

# the WELCOME MAT

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy November, Redding Newcomers & Friends!

The weather has certainly turned cooler, and I for one am enjoying the change. We've gotten quite a few new members which is always encouraging. If you know someone who may benefit from belonging to our club, invite her to the Prospective Members Coffee on November 3<sup>rd</sup>

We start at 10AM (although most of us get there 15 to 30 minutes early). It's being held at the Paris Park Clubhouse located at 2000 Paris Avenue in Redding.

She can learn about our club and our activities. Please let Diane Silver know if you are coming and bringing a friend. Contact her at 530.949.1254.

Remember to begin each day with a grateful heart.  
Freddie Martin, President



## ABOUT NOVEMBER

Although the month of November is the last full month of autumn in the northern hemisphere, many parts of the country are beginning to experience colder temperatures and even snow during this month. The days grow shorter now, especially once most of the US falls forward by one hour, exiting Daylight Saving Time on the second Sunday of November. Here are some more fun facts about the 11<sup>th</sup> month of the year.

### FUN DAYS

**NATIONAL MEN MAKE DINNER DAY.** First Thursday in November (some of us think this should be every Thursday, year-round, but what do we know)

**NATIONAL SANDWICH DAY.** November 3, which is also National Housewife Day (we're detecting a theme here . . .)

**WORLD DIABETES DAY.** November 14  
**INTERNATIONAL TOLERANCE DAY.** November 16

**INTERNATIONAL EVOLUTION DAY.** November 24, in celebration of Charles Darwin's publication of *On the Origin of Species* in 1859 and otherwise known as All Our Uncles Are Monkeys Day (no, seriously)

### INTERESTING EVENTS

The Erie Canal was formally opened in New York on November 4, 1825.

The Suez Canal opened on November 17, 1869.

Abraham Lincoln gave his Gettysburg Address on November 19, 1863.

The United States and Panama signed the treaty that provided for the Panama Canal on November 18, 1903.

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## NOVEMBER COLOR IS CLARET

Claret Red is a color inspiring passion & strength. People born in November are perceptive. Surrounding ourselves with Claret Red will help increase ambitions and persistence.

Cynthia Rylant Says

“In November, the trees are standing all sticks & bones. Without their leaves, how lovely they are, spreading their arms like dancers.”



## SMILES

“A car’s weakest part is the nut holding the steering wheel!”  
Carol Whitney

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## BIRTHDAYS

Mazet	Fran	1
Milcheck	Jeanne	1
Olson	Veronica	1
Ramsey	Gretchen	1
Liebert	Pat	2
Weaver	Marilyn	2
Edington	Barbara	3
Stovall (Edkin)	Karen	3
Scholl	Hazel	5
Tam	Irene	6
Schuller	Barb	7
Mader	Judy	14
Dolby	Barbara	15
Ward	Amelia	15
Williams	Margaret	16
Schuette	Irene	18
Nanson	Joyce	19
Smith	Gerri	19
Duncan	Mary Lou	20
Dobbins	Shari	21
Wilson	Vickey	22
Ayres	Yvonne	25
Sheppard	Nancy	25
Green	Helen	26
Ward	Patty	26
Ghidinelli	Barbara	27
Weber	Merridee	28
Murray	Lita	29

## NOVEMBER, CONTINUED

The US and Canada celebrate the end of WWI on November 11, 1918 every year.

After discovering debris-covered stairs, British archaeologist Howard Carter and his crew entered the four-room Egyptian tomb of 19-year-old King Tutankhamen on November 26, 1922.

The first mechanically ventilated underwater tunnel in the world, the Holland Tunnel, opened to traffic on November 13, 1927.

Commander Richard E Byrd and crew of three became first to fly over the South Pole on November 29, 1929.

Parker Brothers introduced the world to *Monopoly* on November 5, 1935.

On November 18, 1963, Bell Telephone Company introduced the push-button phone.

John F Kennedy was assassinated on November 22, 1963.

Reverend Jim Jones led over 900 of his followers to their death in a mass suicide, the largest in history at Jonestown, Guyana on November 19, 1978.

On November 22, 1990, British PM Margaret Thatcher resigned after 11 years in office, the longest term of any British Prime Minister in the 20<sup>th</sup> century.

The Apartheid system in South Africa finally came to an end on November 1, 1995, with the first all-race government elections.

## Birthdays

Jonathan Swift, author of *Gulliver's Travels*, on November 30, 1667

Mark Twain, American author and humorist on November 30, 1835

British statesman Sir Winston Churchill on November 30, 1874

American artist Georgia O'Keeffe on November 15, 1887

Famed TV journalist Walter Cronkite on November 4, 1916

The first and to date, only female Prime Minister of India Indira Gandhi, on November 19, 1917

Pulitzer-Prize winning poet Anne Sexton on November 9, 1928

Bruce Lee, martial artist and film star, on November 27, 1940

Celebrity chef and restaurateur Gordon Ramsay on November 8, 1966

# NOVEMBER

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<p><b>1</b> 1030AM Bunco</p>	<p><b>2</b></p>	<p><b>3</b> 10AM Prospective Member Coffee</p>	<p><b>4</b> DARK Matinee &amp; Critique  1230PM Round Robin (P)</p>	<p><b>5</b> 1PM Coloring Craze</p>
<p><b>8</b> 1030AM Bunco</p>	<p><b>9</b> 1230PM Double Deck Pass (P)</p>	<p><b>10</b> 10AM Kitchen Kapers 1PM Charmers (B) 5PM Ladies-Only Dine Out</p>	<p><b>11</b> 10AM Redd Thumb Garden Group 12PM Open Bridge DARK Why Cook Tonight?  <b>Welcome Mat Submissions for Nov</b></p>	<p><b>12</b> 10AM Quilt 'n' Friends 1PM The Little Group</p>
<p><b>15</b> 1030AM Bunco DARK Writers Group</p>	<p><b>16</b> 10AM Board Meeting 12PM Ladies Open Pinochle</p>	<p><b>17</b> 1PM Hand &amp; Foot DARK Needle Nuts</p>	<p><b>18</b> DARK Creative You 1230PM Book Review</p>	<p><b>19</b> DARK Outdoor Adventures</p>
<p><b>22</b> <b>10AM General Meeting</b></p>	<p><b>23</b> DARK Luncheon Party</p>	<p><b>24</b> 1PM Charmers (B)</p>	<p><b>25</b> <b>Thanksgiving Day</b>  DARK Open Bridge DARK Lucky Ladies (P) DARK Pick of the Vine</p>	<p><b>26</b> DARK Out-to-Lunch Bunch</p>
<p><b>29</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p>	<p><b>31</b></p>		

# ACTIVITIES

**1 Bunco 1030AM** Meet at Country Waffles ▪ 2300 Athen Avenue Redding ▪ \$3 to play ▪ No Bunco on last two Mondays ▪ Ruth Plato 246.2473 or Claire Morris 241.2654

**3 Prospective Member Coffee 10AM** Paris Park Club House ▪ 2000 Paris Avenue Redding ▪ All activity chairs & co-chairs are invited to attend to give our prospective new members information about your activities ▪ It is very important for our new members to see who is chairing the activities & hear details about each one ▪ Co-hostesses needed for the coming months for everyone willing to volunteer

**4 Matinee & Critique DARK**

**4 Round Robin (P) 1230PM**

**5 Coloring Craze 1PM** Shasta Public Library ▪ 1100 Parkview Avenue Redding ▪ Foundation Room 1st Floor ▪ Cheryl Zeh 360.0314 ▪ Please. COVID-vaccinated members only

**8 Bunco 1030AM** See November 1

**9 Double Deck Pass (P) 1230PM**

**10 Kitchen Kapers 10AM Date Change** Home of Gerri Smith ▪ 11579 Fox Estates Court ▪ Theme will be fall foods to share with our group ▪ Gerri will have a surprise with seasonal tablescapes ▪ Come join us if you have been vaccinated against COVID ▪ Call Adda Gripp 530.242.1033 or Sharon Chestnut 530.949.7545 for a reservation ▪ If you bring a Fall soup, please bring it in a crock pot

**11 Redd Thumb Gardening Group 10AM Date Change** Home of Sandi Cain ▪ 5939 Brenda Lane Anderson ▪ Call for questions or directions ▪ At the first meeting, let's talk about what you'd like to see and do at garden group in the coming year ▪ Sandi 530.355.1166



**10 Ladies-Only Dine Out 5PM** Casa Rios ▪ 1647 Hartnell Avenue ▪ Please RSVP to Leslie Teryniak 722.9705 or Carol Gilliland 231.510.3882

**11 Open Bridge 12PM**

**11 Why Cook Tonight? DARK**

**11 Welcome Mat Submissions for November**

**12 Quilt 'n' Friends 10AM** ▪ See article on Page 5

**12 The Little Group 1PM** Introductory Meeting ▪ Holiday Market Community Room ▪ 3315 Placer Street Redding ▪ We are a small group creating our own little universes of various scales ▪ Dollhouses, Room Boxes, Scenes, or Kits ▪ Okay to bring a project ▪ Call for questions ▪ 360.0314 ▪ Please. COVID-vaccinated members only

**15 Bunco 1030AM** See November 1

**15 Writers Group DARK**

**16 Board Meeting 10AM** Paris Park Clubhouse ▪ Off of Athens Avenue Redding ▪ Every member is welcome ▪ Contact Freddie by text or phone at 355.5806

**16 Ladies Open Pinochle 12PM** Contact Barbara Timmerman at 244.2411 or timmermanbarbara@yahoo.com if you would like to play & for the location

**17 Hand & Foot 1PM** Hand & Foot ▪ Home of Susan Sechrist ▪ 2882 Aspen Glow Lane Redding ▪ Please RSVP to Susan at 241. 8579 ▪ Come & let's have some FUN!

**17 Needle Nuts DARK**

**18 Creative You DARK** Contact Freddie by text or phone at 355.5806

**18 Book Review 1230PM Date Change** ▪ Shasta Public Library ▪ 1100 Parkview Avenue Redding ▪ **The Light-house Keeper's Daughter** by Hazel Gaynor ▪ Historical novel inspired by true events ▪ Two women living 100 years apart (1838/1938) will be linked forever by their acts of courage and love ▪ Suggested by Janice Tinto ▪ Contact Janice Tinto at

243.2981 or jtinto@aol.com for more information ▪ Please — Only attend if you are fully vaccinated ▪ Thank you

**19 Outdoor Adventures Dark**

**22 General Meeting 10AM** Elks Lodge ▪ 250 Elk Drive Redding ▪ Watch for a later email about the program

**22 Bunco 1030AM** See November 1

**23 Luncheon Party DARK**

**24 Charmers (B) 1PM**

**25 Open Bridge DARK**

**25 Lucky Ladies (P) DARK**

**25 Pick of the Vine DARK**

**26 Out-to-Lunch Bunch DARK**

## MESSAGE FOR ALL THE SECRET PALS

Mark your calendar for Wednesday December 8<sup>th</sup>. We're having a party so we can meet each other.

Let's potluck a light, finger-food lunch and desserts, followed by games and a gift exchange between the pals.

Please RSVP to Joan Tornai at tornetts@aol.com; call or text cell 945.3476.

We'll gather at Paris Park Clubhouse, 2000 Paris Avenue Redding at 1230PM.

Only COVID-vaccinated members please.

## ROSTER UPDATE

Please remember to notify Membership Chair Ruth Plato 246.2473 ruth.plato@yahoo.com with any changes to your info

**ROSTER CHANGES**  
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## OCTOBER ACTIVITY

### GET WELL

Barb Schuller had hip surgery recently. She is home and recovery is going well.

### NEW MEMBER

Joyce Menta ■ 3292 Laver Street  
Redding ■ 661.618.6112 ■ jmena52@gmail.com ■ Birthday: March 25 ■  
Arts, theater, crafts, & fitness

## Oops!

Notice of December 9<sup>th</sup> event at the Riverfront Playhouse listed last month offered the wrong address.

### CORRECT ADDRESS

1950 California Street Redding  
Social Time & Desserts at 630PM  
Play starts at 730PM



## 2021 CHRISTMAS CHARITIES

Mark your calendars! We are getting ready for our 2021 Christmas Charities Event, which will be held on Monday, December 13, 2021, at the Elks Lodge with the doors opening at 930AM.

Our Christmas Charities is a very fun event where members bring an **UNWRAPPED** new or handmade gift to be raffled off during this event. We buy raffle tickets and put these tickets into brown bags for any gift we'd like to win. Quilt 'n' Friends is donating a quilt to be raffled off as well. As each winning ticket number is called out, the member who provided the gift will be announced.

We will be having our infamous table of homemade cookies to snack on during the raffle and of course coffee, tea, and water service. All proceeds from this event will be donated to several local children's charities in early 2022.

We will sell raffle tickets at both the November and December general meetings. Following the Christmas Charities raffle, we will have a no-host lunch available for \$10. We don't know at this time what the menu will be, but it will be special and delicious! Christmas Charities lunch tickets (\$10) will be sold at the November general meeting and again on December 13<sup>th</sup>.

Also in October and November, our committee will accept any donations of **NEW SOCKS, HATS, AND GLOVES FOR CHILDREN**, which will be given to various children's charities in our area. You may bring these donated items for the children to the November general meeting.

Each year we are overwhelmed by the generosity of our membership to make this event a big success. We thank you in advance for your help and participation again this year.

If you have any questions or would like to be a volunteer on the day of Christmas Charities, please call Lynn 530.243.4388 or Ruth 530.246.2473.

Thank you,  
Lynn, Ruth, and the entire Christmas Charities Committee

“ november: |nō'vembər| -n.  
the last month of autumn,  
but the beginning of a new  
adventure; time to take risks  
and do the unexpected ”

## CHANGE FOR NOVEMBER

### QUILT 'N' FRIENDS

We decided at our October meeting since several of our members are participating in the Christmas Arts & Craft Fair, which starts the same day as our meeting, we would have an outing and go to the Fair!

So, in place of our November meeting at the Sewing Room, we will go to the Christmas Arts & Craft Fair at Redding Christian Fellowship, 2157 Victor Avenue. The event will be open Friday November 12<sup>th</sup>, 10am-4pm and Saturday November 13<sup>th</sup>, 9AM-3PM.

Kathy Jensen is the leader for November. She will be there with a meeting sign-in sheet, so be sure to check in.

Hope to see you all there as this is usually a great craft sale.

Thanks,  
Kathy Jensen  
229-1021



# REDDING NEWCOMERS & FRIENDS

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## November 2021

### HOW TO ACCESS & REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE

1. Go to [reddingnewcomers.com](http://reddingnewcomers.com).
2. Click on User Login, which is located at the top of the page.
3. Click on Register. A new page will appear.
4. Enter the password **RNC2018** & click on Enter. A new page will appear.
5. Complete all the following information:

First Name	Birthdate
Phone Number	User Name
Mobile Number	Password
Last Name	Confirm Password (Be sure to remember your password. We will not have a record of what it is.)
Email Address	

**Important:** If there are stars or dots in the password area, ignore them. They are simply placeholders & not your old password. Your old password will not work. You have to create a new password of at least 8 characters, containing one upper case letter, one lower case letter, & one number. For example, Doggie88 or Giants510 or 4Parrot6. You get the idea. Use anything as long as it's something you will remember.

6. Your registration will then need to be authorized. This may take a day to accomplish. Either Sharon Roberts or Carol Skill checks the website daily to activate new registrations.

7. When you sign in, the user name you enter will be either your email address OR your username, & the password you enter will be whatever you have selected.

8. If you have trouble, contact Carol Skill ([fskill@shasta.com](mailto:fskill@shasta.com)) or Sharon Roberts ([jimandsharon@charter.net](mailto:jimandsharon@charter.net)) for help.

### Editor's Note:

#### SUPPORT YOUR WEBSITE

Please send in photos of your activities to Sharon Roberts. Let's keep out website interesting by supplying photos showing all the fun we're having. Everyone likes pictures!

Sharon Roberts

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