

Lakeway Newcomers November 2020 Newsletter



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Greetings fellow Newcomers -- Your Board continues monthly outdoor safe-distanced meetings to discuss what we can do for our members during this difficult time. The Board unanimously decided to eliminate the request (formerly a requirement) that all Lakeway Newcomers members join the Lakeway Activity Center (LAC). You are certainly welcome to join the LAC for your own purposes, but joint LAC membership is no longer needed for Newcomers membership.

A slate of officers for the Lakeway Newcomers (LN) 2021 Board was submitted to the current Board and approved. The slate will be sent out to the membership during November for your vote.

A reminder for all current paid LN members, there will be no dues for the 2021 year. However, our Director of Membership, Jim Filas, will be sending the liability waiver form that is required to be signed each year. Please make sure you timely sign and return the waiver form to Jim when you receive it in an email during November.

The Board wishes you and your family a Happy Halloween.

Your Newcomers President, Joan Peterson

Membership

The membership form for new members and for renewing members can be printed from the *Membership* link on our website located at: Lakewaynewcomers.com

If you have had changes to your member information (e.g., email, phone number, address changes), or you have questions about joining or renewing, please contact *Jim Filas* at <u>lakewaynewcomers2020@gmail.com</u> or call Jim at (512) 660-8637.



Because all Newcomers activities for 2020 are cancelled, the Board has agreed to waive 2021 dues for members who have paid dues for the 2020 membership year. Any new members that join Lakeway Newcomers during the remainder of 2020 will also have their membership extended. **Current members being grandfathered for the 2021 membership year will only need to supply the Director of Membership, Jim Filas, with a recently signed** *release of liability* **form to cover their gratis 2021 membership. This waiver form will be coming in an email during November.**

Please also note that joint membership with the Lakeway Activity Center (LAC) is no longer a requirement for being a member of Lakeway Newcomers. The LAC membership form is being removed from the Lakeway Newcomers web site.



Your Lakeway Newcomers 2020 Board of Directors

From left to right:

Secretary: Faith Stevens

Director Socials and Special Events : Renee Picanso

President: Joan Peterson

From left to right:

Director, Newsletter and Communications: Don Stevens

Past President : John Bergan Director, Technology : Robert Levey Director, Membership: Jim Filas Treasurer: Keith Peterson



Member Support



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 or e-mail her at <u>youngerpat@aol.com</u> 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: <u>Lakewaynewcomers.com</u>

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: <u>rlevey01@gmail.com</u>



Your 2020 Lakeway Newcomers Board

President: Joan Peterson Treasurer: Keith Peterson Secretary: Faith Stevens Socials and Special Events Committee: Renee Picanso, Robin Hermann, Cindy Kilmer, Sara Scarberry Director, Membership: Jim Filas

Director, Technology : Robert Levey Director, Newsletter and Communications: Don Stevens Director, Welcoming Care and Concern: Pat Younger