



OUR DIAMOND YEAR!

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF FRIENDSHIP & GIVING!

Hello Ladies!

Wow, can you believe our summer is half over? It's true what they say...time flies when you're having fun! Many of you have been busy attending Happy Hour, Cards/Game, Pickleball, Everybody's Bunco, Ladies Bunco, Single Ladies, and Book Clubs-I love it!! Any time we get together with friends, it's always a great time!

Our club membership continues to grow, which is AWESOME! Our Membership Chair, Amy Lovig has already hosted a newbie lunch in June at Baxter's. Amy will continue to host a lunch for the new members throughout the year.

Kick Off is just around the corner and the perfect place to bring a friend who might be interested in joining Newcomers/Longtimers. It's where our Chairs share all their planned activities for the year. It will be a night filled with lots of fun!

Our theme this year for the Kick Off is celebrating our 60th year with a "Groovy" event. So, dig out your miniskirts and go-go boots and join us on Thursday, September 18th at the Elk's Lodge in Osage Beach. Marti Gambill and Gina Davis are busy planning this "far-out" event for us, it's going to be "totally cool, man."

Don't forget to check out the website: newcomerslongtimers.com.

I look forward to sharing our 60th year with all of you incredible ladies!

Many Blessings,

Jackie
President



2025-2026 KICK OFF

CELEBRATING OUR 60TH ANNIVERSARY

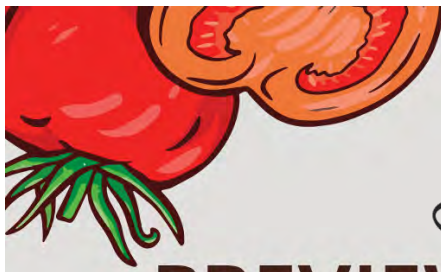
A large rainbow with multiple bands of color (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple) arches across the center. Below the rainbow, there are two large orange daisies with white centers, one on the left and one on the right. In the center, between the daisies, is a large blue letter 'N' with a black outline. To the right of the 'N' is a sprig of pink flowers with green leaves.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 4-6PM
ELKS LODGE**

PEACE & LOVE

Hey there, fabulous ladies! Get ready to groove and mark your calendars for our 2025-26 Kickoff happening on Thursday, September 18, 2025. We're gathering at the Elk's Lodge from 4-6 pm for a far-out evening where you can reconnect with old friends and make new ones. Feel free to invite guests who might be interested in joining our vibrant club. We've got a lineup of cool activities planned for the upcoming year that you won't want to miss. Enjoy some outta sight snacks, and remember, drinks will be available for purchase at the bar. This evening promises to be a happenin' night of fun and camaraderie, so don't let it pass you by. Keep an eye out for your evite in August, and don't forget to rock your grooviest hippie attire! Peace and love to all!





PREVIEW OF UPCOMING LUNCHEONS



GETTING TO KNOW YOU!

Thursday, October 18

JB Hooks

·It will be great to see everyone again after our summer break and catch up. Our organization has been fortunate to add several new members. We will play a game to give you an opportunity to meet someone new. This might be a new member or just someone you haven't had the pleasure to personally meet. I hope you will take advantage of this opportunity to make a new friend.

UNIQUE BOUTIQUE

Thursday, November 20

Community Christian
Church

·This luncheon is always fun to attend and I hope you will take the opportunity to invite a friend to join you. There will be a variety of vendors with a wide selection of items for you to shop. This relaxed atmosphere is perfect for your friends to meet us and see the different community organizations that we support. For our organization to continue to support the many needs of our community our organization must continue to grow. That means we need to invite our friends who have the same philanthropic hearts that we have. So, start making a list of friends you think would enjoy belonging to our group.



CHRISTMAS PARTY

Thursday, December 18

Camden on
the Lake

Celebrate the holiday season with us. We will be entertained by the very talented Greater Lake Area Chorale.



Holley is looking for a few volunteers to help out with the Unique Boutique and the Fashion Show. She is also looking for vendors for the Unique Boutique. If you or a friend have a home business that you would like to be a part of this event please contact her. Holly will be accepting applications starting August 1st. Tables will \$10 for members and \$20 for nonmembers. Holley Smothers, 1st Vice President, 573.230.8511 forfunholley@gmail.com





Happy Hour

Mama Cita's
939 Chef St. Osage Beach
Tuesday, August 5, 2025
4-6PM



HAPPY HOUR

Li'l Rizzo's
929 Premium Outlets Dr.
Osage Beach
Tuesday, September 9, 2025
4-6PM



Everybody Buncos

Wednesday, August 20
5-7PM
Mathany's Vineyard
100 Grand Vintners Lane,



CHANGE OF VENUE & TIME

Wednesday, September 17
6:30-8:30PM
Bonnie's Buffet
(Formerly Golden Corral)
3734 Osage Beach Pkwy



Everybody Buncos
Mathany's Vineyard



AUGUST 2025

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
4 Pickleball Community Christian Church 3-5PM	5 Happy Hour Mama Cita's 4-6P	6	7 Cards & Games 10A-1P Osage Bch Sr. Ctr.	1	2	3
11 Pickleball Community Christian Church 3-5PM	12	13	14	15	16	17
18 Pickleball Community Christian Church 3-5PM	19 Euchre 5:30PM Dierbergs	20 Everybody Buncos 5:00PM-7:00PM Mathany Vineyards	21	22 Special Activity! Helen Russell & Co Dinner Show 6PM Eldon Comm. Ctr.	23	24
25 Pickleball Community Christian Church 3-5PM	26	27	28 Ladies Bunco Osage Bch Sr. Ctr. 11AM-2PM	29	30	

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7	8 Pickleball Community Christian Chrch 3-5pm	9 Happy Hour Lil Rizzo's 4-6PM	10	11	12 Special Activity Come From Away Arrow Rock/Iron Horse Hotel Blackwater, MO	13
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Vicki Ray lives in Gravois Mills enjoys dining out, book club discussions, pickleball, and crafts, reflecting her active and creative lifestyle.

Diane LiFritz lives in Sunrise Beach, a full-time professional, was recommended by Judy Cullen for her interest in crafts and special activities.

Kris Dees a snowbird lives in Lake Ozark and Fort Myers, November through May, enjoys games, happy hours, dining out, and luncheons.

Donna Szkubiel, a 36-year resident of Lake Ozark, is keen on community activities like bunco, happy hours, dining out, luncheons, and crafts.

Sandra Williams lives in Camdenton, and referred by Anita Lawrence, interested in bunco, Happy Hour. Dining Out, Book Club, and Crafts.

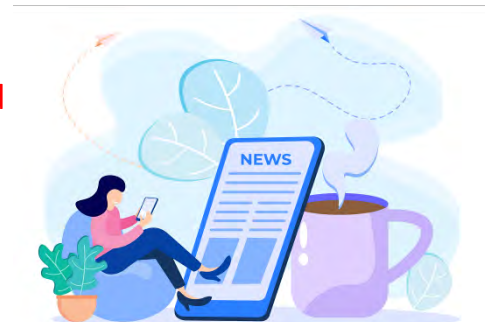
Marie Roberts lives with her husband, Scott in Lake Ozark. She enjoys happy hours, dining, crafts, and pickleball. She was referred by Kathy Conger.

Renee Brobst and her husband Dave live in Osage Beach. Renee is a full-time teacher, and interested in special activities, bunco, happy hour and dining out.



An email was sent out 7/15 to all current members that have not paid their \$30 dues, please check your email and communicate with Amy Lovig , membership chair to let her know if you will be continuing your membership.

Amy Loving
Membershapp Chair



If you are interested in joining a Book Club,
contact Mary Stewart,mpatrickstewart@gmail.com or call
314-221-6755 and Mary will be happy to get you into one of our
amazing book clubs right away.

<h1>Book Club Calendar</h1>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Book Babes 1 PM			Happy Hour Hunnies 5 PM		
	Ozark Bookies 3:30 PM Lake Literary Lushes 4:30 PM					
		Between The Covers 3:30 PM				
		Boozy Bookworms 2 PM Literary Chicks 6 PM		Read Between the Wines 4 PM		

HERE'S WHAT OUR BOOK CLUBS ARE READING!

Read Between the Wines

Out of the Woods, by Hannah Bonam-Young

Rating of 3 out of 5

The Wife, by Alafair Burke

Rating 4 out of 5

Boozy Bookworms

Out of the Woods, by Hannah Bonam-Young

Rating of 2.5 out of 5

48 Clues Into The Disappearance of My Sister, by
Joyce Carol Oates



Rating 3 out of 5

Between the Covers

The Borrowed Life of Fredrick Fife, by Anna Johnson

Rating of a 5 out of 5

She's Not Sorry, by Mary Kubica

Rating 4 out of 5

Lit Chicks

No Two Persons, by Erica Bauemeister

Rating 4 out of 5

Book Babes

The Address, by Fiona Davis

The Briar Club, by Kate Quinn.

Before We Were Yours, by Lisa Wingate

The Boyfriend, by Frieda McFadden.

No Ratings were given

Ozark Bookies

All the Colors of the Dark, by Chris Whitaker

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Book Clubs Chair



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