



Victory Spouses' Club

"Spouses, United and Strong"



October Luncheon Oktoberfest Newsletter October 2019

**Fort Jackson NCO Club
5700 Lee Rd
Fort Jackson, SC 29207**

**Thursday,
Oct 17, 2019
from 1100-1300**

Happy fall! We hope that you are enjoying these cooler temperatures as much as we are. Just kidding!!! For those of you that are new to the Midlands, it actually does cool down here, but it'll be quite some time until that actually happens! In the meantime, we hope you are getting out & about and have been able to check out some of the many things Columbia and the surrounding areas have to offer. Our October luncheon will be themed Oktoberfest, so break out your dirndl or lederhosen if you've got them. Dressing up is optional, but we certainly welcome it!!! Our guest speaker will be Katie Kennedy, from the USO. She will be highlighting all of the hard work the USO does here for our soldiers and trainees alike. We cannot wait to see you at our luncheon.

Menu

**Sliced Roast Beef w Au Jus
Pork Chops
Peas & Carrots
Long Green Beans
Egg Noodles
Garden Salad
Assorted Desserts
Coffee, Tea, Water**

Cost: \$15

**(cash, PayPal, checks)
RSVP: <https://www.victory-spousesclub.org/events>
by 1200, 14 Oct
For more information,
contact: Heather Stout,
vscreervations@gmail.com**



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| Honorary President: | Pam Beagle |
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President's Pen

Hello VSC Family!

FALL season has arrived at Fort Jackson!

Thank you to everyone who came out and participated in our first luncheon in September, "Welcome to the Midlands". We not only gained new members, we also gained four new board members.

Next luncheon is going to be so much fun too, Oktoberfest! Bring a guest for Oktoberfest and receive an extra ticket for the opportunity table. Also, during October's luncheon we will be voting on the Constitution and Bylaws for our club.

We still have vacant positions we can train anyone for. If you are interested please let me know.

**Your VSC President.
Nicole MacDonald**



**NICOLE MACDONALD
VSC PRESIDENT**



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Vacant Positions

Activities:

Serves as liaison between Board and all special activities and mini clubs (Craft Club, Dinner Club, Fit Club, Treasure Hunters etc...)

Note: Great for a fun person who loves getting people involved.

Newsletter:

Responsible for Club's monthly electronic publication, collect information from all Board members.

Note: Knowledge of InDesign is helpful but not required.

Memberships/Reservations:

Collect dues and submit money to Treasurer in a timely manner. Keep and maintain all membership records. Take reservations for all General Membership functions. Ensure each member and guest has a name tag for monthly functions. Receive full payment from each member to attend the event.

Happy Birthday!

Jennifer TenEyck 5th
Susan Jackson 6th
Melanie Marhover 12th
Christina Neely 16th
Sheryl Walker 19th
Sara Williamson 19th

New Members

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| Donnell Baker | Christina Neely |
| Sherri Becker | Tara Rausch |
| Brittany Beyers | Amy Shick |
| Tonya Brackett | Jennifer TenEyck |
| Tracy Hankins | Tiffany Tobias |
| Shelly Huhtanen | Sheryl Walker |
| Jodi Munkacsy | Sara White |
| Melanie Marhover | |



Highlights from the September Luncheon

We got a taste of all of the amazing opportunities we have at our fingertips here thanks to our guest speaker at our September luncheon. Susan McPherson did an outstanding job of illustrating how fantastic this area is and we hope you take the time to enjoy some of it during your stay at Fort Jackson.





Community Outreach

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Fort Jackson schools. The schools were so thrilled to receive our donations! In October, we will be donating to the USO MEPS Fort Jackson. Please bring rice crispy treats, fruit snacks, or other packaged snacks. Monetary donations are also appreciated.



*Rachel McLamb
Community Liaison*



Ways 'N Means

All of the proceeds from the Opportunity Table go directly into the scholarship fund. During each luncheon, we will have an opportunity table with various items so don't forget to stop by and check it out! Bring a friend to the Oktoberfest luncheon and receive an extra ticket!

\$1= 1 ticket | \$5= 6 tickets | \$10= 15 tickets

**** we accept, cash, check or paypal**

We are always in need of items for our table, if you would like to donate items, please contact Christina Neely at vscwaysnmeans@gmail.com.

We appreciate all of your help!





Sub Clubs

We will be starting our sub clubs this month;

October 18- Wine and Dine

October 19- Craft Club

October 22- Treasure Hunters @ Goose Creek

More details will be sent out about each of these events via email, so be on the lookout! If you would like to start or sign up for a sub club, please visit victoryspousesclub.org.

Save the Date

We have a date for our annual
Scholarship Fundraiser.

“The Roaring 20’s”

NCO Club on March 13th at 6pm.

Mark your calendars, grab your cocktails and all that jazz, and get ready to have a “ROARING” good time!



Victory Spouses' Club Reservation Policy

Deadline: The deadline to make a reservation is noon the Monday prior to the luncheon.

Permanent Reservation: At time of membership, members will be given the option to sign up for a permanent reservation for all luncheons this year.

Nonrefundable payment is due at the time of membership.

Cancellations: If you are unable to attend, the deadline to cancel is noon the Monday prior to the luncheon. If you cancel by the deadline there is no charge. You are responsible for payment if you fail to cancel prior to the deadline.

Payment Options: Cash, checks, and card are accepted for all events. Checks should be made out to Victory Spouses' Club.

No Shows: Members will be responsible for payment if they do not attend a luncheon for which they have made a reservation.

Guests: Members who RSVP for guests are responsible for payment if guest reservation is not cancelled by deadline and/or the guest is a no show.