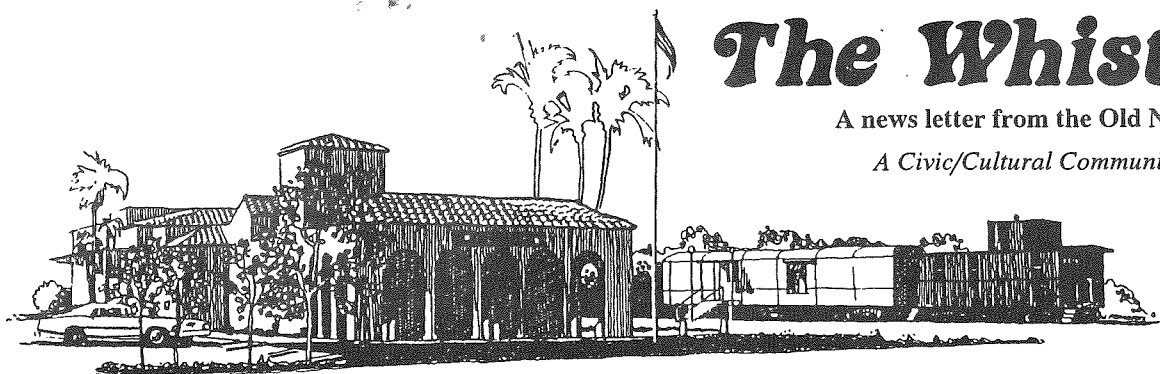




The Whistlestop

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We are happy to report that demand for the use of the Depot facilities has improved from a year ago. Not only were 90% of the days in November busy ones, but on several days three to four functions were held. You, our members, can help to continue this momentum by reminding your friends of the wide variety of functions for which the Depot would be ideal and at most reasonable rental rates. In addition, charitable, civic and cultural organizations are entitled to a 40% discount.

Thank you for your interest and please respond generously to our dues renewal notice by upgrading your membership category. Better still, becoming a proud Life Member for \$1,000. As you may know, these payments are deductible for income tax purposes.

Thank you again for your wonderful support. Our best wishes for the Holiday Season!

Sincerely,

Robert L. Spang, President

FOR THE EFFICIENT, ORGANIZED WOMAN OF THE 90'S

Resolutions Seminars will teach you to put more time in your life—and more life in your time!

The seminars are held in the Windisch Room of The Naples Depot, December 3rd from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m. There will be a refreshment break. No need to bring equipment to take notes. You will be furnished a workbook and pencil. Advance reservations are required along with your check for \$35.00 made payable to Patricia D. Jones, c/o Resolutions, 2400 N. Tamiami Trail, #202, Naples, FL 33940.



IKEBANA INTERNATIONAL

The Naples Chapter #160 will have their Workshop in the Norris Room of the Depot from 9:00 a.m. to noon, December 5. Ikebana for the Holidays will be the theme for the day.

ESTATE AUCTION BY BOB MOATES

Antiques, Diamonds, Jewelry, Sterling, Household items, Collectibles and a low mileage Luxury Automobile.

Will be held December 1st, 9:00 a.m. at the Naples Depot in the Norris Room. A preview will be held Friday, November 30th from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. and one hour before sale time Saturday. Terms: Cash or approved Check. This is an Absolute Sale, No Miniums, No Reservations. Refreshments will be served.

A personal message from the Auctioneer: "I will be selling the entire contents of a Gulf shore Boulevard, Waterfront Residence. Without Question, this will be the nicest sale I've ever done! Some of the names and brands are: Tiffany, Cartier, Queen Anne, Spode, Staffordshire, Chippendale, Duncan Phyfe, Bavarian, Wedgwood, Louis XV, Louise XVI, Reed and Barton, Gorham, Whiting Mfg. Imperial Queen pattern, and More! Please don't miss this sale."

NAPLES DEPOT BENEFIT

Plans for the fascinating lecture and display of fashions of the 1920's are coming into focus. Zoom in on that date, January 23, 1991 at 2:00 p.m. in the Norris Room and Bradley Gallery of the Depot.

Martha Selhorst has compiled historic backgrounds with styles of various earlier times. Seats are limited so get your ticket early from any member of the Board or the Depot office. Gentlemen will enjoy it as much as the ladies. They will love to hear Martha tell of her search for costumes of gone by years.

Everyone will be intrigued by the 12 models who wear the beautiful fashions of the past. Modeling the gowns include, our own Liana Buysse, Anne Kapp, Linda Smock and Ginny Small.

An exquisite door prize and a raffle to ten desirable certificates for services, events, and gifts will be drawn at the end of the lecture. A single ticket \$5.00 or three tickets for \$10.00. The prizes donated by restaurants, jewelers, and patrons will be well worth the price of many tickets. Have faith in your luck! The excitement of winning a prize will make your day. The fact that you have contributed to the permanence of the historic Naples Depot will give you a warm glow. We appreciate the generosity of Northern Trust Bank for sponsoring the lecture and underwriting the tea. Therefore, the \$50.00 admission fee is entirely tax deductible.

NAPLES GARDEN CLUB

The membership meeting on December 3rd will be a slide program entitled "Color" by Paul J. Schmitt. He is the owner of several jewelry shops in the vicinity.



A GARDEN CLUB PROJECT

The Naples Garden Club values the opportunity it has of being able to use the Depot to stage a benefit "Miniature World at Christmas." It will be of great interest and joy to young and old who enjoy looking at miniature rooms, doll houses and a moving model train. This charming exhibit will be held in the Bradley Gallery of the Depot, December 6th through the 9th, during the hours of 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. except on Friday, December 7th 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Admission is \$3.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children.

A Festive Preview Party will be held on December 5th from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Cocktails, beverages, and luscious hors d'oeuvres will be served.

A Fashion Show of fine jewelry by Cleopatra's Barge will be entertaining and you will be the first to view the well staged miniatures.

All the prizes for the Raffle will be on display throughout the five days of the exhibit. Tickets for the Raffle prizes are \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00. One may specify their choice of prizes on their tickets. Drawing for the prizes will be made on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Winners do not have to be present to claim their prize. They will be notified of their good luck.

Reservations for the Preview party at \$20.00 a person are requested and may be made by check to the Naples Garden Club and sent to Mrs. Cranford Alford, 4251 Gulf Shore Blvd. North #31, Naples, FL 33940. Call the Garden Club at 262-1272 for more information and Raffle tickets. Plan for an evening of fun with friends and help the Garden Club further their work in scholarships, garden therapy and city beautification.

D.A.R. REMEMBERS

The Big Cypress Chapter will have their luncheon meeting December 7th at 11:30 a.m. in the Norris Room. The program for this meeting will be "Pearl Harbor Day" honoring Collier County Veterans. REMEMBER to bring your Christmas gifts for veteran patients.

Reservations for luncheon by December 3rd to Mrs. Charles H. Case, 2172 41st Terrace, S.W., Naples, FL 33999 or call 455-2763.

NAPLES ORCHID SOCIETY CHRISTMAS MEETING

The Naples Orchid Society will meet on December 6, 1990 at 7:30 p.m. in the Depot. This meeting is open to the Naples Orchid Society membership and guests only.

A demonstration of Christmas centerpieces that incorporate orchids in their design will be the main program. Member Anne Levi will provide her talents in creating these exotic arrangements. In addition, the regular orchid show tables will be set up for judging of the members' plants.

A huge raffle will include the centerpieces designed by Mrs. Levi and over 50 orchid plants that were contributed by members. The evening will conclude with holiday music and refreshments. For further information contact Jack Hild at 455-9329.

BETTER BREATHING PROGRAM FOR THOSE SHORT OF BREATH!

Do you suffer from Asthma, Emphysema, or Chronic Bronchitis? Are you looking for ways to relax and breathe easier? The American Lung Association's Better Breathing Program can help!

On Wednesday, December 5, the American Lung Association of Southwest Florida will have the next of its monthly better breathing sessions. The topic will be "Proper Breathing and Work Simplification for the Lung Disease Patient." The program will be held at Naples Depot on Fifth Avenue South at 1:00 p.m.

The better Breathing Program is designed for people who suffer from asthma, emphysema, chronic bronchitis, lung cancer, or any restrictive lung disease. The monthly meetings combine beneficial information and interesting educational programs with social activities. Participants have the opportunity to meet with others who have similar breathing problems and experiences. The program is free of charge and open to the public. For more information and to pre-register, please call 598-1556.

GERMAN AMERICAN CLUB "HARMONIE"

Come and celebrate with us an Old Fashioned Nikolaus Tradition. A visit from St. Nikolaus, a \$5.00 gift exchange (optional) and a sing-along with the "Harmonie Singers" at the Naples Depot in the Norris Room, Saturday, December 8, 1990. There will be food and drinks and for your dancing pleasure music by Edith and Ed Richter. For reservations call: Elisabeth 261-2184, Maria 263-5475, Ida (Marco Island) 394-0649.

FOR RENT—DESK SPACE

Share office in pleasant downtown location, monthly rent \$83.33. Call Andrew Ruben at 262-1776.

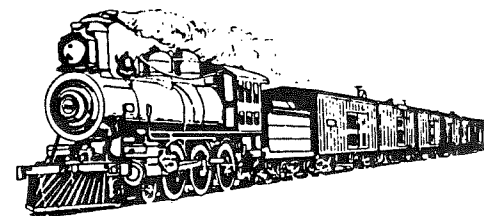
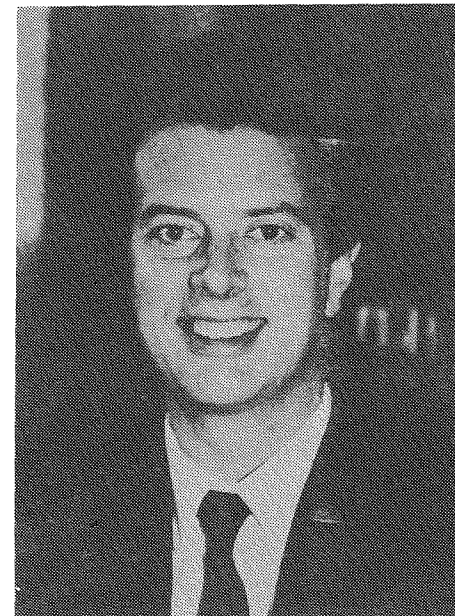
FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The fellowship will be hosting two banquet activities at the Depot during the month of December.

On Saturday, December 1st at 6:15 p.m. our guest speaker will be Mr. Bob Johnson, founder and chairman of Dominion Broadcast Satellite Network. This company will be launching a video satellite early in 1992 designed to serve the education and spiritual needs of North America.

Join us on the 1st to hear how a word from God led Mr. Johnson to found this company in Naples in 1980, devote ten years of full time work and just about all of his resources to this important work of God. Dinner and program only \$10.00. Call for reservations at 261-4637 for both dates.

During the banquet on Saturday, December 29, 1990 we will be featuring international investment consultant and noted author Mr. T. Davis Bunn. Mr. Bunn's first book, *The Presence*, is being hailed as a masterful and compelling novel that promises to be an international best seller.



ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION

A lecture will be held on December 17th at 1:30 p.m. in the Windisch Room. Our speaker will be Christian Mogelvang, M.D., plastic surgeon, and he will speak on "Sub-Cutaneous Mastectomy. A choice in breast surgery." Reservations are not required and there will be no charge to attend.

STORM-WATER MANAGEMENT

Topic for League of Women Voters.

The present and future of storm-water management in Collier County will be the topic of a program set for November 19 at the Naples Depot.

The luncheon discussion is sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Collier County and will feature presentations by three of the county's top storm-water management experts.

John Boldt, director of the Collier County Water Management Department, will present a 30-minute illustrated lecture on the county's storm-water management master plan.

Michael Slayton, Administrative Director of the Big Cypress Basin, will lead a 10-minute discussion of the basin's role in storm-water management. The Big Cypress Basin, which includes all of Collier County and portions of Monroe County, is a local division of the South Florida Water Management District.

John Staiger, Natural Resources Manager for the City of Naples, will make a 15-minute presentation on the city's storm-water master plan.

Storm-water is a catch-all term for water that collects on the ground from rain and other sources and eventually runs off into sewers, bays and estuaries. Because the water runs off paved streets, parking lots and other developed areas, it picks up oil, grease and chemicals that can damage Collier County's fragile estuaries and wetlands. Polluted storm-water run-off presents the single greatest threat to the fragile environment of Southwest Florida.

Collection and treatment of storm-water will be a major goal of developers and governments in the next 10 to 20 years. The deterioration of Naples Bay over the past 10 years has been caused, to a great extent, by storm-water run-off.

The buffet luncheon at noon that precedes the storm-water program costs \$7.00 per person. Attendance at the program only will cost \$2.00.

Luncheon reservations may be made by calling the League of Women Voters' office, 263-4656, or Pat Scudder, 775-9278

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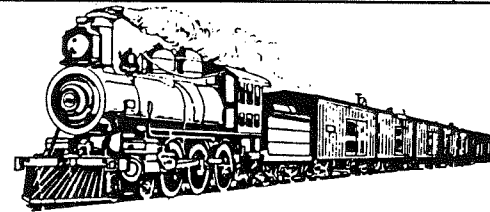
Are you turned off trying to do your Christmas shopping in the malls or some of the large stores? Why not try the End of the Line Store? In a small, but quiet atmosphere, you may find just the things for which you have been looking. Costume jewelry—what if someone else treasured it? Some china or glassware that might match some that your friend owns. Objects d'art that have come from lovely estates. Toys that may be different or out of the past.

Prices are very reasonable. It is the thought that counts. Who doesn't enjoy finding a bargain? It will always say "Merry Christmas" to those on your list just the same, and also help the Naples Depot.

GULF COAST ORGAN CLUB

A festive Christmas Dinner Dance for members and guests will be held December 11th at 6:00 p.m. in the Norris Room. Music by Sid Kleiner. Reservations by December 7th, \$17.50 per person. Call 793-2338

WHISTLESTOP CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER 1990



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 Bob Moates Auction (N & W) 8 a.m.-3 p.m. F.G.B.M.F. (N) 6 p.m.-10 p.m.
2 Cornerstone Church (W) 7 p.m.-10 p.m.	3 Garden Club (N) 2 p.m.-4 p.m. Resolutions (W) 6 p.m.-11 p.m.	4 Zonta Int'l. (W) 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Old Naples Prescription Society (W) 6-11 p.m.	5 Ikebana (N) 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Artcrafters (B) Jurying 11 a.m.-5 p.m. American Lung Assoc. (W) 1-3 p.m. Garden Club (N) 5-9 p.m. David Lawrence (W) 7-10 p.m.	6 Naples Garden Club (G) 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Naples Orchid Society (N) 7-10 p.m.	7 Naples Garden Club (G) 10 a.m.-7 p.m.	8 Naples Garden Club (G) 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
9 Naples Garden Club (G) 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Irish American Club (W) 12 noon-3 p.m. Gulf Middle School (N) 6-11 p.m. Cornerstone Church (W) 7-11 p.m.	10 Garden Club Flower Design (W) 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Council on World Affairs (N) 7-10 p.m.	11 Depot Board meeting (B) 3-5 p.m. Gulf Coast Organ Club (N) 7-11 p.m.	12 Mental Health (W) 11 a.m.-1 p.m. David Lawrence (W) 7-10 p.m. Prevent A Care Christmas Party (N)	13 M.Y.L.P. (W) 8-10 a.m. Arthritis Foundation Christmas Party (N) 5:30-11 p.m.	14 NAA (G) Show 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Gulf Coast Sailing Club (N) 5-11 p.m.	15 NAA (G) Show 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Wedding
16 Nancy Brooks Christmas Ballet (N) 2-6 p.m. Cornerstone Church (W) 7-11 p.m.	17 Garden Club Board (B) 9-12 p.m. Garden Club Horti. (W) 10-12 p.m. League of Women Voters (N) 12-3 p.m. Arthritis Found. (W) 12:30-2 p.m.	18	19 Naples Central Rotary (N) 3-11 p.m. Naples/Marco AACA (W) 7-10 p.m.	20 AAA Explorers (N) 11:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.	21 Irish American Club (N&W) 6-11 p.m.	22 Wedding
23 Cornerstone Church (W) 7-11 p.m.	24 No Events	25 CLOSED	26	27 M.Y.L.P. (W) 8 a.m.-10 a.m.	28	29 F.G.B.M.F. (N) 6 p.m.-10 p.m.
30	31 No Events					

Letters identify the room(s) in which the event is scheduled: B—Benedum Room
 G—Bradley Gallery
 N—Norris Room

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES REGISTRY ... COCKTAIL PARTY

Will have their first meeting Dec. 7 in the Norris Room and Windisch Room. The purpose of the Recreational Activities Registry is to provide a roster of people and their recreational interests. The club is open to all residents of Naples and Ft. Myers interested in getting acquainted with other people with similar recreational interests.

The Cocktail Parties are to provide a relaxed atmosphere for people to get acquainted. If you are looking for a racquetball opponent, tennis double, sailing buddy, dancing companion, golf foresome, bridge partner . . the R.A.R. is the place . . . of course . . . visitors welcome.

NAPLES ART ASSOCIATION

The Bradley Gallery will have the first show opening on December 14th. To help promote and advertise this show they will have an Outdoor Show on the Naples Depot grounds Saturday, December 15. Receiving paintings for the Bradley Gallery will be Thursday, December 13th from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. This will be a small to miniature show. Maximum size to be 16x20" or any shape of equivalent size, 320 square inches in area. This show will be judged. Size and prices geared toward Christmas gift sales. The public is invited to attend and the Gallery will be open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This show will hang through December.



NAPLES COUNCIL ON WORLD AFFAIRS

The December 10th meeting at the Depot will have Ambassador Glen W. Ferguson, former United States Ambassador to Kenya, speak on "The Development of Africa."

N.M.A.I.G.

The Arthritis Foundation will have a Christmas Dinner Dance, Thursday, December 13th, Happy Hour at 5:00 p.m. (BYOB) and dinner at 6:00 p.m., \$9.00 a person. Reservations required, please call 775-3233 between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. As a special treat the Barron Collier Jazz Band led by Mark Bronson will provide music.

Please make checks payable to the Naples Depot
 1051 Fifth Avenue South, Naples, Florida 33940

MEMBERSHIPS

Regular membership for one year is still \$15. Family Memberships are \$25, Sponsor Memberships are \$50, Sustaining Memberships are \$100, Corporate Memberships are \$200 and Life Memberships \$1,000. **To conform to the calendar year memberships run to January 1990 and yearly thence.** (Tax Deductible)

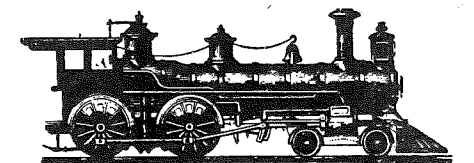
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or _____ Corporate Membership at \$200, or _____ Sustaining Membership at \$100, or _____ Sponsor Membership at \$50, or _____ Family Membership at \$25, or _____ Regular Membership at \$15.

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To renew your membership for 1990, or to become a new member, please use this form. We appreciate your Support.

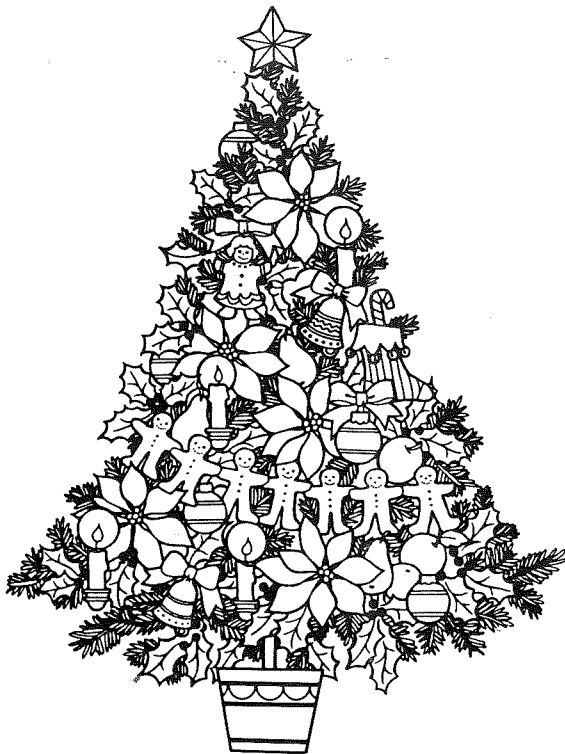


THE NAPLES ARTCRAFTERS

The Standards Committee will meet December 5th in the Benedum Room of the Depot. Drop off items to be juried at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Pick up art work 3:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Committee Chairman, Betty McLenon 597-4128.

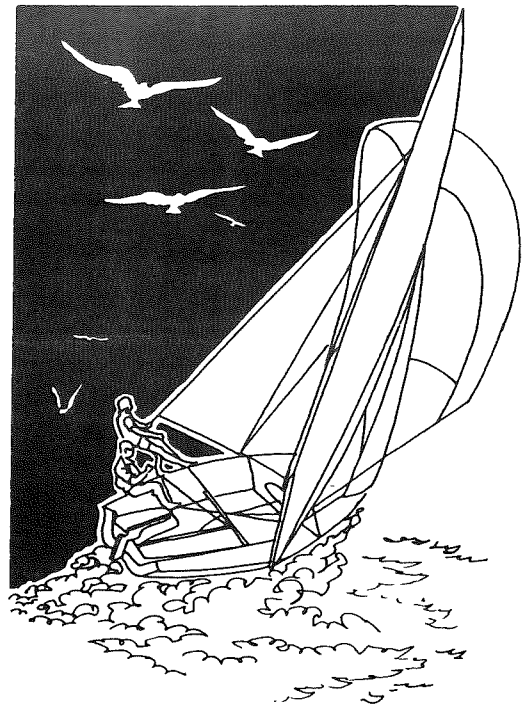
CHRISTMAS PARTY

Children and grandchildren of the Irish American Club will be given a party Sunday, December 9th from 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. in the Windisch Room. Santa Claus will be there. Refreshments. For reservations call Lisa 775-3225.



DANCE OF CHRISTMAS

The Irish American Club will celebrate with a Christmas Dance. Music by "The Tempos" on December 21st from 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres buffet \$15.00 per person. For reservations call Lisa 775-3225.



GULF COAST SAILING CLUB

In the holiday spirit, members and guests of the Sailing Club will enjoy a dance on December 14th from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. in the Norris Room and the Bradley Gallery of the Depot. Awards will be given out for the fall racing season. Reservations appreciated, \$5.00 a person, please call Bill Diamond at 649-4417. Persons interested in joining the Sailing Club are welcome.



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