

Women's Club at UCF, Inc.
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Newsletter



Happy Spring to All

YOU ARE INVITED TO:

**Women's Club at UCF
Spring Meeting with Lunch**

Tuesday, April 1, 2014
Tuskawilla Country Club,

1500 Winter Springs Blvd., Winter Springs, FL 32708

Speakers: **UCF Professors Arlen and Diane Chase**

Topic: Archeology Adventures in Caracol, Belize
www.caracol.org

Time: 11:30am - 1:30pm

Cost: \$25

Please join us for this lively annual event. It's a great opportunity to get caught up with friends and to make new ones. In addition to our meeting, lunch, exciting speakers, door prizes, and scholarship awards, we will have a mini fashion show with club members modeling recent purchases made during our Annual Clothing Sale.

Menu

*Tuskawilla Wedge Salad with Crumbled Gorgonzola, Craisins,
Candied Pecans & Ranch Dressing*

Chicken and Asparagus crepes with Veloute sauce

White and Wild Rice Pilaf

Fresh Vegetable Medley

Vegetarian option

Vegetable Wellington with red pepper couli

Strawberry shortcake

Other dietary needs accommodated if requested in advance

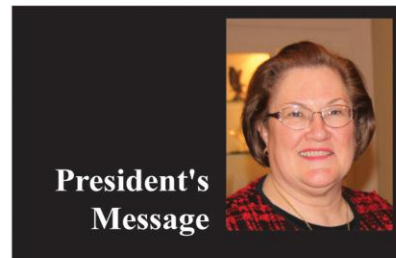
Send reservation, \$25 and choice of entree to:

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**President's
Message**

Dear Club Members and Friends,

It continues to be a pleasure to be a member of this motivated, caring, and enthusiastic group and a privilege to be its president. I've enjoyed making some fantastic friendships during this time.

More importantly, we've made great strides in funding both our undergraduate and graduate scholarships and we will continue our efforts to ensure that they are awarded each year.

There are exciting opportunities available when you are a part of this club and you can participate as your schedule allows. Our numerous and varied Interest Groups offer something for everyone. There are also many occasions for your spouse, significant other, and friends to join you in our activities.

Looking forward to seeing you at our Spring Meeting with Lunch on April 1 at the Tuskawilla Country Club.

Best wishes,

Nancy L. Marshall



The Women's Club at UCF
5th Annual

New & Gently-Used

Clothing Sale

Scholarship Fund Benefit

Feb 28-Mar 1, 2014



It's a wrap. The Clothing Sale has been put to bed for another year. It was a smashing success. We raised \$4,000 for our scholarships! Many positive comments were heard from the public: "great sale"... "great prices"....."most organized sale we've ever been to".

With 33 volunteers involved in working at this sale, that means we had over a quarter of the entire club involved and when you add members who donated and were unable to work, I am sure well over half our club helped make it a success. That is what makes the Clothing Sale so rewarding.

This was an impressive team effort! Ten members were on site until 7pm on Thursday night tagging, sizing, and organizing. During the sale, volunteers held babies and entertained toddlers while moms shopped. Workers helped search for just the right scarf and a pair of shoes; ran trash to the dumpster; and sorted hangers. We folded the clothes on the tables dozens of times and just kept things humming. The snacks were yummy, too!

We worked hard, we laughed, we sorted, and we cared. The committee thanks each and every one of you who gave your time and energy so willingly for this worthy cause.

by Debbie Caruana and Mary Diphoye, co-chairs



Holiday Events 2013

Holiday Coffee

In December, Martha Hitt opened her lovely home for the annual Holiday Coffee and fundraiser for the Coalition for the Homeless.



Sigi Stockhammer, Martha Hitt, and Ginny Holmes



Patricia Crepeau and Teresita Leeson



Dec. 2013 - Annual Cookie Exchange

Carolyn Huseman's home. Sweet goodies shared among sweet friends at popular annual event.



Bookworms Interest Group

Interest Groups

Boundless energy seems to come with membership in the Women's Club at UCF. It's no surprise that personal calendars are filled to the brim with enriching, philanthropic, health-focused and friend-making events. We invite long-time members to check out the club's new and ongoing list of Interest Groups and events. Play cards, dine out, see a chick-flick, take a hike, learn to knit, and raise funds for scholarships. Great Decisions has had one meeting, but welcomes new members to join in vibrant and enlightening discussions regarding text written about world affairs as they relate to our country. See what we mean when we say "something for everyone?" Don't forget to email this newsletter to friends and potential members. Invite them to join this group of fun-loving, down-to-earth women and explore a wide range of interesting activities.

Armchair Travelers
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Mah Jongg Evening –
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Lady Track Shack 2014



Scotts Corn Maze - Hiking Club



Scotts Corn Maze Hiking Club

Interest Groups



Needlework Interest Group



International Friendship Group



Kelly Park - Hiking Club

An Evening at Downton Abbey

The Women's Club Gourmet II interest group met at the home of Beth Barnes and John Crocitto on January 5 to celebrate the season premiere of PBS Masterpiece's very popular Downton Abbey. The Gourmet Anglophiles were Beth and John, Sharon and Michael Frumkin, Ginny and Bob Holmes, Liz and Andy Payer, Pat and Dick Pepler, and Sigi and Rudi Stockhammer. Several of the women wore period dress and the men wore tuxedos, as was the custom among the English aristocracy in the early 1920's.



The evening began with traditional Pimm's Cups and hors d'oeuvres before the guests moved into the dining room, where the table was set according to Carson's standards with white linen, sterling silver, English bone china, and heirloom crystal. It was decorated with English ivy and white candles. The dinner, prepared by the members of the group, included Creamy Watercress Soup, Fig and Stilton Salad, Spice-rubbed Brisket with Roasted Carrots and Parsnips, Haricots Vert with Butter and Herbs, and Mrs. Patmore's Yeast Rolls, with appropriate wines accompanying each course.



After dinner the group adjourned to the library to enjoy the two-hour season premiere and indulge in Victorian Sandwich Cake, coffee, brandy, and liqueurs.



Congratulations to our UCF Knights Football Team on their Fiesta Bowl win!

Mission Statement

The mission of the Women's Club at UCF, Inc. is to support the advancement of the University's ideals and goals and to provide scholarships benefiting nontraditional students of the University of Central Florida.

We welcome members from the community as well as the University and provide opportunities for sharing interests and developing friendships.