

Wednesday Etc. Wire

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President's Message

June marks the end of another fruitful year for the Wednesday Etc. Club! Special thanks to all of the wonderful Board Members, Committee Leaders, and Special Interest Group Coordinators for your

dedication, hard work, and effort to make this club so successful. Most importantly, a heartfelt Thank You to our valued members. The club would not exist without your continued support.

Have a wonderful summer! See you in September!

— **Dottie Auletta, President**

2025-26 Executive Board

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DONATIONS NEEDED AT THE JUNE LUNCHEON

The MOM MILITARY OUTREACH MISSION is a non-denominational, nonprofit organization that provides food, toiletries, and baby items for junior enlisted military personnel at four local military housing sites. They need our support!



Please help by bringing non-perishable canned foods, peanut butter, and boxed food to our June Luncheon. Also needed are toiletry items such as soap, bath gel, toothpaste, and shampoo. Especially appreciated are larger diapers (sizes 5 and 6), pull-ups, and wipes. We will also have envelopes available at the luncheon to accept monetary donations. Please make checks out to SDMOM or San Diego Military Outreach Mission.

This is a very worthwhile organization that Wednesday Etc. supports each year. Please help us make this year's drive our all-time best!

More information about the organization can be found at their website:
www.sandiegomom.org



It's time to renew your Wednesday Etc. membership for the 2026-2027 year. You will find the Membership Renewal form at the back of this issue. The cost of membership is \$35.00 for email delivery of the Wire and \$60.00 for U.S. Postal Service delivery* of the Wire.

Mail your completed form, along with your dues check, to the following address: **Wednesday Etc. Club; P.O. Box 27985, San Diego, CA 92128.**

*Please Note: In order to accommodate the steadily increasing cost of stamps, paper, and envelopes; it has been necessary to raise the membership cost of this delivery method. There is no increase in dues for electronic delivery.



June 10, 2026 LUNCHEON

Featuring

THE BINGO PARLOR

Join us for a wonderful time playing the game of
Bingo at the Wednesday, Etc. Bingo Parlor!

Win Wonderful Cash

One free card will be provided for each member
and guest. Two more additional cards may be
purchased for \$1.00 each

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,
June 10, 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

Shrimp Spinach Salad
with baby spinach, mango, avocado,
almonds, mint, red onion, tomato
with white balsamic

OR

Vegetarian:
Pasta & Vegetable Stir Fry

Chef's Choice Dessert
**Coffee, Iced Tea, Lemonade,
Arnold Palmers**

NEW MEMBERS LUNCH



Wednesday Etc. Board Members hosted New Members on May 13th at the Olive Garden Restaurant in Carmel Mountain.



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.

THE RB DISCOVERY SHOP FASHION SHOW HIGHLIGHTS

Members Carol Garrison, Dicelle Curtis, Barbara Shaw, and Joan Falkosky modeled lovely outfits from the Discovery Shop at the May luncheon. Ana Arteaga narrated the program and also brought beautiful items for sale after the show.



Dicelle Curtis



Carol Garrison



Barbara Shaw



Joan Falkosky



Ana Arteaga



Happy June Birthday Wishes For:

**Sandy Bolger 6/03, Carol Garrison 6/04,
Ruth Stewart 6/13, Faye Wilkerson 6/14,
Carolyn Burchell 6/17, Sally Edwards 6/21,
Marlene Zagon 6/21, Kathleen Pedrotti 6/24.**

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

Interest Group Activities

BOARD MEETING

June 3, 2026

The Board Meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 3rd 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

June 24, 2026

The Wednesday Etc. Book Club usually meets on the 4th Wednesday of the month. The next meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Jan Murray; 16685 Roca Drive, San Diego 92128. The book is *Snow Flower and the Secret Fan*. **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.**

2ND TUESDAY BUNCO

June 9, 2026

The 2nd Tuesday Bunco Group #1 meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 9th at the home of Joan Falkosky; 17853 Sintonte Drive, San Diego 92128. (Joanne Thomas is the leader of Second Tuesday Bunco.) **Questions? Please contact Joanne at joannethomas45@gmail.com or (858) 485-9432.**

4TH TUESDAY BUNCO

June 23, 2026

The Bunco Group #2 usually meets on the 4th Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 23rd at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Shirley Lanthier; 16511 Caminito Vecinos #66, San Diego 92128. **For questions, contact Sharon Saindon at (760) 703-1710 or powaybartender@gmail.com.**

CANASTA

June 26, 2026

The Canasta group usually meets on the 4th Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, June 26th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Sharon Saindon; 13137 Woodmont Street, Poway 92064. Sharon Saindon is the leader of Canasta. **For questions, contact Sharon at powaybartender@gmail.com or (760) 703-1710.**

**HAND & FOOT #1

June 25, 2026

The Hand & Foot #1 Group usually meets on the fourth Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on

Thursday, June 25th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Marcia Clingman; 11065 Noble Lane #204, San Diego 92128. **Carolyn will send out an email to remind you of the RVSP to her that you are coming or not coming.** (Carolyn Burchell is the leader of Hand & Foot #1 Group.)

** Hand & Foot #1 Summer Dates:

July 23, 2026 - Sandy McManus will host at the home of Carolyn Burchell; 17927 Avenida Cordillera, San Diego 92128.

August 27, 2026; Nelly Dowlatshahi will host. The place will be announced before the date.

HAND & FOOT #2

June 4, 2026

The Hand and Foot #2 Group meets on the first Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 4th at the home of Joan Falkosky, 17853 Santonte Drive, San Diego 92128. **RSVP to Lynn Cramer at Lynn Cramer at lynvin63@gmail.com or (858) 674-0759.** (Lynn Cramer is the leader of the Hand & Foot #2 Group.)

HAND & FOOT #3

June 16, 2026

The Hand and Foot #3 Group meets on the third Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 16th at the home of Rita Johnson; 17812 Corte Huasco #62, San Diego 92128. **RSVP to Marlene at mszagon@gmail.com or (619) 857-1644.** (Marlene Zagon is the leader of the Hand & Foot #3 Group.)

MAH-JONGGETTES #1

No Meeting in June

Mah-Jonggettes Group #1 usually meets on the third Wednesday of each month. We have lost most of our members due to lack of interest or sickness. We are looking for new members who want to join us. **Please contact Carolyn Burchell if you are interested.** (Carolyn Burchell is the leader of the Mah-Jonggettes #1 Group.)

FIRST FRIDAY MAH-JONGG

June 5, 2026

The First Friday Mah Jongg Group meets on the first Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, June 5th at 1:00 p.m. at the home of Sandy McManus;

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Mexica 12869 Camino de la Breccia, San Diego 92128.
RSVP to Lynn Cramer at lynvin63@gmail.com. (Lynn Cramer is the leader of First Friday Mah Jongg.)

MEXICAN TRAIN DOMINOS June 19, 2026

The Mexican Train group meets on the third Friday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Friday, June 19th at 1:00 PM at the home of Rita Johnson; 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 June 18, 2026

The Poker group usually meets on the third Thursday of the month. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 18th at 1:00 PM at the home of Vicky Hansen; 10446 Orozco Road, San Diego 92124. **If you plan to attend,**

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

TRAVEL DESTINATIONS June 2, 2026

The Travel Group usually meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month. Our next meeting will be on June 2nd with a trip to Balboa Park for lunch and to explore the gardens. **For more information, please contact Linda at Lcfree22@gmail.com or (858)775-8830.** (Linda Freeman is the leader of the Travel Group).

Enjoy your summer

JUNE 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 1:00 pm TRAVEL DESTINATIONS Balboa Park	3 10:00 am BOARD MEETING RB Library	4 1:00 pm HAND & FOOT #2 Joan Falkosky	5 1:00 pm 1ST FRIDAY MAH-JONGG Sandy McManus	6
7	8	9 1:00 pm 2ND TUESDAY BUNCO Joan Falkosky	10 11:00 PM LUNCHEON The Heights Golf Club	11	12	13
14	15	16 1:00 pm HAND & FOOT #3 Rita Johnson	17 3RD WEDNESDAY MAH-JONGGETTES No Meeting	18 1:00 pm POKER Vicky Hansen	19 1:00 pm MEXICAN TRAIN Rita Johnson	20
21	22	23 1:00 pm 4TH TUESDAY BUNCO Shirley Lanthier	24 9:30 am BOOK CLUB Jan Murray	25 1:00 pm HAND & FOOT #1 Marcia Clingman	26 1:00 pm CANASTA Sharon Saindon	27
28	29	30				

WEDNESDAY ETC. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2026-2027

Important Note: We publish an annual confidential "Wednesday Etc. Club Directory," which lists current member names, addresses, telephone numbers, and email information.

For questions, contact Judy Leitner 858.248.0567 or judy.leitner@gmail.com

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

Name: _____ Spouse: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Home Ph: _____ Cell Ph: _____

Email: _____ Birthday (month & day): ____ / ____

Membership Type: (check) _____ RETURNING member or _____ NEW member

Dues: \$35.00 Newsletter delivered via email **Dues: \$60.00 Newsletters delivered via U.S. Mail**

1. **Make your check payable to: Wednesday Etc. Club**
2. **Mail your completed Membership Form and your Dues Payment to:**

WEDNESDAY ETC. CLUB
Attention: Membership
P.O Box 27985
San Diego, CA 92198

To indicate your Interest Group preferences, please complete the chart below.

Interest Groups	1. I am Participating Now	2. I Want to Join	3. I Want to Substitute	4. I Need Training
Book Club				
Bridge				
Bunco				
Canasta				
Hand & Foot				
Mah-Jongg				
Mexican Train Dominos				
Poker				
Rummikub				
Travel Destinations				

Suggestions for new Interest Groups: _____

Other Suggestions: _____