



Lakeway Newcomers

September 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 member:

Cheryl Desjardins

107 Explorer Cover

From Chicago, IL



From the President

Thankfully, we are almost through the long hot Texas summer and I, like many of you, look forward to the Fall season and its cooler temperatures. It's that favorite time of year that includes Labor Day, the beginning of football season, and the major league baseball playoffs. It amazes me just how fast the time has flown with our busy schedules.

I want to give a special thanks to Jamie Rubenstein and our Social Committee for the wonderful event held on August 3rd at the Long Center. It was my first time visiting the Long Center and experiencing the high-level of talent of the young Summer Stock performers. The Newcomers private pre-performance wine reception and the post-performance dessert social (included with our ticket) provided a unique opportunity to meet key Long Center leadership as well as the star performers. Everyone was very impressed with the quality of the show and the superb talent of the young men and women who performed. It is an activity we should look at repeating again in the future. I am certain that additional Newcomers members would very much enjoy the experience – just ask any member who attended to get their impressions of the event.

Please mark your calendars -- The Social Committee is busy working on the October event to be held Thursday, October 10th. Details are being finalized for another fun and exciting opportunity for members to get together. Thank you for supporting our Newcomers social events!

John Bergan
President



Activities

BUNCO



Date: Monday, September 16, 2019
Time: 6:30 PM, *Social*, 7:00 PM *Game*
Place: Home of Kathy Ennis
(Host: Paula Barcik)
15321 Origins Lane, 78734
RSVP: Paula Barcik
pbnannie@yahoo.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 Paula Barcik 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

The September Out-to-Lunch event will be held on **Tuesday, September 17 at Santa Catarina Restaurant**, 1310 RR 620 South at 11:30 AM. The restaurant features interior Mexican fare with house-made tortillas and fresh juice margaritas served in a relaxed ambiance.

Please RSVP to Renée Picanso at reneepicanso@gmail.com by Friday, September 13 if you plan to attend. All members are welcome and we would love to see a big crowd there.

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

August 3rd Social

"Summer Stock Austin"



September Social

HARVEST OF FRIENDS

Plan to join us as we welcome and celebrate the upcoming Fall season with a special evening at the Highlands Pavilion in Rough Hollow. Come enjoy a delicious BBQ dinner from "It's All Good" -- with music and dancing and the opportunity to socialize with both new and familiar Lakeway Newcomer friends.



When: Thursday 9/12/2019 6:00-9:00

Where: Highland Village Event Pavilion
903 Highlands Blvd. in Rough Hollow

Cost: \$25 per person (non-refundable)

For Reservations: Please send your check for \$25 per person (payable to Lakeway Newcomers) to Joan Peterson, 306 Camino Arbolago, Lakeway, TX 78734 (**before September 9th**)



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](tel:713-816-6477) at 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



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