

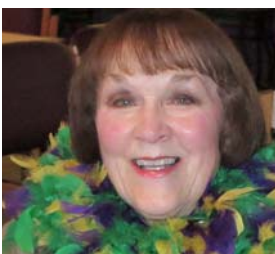
Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors News

March/April 2021



March 9th presentation
on T. C. Steele State
Historic Site. See Page
4 for details.

Spring Fling details on Page 3.



In Memoriam: Long
standing BNNC
member, Janie
Harnett, passed away
in January this year.



In Memoriam: Long
standing BNNC
member, Gayle
Tieman, passed away
in February this year.

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NEWCOMERS & NEIGHBORS CLUB

It is time to renew your membership.
Only \$20 for the whole year! The membership
form is on Page 13. No need to fill it out if there
have been no changes to your information. Send
a check to our Treasurer.

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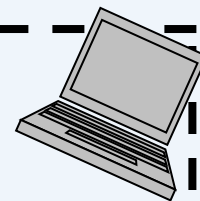
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Bloomingtonnnc.com

- Announcements and RSVP forms
- Current newsletter
- Photos
- Membership Application
- A list of members who can recommend a variety of services.
- AND MORE



WANTED: Photos of your group activities. Send to any of the following:

- Debbie Zerr for Facebook: dlzerr321@sbcglobal.net
- John DePaemelaere for website and end of year slide show:
john.depaemelaere@outlook.com

Publication Deadlines

Interest Group calendar submissions should be sent no later than the 10th of every other month to **Susan Hiller** at:

greenviewsusan@gmail.com

Send to the **newsletter editor** any general announcements no later than the 10th of the month.

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

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

RSVP
For the
Spring Fling

To be held at

Oliver Winery

May 11th, 2021, 6:30 PM

Due to current Indiana Covid regulations we are limited to 50 people unless things change for the better. There will be a waiting list.

Menu

Beef Tips in Gravy

Spaetzle

Broccoli and Raisin Salad

Fried Biscuits and Apple Butter

Iced Tea, Lemonade and Coffee

Assorted German Sausages

Sauerkraut

California Medley Vegetable Blend

Chocolate Crème Pie

Cherry Fruit Cobbler

Oliver Cash Bar

Meal once again catered by Schnitzelbank Restaurant from Jasper, IN

Music: "In Accord Ensemble" lead by Svetla Vladeva

RSVP Deadline is May 5th!

Spring Fling RSVP

No payments taken at the door
Make check payable to:
Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club
Mail RSVP and check to:

BNNC Treasurer

PO Box 8231

Bloomington, IN 47407-8231

Name(s):

Cost: each @ \$30.00 x ____ = \$ ____

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Amount: _____

Check Date: _____ Check No. _____

Monthly Late Winter—Early Spring Meetings And Presentations

March 9th Presentation



Just in time for daffodil season on the grounds of the T. C. Steele State Historic Site, located between Bloomington and Nashville, we'll have a presentation from Jessica Stephens. She is the site manager of the Historic Site, and will talk about the artist, his wife, his studio, and the grounds and events presented there throughout the year.



"Every morning I take off my hat to the beauty of the world",
engraved over the fireplace at T. C. Steele's home, House of the Singing Winds

If you'd like more info about T. C. Steele, the IU Art Museum now has a multi-channel video installation inspired by Steele's home and studio. Jawsching Arthur Liou's *House of the Singing Winds* captures the historic Steele home in high definition with a video throughout the seasons. A voiceover tells the story of Selma Neubacher Steele who preserved the house and grounds as a memorial site after her husband's passing. The exhibit is located in the Media Gallery on the third floor of the IU Art Museum located on Seventh Street on IU's Campus.



April 13th Presentation

"The Bloomington Playwrights Project is the only professional theatre in the entire state of Indiana focused solely on new plays. What you see at BPP, you can't see anywhere else in the world.

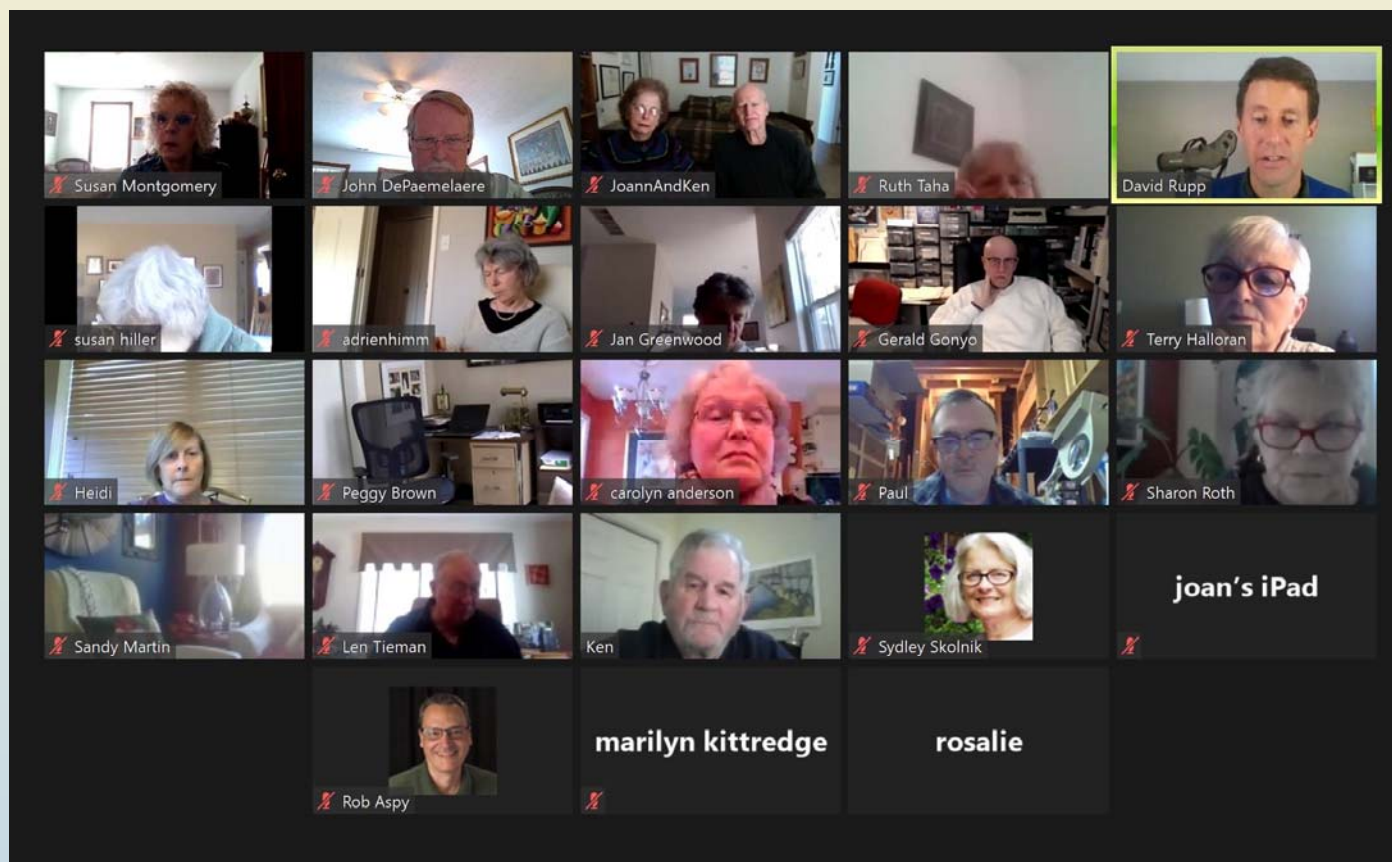
Over the last 40+ years, BPP has developed and produced more than 500 new plays and musicals."

Even though the pandemic put a halt to live theater, the BPP thought of creative and inventive ways to bring theater to our homes. The BNNC will see a presentation from BPP management about the Project's past, present, and proposed future plays and musicals, when you the audience are the first to view a new production.

At the time of this publication, all monthly meetings are planned to be held by Zoom. Members will receive an email prior to the meeting with instructions as to how to link to Zoom.

Zoom Meeting

January 12th



On January 12th, David Rupp, owner and guide of IndiGo Birding Nature Tours, spoke to us about the birds that call Indiana home by way of a Zoom Meeting. We live in an area that has a variety of habitats for nesting birds and serves as a migratory route for many other species. For more information about IndiGo Birding Nature Tours:

<https://indigobirding.com> Phone: 812-679-8978



RESOURCES FOR EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

WEBSITES FOR EVENT INFORMATION

visitbloomington.com/events— a comprehensive listing of local events

Check out the City of Bloomington website for City events and local governmental information:

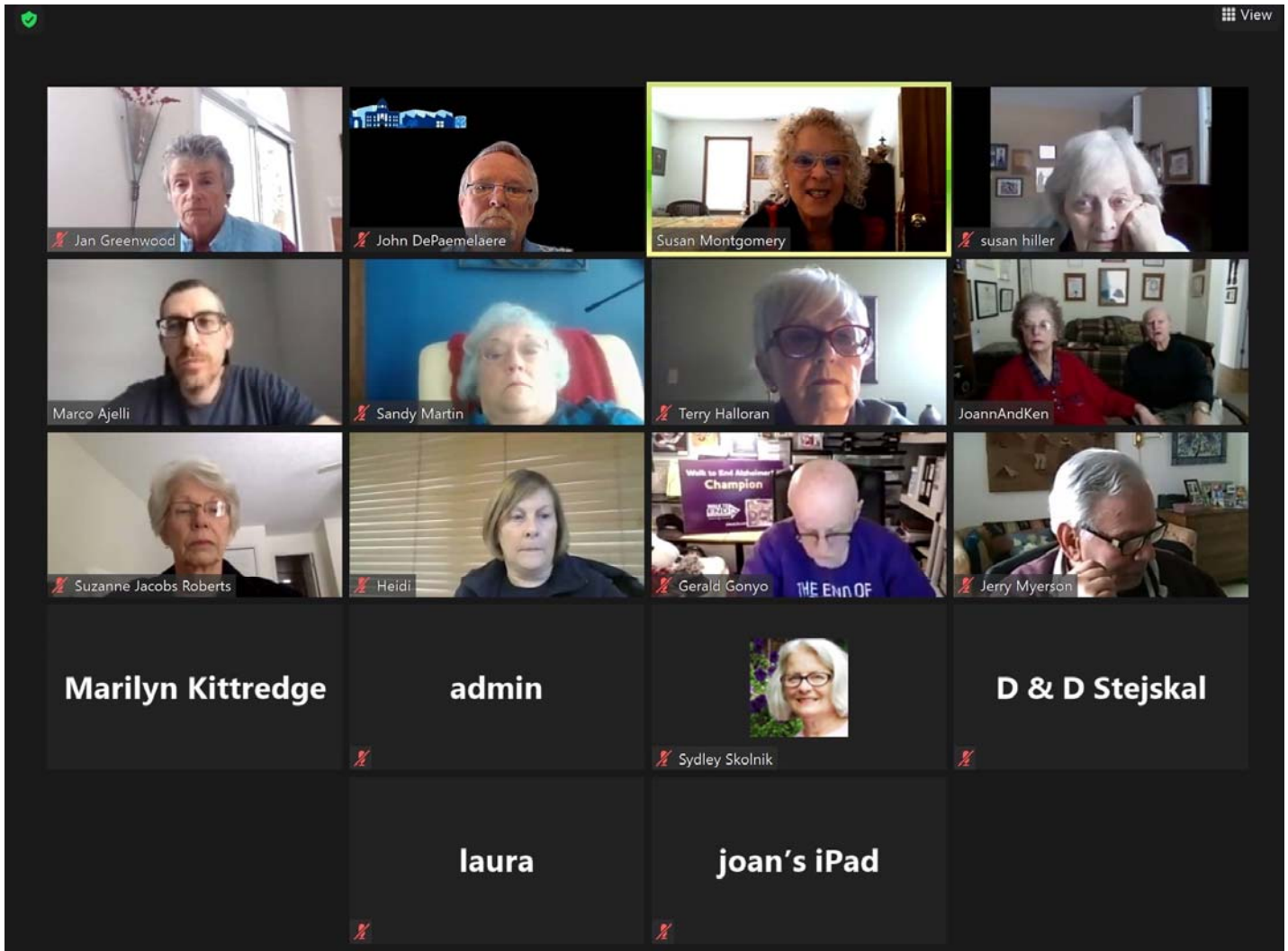
<https://bloomington.in.gov/about>

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

visitindiana.com/events

Zoom Meeting

February 9th



For a timely topic, Professor Ajelli spoke to us by way of a Zoom Meeting about basic principles of epidemiology and how they relate to what experts and the media are reporting to the public during the pandemic of Covid-19.

Zoom Board Meeting

January 7, 2021



If your group is meeting, or, you see other members out and about, be sure to take photos and forward to John DePaemelaere



Cribbage Group

Susan Hiller and Jerry Gonyo showing cards at a recent Cribbage Group Meeting.

Spirits Group

We had a great evening at C3 Bar in the tent. It was a warm day at 50 F although it was cooling while we were in the tent. This was on February 24th.



Spirits Group

At C3 Bar On January 13th



Spirits Group members enjoyed a crisp January evening in a three sided tent. Overhead radiant heaters help take the chill away. Great food and drink were enjoyed by all.



INTEREST GROUPS!

NOTICE—MOST GROUPS ARE ON HOLD DUE TO COVID

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



Garden Club—Rosie Johanson rjohanson@gmail.com (708) 269-2418
Call or Text to make reservation and to discuss carpooling and lunch options.



Needlework Group 2nd Thursday, 11 AM—Carol Peterman peterman53@yahoo.com
Please contact Carol at (812) 323-7823 for more information.



Lunch & A Matinee 1st Tuesday—Dee Dee Bratton dianebratt@aol.com (732) 236-8543
We see an afternoon movie at the AMC on the Westside with lunch at a nearby Restaurant. An email is sent to members of the group the weekend before the meeting. Contact Dee Dee if you would like to join.



Book Club #1—Susan Hiller greenviewsusan@gmail.com (773) 678-4280
Zoom meeting last Wednesday each month, 12 PM. Welcoming new members



Book Club #2—Sharon Roth artgal99@gmail.com (812) 822-1533
Meets at 10:30 on Friday mornings. Currently there is a wait list.



Book Club #3—Karen Belton beltonkaren1@gmail.com (732) 236-8543
Meets at the home of Gail Feagans, 858 W. Baywood (301) 351-5197



International Issues—Andy Bratton a7bratton@aol.com (732) 236-8543
Meets 4th Thursday at Red Lobster. Andy will email the topic a few days before.

Good Eating Groups!

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Fun Lunch Bunch 3rd Wednesday 11:30 AM

LEADER NEEDED



"Getting To Know You" Dinners

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

6-10 people come together for an intimate meal once every two months

Contact the Myersons for information.

Ladies Night Out 6 PM



LEADER NEEDED



TGIF 6:00-8:00 PM Connie Clark conmclrk@gmail.com (317) 850-8202

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.)

We hope to see new faces. Call Connie if you would be willing to host.



Men's Breakfast Every Thursday 9:00-10:00 AM John DePaemelaere (812) 322-2630.

This group meets at the Bedrāk Café, 409 S Walnut Street,

Free parking. We hope to see the regulars and new faces.

Note: John DePaemelaere is temporarily leading this group during the Covid pandemic.



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

This group is currently full.



Spirits Group John DePaemelaere john.depaemelaere@outlook.com

Contact John DePaemelaere for the next meeting date (812) 322-2630



Cards & Games



These groups shaded gray are filled.

3rd Monday Bridge

LEADER NEEDED

4th Monday Bridge Linda Burton
brtnlin@yahoo.com (812) 369-4611

1st Tuesday Bridge Linda Burton
brtnlin@yahoo.com (812) 369-4611

4th Tuesday Duplicate Couples Bridge
 Helen Sauer (812) 822-2474

2nd Wednesday Ladies Bridge 12:30

Mary Rucker maryflynnrucker@gmail.com
 (812) 333-0734

3rd Wednesday Bridge 12:30
 Susan Graham (812) 369-4118

3rd Friday Ladies Bridge Linda Burton
brtnlin@yahoo.com (812) 369-4611

4th Friday Couple Bridge Karen Karpinski
 (812) 334-0623
 Call Karen to confirm date and location.

LADIES BUNCO NIGHT-3RD THURS 6:30 PM Janie Harnett, jane.harnett@comcast.net (812) 339-4528

The groups below are seeking new members.

Mah-Jong

LEADER NEEDED

Cribbage Group—Offering instruction and play.

Susan Hiller (773) 678-4280

Canasta Meets first Friday at 1 PM

Jerry Gonyo jerrygonyo@comcast.net

(812) 287-8879

New members still welcome.

1st Tuesday Men's Bridge Rich Weyand

weyand@rcn.com

3rd Thursday—Men's Bridge

LEADER NEEDED

Games and cards is 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 connmclrk@gmail.com (317)850-8202



2020-21 BNNC Membership Application and Directory Form

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Please type or print.

- The information in the WHITE boxes is published in a directory and shared ONLY with members.
- To participate in any BNNC Interest Group an individual MUST be a paid member.
- Membership Year: June 1 thru May 31. Annual Dues Per Household: \$20.00.
- Special discounted fee for first time members is \$10 for the first year.
- To be included in the BNNC Directory, dues must be paid by Sept 1. Otherwise, dues may be paid anytime.

PLEASE CHECK ONE:		
<input type="checkbox"/> NEW MEMBER <input type="checkbox"/> MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL		
Name(s) REQUIRED: 1. 2.	Email: 1. 2.	Birthday (month/day): 1. 2.
Bloomington Address: City and zip:	Mailing Address (if different): City and zip:	Preferred Phone contact: 1. 2.
Moved here from & year moved: 1. 2.	Hometown (if different): 1. 2.	How did you learn about Newcomers?

Please make check payable to:

Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club

Mail completed form and payment to:

Treasurer

Bloomington Newcomers & Neighbors Club

PO Box 8231

Bloomington, IN 47407-8231

For Office Use Only

Check Date: _____ Check No. _____ Amount: _____ Dep _____

New Member _____ DB _____ Directory _____

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Be sure to also visit our Website: **BloomingtonNNC.com**