



Newcomers News

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APRIL
2008

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Please join us for the April program:

Tuesday, April 22, 2008, 7:00 PM
Traverse City Library - Woodmere St.

VOLUNTEERISM

Volunteers are the life-blood of almost all nonprofit organizations and agencies. Without volunteers, in most cases, these entities could not function. Our own Newcomers Club is managed by volunteers. This month's program highlights the importance of giving of one's time for the benefit of others.

Susan McQuaid, Volunteer Center Director of United Way of Northwest Michigan, will be our featured speaker this month. Susan's department acts as a clearing-house for volunteerism and works with about 200 nonprofit agencies, recruiting, connecting, supporting and recognizing volunteers who make a difference. Just as importantly, a few of our own members will speak of their own experiences providing this vital service to the community.

Come mix with your Newcomer friends and enjoy the program. Better yet, bring other friends with you. Our meetings are always open to the public. Socializing starts (with refreshments) at 7.P.M., with the program beginning at 7:30.

Questions? Call Bud Dockter, 932-2394

SPECIAL INVITATION! PUT THIS ON YOUR CALENDAR NOW!

Saddle up for our annual spring event (May program) at Ranch Rudolf on Saturday, May 10.

Details are on p. 3.

JOIN THE SPRING ROUNDUP!!



Please visit
gtnewcomers.org

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Many thanks to
Judy Albert for
creating and constantly
updating the site.

NEWCOMERS CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

The Newcomers Club of Grand Traverse is a social and civic organization whose purpose is to extend a welcoming hand to people living in the Grand Traverse area. The Newcomers Club also provides opportunities to meet and socialize with other re-located people sharing common interests.

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PRESIDENTS' NOTE

APRIL 2008



Tom Custance and
Brad Spencer

It's rather interesting, in a strange sort of way, that some people think that those of us who live Up North spend our winter hibernating. They think our time is spent huddled under a large quilt peering through frosted windows at the rising snow piles awaiting the first signs of anything resembling Spring. Could these be the same folks who think the moon landing was a staged Hollywood event or that Dick Clark is still 25 years old? How wrong they are!

Those of us in Newcomers know the real truth. The tracks in the snow, the sound of cards shuffling, the hot toddies after movie, the satisfied feeling of a good meal at a local eatery, or the sounds of laughter as good friends share special moments are the reality we share.

Do we look forward to Spring? Sure we do. It gives us an opportunity to do even more. Clean up those golf clubs...check out the kayak...get out the hiking boots...look out world, here we come!

As a part of the upcoming activities, we encourage you to attend our general meetings where you will be updated on what is being planned. Check around in the newsletter or our website for details on them.

Our nominating committee deserves thanks for their efforts to find volunteers to serve as officers for next year. At this writing several of the vacancies have been filled with several more to go. Feel free to call Brad or Karen Spencer, Bud Dockter or Tom Custance to let us know if you want to be a part of the action.

'Helping Hands' Request
The Newcomers Club
'Helping Hands' Coordinator
attempts to acknowledge happy
and sad times in our
members' lives. Please notify
Marlene Steider at 922-2183 or
marlenesteider@msn.com
if you know of any of these
circumstances.

PLEASE !!!
Send news, articles, photos,
letters, or ads to the
newsletter editor,
bennettjj@charter.net
or
932-9249
The deadline for the May 2008
newsletter is April 15
(But finish your taxes first!)

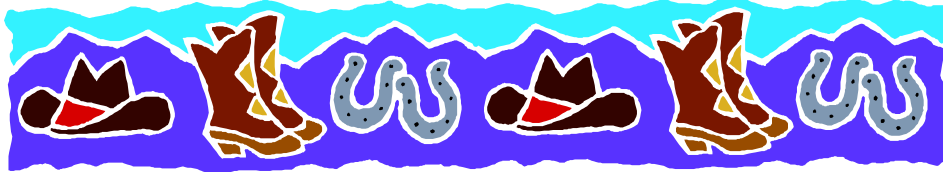
PLEASE HELP RECRUIT MEMBERS!

KNOW SOMEONE WHO HAS
JUST MOVED TO THE AREA?
Contact Sharon Finch, City Hostess,
with their names and she will do the rest.
947-8403, hsfinch@charter.net

NEW MEMBER CORNER

**Debra Fayroian and Wesley Jacobs
(Troy, MI)**

Membership Addendum Correction:
Email address for Frank & Kris Early:
frankandkris@aol.com



PLAN NOW FOR THE MAY PROGRAM!

**RANCH RUDOLF ROUNDUP
SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2008**

**Pre-dinner activities begin around 3:30 (see schedule below)
Social time from 5:30 - 6:30, Dinner at 6:30 (rain or shine)**

This year we are planning a different type of venue for our annual spring dinner. Please roundup with us at Ranch Rudolf (www.ranchrudolf.com) for some late afternoon activities followed by dinner at 6:30. Casual attire will reign. You don't have to wear western gear, but jeans and boots will not be out of place at this rustic resort approx. 15 miles southeast of Traverse City.

Hiking, horseshoes, ping pong, and volleyball are possible pre-dinner activities, as is kayaking but you'll need your own equipment for the latter. Or, bring a Mah Jongg game or cards and have some spirited competition on the patio or inside the ample barroom. And you can also belly up to the 'open' bar and enjoy.

All of the above, except for the bar, are free, But there are other fun activities to consider that will conclude by 5:30, leaving members with plenty of social time before dinner. They require some advance notice to the staff, so reservations are needed:

- canoeing (arrive 3:30 for paperwork, start time 4:00), \$15 pp, 2 per canoe
 - horseback riding (arrive 3:30 for paperwork, start time 4:00), \$30
 - a pre-dinner hayride (arrive 4:00 for paperwork, start time 4:30), \$12, (minimum of 10 riders/maximum of 20)

The buffet dinner (\$25 pp) will offer appropriate choices for all wranglers and buckaroos: BBQ beef ribs, BBQ and broasted chicken, stuffed manicotti, twice-baked potatoes, vegetable blend, salad, rolls, coffee, ice tea and desserts (the latter provided by the Newcomers Club).

Please send checks, ASAP, payable to Newcomers Club, for dinner and any of the optional activities you wish to reserve (include a note indicating your activity choice):

Rose Neibauer
4828 Truax Lake Rd.
Williamsburg, MI 49690

The final date to reserve is Saturday, May 3. Questions? Contact Bud Dockter, Jim Neibauer, Tom Custance, Brad Spencer, or Jody Bennett. (Contact info on p. 2 of this newsletter.)

ACTIVITY GROUPS

BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, April 1, 10:00 AM

Join us in the lower level of Horizon Book Store.

We are reading *Living History*, by Hillary Clinton. The book is a memoir of her early childhood, family and life. She writes with candor, humor and passion about her upbringing in suburban, middle-class America in the 1950's and her transformation from a Goldwater Girl, to student activist, to controversial First Lady. *Living History* is her revealing memoir of life through the White House years. It is also her chronicle of living with Bill Clinton, a thirty-year adventure in love and politics that survives personal betrayal, relentless partisan investigations and constant public scrutiny.

BRIDGE

TEAM BRIDGE:

First Friday of each month (except June-Aug.), 7:00 PM at **Cedar Creek Commons**. Call Georgia Stoeber, 938-5846.

WOMEN'S BRIDGE:

2nd and 4th Thursday of each month

2nd Thursday meets at **Scott's Harbor Grille** at 11:30 PM, call Nancy Ravas, 932-1747

4th Thursday meets at **310 Restaurant**, call Judy Owen, 922-9619

MIXED PARTY BRIDGE

3rd Friday, 7:00 P.M. Different hosts each month.

All skill levels welcome. Contact Rick and Kathy Bodette, 271-7524

DINNER OUT

Sunday, April 20, 4:30 PM

Join us at 310 Restaurant, 310 Cass St. New menu. Must order by 5:15 to take advantage of specials.

Please reserve by Sunday, April 13. Later reservations are usually not turned away, but the restaurant needs an approximate number. Contact Constance Kilbride, constancek@firstassetfinancial.com, 941-3871.

EUCHRE

Euchre groups meet once a month, September through May. Presently we have four Couple's Euchre Groups meeting at each others' homes. **(See the December 2007 issue for details of these two activities.)**

INDIVIDUAL'S EUCHRE GROUP IS PROPOSED - NEED

LEADER: Are you an individual who wants to play euchre, but find it difficult to persuade your spouse or friend to commit to a Couple's group? If you'd like to lead this or are interested in subbing in the other groups, call Mike or Karen Coquillard, 932-9883.

FILM GROUP

Thursday, April 10

Specifics as to exact time, film and location will be emailed or telephoned to the group one week prior to meeting. Check the Newcomers website for the most current information. To join this group please contact Judy Pelto at jpelto1@charter.net or call 231-668-6490.

Because we are unable to get film schedules in advance of the publication of the newsletter, the specific time, film and location will be announced by email to those individuals who have signed up for this group. Solos are welcome. We'll go out after for libations and discussion.

GARDENING

Being new to this beautiful area, so many of us have different "gardening joys" waiting for us this spring. Some may have bare new yards, waiting for your personal creation. Others may have inherited someone else's garden that needs some personal changes. As we all know, a garden is never done, it is always evolving, asking us to thin it out or add more.

Are there any members that would be interested in a gardening group e-mail list? We could let others know if we have extra plants that have multiplied, or someone may be looking for a particular plant. Questions and conversation can be shared. If a garden tour or lecture sounds interesting, it could be suggested to the group and those who would be interested could make the plans to get together by the e-mail group list.

If you are interested in being part of this group, or have any suggestions, please let me know. Susanne Bonner susannebonner@aol.com, 932-0943

MEN'S BOOK CLUB

Monday, April 28, 10:00 AM

Join us in the lower level of the Horizon Book Store. The Men's Book Club will be reading *Roosevelt's Secret War : FDR and World War II Espionage*, by Joseph Persico for April. It is said to be a must read for anyone interested in FDR, World war II or wartime espionage. Jim Neibauer will lead the discussion. A lunch at a nearby restaurant will be held after the discussion for those interested.

The May read will be *Fly Boys* by James Bradley. The discussion is scheduled for May 26th

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ACTIVITY GROUPS

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MEN'S BREAKFAST

Wednesday, April 9, 9:00 AM

This group meets at the **Omelette Shoppe next to the Wild Birds Unlimited store in Campus Plaza** every 2nd Wednesday of the month at 9:00 AM. We meet all year around and always meet regardless of the weather. Bring all the testosterone you can muster. Contact George Kobernus 933-9321 or george@kobernus.com.

MEN'S RACQUETBALL - 60+

Thursdays, 11:00 AM

The **Grand Traverse Athletic Club** on Park Drive near South Airport Rd. in Traverse City has four racquetball courts. Some folks are having schedule conflicts so we have changed the day from Tuesdays to Thursdays. So far no serious casualties, just sore muscles. Drop-in rate to play is \$10 and loaner equipment is available.

If you are a current or former racquetball player or would like to learn how to play racquetball contact George Kobernus at george@kobernus.com. More on the sport of racquetball at <http://www.usra.org/>.

OUT-TO-LUNCH BUNCH

Wednesday, April 16 1:00 PM

Join us at Scalawags Whitefish, in the parking deck across State Street from the Park Place Hotel. Please make your reservation by Monday, April 14. Contact Constance Kilbride, constancek@firstassetfinancial.com, 941-3871. Coupons are available on the internet at scalawagswhitefish.com.

POKER

No meeting in April. Next month's meeting will be Tuesday, May 6, location to be determined. Please contact Mike Huffman if you would like more information, wcdspike@yahoo.com.

QUILTING

Tuesday, April 8, 10:00 AM

We will be traveling this month to the Ice House quilt shop in Grayling. This quilt shop really is in an old, turn of the century ice house. It has some very interesting gift and kitchen items as well as a fabulous selection of quilt fabrics, patterns and tools. We will plan to stop for lunch at the café in Grayling.

Please let Joan Wallace know by Sunday the 6th. if you can go, so we can plan our transportation. Joanie8315@hotmail.com or 1-231-222-0060.

SOLOS

April Event: Sunday, April 27th

Let's meet at the Park Place Hotel Dome at 11 AM for the 6th Annual Empty Bowls Benefit. Your \$15 donation provides you with a ceramic or wooden bowl, handcrafted here in Traverse City and soup (donated by local restaurants), bread and a beverage. Proceeds go to the Fresh Food Partnership to assist in providing fresh locally grown food for area pantries.

Deadline for May activity tickets is April 11:

Please call Judy 922-9619 or me 922-9672 to arrange tickets for:

Sunday, May 4, at the Opera House for the Heritage Center Historical Fashion Show and Chocolate Decadence Buffet 2-4 PM.

Saturday, May 10, Interlochen production of "Thoroughly Modern Millie", 7:30 PM

Another May activity:

Saturday, May 31st – Sutton's Bay Shopping/Casino Trip

TABLE TENNIS

March 5, 12, 19, 26 & April 2, 9 & 16 (Wednesdays) 2:00 - 4:00 PM

The Newcomers table tennis group @ Hayden Table Tennis Club, located @ Bates Rd., south of 72, by the railroad crossing, is still going strong. The fact that a few members have headed south for a few months hasn't affected play as we still had a good showing of eight players. The competition continues to improve. Even if you have a fractured shoulder ,don't let it slow you down from playing (ask Brad Spencer).

The next 10-week period begins April 2, 2-4 PM, @ the Hayden Center. League fee is \$35 for the 10 week period (very reasonable \$3.50 per week). Regular daily entrance to the Center is \$7 a person. All Newcomers are invited to play - girls & guys come on out & enjoy a little exercise & fun. The Hayden Table Tennis Center's website is www.httc.net. Call Pete Peterson @ 946-9512 for more information.

WALK IN DA WOODS

Saturday, April 12, 11:00 AM

Old Mission Point Park

For those of you new to the club, these walks are low impact "foot cruises" along the beautiful hiking trails of the Grand Traverse area. Typically they are less than two miles in length and an hour and a half in duration. Lunch following the walk has become an enjoyable feature.

This is a repeat of an "oldie but goodie" from two years

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CABIN FEVER

I grew up in the UP of Michigan and “cabin fever” was a common term up there. No one ever sat me down and defined it, but I always assumed it was a condition that came from being isolated in a small area, like a cabin, for a long time. There are many areas up there fitting that description.

I have flown out of Houghton during the middle of the winter and have seen small cabins that were miles from the nearest plowed road. If there were people in them, they were going to be there until spring. Because of the snow depth, a four-wheel drive vehicle would not get through to the plowed road. A snowmobile would make these places accessible, but even then it would be a chore to get back and forth.

I think that I first learned about the bad effects of being trapped in a lonely cabin in stories I read about prospectors in the Alaskan gold rush. Many of them did not wish to leave the area of their claims, so they would gather provisions for the winter and stay in small cabins a long distance from the nearest town. There were often two or more of them in one of these cabins. When cabin fever finally set in, one of them would imagine weird things about the others and would, in imagined self-defense, kill them. There would be no one around to stop them or to report the crime to the sheriff.

I don't remember any murders when I was in the UP, but I am sure that there were many arguments, marital or otherwise, after a long winter alone up there (and maybe some over-indulgence in alcoholic beverages).

There was a major motion picture about the phenomenon in 1980, “The Shining”. It starred Jack Nicholson and was about a retired teacher (please note) who was going to be a caretaker of a resort in the Rockies. If you haven't seen it, I would recommend it. The resort was not a small cabin but was an eighty-room mansion.



Despite the luxury of the place, Jack went mad and tried to kill his wife and child. I'm not sure that you would call that “cabin fever” because there were some other things going on too, but the results were the same. Jack did not succeed in killing them but he did go mad and died after his family escaped.

There was also a movie called “Cabin Fever”, which came out in 2000. It was about five students who rented a small cabin in some isolated place and tried to stay for a long period of time. They all came down with some weird disease which ate away their skin and flesh. I didn't see the movie but I assume that they perished before the end. It was based on the real-life experience of the movie's director whose face broke out in bloody sores on a trip to Iceland.

Given these reports, is it any wonder that people from this area flee in the winter and go to places where they can bask in the sun and play golf or other things which keep them active and safe from cabin fever?

But you do not have to migrate elsewhere to avoid cabin fever. By staying active and participating in some of the club's activities, you can avoid the boredom which brings it on. As our Co-Presidents indicate in their column this month (p. 2), Newcomer members are an active bunch.

Volunteering is one way to be active. Don't miss this month's program on Tuesday, April 22. The Volunteer Center Director of United Way of Northwest Michigan will be our featured speaker. That office acts as a clearing-house for volunteerism. A few of our own members will share their volunteer experiences too.

One way to be involved is to help the club assist at the State Theatre. If you volunteer there, you get all the popcorn you can eat and soda to wash it down. Other community agencies can use your help as well (p. 7). Racquetball, table tennis, quilting, poker, and the film group are among the other new options to prevent cabin fever. Check out the activity schedules to see what might interest you.

I think that spring is returning and I imagine the snowbirds with it. Warmer weather and the return of friends will stir things up, but keep in mind that “cabin fever” is a condition that knows no seasonal boundaries. It can be a mindset too. Conquer it by getting involved in Newcomer activities and in the community.

Staff Reporter
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Editor's note:
The photo bears no resemblance to the reporter.

“Winter is not a season. It's an occupation.” Sinclair Lewis
“In the Spring I have counted 136 different kinds of weather inside of 24 hours.” Mark Twain

Volunteer Opportunities

Munson Manor Hospitality House is looking for a few "good men, women and couples" to support our mission to provide a warm, caring environment for families whose loved ones are receiving treatment for serious illnesses, injuries or other critical medical conditions at Munson Medical Center. Each year nearly 2,900 families travel to Traverse city seeking medical care for a loved one that is unavailable in their local community. Munson Manor provides low-cost, comfortable accommodations near the hospital, helping to relieve stress and emotional distress.

Volunteers are needed to help staff the main office's registration desk, check-in or check-out guests, provide assistance and directions. Other "support" volunteers provide house tours, orientations, some bake cookies or cakes, cook meals, or just help out around the kitchen and dining room, replenishing supplies, or just spending some time with a guest who needs someone to talk to.

Call Brian Hartzell at 935-2300 for an appointment and tour of our beautiful "home away from home" and learn more about volunteer opportunities at Northern Michigan's premier hospitality house. Visit us at www.munsonhealthcare.org, click on Patient Services, then on Munson Manor for more information.

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State Theatre: Join other Newcomer members as we help out at a local landmark. We are working one Mon. afternoon shift a month, 12:30-4:30. When this fills up, we would like to do the next shift too, 4:30 -7:30. You get to see the movie for free and can have free popcorn and soda.

Contact Jody Bennett, 932-9249 or bennettjj@charter.net

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ago. The trail system at Old Mission Point Park is interesting in terrain, flora, fauna and views. This trail takes you on a ridge system that should be "dry" and offers some great views at the tip of the OMP.

Proceed out the Old Mission Peninsula on M-37 (Center Road) almost to the end. Turn right on Tompkins. At Brinkman turn left. Turn left again at Murray and the parking area will be on your right.

Please let me know if you are planning on attending so I can know whom to call in case inclement weather causes a cancellation.

Contact Marlowe Bonner, 231-932-0943

March Euchre Report

Despite a chilly and slippery evening, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dockter arrived safely and happily at their residence on Lake Leelanau just in time to discuss current events and Newcomers gossip, while munching contentedly on savory finger food before leaping excitedly into several provocative games of euchre.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thompson of Duck Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hosler of Mission Ridge, Mr., Mrs. Ralph Brickman of Bowers Harbor, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Spencer of Bingham Ridge, and Mrs. And Mrs. Joe Harris of Kroupa Woods. All parties seemed to enjoy themselves all evening. Mrs. Thompson's musical socks received special attention.

Mrs. Hosler, nee Carol, festooned the island with a swell cherry pie while Mrs. Thompson, nee Carol, adorned the counter with a special strawberry-rhubarb pie which was well received by the jostling and voracious crowd.

The gala evening concluded just in time before 10:30 with the top award going to Mrs. Dockter, nee Nancy, who scored 67 points in seven rounds, a club record. Brad Spencer ended up wearing the miniature beaded green St. Patrick's Day mug necklace which qualified him to take home the green St. Patrick's Day glass flask sunglasses endofevening prize with many devilishly quaint pictures following. The evening was judged a complete success by all attendees.

Submitted by Brad Spencer

Tennis Anyone?

Would like to play regularly or substitute in doubles only. Please call Evi Sickinger, 421-2166.

For Sale Newcomers Special!

Jerry & Diana Hawkins have just completed remodeling their condo and are selling the following pieces:

- *Yellow floral sofa- 84"
- *Two apple green arm chairs with matching ottoman
- *Four piece maple bedroom set
- *A coffee table and two end tables with leaded glass tops
- *Nordic track –great for skiers and x-country
- *End table- maple -26" round
- *Plus several other accessories and pictures

Excellent Condition, Best Offer
Please call 231-995-9814 for more info. after April 20.

And now, a message about our sponsors:

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Please patronize them! See the list on the back cover of this newsletter. Be sure to tell them we appreciate their efforts in helping newcomers settle into their new lives in the Grand Traverse area.

Patronize our sponsors

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231-946-1722 www.dgncpa.com

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995-1055

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1 in Suttons Bay
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922-2600

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947-6246

G.T. Pavilions

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932-3000

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933-9622

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231-534-6750, 1-888-437-2772

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Music House Museum

U.S. 31 North, Acme
938-9300

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Oleson's Food Stores

New store: Hammond Rd./3 Mi.
3850 N. Long Lake Rd.
947-6510

Old Town Playhouse

148 E. Eighth St.
947-2210, ext. 3

Omelette Shoppe

1209 E. Front St., TC
124 Cass St., TC

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260 East Tenth, TC

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947-2077

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946-2000

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