

# Sandwich Newcomers & Neighbors Newsletter

*March 2024*

## President's Message

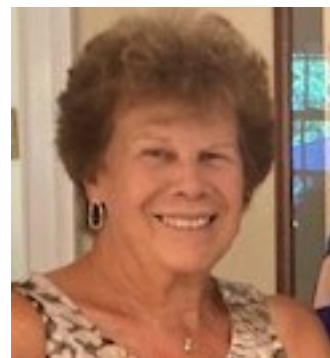
So as I write this, we will know if March came in like a lion or a lamb. For the many of us who want to see those crocuses/croci come up, we know what you're hoping for.

Despite the weather, SNN members always manage to keep busy, enjoy each other's company and participate in club events. I want to thank our new members Oksana and Keith Solar for hosting the February Wine Social and Jean Dorcus for organizing the JFK Museum trip. Also, thanks go out to Dean Coe who introduced many members to the Mass Maritime Simulator. For those of us who did not get motion sickness, it was a fabulous experience!

I'm looking forward to what March brings. Our social events committee never fails to keep us involved.

Happy St. Patrick's Day, Happy Spring, and Happy Easter!

*Annie*





## OPEN BOARD OF DIRECTOR POSITIONS

As of June 30th several positions on the Board of Directors of SNN will be open and need to be filled for a TWO YEAR term (July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2026).

If you are interested in volunteering for any of the following:

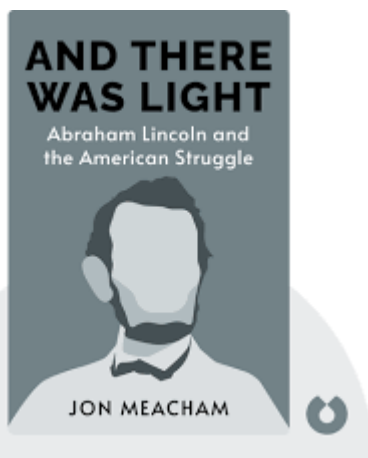
- President
- Vice President
- Newsletter
- Special Events
- Wine Social

Please contact Annie Adler for more information. Annie Adler ( [adlean-ni@gmail.com](mailto:adlean-ni@gmail.com)) or Anne Sayer ( [asayer@gmail.com](mailto:asayer@gmail.com)) no later than May 1st.





## Ladies Book Club



March's book selection is And There Was Light: Abraham Lincoln and the American Struggle by John Meacham. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 12 at 1 pm at the home of Catherine Morrison 2 Bayberry Lane, Sandwich.

Please let Catherine know if you will be attending by contacting her at [twobayberry@aol.com](mailto:twobayberry@aol.com)

## Gentlemen's Book Club

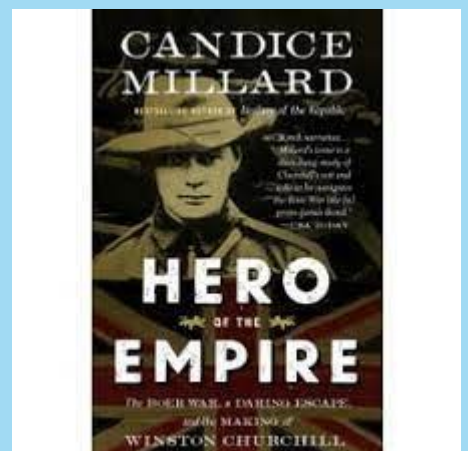
The book selection for March is Hero of the Empire by Candice Millard.

Prentice Adler will be hosting the meeting at his home (7 Inkberry Circle, Sandwich) on Thursday, March 21 at 4 pm.

Please let Prentice know if you will be attending by contacting him at [prentice.adler@gmail.com](mailto:prentice.adler@gmail.com)

*Note: Currently the membership in the Men's Book Club is full but those who are interested in joining can be added to the wait list.*

Contact Bill Daley at [wfdaley@comcast.net](mailto:wfdaley@comcast.net)





## March Game Night

If you like a variety of games like Sequence, Rummikub, Taco Cat Goat Cheese Pizza, Mexican Dominoes, or card games such as Hearts or Hand and Foot join us on:

**Saturday, March 16 from 5 pm to 7 pm**

**Julie and John Baudreau's home**

**34 Arnold Road, Forestdale**

**(Limit of 20)**

**RSVP: [juliebaudreau@gmail.com](mailto:juliebaudreau@gmail.com)**

**If you have a game you like, please bring it!**

We'll have an assortment of social games at different tables and switch up the groups every so often. There are always participants ready to teach any of the games offered.

John is making his famous eggplant parm. Please bring a finger food appetizer or dessert to share plus bring your own beverages. And a flashlight for the dark driveway after the games.

**Please bring \$3 or 3 lottery tickets for Left, Right, Center (John is excited to play again!)**

**note:** If you are interested in hosting a Game Night between March and May, please email Therese Goodchild at [tgoodchildslp@gmail.com](mailto:tgoodchildslp@gmail.com)



# MONTILIOS BAKERY TOUR!

Wednesday, March 20th

134 Spark Street, Brockton

We're a 3rd generation family owned MA bakery that's been around since 1947

The Tour includes:

- Up to 16 hungry guests
- Private tour of the baking, pastry and cake decorating departments
- Decorate your own cupcake session.
- A free baked treat to eat!

Please RSVP to Marie Luck at [mallucky@hotmail.com](mailto:mallucky@hotmail.com) or 508-631-2541

Leave Sandwich at 9:30 am for 10:30 arrival

Lunch spot TBD

Carpooling TBD



Montilio's Baking Company family from left, Elissa Montilio, Jenna Susi, Christine Montilio, Ernestine Montilio. Marie Luck, and George



***Anne Sayer and Dean Coe  
will be hosting the  
Wine Social on Saturday, March 23  
at their home at 32 Pine Street, Sandwich  
To RSVP please email Anne at [asayer3@gmail.com](mailto:asayer3@gmail.com)  
by March 20th  
And indicate whether you are bringing an appetizer or  
dessert  
Social will begin at 5 pm***







Keith & Oksana—Thanks for hosting the February Wine Social!



Several members enjoyed a visit to the JFK Museum and Library





Looks like everyone enjoyed the trip to the MMA Ship Simulator.....and maybe a little seasickness, too?





## ACTIVITIES



Patty Williams

**The Women's Book Club** meets 2nd Tuesday of each month at 1 PM. New members are welcome. Coordinator is Patty Williams, ([mpatty3@comcast.net](mailto:mpatty3@comcast.net))

**Biking:** Riding the pathways and the rail trails of the Cape, lunch at a local favorite. Patty Williams, Coordinator, ([mpatty3@comcast.net](mailto:mpatty3@comcast.net))

**Men's Poker Group** meets second and fourth Wednesdays of the month at 7 PM . Coordinator is Henry Jablecki ([hljablecki@comcast.net](mailto:hljablecki@comcast.net))



Henry Jablecki

**Girl's Night Out:** Ladies go to early movie, and then supper at local restaurant. Contact Kitty Ott, ([kittyott@hotmail.com](mailto:kittyott@hotmail.com))

**Special Events** (maybe with lunch or dinner): Contact Suzanne Hansmire ([shansmire@mac.com](mailto:shansmire@mac.com)) with any of your ideas.



Ed Houlihan

**Kayak Caucus:** Sliding Quietly through the Cape's bays, ponds, marshes and rivers. All levels of Kayaking welcome. Ed Houlihan ([ebhouli@gmail.com](mailto:ebhouli@gmail.com)) is coordinating the events along with Assistant Commodore Dean Coe. Reach out to Ed to confirm you want to be included on the Kayak Caucus list. Please include your email address and your phone number.

**Hiking Group:** New coordinator needed. If you are interested, please contact Annie Adler.

**Pickle Ball:** If you would like to play Pickleball with other members of the Newcomers group, please contact Annie Adler for more information at: [adleanni@gmail.com](mailto:adleanni@gmail.com).



Annie Adler

**Guy's Get Together:** Guys meet for coffee-breakfast and discussion of issues, large and small. 2nd and 4th Wednesday every month at 8 am. The get together will be held at Lambert's on Cotuit Road or Dave's BBQ. Ed Houlihan emails reminders and location.



Nancy Spalding

**Beachcombers:** Members meet at The Local Tavern & Grill (46 Rte 6A...next to the Sandwich Motel) on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 5 pm. Contact coordinator Nancy Spalding for more information. ([nanbob38@gmail.com](mailto:nanbob38@gmail.com))

**The Gentlemen's Book Club** meets 3rd Thursday (usually but is subject to change) of each month at 4 PM. Currently limited to 10 members. Contact Bill if you would like to be added to the wait list. Coordinator is Bill Daley ([wfdaley@comcast.net](mailto:wfdaley@comcast.net))



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## Board of Directors—Contact Info

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**Publicity/Website:** Jean Dorcus - jeandorcus2@gmail.com

**Special Events:** Suzanne Hansmire- shansmire@mac.com

**Wine Socials:** Sharon Hunt - sharonjohnhunt@gmail.com



### Photos Credits

Thanks to Annie Adler and Jean Dorcus for this month's pictures. You too can be a contributor to our Monthly Newsletter! Send along pictures of group activities to the editor by the 20th of each month and help make a SNN event come alive.