

# Wednesday Etc. Wire

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## President's Message

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer, whether it was traveling or just sitting at the beach with your toes in the water! Our members had a great time at the Del Mar Races on Wednesday, August 14, and a special thank you goes to Marianne Dozer for coordinating this fun annual summer event for Wed. Etc.

For our first luncheon of the Wed. Etc. 2019-2020 season on September

11, 2019, we have a FANTASTIC show for you. Put on your Western gear (prize for the best outfit) and join us in welcoming Judy Taylor – the Singing Cowgirl! Judy Taylor's wonderful performance will have lots of surprises in store for you -- an awesome musical show that you won't want to miss! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at our September luncheon!

For our October luncheon, prepare

to enjoy Mark Carlson speaking on "Electronic Alzheimer's" – a humorous look at how 'electronic evolution' is affecting human evolution.

— Rita Johnson

If you have questions, comments, or suggestions concerning the Club, the Board invites you to let us know by contacting Rita Johnson at [rejohnson0308@gmail.com](mailto:rejohnson0308@gmail.com)

### 2019-20 Executive Board

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### HAVE YOU RENEWED YOUR WED. ETC. MEMBERSHIP?

Thank you to those members who have already mailed in their renewal forms for Wed. Etc. 2019-2020. If you have not renewed your membership, please do so by **September 1st** to be included in the new Membership Directory for 2019-2020. Important reminder: All Activity Group participants must have up-to-date memberships. The membership application form is included at the end of this newsletter. Please fill in the application sheet and mail it with a check for \$35 or \$40 to the address given on the form. For information, please contact Jo Willis, Membership Chair, at (858-673-9758) or [sdcruisers@att.net](mailto:sdcruisers@att.net), or President, Rita Johnson at (858-349-3069) or [rejohnson0308@gmail.com](mailto:rejohnson0308@gmail.com).

### LUNCHEON PRICE INCREASES \$2 IN OCTOBER 2019

As our everyday economy and the Country Clubs are incurring price increases, the Wed. Etc. Executive Board has deemed it necessary to raise the cost of our Wed. Etc. luncheons by a very minimal amount of \$2, from \$25 to \$27. This increase is necessary in order to continue the highest quality for our luncheons. The new luncheon price of \$27 per person will go into effect beginning with the October 2019 Wed. Etc. Luncheon.

### BRING A FRIEND!

We encourage you to invite your friends and relatives to become a part of Wednesday Etc. For every TWO ladies who join as a result of your efforts, you will receive a free lunch at the next monthly meeting. Please contact Jo Willis for more information at [sdcruisers@att.net](mailto:sdcruisers@att.net) or (858-673-9758). Also, if anyone needs a ride to a Wed. Etc. Luncheon, please contact one of our Member Liaisons for 2019-2020: Shirley Tweedell at (858-451-6523), or Madelyn Reina at (858-472-4073).

# SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON

## Wednesday, September 11, 2019

### Country Club of Rancho Bernardo

12280 Green East Rd., San Diego, CA 92128

## FEATURING



*Judy Taylor*

## **JUDY TAYLOR THE SINGING COWGIRL!**

Judy Taylor is an award-winning singer, songwriter, musician, and leader of the all-girl band, "The Wild Oats." She sings and plays a wide selection of fun, popular, and upbeat songs. As an accomplished Wild West performer, her presentation will also include a choreographed display of fancy trick roping, gun spinning and fancy bull whips. In a fun and interactive piece of Americana, Judy will sing and yodel her way into your hearts.

**PUT ON YOUR WESTERN GEAR AND  
WELCOME JUDY TAYLOR - THE SINGING COWGIRL!**

**A PRIZE WILL BE GIVEN FOR THE BEST WESTERN OUTFIT.  
(Jeans will be allowed for this special Western luncheon event at CCRB.)**

**Social Hour: 11:00 a.m. • Lunch Service: 11:30 a.m. • Program: 12:15 p.m.**

### **ENTRÉE CHOICES:**

House-Smoked Pulled Pork Sandwich  
with cheese on a brioche bun served with cole slaw

**OR**

Wagon Wheel Salad with chopped iceberg lettuce,  
tomatoes, onions, croutons, cheddar cheese & Crispy  
Fried Chicken with Ranch Dressing  
\*\*\*(vegetarian option available)

Warm Rolls & Butter on Tables

**Dessert:** Fresh Summer Watermelon

Coffee, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Arnold Palmers

(Gluten-free food and special seating  
are available by request.)

**Members: Your check for \$25.00  
must be received by  
Saturday, September 7th  
with your entrée selection to:**

**Wednesday Etc. Club  
P.O. Box 27985  
San Diego, CA 92198**

**OR**

**RSVP to Rita Johnson,  
by noon on Saturday, September 7th, at  
rjohnson0308@gmail.com or 858-349-3069**

We have a 48-hour cancellation rule in effect for our luncheons. The venues we use require a head count and we must pay them whether you attend or not. This includes "pay at the door" reservations. Thank you in advance for your understanding and compliance.

# Ongoing Activities



## BOARD MEETING

The Board Meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month. This month's meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 4, 2019, at the home of Karen McGurk, 14905 Derringer Road, Poway, 92064. Please RSVP to Karen at [kmcgurkrn@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kmcgurkrn@sbcglobal.net)

### WEDNESDAY ETC CLUB

#### PROPOSED INCOME & EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020

##### INCOME

Advertising in Directory	100.00
Boutique	2,400.00
Directory Sales	3.00
Vendors at Luncheons (e.g., jewelry)	300.00
Jokers' Wild	800.00
Luncheon Raffles	800.00
Membership Dues (for 135 members)	4,725.00
Reimbursement for Newsletter Mailings	<u>90.00</u>
<b>TOTAL INCOME:</b>	<b><u>9,218.00</u></b>

##### EXPENSES

Boutique Expenses	500.00
Directory Printing	225.00
Insurance	885.00
Jokers Wild	300.00
Luncheon Expense for Guest Entertainers	400.00
Member Appreciation	1,200.00
Misc. Exec. Board Expenses	150.00
Nametags	50.00
Newsletter Publishing	1,000.00
P.O. Box	106.00
Postage (Directory, Newsletter, Sunshine)	270.00
President's Gift	100.00
Programs/Speakers	550.00
Raffle Baskets	300.00
Sunshine (cards)	200.00
Table Décor at Luncheons	200.00
Website and E-mail Services	<u>1,645.00</u>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES:</b>	<b><u>8,081.00</u></b>



## WEDNESDAY READERS

The Wednesday Etc. book club meets on the fourth Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be at 9:30-11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 25, at the home of Madelyn Reina, 13571 Sunset View Rd., Poway, (858-472-4073). We will be discussing "The Gown" by Jennifer Robson. Anyone wishing to join the Readers book group is welcome to attend. Please contact Sally Fallon for information at [sallyfallon75@gmail.com](mailto:sallyfallon75@gmail.com) or (619-997-9447).



## BRIDGE

Is there someone who needs to refresh her bridge skills? We can help! We are also looking for ladies who would like to substitute in Duplicate or Chicago style Bridge. If you would like to form a new Party Bridge group and likely be the first chairman, we have a list of a few interested ladies available. For more information please contact Connie

Griffin at [conniegriffin@cox.net](mailto:conniegriffin@cox.net) or (858-679-0263).



## BUNCO

**Second Tuesday Bunco:** 12:00 p.m. on September 10, at the home of Joan Al-Nasser, 13622 Del Poniente Rd., Poway. For more information, contact Joan Al-Nasser at [yogijoan@cox.net](mailto:yogijoan@cox.net) or (858-679-0920).

**Fourth Tuesday Bunco:** 12:00 p.m. on September 24, at the home of Barbara Shaw, 17335 Plaza Maria, RB, (858-485-8314). For more information, contact Mary Taggart at [marytaggart@yahoo.com](mailto:marytaggart@yahoo.com) or (858-487-5007).



## GENEALOGY GROUP

The Genealogy Group meets on the third Monday of the month. The next meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, September 16, at the home of Sandra McManus, 12869 Camino De La Breccia, RB (Sandra. [mcmanus@hotmail.com](mailto:mcmanus@hotmail.com) or (858-521-8227). Come join us – we welcome new members! For information or

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## A TRIBUTE FOR BONNIE JEAN HILBERG

We will miss our long-time friend and Wed. Etc. member, Bonnie Hilberg, who passed away on June 3, 2019, of a sudden heart attack. Bonnie was a strong, warm, fun-loving, and interesting person, who loved to dress up in lovely clothing and jewelry, go to the casino, play Bunco and poker, participate in happy hours, and drive her beautiful yellow car. Reflecting her Wisconsin heritage, Bonnie always enjoyed a Friday night fish fry or a Green Bay Packers game. She was an avid sports fan, following baseball and all levels of football, either attending games or watching on television. She endured health issues of recent years with determination and grace.



In earlier years, Bonnie was a successful business woman, combining an impressive work history with a loving family life. Donations in her name can be made to the Rancho Bernardo Community Presbyterian Church or to the Cat Adoption Service of San Diego.

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questions about this group, contact Barbara Moely at bemoely@gmail.com or (858-883-2908).



**EUCHRE GROUP**

The new Euchre Group will have its first regular meeting (a week earlier than originally scheduled) at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 17, at the home of Rita Johnson, 17812 Corte Huasco, #62, (858-349-3069). For more information, contact Diane Taylor (tdiane43@yahoo.com or (858-735-5453), or Barbara Moely (bemoely@gmail.com or (858-883-2908).



**HAND AND FOOT**

The Hand & Foot group meets on the fourth Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be at 1:00

p.m. on Thursday, September 26, at the home of Gail Battenberg, 14248 Palisades Dr., Poway, (858-486-8888). For information about this group, please contact Joan Al-Nasser at yogijoan@cox.net or (858-679-0920).



**MAH-JONGGETTES**

Groups play Mah-Jongg on the first and third Wednesdays at Bernardo Heights Country Club. Lunch is at 11:15 a.m., and you order from the regular menu; or come at 12:30 p.m. and play for \$5.00 with tea, etc., included. Please contact Carolyn Burchell, cburchell@san.rr.com or (858-217-6162), to sign up each week, so that she can let Paula Cobb know how many people plan to attend for lunch and how many tables to set up. If you are interested in learning how to play Mah-Jongg, Paula teaches the game and is happy to get you started. Contact her at PKC47@aol.com or (858-967-8800).



**POKER**

The Poker players meet on the first Thursday of each month. This month the group will play at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 5, at the home of Marilyn Lane, 12565 Oaks North Dr., #213, Rancho Bernardo. (858-675-0691). We have room for new players! If you are interested, please contact Joan Al-Nasser at (858-679-0920).



**SUNSHINE**

If you know anyone who is in need of a little "sunshine," is ill, has had surgery, or is suffering from a loss, please contact Connie Griffin at conniegriffin@cox.net or (858-679-0263).

# SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 9:30 am BOARD MEETING Karen McGurk 11:15 am BHCC MAH-JONGGETTES	5 12:00 pm POKER Marilyn Lane	6	7
8	9	10 12:00 pm BUNCO Joan Al-Nasser	11 11:00 am LUNCHEON Country Club of Rancho Bernardo	12	13	14 Getty Museum Trip w/Day Trippers Barbara Moely
15	16 10:00 am GENEALOGY Sandra McManus	17 1:00 pm EUCHRE Rita Johnson	18 11:15 am BHCC MAH-JONGGETTES	19	20	21
22	23	24 12:00 pm BUNCO Barbara Shaw	25 9:30-11:30 am READERS CLUB Madelyn Reina	26 1:00 pm HAND & FOOT Gail Battenberg	27	28
29	30					

# Wednesday Etc. Membership Application 2019-2020

For all new and returning members, please complete this application and mail with your dues payment by **SEPTEMBER 1, 2019.**

Important Note: We publish an annual confidential "Membership Directory," which lists current member names, address, telephone, and email information. To have your name and information published in this directory, complete those sections on this application form and return by **September 1, 2019.** Please note that non-identified photographs taken during club activities may be posted to our current website and included in the annual President's Book. For questions, contact Jo Willis at [sdcruiers@att.net](mailto:sdcruiers@att.net) or (858-673-9758).

Please **CLEARLY PRINT** your personal information below:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday (month & day): \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

## Membership Type: (check)

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a NEW member referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I am a RETURNING member

**Annual Dues and Newsletter:** Annual Dues are based on your choice of newsletter delivery. Check your preference.

**Dues: \$35.00; newsletter delivered via email**

**Dues: \$40.00; newsletters delivered via U.S. Mail**

**Participation in Club Activities:** Please be sure to check all that are of interest to you.

Bridge players: (check all that apply)  Regular  Sub  Marathon  Duplicate  Couples  Social

Attending Luncheons

Book Club

Bunco

Genealogy

Hand & Foot

Mah-Jongg

Modeling for the Fashion Show

Poker

Races

Serve on the Board or a Committee

Euchre

Theme Parties

Make your check payable to: **Wednesday Etc. Club**

Mail this completed form and your dues payment to:

**Wednesday Etc. Club  
Attention: Membership  
P.O Box 27985  
San Diego, CA 92198**

**Advertise in the Club Directory:** Any member may submit a black/white ad for the directory. Contact the Membership Chair, Jo Willis, at (858-673-9758) or [sdcruiers@att.net](mailto:sdcruiers@att.net). Ads must be submitted by Sept. 1, 2019, and be camera ready. Rates are as follows: **1/4 page: \$15; 1/2 page: \$30; Full page: \$45.**