

# Buena Briefs

February 2025



Member of General Federated Women's Club  
& California Federated Women's Club

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:



## Hello to all the Wonderful Members of the San Buenaventura Women's Club!



California has had quite a challenging beginning of 2025. The heavy winds and fires have been such a terrible way to ring in the new year. Prayers to everyone that has suffered a loss personally or with friends and family. Some of our members have lost loved ones and our hearts go out to them.

Our first meeting of the new year was very informative! Brandy Beesley (CEO) and Jann Huling (COO) of Project Understanding gave an excellent presentation letting us know all they do for the community and how much our contributions of food and monetary donations have meant to them. Our club has been a longtime supporter of Project Understanding.

We had our first Bargain Box Boutique at our luncheon. So much fun with some great unique items to purchase. We were able to raise \$150.00 from this event. As they say one person's gently used items are another's treasures. I was able to purchase some very lovely treasures! Thanks to all who donated. The remaining items were donated to a local charity organization.

Our evening section had a fantastic time. We had a Touchstone crystal jewelry lady, Sharon Bishop, a vendor from our Fun Dough section, give a presentation. A portion of all sales comes back to our club at the end of the year from Fun Dough. We had some awesome conversations, delicious treats and beautiful jewelry. Thank you to all who came and made this a great event!

In February, the fundraising committee is planning the "Guess that Member" from pictures from our tiny tot days. You can still get your picture into Julie McDaniel to be included in the fun. The pictures should be from 1 year to 5 years of age. Make sure you do not send originals, just a copy. You can send it to Julie email or text as long as the picture shows your face and no larger than 5X7. I'm so excited to see all of the pictures and try to guess who the member is! It is \$10.00 to play. The proceeds go to the club and the winner who guesses the most correct will win a beautiful gift basket.

Our program for the February Meeting will be a speaker about women’s heart health as February is Women’s Heart Health month. It’s great to learn how to take good care of our hearts. Thank you to Carrie Spira for suggesting this topic. If any of you have ideas for speakers for future meetings, please let me know.

It’s almost time for our Bunco Fundraiser! The event is on March 8th, early registration begins at 8:45 and breakfast will be served at 9:30. It’s at the Elks club on Knoll Drive. Toni Peters is our event coordinator. Please let her know if you would like to volunteer to help with the event and/or if you would like to help sell tickets. The maximum number of tickets is, 100. When they are gone, they are gone. It should be a super fun day with opportunities to win prizes. It’s Mardi Gras theme, so dress up and let’s have a blast!

Our club is continuing to grow! We have added 5 new members from 11/12/24 through 1/14/25. As we grow it is an opportunity to get to know new friends! I’m so excited to share the fellowship with new ladies and get to know more about them! Welcome!

Always remember, we don’t know what is going on in other’s lives. Kindness goes a long way to let them know you care.

♥ Jennifer Enoch, President  
San Buenaventura Women’s Club

# GENERAL MEETING

**February 11th**

Lunch is served at Noon



- Beef & Broccoli
- Vegetable Fried Rice
- Green Beans Sauteed With Mushrooms & Plum Sauce
- Seasonal Fruit
- Fried Noodles & Dipping Sauce
- Desert

**Reservations are due February 7th**

**RSVP to Carol Ricks**

Lunch is \$25 -Payment by **Zelle** is the easiest!!!

Please use our club email as the recipient:

**venturawomensclub@gmail.com**

Save  
the  
date

**TAD Fine Arts  
Festival  
Tuesday  
March 25th**

Stay tuned for  
more info

# MONTHLY SECTIONS

## Bunco - First Monday of the Month



**February 3rd at 12:30 PM**

Dudley House  
197 North Ashwood Avenue  
RSVP to **Ingrid Mackey**

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## Second Friday of the Month

**February 14th at 1:00 PM**

566 Cedar St., Ventura  
RSVP to **Sonia Demeter**

## Canasta - Third Friday of the Month



**February 21st at 12:30 PM**

Poinsettia Pavilion  
3451 Foothill Rd  
RSVP to **Joan Jayasinghe**



## Book Club/ESO

Second Wednesday  
of the Month

**February 12th  
at 12:30 PM**

Book of the Month:

**The Secret Life of  
Miriele West**

By **Amanda Skenandore**

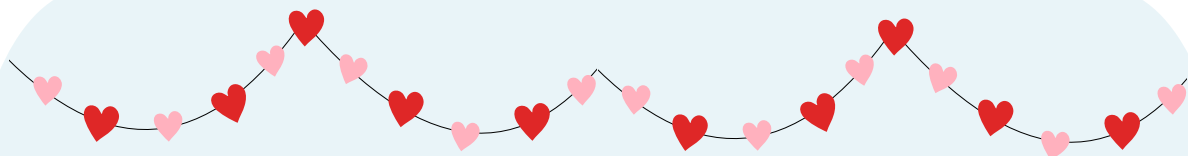
**Please contact host,  
Rosemary Wilde,  
to RSVP**



## Garden of Eatin' -Third Tuesday of the Month

**February 18th @ 11:30am**

The Little Lion - 5952 Telegraph Rd  
Contact **Kathy Briggs** to RSVP



## Evening Section - Third Thursday of the month

**February 20th at 6:30**

*Galentine Evening of Trivia (Rom Com Edition)*

please wear red, pink & hearts

bring an appetizer and/or beverage to share

Marion Inglis is host - **RSVP to Carrie Spira**

## FUN-DOUGH

**Friday February 14th-9:30AM**

Grace Bible Church

936 West Fifth Street Oxnard, CA

**Upon arrival sign in  
as a SBWC member**

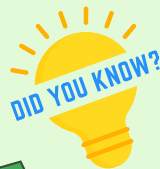
Color of the Day is: *Red* or *Pink*



### Shop with these Fun Dough Sponsors to earn money for our club:

- 55+ Reverse Mortgage Loans - Carlos Camargo (805) 985-2808 or (818) 324-3802
- Apostille & Notary - Dave Ezra - (805) 702-1771
- Buena Vista Home Health and Hospice - Maridee Leyva: 805-217-1372
- Creative Memories - Rita Trejo (805) 512-1384
- Cruise Planners - Jennifer Armstrong - (805) 905-1469
- Equity Management - Richard Sulc (805) 208-9563 or Tyler Tran (626) 616-0588
- F & M Construction - Fernando Pacheco - 805-907-6859
- Home Helpers In Home Caregiving - Ginny Arroyo (805) 585 - 8131
- Mary Kay Skin Care - Marina Martinez - (805) 468-5798
- Pampered Chef - Vera Lynn - (805) 760-8412
- Remax One - Eric Arnaud - (805) 402-7653
- Steam Master - Brad Briggs (805) 505-8068
- Touchstone Jewelry - Sharon Bishop - (805) 479-4226
- Worthy Plumbing - Fred Worth - (805) 758-0319

***If you patronize any of the above vendors  
please give Carla Kinkade your receipts***



Other ways to earn Fun-Dough:

**\$1M**  
For a club  
hosted event

**\$10K**  
for each member  
who attends the  
monthly event

**\$500K**  
for each member  
who helps with  
set up or tear  
down



CLUB HAPPENINGS!



Our congratulations go out to Mulvina Fazio, who took the most Buncos anyone can remember in January. She rolled her way to victory with an impressive 7 Buncos! She may have bragging rights for quite a while.

NEW MEMBER

INDUCTION

It's been an exciting time of growth these past few months. Please welcome these new club members:

- Sue Barbee
Jane Ward
Marion Inglis
Mary Helen Vega
Laura Rutherford



Evening Section's January Strike-A-Pose Glam Night Beauties 1/16/25

SANBUENAVENTURAWOMEN'S CLUB

PRESENTS

SATURDAY, MARCH 8TH, 2025

[RAIN OR SHINE]

MARDI GRAS

# Bunco Fundraiser

ELKS LODGE, 2126 KNOLL DRIVE, VENTURA

TICKETS:  
\$40 EACH OR \$75 FOR 2

INCLUDES BUFFET BREAKFAST & ENTRY FOR GRAND PRIZE DRAWING

8:45 AM DOORS OPEN FOR CHECK-IN  
AND RAFFLE TICKETS PURCHASE  
9:30AM BREAKFAST SERVICE BEGINS

For more information, contact Toni Peters at  
[trepeters@verizon](mailto:trepeters@verizon) or text 805-504-5629

OUR CLUB IS A PHILANTHROPIC SERVICE ORGANIZATION.  
OUR FUNDRAISING AND VOLUNTEER EFFORTS HELP  
PROVIDE SERVICES TO GROUPS WORKING FOR THE BETTER  
OF THE VENTURA COUNTY AREA.