



# NEWCOMER NEWS

*Women Welcoming Women to the Grand Strand*



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235 Members

September 2023

## President's Message

Summer has flown by and here we are today ready to embrace a new year for Newcomers Club of the Grand Strand at our new location. Newcomers welcomes all women of many interests into this club and we look forward to getting to know you! We are a 501(c)3, and provide financial help to local charities. This year, our Fundraiser, Peggy Suggs, presented a list of well-researched charities to our Board on August 14, 2023. Your Board voted on two main charities this year, Backpack Buddies/Help for Kids and ECHO (Eastern Carolina Housing Organization) to focus on raising money for. You will be hearing more about this throughout the 2023-2024 calendar year. Your Board has also come up with a variety of opportunities for you to have a fun-packed year. I am delighted with their planned events! We offer Book Clubs, Mah Jongg, Monthly Outings, a Holiday Party, Knitting and Crocheting, Movies and Lunch and occasionally, a Craft Group. Last, but not least, we have an annual Fashion Show at The Dunes Golf and Beach Club. Whatever your interests, you will find it here. Check out the different tables at the Coffees and sign up. Last, but not least, we have many new Sponsors tables representing an array of items for sale by local ladies.

Warmly,  
Anita Karkocha, President

## LUNCHEONS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
September 27	Bubba's Fish Camp & Smokehouse

## The Newcomers Club Coffees

**When:** 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month (Sept-May)

**Where:** General Robert H. Reed Recreation Center  
800 Gabreski Lane, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

**Registration:** 9:30 a.m. (please do not arrive earlier as the Coffee Hostesses, Activity Group Chairpersons, and sponsors are busy preparing the room.)

**Business Meeting begins:** 10:00 a.m.

Program: No speaker this month. We will reacquaint ourselves with current members as well as new members in our new environment in Market Commons.

Also, we will be presenting our charitable donations to Barnabas Horse Foundation, Associated Charities and Children's Recovery Center

***Remember to wear your name tag at all  
Newcomer events!!***

## *Newcomers Club Luncheons*

Luncheons are usually held on the fourth Wednesday of the month, September through May. Reservations can be made at the monthly Coffee with Tara Burfening or Karen McCoale. Cash (exact change is greatly appreciated) or checks (payable to “Newcomers”) are accepted. If you cannot make your reservation at the Coffee, you may send a check to Tara Burfening at 615 Broad River Road, Myrtle Beach, SC 29588 ([taracandlelady@verizon.net](mailto:taracandlelady@verizon.net); 843-668-4920) or Karen McCoale at 2388 Seneca Ridge Drive, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579 ([knmccoale@gmail.com](mailto:knmccoale@gmail.com); 610-739-0985) (call between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. as a courtesy). **Reservations and payment MUST be received by September 20, 2023. No reservations can be accepted after that time and no money can be refunded.**

**When:** Wednesday, September 27, 2023

**Time:** 11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** Bubba’s Fish Camp & Smokehouse (across from Broadway at the Beach)  
1565 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue N, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Phone: (843) 839-0505

### **Menu**

All entrees include Starter Salad and Fries.

#### **(Choose one):**

Big Ole House Salad  
(Starter salad not served with entrée salad or Fries)

Pulled Pork Basket

Fried Flounder Basket

Popcorn Shrimp Basket

Smoked Chicken Basket  
(Breast or Chicken Quarter)

Bub Bub Cheeseburger  
(½ lb short rib & chuck w/ Cheddar Cheese,  
Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Red Onion)

**Chef’s choice of Dessert &  
Beverage included**

**Cost: \$24.00 Per Person  
(Tax and Gratuity included)**



## Snippets

**What's Happening?** If you are interested in finding out what's happening on the Grand Strand, check out the Myrtle Beach Calendar of Events at [www.visitmyrtlebeach.com](http://www.visitmyrtlebeach.com). Click on "To Do" in the upper right corner, and then click on Events. Here are some upcoming events:

Sept 1-2	Fifth Annual Myrtle Beach Wave of Praise Gospel Festival – Burroughs & Chapin Pavilion
Sep 1-4	Breakfast with a Mermaid – Ripley's Aquarium
Sept 9-10	Art in Common – Market Common
Sept 9-10	I Love Seafood Fest – Burroughs & Chapin Pavilion
Sept 9-10	Arrival From Sweden – Abba Tribute – The Carolina Opry
Sept 16	Celebrate Surfside Beach Festival – Town of Surfside Beach
Sept 18-24	Conway Burger Week – Downtown Conway at Various Restaurants
Sept 22-24	The 48 <sup>th</sup> Annual Atalaya Arts & Crafts Festival – Huntington Beach State Park
Sept 27	Museum Matinee: The Last Ride; Memories of the Myrtle Beach Pavilion – Horry County Museum in Conway
Sept 29 – Oct 1	World Championship Chili Cook-off – Burroughs & Chapin Pavilion
Sept 30	Irish Italian International Festival – Main Street, North Myrtle Beach
Sept 30	Book Bazaar 2023 – Horry County Adult Education Center, Myrtle Beach

**Newsletter Deadline for September** - Information for the October Newsletter is due to the Editor, Tara Burfening, no later than September 24, 2023. Email contributions should be sent to [taracandlelady@verizon.net](mailto:taracandlelady@verizon.net) (be sure to put "Newcomer's Newsletter" as the subject).

**Programs Information** - Welcome new and existing members! At each meeting, we have guest speakers who provide a short presentation relating to our community. No speakers are scheduled for December or March because of our Holiday party and Spring Fling.

At our opening meeting, we will reacquaint ourselves with current members as well as new members in our new environment in Market Commons.

One speaker will be Ted Hammerman, whose restaurant, Mr. Fish, recently closed after many years, but the store remains open. He is sure to tell some great fish tales about his experience as a fisherman, chef, father and activist.

We will also schedule talks from the two selected charities for the year: Help for Kids Backpack Buddies and Eastern Carolina Homelessness Organization (ECHO).

Also on the schedule is a representative from the Horry County Sheriff's Department, who will address how to deal with scams.

We are waiting to hear back from a couple other potential speakers. Overall, we hope to provide you with tips on how to better protect yourself, learn a bit more about your community and enjoy a bit of entertainment. Stay tuned!

--Melissa Adams

**Information from Corresponding Secretary** - If anyone knows of a members' passing, anyone having surgery, or is going through an illness and could use our prayers and help, please pass that information to Linda Brubaker at [lindabrubaker95@yahoo.com](mailto:lindabrubaker95@yahoo.com).

**Donations Needed** - Please don't throw out those unwanted clothes. Bring them to me at the monthly coffee and I will take them to Associated Charities to be distributed to those in need or if you prefer, please drop your donations off at Associated Charities, 742 Lumber Street, Myrtle Beach, SC. During the months of September and October the cooler clothing items can still be worn but as the weather begins to change, warmer clothes are needed. Your donations can make a difference in someone's life. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me...Maureen Maki (410-708-3952). THANK YOU.

**News You Can Use** – The Palmetto Literacy Council is having a Book Bazaar on September 30<sup>th</sup> from 9:00AM to 3:00PM at the Adult Education Center located at 3301 Oak Street in Myrtle Beach. There will also be a blood drive at the site.

**Travel with SALT (Senior Adventures in Learning and Travel (SALT), LLC) -**

Monday, November 27 – Wednesday, November 29  
Biltmore Estate, Asheville, NC

We have taken this trip several times, but we never tire of seeing the Biltmore Estate decorated for the holidays. We hope to have enough participants to take a motor coach to Asheville where we will tour the Biltmore Estate, indulge in a delicious buffet dinner at the beautiful Deer Park Inn, and enjoy the lovely gardens and conservatory as well as Antler Village, where retail shops and the Biltmore Winery offer excellent shopping and tasking opportunities. If time permits, we will also provide free time in downtown Asheville, where our foodies and shoppers will delight in the many restaurants and stores available to them. The anticipated cost, \$599, is dependent on number of registered travelers. Breakfasts included. Departure 9:00AM. **Deposit of \$200 due by September 15. Activity Level 4.**

If you have questions contact [wnsalt22@gmail.com](mailto:wnsalt22@gmail.com) and Kelli or Carol with answer your questions. If you know you want to attend, send your \$200 deposit to SALT, 1412 Spruce Dr. Surfside Beach, SC 29575



**SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS**



Special Interest groups are the lifeblood of the Newcomers club, it allows members to connect with other members with similar interests and hobbies. There are several groups already up and running that you can join or we can help you start a new group. The possibilities are endless; bowling, knitting, needlework, making cards, playing card games, gardening, wine tasting, walking, scrabble, bridge, book clubs, bunco, lunch, crafts, recipe clubs, dinner clubs, day trip clubs or craft clubs, anything you can imagine.

If interested in joining an existing group, see below to reach the group leader or look for sign-up sheets at the coffee meeting. If interested in starting a new group please feel free to reach out to Andrea Schmehl at 610-507-1072 or [aschmehl@gmail.com](mailto:aschmehl@gmail.com) to assist you in forming a new group. We can help you with putting it in the Newsletter and having sign-up sheets at the coffee meetings.

In addition, if you are interested in helping to coordinate the groups reach out to Andrea for details.

## Current Activities

**SOUTH STRAND MAH JONGG** – This group meets on Monday's. Contact Rita Hulme at 843-650-9072 or Gail Hilt at 843-215-0627 to join as they have several openings for Newcomer members. They play all year round. They meet every Monday at **Logan's Steakhouse** starting at 10:00am until 2:00pm with about a 45-minute short break for lunch. They collect \$5.00 for each player. Come out and meet new people and have a wonderful time!

**MAH JONGG NORTH/CENTRAL** – Barbara's group meets every Thursday at 1:00pm at the Plantation Lakes Amenity Center (8000 Juxa Drive, Myrtle Beach) in Carolina Forest. Contact Barbara Drossos at [BDrossos819@gmail.com](mailto:BDrossos819@gmail.com) for more information. Join the fun!!

**GREETING CARDS** – Andrea Schmehl – if you are interested in making greeting cards, contact Andrea at 610-507-1072 for more information. Look for details of upcoming projects in 2023/2024.

**PAGE TURNERS BOOK CLUB** – This book club is full at this time. They will be exploring a new genre "Graphic Novels". If interested in starting a new group, please reach out to but MJ Martin at 843-367-2877 and she will help start one.

**NEDDLEWORK** – This group is for ladies with interest in creating projects done with needle and thread, i.e., crewel, needlepoint, knitting, crocheting, embroidery, bargello, or any like projects. Effective immediately, the Needlecraft Group will be meeting EVERY Monday (excluding library holidays) at 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. at Carolina Forest Library. For more information on the group, please contact Kathryn Turnbull at 859-302-1355 or Katherine Jasmine at 978-764-8711.

**MOVIE & LUNCH**- The first Lunch and a Movie (of your choice) Day of the year will be on Tuesday, September 12, 2023. We will be meeting at Travinia Kitchen and Wine Bar, 4011 Deville St. in the Market Common at 1:00 PM for lunch. All members are welcome to come. Unfortunately, I will not be there in September. If you would like to attend, please contact our President, Anita Karkocha at 614-832-2167 or [akarkoch@yahoo.com](mailto:akarkoch@yahoo.com) by September 10 so she can make a reservation.

### *Newcomers Selected Charities for 2023-2024*

Each August, our Newcomers Board and our President select the charitable and service organizations that we will be working to help support during the year. Also, at every monthly Coffee and Luncheon, a Purple Bucket will be passed for your voluntary contribution to a registered charity that the Board has selected for that month.

<b><u>President's Pick:</u></b>	<p><b><u>Help for Kids/Backpack Buddies:</u></b></p> <p><b>Mission:</b> <b>Help for Kids</b> provides food for hungry children of Horry County who through no fault of their own do not have enough to eat on a daily basis. Backpack Buddies provides food on the weekends. Teachers and school administrators identify the children in need. They also provide backpacks filled with school supplies when school starts, and a week's worth of clothing and a pair of shoes as needed. They are now making and delivering almost 3,000 food packs per week!</p>
<b><u>Board Pick:</u></b>	<p><b><u>Eastern Carolina Homelessness Organization (ECHO):</u></b></p> <p><b>Mission:</b> To break the cycles homelessness experienced by individuals and families in our community. ECHO provides homeless permanent housing solutions with supportive services as well as eviction prevention services for persons that are at-risk of becoming homeless. Their Vision is for every person experiencing a housing crisis to find a place to call home. They believe that people experiencing homelessness need the safety and stability of a home to address challenges, pursue opportunities, and ultimately grow and thrive in our community.</p>
<b><u>Purple Bucket:</u></b>	<p><b><u>Palmetto Literacy Council:</u></b></p> <p><b>Mission:</b> To improve the literacy of youth and adults in our community by teaching/tutoring basic literacy skills for those who struggle with reading, writing and math. They provide free tutoring to school-age children and adults who struggle with reading, writing or math. Their vision is to significantly impact the literacy rates in Horry County through volunteers working one-to-one with the clients using strength-based language instructional materials and strategies.</p>

If anyone has any questions about our charities, or if you would like information on volunteering to help at any of these choices, please contact Peggy Suggs at 843-742-5588/ 540-878-7712, or [peggy.suggs@comcast.net](mailto:peggy.suggs@comcast.net)

### **Fundraising News**

**Attractions Books** – are back with many new additions. As you know, these books provide good revenue for our charities funding. The cost this year is \$25.00 per book. Anita Miller is selling these books at a table before the meeting begins. Please stop by and purchase your copy. They make great gifts!

**Bingo** – Mark this fundraiser on your calendar for a fun fall event on Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. CB Eagan is heading up this fun event. The cost is \$5.00 per person for 20 cards and you may purchase more cards. Please bring a new item to this event in the amount of \$15.00, wrapped and/or gift-bagged. Watch for more details about this event.

## NEWCOMERS COOKBOOK FUNDRAISER!

Share your favorite recipes for inclusion in our Newcomers Cookbook!

All of you should have received an email recently regarding this Fundraiser Effort.

The cookbook will be created by Morris Press Cookbooks, a leader in creating cookbooks for Fundraising. Take a look at their website. It is excellent.

<https://www.morriscookbooks.com/>

We would like to have the Cookbook printed in time for Holiday Gift Giving.

**They have a special site for entering recipes online. Here is your log-in information:**

<https://www.typensave.com/>

Go to the right of the screen and login using the following username and group password:

User Name: NewcomersGS2023

Group Password: pudding952 (there is no need for an individual password)

It is easy to use! You enter your name, the name of the recipe, use a drop-down menu to select the category. Then start entering ingredients one-by-one. There is an information button that you can click on to see the abbreviations you should use for lb., oz., etc. Then you enter the directions. If there is an additional item, such as how to make the icing for a cake, you can also enter that after the main recipe. Recipes must be Previewed before saving. You will not be able to edit your recipe after saving. If you need an edit, let me know.

Anyone can enter as many recipes as they like! Even those not in Newcomers can login and enter recipes!

If you do not want to enter the recipes online, you can write the recipe out for someone else to enter online for you. Recipe templates will be available at the Coffee.

The only limit is that the recipe is not too long to fit one page. The website will alert you if it is.

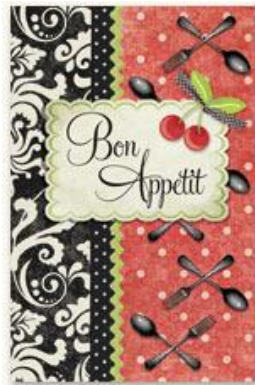
***Please start entering recipes now, so we can all enjoy new delicious dishes for the Holidays!***

Let me or Dixie know if you have any issues/questions.

Peggy Suggs: 843-742-5558 (land line, no texting) or 1-540-878-7712 (cell)

Dixie Kelso: [dkelso1105@gmail.com](mailto:dkelso1105@gmail.com) or 1-240-997-1344

***Morris Press suggests selling the books for \$10 each, which will give us a profit of around \$5.45 for each sold!***



## *Special Events*

The Special Events Committee Co-chairs are Marilyn Keyser and Anita Winters. If you have any comments or ideas for planned activities or if you would like to sign up for an event, please see Marilyn or Anita at the monthly Coffee, or call:

Marilyn at 843-503-2794 or by email [MarilynKKeyser@yahoo.com](mailto:MarilynKKeyser@yahoo.com)  
Anita at 843-903-6645 or by email at [AnitaCWinters@gmail.com](mailto:AnitaCWinters@gmail.com)

### *September*

**Ingram Planetarium**, 7625 High Market Street, Sunset Beach, NC 28468

Tuesday, September 19, 2023, at 11:00am

\$9.00 Show (Paid that day at planetarium - NO Checks)

Lunch to follow at **Boundary House Restaurant**, 1045 River Road, Calabash, NC 28467 at 12:30pm - Pay for your own lunch at the restaurant.

### *October*

**Hopsewee Plantation**, 494 Hopsewee Road, Georgetown, SC 29440

Tuesday, October 24, 2023, at 11:00am-2:30pm

\$54.00 House Tour, Gullah Geechee Presentation & Tea

Payment upon sign-up, deadline Tuesday, October 17, 2023

Payment options to be determined.

### *November*

**Alabama Theater Christmas Show**, 4750 Highway 17 South, North Myrtle Beach, SC 29582

Tuesday, November 7, 2023, at 1:30pm

\$32.00 Show only

\$57.00 Show & Dinner

Payment upon sign-up, deadline Friday, October 27, 2023

Sign-up with friends at same time to sit with them.

Pickup tickets on Monday, November 6, 2023, at Coffee.

Payment options to be determined.

Dinner to follow at **Chesapeake House Restaurant**, 9918 Highway 17, Myrtle Beach, SC 29572 at 4:30pm –

Menu Choices: Fried Seafood Combination; Broiled Seafood Combination; Bone-in Pork Chop; Chicken Parmesan; Grilled Beef Tips – All Entrees served with House Green Salad with Homemade Ranch Dressing, Baked Potato, Warm Glazed Cinnamon Rolls, Homemade Hush Puppies, White Chocolate Bread Pudding, Coffee, and Ice Tea.

### *December*

**Myrtle Beach Bowl**, 101 Phil Gray Drive, Myrtle Beach, SC 29579

Friday, December 8, 2023, at 1:00pm.

\$11.75 includes Bowling 2 Games & Shoe Rental (Paid that day - NO Checks)



## January

**RigaTony's Murder Mystery Dinner Show**, 1329 N Kings Highway, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at 6:00-8:00pm.

\$42.79 including meal.

Husbands are invited.

Sign-up with friends at same time to sit with them.

Menu: Salad with Italian Dressing, Tomato Bisque Soup, Cheese-Filled Manicotti with Meatball, Green Beans, and Cannoli.

Payment upon sign-up, deadline Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

Payment options to be determined.

## February

**Polynesian Fire Luau**, 6803 N Ocean Blvd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29572

Tuesday, February 6, 2024, at 6:00-8:00pm.

\$67.29 for dinner and show.

Husbands are invited.

Sign-up with friends at same time to sit with them.

Menu: Hulu Chicken, Kalua Pulled Pork, Fish of the Day, Vegetable Medley, Island Potatoes, Sticky Rice, Tossed Salad, Dinner Rolls, and Velvet Cake.

Payment upon sign-up, deadline Friday, January 26, 2024.

Payment options to be determined.

## March

**Professor Hacker's Dinosaur Adventure Golf**, 701 Highway 17 S, North Myrtle Beach, SC 29582

Friday, March 15, 2024, 11:00am.

\$14.00, or if 10 persons or more than \$9.00.

Lunch to follow at **Grumpy Monk**, 1409 US 17 South, North Myrtle Beach, SC 29582

1:00pm - Pay for your own lunch at the restaurant.

## April

**Georgetown Walking Tour**, 704 Front Street, Georgetown, SC 29440

Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 10:45am.

\$15.00 Cash or Check Only, Payable at end of tour.

90 Minute Walking Tour, Revolutionary Way to Present. Wear walking shoes.

Lunch to follow at **River Room Restaurant**, 801 Front Steet, Georgetown, SC 29440

1:00pm - Pay for your own lunch at the restaurant.

## May

**Boone Hall Plantation Tour**, 1235 Long Point Road, Mount Pleasant, SC 29464

Tuesday, May 14, 2024, at 11:30am.

\$29.68 for 40-minute Guided House and Gardens Tour

Payment options to be determined.

Lunch to follow at **Boone Hall Café**

Pay for your own lunch or bring lunch.

## *Membership & Dues*

Hello Newcomers!

We're thrilled to share some exciting updates with you:

✨ We're now a community of 235 regular members! A warm welcome to our 3 new members:

Ellen Devlin from Georgia

Ellen Harding from Virginia

Diane Weinstein from New Jersey

Let's give them a big round of applause for joining our vibrant group!

📄 Membership Payment Breakdown: 60 members have paid online, and 44 have chosen the traditional route and paid by check. In total, 104 members are eligible for the September drawing for a complimentary luncheon. Don't forget, our esteemed lifetime members are also included in this exciting opportunity!

Stay tuned for more happenings and upcoming events. We're delighted to have each and every one of you as part of our Newcomers family. Here's to a fantastic month ahead!

## *Directory*

The Newcomers' Directory is available on our website at [www.newcomersgs.org](http://www.newcomersgs.org). Feel free to take a selfie and download the picture or download one of your favorite pictures of yourself. It would be nice to see all of us beautiful ladies in the directory. Please check that your information is correct and let Terri Olson (Membership Chair) know if any corrections are needed.

## NEWCOMERS SPONSOR HIGHLIGHTS

<p><b>AVON – Kathy Foley</b> - 606-303-2687 <a href="mailto:kathyavongoddess@gmail.com">kathyavongoddess@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://www.youravon.com/kathyfoley">www.youravon.com/kathyfoley</a> I am the Avon Lady! I am an Avon Bronze Ambassador. Avon, is a multinational cosmetics, skin care, fragrance, hair care, fashion items, jewelry and personal care company. <b>Stop by my table to see the monthly specials and pick up a catalog!</b></p>
<p><b>CANAM WOODWORKING – Linda Ludwik</b> - 404-357-4690 <a href="mailto:CanAmWoodworking@gmail.com">CanAmWoodworking@gmail.com</a> Handcrafted wood items: Cedar bluebird houses with a license plate roof, charcuterie boards, cheese slicers, wood trivets and more! Check out my table and visit us on Facebook! <b>Bring me a license plate and I can customize your bird house!</b></p>
<p><b>CARABELLA’S DECADENT DESSERTS – Carole Foley Bellacera</b> – 703-475-1049 <a href="mailto:carolebella2001@yahoo.com">carolebella2001@yahoo.com</a> Decadent desserts of all kinds! Choose from my menu or contact me and I will do my best to make it for you! Stop by my table each month and taste the samples I bring. Also check out my Facebook page <a href="https://facebook.com/CaraBellasDecadentDesserts">https://facebook.com/CaraBellasDecadentDesserts</a></p>
<p><b>CAROLINA MASTER CHORALE – Peggy O’Neil</b> - <a href="mailto:fponeil2416@yahoo.com">fponeil2416@yahoo.com</a> - 843-213-1551 CMC office 843-444-5774 (9am-12pm) Join the CMC for its 41<sup>st</sup> season, “Heroism &amp; The Power of Love”. Concerts begin on October 14-15 with <i>Considering Matthew Shepard</i> in conjunction with the Theatre of the Republic. Stop by our table for more information about our season &amp; tickets.</p>
<p><b>CJ’S JAMS, JELLIES &amp; SALSA – Cathy Johnson</b> – <a href="mailto:rickcathy5658@gmail.com">rickcathy5658@gmail.com</a> – 336-467-9519 We make homemade jams, jellies, apple butter, sweet potato butter and pumpkin butter. Salsa, chowchow, pickled okra. In the fall and winter, we made breads! Great items for your everyday use and for gifts. I can do gift baskets, any size and any price!</p>
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<p><b>JUST ONE – CB Eagan – Denise</b> – <a href="mailto:cbdesigner@gmail.com">cbdesigner@gmail.com</a> – CB 203-640-0102, Denise 631-434-5884 Unique gifts for women and young adults: Purses, gloves, scarves, scents, famous “painting” umbrellas and scarves. Inventory is always changing and no two meetings are alike “Just One”! Visit our table every month to see what’s new and exciting!</p>
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