



# Newcomers News

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## MONTHLY MEETINGS TAKE BREAK

There is no monthly general meeting for Newcomers in December as we will be celebrating the holiday season with our annual Holiday Party at the Traverse City Country Club on Dec. 9.



Our regular meetings will resume on the fourth Tuesday of the month at Bethlehem Lutheran Church starting in January.

Mark your calendars for our first meeting of 2016 when our guest speaker will be Doug Stanton of Traverse City's National Writers Series. Plan to join us on Jan. 26 to learn about the inner workings of this popular Traverse City program.

## 'HE HAD US AT 'HELLO''

### *Shelter dog adopts Newcomer couple*

*By Debbie May*

*Here's a story,  
Of an abandoned Pitbull,  
Who was looking for a home to call his own,  
Gunther had fur of velvet,  
Like his mother,  
His only thought was "Bones."*

*Here's a story,  
Of a couple named Showalter,  
Who were bringing up a Pitbull of their own.  
They were three Newcomers,  
Living in Suttons Bay together,  
Yet they were all alone.*

*Till the one day when this Pitbull met this anomaly,  
And he knew it was much more than a hunch,  
That this group might somehow form a*



Gunther, Dan and Joan.

*family.  
That's the way they all became the Gunther(-loving) bunch!*

Truly, here's a story . . .

Gunther, an abandoned and neglected male Pitbull mix, literally crawled onto the laps of Newcomers Dan and Joan Showalter at the general meeting of the Newcomers

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## DECEMBER 2015

Now that Thanksgiving feasting is behind us, we enter December with its endless temptations of holiday cookies, candies, more cookies, cakes, more cookies. "These are a few of my favorite things."

You get the idea.

December also brings an end to the calendar year, and with New Years' Eve comes a time of reflection on the past and looking forward to the future.

Some Newcomer highlights of the past season have been the club reaching 500 members.

Thanks to our public relations person, Debbie May, this milestone was noted on local television news and in print publications.

The board has added three new board positions in the past year.

New Member Support is responsible for calling new members to welcome them to the Newcomers Club and hosting an orientation session to help familiarize them with the club. Donna Stein-Harris has done an outstanding job in making sure our new members feel welcome and being the point person to answer any questions they may have.

The board has also added two At-Large members. These positions provide the board input to the activities of the club. Gloria Dean and Mary Anne Krzywosinski volunteered to fill these positions and have helped with major events, programs and feedback. Their assistance and contributions have been a welcome addition to rounding out the board.

Finally, four new activities have been added this past season: Senior Men's Softball, which was suggested and led by Tom Andres; Board Games, suggested and led by Roberta and Jim Amstadt; Daytime Bridge, led by Denise Stephens; and the National Writers Series Group; suggested and led by Doug Weaver and Linda Proffitt.

We thank them all not only for suggesting an activity but for organizing and leading the activity.

Our last big event for 2015 is our annual Holiday Party at the Traverse City Golf and Country Club on Dec. 9. Please remember to bring a donation of non-perishable food items and/or cash for the Northwest Food Coalition. We hope to see many of you at this festive event.

Looking forward, we have some interesting monthly programs planned, lots of continuing activities to keep you busy this winter and a possible one-time activity for the spring.

On behalf of the entire board we wish all of you a joyous holiday season and a happy, healthy New Year!

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## Volunteer Spotlight: Carol Hosler

# Playing harp to soothe the soul

By Debbie May

One pluck of its strings and you instantly stop to listen.

The harp is one of the oldest musical instruments in the world, and Newcomer Carol Hosler now uses its musical chords to soothe those at the Munson Hospice House and Munson Home Health in Traverse City.

"Helping others enriches my life," said Carol, who has been volunteering at the Munson Hospice House off Medical Campus Drive for the last 11 years. "It has also opened new doors; learning harping when I had no musical background."

Carol moved to Traverse City from Rochester Hills, Mich., with her husband, Lee, in 2003. The next year, they joined the Newcomers Club of Grand Traverse.

"I began volunteering to give back to the community," said Carol.

Her first five years were spent volunteering nine hours a month as a caregiver at the Munson Hospice House, an eight-bedroom home nestled in a quiet, wooded area on a hill behind Munson Medical Center. Munson Hospice House and Home Care is designed to help patients by using palliative care and offering continued support to families.



Carol Hosler with her friend the harp.

"As a volunteer working with Munson Hospice patients and playing therapeutic harp, one receives excellent training," said Carol.

The harp, dating from as early as 3000 B.C., is on ancient monuments and in sacred texts. Historically, the harp is said to have healing qualities. Many have written that the harp creates an atmosphere of peace that sweeps away fear, depression, desperation and hopelessness.

Of her therapeutic harping volunteer sessions, Carol said, "I find it all very

rewarding. I am very proud to be connected with Munson Hospice in Traverse City because of the excellent quality of training and organization. The patients always receive the very best of care."

The therapeutic harp group at Munson Hospice has four available harps and is open to new members and to all volunteers who would like to help with patients. Anyone interested in volunteering at the Munson Hospice House in Traverse City may call Volunteer Coordinator Pam Morrison at 231-925-2909 to learn more.

### Caring Connections update

Friends always help friends in need. With that in mind, the expanded role of the Caring Connections Program will continue in 2015-16.

To use the program, to sign up to become a volunteer or to obtain more information on the program, contact Lorna Anderson at 231-935-1875 or [lea4475@gmail.com](mailto:lea4475@gmail.com).

### A thank you from Don Eastway

Newcomers member Don Eastway encountered some health issues recently but has bounced back soundly. Don wanted to pass this message along to members:

*I would like to take this time to say THANK YOU to everyone who sent me get well cards or called me while I was*

*recovering from having a pacemaker put in.*

*Again a BIG THANK YOU to everyone in the Newcomers Club.*

*Don Eastway*

*Glad you're back in fighting form, Don!*

# ACTIVITY GROUPS

## **BOARD GAMES**

**Sunday, Dec. 13, 4 p.m.**

The Board Game Group meets on the second Sunday of the month from 4 to 6 p.m. Here's the upcoming schedule:

- Dec. 13 at Bay Ridge, Second building in the lower level
- Jan. 10, Bay ridge in the Craft Room
- Feb. 14, at Bay Ridge in the Craft Room
- March 13 at Bay Ridge in the Craft Room

There are tables set up for Mexican Train Dominos and board games of choice brought to the meeting by members.

For more info contact Roberta Amstadt at [rmamstadt@aol.com](mailto:rmamstadt@aol.com). To RSVP for the meeting contact Natalie Martin at [nmartin1216@gmail.com](mailto:nmartin1216@gmail.com).

## **BOOK CLUB – MEN'S**

**Monday, Dec. 14, 10 a.m.**

The group will meet on Dec. 14 at Horizon Books, lower level.

The book this month is *Cleopatra* by Stacy Schiff.

For more information, contact Dave Amos at 231-271-0665 or [mideamos@hotmail.com](mailto:mideamos@hotmail.com).

## **BOOK GROUP – WOMEN'S—AM**

**Tuesday Dec. 1, 10:30 a.m.**

The Tuesday AM Book Group will again meet in the lower level of Horizon Books. The book for discussion is *Deep Down Dark: Untold Stories of 33 Men Buried in a Chilean Mine and the Miracle that Set Them Free* by Hector Tobar. Debbie May will lead the discussion.

For questions, contact Carole at [carole\\_wasserman@hotmail.com](mailto:carole_wasserman@hotmail.com) or 231-922-1581.

## **BOOK CLUB – WOMEN'S – PM**

**Tuesday, Dec. 1, 1 p.m.**

We will meet Dec. 1 to discuss *Big Little Lies* by Liane Moriarty. Debbie May will lead the discussion.

The group meets in the lower level of Horizon Books.

The other book selections for the coming year are:

- January - *The Faith Club*, Suzanne Oliver, Ranya Idliby, Priscilla Warner

- February – *Zeitoun*, Dave Eggers
- March – *The Girl on the Train*, Paula Hawkins
- April – *The Art of Racing in the Rain*, Garth Stein
- May – *A Reunion of Ghosts*, Judith Claire Mitchell

For questions, contact Robbin Stott, [stottrobbin@gmail.com](mailto:stottrobbin@gmail.com) or Mary Kennedy, [marymiles40@gmail.com](mailto:marymiles40@gmail.com).

## **BRIDGE**

**Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1 p.m.**

The Afternoon Bridge Group regularly meets on the third Wednesday of the month. However, with holiday considerations, the December date has been changed to Dec. 9. Mark your calendar for the second Wednesday in December to play afternoon bridge.

The group meets in the lower level of Horizon Books. Come early, have a hot chocolate and maybe the fireplace will be crackling!!

Remember all are welcome. It is a very casual, fun group. Please let Denise Stephens know if you will attend at [vanstep@hotmail.com](mailto:vanstep@hotmail.com) or 906-364-5688.

## **COCKTAILS & CONVERSATIONS**

Cocktails & Conversation is in need of a host for January. The last event was held in August and since that time no members have volunteered to host this great event. It's disappointing to say that this event will be discontinued in 2016 if there is no January host.

Please contact Michele Richard if you have any questions or suggestions at [richard.michele@rocketmail.com](mailto:richard.michele@rocketmail.com) or 231-357-3039.

Hosting is fun and easy and you are sure to make some new friends. This is also a wonderful opportunity for a new member to make a quick connection with several other members. Michele can walk you through the process and provide a guide with some helpful tips.

When C & G events are held, they fill very quickly and are by reservation only. Basic setups are provided, and guests are required to bring their beverage of choice as well as an appetizer to share.

You must be on Michele's mailing list to receive email announcements for coming events and to RSVP to your host.

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## **DINNER FOR EIGHT**

Join us for Dinner for Eight! Six people join two hosts at their home and each "pair" of people will provide part of the meal. The hosts provide the entrée and a couple of sides, plus beverages with up to two glasses of wine per person. The guests bring appetizers or salad and bread or dessert.

Contact Nancy Johnson at 231-668-9633 or [johns526@msu.edu](mailto:johns526@msu.edu) if you are interested in joining as a full member or as a substitute.

## **DINNER OUT**

The Dinner Out group takes a break in December because of all the holiday activities. So watch this space in the January newsletter to find out where the next great dining adventure will be.

Questions? Contact Gretchen Bergen at [gbergen1223@hotmail.com](mailto:gbergen1223@hotmail.com) or Joan Showalter at [joancone2@gmail.com](mailto:joancone2@gmail.com).

## **EUCHRE**

Euchre groups meet once a month in each others' homes. We currently have 10 groups. Each group is made up of three to four tables. Group members change tables and partners throughout the evening, which fosters lively conversation. Of course, food and beverage are involved. The players within any group are of varying levels of experience. Euchre, in Newcomers, is a social, not a competitive event.

This group is headed by Gregg and Sue McDonald at [gsmcdonald64@gmail.com](mailto:gsmcdonald64@gmail.com) or [librarygirl1963@hotmail.com](mailto:librarygirl1963@hotmail.com).

## **FILM GROUP**

**Thursday, Dec. 10**

The film group is a casual, fun group made up of people who love the movies. We attend movies at different theaters throughout the season and go out for discussion, food and libations afterwards. The group meets the second Thursday of every month from September through May. The group may occasionally add an extra film date during any given month if a film looks interesting and it's not available at the time of the regular meeting date.

Notification as to the film, time and place is emailed to film group members a few days before the outing. Anyone interested in joining the group may contact Judy Pelto at [jpelto1@charter.net](mailto:jpelto1@charter.net).

## **FISHING**

There's not much fishing to do except go steelhead fishing or wait for ice to form on inland lakes!

Happy Holidays and may Santa be kind to you all!

The Fishing Group includes Newcomers who are interested in fishing activities of any kind. The group evolves according to the interests of its participants.

Contact Pete at [phalbers99@gmail.com](mailto:phalbers99@gmail.com) or 231-922-7289 if you're interested in joining the group.

## **GOLF**

The golf group is going into hibernation at least until May 2, 2016. That outing is a Monday and will be held at the Crown golf course beginning at 10 a.m. We will publish our tentative schedule of golf outings in April's newsletter.

We will continue calling the Crown our home course due to the popularity with our membership. If anyone has any suggestions where they would like to play golf, please let us know. Most courses we played this year cost between \$25 and \$40, which is negotiated by us. The cost for each golf course for 2016 is not determined until February.

Questions? Contact coordinators Mike Huffman at 517 655-3374 or [wdcspike@yahoo.com](mailto:wdcspike@yahoo.com), or Dale Wentzloff at 231-383-0379 or [dale@wentzloff.com](mailto:dale@wentzloff.com).

## **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

**Wednesday, Dec. 9, 9 a.m.**

This group meets at the Omelette Shoppe next to the Wild Birds Unlimited store in the Campus Plaza the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. We meet all year around and always meet regardless of the weather. Bring all the testosterone you can muster.

Contact George Kobernus at [gkobernus@charter.net](mailto:gkobernus@charter.net) or 231-933-9321.

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## **MEN'S SOFTBALL—SENIOR LEAGUE**

Men's softball is done for the season. Men's softball - senior league is sponsored by the YMCA and is made up of men age 55+. All games are played at the Civic Center fields. Games are played once a week from May through August. Players do not have to be a member of the YMCA to play. Anyone can play, no experience necessary, but players will have to supply a glove as the league does not supply any equipment. Everyone who shows up will get a chance to bat.

For information about next summer's season, contact Tom Andres, [tandres8@hotmail.com](mailto:tandres8@hotmail.com), 231-421-5060.

## **MICROBREW GROUP**

**Thursday, Dec. 17, 5 p.m.**

The Microbrew Tasting Group will be meet at the Mackinaw Brewing Company, 161 E. Front St., in downtown Traverse City. The atmosphere downtown will be sure to get us all in the holiday spirit (and the beer is very good, too)!

If you have not yet signed up for the group, please contact Joel McElrath at [jmcelrath@epri.com](mailto:jmcelrath@epri.com) or 650-714-4557.

It is the mission of the Microbrew Tasting Group to visit all the area's breweries. The group attends one location each month. The sessions sometime include a tour of the facilities, but the focus is on trying the different beers made in the area. Also, there is priority placed on socializing with others who enjoy beer. Many times the group will have dinner together following the tasting.

## **NATIONAL WRITERS SERIES**

This activity group gathers for dinner at a downtown restaurant just prior to the appearance of a noted national author at the National Writers Series.

The writers series was formed to highlight excellence in writing and story-telling and bring it to Traverse City. The group also helps fund writing programs for young area writers.

Because of the busy holiday schedule, there is no planned get-together in December prior to the appearance of author John Bacon on Dec. 3. But the group will gather for January's event. The January author has not yet been announced.

Remember ... You will need to purchase your own tickets prior to any of the events. Information about getting tickets can be found at:

[www.nationalwritersseries.org](http://www.nationalwritersseries.org)

Questions? Email Doug Weaver at [dwindsail@aol.com](mailto:dwindsail@aol.com) or co-leader Linda Proffitt at [lindajproffitt@gmail.com](mailto:lindajproffitt@gmail.com).

## **NEWCOMERS NEEDLERS**

**Thursdays, Dec. 3 & 17, 1 to 3 p.m.**

Join us twice a month for a couple of hours of uninterrupted knitting, crocheting, needlepoint or rug hooking. Our low-key group enjoys working on projects in the company of others. Come with a project, or just to chat. If you need help, some-one is probably able to assist you.

We meet on the first and third Thursdays of the month, 1 to 3 p.m., at Aroma's Coffee Shop at the intersection of M-22 and M-72, across from Tom's West Bay. We meet in the conference room.

Have questions or want to be added to the email list for re-minders? Contact Robbin Stott, [stottrobbin@gmail.com](mailto:stottrobbin@gmail.com), or 231-932-1709 for more information.

## **OUT-TO-LUNCH BUNCH**

**Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1 p.m.**

The Out-to-Lunch Bunch will go to Smoke and Porter, 1751 N. U.S.-31, for its December event. It's next to Ruby Tuesday on East Bay.

The group meets at a well-rated restaurant at 1 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month.

For information about the group and to RSVP, contact Sis Leake at [sisleake@charter.net](mailto:sisleake@charter.net) or 231-313-3310.

## **PADDLING**

The Paddling group has completed its summer season. We enjoyed kayaking two rivers and two lakes this year. Lin Dann will remain the leader for the 2016 season. Those interested in joining the group but didn't get a chance to sign up at the Kickoff Dinner can contact Lin at [dannL@michigan.gov](mailto:dannL@michigan.gov) or 989-280-4028.

Sometime this winter Lin will connect with new participants and those already enrolled. She will gather information re: skill levels and preferences for locations for future paddles. She'll then create a schedule for spring/summer 2016.

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## **POKER**

**Tuesday, Dec. 1, 1 p.m.**

The poker group meets the first Tuesday of the month, with winter hours of 1 to 4 p.m. and summer hours of 6 to 9 p.m. The group meets on a rotating basis at each member's home.

The December meeting will be held Dec. 1 from 1 to 4 p.m. The host is Howard Bridges. Howard's e-mail is [hkbridges@hotmail.com](mailto:hkbridges@hotmail.com). Please let Howard know of your attendance. He will send out an e-blast with directions to his house. The poker group coordinator is Mike Huffman. Phone is 517-655-3374. E-mail is [wdcspike@yahoo.com](mailto:wdcspike@yahoo.com).

The game is small stakes to keep the game and conversation fun and friendly and no weapons are produced. We play dealers choice, which sometimes evokes a response "did you just make that up?" But we all like new games we haven't played before. The host merely has to provide the home and setup, while members bring snacks and drinks. We have had a fair number of new members sign up in the past year or so and look forward to your participation.

The poker group coordinator is Mike Huffman. Phone is 517-655-3374. E-mail is [wdcspike@yahoo.com](mailto:wdcspike@yahoo.com).

## **SOLOS GROUP**

**Tuesday, Dec. 15, 6 p.m.**

Please join us for the December Solos gathering at the Grand Cafe in Cherry Republic, 154 E. Front St. The cafe is new since the remodeling of the store and the food looks pretty tasty!

This is a great opportunity to meet and/or reconnect with other members who may be looking for a "buddy" to pair up with and attend events. See you there!

Please RSVP to group leader Whitney Allen at [wickedney@gmail.com](mailto:wickedney@gmail.com) so the venue can be given an accurate count.

The Solos Group is made up of people who are single or perhaps married but in need of someone to pair up for events when spouses or significant others prefer not to mingle. While the Solos Group will schedule lunches, dinners and other special outings, the group aims to forgo duplication of current Newcomer Club activities that are open to all members, including singles.

## **THEATRE GROUP**

The Theatre Group won't meet in December. Watch for January's newsletter and news of that month's activity.

The Theatre Group provides an opportunity for Newcomers

to enjoy live theatre with an insider's edge. We attend a performance after dinner at a nearby restaurant and discussion of the play and Q & A session with a staff member from the Old Town Playhouse.

Interested in joining the group? Please contact Chuck Watson at [watson144@gmail.com](mailto:watson144@gmail.com) or Kerr Anderson at [kerrandsn@gmail.com](mailto:kerrandsn@gmail.com).

## **VOLUNTEER AT THE STATE/BIJOU**

**Wednesday, Dec. 2, 2:30 p.m./State, approx. 4 p.m./Bijou**

**Thursday, Dec. 17, 2:30 p.m./State, approx. 4 p.m./Bijou**  
State/Bijou Theatres Volunteers: Join us as we work in the concession area, take tickets, sweep floors, usher or run errands. Free popcorn and pop, a voucher for another movie, and tokens for the parking ramp complete the experience. Our afternoon shift is sometimes slow and sometimes busy. Give it a try and perhaps you might like to move to a busier time on your own. You are more than welcome to remain at this less active level, too.

We have two shifts per month, and you may choose the one you prefer. We work on the first Wednesday and the third Thursday of each month from 2:30 to 5:15 p.m. at the State and 4 to 6:15 p.m. at the Bijou (subject to change as the movie schedule dictates). Join us for dinner after if you have time.

Space is limited, so please sign up via email with Nancy Johnson. Contact Nancy at [johns526@msu.edu](mailto:johns526@msu.edu) or 231-668-9633 if you would like to be added to the list of potential volunteers.

## **WALK IN THE WOODS**

The next walk in the woods will be in spring. Group leaders Leigh Wietsma and Dave Bessmer will announce the first events – here and on the Newcomers website – as soon as they have them worked out. If anyone still wants to sign up for this activity (in order to be on the email list) just email Leigh at [lawietsma@gmail.com](mailto:lawietsma@gmail.com).

## **WINE TASTING**

**Tuesday, Dec. 8, 4 p.m.**

The wine-tasting group will visit Peninsula Cellars, 11480 Center Road on Old Mission Peninsula, on Dec. 8. This month a RSVP will not be required. Everyone that shows will be served.

Since the Newcomers group will have our Christmas dinner the next evening, there are no formal arrangements for dinner. A few of us may visit Smoke and Porter on East Bay.

For information, contact Denise McElrath at [mcelrathbeachbum@att.net](mailto:mcelrathbeachbum@att.net) or Kimberly Belles at [kimberlybelles@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kimberlybelles@sbcglobal.net).

# ACTIVITY GROUPS

## 'Gunther really did adopt us'

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Club of Traverse City on October 27.

Gunther attended the meeting with Heidi Yates, who was scheduled to talk about the operation of the Cherryland Humane Society where she is now executive director. After the meeting, the Showalters just couldn't get Gunther out of their minds. On Nov.10, Gunther was adopted and moved into their Suttons Bay home.

"He had us at 'Hello,'" said Joan, adding "Gunther really did adopt us. . . We already have another Pitbull mix and tried to come up with a million excuses not to adopt another dog."

### Neglected, abandoned

Gunther, thought to be a 5- to 7-year-old Pitbull mix, was found abandoned along a local highway in September. He was lame, pulling himself along with his front paws.

According to an examining veterinarian, Gunther had fused kneecaps and had lost a lot of his fur to a medical condition called Alopecia.

When discovered, Gunther's sister, Pearl was with him. She was covered with quills due to an encounter with a porcupine. She was taken to an emergency veterinarian and has since been adopted. However, Gunther reportedly was placed in a foster home to regain his strength and to regrow his fur. He did both.

After they first met Gunther at the Newcomers general meeting, Dan said he and Joan would look on the Cherryland Humane Society website every day, hop-

ing Gunther had been adopted. But after a week of doing some research and talking to friends with multiple dogs, the Showalters decided to take their 8-year-old female Pitbull, Tara, to the shelter to visit Gunther.

"Tara had three visits before we decided to adopt Gunther. We wanted to make sure their personalities were compatible," Dan said.

### Huge lump of love

Turns out, Gunther is a "huge lump of love." That, according to Joan, who adds: "He's a lap dog that melds into your body when he climbs onto your lap. He's gentle yet playful like a puppy. He loves to snuggle and cover you in kisses."

Gunther's days are now filled with walks and rides in the Showalter family car. He and Tara are becoming friends.

"Tara is a bit apprehensive around galloping Gunther, but the staff at CHS said this is normal.... Every day the two become closer and closer," said Joan. The Showalters are happy to endorse the Cherryland Humane Society.

"This shelter is immaculately clean.... The dogs are well cared for and loved.... We can't say enough about the professionalism, compassion and dedication of the staff at CHS."



Gunther adopts Dan, left, and Joan, right. Below, right, Gunther shows why he's a lap dog.



While the shelter did want the Showalters to adopt Gunther, Dan said, "They were most interested in making sure the fit was a good one for us and Tara. We were never pressured. They

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*Gunther demonstrates the easy life in his new home with Joan and Dan.*



## Gunther

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gave us information about bringing a second dog into a household. CHS encouraged us to contact them if we encounter any bumps in the road."

When the Showalters look around their Suttons Bay home today, they can't believe what a loving addition Gunther has been to their family.

"Just a few days ago Gunther was sleeping on the floor of the shelter, now he is sleeping on cotton sheets from Pottery Barn," said Joan, chuckling. "Life is good for Guntherman!"

## NEW MEMBERS

Valerie Angers  
Orinda, Calif.

Peggy Link,  
Houston, Texas

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Fort Wayne, Ind.

Ralph Munch  
St. Petersburg, Fla.

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Rochester Hills, Mich.

John & Kathleen O'Brien  
Williamsburg, Va.

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