October 2018 Newsletter













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Dear Seven Sisters.

Some of us have returned to Naples and some of us never left. It's a great time to get Season started! Please join us in Old Naples on November 1st for the Seven Sisters of Southwest Florida's Welcome Back Happy Hour. Register ASAP; the deadline is rapidly approaching. We would love to see you there.



November 1, Thursday, 5-7 PM, "Welcome Back Happy Hour"

Where: The Continental Restaurant, 1205 3rd St S, Naples 34102. Tel: 239-659-0007.

What: Appetizers will be served. Cash bar for drinks.

Reservations & Checks: Please complete the RSVP Form below and mail this form along with your check to arrive by October 18, 2018 to: Karen Slater, 22000 Red Laurel Lane, Estero, FL 33928.

Cost: \$15.00 in advance, or \$20.00 cash at the door, per person.

Host: Karen Slater (Barnard) email: ks5491md@gmail.com

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| Event: November 1, Thursd | ay, 5-7 PM, Seven Sisters "Welcome Bac | k Happy Hour" at The Continent | al. |
| Enclose a check payable to | "Karen Slater" for person(s) \$15.0 | 0 per person; total \$ | |
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| Guest: | College: | Year: | |

Mail this form and your check to arrive by October 18, 2018 to:

Karen Slater, 22000 Red Laurel Lane, Estero, FL 33928.

December 8, Saturday, 4-6 PM, Seven Sisters "High Tea"

Where: Jane's Cafe on Third, 1209 3rd St S, Naples

34102. Tel. 239-261-2253.

What: Traditional tea will include assorted tea choices, tea sandwiches, freshly baked scones with Devonshire cream & preserves, assorted sweet dessert bites... and a glass of bubbly.

Reservations & Checks: Please complete the "High Tea RSVP Form" below and mail this form along with your check to arrive by December 1, 2018 to: Karen Osar, 266 Edgemere Way East, Naples, FL 34105.

Cost: \$40.00 per person

Hosts: Karen Benson (Mt. Holyoke)

kkbcoach@comcast.net & Karen Osar (Smith)

karenosar@gmail.com



"High Tea" RSVP Form" (OCT2018)

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January 13, 2019, Sunday, 2:15 PM Pre-Show Talk, 3 PM Matinee, 5:30 PM Wine Reception Performance of "The Revolutionists" by playwright Lauren Gunderson.

Where: Gulfshore Playhouse, 755 8th Ave S, Naples 34102. 239-261-7529.

What: Liberté, égalité... sororité. In the chaos of the French Revolution, anything can happen — especially laughter. Against the backdrop of France's Reign of Terror, former queen Marie Antoinette, assassin Charlotte Corday, playwright Olympe de Gouges, and spy Marianne Angelle form an unlikely alliance. Written by the most popular playwright in America, this explosive comedy puts a modern twist on history as these women fight for equality and freedom, and leave an indelible mark on history in their wake. This event includes a pre-show discussion of the play at 2:15PM, the play at 3PM, and a post-performance wine reception (5:30PM).

Cost: \$55.00 per person

Reservations: Register at connect.vassar.edu/Revolutionist or send checks...

Checks: Payable to "Vassar Club of Naples." Mail to: Office of Alumnae/i Affairs and Development,

Attn: Naomi Pucarelli, 161 College Ave., Box 14, Poughkeepsie, NY 12603.

Host: Jacqui Riordan (Vassar) jacqui@jacqui.com





"Revolutionists" Matinee RSVP Form (OCT2018)

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Dr. Joseph Coughlin, Founder and Director of the MIT AgeLab will be speaking to the MIT Club of Southwest Florida and the Seven Sisters of Southwest Florida about the Upsides of Aging. Schedule: 11:30 AM socialize; Noon luncheon; 1 PM presentation. Lecture title and directions to follow.

Where: Eagle Creek Golf & Country Club, 601 Eagle Creek Dr, Naples 34113.

Reservation & Payment: *RSVP information to follow.*

Cost: \$35.00 per person

Host: Marilynn Katatsky (Vassar) email: marilynn.katatsky@ms.com and Bob Gurnitz (MIT)

February 8, 2019 - Friday, 10AM-Noon, Book Club Discussion

"Code Girls: The Untold Story of the American Women Code Breakers of WWII," by author Liza Mundy.

Where: Naples Sailing & Yacht Club, Bayside Dining Room, 896 River Point Dr, Naples 34102.

Tel: 239-774-0424.

What: Many of the women featured in this book were new graduates from the Seven Sisters colleges.

The discussion will be moderated by Marla Weiss (Barnard). Buffet lunch begins at 11:30 AM.

Members can elect to attend just the book club, or the lunch, or both.

Reservation & Payment: *RSVP information to follow.*

Cost: \$30.00 (included are tip, tax, & lunch with iced tea or coffee.)

Moderator: Marla Weiss (Barnard)

Host: Marilynn Katatsky (Vassar) email: marilynn.katatsky@ms.com



April 12, 2019 - Friday, 10AM-Noon, Book Club Discussion

The play: "King Charles III" by Mike Bartlett

Where: The Bay House, West Bay Club 4606 West Bay Blvd, Estero 33928. Tel: 239-444-2356.

What: This play has been called "a future history" The plot line is "The Queen is dead: after a lifetime of waiting, the prince ascends the throne. A future of power. But how to rule?" The play has been performed worldwide, notably in London & NY. In addition, PBS has presented it in movie form for TV which is available for streaming on Amazon.

Refreshments: coffee, tea, and pastries will be available.

Reservations: due by March 30. There is no cost for this event. Email Karen Slater at

ks5491md@gmail.com if you would like to attend.

Moderators: Karen Slater (Barnard) and Karen Benson (MHC)

Host: Karen Slater (Barnard)

(Optional post-event lunch by the pool is available for individuals with credit card.)

Note: Volunteers organize and manage the Seven Sisters activities. Due to the payment requirements of the venues, we cannot refund money past the published deadline date. If you register for an event and find you cannot attend it past the published deadline, you will be responsible for finding a replacement, having them reimburse you and notifying the host of the name change. We thank our volunteers for planning and executing these stimulating educational and social activities for our Seven Sisters of Southwest Florida.

Seven Sisters Planning Committee:

Karen Slater (Barnard) Karen Benson (Mount Holyoke)

Karen Osar (Smith)

Marilynn Katatsky (Vassar)

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We look forward to seeing old friends, making new ones, and bringing good cheer to a our season in Paradise.