



Social Time 9:00
Meeting starts
at 9:30

www.coniferneighbors.org email: conifernewcomers@yahoo.com February 2018

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

It's a Celebration!



January's meeting got us started on the right track for the year with the first of our guest speakers Janice Kaup teaching us how to declutter and tidy up. Hopefully everyone was at least able to take away a tip or two to incorporate into their lives making organizing in 2018 smooth sailing.

I am very excited about our special February guest speakers as they will be the grant recipients from our 40th Annual Holiday Boutique last November. Our members hard work will come to fruition with the distribution of \$16,000.00 in grant checks to several deserving organizations in our community. We have invited the grant recipients to join us at our meeting to receive their grants and speak briefly about their organizations telling us how the grant money will be used.

In honor of our guests, February's meeting will be a membership potluck

Normal CN&N business will be conducted following our break. I understand there will be a very special "reveal" about the Spring Luncheon coming up in May. I can't wait to see what Barbara White & Co. has cooked up for us this year!

As you can see we have an eventful meeting coming up that you don't want to miss!

Looking forward to seeing everyone on the 2nd!

Debbie



The greeters for the February meeting will be those members whose last names start with **L-N**. Please check in at the membership table at 8:45

February's meeting is a **membership potluck**. Please bring a dish to share with our members. Coffee and tea provided by CN&N.



Feb. 2 CNN Meeting
Presentation of Grant
Checks

Feb. 9 Touring Lunch

Feb. 13 Men's Outdoor
Group

Feb. 15 Chick Flick

Feb. 16 Ladies Do Lunch

Feb. 23 Garden Club

Feb. 26 Book Talk

Feb. 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

MARCH SPEAKER

The History of Gold and Gold Mining in Colorado

CNN's Cindy Russell will be presenting a brief but very interesting history of the discovery of gold in Colorado, the towns that formed, the famous people involved, and the legacies left in the wake of the gold rush.

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2017 HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE GRANT RECIPIENTS

Conifer Community Church	CHS – STEM
CHS – Robotics	Conifer Historical Society
Cub Scouts Pack 400	ECHO
Girl Scout Troup 1866	Inter Canyon Fire Protection District
Life Bridge Inc.	Mt. Evans Home Health & Hospice
West Jefferson Elementary PTA	Mountain Resource Center
Peace Works	People Comforters
Senior Resource Center	Wilderness on Wheels Foundation
CHS Student Volunteers – Boys Cross Country	CHS Student Volunteers - DECA
CHS Student Volunteers - Interact	CHS Student Volunteers – National Honor Society
CHS Student Volunteers – Girls Cross Country	CHS Student Volunteers – Girls Basketball
CHS Student Volunteers - Robotics	CHS Student Volunteers - Principal



WINE TASTING

Leslie Caimi 303.525.6373 lcaimi8207@hotmail.com
Meets the 1st Saturday of the month @6:30 p.m.

Wine tasting meets the first Saturday of the month at 6:30 PM. 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. **There will be no Wine Tasting in February.**

The **March Wine Tasting will be hosted by Susie and Carl Price on March 3.** Sign-up sheets for wine tastings will be at the CN&N meetings, wine tastings or you may contact Leslie directly by phone or email (above).

TOURING LUNCH BUNCH

Janet Shown, 303-697-8123 or jansho@yahoo.com
Meets the 2nd Friday of the month

Our first stop at 11:00 is the **Front Porch Antiques** an interesting and unique shop for modest antiquers and craftpersons'. For lunch, we'll walk next door to **Scooter's BBQ**. Their specialty is smoked brisket, turkey, pork. There are additional items on the menu and a Friday Fish Fry of catfish and cod. Our last stop is in the Kings Valley Marketplace building. **King's Emporium** specializes in furniture, jewelry, antiques, and a variety of local artists. The store features a coffee and pastry shop with purchases supporting local developmentally, disabled adults. Carpoolers should meet at the **Park n Ride in Aspen Park at 10:30.** RSVP to nlkohler@aol.com carpooling info (can be a driver, need a ride, driving separately) and current contact info.



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 on **Monday, February 26, at 10:30am at Our Lady of the Pines.** We will discuss *The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane* by Amy Tan.

We hope to see you there.



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 **February 26th** at 1:00. We'll be making a stamped copper and bead pendant.

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.

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 – **Feb. 15th** Emails will be sent, announcing the movie and exact show time and when we will meet at Twin Forks park-and-ride to carpool. 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 10:00 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

Barbara White 505.235.1769
Abatwhite@gmail.com

Meets on Tuesdays, depending on ski conditions!

Hope you have purchased your Epic Plus Pass for 2017-18. We ski on Tuesdays.

Think snow!!



NATURE HIKING GROUP

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

Meets on Wednesday

"No scheduled hikes".

For a sample of some of the fabulous hikes we have had this past summer copy and paste the link to

YouTube.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eZnjOSNpHCs&list=PL05hgeWsapP0iELpSJ2zGQkxMWEmiN7B>



LADIES DO LUNCH

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

FEBRUARY 16th - 11:30 AM

THEME: BABY, IT'S COLD OUTSIDE!!!!
HOSTESS - COLLEEN JORGENSEN
CO-HOSTESS- BOBBI PENBERTHY

BRING COMFORT FOOD!

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GARDEN CLUB



Joanne Gregory 303.816.7361 tucson2co@yahoo.com
Meets the 4th Friday of the month

The Garden Club will meet on **February 23, 2018** at the home of Laura Penland, 13004 Molly Drive, Conifer at 11:00 a.m. Our meeting will be about our experiences with mountain gardening. Bring a dish to pass.

MEN'S OUTDOOR GROUP


Drew

drew@dcurhoa.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.

FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Bridge	2 CNN MEETING	3
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