



ALUMS, Inc.

Celebrating 46 Years

OCT. 2025

Website: <http://Alumsincsarasota.com>

Facebook: [ALUMS, Inc. of Sarasota](#)

MONTHLY LUNCHEON MEETING – OCT. 24, 2025

President's Corner-

Dear Friends,

I hope you had an enjoyable Labor Day weekend. This newsletter brings us to the Fall season. We will see some changes in the trees and plants, but it doesn't compare to the Autumn colors that many of us remember from living in other states. The temperatures should be getting better soon and perhaps we will be blessed with no major hurricanes.

There will be plenty of Fall favorites coming to the markets, like pumpkin pies, muffins, donuts, lattes, and various squashes. As you can see, I am a foodie and like trying different things. Also, I am aware that I need to get back to walking or bicycling while indulging in goodies. That will be easier once the weather is cooler.

Your board and committee members have been working on future speakers, programs, menus, venues, and activities for the 2025-2026 calendar year.

Remember that Fun Day in October will be here before you know it. You must contact Linda Gesko by Thursday, October 9th, if you are interested. The price includes a delicious buffet lunch and prizes.

Think about joining a committee.

Keep smiling, be kind, and pray for peace.

Emily



PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE

<http://alumsincsarasota.com>

ALUMS, Inc. of Sarasota



OFFICERS

President	Emily Leuck 941-870-2330 emilyleuck@comcast.net
1st Vice President (Membership)	Cheryl Nespor 941-356-5050 cherylnespor8@gmail.com
2nd Vice President (Programs)	Helen LiMarzi 914-393-7487 helenslimarzi@gmail.com
	Betty Vogel 609-575-2439 bettyvogel50@gmail.com
3rd Vice President (Luncheons)	Roni Belmont 941-727-0517 veronbel@hotmail.com
Recording Secretary	Ardith Stansell 941-552-8236 aastansell@comcast.net
Corresponding Secretary	Terry Passarelli 941-727-5428 annielab12@gmail.com
Treasurer	Carol Seltzer 941-358-0273 carolpseltzer@gmail.com
Board Advisor	Marianne Lauria 941-379-5279 mlauria3@comcast.net
	Carol Seltzer 941-358-0273 carolpseltzer@gmail.com

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

STANDING COMMITTEES

Historian/ Photographer	Ardith Stansell 941-552-8236 aastansell@comcast.net
Hospitality	Linda Gesko 941-441-8834 lotuslady2122@gmail.com
Luncheon Reservations	Mary Evans 301-704-3772 mary_evans28@aol.com
Name Tags/ Table Numbers	Madlyn Neely 941-922-1713 madlynneely@comcast.net
Newsletter Editor	Kathy Shambe 609-558-2146 kmshambe@gmail.com
Social	TBD
Special Interests/ Website	Marianne Lauria 941-379-5279 mlauria3@comcast.net

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Birthdays	Kathie Connelly 219-242-0605 kathieconnelly@gmail.com
	Linda Baker 727-421-7607 Lbaker64@tampabay.rr.com
Community Service	Barbara Marinar 941-926-1875 bmarinar@verizon.net
Directory	Marianne Lauria 941-379-5279 mlauria3@comcast.net
Email Blasts	Carol Seltzer 941-358-0273 carolpseltzer@gmail.com
Facebook Monitor	Mary Lou Falivena 941-321-8431 Lubelle1@verizon.net
Fashion Show	Brenda Roningen 941-400-7463 broningen@comcast.net
New Member Reception	Cheryl Nespor 941-356-5050 cherylnespor8@gmail.com
Pot of Gold	Janet Poddick 941-355-6965 jbpoddick1@verizon.net
	Cathy Mariani 941-735-0798 mcmariani@yahoo.com

OCTOBER 2025 PROGRAM



MEALS ON WHEELS PLUS OF MANATEE COUNTY “MOW”

Maribeth Phillips, President & CEO Amy Towery, VP of Development

- Mission:
- . To assist residents of Manatee to live independently
 - . Provide hot, nutritious meals to elderly and disabled residents
 - . Health and human services i.e. Home delivered Meals, Food Bank of Mantee, Daybreak Adult Day Center, Friendship Dining Centers
 - . Annual Shoebox Event to provide gifts for elderly during the holidays

FOR THE OCTOBER MEETING: IN AN EFFORT FOR THE ALUMS TO SUPPORT THE MOW ANNUAL SHOEBOX EVENT, WE ARE ASKING OUR MEMBERS TO BRING ITEMS LIKE THOSE LISTED BELOW:

Chapsticks	Flashlights or Nightlights	Holiday Trinkets	Kleenex – travel size
Hand lotion / moisturizer	Mechanical pens or pens	Paperback word puzzles	Notepads, scotch tape
Socks / mens or womens	Toothpaste & toothbrush	Shampoo & Conditioners	Cotton balls, cotton squares
Sanitizers, bandaids	Deodorant/ men or women	Men's shaving cream	Nail clippers/ Emory Boards
Craft items	Small change purse	Small umbrella	Deck of cards
Large print books, sudoku, crosswords	Notecards, Stamps, Stationery	Combs, Brushes, Hair Clips	Soap, bars and/or liquid, washcloths

SPECIAL INTERESTS

Bridge	Janet Lady 941-228-5637 jlady101@aol.com
Men's Slo Pitch Softball	Bill Welch 941-313-6584 randbwelch@verizon.net
Hand & Foot Ladies	Nancy Clark 941-926-2717 clark4671@verizon.net
Men's Luncheon	Gary Olson 941-346-0378 govideoman@aol.com
Out to Lunch Bunch	Bridgit Campbell 248-766-5524 bridgit1958@gmail.com
Stamping Class	Terry Dell'Amico 570-351-7453 teelee9@verizon.net
Ladies' Golf	Joan Magiet 516-850-9686 journals@aol.com
Mah Jong	Joan Magiet 516-850-9686 journals@aol.com

BRIDGE

**2nd Tuesdays
12 noon**

Oct. 14

**Janet Lady
jlady101@aol.com
941-228-5637**

MEN'S LUNCHEON

**DER DUTCHMAN
3713 BAHIA VISTA RD
941-955-8007**

OCT. 15

**Gary Olson
govideoman@aol.com
941-346-0378**

LADIES HAND & FOOT

Hand & Foot Canasta

Group meets at Heritage Oaks Country Club, Little Oaks Room on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Fridays. Gather at 9:45 - Game begins at 10:00 followed by lunch. Afternoon group gather at 11:30 for lunch in the Dining Room followed by game thereafter. \$1 donation for holiday luncheon. Nancy Clark 941-926-2717.

**STAMPING CLASS
TERRY'S CARD CLASS
Classes 3rd and 4th Mondays at 1 pm
At the home of
Terry Dell'Amico**

Terry at teelee9@verizon.net

**Deadline for Nov. Newsletter
Oct. 8th **PLEASE**
Send articles to:**

**Kathy Shambe
kmshambe@gmail.com**

**ALUMS
BOARD MEETING
MONDAY, OCT. 13 10 AM**

**Home of
Kathy Shambe**

OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH AKA GLORIA'S GALS



JOIN YOUR FRIENDS ON
TUESDAY OCT. 7
AT 11:30 AT
DEEP LAGOON
482 BLACKBURN POINT RD
OSPREY

THEY HAVE MANY FISH TACOS,
SHRIMP PO BOY,
BLACK GROUPER SANDWICH,
COCONUT FRIED SHRIMP SALAD,
TROPICAL SEAFOOD SALAD,
AND CHOCOLATE CAKE BIG ENOUGH TO
SHARE (PROBABLY WITH THE WHOLE TABLE!)

CONTACT LYNNE CHEAL AT 941-773-5153 OR
QUILTERLRC@GMAIL.COM



Please join us for

ALUMS, Inc. FUN DAY

Monday, October 20, 2025

Stoneybrook Country Club

8801 Stoneybrook Boulevard, Sarasota

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

\$37.00 includes tax & tip

Enjoy a delicious buffet lunch of:

Salad choices, Italian beef sandwich,
Grilled Chicken Florentine, Pistachio
Crusted Salmon, Julienne Vegetables
Dessert Table

Coffee, tea (hot & iced), water, soda

Play Bridge, Mah Jongg, Hand & Foot,
Or **any** game of your choice!

Please form your own table and bring
the necessary cards or game boards.

Pot of Gold – drawing at 1:00

Cash Prizes

For more information or questions, contact:

Linda Gesko 941-441-8834 or lotuslady2122@gmail.com

Or

Madlyn Neely 941-922-1713 or madlynneely@comcast.net

Registration deadline is Thursday, October 9, 2025

No refund after Wednesday, October 15, 2025

Please send all checks for your table with one reservation form.

Please make checks payable to ALUMS, Inc. and mail with registration form to:

Linda Gesko, 8315 Misty Lake Circle, Sarasota 34241

Name of contact person & email (Please indicate who you will be sitting with)

1.

2.

3.

4.

(please list additional names on back)

of players at your table _____

game you will be playing _____

HAPPY HOUR HONEYS RETURN

HYDE PARK RESTAURANT

35 S LEMON

SARASOTA

4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.

NOVEMBER 13

CONTACT:
BRIDGIT CAMPBELL

248-766-5524



MATTISON'S 41 RESTAURANT

7275 S TAMiami TrL

SARASOTA

4:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.

DECEMBER 5

CONTACT:
STEPHANIE BERIAULT

941-993-3399





Out to Lunch Bunch - Oct. 7

Alums Board Meeting - Oct. 13

Bridge - Oct. 14

FUN DAY - Oct. 20

Stamping Class - Oct. 21 & 28

ALUMS Luncheon - Oct. 24

Happy Hour Honeys - Nov. 13

FUTURE LUNCHEON

DATES:

Oct. 24, 2025: Stoneybrook CC

Nov. 21, 2025: Tara CC

Dec. 12, 2025: TaraCC



ALUMS MEMBER, **CYNDI JACKSON**, IS SEEKING A FEW LADIES WHO WOULD BE INTERESTED IN FORMING A "FUN GAME DAY" ON EITHER A WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY. PLEASE CONTACT CYNDI FOR MORE DETAILS.

CYNDI JACKSON

941-356-3815

crmd123@comcast.net



DIRECTORY UPDATES

**DIRECTORY ADDITIONS:
PLEASE POST IN DIRECTORY UPDATE**

CHANGES:

ANN OLSON
700 John Ringling Blvd. Apt. NW309
Sarasota, FL 34236

PAT WADE
B-Day— Mar 26

KYLE FALCO
kyleanne11@icloud.com

LINDA PACELLA
914-850-0888



Janet Lady	Oct	5
Michel Hennig	Oct	9
Cammie Adams	Oct	10
Carol Boofter	Oct	14
Ingrid Campbell	Oct	14
Lynn Normand	Oct	14
Carole Krupski	Oct	19
Janis Franco	Oct	20
Brenda Tibbet	Oct	20
Liz Osterholt	Oct	21
Kathy Sitterle	Oct	21
Cheryl Nespor	Oct	24
Rosie Zahner	Oct	25
Kathleen Depew	Oct	26
Patricia Brouder	Oct	27

Thinking of You

If you know anyone who is ill, or has a spouse who is ill, or has a death in the family, or just needs encouragement for whatever reason and could use a card, please call or email:

Terry Passarelli
941-727-5428
annielab12@gmail.com

A sympathy card was sent to Jim Herbert.

DONATIONS TO RESURRECTION HOUSE

Please remember to donate small hotel-size bottles of shampoo and toothpaste, those amenities we get while traveling. **Each month a basket for collecting these donations will be available near the 50-50 desk.**

RESERVATION FORM - LUNCHEON OCT. 24
DEADLINE - NO REFUNDS AFTER OCT. 17

Stoneybrook Golf & Country Club
8801 Stoneybrook Blvd.
Sarasota, FL 34238

11:00 am Social Hour
11:45 am Meeting
12:15 pm Luncheon
1:00 pm Program
Spouses/Guests Are Invited

BUFFET SERVICE INCLUDES:

Stoneybrook Salad, Grilled Vegetable Platter with Quinoa
Edamame Grain Blend
Steak Flatbread with Crispy onions, fontina cheese & Roasted Garlic
Chimchurri Salmon with Garlicky Spinach
Almond Crusted Chicken Blackberry-Jalapeno jelly (not spicy)
Viennese Dessert Table with house made Mini-Pastries
Iced Tea, Soda, Coffee, and Hot Tea

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE NOT INCLUDED.

Return reservation form with check for \$35
(no cash accepted) payable to: ALUMS

ATTENTION - MARY EVANS NEW ADDRESS

Mail to: Mary Evans, 8400 Vamo Road Apt. 806, Sarasota, FL 34231
Call Mary Evans at 1-301-704-3772 or email her at mary_evans28@aol.com
If you need to cancel or have questions.

Seating Requests - Please make sure the persons you request
to sit with are attending the luncheon before submitting your request.



RESERVATION FORM - LUNCHEON Oct. 24		NO REFUNDS AFTER Oct. 17
Please reserve _____ place(s) at <u>\$35</u> per person.		Check(s) for \$ _____ is enclosed.
BUFFET SERVICE, SEE ABOVE		
MEMBER NAME _____		PHONE _____
GUEST NAME _____		<input type="checkbox"/> HOUSE <input type="checkbox"/> PROSPECTIVE MEMBER

SEASONS 52



AUGUST 2025 LUNCHEON



