farmers Market MCCC: B'Town Jazz Fest BCT: Va Va Va Vaudeville IUC: "AVA" & "Yellow Submarine" Ice Arena: Junk in the Trunk IUT: Stardust Road BCT: Va Va Va Vaudeville CA: Chris Redd from SNL Oliver Winery: Live Music BP: film "Pete's Dragon" McComick's Crk: Dance in the Park Wrkshp Sycamore Branches: Hike & Brew Dillman Rd Wastwater Facility Tour
19 Upland Brewery: Block Party WHB Park: Evening with Bloomington Symphony Orchestra Oliver Winery: Live Music Wonderlab: Wonders of Nature	20 3rd Mon Bridge IUC: "The Virgin Spring"	21 BNNC FALL SOCIAL @ UPLAND BREWERY Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side Peoples Park: Ben Thompson	22 Kirkwood Observatory Open House Stitch & Sip @ Cup & Kettle Tea Co.	Men's Breakfast IUC: "White Nights" CA: Ron Funches Game Night @ Cup & Kettle Tea Co. Tea Club @ Cup & Kettle Tea Co. Bluebird: Casey Donahew	24 Book Club #2 4th Fri Couples Bridge Canasta Workshop Food Truck Friday CA: Ron Funches IUC: "Blade" & "What About Bob?" Bloomington Community Song Circle	Farmers Market Kirkwood Ave: Pridefest MCCC: Makevention Oliver Winery: Live Music IUC: "Butch Cassidy & the Suncance Kid" & "Hair" MCPL: Indie Game Dev Day CA: Ron Funches Wonderlab: After Dark: Art in Bloom & Wonders of Nature Butler Park: Stars Wars: The Force Awakens
Oliver Winery: Sunday 26 Jazz Jams IUC: "Young Marx" MCCC: IN Toy & Comic Expo Fairview Methodist Church: "Ties That Bind: Family & Friendship in Broadway & Opera"	27 Ath Mon Bridge IUC: "Blow-Up" Night Owls @ Cowork Cardinal Spirits: Meet Jim Meehan: Book Signin, Cocktails and Q & A	28 Couple Bridge Tues Farmer's Market, Bloomingfoods-near West Side Peoples Park: Jeffery Bowen Cardinal Spirits: Paired Cocktails Dinner w/Jim Meehan	29 Book Club #1 Kirkwood Observatory Open House MCHC: Teachers' Night Out	30 Men's Breakfast IUC: "Under the Tree" CA: Marc Maron	Food Truck Friday IUC: "Under the Tree" CA: Marc Maron	Key to Abbreviations * CA: Comedy Attic * BCT: Buskirk-Chumly Theater * BP: Bryan Park * IUC :IU Cinema * IUT: IU Theatre * IVTW:Ivy Tech Waldron Arts Center * MCCC:Monroe Co Convention Cntr * MCPL:Monroe County Library * WHB: Waldron, Hill & Buskirk Park