

# **APEX NEWCOMERS & FRIENDS CLUB**

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OCTOBER 2008

**Apex Newcomers & Friends Club (ANFC) is a not-for-profit social organization. ANFC promotes interest in local, civic, cultural and service programs. General Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month (September through May) at the C. C. Jones Building on Holleman Street, in Apex, at 9:30 a.m.**

**Prospective members are welcome to try two visits to any function before joining. The annual non-refundable dues are \$25.00 per year plus a donation of \$2.00 each meeting to help defray the cost of hospitality and building use.**

**SPECIAL: Bring a friend to the general meeting & receive two entries into our door prize drawing!!**

## ***PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE***

Here we are ready to enter the month of ghosts and goblins! We have had our first meeting and you were great, so many new faces. We were set up to take your money, but we also were ready with sign-up sheets and it was good to see lots of you selecting what you intend to participate in for the month. Thank you to all who brought food for us and food for the needy, plus your donation of money. We had lots of books to browse through, so I hope you found some to take home with you.

We had our first lunch at Daniel's and it was a fun time and the food was good as usual. Cards are going well. Don't be afraid to sign up even if you don't know how to play the game. There are people who are eager to teach you so come and have some fun.

Our first speaker gave a very interesting presentation and sparked our interest. I think we are off to a good start. It looks as if we will have some informative meetings.

Come the October meeting, we must vote on a place to have our December Christmas Dinner. We are booked to go to Bentley's so hopefully that will be agreeable to most of the members. Also, we must look forward to next year's venue as places must be booked well in advance to secure a date. Does anyone have any places they would like to suggest? Nancy checked out a place in Raleigh but it only held 49 people which does not leave too much room to move around.

Enjoy the month ! Thanks to all our committee members for doing such a good job!

Thanks for your support and encouragement!

Eleanor H., President

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**IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CALL THE COORDINATOR TO CANCEL ANY ACTIVITY THAT YOU HAVE SIGNED UP FOR**

**SUGGESTION BOX:** Please respond to our Christmas Dinner. This is a repeat request. Arrangement for the Christmas part must be made early, so for NEXT year, please make a request early.

Ideas for charitable contributions should also be presented to the Board for consideration. After going over all the requests, the Board will consider several and present them to the members for final approval.

**TINS!! TINS!! TINS!!** Keep the Christmas tins coming. You have been so generous with the tins but those that were remaining were **non-seasonal**. Anyone needing these non-seasonal tins, please let us know.

**PROGRAM** Coordinator: Peggy E. 302-6342 and Steve H. 362-4459  
Our speaker for the October meeting will be Peggy Smith, Program Director of Eastern North Carolina Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. **DON'T FORGET TO COME!!!!!!**

### **COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

**Western Wake Crisis Ministry:** Coordinator: Kate D. 303-3779  
**Donations have been a little slow.** Please continue to donate canned goods, rice, cereal, pasta and sauces, peanut butter and jelly or paper goods to the Western Wake Food Drive. Bags of groceries are distributed to approximately 300 local families in need each month. Please try to remember those in need!!!!!!

**Red Cross:** Kate D. 303-3779      **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED**  
Our Newcomers & Friends Club provides two volunteers on the first Friday of each month to work as a Greeter or in the Canteen at the Cary Blood Center, 3700 Regency Parkway, Suite 150. The work hours are 7:40 to 10:30. Donors are also always needed. Please call 231-1602, Ext. 422 for an appointment. Walk-ins are also accepted.

Thank you for those who volunteered over the summer: Esther T., Marge C., Eleanor S. and Kate D.  
**October volunteers:** Wendy B. and Betty S.

**BOOK CLUB** Coordinator: Pat C. 387-3655  
**Oct. 17th** 1:00 pm. Host: Pat. C.  
Books will be Nobody's Fool by Richard Russo and Jon Krakauer's book, Under the Banner of Heaven: a story of violent faith.

**GAME NIGHT** Coordinator: Sharon W. 557-0626  
**Oct. 25th:** Host: Eleanor S. 363-5490

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**BOOK EXCHANGE** Coordinator: Billie S. 363-1942

Check out the "box of books" at the next meeting and bring your discarded books to share with the group. Remember, you do not have to return them; you just take them, share and enjoy. If you have found a hard cover book you really enjoyed and like to share, feel free to bring it.

**MOVIES** Coordinator: Betty S. 1-914-980-3063

Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>. Time: TBA

**BREAKFAST** Coordinator: Esther T. 462-3689

Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> @ 9:00 AM @ Briggs, High House & Maynard, Cary

**LUNCH** Coordinator: Dorothy L. 290-2803 Call two days in advance to reserve.

Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> @ 11:30 @ Mimi's at Cary Towne Center.

Meet at 11:00 am at Lowes Foods in Peakway Plaza to carpool.

**DINNER** - Nancy E. 303-4868 Reservations required.

Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 6:30 PM, Tony's Bourbon Street Oyster Bar, private room, 107 Edinburg Dr., Cary 462-6226  
RSVP two days prior to event

**MEN'S NIGHT OUT** Coordinator: Tony P. 303-4868

Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 Host: TBA

Please call two days prior to event. Spouses usually go to the movies and finish the night with refreshments at the host's home.

**BOLIVIA (AM GROUP)** Coordinator: Eleanor S. 363-5490

Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>: Host: Gay G. Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> Host: Carol M

**BOLIVIA (PM GROUP)** Coordinator: Kate D. 303-3779 (Meets 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays) at 1:00 pm

Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> Host: Judy Ep. Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> Host: Elaine C. Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>, Host: Kate D.

Nov 5<sup>th</sup> Host: Judy El. Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> Host: Irma M.

**TREATS & TALENTS** Coordinator: Sandy V. 467-9927

Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00 AM Host: Sandy V. We are going to make "yo-yo's"

## **NEXT BOARD MEETING**

Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30 am @ Aileen S. 387-8822

**CARING & SHARING** Coordinator: Judy Elz.. 387-6086

### **BIRTHDAYS:**

Oct. 1: Irma M. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> Judy El., Gail O'M

Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>: Marge C., Oct 29<sup>th</sup> Barbara K.

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**HOSPITALITY** Coordinator: Irma M. 303-3192 and Anne G. 372-0568

Ladies please come at 9 a.m. to help set up and stay after the meeting to help clean up.

## **October Refreshments:**

Kate D.	Marcy S.	Sue H.	Peggy E.
Renee F.	Marge C.	Esther T.	Sandy V.

## **CINNAMON BUNS** - Gay Getten

1 Package regular butterscotch pudding Cinnamon	Chopped nuts—prefer pecans
1 Package frozen Parker house rolls (Bridgford)	
1 Stick oleo or butter	1 cup brown sugar

Grease 9 x 12 pan (prefer glass) then into pan, put 1 cup chopped nuts. Sprinkle pudding over nuts, then sprinkle with cinnamon. Place 1 package frozen rolls over pudding mix.

Melt 1 stick oleo or butter. Mix in 1 cup brown sugar and pour over rolls. Place dish in COLD OVEN OVERNITE. They will raise overnite. In the morning, remove rolls from oven. Heat over to 350 degrees. Bake rolls for 25 minutes. Take out and turn over onto platter

## **INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY**

In the event the Wake County Public Schools are closed or have a delayed opening due to weather conditions on the day of a meeting, the meeting will be cancelled.

## **SPONSORS**

***Abloomin' Garden Florist:*** Each month Abloomin' Garden Florist on the corner of Hwy. 55 and James Street will provide a floral arrangement.

Apex Chamber of Commerce. Thank you to the Apex Chamber of Commerce for their continued support; your one stop for Apex information. The Apex Chamber of Commerce, located in the **Historic Trail Depot**, at **220 North Salem Street** has the map of Apex and the Raleigh, Durham and North Carolina maps. They have a calendar of events for the state as well as the town of Apex. Along with apartment guides, the Apex Community Guide has a wealth of information including the history of Apex, and a quick reference section with telephone numbers to everything needed to get started in Apex. Local newspapers are also available! All information at the Chamber is free! Visit their website at: [www.apexchamber.com](http://www.apexchamber.com) or come visit and find out more about the town you now call home. Apex Newcomers & Friends Club, c/o Apex Chamber of Commerce, 220 N. Salem Street, Apex, NC 27502

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5	6	7	8 <b>General Mtg. 9:30</b>	9	10	11
12	13 Lunch 11:30	14 9:30 AM Bolivia	15 <b>Executive Bd. Mtg. 9:30</b>  Bolivia 1:00 PM	16 Breakfast 9:00	17 Book Club 1:00 pm  Men's night 6:30 pm	18
19 Movies	22	21	21	23 Dinner 6:30 pm	24 Treats & Talents 10 am	25 Game Nite 7:30 pm
26	27	28 9:30 AM Bolivia	29 Bolivia 1:00 PM	30	31	

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