

NORTH COUNTY WIDOWS & WIDOWERS CLUB

OCTOBER 2025

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NORTH SAN DIEGO COUNTY

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT...

Hello Members,

The holiday season is fast approaching and our club has many fun events to close out 2025. This issue of the newsletter has information on our Mira Costa theatre and lunch event on Sat, 10/04, and 50's Sock Hop dance and pizza party Sun, 10/12. There is also a special Tea Leaf Social event, hosted by one of our members on Sat, 11/15. You do not want to miss the delectable teas, canapés, and desserts. There are copies of the fliers for the Sock Hop Social and the Autumn Tea Leaf social with this newsletter.

Saturday, 12/06, we will host our annual holiday dance party at the El Camino Country Club. Fliers will be included in November's newsletter. Be sure to put the date on your calendar.

As you can see we are busy working to provide an assortment of activities including dance lessons, our happy hours and Elks' dinner dances.

Next month, you will receive a form to renew your 2026 membership. We depend on dues to continue to provide social activities. Thank you for your support as we plan future events.

For those of you traveling this month have a wonderful and safe journey.

Enjoy the fall season. Wilma

October Events - Reservation Deadlines See page 2 for detailed information

Event Date	Event	RSVP by	Name & Number
Wed 10/01/25	Book Club	ASAP	Ann Fleming 760-436-6425
Sat 10/04/25	Lunch and Theater	Sat 09/27/25	Mary Hudson 760-994-6567
Wed 10/08/25	Happy Hour Oceanside Broiler	10/04/25	Nancy Pace-Skinner 760-716-9000
Thurs 10/09 & 10/23/25	Dance Lessons	ASAP	Anne Pearson 858-610-4816
Fri 10/10/25	Elks Dinner Dance Vista	10/02/25	Dottie Hagaman 760-438-5491
Sun 10/13/25	Sock Hop Social	10/05/25	Nancy Pace-Skinner 760-716-9000
Wed 10/22/25	Happy Hour The Mining Co	10/18/25	Nancy Pace-Skinner 760-716-9000
Fri 10/24/25	Elks Dinner Dance Oceanside	10/16/25	Dottie Hagaman 760-438-5491

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Event Assists	Mary Hudson Jan Conkright	760-994-6567 404-713-9762

Boo!
Happy
Halloween



OCTOBER EVENTS

Book Club and Lunch

WED, 10/01/25 - 12 PM

Book lovers welcome. We meet for lunch and lively discussions of the books we choose. This month's book is Sipsworth, a 2024 novel by Simon Van Booy about an elderly, isolated woman, Helen Cartwright, who finds an unexpected connection through an abandoned pet mouse she names Sipsworth. The book explores themes of loneliness, aging, unexpected friendship, and the potential for kindness and surprise even in the face of death.

For more information call Ann Fleming (760) 436-6425

Lunch and Theater Event

SAT, 10/04/25 - 12-4 PM

(Round Table Pizza, 3440 Marron Rd, Oceanside and Mira Costa College Theater, 1 Barnard Dr Bldg 2000, Oceanside) If you love a pizza lunch (with a full salad bar) and great local theater, join us for an afternoon of fun! We will lunch at Round Table Pizza where we will be in our own room, then we will meet up at the Mira Costa College Theater at 2:00 PM to enjoy a production of "The Play that Goes Wrong." We bought a block of tickets, so please bring \$20 to pay for your ticket.

RSVP with Mary Hudson (760) 760-994-6567 by Sat, 09/27/25

Happy Hour - Oceanside Broiler

WED, 10/08/25 - 3-5 PM

(1325 N Harbor Dr, Oceanside) The Broiler is back in our rotation. Can't wait for the yummy food and drinks, great service, and good company! Hope to see you there!

RSVP with Nancy Pace-Skinner (760) 716-9000 by Sat, 09/06/25

Dance Lessons - Palomar Estates East

THURS, 10/09 & 10/23 - 2-3:30 PM

(650 S Rancho Santa Fe Rd, San Marcos) Dance lessons are fun with our experienced instructors, Byron and Judy! **We offer these lessons for FREE to our members and prospective members.**

RSVP with Anne Pearson (858) 610-4816

Dinner/Dance – Vista Elks Lodge

FRI, 10/10/25 - 5-9:00 PM

(Vista Elks Lodge, 1947 E. Vista Way, Vista) Dinner and dancing to live music. Join us for a lively evening of fun, music and dancing. **All non-Elk NCWW members will be charged a \$15 cover charge to defray rising costs.** Please be sure to RSVP and to let Dottie know if you decide not to come.

RSVP with Dottie (760) 438-5491 by Thurs, 10/02/25

50s Sock Hop and Pizza Social

SUN, 10/12/25 - 3-6 PM

(650 S Rancho Santa Fe Rd, San Marcos) Join us for a fun afternoon of music, dancing, food, trivia, and fun as we celebrate the music and dancing of the 50s (and beyond). Pizza, salad, chips, and rootbeer (or Coke) floats will be served. \$25/members & \$30/guests See the flier with this newsletter.

RSVP with Nancy Pace-Skinner (760) 716-9000 by 10/05/25

Happy Hour - The Mining Co

WED, 10/22/25 - 3-5 PM

(579 Grand Ave, San Marcos) We will be on the patio barring rain! Nick and his fantastic crew welcome us back! Great menu and salad bar.

RSVP with Nancy Pace-Skinner (760) 716-9000 by Sat, 10/18/25

Dinner/Dance – Oceanside Elks Lodge

FRI, 10/24/25 - 5-9:00 PM

(Oceanside Elks Lodge, 444 Country Club Ln, Oceanside) Dinner and dancing to live music. Join us for a lively evening of fun, music and dancing. Their buffet menu may include salmon, tri-tip, or chicken for \$19.50, pasta for \$15.00, and salad bar for \$10.00. Also, please be sure to RSVP and to let Dottie know if you cannot make it after you RSVP.

RSVP with Dottie (760) 438-5491 by Thurs, 10/16/25



New Member

Be sure to tell her hello!

Debbie Press



HAPPY BIRTHDAY OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

10/02	Jackie Clutter	10/27	Mary Lou Dougherty
10/19	Steven Thrasher	10/28	Stan Milberger
10/24	Janice Solis	Many Happy Returns!	



Autumn Tea Leaf Social - (Sweet Rosemary Dessert Lounge, 5670 El Camino Real Suite K Carlsbad) Saturday, November 15, 1-4 PM. \$35/member. Look for more info on the flier with this newsletter!

NCWW Holiday Dance Party and Buffet

Saturday, December 6, 2025, 12-4pm
El Camino Country Club, 3202 Vista Way,
Oceanside, CA 92056 \$55/member and
\$60/guest (includes buffet lunch). Flier will be
in November's newsletter.

Mark your calendar and save the dates!

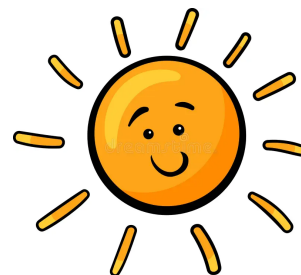
Dance Lessons Are Fun!

The NCWW Club offers FREE dance lessons for our members (and prospective members) from 2:00-3:30 pm on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month! If you haven't checked out this free activity with professional teachers, you might want to add these dates to your calendar!



Call Anne Pearson at (858) 610-4816 for more information. The lessons are located at the Palomar Estates East clubhouse located at 650 S Rancho Santa Fe Rd, San Marcos.

Everyone is welcome regardless of experience, so bring your dancing shoes and enjoy this friendly group!



**Do you know
someone who
could use a little
sunshine?**

Get well wishes go out to our sweet Linda Britton. We all wish you a speedy recovery!

Please let us know by contacting Diane Phillips at 760-419-1655. We will send greetings and lighten their day!

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See page 2 for more details about the events on the calendar.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Meet & Greet for new members on fourth Mondays.	NOTE! RSVP for Lunch & Theater By Sat, 09/27		1 BOOK CLUB 12-2 PM	2 RSVP for Elks Dinner Dance - Vista	3	4 Lunch & Theater 12-4 PM (RSVP for the Broiler)
5 RSVP for Sock Hop Social	6	7	8 Happy Hour Oceanside Broiler 3-5 PM	9 Dance Lessons 2:00-3:30 PM	10 Elks Dinner Dance Vista 5:00-9:30 PM	11
12 Sock Hop Social 3-6 PM	13	14	15	16 RSVP for Elks Dinner Dance - O'side	17	18 RSVP for The Mining Co
19	20 NCWW Board Meeting 1-3 PM	21	22 Happy Hour The Mining Co 3-5 PM	23 Dance Lessons 2:00-3:30 PM	24 Elks Dinner Dance O'side 5:00-9:30 PM	25
26	27 Meet & Greet for new members 1-3 PM	28	29	30	31	

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PROPOSE A NCWW EVENT OR ACTIVITY, JOIN US AT THE MEETING!

PLEASE JOIN US AT THE BOARD MEETING ON THE THIRD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH FROM 1:00 – 3:00 PM

at Palomar Estates East, 650 S Rancho Santa Fe Rd, San Marcos

TO HELP US PLAN, PLEASE LET ME KNOW THAT YOU WILL ATTEND - WILMA WILHELM – 760-473-3534. THANK YOU