

April 2024 TRWC Newsletter

Board Members

 <p>Co-President Susan Birkenmaier</p>	 <p>Co-President Joan Miller</p>	 <p>1st VP-Events Mary Beth Cordier</p>	 <p>2nd VP- Speakers Melinda Adams</p>
 <p>Treasurer Kay Consigny</p>	 <p>Secretary Lisa Taverna</p>	 <p>Membership Pam Paterson</p>	 <p>Membership Diane Spinella</p>


President's Message

Happy Spring! April in TRWC is a busy time. Annual membership dues are renewing now and it's also election time for the proposed new slate of TRWC Board officers. You'll see detailed information on membership later in this newsletter. Election information on the proposed slate of new Board officers, as well as the ballot form, will be sent to all members via email. If you have not received that email by Friday, April 5th, please contact Joan Miller at 630.258.1821.

Also April is observed nationwide as Volunteer Recognition month. This celebration reminds us to express gratitude to you, our TRWC members, who give selflessly of your time and talent to provide opportunities for us to build friendships and goodwill. Many of our members should be recognized for their willingness to support the TRWC and many more members should be admired for their willingness to serve here in the TR community, the Sarasota area, and even wider reaching programs. Each of you deserve, and have, our thanks for making this world a better place for all.

Sincerely,
Susan Birkenmaier and Joan Miller

Don't forget to turn in your dues!



TURTLE ROCK
WOMEN'S CLUB
DUES

THIS MONTH WE WILL KICK OFF
OUR ANNUAL DUES EVENT FROM
4/1 TO 5/31. DUES ARE STILL \$20.
PLEASE DROP OFF YOUR \$20 DUES
AT THE TRWC MAILBOX AT THE
COMMUNITY CENTER.

Contact us if you have questions;
email Pam Paterson at
pfp1963@gmail.com
or Diane Spinella at
dianespinnella@gmail.com.

Mark Your Calendars

UPCOMING EVENTS



April 1 - May 30 Membership Dues	Annual dues are \$20. Drop your check off at the TRWC mailbox in front of the community center. Questions? Contact either Diane Spineela at dianespinnella@gmail.com or 941-376-1733; or Pam Paterson at pf1963@gmail.com or 781-910-6504.
April 3 Luncheon	Luncheon at Rosemary and Thyme.
April 4 Trivia Night	Trivia Night TRCC 5:30 pm. \$5 per person. RSVP by March 29th to Mary Anne Cordier @ mbcordier@aol.com or 941-923-9459
April 9 Game Night	All women and men are invited to attend our game night. Join others who also enjoy playing cards and games such as the Mexican Train domino game. We meet monthly on the 2nd Tuesday, 7-9pm, at the Community Center. Contact: Joan Miller at 630-258-1821 or joanmiller272@gmail.com .
April 17 Bunco	Bunco is played on the third Wednesday of each month from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Community Center. Gather at 5:30 pm and bring \$5.00 to play. RSVP needed to Donna McCarthy at dmccarthy1014@gmail.com . If you like, stay after Bunco to play Left, Right, Center, bring \$3 to play LRC.
April 20 Mix and Mingle	Saturday, April 20 from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. at the TR Community Center.
May 1 Luncheon	Luncheon at Kolukan. \$33 per person; reservation deadline is April 24th . Menu attached. Only 52 spaces available, so sign up soon!

MIX & MINGLE

The Turtle Rock Women's Club is sponsoring a community Mix & Mingle on Saturday, **April 20 from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.** Just make your way to the TR Community Center for a laid-back, casual gathering with community neighbors. It's never been easier to plan an evening out. Just bring a beverage you enjoy and a dish to share. Friendly faces and engaging conversation will ensue. **Questions?** Send an email to mbcordier@aol.com.



Wednesday, May 1, 2024

Kolucan

6644 Gateway Ave, Sarasota, FL 34231

\$32 per person

Reservation deadline - Wednesday, April 24 2024

Only 52 spaces available, so sign up soon!

11:30 am Social Gathering/12:00 Lunch

All lunches include a non-alcoholic beverage. A cash bar is available.



Menu

First Course

Ensalada de la Casa: Local mixed greens, roasted corn, jicama, radishes, avocado, queso fresco, cilantro dressing.

Entree Choices (choose one):

- Salmon Tampiqueno: Pan seared Atlantic salmon filet with veal chorizo hash, roasted veggies, vegetable mole, habanero aioli.
- Chile Relleno: Roasted poblano pepper stuffed with potatoes, roasted carrots, mushrooms, onions & confit tomatoes in vegetable mole sauce, cashew sour cream, served with black beans & Mexican rice.
- Kolucan Bowl with Mesquite Chicken Breast*** : Mexican rice, black beans, lettuce, pico de gallo shaved street corn, Oaxaca cheese, mesquite chicken breast.
- Kolucan Bowl with Crispy Short Rib*** : Mexican rice, black beans, lettuce, pico de gallo shaved street corn, Oaxaca cheese, crispy short rib.

***** If you are ordering a Kolucan Bowl please indicate chicken or beef on your check.**

Dessert

Churros & Chocolate: Flash-fried fritters rolled with cinnamon sugar, served with Abuelita's hot chocolate & caramel dip.

*\$32 per person includes tax and gratuity. Reservation deadline is **Wednesday, April 24, 2024**. Drop your check off in the TRWC mailbox at the Turtle Rock Community Center. Please include your entree selection on the memo line of your check. **If you are ordering a Kolucan Bowl please indicate chicken or beef**. To cancel send an email to turtlerockwomensclub@gmail.com. Sorry no refunds after the reservation deadline date.*

April Birthdays



Elsbeth Nadorf
April 1



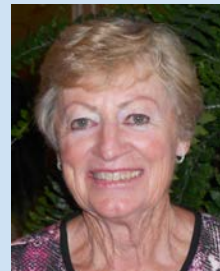
Sally Arnet
April 2



Dee Burlingame
April 2



Linda Lingard
April 2



Audrey Paddock
April 3



Allison Derr
April 5



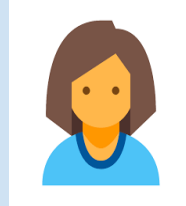
Susan West
April 9



Robin Hain
April 11



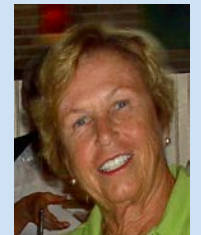
Carolyn
Gossman
April 12



Fran Spiegel
April 16



Kim Weiser
April 16



Jane Slaughter
April 18



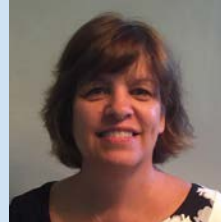
Lisa Taverna
April 18



Leslie Petzing
April 19



Margo
Engelbretson
April 20



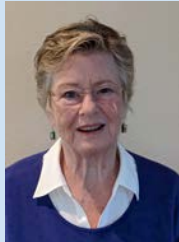
Barbara Zannino
April 22



Eileen Particelli
April 24



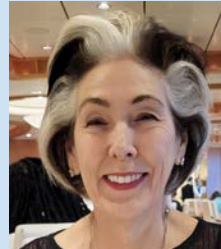
Jane Frattini
April 26



Paula Griffin
April 26



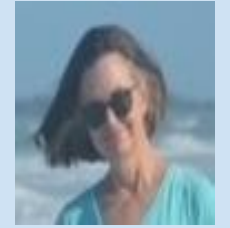
Anna Burke
April 27



Julia Hendrickson
April 27



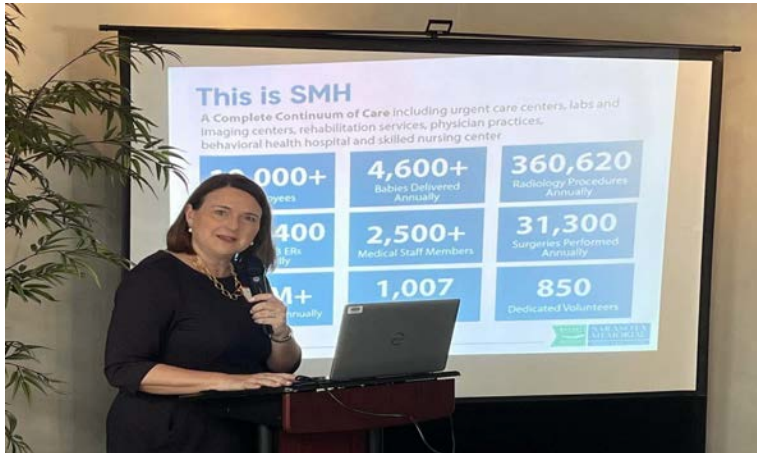
Francine Schatz
April 28



Ginny Cheatham
April 30

March Luncheon

Want to see other pictures? Many other pictures are posted on the Turtle Rock Facebook page. Click this link to go to the TRWC page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/920420339340755>. When joining - please make sure to answer the questions so that our administrator of the group can admit you. Our facebook page is a great way to keep track of ad hoc events like going with a group to the movies or breakfast.





Thank you to everyone who donates their time to support TRWC activities. If you would like to volunteer to assist with a committee or want to create a new activity, please send an email to turtlerockwomensclub@gmail.com.

Luncheon Committee

Cean Cerny
Liz DeLuca
Jane Frattini
Audrey Paddock








Social Media Committee





Cean Cerny
Jean Contillo
Mary Beth Cordier
Pam Paterson

Welcoming Everyone (WE)

Margo Engelbrektson
Debbie Foust
Helene Horrell
Susan Larson
Emily Miller
Joan Miller
Suzanne Placzek
Diane Spinella
Judy Stump
Kim Weiser

Ongoing Activities

	<p style="text-align: center;">Water Aerobics</p> <p>Liz Spyrison leads a group exercise at our Community Pool on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 - 10:30 am. If you would like to join, please contact Liz Spyrison at 941-587-2596 or espyrison@gmail.com.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Daytime Book Group</p> <p>This group meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 10:00 am. Please contact Sora Yelin at 941-926-4534 for questions or info regarding joining this book club.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Bunco Night</p> <p>Bunco is played on the third Wednesday of each month from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Community Center. Gather at 5:30 pm and bring \$5.00 to play. RSVP needed to Donna McCarthy at dmccarthy1014@gmail.com. If you like, stay after Bunco to play Left, Right, Center, bring \$3 to play LRC.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Mah Jongg</p> <p>A fun and challenging tile game, played at the TRCC on Mondays from 1-4 pm. Call Judy Bentz at 412-848-0950 for more info. We will teach beginners. Regulars can set their own tables.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">What Are You Reading? Evening Book Club</p> <p>Are you looking for an evening of great conversation and a chance to learn about new books and authors? Contact Paula Griffin at paulasrq@gmail.com.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Duplicate Bridge</p> <p>DUPLICATE BRIDGE is played at the Community Center on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month from 1-4 p.m. If you'd like to play, please contact Pat Bass at 941-412-7885.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Knit and Stitch Group</p> <p>If you knit, crochet, cross-stitch, do needlepoint or other hand-stitching projects for yourself or charity, join other stitchers on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, 2-4 p.m, in a group member's house. Contact Diane Glynn at 203-912-6071 or dianeglynn@aol.com.</p>

	<p style="text-align: center;">Tennis</p> <p>Our tennis group meets on Tuesday mornings at 8:30 am on the courts. We look forward to members joining us and enjoying some fun playing tennis. Please contact Liz DeLuca at 203-912-1404 or delucaluz@yahoo.com.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Game Night</p> <p>All women and men are invited to attend. Join others who also enjoy playing cards and games such as the Mexican Train domino game. We meet monthly on the 2nd Tuesday, 7-9pm, at the Community Center. Contact: Joan Miller at 630-258-1821 or joanmiller272@gmail.com.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Pickleball</p> <p>Want to have fun playing America's fastest growing sport? We are currently meeting for open play sessions on Wednesday & Thursday mornings. All levels are welcome. To be added to the group texts & email list, contact Polly Fasick phfasick@gmail.com or text her at 410-218-7753.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">On My Own (OMO)</p> <p>An informal network for anyone living on their own, married women, caregivers - any woman looking for more opportunities to create a network of others in similar circumstances. The goal of this program is to help socially connect anyone interested in getting together informally to see a movie, grab a bite to eat, go for a walk, attend an event, whatever may interest you. Participants will create their own opportunities to reach out to others to get together. Please call Judy Stump for more information at 475-619-4370.</p>