

Chattahoochee PLANTATION

WOMENS CLUB

APRIL 2016

- PROGRAM FIELD TRIP, APR 15
- CHEF'S DINNER, APRIL 16
- EVENING GROUP, APR 19
- BUNCO, APR 22
- FIRST FRIDAY, MAY 6
- DAYTIME BOOK CLUB, MAY 9
- CLOSING LUNCHEON, MAY 13
- ART FOR THE PARK, NOV 2-3

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A LETTER FROM THE CO-PRESIDENTS

Dear CPWC members,



April is the month to celebrate all things Spring! Everything in nature is reawakening and blooming. The beautiful flowers remind me of how wonderful it is to be alive. So, grab a friend and come to some of the fun events we have planned this month.

The next daytime program will be on **April 15**. We will take a field trip to Historic Roswell and have lunch, too! Meet at 10:30 at Bullock Hall. Lunch at the Mill will follow the tour. And please RSVP by Wednesday!

Thank you to Carolyn Cadiou for hosting the Savvy Women program in March. We learned a lot of new ideas to improve our lives. Also, thank you to the Kim Sherk and everyone that helped out with the Easter Egg Hunt! It was a beautiful day and a great success. Janie Kissling also had a wonderful evening group last month – and **April 19** will be the next one! Janie we can't thank you enough for all you do!

The next First Friday will be on **May 6** at 7 pm. This is a great way to get our husbands involved! Please bring an appetizer and beverage to share. Location to be announced soon.

RSVP for our **April 16** Chef's dinner catered by *Rumi's* at Shea Amin's lovely home. It is a great value this time around and wine will be provided!

The next fun-filled game of Bunco will be on Friday, **April 22** at 7:00 pm at the home of

Ellie Lacey. Take a chance – you might win!

As always, we are full of gratitude to live in our vibrant community. If you meet a new neighbor, invite them to come with you to one of our events. We don't have to wait until next August to welcome new members to our community. Also, if you are interested in meeting new people and getting more involved, call us anytime and we will get you "plugged in"! If you have new ideas for next year, please don't hesitate to call us. We are always looking for great ways to improve our interest groups and activities. Hope to see you soon!

Your Co-Presidents,
Missy Malmberg & Danna Vach

Quote of the Month:
"April, the Angel of the Months."
–Vita Sackville-West



Chef's Dinner catered by Rumi's Restaurant

Come join in the fun at Shea Amin and Bruce Ghomghani's home on Saturday, **April 16th**, 7 pm
\$55 per person, (wine provided too)
RSVP to Missy at melissamalmberg@gmail.com by April 13th



CPWC Programs "Sharing..." 2015-16

By Julie Lischer



Many thanks to Carolyn Cadiou for hosting our informative March meeting -- Savvy Women Phase II.

CPWC is "Sharing our Community" by going on a field trip on Friday, **April 15!** We will gather at Bulloch Hall in Roswell at 10:30 a.m. for an 11 a.m. guided tour followed by lunch at The Mill. Lunch should wrap up at approximately 1:30 p.m. The address for Bulloch Hall is 180 Bulloch Ave, Roswell, GA 30075.

Bulloch Hall was built in the Greek Revival style in 1839 by Major James Stephens Bulloch, one of Roswell's first settlers. It was here on December 22, 1853, the Bullochs' daughter, Mittie married Theodore Roosevelt Sr. The couple became the parents of Theodore Roosevelt, the 26th President of the United States. Such a treasure right here in our backyards.

The total cost for lunch and the guided tour is \$25. RSVP via the link sent to you in an email or on the CPWC Facebook page. You may pay by credit card or send a check. Don't miss this! We want to have a great turnout! If you have any questions, please contact Jean Ann McCarthy at jeanannmccarthy@yahoo.com.



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Mark your calendars for the Closing Luncheon at Peggy Cannon's home on **May 13**. Chef Tomas will serve us a delicious luncheon while we raise a toast and celebrate this past year!

Remember to RSVP to all events and if your plans change at the last minute, give us a call to let us know. Thanks so much!

See you soon!



DATE
April 15
May 13

THEME
Field trip and lunch
Closing Luncheon

LOCATION
Historic Roswell
Home of Peggy Cannon

EVENING GROUP

By Janie Kissling



Our March evening group meeting at the home of Judi West was awesome! We had 31 in attendance!

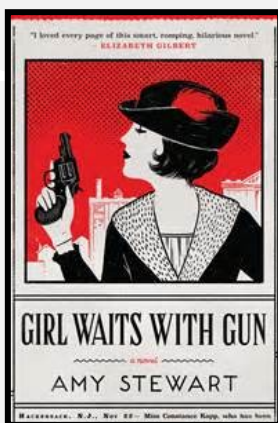
Greta Rowe showed us so many ways to make our tables look beautiful, unique and individualized when we entertain friends. She encouraged us with tips to make our guests feel special and welcome, from greeting them at the front door with a lovely wreath or decoration, to playing soft music as they arrive, to placing individual salt and pepper shakers or butter dishes at each place. Little favors and gifts are a nice touch. Greta also gives back scratchers or bath oils to friends as a parting gift.

In addition to being a wedding coordinator and special events planner, Greta has a monogram cookie company -- *Monograms by Greta*. She sells her special monogrammed cookies as placecards at parties, gifts at showers, and favors. We got to enjoy her cookies that were personalized with different designs of CPWC. Yum!



Our April meeting is Tuesday, **April 19**, at 7:00 p.m. Please rsvp to Janie Kissling, at janie.kissling@gmail.com

BOOK CLUBS



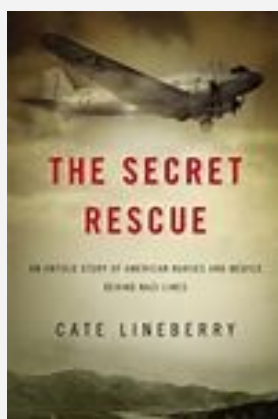
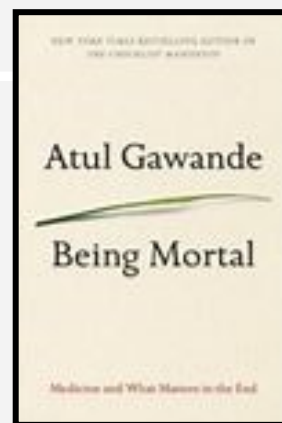
EVENING BOOK CLUB

By Valerie Bridges

In April we are reading *Girl Waits With Gun* by Amy Stewart. It's based on the real life story of the first female deputy sheriff.

In May we are reading *Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End* by Atul Gawande.

Please reach out to Valerie Bridges if you would like to join in! (vcmb@bellsouth.net)

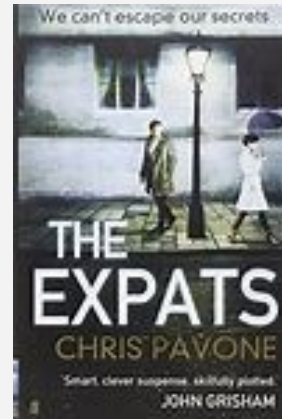


DAYTIME BOOK CLUB

By Elizabeth Cooper

Our April Book is *The Secret Rescue* by Cate Lineberry. On **May 9** we plan to discuss *The Expats* by Chris Pavone.

Please reach out to Elizabeth Cooper to join in the discussion! (ewsjws@msn.com)





By Tina Engberg

Please join us for this fun dice game Friday, **April 22** at 7 p.m. (Bunco needs at least 12 players to happen!). Bring an appetizer to share, \$2 for the kitty, your own beverage, and if you choose, a \$10-15 wrapped gift to swap. Ellie Lacey is our gracious host this month. Come out and play! Please email positive responses to christina.engberg@gmail.com.

Egg-cellent!

Thanks to Kim Sherk and her crack team for coordinating such a fun- and goodie- filled Egg Hunt! A crisp and sunny spring day! Hurray! Looks like every bunny had fun!



GIRLS NIGHT OUT

By Cynthia Dolezal

A evening of fine dining, fun friends and good conversation was enjoyed at Osteria Mattone - which was one of the top 10 diners' choice on Open Table for best restaurants in Atlanta and surrounding area. This was a great weekday getaway to nearby Roswell but there is interest in going farther afield, possibly to Ponce City Market!

Pictured are: Gitte Claude, Lynn Thompson, Christine Barnes, Pat Iaffaldano, Johanna Brookner, Cynthia Dolezal. Join us next time!



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Bible Study (Lettie Nixon)

Bible Study meets every Thursday at the Atlanta Country Club 10:00 til 11:30 a.m.

Come join us as we will be studying the "Good News" from the Word of God; Scriptures from the Epistles which are personal letters to us from God.

Example Hebrews 4:16, "Let us come boldly unto the Throne of Grace, that we may obtain Mercy, and find Grace to help in time of need."

For more information, call Lettie Nixon 770-953-2066 or email lettienixon@cfaith.com

Book Club — Daytime (Elizabeth Cooper)

The Daytime Book Club meets the second Monday of each month at 10 a.m. For information, or to be included on the mailing list, please contact Elizabeth Cooper at ewsjws@msn.com or 602-323-7258.

Book Club — Evening (Veronica Bridges)

We welcome all CPWC members to join book club. We meet the 4th Tuesday of the month. For information, contact Veronica Bridges at vcmb@bellsouth.net.

Bridge Club (Melissa Nicol)

We will meet the 4th Wednesday of each month. To inquire about joining Bridge Club call Melissa Nicol at 770-541-6168 or mahammelissa@aol.com.

Community Liason (Janie Kissling)

With her ear to the pavement, Janie will keep us up to date on the latest community goings-ons!

Chef's Dinner & First Friday (Liz Hall)

Our Chef's Dinner will continue this spring with an event including Rumi's Kitchen! Looks for details as the timing draws closer!

We will continue the popular "First Friday" events each month in a host home. Each guest or couple brings an appetizer and beverage to share.

For more information please contact Liz at sewilson1@gmail.com.

Garden Club (Libby Nabors, Sue Butler)

Come join us as we explore gardens, techniques, share plants and good times.

Evening Group (Janie Kissling, Pat Iaffidano)

Usually on the third Tuesday of the month, we will gather to learn, laugh, and spend time together!

Family Activities (Kim Sherk)

Look for information and jump in to help as Halloween, Egg Hunt and perhaps other family gathering opportunities come near!

Girls Night Out (Cynthia Dolezal)

Look for Evites periodically for these fun evenings out! Contact Cynthia dolezal@HarryNorman.com.

McFarlane Park Liaison (Tina Engberg)

Be ready to visit, take part, and help to support our neighborhood natural park space!

Pinterest Fun (Heather Rees)

This crafty group has lots of fun in store! Contact Heather Rees at hprees@aol.com for more information!

Play Group (Raky Patel, Alisa Alloy)

The Play Group meets each month at member's homes and wherever the spirit moves us! Hope to see you there!

Savvy Women (Chris Cashman)

We will continue the discussion from last spring's Savvy Women program meeting! Please join in and be involved! Contact Chris at excelnbe@me.com.

Walking Group (Missy Malmberg)

For information, or to be included on the mailing list, please contact Missy at melissamalmberg1@gmail.com.



By Dawn Mullican

IN MEMORIAM

Our sincere condolences to Judy Winchell following the loss of her husband, Robert.



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Check out the Chattahoochee Plantation Women's Club Group on Facebook and click LIKE! You'll receive updates on events throughout the year!