



Social Time 9:00
Meeting starts
at 9:30

www.coniferneighbors.org email: conifernewcomers@yahoo.com June 2017

*Welcoming new members to the Greater 285 Corridor through social & civic activities
There are no strangers here, only friends who haven't met.*

President's Message



Well, here we are at the end of another year. Boy did it go by fast! June will be our last general meeting before we break for the summer and a reminder that it will also be a membership potluck. What a delicious way to wrap things up!

Another fabulous time was had at our Annual Spring Luncheon. Our hats are off to Catherine Heffernan and company who provided us with a memorable Cinco de Mayo. Not only were we given a history lesson but dance lessons as well! Sadly, we now have to say goodbye to Catherine and Barb Jolley our 2nd and 1st Vice-Presidents respectively as their terms are up. Thank you both for doing such a wonderful job while in office.

On the bright side we will be welcoming a new 1st and 2nd Vice-President come September. We have three great candidates for 1st Vice-President. They are Jan Dietzenbach, Susie Stegemeier and Holly Worley. For 2nd Vice-President the candidate is Barbara White. Voting will take place during June's general meeting. Good luck to the candidates and I am excited to see who will be part of the board for the next and final year of my term.

This meeting finishes off our guest speaker programs with Krystal Matyi. Krystal will be presenting a slide show about the Ute Indians' fascinating practice of modifying trees to mark trails and other important sites. Her presentation is based on the book by John Wesley Anderson of Colorado Springs. Thanks goes out to Janet Shown who has done a wonderful job organizing our guest speaker programs for this year. I can't wait to see what she has in store for us next year!

Until then, have a fun-filled summer and I'll see you in September!



Debbie



Refreshments for the June meeting will be a potluck with food provided by CNN members.

Greeters will be members who participate in Ladies Do Lunch. Please check in at the membership table at 8:15.



June 2 CNN Meeting

Speaker Krystal Matyi – Ute Indians

June 3 Wine Tasting

June 9 Touring Lunch

June 16 Ladies Do Lunch

June 22 Chick Flick

June 23 Garden Club

June 26 Book Talk

June 26 Jewelry Making



CNN NEWS

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the many members and their families who are dealing with health issues and/or challenges in their lives.

We wish everyone a safe and happy summer. See you on **Sept. 1, 2017** at our next meeting



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SPRING LUNCHEON THANK YOU

I want to thank the Spring Luncheon committee for their creative ideas, and the hard work they put into this year's party. We had a sell-out crowd at the Mount Vernon Country Club on a perfect spring day.

New vice-presidents will be elected at our June meeting, and so the torch is being passed for the 2018 Spring Luncheon.



When the call for new committee members goes out, I do hope many of you who attended the luncheon will step forward and help to continue this tradition.

New ideas and willing hands are a hallmark of Conifer Newcomers and Neighbors!





WINE TASTING

Susan Lavin susan@snomagic.com 303 670 5084

Meets the 1st Saturday of the month @6:30 p.m.

Wine tasting meets the first Saturday of the month at 6:30 PM. We continue to drink wine over the summer! Attendees are asked to bring either an appetizer or a dessert to share. Cost is \$10.00 per person. You do not have to drink wine to enjoy socializing with fellow CN&N members – non-alcoholic beverages are also provided.

June Wine Tasting will be at the home of Randi and Bill Brattin on Saturday, June 4.

July Wine Tasting will be at the home of Laura and Harvey Penland on Saturday, July 1.

August Wine Tasting will be hosted by Ellen and Paul Weissmann on Saturday, August 5. Sign-up sheets for wine tastings will be at the wine tastings or you may contact Susan directly by phone or email (above).



JEWELRY

Kris Hilker 303-816-0471 or kris@ladidoodles.com

Meets the 4th Monday of the month at 1:00 p.m.

Jewelry group will be meeting on **June 26th** at 1:00. Terri Wright will be guest teaching this month. The project is a free form peyote stitch bracelet. The cost for the project is \$55. Please contact Terri if you are interested in joining her. terriwright211@gmail.com 443.896.6917

MAH JONGG

Jan Dietzenbach 303-681-1345 jandietzenbach@gmail.com

Meets every Monday, usually at 11:30 a.m.

Those that are interested in playing and/or learning the game can call or email Jan to find out where we are meeting that week to play and have lunch.



PEDAL PUSHERS

Meets on Monday

We are looking for someone to take over this fun, adventurous group. If interested please contact Randi Brattin for more information.

TOURING LUNCH BUNCH

Janet Shown, 303-697-8123 or jansho@yahoo.com

Meets the 2nd Friday of the month

June 9th We will be touring El Rancho Brewing Company in Evergreen. We will meet at the Aspen Park park-and-ride at 10:30. Bard Nielsen, the master brewer, will give us a tour of the brewery before we enjoy lunch at the restaurant.

Hosted by Barbara White. Please RSVP to Abatwhite@gmail.com.

Aug. 11th The August Touring Lunch Bunch will be on August 11th going to Historic Central City. The cost is \$15 per person and we will be touring the Thomas House, The Opera House and the Teller House. Following our tour we will enjoy lunch at Millie's. Those interested in going can contact Debbie Grisham at tarbuff@aol.com or Nancy Stackhouse at nlsevergreen@aol.com!



BOOK TALK

Susan Pitcher 303-816-1803 srcpitcher@gmail.com

Barbara Voth 303-670-7158 bdvoth@msn.com

Meets the 4th Monday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

Book Talk will meet this summer on the fourth Monday of each month: June 26, July 24, and August 28. Summer meetings are at the picnic shelter at Flying J Ranch at 10:30am. (If the weather is bad, our back-up meeting spot is at Our Lady of the Pines.)

Our summer reading list:

June: **The Fossil Hunter** by Shelley Emlin

July: **Mudbound** by Hillary Jorda

August: **Desert Solitaire: A Season in the Wilderness** by Edward Abbey

FLICK CHICKS

Barbara White 303-697-6711 Abatwhite@gmail.com

Kathy Fletcher 913.271.0968 kathyfletcher15@gmail.com

Meets on one Thursday a month

Watch a Great movie matinee while enjoying food and drink. Meet at Twin Forks park-and-ride at 10:30 am, **June 22**. Emails will be sent, announcing the movie and exact show time. We will be using two local theaters, Alamo Drafthouse in Littleton and The Streets at South Glenn in Centennial. Both of these venues offer a food and drink menu to enjoy while watching the movie.

BRIDGE GROUP

Jerry Gregory (303) 816-7361 buffansjerry@aol.com
Meets every Thursday at 11:00 a.m.

Bridge meets each Thursday at the Conifer Community Church at 10:00 AM. Please bring your own lunch and a drink. It's not necessary to play every week and we welcome substitutes. All levels are welcome as we encourage players to share ways we can all improve our games. Call Jerry for information or to reserve your spot.

SKIING

Randi Brattin 303-697-6593
randib59gmail.com

Meets on Tuesdays, depending on ski conditions!

If you need new equipment, look for bargains over Labor Day weekend. We will be skiing on the Epic Local Pass+ next season.
 Happy Summer!!! See you when the snow flies!



NATURE HIKING GROUP

Debbie Grisham (719) 839-0765 tarbuff@aol.com
Meets on Wednesday

We meet every Wednesday weather permitting. E-mails will be sent out prior to Wednesday describing the hike, meeting place and time. May hikes are listed below.

Date	Place	Leader
June 7	Gill Trail	Barbara White
June 14	Reynolds Eagle	Ann Cobb
June 21	Kenosha Left	Joyce/Sarah
June 28	Three Mile	Susie Price
July 5	Grizzly Gulch	Barb Shackelford
July 12	Silver Dollar	Marlene Schulte
July 19	Lake Isabelle	Jeanne Dorr
July 26	Shrine Ridge	Nancy Stackhouse
Aug 2	Butler Gulch	Barb Vogel
Aug 9	Mayflower Gulch	Debbie Grisham
Aug 16	Herman's Gulch	Hassie Taylor
Aug 23	Hell's Hole	Joyce/Sarah
Aug 30	Chief Mountain	Bonnie McAtee



LADIES DO LUNCH

Barb Jolley (303) 330-0506 jolley.pines@gmail.com
Meets the 3rd Friday of the month at 11:30 am

JUNE 16th - 11:30 AM

THEME: SUMERTIME!!!

HOSTESS - LAURA PENLAND

CO-HOSTESS - SHIRLEY HAMER

BRING SUMMER ITEMS.

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GARDEN CLUB



Joanne Gregory 303.816.7361 tucson2co@yahoo.com

Meets the 4th Friday of the month

June 23th

Denver Botanical Garden

1007 York Street, Denver 92106

Lunch at their beautiful outdoor Lily pond restaurant

Meet 10am at Aspen park- n- ride for carpooling

Contact: Shauna (303)679-2962 or

jimshauna@Q.com

July 28th

Garden Club will have a garden tea-luncheon on at 11:30am at the home and garden of Pat Geyer, 25238 Red Cloud Drive, Conifer. Hostesses are Pat Geyer and Valerie Grant. Please bring a dish to share.

August 25th:

Visiting Hudson Gardens with lunch at a nearby restaurant. Email Randi (Randib59@gmail.com) if you would like to attend

MEN'S OUTDOOR GROUP

Drew

drew@dvrhoa.com (303)816-1995

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month

The Men's Outdoor Group is both a social and outdoor activity group. Our activities include golfing, biking, hiking, skiing, jeeping/ATV, camping, shooting, and fishing to name a few. We also have regular social events, and meet at 6:00 p.m. at Brooks Place Tavern. Spouses are welcome at all MOG events.

JUNE 2017						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Bridge	2 CNN MEETING	3 Wine Tasting
4	5 Mah Jongg	6	7 Hiking	8 Bridge	9 Touring Lunch Bunch	10
11	12 Mah Jongg	13 MOG	14 Hiking	15 Bridge	16 Ladies Do Lunch	17
18	19 Mah Jongg	20	21 Hiking	22 Bridge Flick Chick	23 Garden Club	24
25	26 Mah Jongg Book Talk Jewelry Making	27	28 Hiking	29 Bridge	30	

