



COLONY NEWS

A Weekly Newsletter for Members and Staff of Meredith Bay Colony Club

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VALENTINE'S DAY WITH KING JAZZ & COMPANY



All who attended were treated to the old standards being brought to life with the smooth jazz of 'King Jazz' along with our own Diane! Music and refreshment are a well proven way to bring people together and once again Diane showed us how she can throw a party with style! Great music crosses all boundaries and it was wonderful to see everyone gathered together and having a great time.



CLUB MEMBERS WITH UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

February 20 th	Terry Thomason
February 23 rd	Carolyn Suttcliffe
February 25 th	Jane Durnan
February 27 th	Mary Morrill

KURTS KORNER.....



Next Tuesday February 21st: A 4 Course Mardi Gras in the Bistro Dinner for just \$22! Reservations are required and you shouldn't wait to make them! The menu follows on the next page.

As Always Sadie Hawkin's Day is February 29th which this time is on a Wednesday. At 4:30 you will find Fun – Food – Music – Laughter in the Bistro! More details to follow.....

TONIGHT'S MOVIE:

“THE STATE OF THE UNION”

Friday at 7:30p in the First Floor Community Room

Find out what happens when Spencer Tracy and Katherine Hepburn to head to head. Do you know who is the Republican and who is the Democrat? Find out for sure by watching this comedy!

MARDI GRAS IN THE BISTRO



***Tuesday
February 21, 2012
From
5:30 Until 7:00pm
Only \$22***

A 4 Course Dinner

1st Course

Cajun Popcorn

Deep Fried Crawfish Tails Served with Lemon Horseradish Remoulade

Or

Shrimp Louis Salad

Steamed Shrimp with Iceberg Lettuce, Egg, Tomato and Our Own Louis Dressing

2nd Course

Oyster Stew

Or

Chicken Gumbo

3rd Course

Creole Jambalaya

A Savory Rice Dish with Chicken, Shrimp, Sausage and Peppers.

Or

Cajun Blackened Prime NY Strip

With Red Beans and Rice, Maque Choux and Scallion Butter

Or

Pan Roasted Scarlett Snapper

With Red Beans and Rice, Maque Choux and Cajun Beurre Blanc

4th Course

Pecan Pie with Vanilla Bean Ice Cream

Reservations Required

'AGING WELL' ON THE RADIO

Each Wednesday at 8:35 on WEZS 1350 AM MBCC Sponsors *'Aging Well'* a talk show that invites a special guest to talk about issues of special interest to Senior or that showcases the special of work of Seniors.

THIS WEEK... DR. JONATHAN LORENTZ



Jonathan is a man of many musical talents! In addition to both writing jazz pieces and performing them wonderfully on saxophone, Jonathan is also a musical producer and as Founder and Director of the NH Jazz Center brings world class jazz performances to the Lakes Region each week on Thursday nights at the Pittman's Freight Room which is located on New

Salem Street just before the Laconia Police Station and on the same side of the street. Jonathan reports that weekly attendance now routinely tops 100 – and this in the dead of winter!

Johnathan completed his PhD in Music Performance from NYU in 2008 and released his 2010 album *'Borderlands'* to critical acclaim. (I've listened to it and it is great!) Check it all out at nhjazz.com.

CLOSING NOTES.....

Sadie Hawkins Day! Wednesday February 29th at 4:30 in The BISTRO. Fun, Food, Music and Laughter are all on the Menue! Save the Date!

The Jeep is Ready to be Picked Up: Last week I had an unplanned meeting at the Meredith rotary. Nobody got hurt --- but the other driver apparently had never been in a rotary before and didn't slow down, yield or even look until most of my Jeep passed her by --- and to my surprise she still managed to find a way to hit the back end. I just got a call that the repairs are complete and I can pick the Jeep up tomorrow morning. There is a side story to this that you can find on our website and on our Facebook page – or in Saturday's Citizen ---- Check out my newspaper column this week: 'A Stand Up Guy'.

The Infection Connection: There are two rules to follow about any illness that can be spread ----- One: Don't Get It and Two: Don't Give It. Protect yourself by frequent handwashing and/or hand sanitizing. Secondly don't give it by being sure to stay home when you are not feeling well and certainly if you have a persistent cough

Mardis Gras Party: Next Tuesday February 21st at 2:30 complete with Hurricane Cocktails, Music, Cajun Popcorn and Souvenirs! Don't Miss It!



Sorry for the abbreviated version of the newsletter --- but today we just had a rush of unexpected potential Members arriving in person and calling by phone!

Howie