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Area Decorative
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Post From Janae



Bunco was a wonderful succuss! Thank you to Nelda and Linda K. for all the time and work they put into organizing the raffle, prizes and bunco party. Thank you to all the members that helped to paint the raffles and prizes and for selling tickets for the raffle. These are all things that make the bunco a success!

We will be having the election of officers at the November meeting. It is also time to sign up for next year's committees; so be thinking what committee you want to sign up for.

Connie will be leading us in our November paint project.

Keep painting those memory boxes!

Janae

Next BHADA Meeting is November 21, 2026 at 9:30 at

Whitewood SD in the Fire Hall.
Election of Officers
Project led by Connie M.

BHADA Pictures that you have taken and would like on the website, please send to Jo Ann our webmaster.





Reminder:

BHADA dues are due by the end of November 2026
Dues are $20.00
Pay them to our Vice-President Deb

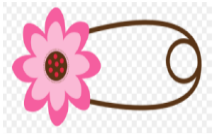
HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Pat K. **Nov 4**
Jackie H **Nov 23**



2026 BHADA OFFICERS

President
Janae H.
Vice-President
Membership
Deb C.
Secretary Betty B.
Treasurer Mary Z.
Newsletter Editor
LUANN B.
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SHARING MEMORIES



Of course we're thankful in November. It would be almost impossible to fail to notice the Thanksgiving ads and decorations in every store window or tv ad. The reminders are everywhere in November.

But what about the good things in our lives the rest of the year? If you're ever misplaced your car keys or fob remember how relieved, thankful and happy you were when you found them? What about the majority of days when you enter your car and it starts right up--was there any mention of thanks? We expect the car to start but a quiet "thanks" would be nice.

Our memory box families had expectations of their pregnancy, too. They planned to take their new baby home with them. Alas, it was not to be. But they can carry the memory box they received and into which they have already placed their child's mementos. That memory box will remain precious over the years. BHADA painters will be remembered every time the box is opened and the treasures it holds are touched. The memory box program is a gift to the families and to the painters. This is a reminder to thank the program for the meaningful way it makes families and painters share, feel and give thanks. With your simple thank you for everyday happenings and people you see, you can spread the smiles and joy.

MEMORY BOXES ARE ALWAYS NEEDED

2026 Annual Bunco Pay







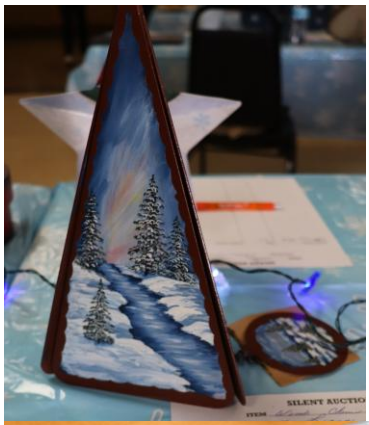


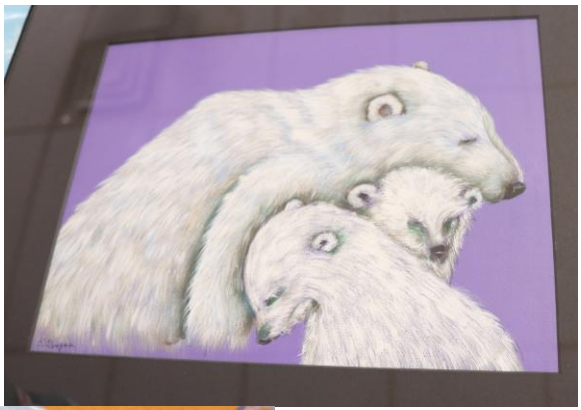










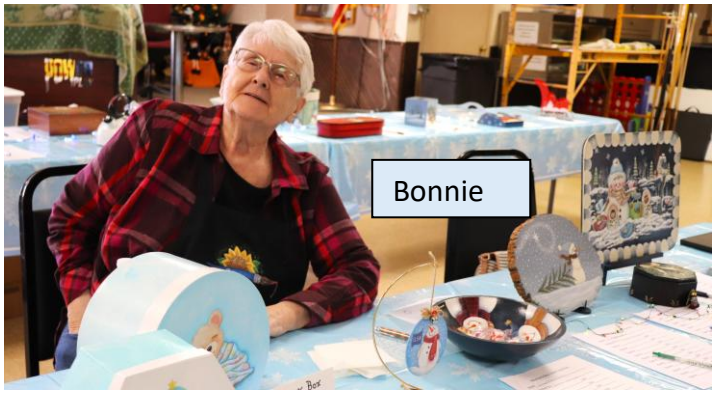









Sally &
Linda


Bonnie


Diane
Mary
Cindy


Luann &
Linda P.
HOCUS
POCUS




Linda H.


Linda K.


Our Chairpersons: Linda K & Nelda

















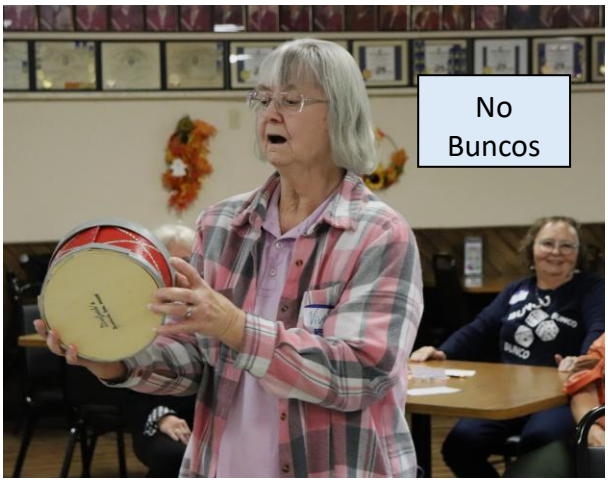


Everyone had a good time!
Looks like some more than others!


Roller off


Most
Buncos


Most
Wins


No
Buncos


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Most
Losses



Cute Idea for a memory box

BUNCO

Bunco 2026 is behind us, not the success we had hoped for. Time to start planning for 2027. Nelda and I want to thank you all for your painting and helping the day of Bunco. This is a group effort. We will discuss more at November meeting.

Thank you again!

Nelda and Linda K

NOVEMBER PAINTING PROJECT

The star should be base coated in either almondine, Williamsburg blue, or color of choice after sealing the wood prior to the meeting.
Supplies and colors below:

Small circle stencil of many sizes
Almondine
Burnt Sienna
Dark Chocolate
Lamp black
Leaf or forest green
Moody Blue
Santa Red
Titanium White
Warm Sunset



I will bring all paint colors and my circle stencil for those not having the above supplies. Bring regular painting supplies .
Thanks,
Connie

BHADA Committee Chairs

For 2026

Memory Box Program – Bonnie and Mary
Membership - Deb
Hospitality – Jackie
Monthly Programs – Rita
Ways & Means – Linda K & Nelda
Fall Seminar – Diane & Sally
Spring Retreat 2026 – Diane & Sally
Webmaster & Facebook – Jo Ann
Holiday Exchange – Nelda
Newsletter – Luann
Sharing Memories—Mary
Memory Box ideas - Deb
Publicity - Karol J
Audit - Karol J & Dorothy

HOSPITALITY LIST 2026

January 17 Linda K. & Karol
February 21 Diane & Sally
March 21 Janae & Luann
April 18-19 Everyone Brings Treat
May 16 Mary & Deb
June 20 Connie & Janae
July 18 Everyone
August 15 Dorothy & Joyce
September 18-20 Everyone Brings Treats
October 17 Everyone Brings Cookies
November 21 Betty & Rita
December 20 Christmas Exchange– Everyone bring Treats
Installation of officers

Monthly Programs For 2026

January 17 Bonnie E. Vet ornaments
February 21 Debby C.
March 21 Easter Egg Exchange
April 18-19 Spring Retreat
May 16 Ways & Means Bunco
June 20 Cindy R.
July 18 Luann & Janae
August 15 Jo Ann
September 18-20 Fall Seminar
October 17 Bunco Party
November 21 Connie M.
December 19 Christmas Exchange- Everyone Bring Treats

Slate of Officers for 2027

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