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IMPORTANT DATES



9/13



General Meeting

9/18

6:30 - Rm 111

President's Message

I can't believe it's September! How many times have you said that already? The temperature feels like August but the change is very noticeable.

And, yes. The Colony Club is ready to get our 2023-24 season started. Although we haven't been meeting formally, the board members have been working behind the scenes to organize a fulfilling year.

Most of the chair position have been graciously filled. Thank you to everyone that said YES. We could not achieve all that we do without your support. We still have some slots open, and we will be looking to fill them during our general meeting. Please feel free to offer your assistance in any way you can. Our members have many talents to share with us.

I look forward to seeing you all at our first General Meeting on Monday, September 18, Room 111 at the Community Center at 6:30.

Beth Little

Speakers

Karen Morella, Chair

Our speaker for September will be the representative we supported for GCI. Lauren will talk about her experience in attending GCI.

Future speakers will include Judy Bonato who will lead a drumming workout, Krista Fitzsimmons from ACCC and Luz Guzman from Hope Pregnancy.

Ways and Means

Diane Mozzo, Chair

Fundraising events:

1. **October 18**--Bosco's Friends Helping Friends day. \$5 coupons will be handed out at the September meeting. Everyone will receive 4 cards. Remember the Colony Club receives the \$5.
2. **October 21**--Maynard's Fun Fundraiser,
Details--Maynard's Cafe, 9306 Amherst Ave., Margate

Tickets will be sold at the September and October meetings and Scrip pick-up on October 2, or by mailing a check made out to the Colony Club to:

Jan Laxton
312 N. Mansfield Ave.
Margate City, 08402

Bring a guest. We would like to sell at least 50 tickets.
50/50 and lottery hat tickets will be available.

3. **November 7**--Mario's Fundraiser
4. **December 13** - Randazzo's -- 4-8pm ---Colony Club receives a percentage of all food or gift cards sold that day.
5. **February 11, 2024**--Marios's fundraiser
6. **April 10, 2024** - **Randazzo's**
7. **June 11, 2024** - Fashion Show - See Cathi Ferber
8. **Scrip (Raise Right) ongoing** - See Anne Glenning

FUN for US

October 21 -- Fun Fundraiser at Maynard's Cafe in Margate: see flier below

November 30 -- Happy Hour at Fran Worrell's house, 4-6pm

December 7 -- 1-3pm, Room 111 of the library. Christmas craft making activity. Bring some cookies for exchanging and snacking. Bring your own beverage. Bring a glue gun.

March 8, 2024 - World Women's Day -Happy Hour, 4-6pm, Yesterday's restaurant

Other events TBD



RaiseRight Fundraiser

(formerly Scrip)

Anne Glenning - Chair

Thanks to our members participating in this fundraiser, we have added \$1,047 to our Treasury. If you are not participating, please consider this program and help us reach our 4K goal.

Remember this is our “no cost” fundraiser – you pay \$100 for a ShopRite \$100 gift card so you’re even, and our treasury gets \$4. An updated list of participating retailers, card amounts and contribution percents will be provided at the next general meeting. This information is also available on the website – RaiseRight.com. Folders with the retailers list and an order form will also be available for new members and/or new SCRIP users.

Reminders

Order BOSCOV’s cards if you are going to enjoy the Friends Helping Friends discount day on October 18th. Order by the 10/2 board meeting and they’ll be available at the 10/16 general meeting. It’s a win-win with the club getting \$5 for your discount pass plus 8% of your card purchase.

SNOWBIRDS - Publix market is on the retailers list. Please stock up before you go south.

VISA CARDS - There’s an added bonus since there’s NO activation fee.

Order and delivery for SCRIP is done prior to our board meetings and our general meetings (6:45 to 7pm). Dates are as follows:

- Sept 18 General meeting
- Oct 2 Board meeting
- Oct 16 General meeting

If you would like to participate in the fundraiser but the order schedule or location

[DOWNLOAD THE RAISERIGHT FORM HERE](#)



Ronald McDonald Tabs

Keep collecting those can tabs which are recycled for cash for Ronald McDonald House Charities. The money supports the House and helps provide lodging for families.

Bring the tabs to a meeting or leave them on Fran Worrell's porch at 3305 Simpson Ave., OC.

Upcoming Events

Book Club

Dot Aitken, Chair

Hello Ladies,

I hope you all had a good summer.

This is a reminder that our first meeting for the 2023-2024 year will be held at my house on Wednesday, September 13, 2023. I look forward to seeing you all.

Please let me know if you will be attending the meeting.

Book: *Code Name Sapphire or Woman With the Blue Star*

Author: Pam Jenoff

Place: 42 Bayonne Place

Time: 12:30

Thank you and see you all soon.

Dot

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Books for 2023-2024

	Title	Author
1. September either	Code Name Sapphire	Pam Jenoff
or	Woman with the Blue Star	Pam Jenoff
2. October	West with Giraffes	Lynda Rutledge
3. November	Lessons In Chemistry	Bonnie Garmus
4. December	Remarkably Bright Creatures	Sara Van Pelt
5. January	Wuthering Heights	Emily Bronte
6. February	Proof of Heaven	Atul Gawande
7. March	Go Set a Watchman	Harper Lee
8. April	The Paris Architect	Charles Belfoure
9. May	The Magnolia Palace	Fiona Davis
10. June	The Woman Who Smashed Codes	Jason Fagone

Book Club Hostesses

- September Dot Aitken
- October Mary Hughes

- [January](#) -----
- [February](#) [Carol Evans](#)
- [March](#) -----
- [April](#) [Fran Worrell](#)
- [May](#) [Jane Deal](#)
- [June](#) [Restaurant](#)



Fall Block Party – October 7, 2023
Asbury Avenue, 9AM to 5PM

Once again, the Colony Club will participate In Ocean City's Fall Block Party and raise funds for our Special State Project, The Emmanuel Cancer Fund.

We will have a table, co-mingled with other charitable organizations. We will be offering cold water and juice boxes for sale, and seeking donations for the fund.

This event runs about 8 hours, requiring teams of two to take four two-hour time slots. We have 6 of the 8 volunteers needed and can manage with that, but if you feel you can donate an hour or two, please sign up.

There will be a sign-up sheet at the September 18 th General Meeting.

Thanks for all you do
Fran Worrell
Block Party Event Chairperson



Fun Fundraiser!

Bring your family and friends!

Saturday, October 21, 2023

2:00 pm-6:00 pm



Maynard's Cafe

9306 Amherst Avenue Margate, NJ
609.822.8423

Tickets are \$25.00

Contact Jan - 610.453.3425

Price includes: Buffet with Roast Beef, Ziti, Sausage, Peppers & Onions, Caesar Salad and Rolls
Bud/Bud Light, House Red and White Wine or Soda.

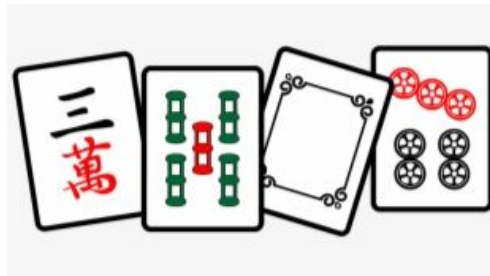
Full Cash Bar Available

50/50 Raffle

All proceeds benefit the Colony Club of Ocean City Scholarship Fund



Strong Women, Good Friends, Caring Volunteers



Colony Club Mah Jongh Mavens

Our group of Mah Jongh players are looking to grow. We play most

June Activities



OCHS Scholarship Night, June 5

General Meeting 9/18/23
Board Meeting 10/2/23



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