



THE MONTHLY SCOOP

August 2024



*A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing,
and the lawnmower is broken.*

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to August and the dog days of summer, but don't fret, cooler days are coming, I do hope all are enjoying the outdoors near a pool, lake or the ocean.

Please review our activities schedule and feel free to sign up for as many as you would like. Maybe now is the perfect time to enjoy a new activity. It's also a great way to catch

up with old friends and a way to meet new ones. We are always looking for new board members with new ideas and if interested please reach out for more information.

In our next issue look for new activities we will be offering and until then stay cool!
Kindly, Gary Orso

FYI:

Sunday Social will occur in September; there is some hesitancy to continue it as the attendance has not been great. Please support this event by signing up!

Some people have expressed interest in Euchre, Hearts, Bunco, Canasta, Poker and Mah Jongg groups. If you are interested leading or participating in any of these, contact Carol Alexander at calex16@gmail.com.

Gary has agreed to send info. with pics to the Pilot and possibly the Pinestraw. If you have any photos and details of past events, please send him an email with names of the people and the event title. His email is grorso@maine.rr.com.

NEEDED

This will be Elly Moses' last year as Membership Chairperson. Please ask your fellow Act 2 members to volunteer for 2025 starting in February. Don't wait until the last minute!

DAYTRIPPERS

We are considering several places to visit nearby. Please contact Catherine Mitchell, sandhillsdg@earthlink.net regarding suggestions.

SINGLES AND SOLOS GROUP

Come and enjoy "The Sound of Music" at the Sunrise Theater on Sunday August 18th at 3pm. Tickets are \$27.50 through Sunrise Theater website. RSVP to Debbie at debbieanderson123@yahoo.com by Friday Augusts 16th. Dinner after?

Watch for Email blasts for other spur of the moment events! Call Carol Alexander at 910-295-9591 or cell (910) 603-3728 or email Debbie Anderson to join or for other singles/solos group activity suggestions.

ORIGINAL BOOK CLUB

On Monday, August 26th at 12:30, we meet at Carol Alexander's home, 10 Ridgewood, Pinehurst. (910) 621-3322

Our August book is "Horse" by Geraldine Brooks (available in paperback)

Discussion Leader: Susie Roeder, Refreshments: Jan Carey

Our September book is "The Last Girls" by Lee Smith.

For questions please call Susan Newsome, 910-621-3322, or email chiangkaischeck1@gmail.com

SATIATING STORIES BOOK CLUB

The ladies of Satiating Stories will meet at Pine Needles CC at 11:30 AM on August 28th to dine and discuss "The Women" by Kristin Hannah. Please let JoAnne Hansz know by August 26th if you plan to attend. Hope everyone is keeping cool as reading can be a wonderful activity during the heat of summer!

THIRSTY THURSDAY

No host for August. Please notify Lyra Rittger at jrittger@nc.rr.com if interested

ACT2 LADIES BRIDGE

We will meet on the fourth Wednesday, August 28th, at Table on the Green. Contact Carol Alexander at 910-295-9591 or Patty Mattoon at 910-295-4510 if interested in playing with the group. This is a fun regular bridge group.

SUNSHINE

Cindy Agatone continues to handle recognition of life-changing events for our members. Please contact her at mumma28@me.com

WEBSITE

John Mattoon has updated the Membership Directory portion of the website to make it easier to add and edit, as well as improve the appearance. Please check your contact info and make sure it's correct. If not, send changes to John at act2webmasterjohn@gmail.com. If you need the passcode to the members only section, contact Elly Moses at ecmoses529@gmail.com.