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President's Message

A warm welcome was extended to everyone at the January luncheon, along with heartfelt wishes for a happy and healthy New Year. Although attendance was smaller than at most of our luncheons, those present enjoyed each other's company and shared stories about their Christmas holiday celebrations.

The group delighted in a wonderful luncheon menu. Entertainment was

provided by Howard, who played his accordion and transported us to different countries around the world through his music. Guests often clapped their hands and sang along, making it a joyful and memorable occasion for all.

Look forward to seeing everyone at our February Luncheon.

— **Dottie Auletta, President**



SUNSHINE NEWS

If you know of anyone who needs a little "sunshine," is ill, has had surgery, or is suffering from a loss, please contact Sunshine Chair, Barbara Shaw at barbara@guyshaw.com or (858) 485-8314. Or please contact Sunshine Chair, Dian Andrew at cda7850@hotmail.com or (858) 487-8790.

A DAY AT THE RACES — PRE-ORDER!

Join us on August 13, 2026 for a day at the Del Mar Races. Get together with three friends and one person buys a table of four for approximately \$76.00. Lunch is at the table, but on your own. We are in the Terrace section just past the finish line. We usually start gathering around 12:00 p.m. to enjoy lunch, check out the horses, and place our bets for the 2:00 p.m. post time. If you get a group together,

let Marianne Dozer know as soon as possible at maridozer21@sbcglobal.net or (760) 753-4784 because the arrangements (number of tables) must be reserved at the beginning of March. Don't be left out, as it is a fun day!





February 11, 2026 LUNCHEON

Featuring Ventriloquist Joe Gandelman

Joe spent nearly 20 years in the newspaper business before he decided to dash it all and become a full-time ventriloquist. It was a change that today has him performing in the U.S. and in Canada. He performs at fairs, festivals, schools, corporate events, libraries, casinos, stage variety shows and has been on television.

TO MAKE A RESERVATION

PLEASE SEND EMAIL TO:
DOTTIE AULETTA at dotssd@icloud.com
or call Dottie at (760) 567-7409 (with your Menu Choice)

OR

PLEASE SEND EMAIL TO:
JANICE MURRAY at janicemurray13@yahoo.com
or call Janice at (916) 995-7099 (with your Menu Choice)

YOU MUST PAY AT THE DOOR BY CHECK.
PLEASE BRING YOUR CHECK FOR \$38.00
(Payable to Wednesday Etc.).

ALL RESERVATIONS WITH MENU PREFERENCES
(or any cancellations too)
MUST BE IN BY FRIDAY AT 5:00 P.M.
PRIOR TO THE WEDNESDAY ETC. LUNCHEON.

****Note: You will receive an email confirmation for your reservation.**
If you fail to receive a reservation confirmation,
please re-contact Dottie or Janice.**

All Luncheon Reservations **MUST BE PAID IN FULL.**
Reservation cancellations will not be accepted after the
Friday 5pm deadline. If you have made a reservation and do not attend,
you will be contacted for your late payment. Thank you in advance
for your understanding and cooperation.



WHEN

Wednesday,
February 11, 2026

Social 11:00 a.m.
Lunch Service 11:30 a.m.
Entertainment 12:15 p.m.

WHERE

The Heights Golf Club
16066 Bernardo Heights Pkwy.
San Diego, CA 92128

ENTRÉES

Honey-Garlic Baked
Atlantic Salmon
with Steamed Jasmine Rice
& Seasonal Vegetables

OR

Vegetarian:
Cheese Lasagna
with Seasonal Vegetables

Chef's Choice Dessert

Coffee, Iced Tea, Lemonade,
Arnold Palmers

Interest Group Activities

BOARD MEETING February 4, 2026

The Board Meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 4th at 10:00 a.m. at Rancho Bernardo Public Library. **If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Dottie Auletta at dotssd@icloud.com or (858)775-8830.**

BOOK CLUB February 25, 2026

The Wednesday Etc. Book Club usually meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be hosted by Mary Ellison and held on Wednesday, February 25, 2026 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Linda Freeman; 17423 Bernardo Vista Drive, San Diego 92128. The book is *James* by Percival Everett. **For more information, please contact Sally Fallon at sallyfallon75@gmail.com or (619) 997-9447; or Karen McGurk at kmcgurkrn@sbcglobal.net or (619) 981-6562.**

FUN SOCIAL BRIDGE TBD

The Fun Social Bridge group usually meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. The February meeting is TBD. **If you have questions, please contact Marlene at mszagon@gmail.com or (619) 857-1644.** (Marlene Zagon is the leader of Fun Social Bridge).

2ND TUESDAY BUNCO February 10, 2026

The 2nd Tuesday Bunco Group #1 meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on February 10th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Dottie Auletta; 17827 Avenida Cordillera #48 San Diego 92128. **If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Joanne Thomas at joannethomas45@gmail.com or (858) 485-9432.** (Joanne Thomas is the leader of Second Tuesday Bunco.)

4TH TUESDAY BUNCO February 24, 2026

The Bunco Group #2 usually meets on the 4th Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 24th at the home of Carolyn Burchell; 17929 Avenida Cordillera, San Diego 92128. **For questions, contact Sharon Saindon at (760) 703-1710 or powaybartender@gmail.com.**

CANASTA February 27, 2026

The Canasta group usually meets on the 4th Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, February 27th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Sharon Saindon; 13137 Woodmont St, Poway 92064. Sharon Saindon is the leader of Canasta. **For questions, contact Sharon at powaybartender@gmail.com or (760) 703-1710.**

HAND & FOOT #1 February 26, 2026

The Hand & Foot #1 Group usually meets on the fourth Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 26th at 12 noon at the home of Sally Edwards; 17630 Plaza Ascope in Oaks North. **RSVP to Carolyn Burchell (858) 217-6162 (home), or (858) 945-2815 (cell) or cburchell@san.rr.com (email).** (Carolyn Burchell is the leader of Hand & Foot #1 Group.)

HAND & FOOT #2 February 5, 2026

The Hand and Foot #2 Group meets on the first Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 5th at the home of Arlene Siravo; 17812 Corte Huasco #62, San Diego 92128. **Questions? Please contact: Lynn Cramer at lynvin63@gmail.com or (858) 674-0759.** (Lynn Cramer is the leader of the Hand & Foot #2 Group.)

HAND & FOOT #3 February 17, 2026

The Hand and Foot #3 Group meets on the third Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 17th at the home of Diane Taylor; 8965 Stargaze Ave, San Diego 92129. **RSVP to Marlene at mszagon@gmail.com or (619) 857-1644.** (Marlene Zagon is the leader of the Hand & Foot #3 Group)

MAH-JONGGETTES TBD

The Mah-Jonggettes #1 Group usually meets on the third Wednesday of the month. Carolyn will send an email about where the game will be played. **RSVP to Carolyn Burchell at cburchell@san.rr.com, or telephone (858) 217-6162, or text (858) 945-2815.** (Carolyn Burchell is the leader of the Mah-Jonggettes #1 Group.)

MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOS February 20, 2026

The Mexican Train group meets on the third Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, February 20th at 1:00 PM at the home of Arlene Siravo; 17812 Corte Huasco #62, San Diego 92128. **If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Lynn Cramer at lynvin63@gmail.com or (858) 674-0759.** (Lynn Cramer is the leader of Mexican Train Group).

POKER February 19, 2026

The Poker group usually meets on the third Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 19th at 1:00 PM at the home of Rita Johnson; 17812 Corte Huasco #62, San Diego 92128. **If you plan to**

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attend, please **RSVP Sharon Saindon** at s.saindon@yahoo.com or (760) 703-1710. (Sharon Saindon is the leader of the Poker Group).

RUMMIKUB February 13, 2026

The Rummikub group usually meets on the second Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, February 13th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Ruth Stewart; 16675 Rocca Drive, San Diego 92128. **Please RSVP to Ruth** at ruthstew269@yahoo.com or (858) 451-2722 if you plan to attend or not attend.

TRAVEL DESTINATIONS February 3, 2026

The Travel Group will meet for lunch on Tuesday, February 3rd at Boto Sushi; 11835 Carmel Mountain Rd, San Diego 92128 in Carmel Mountain to enjoy Japanese cuisine. **RSVP to Linda** at Lcfree22@gmail.com or (858)775-8830. (Linda Freeman is the leader of the Travel Group).



Happy February Birthday Wishes For:

Marsha Bercuson 2/23, Diane Cubeta 2/12,
Marianne Dozer 2/21, Judy Eddins 2/16,
Chris Giulianotti 2/9, Sheila Monk 2/16,
Arlene Siravo 2/4, Carolyn Triebel 2/2

*May your special day be full of fun,
happiness, and everything you enjoy!*

FEBRUARY 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 12:00 Noon TRAVEL DESTINATIONS Boto Sushi	4 10:00 am BOARD MEETING RB Library	5 1:00 pm HAND & FOOT #2 Arlene Siravo	6	7
8	9	10 1:00 pm 2ND TUESDAY BUNCO Dottie Auletta	11 11:00 PM LUNCHEON The Heights Golf Club	12	13 1:00 pm RUMMIKUB Ruth Stewart	14
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22	23	24 1:00 pm 4TH TUESDAY BUNCO Carolyn Burchell	25 9:30 am BOOK CLUB Linda Freeman 1:00 pm FUN SOCIAL BRIDGE TBD	26 12:00 Noon HAND & FOOT #1 Sally Edwards	27 1:00 pm CANASTA Sharon Saindon	28