

JICANet Update

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Special Note: Cindy Barnhart and the staff of the Oceanside Inn & Suites wish to thank the entire Jekyll Island community for their food contributions. They were able to send 6 large boxes of food to the Sparrow's Nest Food Pantry this holiday season because of your kindness.

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JICA Annual Meeting - Monday, Jan 2

The annual meeting and board member election will be held at McCormick's Grill Rooftop Garden at 5:00 PM Monday, January 2nd, followed by refreshments and a cash bar. Floor nominations for board members must agree to serve prior to nomination.

This is the last reminder that all memberships expire on December 31, 2011. It has been a while since membership dues have been collected. A membership form and mailing address can be found on our web homepage listed at the top of this Update. Dues are \$40 for family or \$25 for single.

JI Garden Club Fashion Show Preview - Wednesday, Jan 11

The Jekyll Island Garden Club will host its annual Fashion Show Preview at the Morgan Center in the Historic District starting at 11am. Tickets are \$25 with checks being sent to Meg Roberts, 2A Ogden St., Jekyll Island, GA 31527.

JI Club Hotel 125 Year Celebration - Thursday, Jan 12

The Jekyll Island Club Hotel kicks off a year of special events to celebrate the 125 years of the club's existence. It also marks the 25th anniversary of the club's renovation. The first event is a meet the local artist evening, 6-8pm. Local artist Christophe Goodstein will depict the beautiful exterior of the Club. Joining Mr. Goodstein will be local artists Janet Powers and Jim Jones. Light hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. Admission is free, but reservations are required (635-2600). See the club website (jekyllclub.com) for more information about this and other upcoming events to mark the anniversary.

JI Garden Club Bazaar - Saturday, Jan 14

Here is what you've been waiting for, the Annual Jekyll Island Garden Club Bazaar. The bazaar will be held at the Grand Oaks Pavilion in the Historic District Convention Campus. The hours are 9am - 2 pm. Come find that hard to locate item. There will be crafts, baked goods and lunch to boot.

Drop off dates for items are Thursday, Jan 12 and Friday, Jan 13 between 8a and 12noon.

Upcoming Events - Save the Dates

Please mark your calendars for the three big winter events on the island; January 31 is the FOHJI Dinner at the Club, February 26 is the FOHJI Annual Auction and March 11-13 is the JIAA Arts Festival. Plan on attending some of these events to support the island's historic preservation and arts.

Previously Announced Event

Music and Merlot - Saturday, Jan 14

Franklin Pond returns to Jekyll Island, January 14, 2012. The Franklin Pond Quintet is an enchanting performance by members of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra. These talented musicians return to Jekyll Island for a spectacular performance inside the recently restored Jekyll Island Club Hotel Morgan Center. This year the group performs as a quintet, adding a French Horn player. General Admission: \$20 before January 14. \$25 January 14 and at the door. Tickets can be purchased on the JIA website, at the door, or by calling the Jekyll Island Visitor Information Center at [912-635-3636](tel:912-635-3636).

VIP: \$85. \$160 per couple. Space limited. Reservations must be made by January 9. VIP Tickets include pre-concert gourmet dinner, 1 glass of complimentary wine, and a ticket to the performance. Cash bar also available.

--- and that's the news from Jekyll Island where history lives, nature abounds and we look forward to seeing the smiling faces of our returning winter quest!! -- Jim Reed, JICANet Editor

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