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Newcomers' Club Annual Family Fall Harvest Party

**Please join us on
Saturday, October 9,
5:00 p.m. at the Connaker's farm**

Dress in your Western Attire and enjoy a relaxing evening around the bonfire.

**Activities include Horse Rides, Pumpkin Painting,
Cookie Decorating, Coloring Contest and more.**

**Newcomers' will provide water, and cider.
The Connaker's will provide burgers and brats.
Please bring a dish to pass and your beverage of choice.**

**RSVP by October 6 to
Holly at Holly@Connaker.com**

**Directions: From Brainerd, go east on Highway 18 for about 9 miles to CR 8/
Nokay Lake Road, turn left and drive north for approx. 2.2 miles to property on
left. Fire Number 15343.**



Upcoming Activities

Morning Coffee — Join us for coffee, and learn about club activities and community events. Meet at Lord of Life Church in Baxter on Wednesday, October 6, at 9:30 a.m. Children are welcome.

Harvest Party — Let's celebrate the Fall Harvest at the Connakers Farm on Saturday, October 9. Please RSVP to Holly@Connaker.com by October 6. See the attached flier for more information. Note the time change from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Polar Bear Book Club — Book Club will meet at Courtney Neifert's house on Wednesday, October 13. This month's book is "The Art of Racing in the Rain," by George Stein. RSVP to Courtney Neifert at 825-0551.

Dinner Group — Plan to meet for dinner at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, October 15 at the Varsity Bar & Grill in Brainerd. RSVP to Kate at 270.2529.

Board Meeting — Board members will meet at Boardwalk Bread & Bagel on Monday, October 18, at 7:00 p.m. RSVP to Becky at 828.1611.

Girls' Night — Girls' Night will be at the 26th Annual Nisswa Women of Today Fall Charity Fashion Show. Social hour begins at 5:30, Dinner begins at 6:30, and the show begins at 7:30. Tickets are \$35, which include dinner, a raffle drawing, door prizes, and a silent auction along with many other fun ways to win. 100% of the proceeds are donated to The Crisis Line and Referral Center (Mobile Crisis Team), Ski Gull, and Nisswa Parks and Rec. RSVP to Amanda at 568.5756.

Lunch Group — Need a break in the middle of the day? Meet up for lunch at Christmas Point on Thursday, October 21 at noon. RSVP to Sarah at 829.3317.

Soup Kitchen — Six volunteers are needed to help serve food as a group to those in need. We will serve Monday, October 25, at 4:30 p.m. Contact Jamie Whiteman for more information at 297.4121.

Teddy Bear Playgroup — Parents and kids are invited to meet at Becky Robertson's house on Wednesday, October 27 at 10 a.m. Kids can wear their Halloween costumes if they want! RSVP to Becky at 828.1611.

Guys' Night — TBD.

Announcements

New Members — Please welcome the following new members:

Jana and Vince Cook, who have moved to Nisswa from Boston. They have three children, Hackett (13), Annie (6), and Katy (6). Among their interests are golfing, shopping, and working out.

Scott and Tricia Engelstad, who have moved to Brainerd from Wichita, Kansas. They share a Nurse Anesthetist position at St. Joseph's Hospital and have two kids, Sean (5) and Lucy (2). They enjoy being outdoors, hiking, and mountain biking.

Ashley Flemmer and Matt Hartman, who have moved to Brainerd from St. Cloud. Ashley is a chiropractor at Baxter Chiropractic and Matt is a Marketing Rep for Wisenegger Engel Insurance. Their interests are walking, golfing, reading, lake activities, and Matt enjoys hunting and fishing.

Chris and Sarah Thompson, who have moved to Brainerd from White Bear Lake. They have two children, Benjamin (5) and Samuel (2). Sarah stays at home with the kids and Chris is a Family Practice Physician at BMC. They enjoy being outside, swimming, biking, hiking, and skiing.

Board Openings — There are three open board positions: Co- or Vice President, Child Care/Phone Call Coordinator, and Soup Kitchen Coordinator. Please contact a board member if you are interested.

Event Hosting — If you would like to host a club event, please contact Kate Peck at 270.2529 or cominguprosemary@gmail.com.

Website — Visit the Newcomers' Club at www.brainerd.com/newcomers. This newsletter is available there. Our e-mail address is newcomers@brainerd.com. Also, join the Brainerd Lakes Area Newcomers' Club group on Facebook.

Membership Renewal and Dues — Dues and renewals are \$25 per family, per year. Only one notice will be sent for your annual membership renewal. If you have misplaced it, call Sally Aadland at 270.2250. We appreciate your membership!

Magazine Fundraiser — Buy new magazine subscriptions or easily renew yours online. The magazines are up to 85% off newsstand price for you and the Club receives 40% percent of each sale. Go to www.magfundraising.com/GroupPage.aspx?e=1019374.

Community Events

Story Times

Brainerd Public Library —

Mondays at 6:30 p.m. and Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.

Crosby Hallet Memorial Library —

Wednesdays at 10:30, beginning Sept. 15

Area Farmers Markets

Brainerd — Franklin Art Center, Tues, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Baxter — Gander Mountain, Fridays, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Nisswa — American Legion, Thurs, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Pequot Lakes — Oasis Center, Sat, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Corn Maze & Pumpkin Patch —

The Corn Maze and Pumpkin Patch will be open at The Farm on St. Matthias from September 5 - October 31.

Ice Breaker Day

— Free skate day at the Hallett Community Center on Sunday, October 10 from 12-3.

Zoo Boo — Trick or Treaters are invited to trick or treat at the Pine Grove Zoo on October 30, from 4-8.

Fall Festival Arty Party — Sponsored by the Crossing Arts Alliance, the Fall Festival Arty Party will be at Gregory Park on October 16 from 1-4. Come for drawing, sculpture, maskmaking, and more.

Haunted Trail — Walk the haunted trails at the Northland Arboretum on October 21 & 22. Visit northlandarb.com for more information.

For more information about these and other events, visit www.explorebrainerdlakes.com.

2009–2010 Board of Directors Club Contacts

To contact the club, e-mail newcomers@brainerd.com, contact any board member, or send mail to PO Box 11, Brainerd MN 56401.

President	Becky Robertson	828.1611
Vice-President	Open	Open
Secretary	Jacqui Cartwright	454.0568
Treasurer	Sally Aadland	270.2250
Editor	Kate Peck	270.2529
Publicity	Amanda Cline	568.5756
Hospitality	Sarah Bavelli	829.3317
Special Events	Jody Davis	963.7827
Alumni	Amy Bosch	
Child Care/ Phone Call Coordinator	Open	454.0568
Soup Kitchen Coordinator	Jamie Whiteman	297.4121

Babysitting Connection

This list was updated December 2009.

Name	Age	Phone	Other
Nicole Binggeli	17	825.0467	Red Cross Training, Alumni, Drives
Natalie Comeau	13	851.0551	Alumni
Maria Comeau	14	851.0551	Alumni
Casey Wheeler	15	828.3613	Member

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