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ENN's In Vino Veritas Wine Group enjoyed the view on a recent June evening from host Bob Fudge's deck.

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### President's Message

by Riley Hanback



The last two months were an absolute whirlwind of activity; from our Happy Hours to the Summer Party (I'm greeting our party guests in the photo above) to all of the other business we transact, it seemed my Inbox was always full of activity regarding our ENN activities. After the Summer Party, your exhausted ENN Board was able to take a day off before



#### JULY/AUGUST 2021

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Anne Powers, Newsletter Editor

looking toward the future and what we can do to make 2021 an exceptional year for our 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary!

Our Programs and Social Chairs, Laura and Wayne Ackerman, did a sterling job on our Summer Party, along with our Newsletter Editor Lee Anne Powers, our Publicity Chair Annie Ginsberg and Dori Warner board member. The amount of time these people put into the Party was reflected by what a tremendous event it was! But no one is resting on the laurels of that party; we are making plans for our Kickoff Koffee and for the Winter Party, along with the purchase and placement of commemorative benches, celebrating 60 years of fun and friendships by ENN.

In that regard, I would like to ask your assistance. It was our goal, and our hope, to make \$1000 toward the purchase of a bench to be placed in a local park. We did not make \$1000, instead we made

an astounding \$5345! This will allow ENN to place multiple benches at multiple locations around our area. What I, and the Board, would like is the input from the membership regarding where the benches would be of the most service. We have had several suggestions, such as Bergen Park, Three Sisters, Elk Meadow, and Dedisse Park. If you would be willing to help, please send your suggestions and/or recommendations to me at President@EvergreenNewcomers. com and we can look at the possible sites for the benches. Each bench will be installed and maintained by Denver Parks and Recreation and/or Evergreen Parks and Recreation, and each bench will have a brass plate commemorating the donation of the bench by the Evergreen Newcomers and Neighbors Club.

None of this would have been possible without the generosity of you, the membership. For all who participated in the Golf Tournament, who donated items or bid on items, your kindness and dedication to this worthy cause will provide a lasting memory of ENN for future generations. Perhaps, one day in the future, a family will enjoy a pleasant rest in one of Evergreen's parks, sitting on a bench provided by the members of this group. I just hope they will take the time to read the plague, and perhaps it will peak their interest in this incredible organization, filled with incredible people. -RH

#### ENN ANNOUNCES 2021-2022 BOARD



The 2020-2021 ENN Board term ended at the annual Potluck Board Meeting in June. It was held this year at Lee Anne Powers' home.

Pictured above back row from left: Lee Anne Powers, Riley Hanback, Dori Warner, Wes Brooks, Frank McVeigh. Front row from left: Carol Hanback, Justin Schulz, Jan Cryns, Annie Ginsberg and Carol Goss.

Special thanks to outgoing Board member Maureen McDevitt who graciously took the photo.

#### Welcome...

#### **New Members!**

### Renewing Members!

Sabrina Outland Marcia Larson Steven and Angie Taylor John and Leanne Teets

Judi McCormick Janie Meyers Mary Nelson

Brandon Hamilton & Alison Santana

Libee Chapman

Mary Haave

Scott Williams

Seth & Carol Miller

Barbara Hoepner

Georgia Simpson

Dana McMahon and Peter Coleman

#### ENN 2021-2022

#### **Board of Directors**

The following ENN members compose our officers for the 2021-22 term beginning July 1, 2021.

**President** - Riley Hanback

**VP** - Justin Schulz

**Secretary** - Carol Hanback

Treasurer - Jan Cryns

Activities Chair - Frank McVeigh

Community Outreach Chair -Carol Goss

Hospitality Chair - Open

Membership Chair - Open

**Newsletter Editor** - Lee Anne Powers

Nominating Chair - Wes Brooks

**Programs & Socials Chair** - Laura & Wayne Ackerman

P/S Co-Chair, Happy Hour Coord.

- Dori Warner

Publicity Chair - Annie Ginsberg

Webmaster - Rick Warner

Congratulations and thanks to all for your commitment to our association.



### Evergreen Chamber Honors ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

The Evergreen Chamber of
Commerce arranged a ribbon
cutting to commemorate ENN's
60<sup>th</sup> anniversary on June 10, 2021.
The event took place on the Upper
Deck at Keys On The Green just
prior to ENN's Summer Party.



Pictured above left to right: ENN
Board members Dori Warner
(Happy Hour Coord.), Annie
Ginsberg (Publicity), Lee Anne
Powers (Newsletter), Riley
Hanback (President), Carol
Hanback (Secretary), Jan Cryns
(Treasurer) and friend, Lucille
Razzano. Chamber representatives
are holding the ribbon ends.

### ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Summer Party Kick-off a Huge Success

By Laura Ackerman, Programs & Socials Co-chair

The 60<sup>th</sup> Diamond Jubilee Party, held June 10th at Keys on the Green, was a spectacular way to start celebrating ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> year! The day started off with six foursomes playing in the ENN charity golf tournament. It was great to see so many golfers vying for longest drives, closest to the pin and using those mulligans. The tournament raised over \$400 for our ENN commemorative park bench. All in all, a great start to the festivities.

Shortly before the charity golf tournament concluded, ENN members and representatives of the Evergreen Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting ceremony in honor of ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary. It was an honor to be recognized for our outstanding contribution to the Evergreen community.

As each party goer came up to the check in table, they were delighted to receive a door prize raffle ticket. With over 20 door prizes to be given away the winning was fast and furious! And for something new this year, a charity silent auction was organized. Thank you, Lee Anne Powers, Annie Ginsburg and Dori Warner for soliciting and displaying over 19 spectacular items donated **ENN** from members and community businesses. It goes without saying, that every item had multiple bids and when the charity silent auction ended ENN had raised over \$1100. Thank you to everyone who participated in the charity silent auction whether you won or not. Silent auctions are only a success if the participants come ready to bid knowing they will be taking home a spectacular item. And sure enough you all did!

Throughout the evening, everyone was musically entertained by Wirewood Station who took requests and kept the party hopping. Dinner was a fajita buffet with yummy appetizers and a delicious specialty Cadillac margarita chosen by **ENN** president, Riley Hanback.

Oh, but wait, there was one more exciting event prior to conclusion of the party. The live auction of a Photo Safari Trip for two people in the Zulu Nyala Game Reserve in South Africa donated by the Upper Colorado River Chapter of Safari Club International , Jarry Bachmann, President. Auctioneer Edith Kohler of Colorado Premier Realty and Auction Sales in Denver, got the audience fired up and the bidding went back and forth until finally we had a winner, Laura Santana. And surprise surprise, to the shock of everyone, Edith Kohler announced there was a second safari on the table. Wonderfully, Marcia Larson, who lost out on the first safari, agreed to match the first winning bid, and won the second safari.

ENN is proud to announce that with the monies raised from the golf tournament, silent auction and safaris we far surpassed the amount needed for our ENN commemorative park bench. The board will be deciding on how best to address this wonderful issue and will be making an announcement in the future.

Thank you to the board and to my committee members, Lee Anne Powers, Annie Ginsburg, Wayne

Ackerman and Riley Hanback for all their hard work.

### Golf Tournament to Celebrate ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Summer Party Raised \$400

By Wayne Ackerman, Tourney
Organizer

On Thursday afternoon prior to the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Party 24 ENN members played in the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Scramble Golf Tournament at the Evergreen Golf Course. The tournament raised over \$400 for the ENN commemorative bench. THANK YOU GOLFERS!

We had fabulous weather, blue skies and mild temps. Some golfers warmed up on the putting green and talked strategy while others purchased some swing juice from the bar ahead of the round. The drink cart did a robust business and we heard some trash talk and bragging between teams as it should be in a scramble!

Our golfers competed for First and Second place and various skill prizes.

Skill prizes were awarded to:

Ladies longest drive in the fairway – Marcia Larson

Ladies nearest to the pin – Giq Blitz

Longest putt – Rick Warner

Men's longest drive in the fairway – Wayne Ackerman

Men's nearest to the pin – Mike Wells

The winning team was: Mike and Jeanne Wells and Bill and Colette Lambert with an excellent -8 under par!

The second place team was: Gig Blitz, Pat Bixenman, Ron Larson, Rick Warner with a very strong -5 under par.

Congratulations to all our golfers and thank you again for making the tournament fun and a success!

A special thanks to Riley Hanback and Jim Hunsacker for helping at the registration table!!

### Special Thank You's to our local Businesses and ENN Members for Your Donations

We are well on our way to contributing benches to area trails and parks commemorating ENN's 60<sup>th</sup> year. This has been made possible through Door Prize and Silent Auction items donated by the following businesses and members and our live auction items:

The Woodcellar Bar & Grill

Dandelion's Café

Bergen Park Paint & Decorating Store – Benjamin Moore

Amy Johnson Photography

Colorado Furniture Store, Conifer

Creekside Cellars

Simone Simpson

Dori Warner

Carol Hanback

John Dunlop

Wes & Kate Brooks

Marko Ginsberg

Evergreen Mercantile

**Evergreen Crafters** 

The Village Gourmet

(con't. next page)

Hearthfire Books and Coffee

Phoenix Gold Mine

# Special Thanks for Donations (con't.)

Please show your appreciation to these generous local businesses by showing them your business.

And lastly, we owe huge appreciation to The Upper Colorado River Chapter of Safari Club International, Jarry Bachmann, President and their donation of two Photo Safari Trips to Zululand, South Africa and our live auctioneer Edith Kohler of Colorado-Premier Realty and Auction Services.

# A Photo Timeline of ENN's Summer Party



Evergreen Chamber President/CEO Nancy Judge, John Russell, Dori Warner, before the ribbon cutting at Keys on the Green.



Charity Golf Tourney begins at Evergreen Golf Course as Marcia Larson gets in her cart.



Golf Tournament winners left to right: Bill and Colette Lambers, Jean and Mike Wells, winners.



Setting up the Silent Auction tables from left to right: Annie Ginsberg, Carol Hanback and Jan Cryns.



Jim McCaffrey looks over the Silent Auction .tables.



ENN President Riley Hanback kicking off The Summer Party.



Laura and Wayne Ackerman, Programs & Socials Chairs (and Golf tourney organizer).



Live Auction winner Pat Williamson, holding her Syrah wine from Creekside Cellars sitting next to husband, Dale..



Enjoying the live auction is Annie Ginsberg, Frank and Fran McVeigh, Dave and Kris Sitarski, Richard and Lee Anne Powers.

### Summer Party Timeline (con't.)



All smiles from Robin and Gary Sloan, Brandon Hamilton and Alison Santana.



Jim and Judy McCaffrey and Wes and Kate Brooks sharing food and friendship.



Sandra and husband Ron Sherbert, Carol and Fred Espenship smile for the camera



Sandra and Joe Glasmire say hi!



Wirewood Station played the hits and requests all evening



Auctioneer Edith Kohler gets the crowd going.



Laura Santana is determined to win the Photo Safari Trip...and she did!



Glamping at Zulu Heritage Lodge.



Laraine and Don Meyers enjoying the music.



Colette Lambert greets table mates Robin and Gary Sloan, Alison Santana and Brandon Hamilton.



Caroline Larson, Bill Doolan, Ron Larson, Pat Bixenman and Gig Blitz pose for the camera.



Bob Fudge and guest, John Russell, Marti Minchak and Pat and Dale Williamson say "Cheese."

### **Activities**

To join any activity, send an email to the group leader at:

activities@evergreennewcomers.com.

You will be contacted by the leader.

Go to

evergreennewcomers.com

and click the link
"Get Involved" and then
"Activities" to access
details on each activity.

#### Yappy Hour – John Flocks, Leader

We are scheduling our second Yappy Hour on Monday, July 19th at 2:00 pm in the fenced backyard of Linda and Mark Bolinger. Our rain day will be Wednesday, July 21st. We decided to expand the pack from 5 dogs to 10 dogs. Reply early to reserve your space because it will be first come first serve.



Our first Yappy Hour was a roaring success with five happy yappy dogs and very happy owners. We are scaling up the size gradually in order to create a compatible pack. Let us know your dog's name, weight, social compatibility, and as much as you know about their breed. A signed waiver is required for participation.

Please, if you reserve a spot and then are unable to attend, let us know so we can give your spot to the next on the list. You can then remain in your position for the next event. Feel free to bring human snacks, cold drinks or fruit if you so desire.

# In Vino Veritas, John Dunlop, Leader

The ENN Wine Club, In Vino Veritas, met at the home of Bob Fudge on Saturday, June 19th to taste wines from South Africa. We sampled two whites and six reds.

The group enjoyed delicious food to go with the wines and enjoyed the beautiful view from Bob's deck.



Pictured from left to right: Mat & Gail Trotzig, Dale Williamson, Anne Siewert, John Russell, Sue Dunlop, Pat Williamson, Bob Fudge, Marti Minchak and Jim Siewert.

### The Winers – Tamra Hall,

"The Winers" convened for an ENN Wine Club gathering on Saturday, June 19 at the Brookses on Cragmont Drive. The theme was "Ribs and Reds", but a rare deluge an hour before the party nearly turned it into "Rains and

Pours". Celebrating the Summer Solstice, we were treated to a magnificent clearing of the skies, a classic Colorado evening, and a gorgeous sunset .... plus a lot of fun!



Attending were left to right: Tamra Hall & Gary Euliss, Annie & Marko Ginsberg, Joyce & Chuck Hoffman, Amy Mueller, Diane & Steve Prowse, Dave Sitarski, Heidi Smithson, and hosts Kate & Wes Brooks.

### Book Club #2 – Jan Cryns, Leader

"Our May meeting was Book Club #2's last Zoom meeting--hopefully for a long, long time! We discussed "Ordinary Grace", by William Kent Krueger about a young boy learning about death and redemption in a small Minnesota town, and planned our return to inperson meetings.



We met in person for our June meeting and discussed "My Life in France" by Julia Child while enjoying francocentric treats and catching up with old friends and new ones.

Our next meeting is July 15th at 1:00 pm and we will discuss " News of the World" by Paulette Jiles, in which a Civil War Veteran journeys to return an orphaned girl from the only life she knew with the Kiowa Indians to relatives that she does not remember who regard her as an unwanted burden. (Recently made into a movie with Tom Hanks as the retired captain.)



#### Canasta – Donna Lomax, Leader

It's Donna Lomax here, reporting from the Canasta Group. Actually, those of us playing are having a wonderful time two Wednesday afternoons a month.

We are totally open to others coming, and we can always set up more tables, pull out more cards, etc. As we are mostly older folks, we are requesting only fully

covid19 vaccinated individuals attend at this time; however, this will probably change in the future.

### 4 x 4 Group- Bob Ogden & Tony Oliver, Leaders



The group meets various Saturday. Email Bob or Tony to join.

A Drone shot of the 4x4 Group airing up tires during a Saturday outing in South Park near Fairplay.

# The Sporting Clays – Alan Palestine, Leader

The Sporting Clays group is finally back in the game. We are planning to shoot once a month on the 3rd or 4th Tuesday mornings.

There is a severe ammunition shortage for the next 6 months which is limiting participation, however.

#### Poker – Rose Warren, Leader

Poker has restarted. It's a fun night-out. We start with a potluck, then play Texas Hold'em for about two hours. You do not need to know how to play. We will teach you.

Everyone contributes \$5 and first, second and third place winners split the pot. Different members have the group to their homes and the hosts determine the date and number of people they can accommodate. Join us for a good time.



Seated: John Warren and Maureen Taillon. Back row: Matthew Simpson, Laurie Limbert and Riley Hanback. From left standing: Tim Limbert, Jan Cryns, Fran Nelson, Harriett Sears, Carol Goss, Rose Warren and Simone Simpson.

#### Summer Hiking – Don Rosenthal & Gary Sloan, Leaders

The Summer Hiking Group meets or carpools to many trailheads in the vicinity on Thursday mornings, weather permitting.

Here the group gathers at the trailhead to hike Evergreen Mountain Trail in May 2021.

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Gathering at the trailhead to Evergreen Mountain Trail. Pictured left to right: Marion Bugher (? I think), Jerry Volgenau, Linda Bolinger, Don Rosenthal, Richard Powers, Lee Anne Powers, Donn Fishbein, Cassie Fishbein, Randy Labac, Sadie (dog), Carolyn Labac.

# Guys' Breakfast – John Dunlop, Leader

On June 8<sup>th</sup> we enjoyed a wonderful breakfast on the patio at the Parkside Café! The weather was perfect to have breakfast outside.

We had our biggest attendance so far this year with 21 guys getting together for good food and conversation.

The next breakfasts will be on July 13<sup>th</sup> and August 10th.For more information or to get on the Guys Breakfast email list, please email John Dunlop.



# Gals' Breakfast – Louise Whiteside, Leader

The Gals got together in person for the first time since COVID as 14 of us ate and talked and made new friends at Parkside Café.

All ENN women are invited to join us on the last Friday morning of each month. We'll try local places and occasionally go down the hill to try others.



Table 1 Front Left to Right: Carol Hanback, Sally Griggs, Diane Graboski, Lucille Razanno, Tanya Ashworth, Kris Sitarski.



Table 2 Left to Right: Myrna Goldberg, Gloria Van Durme Louise Whiteside, Caroline Larson, Annie Ginsberg and Robin Sloan.



# Serendipity 2.0 – Carol Hanback, Leader

Greetings to all intrepid adventurers!

Now that the COVID PAUSE is behind us, I am planning a schedule of activities for the remainder of the ENN term and encourage your input.

We typically take a summer break in activities due to travel and other summer plans involving guests, family visits & the like. This year it is more important than ever to renew those bonds with our loved ones. I understand.

With this in mind, I'm planning our first event in late July and at least one event monthly thereafter. You'll be provided a calendar, and an RSVP notice a few weeks beforehand.

We'll follow all local & business COVID guidelines in place at the time of these events.

Some of the activities requested include a trail ride, a trip to a mystery room, visit to a renowned Contemporary Art gallery, a historic home tour, a local play, and special holiday tours. Would any of you like to go to the Concert at the Lake series as a group? What else sounds interesting to you? Please let me know!

One item dropped from the schedule will be exhibit trips to the Denver Museum of Art, which require advance, pre-paid reservations. We'll continue to do "Pay at the Door" visits.

I'm looking forward to some great adventures with you and exploring

interesting new places. I hope you are too!

# S.W.A.G – Carol Goss & Harriet Sear, Leaders

Greetings Savvy Women and Gals!

The May 4<sup>th</sup> SWAG meeting featured a Zoom presentation by social media expert, Heather Eme. She facilitated a Question and Answer session to address specific questions about various types of social media and when to use them, such as Facebook, Twitter, Snap Chat, Instagram, etc.

On May 18<sup>th</sup> Kathy Emmel gave a Zoom presentation on Genealogy. Kathy gave tips on where to begin. She also shared with some interesting and unexpected research finds that she has made.

We had an excellent presentation at our June Ist SWAG meeting. Jennee Hancock presented the history of Evergreen and what it was like more than 100 years ago. She included photos from the Evergreen Mountain Area Historic Society's photo collection at Hiwan Museum to show faces and places in our past including some of Evergreen's early characters and the stories that shaped our community. Thanks to Justin Schulz, our Zoom master, the presentation and meeting were recorded and are accessible to everyone. You can view the video by requesting the link from either of the SWAG leaders.

June 15<sup>th</sup> from 1-3 pm SWAG met at the home of Jeanne Ambrosier.

After a few minutes of chat and light refreshments, Roger Ambrosier introduced and presented his video, "Six Decades of an Artist's Journey." After some Questions and Answers we were invited to see much of his artwork displayed in his home with the stories and inspiration behind each.

For those who want to check out his video presentations, here are the web addresses: Six Generations of an Artist's Journey by Roger Ambrosier."

#### Part

1: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TMgwHK2c2CE">https://www.youtube.com/watch</a>

#### Part

2: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pVdsQnZnoLQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch/wat

On Tuesday, July 20<sup>th</sup> from 1-3 pm, we hope to have an outdoor meeting (weather permitting). Carol Zimmerman is preparing a presentation about trips to various places in Colorado, including Mesa Verde.

On August 17<sup>th</sup> 1-3 pm, Jan Cryns will host the SWAG meeting in her home. She will talk on "CBD medical use--Evidence, not hype."



SWAG members were treated to COVID-safe snacks and drinks on the beautiful back porch of the Ambrosier home. Jeanne Ambrosier invited two guests to the meeting.



The Ambrosier's home is beautifully decorated with Roger's abundant artwork and sculptures in their gorgeous Santa Fe Adobe home.

### Daytime Bridge – Sue Greenwell, Leader

Daytime bridge meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month. We have begun to get together in June, six tables strong, at The Wild Game. We are looking at other venues. This is a fun group. Contact Sue if you want to join us.



Pictured left to right: Richard Powers, Judy McCormick, Bob Luhrs, John Greenwell.

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Pictured left to right: Mary Spies, Steve Engle, Sue Greenwell, Jerry Gregory.

#### Flags For Fallen Vets Recap

By Frank McVeigh, Activities Chair In preparation for Memorial Day the flag placement event by Flags

for Fallen Vets at Fort Logan National Cemetery went very well, in spite of the light rain and temperatures in the low 50's.

I am aware that there were several ENN Members there, but I could not record their names. There were also church groups, large family groups, Boy Scout Troops, and groups of "Young Marines" participating in the flag placement.

There were over 105,000 flags placed in just under two hours. The soggy weather conditions were the most difficult of all 12 National Cemeteries where the FFFV organization honored

veterans at rest yesterday. Our engaged volunteers were steadfast in their determination that nothing was going to stop them from honoring those heroes.

Hopefully we will see the same enthusiastic participation levels next Saturday morning for flag removal.

The National Cemeteries require that our flags not be left in ground for more than a week.

Here are a couple of photos I took during placement of over 2100 flags in my section. - FM





### Get to know ...

#### Wes & Kate Brooks



As ENN's new Nominations Chair, Wes will track Board openings and will work to match opportunities with member interest in helping to guide ENN.

Like so many ENN members, Wes & Kate Brooks arrived in Evergreen a few years ago as veterans of a prior life somewhere else who choose Colorado to be near a child. In our case, our lives had centered around the metropolitan New York area with years spent in Connecticut growing up, Manhattan as newlyweds, New Jersey as nest- and career-builders, and then years overseas in an extended banking career for Wes, with three small children in tow.

Because Wes's and Kate's young years were spent in parallel social circles in a Connecticut commuter town, we didn't meet until we were 23, just after college, but we shared so much context that getting serious, married, and launching careers were easy next steps. In 1976, Wes joined JPMorgan as a trainee in corporate finance, and Kate joined Xerox as a sales assistant. In this era, life was so ripe and fun and innocent that we took our opportunities in stride, appreciating our good fortune more and more as maturity brought perspective.

With a starter house under our belt in suburban New Jersey and three babies each two years apart, Kate hung up her professional career while Wes's career developed. A 30-year run at JPMorgan gradually took the five Brookses onto an international banking track that saw Wes covering and traveling to Japan from New York for 8 years, then moving the young family to

Hong Kong for 9 years, Sydney for 5 years, and ultimately to Washington, D.C. for 2.

In what became a deeply rewarding 2<sup>nd</sup> career, Wes was recruited in 2006 to join his highschool as CFO & COO. The Lawrenceville School had been founded in 1810 as a feeder school for nearby Princeton, but, in spite of its rich history with many famous graduates, the School was worn down and financially weak at that time. With much work on the senior team, the School's challenges were successfully met over the next 11 years when Wes retired for good in 2017.

While the Big Apple and its neighbors are wonderful places to live and work, they are poor places to retire....unless you want your life savings to dwindle quickly! But, with our two boys working in Manhattan and with families on the way, the draw was strong. Luckily, destiny provided us the "Colorado Choice" via our daughter who had found her way to Boulder after college, married here, and was fast putting down roots. We packed up our past and rolled it to Evergreen in 2017, into the welcoming arms of ENN!

What hasn't changed is our interest in the broader world and the travel that makes it so accessible. Wes and Kate found great support at ENN to help us start a new ENN Activity Group, "International ENN" which, in spite of Covid, is now 18 members strong and is hitting its stride. We use a Wine Club format to bring international travelers together to share experiences and travel tricks, tips, and techniques. It's a fun,

interesting, and bonding group that helps us enjoy our new home town and region while keeping us connected with the broader flow of humanity. We feel so very lucky to be here. - WB

# Save the Dates:

### ENN Monthly Happy Hours on Wednesdays

- July 21<sup>st</sup>
- August 18<sup>th</sup>

We're finalizing the location. Look for details coming soon.

#### ENN Annual Kickoff Koffee

In September

(time, date and location TBD)

The annual ENN Kickoff Koffee event offers an easy way for new members to join and current members to renew their membership. Invite your friends because this is the #1 way people join our association, by invitation from their friends.

Our Activity Leaders will be present to promote their groups, answer questions, swap contact information with new folks and sign-up for groups. ENN's mission is to provide opportunities for its members to meet others through social events and activity groups

The ENN membership list is only for the personal use of ENN members and may not be used for commercial or non-ENN purposes.

ENN is open to all residents of the Evergreen area, regardless of length of residency.

## August First is a Day to Remember!

- American Family Day -August 1, 2021 (First Sunday in August)
- Colorado Day August 1 (Local observance in Colorado)
- DOGust Universal Birthday for Shelter Dogs - August 1
- Friendship Day August 1,
   2021 (First Sunday in August)
- Homemade Pie Day August
- International Can-It Forward
   Day August 1 (Mason Jars)
- International Childfree Day -August 1



### ENN Activity Groups: Chairman Frank McVeigh Activities@EvergreenNewcomers.com

Current ENN membership is required for participation in any activity.			
Activity	Leaders	Schedule	
4×4	Bob Ogden Tony Oliver	Various Saturdays (Seasonal)	
Book Group #2	Jan Cryns	Third Thursday, 1 PM	
Book Group #3 (non-fiction / co-ed)	?	1st Wednesday, 7 PM	
Bridge Daytime	Sue Greenwell	2nd & 4th Thursday	
Bridge Evening	Pat Haines	3rd Friday	
Canasta	Donna Lomax	2nd & 4th Wednesday, 1-3:30 PM	
First Friday Game Night	Tanya Ashworth	1st Friday, 6:00 PM	
Gals' Breakfast	Louise Whiteside	Last Friday, 9:30 AM	
Guys' Breakfast	John Dunlop	2nd Tuesday, 8:30 AM	
Hiking Group	Don Rosenthal (summer) Gary Sloan (summer) ? (winter)	Summer Thursdays, wx permitting Winter Wednesdays, wx permitting	
International ENN	Wes & Kate Brooks	Dates/Times vary	
Ladies Golf	Katy Lynch	Wednesday (seasonal)	
Lend a Book	?	3rd Monday, 9:30 AM	
Mah Jongg (daytime)	Mindy Nitkin	Wednesdays, 10 AM	
Mah Jongg (evening)	Simone Simpson	Mondays, 6:30 PM	
Motorcycles	John Griggs	Various Saturdays (seasonal)	
Needlework	Sheri Matz	1st Monday, 10 AM	
Piecemakers Quilting	Sandy Illich	2nd Monday, 10 AM	
Poker Night	Rose Warren	Dates/Times vary	
SWAG (Savvy Women and Gals)	Harriet Sear Carol Goss	3rd Tuesday, 1 PM - 3 PM	
Scrapbooking	Carolyn Labac	Dates/Times vary	
Serendipity 2.0	Carol Hanback	Monthly - dates/times vary	
Sporting Clays	Alan Palestine	3rd or 4th Tuesday	
The Wine Tasters	Pat Williamson	1st Saturday evening, Alternate Months	
Wine Tasting	Frank McVeigh	Multiple Social Groups - 3rd Saturday	
Yappy Hour	John Flocks	Dates/Times vary	

To contact any Activity Group, please send an email to Activities@EvergreenNewcomers.com.

The desired group will receive your message and respond directly to you.