



ALUMS, Inc.

Celebrating 46 Years

MAY 2025

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MONTHLY LUNCHEON MEETING – MAY 23, 2025

President's Corner

Dear Ladies,

Happy Springtime!

We are blessed with an abundance of colorful flowers and wonderful weather. I do miss seeing or smelling lilacs, daffodils, and tulips in my garden, but certainly not the damp, rainy weather in the North.

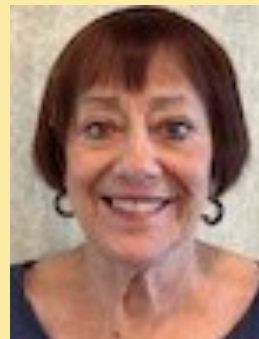
May has several important events that affect families throughout the U.S. We celebrate Mother's Day to honor the special women in our lives, whether they are moms, grandmas, stepmoms, etc. Some of us have graduation commencements to attend, and finally, we remember our loved ones that served or died for our country.

In our club, May begins a new slate of officers that will be working hard to make your membership a fun part of your life. Getting involved in the activities is an effective way to make new friends, visit different places, and enjoy a variety of restaurants.

I am following a long line of effective presidents, and I will work at being on that list.

Until next month,

Emily



PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK PAGE

<http://alumsincsarasota.com>

ALUMS, Inc. of Sarasota





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Fashion Show	TBD
New Member Reception	TBD
Pot of Gold	Janet Poddick 941-355-6965 jbpoddick1@verizon.net Cathy Mariani 941-735-0798 mcmariani@yahoo.com

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	TBD
Stamping Class	Terry Dell'Amico 570-351-7453 teelee9@verizon.net
Happy Hour Honeys	TBD
Lunch Lovers	TBD
Ladies' Golf	Joan Magiet jmjournals@aol.com
Advanced Mah Jong	Joan Magiet jmjournals@aol.com

BRIDGE

2nd Tuesdays
12 noon

May 13

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

MEN'S LUNCHEON

THE PARROT
3602 WEBBER &
BENEVA
941-952-3352

May 21

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

ALUMS

BOARD MEETING
MONDAY, MAY 12 10 AM

Marianne Lauria's home at
The Renaissance

Deadline for June Newsletter
May 7th **PLEASE**
Send articles to:

Kathy Shambe
kmshambe@gmail.com



Madam President (Again!)

You thought you'd left, your term was done,
Time for naps and wine and shopping and fun.
But like a boomerang, you flew—
Right back in when things went *poof!* (as they do).

With coffee in hand and a smile so wide,
You wrangled the chaos, took it in stride.
You made us laugh, you made us feel seen—
Even when meetings got *weirdly* routine.

No crown or cape, yet clearly a queen,
Of luncheons, happy hours, and keeping things clean.
You welcomed us all with a “Hi, come on in!”
Then somehow convinced us to volunteer *again*.

Now your term ends (for real this time?),
We swear we won't make you chair the next line.
But don't go too far—we *know* where you live,
And who else has that much sparkle to give?

Thank you, **Stephanie**, from all of us.

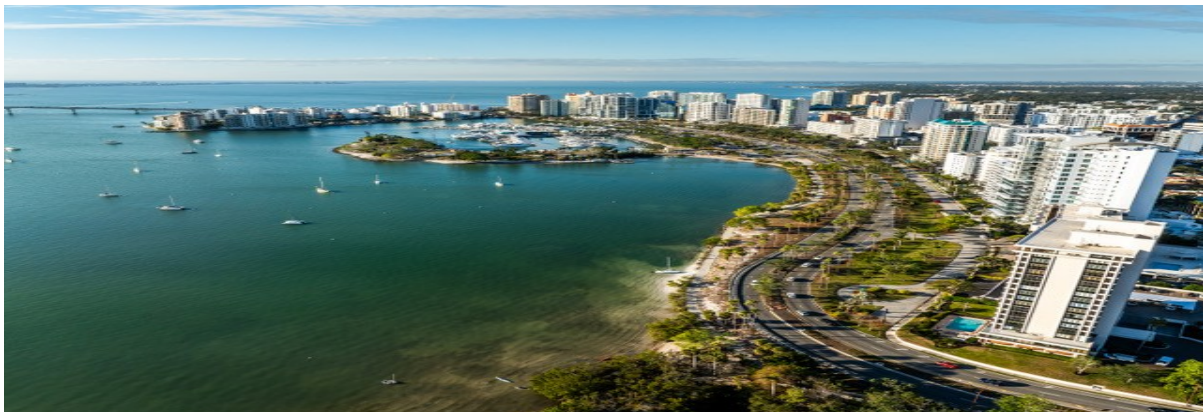


MAY PROGRAM

ARCHITECTURE SARASOTA Transforming Places and Inspiring Lives

**Presented By: Morris (Marty) Hylton III
President, Architecture Sarasota**

Mr. Hylton has nearly 30 years of experience documenting, conserving and advocating for cultural heritage. Trained as an architect and historic preservationist, he specializes in collaborating with stakeholders to develop multifaceted strategies and programs to manage cultural resources.



- ◆ Since the mid 20th century, Sarasota has been globally recognized as an epicenter of innovative modern architecture and design. Architecture Sarasota's mission is to steward the legacy of the Sarasota School of Architecture and provide a forum for the education, advocacy and celebration of good design in the global built environment.
- ◆ From addressing the impacts of a changing climate to the need for affordable housing, this presentation explores the work of the organization with a focus on efforts to help establish a vision and a **new Master Plan to guide the development of downtown Sarasota.**

Out To Lunch Bunch

**STATION 400
400 N. LEMON AVE
SARASOTA
11:30 am on TUESDAY MAY 6**

**Please contact Ardith Stansell
by May 3 at 941-552-8236
aastansell@comcast.net**





Pops concert at the ball park - May 3

Let's Hang On - May 4

Out to Lunch Bunch - May 6

Alums Board Meeting - May 12

Bridge - May 13 - 12 noon

Stamping Class - May 19

ALUMS Luncheon - May 23

June Luncheon - June 27

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.**

ALUMS, Inc MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

**It is time to renew your ALUMS membership effective
from May 1, 2025 through April 30, 2026.**

Please mail your check for \$30 to:

**Cheryl Nespor
5226 Bouchard Circle
Sarasota, FL 34238**

**If your dues are not paid by May 1, 2025, your name
will be removed from the Club's roster of members.**

Alum's Membership Renewal

CLUB DUES: Year begins May 1, 2025 thru April 30, 2026.

CHECKS: Make all checks for \$30 payable to ALUM'S, INC. And mail to:
**Cheryl Nespor
5226 Bouchard Circle
Sarasota, FL 34238-4475**

Check # _____ Amount \$_____ Date:_____

Signature: _____

Print your name clearly: _____

Email _____

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If you have any changes, make them below to keep our Directory up to date:

Spouse: _____

Address: _____ Community: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ / _____
Cell Home

Email: _____

Visit our webpage for more information at: www.alumsincsarasota.com

DIRECTORY UPDATES



**DIRECTORY ADDITIONS:
PLEASE POST IN DIRECTORY
UPDATES**

CHANGES:
Carmela Deahna
6305 Lake Woodruff
Sarasota, FL 34238 Grand Park

WELCOME BACK:
Rita Alpino
6527 41st Ct. East
Sarasota, FL 34243 (Cascades)
941-309-3273
ritaaf1@yahoo.com

Dorothy Niemiec	5/1
Gretchen Castner	5/2
Deanna Hollo	5/3
Mimi Lerario	5/11
Mary Davidson	5/15
Linda Pacella	5/22
Donna Cencer	5/28
Jane Pressman	5/29

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

Get well wishes were sent to Maureen Jones, Bridgit Campbell, and Jim Sheridan.

Condolences were sent to the family of Gloria Tlusty.
Thank you's were sent to the donors of the gifts for the Fashion Show.

RESERVATION FORM - LUNCHEON MAY 23
DEADLINE - NO REFUNDS AFTER MAY 16

Tara Golf & Country Club
6602 Drewry's Bluff
Bradenton, FL 34203

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

BUFFET SERVICE INCLUDES:
Salad Bar with all the fixings,
Chicken Piccata, Baked Cod with dill butter,
Grilled squash & zucchini, Roasted Potatoes
Ice cream & Assorted Desserts
Iced Tea, Coffee, and Hot Tea

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE NOT INCLUDED.

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

Mail to: Mary Evans, 5791 Girona Place, Sarasota, FL 34238.

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.
Reservations/Cancellations must be made a week in advance to receive a refund.



RESERVATION FORM - LUNCHEON May 23

NO REFUNDS AFTER May 16

Please reserve _____ place(s) at \$35 per person.

Check(s) for \$ _____ is enclosed.

BUFFET SERVICE, SEE ABOVE

MEMBER NAME _____ PHONE _____

GUEST NAME _____ ☐ HOUSE ☐ PROSPECTIVE MEMBER

MARCH 2025 LUNCHEON





OUR FABULOUS FASHION SHOW MODELS



OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH



NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

