



Lakeway Newcomers

August 2019 Newsletter



MEMBERSHIP

If you have new Lakeway neighbors, please let them know about our Newcomers Club and all of the fun and varied activities that are available. **The membership form for new members, and for renewing members, can be printed from the *Membership* link on our website at:**

Lakewaynewcomers.com

If you have membership questions or have changes to your member information (e.g., email, phone number, or address changes), please contact *Faith Stevens* at:

lakewaynewcomers2018@gmail.com

or

(512) 494-5800

NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome our new members:

Gail Cannon and Mike Rush

115 Star Street
From Arlington, TX

Julia and Charles Hitchins

200 Marina View Way
From Savannah, GA



From the President

Lots of exciting things are happening with Lakeway Newcomers, and we continue to add new members to our group. I want to welcome our new and recently joined members and encourage you to take advantage of the many events and activity groups that we sponsor.

Recently, we emailed a survey to the entire membership to get feedback on upcoming and potential social events, and also to collect general comments regarding the operation of our club. I am pleased to report that we had a very good response with over 100 members participating! I, along with the Board, want to thank the members who took the time to fill out the survey – because the information is very helpful in planning our social activities. We will use the information and comments to provide events and activities that best meet the needs of our Newcomers membership.

I hope you all are enjoying your summer, and I look forward to seeing you at our upcoming events.

John Bergan
President



Activities

BUNCO



Date: Monday, August 19, 2019
Time: 6:30 PM, *Social*, 7:00 PM *Game*
Place: Home of Dee Willenberg
303 the Hills Drive

RSVP: Dee Willenberg
ddwillenberg@gmail.com

Cost is \$5. *BYOB (no red wine, please),
snacks will be provided*

Because seating is limited for this popular activity, please individually confirm your RSVP only by email, so that a waiting list can be established according to the date and time each reservation was sent. If you have registered and later find you are unable to attend – please notify Dee Willenberg ASAP so the next person on the waiting list can be notified in time to attend.

DINING OUT



Diners are organized into groups of six to ten members who meet each month at a different restaurant. Each single or couple takes a turn at arranging their own group's restaurant outing. The mix of people within each of the groups will be shuffled from the previous cycle to provide a greater opportunity for participants to meet and get to know more Lakeway Newcomer members.

The current June to October cycle is closed; but if you'd like to be added to the next (January to May) cycle, contact:

Gary Shoemaker at (512) 263-1286
or gshoemaker@austin.rr.com

Please note – *Current Dining Out participants only need to contact Gary if they do not intend to continue to participate in the next upcoming cycle. Please advise Gary of participation changes by early December for the January to May cycle, and by the end of April for the June to October cycle.*

In the future, the cycle's groupings will not be reconfigured by Gary after the list is sent to all participants. If you need to change your participation status after the deadlines above (i.e., after the cycle groupings are created and published by Gary), we ask that you assist the group to which you were assigned in identifying alternatives for continuing that group for the new cycle.



Time to play golf



If you are interested in playing golf with other Lakeway Newcomer members, please Contact Tom Cain at:

golf@thomasgcain.com

Out-to-Lunch

Reminder: The **July** Out-to-Lunch event will be held at 11:30 AM on Wednesday, July 24, at The Grove Wine Bar and Kitchen, 3001 Ranch Rd. (620 South), Lakeway. The restaurant features a wide selection of New American Cuisine, which includes salads, sandwiches, pasta, pizza, small plates and samplers. If you plan to attend and haven't already responded, please send an email to Renee Picanso, reneepicanso@gmail.com before Monday, July 22.

The **August** luncheon will be held at 11:30 AM on Wednesday, August 14 at The League Kitchen and Tavern, 1310 Ranch Rd. (620 South), Lakeway. The restaurant is a local favorite featuring salads, sandwiches and comfort food. This event is open to both singles and couples and is an easy way to meet other Lakeway Newcomer members and try out local restaurants. If you would like to attend, respond to Renee Picanso, reneepicanso@gmail.com before August 12, so she can confirm the count to the restaurant.

Lakeway Cinema Group



Each month the Cinema Group selects two films to see before the next meeting. Participants see one or both films on their own, and then meet as a group, normally on the 3rd Friday of each month, at 7:00 PM to discuss the movies at the home of a member host. Participants rate the films and then select films for the following month's discussion.

Attendees are to bring an appetizer or dessert to share, plus a beverage of their choice. Each meeting host will set the attendance capacity for their home. Once the home's capacity has been reached, a wait-list will be started.

If you are interested in joining our Cinema Group, please contact Faith Stevens for more information and to be placed on the group's mailing list.

faithstevens@gmail.com

Group Chairs: Don & Faith Stevens

June 13th Social

“Pot-luck around the pool”



August Social



Lakeway Newcomers presents
“How To Succeed In Business Without Really Trying”

With post-theatre dessert reception

Saturday, August 3, 2019 at 2:00 PM
Long Center, 701 W. Riverside Drive, Austin

This event is open to Members, Family, and Friends!

For Reservations: Please send your check for \$50 per person (payable to Lakeway Newcomers)
to Joan Peterson, 306 Camino Arbolago, Lakeway, TX 78734 (before July 20th)

Each year the Long Center's very popular Summer Stock Program sells out, and tickets will soon become difficult to secure. For our Lakeway Newcomers, the Long Center has graciously reduced the price of this year's performance tickets, which also includes a post-theater dessert reception. The Lakeway Newcomers Social Committee has reserved a block of these specially priced tickets for our members. You won't want to miss this special theater experience. If you have questions regarding this event, please contact Jaime Rubenstein at jaimerubenstein@gmail.com



Do you know a member, who is seriously ill, hospitalized, injured, or has had a death in the family? If so, please call [Pat Younger](#) at [713-816-6477](tel:713-816-6477) or e-mail her at youngerpat@aol.com so that our club's support can be shared with a card, by your prayers, or other forms of caring.



For Newcomers Club news information, including the current and archived newsletters, check the club website at: Lakewaynewcomers.com

The website-protected areas include the membership directory. To access the protected areas, use your assigned password. If you do not remember your logon information, please email Robert Levey at: rlevey01@gmail.com



Your 2019 Lakeway Newcomers Board

President: John Bergan

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Membership: Faith Stevens

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Renee Picanso; Judy Baer; Sue Pfeffer; Cindy Kilmer; Jaime Rubenstein

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