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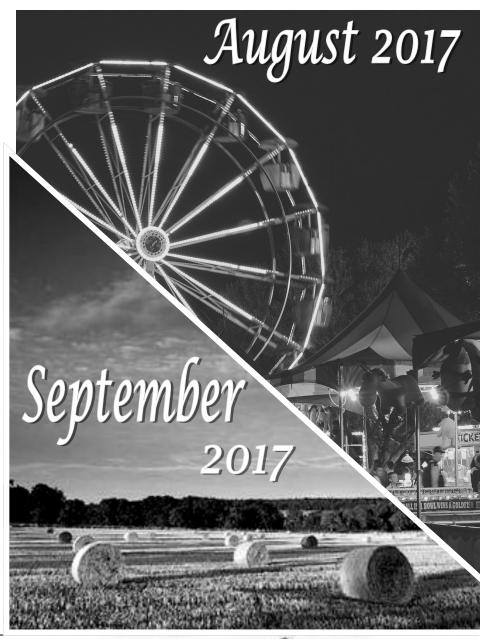
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Check out our website: btown-newcomers.us • A calendar of events

- Current newsletter
- Membership Application
- A list of members who can recommend a variety of services.

Visit our page on Facebook: Bloomington Newcomers Club

#### Publication Deadlines

**Interest Group calendar** submissions should be sent to Ellen Goodman by the 4th of the month at (812) 339-6344 or ph1da2mom@gmail.com.

Deadline for **general announcements** is the 10th of the month preceding the month of the event to the President.

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

The **Newcomer News** is published monthly exclusively for members of the Bloomington Newcomers Club. Annual membership is \$20, if paid by Oct. 15.

#### From the Interim Vice President

#### Dear BNC Members,

July is a wonderful month. We are in the middle of a warm Indiana summer having a beautiful 4<sup>th</sup> of July, a great MLB All-Star game, and our traditional July picnic. I hope all are enjoying a good summer.



We want to focus on our special August 3rd meeting to discuss proposed changes to our by-laws. The main proposal concerns eliminating the 5-year residency limitation for eligibility to join BNC. By doing so,

many longer-term residents would be able to join. Many are experiencing "new chapters" in their lives due to retirement, divorce, or death of a loved one and are in need of the company of new friends. We also will discuss new ideas for BNC activities, social events, and new



interest groups. Your thoughts, comments, and input are critical as we plan the new year of activities.

We will meet at the American Legion on Thursday, August 3rd, at 6:00 pm in the Sun Room, behind the lounge (bar). When you enter the front or side door go left. At 6 pm you will have time to order something to eat and drinks if you wish. We hope all will attend this important BNC meeting.

I also want to invite EVERYONE to our Fall Kick-Off meeting event on September 12th to be held at the Farm Bloomington on Kirkwood Avenue. This is an opportunity to welcome new members, join interest groups, and socialize.

We are combining the August and September Newsletters due to our editor's time out for surgery.

Looking forward to seeing you on August 3rd!

Ken Crawford Interim VP

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#### **INTEREST GROUPS!**

#### NOTICE TO ALL NEWCOMERS

Contact any group leader to learn more about the group, or contact the month's host and just say you will attend.

Note: Volunteers are needed to be the Interest Group Leader for some previous interest groups (such as the Garden 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 send an e-mail with meeting details to the group members.

NEEDLEWORK GROUP2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday-Carol Peterman 323-7823Aug 10th11:00AM

Host: Ingrid Beery, 625 N. Lower Birdie Galyan (812) 335-0643.

Sept 14th

11:00 AM

Host: Carol Peterman, 3718 Grasstree Ct., (812) 323-7823 peterman53@yahoo.com



LUNCH & A MATINEE1st Tuesday- Dee Dee Bratton (732) 236-8543Aug 1st11:00 AMSept 5th11:00 AM

An email is sent to members of the group the weekend before the meeting, Contact Dee Dee if you would like to join. <u>dianebratt@aol.com</u>

BOOK CLUB #1 Susan Koutiel (773) 678-4280 greenviewsusan@gmail.com Aug 30th 12:00 PM

This group meets at Bell Trace. We will discuss "Jubilee" by Margaret Walker.

Sept 27th "A Marriage of Opposites" by Alice Hoffmann

9:30 AM

9:30 AM

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

Aug 25th

Sept 22nd

Host: Marie Gougeon, 4642 Compton Blvd., book selection meeting



Host: Claire Gillen, 4320 E. Bill Mallory Blvd., <u>claireqillen@yahoo.com</u>. We will discuss "Half Broke Horses" by Jeannette Walls.

BROWN BAG BOOK CLUB #3 Second Monday- Katie Zuber (618) 899-7504, <u>kkzub@yahoo.com</u> Aug 14th 5:30-7:30 PM Guests Welcome.

Pot Luck at Gail Feagan's, 858 Baywood Dr. gafeagans5169@gmail.com

Sept 11th5:30 PM –7:30 PMHost: Gail Feagan. We will discuss "Hillbilly Elegy" by J.D. Vance.

This is a combined newsletter for Aug and September because the editor will be recovering from knee surgery in August and be unavailable to create the September newsletter. Available information has been posted. Should you have questions about an interest group, <u>contact your group leader.</u>

#### **More Interest Groups!**

#### **BOOK & PUZZLE EXCHANGE**

Tod Wicks, (812) 333-6660



Members can bring old books or puzzles that other members may enjoy to the monthly luncheon to exchange. A table will be set up near the meeting room entrance. Please retrieve any unclaimed items at the end of the meeting.

#### OUT & ABOUT GROUP No August event

Linda Gregory ((812) 336-5451) <u>Ifgregory@att.net</u> Linda Burton ((812) 369-4611) <u>brtnlin@yahoo.com</u>



8:45 AM

We will travel to Keystone at the Crossing for fall shopping and lunch. After shopping, we will go to Trader Joe's for a number of you who love Trader Joe's. We will leave from the Kinser Pike Marsh at 8:45 AM. We are seeking drivers. Please **RSVP to** Linda Burton by Sept 11 at <u>brtnlin@yahoo.com</u> or call (812) 369-4611.

#### INTERNATIONAL ISSUES No August event

Sept 28th

Sept 19th



4:30 pm

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

American Legion, 1800 W 3rd St,. Contact Andy if you would like to join the discussion.

### Special Meeting August 3, 6:00 to 8:00 pm In the Sun Room American Legion Post 1800 W 3rd St

An important special meeting is being called to provide BNC membership with the opportunity to discuss and comment on proposed bylaw changes.

Appetizers will be available, You may also order from the menu and the cash bar. We want to explore methods to meet some of our current challenges and to provide opportunities to expand and improve our organization. We hope everyone will attend. We need your voice as we plan for the future of BNC.



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The following groups 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-AUG 21ST12:00SEPT 18TH12:00For Info, contact Jeanne Kessell, (812) 333-5113 Jeanne's NEW EMAIL address is jkess6@att.net.	SRD WED BRIDGE         AUG 16TH         12:30           Host: Joyce Grandorf, 3738 Mabel's Way, 332-3738         SEPT 20TH         12:30           Host: Cathy Korinek, 5465 E. James Rd., 339-6168         Septimized and a second and and a second and
4TH MONDAY BRIDGE- Linda Burton brtnlin@yahoo.combrtnlin@yahoo.com(812)369-4611 AUG 28THAUG 28TH12:20Host: Hilary Hamilton, 2214 Bent Tree SEPT 25TH12:20Host: Kay Theis, 1405 Countryside Ln.	<b>3RD FRI LADIES BRIDGE</b> Linda Burton, (812)-369-4611 <u>brtnlin@yahoo.com</u> AUG 18TH12:20Host: Marilyn Perlmutter, 678 E. Heather Dr.SEPT 15TH12:20Host: Linda Burton, 514 E. Moss Creek Dr.
1ST TUESDAY BRIDGE-Linda Burton, 369-4611.brtnlin@yahoo.comAUG 1ST12:30Host:Marilyn Perlmutter 678 E. Heather Dr.SEPT 5th12:30Host:Linda Gregory, 4310 Kinser Dr.	4TH FRI COUPLES-BRIDGE-Karen Karpinski, 334-0623 AUG 25THAUG 25THCall for locationSEPT 22NDCall for location
<b>4TH TUES DUPLICATE COUPLES BRIDGE</b> 7:00 Helen Sauer, (812) 822-2474 Date and location to be determined	MAH-JONG Ruth Simon, (812) 339-8291 Contact Ruth for Info
THE FOLLOWING GROUPS SECOND BUNCO GROUP: A <u>second Bunco</u>	Host: Rosemary Conley, 1304 E. 2nd St., 361-3761 SEPT 21ST 6:30 Host: TBA ARE SEEKING NEW MEMBERS. group is forming. Twelve players are
NO AUGUST MEETING,	
1ST TUES-MEN BRIDGE-AUG 1ST 6:30 SEPT 5TH 6:30 For info: Rich Weyand, <u>weyand@rcn.com</u>	3RD THUR-MEN BRIDGE-AUG 17TH       6:30         SEPT 21ST       6:30         Bill Greenbaum, 369-4077 joelgreenbaum@msn.com



### **Good Eatin' Groups!**

For those who enjoy cooking and those who enjoy eating!

#### FUN LUNCH BUNCH 3RD WED

11:30 AM

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

AUG 16TH @ 11:30 PLEAST NOTE CHANGE!! Join us at the BJ's located on S. College Mall Rd. RSVP by August 14th, if you plan to attend. Call or email Janie.

SEPT 20TH @ 11:30 Join us at the Longhorn Steak House located at 721 S. College Mall Rd. RSVP to Janie by Sept 18th.

#### **"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 ladiesnout@gmail.com

The Group will NOT meet in August SEPT 11th - 6:00 PM Please join us at the C3 Bar, located at Renwick Village Center at 1515 S. Piazza Dr. Contact Debbie at ladiesnout@gmail.com by Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, if you wish to attend.

#### T.G.I.F.

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

This group will not meet in August. SEPT 8TH Hosts: JoAnn and Ken Bretsch, 3936 E. Fenbrook Lane. No red wine please.

#### 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

We have two wine tasting groups:

Single Ladies -Mary Jo Day, Leader, mjdav1944@qmail.com, (812) 361-7588 Members decide on dates and location and notify each other. There is a pitch-in dinner. The hostess provides the main dish and picks 4 wines to taste and we share the cost. Everyone else brings a dish to share. Since this is a sit down dinner, there are no vacancies at this time. If some ladies are interested, we can start another group.

Couples Group – John & Ruth Simon, Leaders, prsimon@qmail.com, (812) 339-8291 The group decides times and place. The host buys 4 bottles of wine and everyone shares the cost. There are more members because they serve **only appetizers** to go with the wine.



#### Janie Harnett, (812) 339-4528 jane.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: <u>VisitBloomington. com</u>

Cardinal Stage: Frankenstein in October, Peter Pan in December. Details at <u>cardinalstage.org</u> IU Theatre: Joe Shmoe Saves the World, Aug 16-19; Urinetown, Sept 22-30 Details at <u>indiana.edu/~thtr</u> IU Auditorium: Michael Carbonaro Live , Sept 16; Diavolo, Sept 26; John Cleese, Oct 1; Kinky Boots, Oct

24. Details at <u>iuauditorium.com/events</u>

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

**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 <u>cinema.indiana.edu/calendar/</u> or the newsletter calendar. Most films are free but you need to obtain tickets at the Auditorium box office. "Citizen Jane: Battle for the City"; "Angels in America: Part One, Millennium Approaches"; "Angels in America: Part Two, Perestroika"; "Chuck"; "Ocean Waves"; "KiKi".

Bloomington Playwrights Project: Annual Gala, Aug 25, "Beating a Dead Horse", Sept 29-Oct 14. Visit <u>newplays.org</u>

Buskirk-ChumleyTheatre: Strong Towns: It Starts Here, Aug 3; Love Story (film) Aug 4; Lucinda Williams, Aug 6; Middle Coast Film Festival, Aug 10—12; Va-Va-Va Vaudeville, Aug 19; The Robert Cray Band, Aug 22; Being Bloomington..., Aug 23; Whatever Comes Next, (film) Aug 27; Rory Block & Austin Lucas, Sept 8; Dancing with the Celebrities, Sept 9; Steve Inskeep, Sept 15; Carrie Newcomer & Friends, Sept 16; George Saunders, Sept 19; Rhiannon Giddens, Sept 23; 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: *9th Annual Bloomington Comedy Festival*, June 14– August 23: *Lucas Brother's*, Aug 3-5: *Eddie Pepitone*, Aug 10-12: *Tiffany Haddish*, Aug 24-26: *Nicole Byer*, Sept 1-2: For details visit <u>comedyattic.com</u>

**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: Nunsense, Aug 18, 19, 25, 26: The Birth of Rock 'n' Roll, Sept 1 & 30; Heart & Soul, Sept 2 & 29; Dylan The Times Are still A Changin, Sept 3: Moonlight & Magnolia, (comedy), Sept 7,-9, 14,-16, 21,-23: For movie showings and details go to browncountyplayhouse.org

**Ryder Film Series:**: AUGUST: *Pop Aye; OBIT. Life on Deadline; Buena Vista Social Club: Adios; Glory; I Am the Glues; Tomorrow;* SEPTEMBER: *Moka; The Midwife;* details at: <u>theryder.com/events</u> **The Bluebird:** For performance details visit <u>thebluebird</u>

The Bishop: live bands thebishopbar.com

Parlour Theater: Magic Show Info: thecardwiz.com

Don't forget the 4th Street Art Festival, GarlicFest, and LOTUS in September! (page 18) In addition to the August & September calendars, check out the various on-going exhibits and activities on pages 8, 17 & 18, as well as the events on page 9.

#### **ON-GOING AREA EVENTS**

OLIVER WINERY MUSIC: LIVE MUSIC SATURDAYS: 6/3 –10/28: 4:00 TO 7:00 PM, SUNDAY JAZZ JAMS 5/28–9/3.

**9TH ANNUAL BLOOMINGTON COMEDY FESTIVAL** Wednesdays- 6/14– 8/23, The Comedy Attic, 123 S. Walnut St. 8:00 pm. Join us All SUMMRT LONG as we crown the Funniest Person in Bloomington. 40 Comedians, 11 weeks, one Champion.

**MIDDLE COAST FILM FESTIVAL**: 8/10-8/12. Buskirk-Chumley Theater, 114 E. Kirkwood Avenue, 10:00 AM–11:00 PM Bloomington's first interactive film festival, bringing the best international and national short and feature films, web series episodes and music videos at four separter venues in Bloomington. \$15-\$40.

**SAVING GRANDMA'S ATTIC**: May 23, 2017 - December 31, 2017 Monroe County History Center Do you want to know more about museum conservation? Do you have questions about family heirlooms and how to take care of them? Visit the Saving Grandma's Attic exhibit to learn more and find resources to help you take care of your priceless family treasures.

**BECOMING ONE–A PHOTO SERIES BY MANDEY LUND:** 8/1-1/31 Gather; handmade shoppe & Co.: 116 N. Walnut Street 11:00 AM to 6:00PM Free: Sensually connecting to the elements; elements of nature are found in our body. "Becoming One" is about merging with these elements, connecting with them and aligning our power to them.

**LOCAL CLAY POTTERS' GUILD 20TH ANNIVERSARY EXHIBIT** 7/29-8/19 Ivy Tech John Waldron Arts Center 122 S. Walnut Free: Featuring the recent work of 23 Bloomington area potters and sculptors. Pieces include colorful and textured tableware for everyday use, special occasions and free standing and wall mounted pieces for home and garden.

**QUIET OBSERVATION:** 7/7-/8/9: By Hand Gallery. Fountain Square Mall, Suite 109, 101 W. Kirkwood Avenue, Free Mary Uthuppuru has had to develop a way to cope with the perceived unfairness of Mother Nature and has discovered a love for uncovering the mysterious intricacies of human, plant, and animal behavior.

**ROBB HILL-HOMELAND FRAGMENTS:** 7/7 – 8/28 (Tues-Sat) Pictura Gallery 122 W. 6th Street, 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM Homelands started as a documentary project to record the land where I grew up before big machines altered it. I've been returning to Utica, Indiana, several times a year for the last 13 years to hike the trails and fields I played in as a kid

**LIGHT MATTERS SYMPOSIUM** Grunwald Gallery of Art, 1201 E. 7th Street, Fine Arts Building, Room 123, 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM Free and open to the public. August 23nd -August 25th, Each presenter is internationally recognized for their innovative work in photo based printmaking and will be able to share their experiences and expertise throughout the three days of events. The exhibit will open on August 25th and continue through October 4,.

**BLOOMINGTON COMMUNITY SONG CIRCLE** Recurring monthly on the 2nd Friday until 12/8, 2017 Everyone is welcome to join us for the joy of singing. All songs are taught. All voices are welcome.

**GIVING BACK TO AFRICA 6TH ANNUAL GALA-CONGO: CONTINUE THE STORY-CREATIVE TRANSITIONS** 8/27: The Fields Clubhouse, 1333 S. Fenbrook Lane, 6:00-8:00 PM \$50 person, \$45 if 2 or more, \$30 student. Join us as we enjoy the live African music, beverages, appetizers, silent auction, African Market and local artist exhibition.

ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE: THE SHOW-WITHIN-A-SHOW IN BROADWAY AND OPOERA: 8/27-Fairview United Methodist Church, 600 W. 6th St. 2:00 –4:00 pm Steal behind the scenes with Carlson-Palmer Productions in our seventh annual free summer concert!

**KARAOKOKE W/DAVE WALTER**; Wednesdays until December 27, The Root Cellar Lounge, 108 E. Kirkwood Avenue. 11:00 PM-3:00 AM Free.



#### **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

<u>Visitbloomington</u> – 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 Monroe County Fair 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

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Don't forget to check out events throughout the state: Indiana State Fair: Aug 4-20: <u>indianastatefair.com</u> <u>visitindiana.com/events</u> <u>in.gov/activecalendar</u> <u>visitindiana.com/trip-ideas/12279-bloomington-fun-for-all-ages</u> <u>indiana.edu/hoosier-life/attractions</u> <u>groupon.com/local/bloomington-in/things-to-do</u> <u>10best.com/destinations/indiana/indianapolis/attractions/holiday-attractions</u>

## l/olunteer/Donate for Your Health and Happiness

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

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 Community Wish List postings online at <u>BloomingtonVolunteerNetwork.org/CommunityWishList</u>



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 thoughtfulness.

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



The BNC Board continues to have three vacancies that need to be filled ASAP. Any BNC member is eligible to step up and serve the organization!

- President: facilitates meetings
- Vice President: obtains speakers
- Interest Group Coordinator: collects meeting details

If you would be interested in serving on the Board, contact Ken
 Crawford at (812) 369-4630 <u>ctec61@gmail.com</u>

Additionally, there are some Interest Groups which need a leader. The duties are simple. Each month, submit the details of the meeting dates, times and locations of the meetings for the newsletter. Then send an e-mail to the group members.

Some groups such as the Garden Club have disbanded due to a lack of a designated leader. We also need some new interest groups. The possibility of adding Bridge, other cards games, wine tasting, or other groups to enjoy food or local entertainment/ interests would all be welcome. If you would like to organize or re-organize a group, contact Ellen Goodman, at (812) 339-6344 or ph1da2mom@gmail.com.

#### Request from one of our BNC members, Vickie Runyon:

Would you like to become friends with an international student? Since 1954 Bloomington Worldwide Friendship has matched community members with Indiana University international students for cultural exchange. There is no home-stay. Members and students meet 3-4 times per semester for activities of their choice.. Visit <u>bloomingtonworldwidefriendship.org</u> or call Cindy York 812-333-4729 for more information.



Sandy and Steve Courtney 4653 E. Cache Creek Lane Bloomington, IN 47401 <u>1760courtney@gmail.com</u> 812-822-1169

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6 BCT: Lucinda Williams Bryan Park: Hoosier Caravand with Tom Roznowski and Krista Detor Artisan Alley 2nd St & B-Line: First Sandy Farmers and Arts Market WL: STEM Sunday Oliver Winery: Sunday Jazz Jams	7 National Sister Day	Bishop: Omni with Ke4vin Krautoer & Peter Oren Peoples Park : Peter & the Wolves UT: "Love's Labor's Lost Bryan Park: Messy Mania Monroe Lake: Explore Monroe Paddling Trip	9 <u>2nd Wed Ladies Bridge</u> Bixhop: Jon Stickley Trio CA: 9th Annual Bloomington Cornedy Festival Book Lovers Day	10 Men's Breakfast Needlework Group Bichop: Amy O with Bugg & Jacky Boy CA: Eddie Pepitone's Return IUC: "Chuck" BCT: Middle Coast Film Festival	Food Truck Friday IUC: "Chuck" CA: Eddie Pepitone's Return BCT: Middle Coast Film Festival Bishop: Ought with Master Key Presidential Joke Day	Farmer's Market & Art Fair         IUC: "Chuck"         CA: Eddie Pepitone's Return         Creekbend: Cork & Fork: Winedown         IUC: "Angels in America: Part 2,         Perestroika"         Powell Preserve Little Hikers: Buzzing,         Flying, Hopping         Oliver Winery: Live Music Saturdays         BCT: Middle Coast Film Festival         Bishop: Rumors-Fleetwood Mac Tribute         Paynetown: S'Mores Celebration
13 <sup>IVTW:</sup> Blues & Boogie Woogie Piano Festival WL: STEM Sunday Oliver Winery: Sunday Jazz Jams International Left-Handers Day	14 Book Club #3	15 <sup>BB: Ballyhoo!</sup> Peoples Park: Amigo Fields	<b>16</b> <u>3rd Wed Bridge</u> <u>Fun Lunch Bunch</u> 9th Annual Bioomington Comedy Festival IUT: Joe Schmoe Saves the World Bishop: Tarra Terra CA: 9th Annual Bioomington Comedy Festival	<ul> <li>Men's Breakfast Ladies Bunco Night <u>3rd Thurs Men's Bridge</u></li> <li>IUC: "Ocean Waves"</li> <li>CA: James Davis from Comedy Central</li> <li>IUT: Joe Schmoe Saves the World</li> </ul>	<ul> <li><b>118</b> And Fri Ladies Bridge Food Truck Friday IUC: "Kiki"</li> <li>CA: James Davis from Comedy Central</li> <li>IUT: Joe Schmoe Saves the World Bryan Park: "Pete's Dragon"</li> <li>Bishop: The Tillers w/ Wonderhills</li> </ul>	<b>19</b> Farmers Market MCCC: B'Town Jazz Fest IUC: "Kiki" PP: Happy Hour with the Uketones IUC: "Ocean Waves" CA:d James Davis - Comedy Central IUT: Joe Schmoe Saves the World Oliver Winery: Live Music WL: Eclipse Prep BB: Rod Tuffcurls & The Benchpress BD: Live Band Burlesque
20 <sup>PP:</sup> Sci Blues Society- "Boogie to Beale" WL: STEM Sunday Oliver Winery: Sunday Jazz Jams	21 <u>August 21, 2017</u> Total Solar Eclipse United States	222 <u>4th Tues Duplicate</u> <u>Couple Bridge</u> Peoples Park Concerts BCT: The Robert Gray Band	23 CA: 9th Annual Bloomington Comedy Festival	244 Men's Breakfast Creekbend: Vineyard Tours CA: Tiffany Haddish From Girls Trip & Keanu	255 Book Club #2 <u>Ath Fri Couples</u> <u>Bridge</u> Food Truck Friday Butler4 Park: "Star Wars: The Force Awakens" CA: Tiffany Haddish From Girls Trip & Keanu	266 Farmers Market Kirkwood Ave: Pridefest BBL Dave Rawlings Machine Oliver Winery: Live Music CA: Tiffany Haddish From Girls Trip & Keanu International
27 Fields Clubhouse: Giving Back to Africa 6th Annual Gala/Congo: Continue the Story-Creative Transitions Oliver Winery: Sunday Jazz Jams WHB: Bloomington Symphony Orchestra Fairview Methodist Church: "All the World's a Stage: The Show- Within-A-Show" in Broadway & Opera. WL: STE< Sunday	28 <sup>4th Mon Bridge</sup>	Peoples Park Concerts 29 More Herbs, Less Salt Day	30 Book Club #1 Frankenstein Day	31 Men's Breakfast	Key to Ab * BB:Bluebird * BD:Back Door * BP:Bear's Place * BPP: B Playwright Project * BCT: Buskirk-Chumley * CA: Comedy Attic * CS : Cardinal Stage * IUA: IU Auditorium * IUC :IU Cinema	breviations * IUC :IU Cinema * IUJ:IU Jacobs School of Music * IUT: IU Theatre * IVTW: Ivy Tech Waldron Arts Center * MCCC: Monroe Co Convention Cntr * MCCT :Monroe Co Civic Theater * MCPL: Monroe County Library

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<b>3</b> 4th St Festival of the Arts & Crafts Garlicfest & Community Art Fair Bishop: Moon King First Sunday Farmers Market & Arts Market Oliver Winery: Jazz Jams	4 HONOR LABOR Labor Day	5 <u>Lunch &amp; Matinee</u> <u>1st Tues Bridge</u> <u>1st Tue Men's Bridge</u> <u>RSVP due for the</u> <u>Fall Kick Off</u>	6 A Book A DAY Keeps Reality AWAY Read a Book Day	7 BNC Board Meeting Men's Breakfast	<ul> <li>Food Truck Friday</li> <li>Bishop:: Bishop Anniversary</li> <li>Monroe Co Fairgrounds:</li> <li>Kiwanis Indiana Balloon Fest</li> <li>WHB: "Double Indemnity"</li> <li>BCT: Rory Block in Concert: a Benefit</li> <li>for Amethyst House</li> </ul>	<b>9</b> Outdoor Farmers Market & Fair of the Arts Monroe Co Fairgrounds: Kiwanis Indiana Balloon Fest Scarlet Woods: Little Hikers: Hug a Tree Oliver Winery: Live Music
Monroe Co Fairgrounds: Kiwanis Balloon Fest Simon Music Center: Faculty Chamber Music Recital	111 Brown Bag Book Club #3 Ladies Night Out	12 <u>Fall Kick Off</u> <u>6:00 pm</u> <u>at</u> <u>Farm Bloomington</u> <u>108 E. Kirkwood</u>	13 <u>Simon Music Cntr:</u> Chamber Music Bishop: Strand of Oaks with Jason Anderson	14 <u>Men's Breakfast</u> Needlework Group Bishop: Sheer Mag with Flesh World & Laffing Gas Simon Music Cntr: Salon Latino Chamber Music Series-Latin American Music Center	<b><u>3rd Fri Ladies Bridge</u></b> Food Truck Friday IOI: Don Giovanni Bryan Park: "Tomorrowland" GnawBone: GnawBrew Beer Art & Music Bishop: Hoops POW/MIA Recognition Day	<b>16</b> Outdoor Farmers Market BCT: Carrie Newcomer & Friends IUJ: Don Giovanni IUA: Michael Carbonaro Live Oliver Winery: Live Music and Fall Garden Tour Simon Music Cntr: Pen Trio-Guest Music Chamber Music Recital
<b>17</b> Simon Music Center: Trio Morelia-Guest Chamber Music Recital-Presented by the Latin American Music Center	18 National Cheeseburger Day	19 Dut and About Bishop: Rainer Maria Arers Are	20 <sup>3rd Wed Bridge</sup> Fun Lunch Bunch	211 Men's Breakfast Ladies Bunco Games & Cards 3rd Thur Men's Bridge Bluebird: Boogie T & Squinto Ellettsville: Monroe County Fall Festival Bishop: Tops	222 <u>4th Fri Couples Bridge</u> Food Truck Friday IUJ: Don Giovanni Ellettsville: Monroe County Fall Festival RCA Community Park: Nature Sounds: Mammals Featuring Hoosier Darling Autumn Equinox	23 Outdoor Farmers Market BCT: Rhiannon Giddens Oliver Winery: Live Music Ellettsville: Monroe County Fall Festival Creekbend: Cork & Fork: Locally Picked BB: Spirit of '68 Presents: Murder by Death W/Thunder Dreamer
<b>24</b> Bishop: Pinegrove with Florist & Lomelda	25 Ath Mon Bridge 25 National Comic Book Day	26 <u>Ath Tues Duplicate</u> Couples IVA: Diavolo IVA: Diavolo Johnny Appleseed Day	27 Book Club #1	28 <u>Men's Breakfast</u> International Issues Lotus World Music & Arts Festival Bishop: CAAMP Simon Music Cntr: New Music Ensemble Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival	<b>29</b> Lotus World Music & Arts Festival BPP: "Beating a Dead Horse" Food Truck Friday Creekbend: Vineyard Tours IU: Dances for Two Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival	<b>30</b> Outdoor Farmers Market Lotus World Music & Arts Festival BPP: "Beating a Dead Horse" IU: Dances for Two Memorial Stadium: Hoosiers Outrun Cancer 2017 Stinesville Stone Quarry Festival Oliver Winery: Live Music



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Maturity is overrated.

## 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.

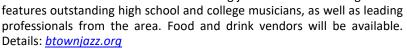
Drool in the Pool: Mills Pool is open August 16 & 17 for your canine buddy's enjoyment. The first evening: offers dog paddling fun and a jumping contest. The second evening is filled with more contests. Register at bloomington.in.gov/recreation/programs/10153





Bloomington Blues & Boogie Piano Fest: Performances by artists from all over the country may be seen at the Waldron Center on Aug 13<sup>th</sup>. Details at: *bloomingtonboogies.com* 

The B'town Jazz Fest on Aug 19 at the Monroe Convention Center showcases the amazing jazz talent in Bloomington and



**Concerts in the Park:** The People's Park concert series now takes 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 6 from 6:30 to 8:00. For a performance list, checkout: *bloomington.com/things-to-do/events* 



Bean Blossom Blues Festival: August 24, 25, 26 Voted

#1 Best 2016 Indiana Music Festival Location: Bill Monroe Music Park & Campground, 5 miles North of Nashville. *beanblossomblues.com* 

Monroe County Fair: July 27-Aug 5. Come to the Fairgrounds to experience a time honored tradition of the County Fair. Details: monroecountyfairgrounds.in





The fourth annual Pridefest: Saturday,

August 26 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.



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Indiana State Fair returns to honor Youth, Agriculture and Education Aug 4-20, 2017. Details at: indianastatefair.com



## September Special Events Check out Herald-Times Thursday Calendar

Fourth Street Festival Labor Day Weekend September 2 & 3: 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 <u>4thstreet.org</u> for photos Fourth Street and details. Festival



Bloomington GarlicFEST features food, live music, local artists, a kidzone, cooking C competitions, healthy eating education, a beer garden, and more. The festival est offers free admission to the public Saturday and September 2 & 3, beginning daily at 11 a.m. at Third Street Park.

Lotus World Music & Arts Festival September 28-Oct 1: 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 10<sup>th</sup>. 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. 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.





Monroe County Fall Festival: Sept 21,- Sept 23. 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 on the second weekend of September 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 musical entertainment.



Each year, the Treasurer publishes a year-end report of the organization's financial status. Please note the considerable expenses related to the BNC events that include the *Summer Picnic, the Fall Kick Off, the Holiday Party, and the Spring Fling*. Those expenses are due to the fact that the fees charged to the members to attend these events do not cover the total costs for the food, facility rental, and any entertainment. In an effort to keep the attendees' costs reasonable, the BNC supplements the total cost. Additionally, the \$20 dues per household provide the funds necessary to print and mail the newsletters. Consider the cost of printing and mailing. The Board makes every effort to expend fees judiciously.

	6/1/16-5/31	l/17 Consolidated	
Beginning Balance			\$3,538.6
	Plus Recei	pts	11,202.6
	Minus Exp	enses	-11,744.4
Ending Balance Old National Bank			\$2,996.94
Cash on hand			20.0
Available Cash			\$3,016.94
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Dues	\$	4,195.00	
Picnic		385.00	
Fall Kick-Off		2,250.00	
Holiday Party		1,960.00	
Spring Fling		1,645.00	
Liability Insurance Refund		429.40	
Speaker Book Sales		10.50	
Bank fee		32.00	
Classic Catering Refund		295.78	
Total Income			11,202.68
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Administrative	\$	1,690.86	
Newsletter & Directory		1,845.77	
Brd Mtg facility fee		175.00	
Special Lunches/Dinners		261.18	
Special Events		230.00	
Events Catering		6,933.25	
Events Music		580.25	
Events Decorations		28.11	11 744 47
Total Expenses		\$	11,744.42
Respectfully submitted			
Jan Greenwood, BNC Treasurer			

Jan Greenwood is to be commended for her excellent bookkeeping and willingness to serve for multiple years when another Treasurer could not be recruited.

NEWCOMERS

## MONTHLY MEETINGS

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

Meetings are usually held the second Tuesday of the month in October, November, January, February, March, and April and typically include an interesting speaker. Special events are held in September, December, May, and July. The Board is looking to alternate meetings between luncheon and evenings meetings to better accommodate those who work. The speaker schedule for the year is forthcoming and will be posted on the website when final.

**BNC Board Meetings** are held the first Thursday of the month at 10:30 at the Sherbrooke Place Clubhouse, 1309 E. Sherbrooke Dr.

Nembership

New membership year starts Sept 1. Dues are \$20.00 per household, \$25.00 if paid after October 15. For those who start their initial membership after February, there is a discounted rate of \$10.00 for the first year. For questions contact Monica Dignam; mondig90@gmail.com or (812) 345-8770.

You should find a pre-printed membership form in your newsletter. Review for accuracy and return it with payment to the address on the form. If you have already paid your dues for the new year, just review the form for accuracy. If changes are needed, simply correct & send; otherwise ignore.

Membership is required to participate in any interest group. Currently residents new to the Bloomington area **FIVE YEARS** or less are eligible to join the Bloomington Newcomers Club (BNC). However, an up-coming vote on the by-laws in October may eliminate the requirement to be a new resident. Members may remain active as long as their fees are paid annually.



Please contact the BNC 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.

## Sign up for Interest Groups At the Annual Fall Kick Off

6:00 pm Tuesday, September 12 at Farm Bloomington 108 E. Kirkwood

Sign-up for all interest groups will be held at this time.

Parking is free for the first 3 hours in the garage. Metered parking is behind Farm or on the street.

Dan Orr; owner, chef, and author, is preparing special buffet for us and will give us an informative talk about the history of Farm.

The BNC is charging \$35 per person. The total cost to enjoy this special evening is actually \$38.10 per person. As is the practice, BNC will pick up the excess amount.

- The cost to rent Farm is \$75.00, (normally \$150)
- \$30 per person for the buffet
- \$6 for tip (20%) and \$2.10 for tax (7%)
- For a total of \$38.10 per person if a minimum of 50 people attend

Please acknowledge Linda Burton and Carolyn Anderson for their tireless efforts to plan and organize all of our major events.

# Meet & Greet

as we kick off the new year with the Bloomington Newcomers Club Annual Fall Kick Off 6:00 pm Tuesday, September 12 at Farm Bloomington 108 E. Kirkwood



Romaine & Arugula Salad With Red Onion, Cherry Tomatoes & Citrus Vinaigrette Garlic Chicken Breast with 2 side sauces Kale & Collard Greens, Smashed Potatoes Vegetarian Noodles, Pasta Bake with Fresh Basil, Cherry Burst Tomatoes & Roasted Tomato Sauce Seasonal Cobbler Cash Bar

## Fall Kick Off RSVP

For Tuesday, September 12th at Farm Bloomington, 108 E Kirkwood at 6:00 pm

RSVP due by Tuesday, Sept 5th No payments taken at the door

Please make check payable to: Bloomington Newcomers Club

Mail RSVP and check to:

Treasurer Bloomington Newcomers Club PO Box 8231 Bloomington, IN 47407-8231 Name(s):

Guest(s):

Cost each @ \$35.00 \_\_\_\_\_= \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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