

Cresswind Charlotte Newsletter

April 2024



April Food Trucks

Tuesday, April 2
Baltimore Crab Co.
from 4:30pm-7pm

Thursday, April 11
Ernie's Heat & Serve
from 4:30pm-6:30pm

Friday, April 5
Mecklenburgers
from 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday, April 17
Chickpeasy
from 4:30pm-6:30pm

Thursday, April 9
Dusk Til Dawn
from 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday, April 24
Apostle 'Que
from 4:30pm-6:30pm

Friday, April 26
Mecklenburgers
from 4:30pm-7pm



SET YOURSELF **FREE**



FITNESS



RELATIONSHIPS



EDUICATION



ENTERTAINMENT

INTEREST GROUPS

Monthly MEN'S BREAKFAST

Join us for breakfast or just a cup of coffee. This is an opportunity to meet new friends or get to know each other better. Open to all men.



RELATIONSHIPS



**Monday
April 15 @
11:30AM**

Men's Lunch

Don't forget to sign up with Signup Genius

**La Autentica Mexican Restaurant
3509 Matthews-Mint Hill Rd
(At the Idlewild Rd Traffic Circle)
Matthews, NC 28105
Carpooling is recommended**



AQUAFRIENDS:

Join us M, W, F - 8:45am - 10:00am &
T & TH - 9:00am - 10:00am

are a group of Cresswind residents who exercise in pool. Many of the residents have taken water aerobics in the past and share and suggest exercises to use; we sometimes also use professional CDs as a guide.

Most of the exercises are simple but powerful - walking, jumping jacks, stretches, kicks, etc. No Swimming! We have a wonderful coed group that loves to laugh as they exercise. *Please note that this is not a certified instruction, just a group of residents having fun!



Line Dancing Classes

Neighbors teaching neighbors - 3 class levels



CLUBS



**Saturday
April 6**

5 sessions between
1:00-2:30pm

Paintings By Pups

\$10. Buy your dog's ticket to paint an 8x10" canvas via the Stack Team App, CLT Cresswind Who Arted club.

** Very safe process. Dogs will have no direct contact with paint. **



Stella



Max



Gates

April 11th
6-8pm
&
April 16th
2-4pm



Acrylic Pour Flowers

Make a one-of-a-kind painting on a wooden flower (17.5x17.5") to hang on a wall, a door or in your porch/lanai (or in a granddaughter's bedroom)

\$16. Register via Stack Team App, CLT Cresswind Who Arted. Only 12 seats per class.

APRIL 23, 2-4pm



HUMMINGBIRD PAPER FILIGREE

Create an 8x10" hummingbird and floral filigree, using a pre-cut patterned EVA foam canvas and quilling paper strips. Needs good manual dexterity.

\$13. Register via Stack Team App, CLT Cresswind Who Arted club. (Frame not included.)



Crazy for Bocce

Meets Sunday's @ 5pm
Contact Arlene for start date



CONTACT: Arlene Brown, arlene83@verizon.net

YOUNG AT HEART BAND

MEETS SUNDAY FROM
3:00 pm - 8:00pm
MULTIPURPOSE ROOM

CRESSWIND CHARLOTTE SINGLES



MEETS LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH IN THE COFFEE BAR

T&T Walkers

Join Us
new walking group

Tuesday and Thursday @ 8am

Meet at the corner of Festival and Good News at 8am

The group is led by Barbara Everett

Photo Club
Of Cresswind Charlotte

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Get Creative

Bring your SLR camera, tripod, lenses, or just your cell phone.

Caravan from our clubhouse parking lot at 9 am to Stowe.

Admission about \$15 per person. Pack a picnic for lunch.

Sign-up on Signup Genius

Daniel Stowe Botanical Garden
Photo Field Trip
9 am – 3 pm
Thursday Apr 18, 2024

Men's Bible Study

Meets on Wednesdays @ 8:30AM
LOCATION: Art Room

CONTACT: Jim Tucker
jtucker121@aol.com

CRESSWIND CHARLOTTE

PING PONG CLUB

FRIDAYS FROM
2-4PM
IN THE YOGA STUDIO

Wednesday MAHJONG



Every Wednesday from 1:00PM - 4:30PM
in the Yoga Studio or on the porch
in good weather

Questions? Contact Sally Lockwood at
slockwood584@gmail.com

NINE & SHINE WALKERS

Join the Nine & Shine Walkers at the corner of Festival & Short Putt, every Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 9:00AM (8:30AM July through the end of September), for a comfortably paced walk around our neighborhood & sometimes the hospital too. All are welcome! No need to sign up, just show up with your walking shoes on! Or join in when you see us walking down your street!

Contact: Linda Kurtz lkurtz524@gmail.com
for more information.

EUCHRE CLUB

Thursday's
Starting at
6PM
in the Yoga
Studio



AFRICAN AMERICAN AUTHORS BOOK CLUB



DATE: SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
TIME: 2:00PM-3:30PM

LOCATION: MEMBERS HOME

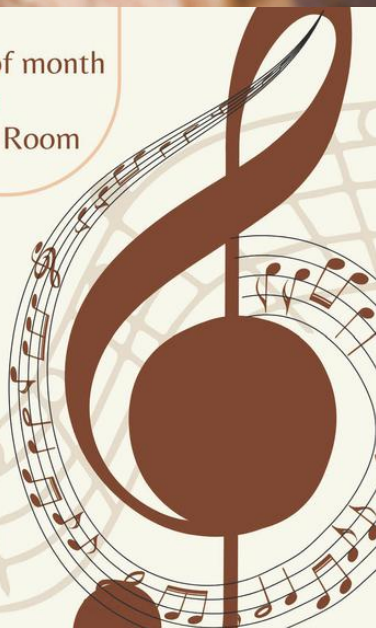
CONTACT: RITCHIE CAROL-DEESE WSSU4@VERIZON.NET

MUSIC

(MOSTLY
[BUT NOT ONLY]
CLASSICAL)

LISTENING CLUB
AND WINE BREAK

Third Tuesday of month
4:15pm
Multipurpose Room



Every Tuesday

3pm-6pm
In the Parlor



NEIGHBORHOOD DARTS

OPEN PLAY DARTS
 Beginner/Practice/Play
 Wednesdays 2:00-4:30



**PLUTO IS A PLANET
 SCIENCE FICTION
 BOOK CLUB**

Last Friday of the Month
 Time: 1PM
 Location: Varies

Reach out to Wendy Pearlroth at wpearlroth@gmail.com for the location.



**Tuesday PM
 MAHJONG**

Every Tuesday from 6:30 - 8:30PM in the Parlor

Questions? Contact Brenda Catron at dbcatron3475@comcast.net

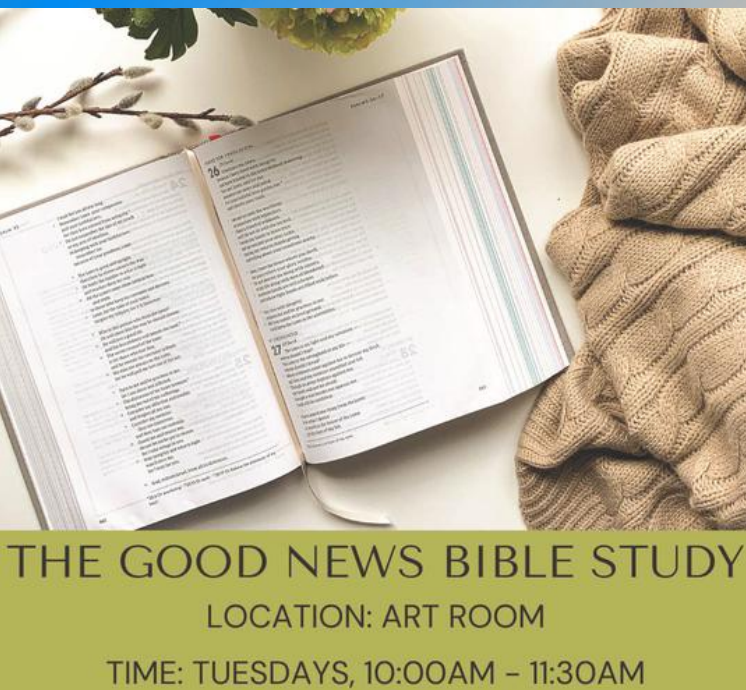


**Wednesday
 RUMMIKUB**

WEDNESDAYS 1:00PM - 4:00PM

LOCATION: Clubhouse Parlor

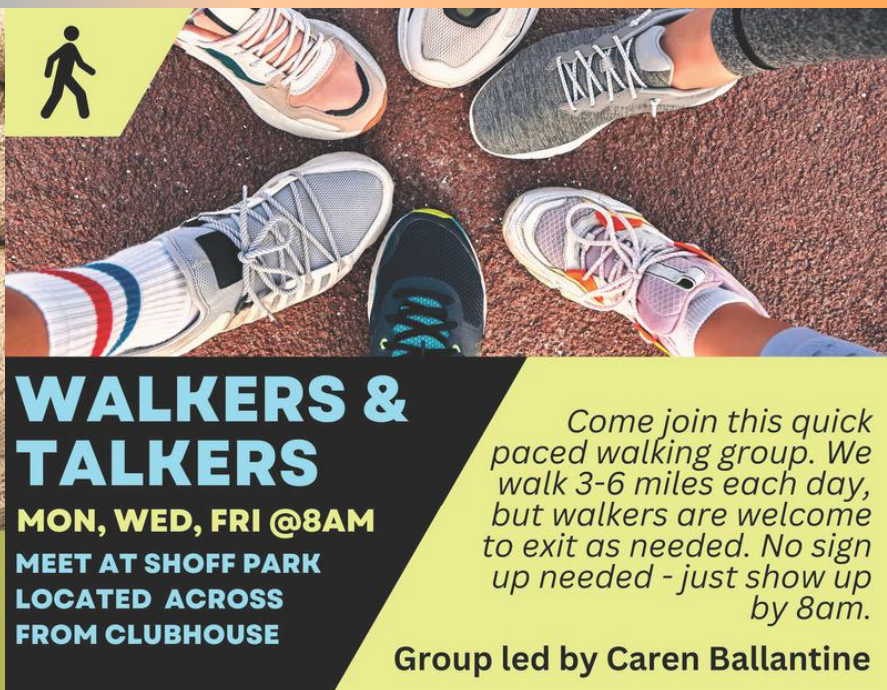
For any questions, contact:
georgeneanderson@gmail.com



THE GOOD NEWS BIBLE STUDY

LOCATION: ART ROOM

TIME: TUESDAYS, 10:00AM - 11:30AM



**WALKERS &
 TALKERS**

MON, WED, FRI @8AM

MEET AT SHOFF PARK
 LOCATED ACROSS
 FROM CLUBHOUSE

Come join this quick paced walking group. We walk 3-6 miles each day, but walkers are welcome to exit as needed. No sign up needed - just show up by 8am.

Group led by Caren Ballantine

Monday BRIDGE

MONDAYS 1- 4PM
MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM

Questions? Contact Barb Servatius
at servatiu@netsync.net



Pinochle

Meets Every Wednesday
(Except the 3rd of the month)
6:30p-9:30p in the Parlor



For More information email;
Larry Repanes
LarryR56@aol.com

Texas Hold 'Em

Meets Every Tuesday
from 1-4pm in the
Multi-Purpose Room

If interested, contact Steve Graziano,
sgrazo@aol.com



Texas Hold 'Em

Meet Every Friday
from 6:30pm -
10:00pm in the Multi-
Purpose Room.

If interested, contact Steve Graziano,
sgrazo@aol.com



NeedleCrafters

Every Monday in the Parlor
from 2-4pm



Whether you like to crochet, knit,
cross stitch, needlepoint or just
want to visit! Come join us as we
sit and stitch together!

contact: Kathy Poe rkmpoe@gmail.com

TENNIS CLUB



TENNIS PLAYERS (LEVEL 3.0 AND HIGHER) ARE GATHERING AT THE COURTS AT 8:30AM ON TUESDAY AND THURSDAY MORNINGS. PLEASE JOIN US!

BEGINNERS, PLEASE CONTACT CAREN BALLANTINE. INFO BELOW

CONTACT:
CARENBALLANTINE@HOTMAIL.COM

Woodcarving Club

Beginners are welcome!



Each Monday from 1-4pm in the Art Room



Contact

Lee Servatius

716-785-9578

tleeservatius@netsync.com

DARTERS



EVERY TUESDAY EXCEPT ON THE LAST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH 6 PM TO 8 PM IN THE EXHIBITION KITCHEN

Cover to Cover Book Club

Every Third Wednesday of the month in the Parlor



Ladies Billiards

For women interested in developing their billiard's game, socializing with other women and having a good time. We encourage good sportsmanship. Skill levels began where you are.



Location: Billiards Room

Club hours: Mondays - 5pm-8pm

Unless otherwise advised and updated

Let's Get Cooking!



FOOD 4 THOUGHT COOKING CLUB

This club's purpose is to explore the "world of food" by cooking together while using easy, healthy recipes, discover new cooking techniques, and learn from each other as we spend time with wonderful neighbors in the comfort of the Clubhouse Exhibition Kitchen.

Location: Lake Norman State Park

Hiking Distance: Approx 5 miles

Hiking Time: Approx 3 hours

Difficulty: Easy/Moderate

Trail Surface: Well maintained, wide natural surface trail. Hiking shoes highly recommended.

Contact: Caren Ballantine

carenballantine@hotmail.com

****Plan to stop for a bite to eat on the way back!****



HIKING & WALKING CLUB

WEDNESDAY, APR 17

DEPART AT: **8:30AM**

CLUBHOUSE PARKING LOT



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A
REGULAR GOLF GAME WITH
YOUR CRESSWIND NEIGHBORS?

Join the

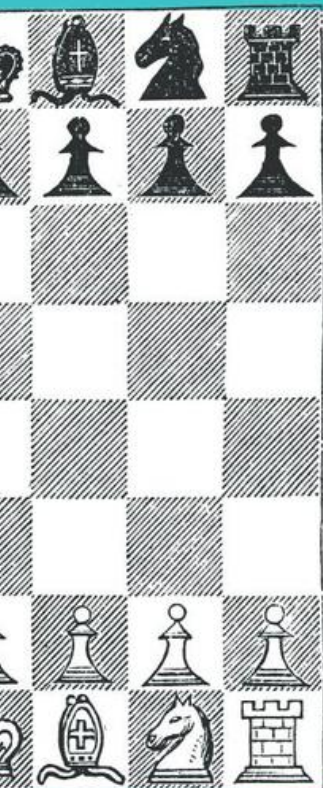
GOLF CLUB



We play every Tuesday at Charles T. Myers and
Thursday's we travel to different locations to play!!
Search "CLT Crosswind Golf" on the Team App

Contact: David Pettyjohn
pettyshoe@aol.com or
(704) 425-9708

THE QUILTING CLUB



CRESSWIND CHESS MATES

TUESDAYS
1 PM TO 4 PM
EXHIBITION
KITCHEN

FOR ANY QUESTIONS,
CONTACT: MX1146@AOL.COM



SECOND
THURSDAY OF
EVERY MONTH
1 PM – 2 PM

*Join our interactive poetry club where we write,
share, recite and enjoy the creative works of poets,
known and unknown.*

Please contact tranquilitynow19255@gmail.com
for location

OUT AND ABOUT CLUB

Do you want to engage with fellow residents to enjoy fun things in and around the Charlotte area? Do you like concerts, theater, festivals, cultural events, day trips, area attractions, etc? Join Out and About Club!



RAINBOW FAMILY & FRIENDS



SEE THE LIFESTYLE DIRECTOR'S EMAILS AND THE BUZZ BOARD FOR UPCOMING SOCIALS

THIS IS A GROUP FOR THE CRESSWIND LGBTQ COMMUNITY AND ALLIES, AND ALL CRESSWIND RESIDENTS AND THEIR GUESTS ARE WELCOME.

OUR GOAL IS TO PROMOTE A SAFE, WELCOMING SPACE FOR THE CRESSWIND LGBTQ COMMUNITY AND ALLIES TO PURSUE A COMMON INTEREST IN SOCIAL ACTIVITIES, MEETING NEW NEIGHBORS AND PROVIDING A SENSE OF COMMUNITY.

For additional information contact rainbowfamilyclt@gmail.com



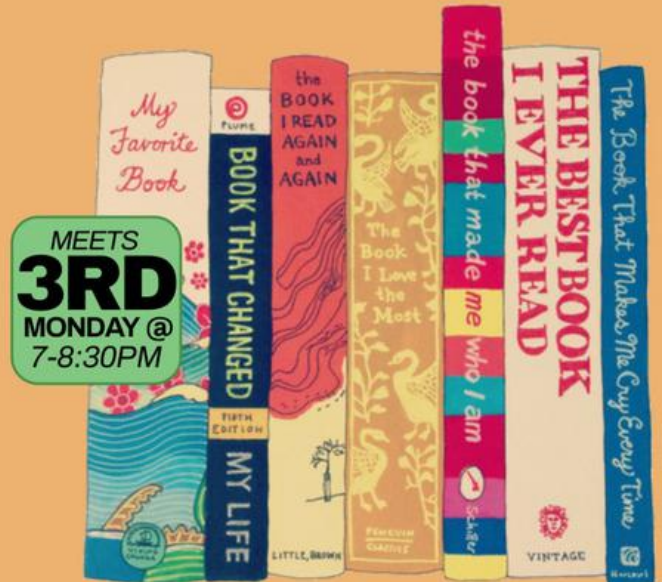
Hand, Knee, and Foot

Thursdays & Fridays 1-4 PM in the Multi-Purpose room.

Contact Liz Hodgdon:
elizhodgdon@gmail.com

Hooked On Books Book Club

The book club is currently at capacity



MEETS
3RD MONDAY @ 7-8:30PM

Questions? Contact Diane Strangis at 352-514-0905 or dianestrangis@gmail.com

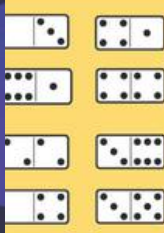
Cresswind Choraliers

Looking for a chance to sing some amazing songs with your neighbors and friends? Join the Cresswind Choraliers in the Parlor on Thursdays at 4:00pm!

If you have any questions please contact Bob Chambers



DOMINOES



For more information, contact Judy Avalos at javalos378@gmail.com



ART ROOM

MONDAYS
4:00PM - 6:00PM



You Are Invited To Join the

MIX AND MINGLE

All residents are encouraged to stop by and meet your neighbor. On the third Friday of the month.

The Clubhouse Coffee Bar

Thru The Bible

Women's Bible Study



MEETS
MONDAYS
9:30AM-10:30AM
IN THE ART
ROOM

CONTACT:
ARLENE BROWN

ARLENE83@VERIZON.NET

COMMUNITY GARDEN CLUB



Plots are \$35.00 for the planting year (March 1st through February 29th).



GAMES NIGHTS A FUN NIGHT

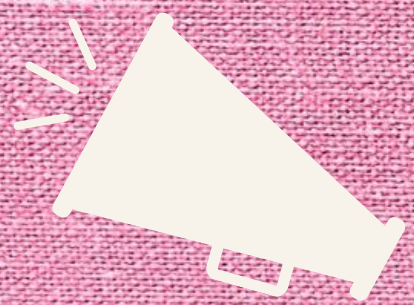
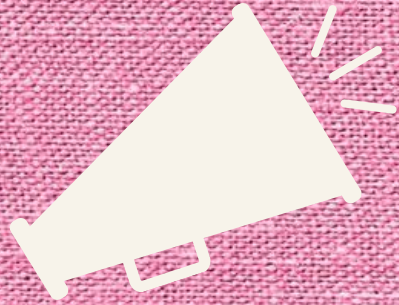


HAVING EASTER FUN



UPCOMING

EVENTS



EVENT REMINDERS:

**HERE ARE A FEW FRIENDLY
REMINDERS FOR EVENT ETIQUETTE:**

- ★ **Please be sure to turn your phone on vibrate or silent .**
- ★ **Please be mindful of the volume of your voice as to not disturb others.**
- ★ **Be sure to clear your table of all debris before leaving an event.**
- ★ **All events are first come first serve for seating. No tables are reservable.**



OUTDOOR CONCERT!!!

Groove Machine

THE MUSIC OF THE 70S

**COMPUTER WORKSHOP
SIX PART SERIES**
WITH MECKLENBURG
LIBRARY
LEARN HOW TO
NAVIGATE
THE INTERNET



Part 1 Internet Basics
If you are a senior and would like to learn how to use a computer, this class is for you. We will cover basic internet use and how to access the HOA website.

Register for January 24
10am-12pm



Part 2 Tech Tutors
This tutoring session will be up to 30 mins long. If you have any questions on your mind, write them down. You will be taking a deeper dive into the internet, HOA website and the Library's website. 16 slots are open.

Register for February 21
10am-12pm



Part 3 Tech Tutors
This tutoring session will be up to 30 mins long. If you have any questions on your mind, write them down. You will be taking a deeper dive into the internet, HOA website and the Library's website. 16 slots are open.

Register for March 27
10am-12pm



Part 4 Spring Gardening
We are getting ready for Spring planting! Come and join us for this event and learn some new technics. "The glory of gardening: hands in the dirt, head in the sun, heart with nature." Alfred Austin

Register for April 24
10am-12pm



Part 5 MECKDEC Day
MECKDEC Day is May 20, but we will hear some of Mecklenberg's history. Charlotte was the first American governing body to declare independence from Great Britain. One year before Thomas Jefferson.

Register for May 22
10am-12pm



Part 6 Mecklenburg Library
This last session will be about the Mecklenburg Library system. What resources they have available for you to use. From hardback and paperback books to audio books, movies and periodicals.

Register for June 26
10am-12pm

MECKLENBURG
LIBRARY



MOVIE NIGHT

CAREY MULLIGAN

ZOE KAZAN

SHE SAID



Kolter Concert Series

Ray Howard Band

May 4th



This Is The 60's

June 8th



Liverpool Legends

October 26th



Team Members

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Association Manager**

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Your Community Connection

As the new year unfolds, if thoughts of buying or selling are on your mind, let Walt and Emilie Davis be your guide.

As experts in 55+ living, they have helped numerous clients in Cresswind, and have the tools, resources and expertise to ensure a smooth transaction into YOUR next chapter... be it in Cresswind or anywhere in the world!



Southern Charm
COLLECTIVE





APRIL 2024



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				



14
SPRING WREATH WORKSHOP
 12:00pm



24



18

**MOVIE NIGHT:
 SHE SAID
 6:30PM**



26



**MIX & MINGLE
 6PM**

**KARAOKE NIGHT
 7PM - 9PM**

**GROOVE MACHINE
 6PM-9PM**

**HIGH FIDELITY
 6PM-9PM**

 **FOOD TRUCK (SEE HOA WEBSITE FOR DETAILS)**