



Lago Vista Women's Club

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November, 2017

Words from our President

Trisha Upchurch

Cooler weather prevailed as we gathered for the October luncheon. If you were unable to attend, here's what you missed.:

Alfred's Catering provided a Halloween-themed meal of meatloaf and pumpkin bread. Ghosts of the non-scary type adorned our tables, courtesy of **Bev Lee** and **Judy Guthrie**.

We welcomed our new LVWC members, followed by a recommendation and approval for the -18 budget. Next, **Annette Stokes** read two proposed changes in our by-laws, one for the financial review and the second one to clarify the philanthropic committee. Both by-laws will again be read at the November luncheon, at which time members will be able to indicate their approval.

Vicki Perrin continues to work with a dedicated group of members to plan our 2018 gala, "**Come Fly with Me.**" Tickets for the gala will be sold at the November luncheon. Anyone who is unable to attend in November can send her reservation form and check with another member to the November luncheon. The special interest groups continue to collect "spare change" for the gala. So far, bunco leads the contest with \$40.37, followed by \$23.21 from the wine tasting group, and \$13.81 from the learning bridge. The contest continues, so please donate your spare change to your favorite special interest group.

Anna Johndrow demonstrated our new and improved LVWC website. Ladies, please check out this website at lvwomensclub.org for the latest newsletters, luncheon photos, forms, and essential information. You will find this website most informative and insightful.

Next, **Wizzie Brown**, program specialist with Texas A & M AgriLife Extension Service, delivered an informative program on protecting our bees and other pollinators. She encouraged us to plant "friendly" in order to help preserve the "disappearing bees." Wood houses that encourage bee pollination were available for purchase; proceeds help the local organization Hill Country Busy Bees.

Our new social vice president **Mindy Hensen** was introduced. She replaced **Lisa Blenden** who moved to Hawaii. Mindy encouraged us to make our luncheon reservations in a timely manner since last-minute reservations cannot always be guaranteed. She further explained that luncheon reservations and cancellations can be made on the women's club website.

Our October luncheon concluded with drawings for monthly surprises. This month's prizes were donated by Jo **Jaschke** and **Marlene Ferguson** and **Judy Cross**. An anonymous donor gave away a bee house. Several lucky winners went home with sets of Mr. and Mrs. Ghost!

Let me tell you again how blessed we are to have the Lago Vista Women's Club. It is a privilege to work and socialize with so many wonderful ladies in our community. I look forward to seeing you at the various club activities as well as next month's luncheon on November 14.



Trisha Upchurch
President -2018



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Trisha



In 1978 the top song was Night Fever! by the Bee Gees, the Navstar Global Positioning System (GPS) was launched and Lago Vista got a new guiding light with the founding of the Lago Vista Women's Club!



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What's Going On This Month

You may make or change your reservation for our November Luncheon by [CLICKING HERE](#).



Austin
American-
Statesman
Austin Found

Be sure to get your tickets for the November Monthly Surprise! Only \$2 each or 3 for \$5 and the proceeds support our Philanthropic



Our November guest speaker is Michael Barnes. Michael writes for the Austin American Statesman newspaper and has been doing a fine job writing about "old Austin" and why it is as it is today. He is a prolific writer whose second book will be available in December. He is a native Texan and earned his PhD at the University of Texas at Austin. He began writing about Austin's people, places, culture and history for the Statesman in 1989. I wonder how many of you are familiar with his writing or how many of you may see yourself or have a fond memory when you read what he has written. It has been a blessing for those of us who were not born here, to discover the "real" Austin. His book, "Indelible Austin: Selected Histories" was published in 2015 and will be available at the conclusion of his talk. There is even a way to purchase it (cash, check or charge) with the help of Jeff Cohen, Executive Director of the Austin History Center Association. Maybe we can persuade Jeff to say a few words as well. See you all for the November excitement. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Blessings,

Fran Rimmer,

1st Vice President.



*Fall Apple Salad-Mixed Greens with Apples, Blue Cheese and Toasted Almonds with Cranberry Honey Mustard and Spiced Apple Vinaigrette
Chicken with Pumpkin Cream Sauce-Roasted Chicken Breasts with Pumpkin, Cream and a hint of Sage
Roasted Red Potatoes-Potatoes Roasted with Olive Oil, Garlic and Herbs
Roasted Seasonal Vegetables-Roasted Seasonal Vegetables with Extra Virgin Olive Oil
Bread and Butter
Chef Selection of Pies*





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Our History

We're turning 40!

Our First Fund Raisers

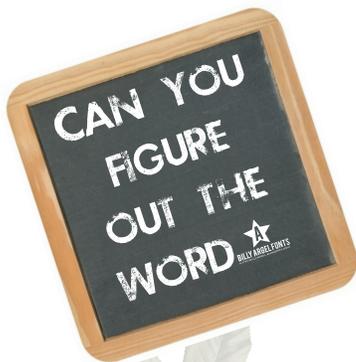
As we approach our 40th anniversary and prepare for the gala in January, it is important to review and reflect on what motivated us as a club back in 1978. After a summer of informal meetings, generally held around one of the three swimming pools that existed back then, the Executive Committee came together for the first meeting of the club year. One of the very first things our 108 charter members organized was to raise funds for our community.

The scrap books, which are kept for us at the Lago Vista Public Library, reveal our earliest philanthropic efforts. Following an inquiry from the Lago Vista Volunteer Fire Department the Executive Committee passed a motion to hold a Parade of Homes to raise funds to purchase a Resusci-Annie (mechanical training aid for use with CPR and cardio-pulmonary resuscitation patients) and /or supplies for the Lago Vista Ambulance Service. 13 homes beautiful homes were included in this first grand effort, culminating in a grand tea held at the home of Ben and Roxy Young. The December 15, 1978 activity netted a total of \$289.45. Just under two months later, our members were at it again! The next fund raiser was a dinner show called "A Grand Night"

and featured an Austin-based group called *Union Scale* and was held at the World of Resorts Country Club and netted a total of \$1,164.45.

With great pride and a well deserved sense of accomplishment our nascent club presented the President of the Lago Vista Volunteer Fire Department with a check for \$1,200 which was used to purchase Resusci-Annie, other emergency equipment, ambulance blankets, a much needed jump-seat and oxygen.

The scrap books also relate that our members gathered to create Arts and Crafts, listen to interesting speakers expert in their fields, visit myriad cultural events in Austin (starting the revered custom of carpooling off of Dawn Drive), learning and playing bridge and many other challenging activities that prompted our members to live up to our mission statement. It is heartening indeed to recognize that we have never strayed far from our roots, that those goals and activities that moved Ann Murrow to gather like minded women at her home and start the club remain very much intact. But more importantly, as the 2018 Gala draws near we are reminded that all of it is done to further our ability to contribute to our community.



Answer on page 8.

November Fun Brain Teaser

What 8 letter word can have a letter taken away and it still makes a word? Take another letter away and it still makes a word. Keep on doing that until you have one letter left. What is the word?



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The Challenge is ON! Each SIG coordinator has a bucket which is available to receive any loose change (or foldin' money—we ain't picky!) after each activity. All the money collected will go toward buying prizes for the PICK A STAR event during the Gala. And the SIG that collects the MOST money will be recognized and applauded and have a star named after the group; one of the stars that Gala participants will be able to win. So, when you go to your event this month, be sure to bring along all those pesky quarters you've been holding on to and those pennies really add up!



Artistic Divas- See page 5 for details.

Bunco- -2nd. Mondays of every month. 2pm \$2, Bluebonnet Room-Activity Center

C.A.R.E. Group- See page 5 for details

COOKING POT

October-What if you gave a luncheon and the chef did NOT show? Never let it be said that anyone can keep 16 determined women from enjoying each others company. By consensus the decision was made to order pizza, buy some wine and join in camaraderie and laughter. We had a great time.

November will be once again at Robin Little's house. Susan Knox, Nora Skaff and Betsy Brown are in charge of the international cuisine for the month and have some yummy recipes to be prepared and enjoyed. The menu is a secret. Shhhh.

Once again, We have a waiting list for November and December. WE NEED ANOTHER GROUP –PLEASE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Gala Decorating Committee The date for decorating the K-Oaks Clubhouse for Christmas is Tuesday, November 28 @ 9:30 am. All members are invited to join the fun and bring a snack to share. Great way to kick off the season. See page 6 for details.

Hi! Tech!-Computer classes Every Tuesday except luncheon Tuesday, 9am at the Lago Vista Library Meeting Room. Alternates between Word, Excel and Publisher. It's a great way to discover cool things to do with your computer and skip the anxiety of the learning curve! See Website for details.

For detailed and up to date information on each SIG see Special Interest Groups on our website, lvwomensclub.com or the listing of SIGS and contact information, in your Directory.

Learning Bridge-Every Friday, 10:00 am to noon.

Bluebonnet Room, Activity Center: American Drive at Boggy Ford.

Let's Kick the Bucket . Visit Camp Mabry in celebration of Veteran's Day. See page 11 for details.

Literary Club-Please join us on Nov. 21st in the Bluebonnet Room. Snacks and visitation begins at 12:30 with the review at 1:00. Our Literary meetings are very informal. Please see full details for this month on page 6 and on the website.

Lunch and a Movie-Sign up at Monthly Luncheons, get on email list for monthly notifications. 4th Tuesday of every month unless holidays interfere.

Mah Jongg—Nov. 25. Every Wed. afternoon, 1pm-4pm in the Johnson Room at the K-Oaks Clubhouse. Bring drinks and snacks, if desired. This interesting, exciting and FUN ancient Chinese tile game with 4 (or 3) ladies per table uses the National Mah Jongg League rules and uses both skill and luck. Whether you are an experienced player or new to the game, please come join us (free lesson!)
Merilea Pannell-Coordinator merilea@aol.com 817-458-2312
Rose Melican-Assistant

Out & About- Armadillo Christmas Bazaar on Dec. 21.-See full details on page 10.

Party Bridge -\$2 per session on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Fridays of each month! 1:00 pm. Bluebonnet Room, Activity Center
Pat S. 512-267-3508 Susan K. 512-267-0210

Wine Tasting Around the World -Ellie Schriener-503-201-2708, Elyse Ernst 832-603-2051, Sheri Roberts 281-782-7817



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Bits and Pieces

News and Views



In November, the Artistic Divas will meet on **Friday, November 6** from 2pm – 4pm at The Lago Vista Public Library for a work

session. We will be making Fall decorations for the monthly luncheons. Join us on **Friday, November 3** for Christmas decorations. Come Create and Socialize with other Artistic Divas and Crafters! Last chance to sign up for the Christmas card class. We will create 20 beautiful handmade watercolor Christmas cards with gold-lined envelopes. No experience required. Sign up and pay for your supplies by the November 10 Luncheon. This was a fun class year, and everyone enjoyed sending their special cards to their loved ones.



Come Fly with Me

The Mosaic Bling jewelry class on **November 17** has sold out so if you missed signing up last month, we are adding another session on **Friday, December 1**.

Check the SIG table at the luncheon for details and our website, lvwomensclub.com for up to date information.

C.A.R.E. Group News



We have an awesome group of Compassionate, Attentive, Reassuring and Encouraging ladies ready to hear from you!

Please remember the only way we know that there is a need for our service is if you tell us! Please do not hesitate to reach out to us if you or some member you know is ill, in the hospital, facing an upcoming surgery, or going through a difficult time. We are here for you! Also, if you haven't given us your birth month and date, please do. We want to acknowledge you on your special day! Thank you,

Christy Ordener 432.349.5492 Mindy Hensen 512.267.3962

Say Happy Birthday to those of us celebrating birthdays in November.



<i>Amanda</i>	<i>Stewart</i>	<i>11/1-</i>
<i>Tammie</i>	<i>Nelson</i>	<i>11/4-</i>
<i>Jean</i>	<i>Hemer</i>	<i>11/8-</i>
<i>Awilda</i>	<i>Caberto</i>	<i>11/9-</i>
<i>Paula</i>	<i>Fisher</i>	<i>11/9-</i>
<i>Sharon</i>	<i>Macut</i>	<i>11/10-</i>
<i>Michele</i>	<i>Mathews</i>	<i>11/11-</i>
<i>Janet</i>	<i>Cason</i>	<i>11/13-</i>
<i>Nancy</i>	<i>Meierhoff</i>	<i>11/14-</i>
<i>Dee</i>	<i>Phippis</i>	<i>11/18-</i>
<i>Connie</i>	<i>Williams</i>	<i>11/19-</i>
<i>Dorothy</i>	<i>Dickinson</i>	<i>11/20-</i>
<i>Dottie</i>	<i>Evans</i>	<i>11/20-</i>
<i>Dorothy</i>	<i>Overton</i>	<i>11/21-</i>
<i>Karen</i>	<i>Parker</i>	<i>11/21-</i>
<i>Ann</i>	<i>Russell</i>	<i>11/24-</i>
<i>Linda</i>	<i>Bushell</i>	<i>11/25-</i>
<i>Priscilla</i>	<i>Blaiss</i>	<i>11/26-</i>
<i>Charmian</i>	<i>De Sorqo</i>	<i>11/28-</i>
<i>JeRaye</i>	<i>May</i>	<i>11/30-</i>



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Pictured Left to Right Starting with the Bottom Row: Patty Nixa, Gala Chair Vicki Perrin, Decorating Committee Chair Donna Nash, Cherry Barefoot, Elizabeth Goldsby, Judy Makleman, Kay Schneider, Sandra Faske, Carol Bell, Debbie Smith, Paula Riddle, Joy Modawell, Lana Keester, Linda Brown, Judy Guthrie, Donna White, Carol Watson, Robin Burkhart, Merilea Pannell, Ro Cass, Dee Phipps, Susan Hashem and Mindy Hensen.

Coming Up

Gala Decorating Committee

Tuesday Jan 16, Jan 23 @ Donna's house to finalize Gala Décor-9:30-11:30

Christmas Elves

Tuesday Nov. 21 @ Donna's house 9:30-11:30

Tuesday Nov. 28 @ K-Oaks Club house 9 am- ?

Friday Jan 26 @ K-Oaks Club house

Show time for Gala setup Décor 9:00- ?

Literary Club

Please join us on Nov. 21st in the Bluebonnet Room. Snacks and visitation begin at 12:30 with the review at 1:00. Our Literary meetings are very informal. The book for the month has usually not been read by many, if any, members before the meeting. The presenter tells us about her book with discussion and questions along the review and at the end. Most times the book being presented is one we may not have chosen or known about, but always find interesting and informative! Jean Seibert will be presenting **109 East Palace Street**; the biography of the woman who ran the office in Santa Fe that controlled all of the personnel and material that went to Los Alamos when the atomic bomb was being conceived and built. It tells the story about a strong and fascinating woman living in an exciting time in history. Jean was living in Santa Fe at that existing time because her father was working on this project.

Facebook



At a recent Executive Committee meeting it was agreed to open a Facebook Group for our Club. What this means is that there is now a dedicated location on Facebook where our members who enjoy Facebook can go to view information, notices and photos about our activities. Had a great experience with one of our SIG's? Post some pictures and a short note about it. A lot of our upcoming news about the Gala will be posted there as well. BUT, this is a closed group. What that means is that only those who request joining and are approved will be able to post information on the group page. And, only those who are members will be able to see the stories posted there. So...if you would like enjoy the exchange of ideas, posts, pictures and the excitement of our upcoming events, just type in Lago Vista Women's Club in the search function of Facebook. Click on it and then request to join. Our Administrator is Kay Schneider, assisted by Anna Johndrow and they will make you official!



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Who We Support

Our Community Grant Recipients

Every year a group of members gathers to study the grant requests we receive from organizations that are active in our community. Their duty is to determine the eligibility of each of the requests and to determine how to allocate the available funds. This section of our newsletter is meant to provide a brief description of those YOU are helping to support. All the funds we collect throughout the year, particularly through our Gala, are destined for Scholarships and Grants; usually in a 60%-40% split. We will present the charities in alphabetical order throughout the year.

Hill Country Singers



In a small town like Lago Vista, you expect a friendly feeling where everybody knows their neighbors, your biggest fear if you walk alone at night is a skunk,

and many people still never lock their doors. What you don't expect are extremely high-quality performing arts organizations, because after all, there aren't that many people here! I have the honor of being president of the Board of Directors of Hill Country Singers. Not only is it an exceptional choral organization, but we have singers from surrounding communities who could easily be singing with choirs in Austin, yet they take the time to join us in Lago Vista every Monday night. Not only are we an exceptional choir, but we are an exceptional family. We are made up of professional musicians - as well as engineers and chemists and software developers and corporate managers and published authors- and even a few untrained singers! We help each other with our music, but more importantly, we are there for each other in the trials and joys of daily life! There is clearly love and respect from all members - for all members. There is pride in the organization, and pride in the beauty we create. It is just another of the 'hidden gems' in Lago Vista! Whether you are a singer, or an audience member, we sincerely appreciate the support of our entire choir family!

grant money has been awarded to help fund the summer reading program designed to further a love of reading in children and to lessen the loss of reading skills over the summer.

Keep Lago Vista Beautiful

Keep Lago Vista Beautiful (KLVB) was formed by Mayoral proclamation in 1992. It is a volunteer organization dedicated to enhancing and preserving the natural Hill



Country character of Lago Vista through community projects emphasizing native and low water use plants. It is a Keep Texas Beautiful affiliate and over the years has won six Keep Texas Beautiful awards. Keep Texas Beautiful recently upgraded Lago Vista to silver status given KLVB's work. KLVB has

landscaped and maintains today the "Y" at Boggy Ford and Highlands, known as Bowden Point, originally donated by efforts of a KLVB president; the Dawn Dr. median, the site under the directional sign at Boggy Ford and Lohman Ford, the Paseo de Vaca tank site, the Sports Complex, Veteran's Park, the city hall planters, and the library landscaping. KLVB was responsible for the stone and wood directional signs, the metal sailboat at Dawn and Lohman, recycling, a sign ordinance, a rain barrel program, street light banners, the annual Trash-Off event and beautification of six other sites. Its adopt-a-street program has 126 people cleaning 148 streets. The wild flowers on Lohman Ford were planted

Jonestown Public Library



The Jonestown Public Library is dedicated to enhancing the lives of all the members of their community. Our



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by KLVB. A grant from the Women's Club will go toward wildflower seeding and more diverse wildflowers this spring. No less than 17 different varieties of wildflowers bloomed in the Sports Complex this spring. Over the last 15 months, KLVB has transformed the Sports Complex and Bowden Point with new planters, new native plants, trails, plant ID tags, and irrigation; re-landscaped the "sail boat" part of the Dawn Dr. median; planted oleanders at the water

tank near the fire station on Allegiance, placed a wind mill at the Paseo de Vaca site and cleared/landscaped five other sites. The new Scenic Trail to the scenic overlook pergola in the Sports Complex was funded in part by a grant from the Women's Club in 2016.

Two new projects to be completed in the next several months include a wind spiral structure in the Dawn traffic circle and the replanting of Veteran's Park.

Medical Tip:



One of our members recently shared that her dermatologist recommends eating fresh

pineapple to help control the appearance of those pesky "bruise" marks that plague many of us as we reach "a certain age". Our member reports that it has helped her a lot and wanted to share the tip.



MEETINGS

LVWC is a 501 (c) (3) Non-Profit Organization All meetings are open to everyone.

- **LVWC Executive Committee Brunch**
First Tuesday of the month
K-Oaks Club House-9:30 am
Sunflower Room
- **LVWC Luncheons**
2nd Tuesday of the month
K-Oaks Clubhouse-11:00 am

Answer to the Brain Teaser on page 3

The word is starting! starting, staring, string, sting, sing, sin, in, i. Cool,huh? .

These are the deadlines for each upcoming edition of our newsletter. Please feel free to send any suggestions or comments.

DO YOU LIKE TO WRITE? WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP CREATE CONTENT FOR OUR NEWSLETTER?

Send me an email: LagoVistaWCnewsletter@gmail.com

Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May
11/27	12/22*	01/29	02/26	03/26	04/23**
12/07	01/02*	02/08	03/08	04/05	05/03**



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Tickets Go On Sale at the
November Luncheon!



Download the ticket
request form **HERE**.

Come Fly with Me



The Gala is preparing for take-off!

As you are aware, the purpose of the Gala is to raise funds for college scholarships and also to award grants to many community organizations in our area. In other words . . . to give back to the community and be united in supporting this fabulous place we call home.



We are well on our way but our goal is to soar to new heights. In order to be successful we need your help. We are asking you to reach out to your family, friends, neighbors, vendors and sponsors for **auction items**. There are plenty of opportunities for both silent auction and live auction items to achieve our objectives. We greatly appreciate your donations, from gift cards to vacation get-a-ways; we love them all.

If you have items to be donated please remember to complete a donation form, which is necessary for each item donated. Donation forms will be located on each table at the November luncheon; or, can be downloaded from our website: LVWOMENCLUB.COM; forms are also available at the donation drop-off location in the **Chamber of Commerce** offices. You also have the option to bring your donations to the

next luncheon. If those options don't work for you contact me to make arrangements to collect them from you.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Elyse Ernst, your 2018 Auction Chair, at [832-603-2050](tel:832-603-2050) or by email: ekernst@swbell.net. Thanks!



Still Collecting Tubes! Especially the gift wrap paper size!

Save those empty tubes from paper towels, Toilet paper and **gift wrap paper** for Donna Nash and her decorating geniuses (The Gala Gals). We all know what wonderfully magical things Donna is capable of creating from mundane things like paper tubes! Also needed, crochet thread, any color.



Wait till you see what Donna and her team have in store for the Gala this year! She'll gladly take as many as you have, as often as you have them, whenever you have them (even bring them to the luncheons!) You can reach **Donna** at **512-267-5947**



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Out & About

Trattoria Lisina and Wimberly

Submitted by Freth Carroll



On Friday October 20th the **Out & About** special interest group spent the day shopping in downtown Wimberly

among the variety of unique shops. There were 22 ladies on this outing. We carpooled from Lago Vista to Wimberly leaving CVS with only 4 cars at 9A to arrive in downtown Wimberly before

10:30A. A couple hours of shopping made everyone hungry it seemed. With a few extras, in the way of shopping bags, we were off for lunch. We gathered for a leisurely lunch at **Mandola Vineyard Trattoria Lisina** featuring Italian cuisine. The

homemade bread with olive oil dipping sauce, a glass of wine or two, helped to hold us until our meals arrived. Our waiter, Miles, was super attentive catering to our every whim. Quite the feat with separate tickets and sharing dishes. No one went home hungry and there were a few "doggy bags" joining those shopping bags on the way home. Thank you to all those who volunteered to drive and see us safely back home.



Armadillo Christmas Bazaar

We are looking forward to our next outing on **December 21**, when we will once again go to the **Armadillo Christmas Bazaar in Austin!** We will enjoy an exciting variety of fine art, handmade gifts, heirloom pieces, and stocking stuffers for everyone on your list from over 160 carefully curated artists. The Admission is \$8 at the door. They offer a full bar with cocktails, wine, beer and a wide selection of coffee in addition to a featured beer menu! There is concession and cafe style food available

I must say it has been an adventure to take the public transportation (ie: Cap Metro Bus #214 & Lakeline Metro rail) into downtown Austin for this outing. We will do the same this year. A day pass can be purchased for \$7 and will cover the bus ride and the rail coming and going. (PLEASE NOTE: The ticket vending machines do not accept credit cards-purchase your pass on the bus, online or have cash to avoid delays with transportation.) The Cap Metro bus #214 from Lago Vista City Hall on Thunderbird departs promptly at 9:36A and will arrive at Lakeline at 10:16A. It will take about 30 minutes to get to the rail station at Lakeline. The train runs about every hour and only takes about 45 minutes to get into downtown. We will take the 10:22A Metro Rail into downtown Austin to the rail station by the Austin Convention Center. We'll take it one step further this year and connect with Ride Austin to the **Palmer Event Center** for the Armadillo Bazaar. I will need to make reservations so please be committed when you sign up for the outing. Returning to Lago Vista, we will follow the same route in reverse. So even if it is "rush hour", it won't be a problem. Join us for a fun day at an Austin Christmas tradition and finish off your shopping! YOU CAN DOWNLOAD THE FULL DESCRIPTION OF THIS OUTING AND THE TRANSPORTATION INSTRUCTIONS ON OUR WEBSITE. lvwomensclub.com



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Kick the Bucket

Ann Murrow Coordinator



Saturday, November 11th Camp Mabry

“Remember the true meaning of Veteran’s Day with

this stirring look back at World War II. Close Assault 1944 honors the service and sacrifice of America’s veterans by focusing on the history of the 36th Infantry Division of the Texas Army National Guard during World War II. The free program, now in its eighth year, features members of the Texas Military Forces Living History Detachment exhibiting the uniform and equipment worn by the American GI in the European Theater of the Second World War, as well as those of his German opponent.

In addition, the event will provide guests the opportunity to witness firing demonstrations of the most famous U.S. and German small arms (using blanks, of course!) of World War II, as well as see everything from tents and radio equipment to GI baseball gloves and mess kits and operational vehicles such as an M4 Sherman Tank, M3 Halftrack and Jeeps.

The event will take place rain or shine and bleachers will be available for seating. Souvenirs and concessions will be available. Show time is at 11:00 a.m. The 45,000 square-foot Texas Military Forces Museum will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Both the program and admission to the museum are free. **Photo ID required.”**

Come join the **Kick the Bucket** group and learn the history of military actions Texan troupes encountered over the decades.

The Texas Military Forces Museum is a museum about the history of Texas' militia, volunteer forces and Texas Military Forces from 1823 to the present. It is located within Camp Mabry. The museum, located in historic building 6, was originally built in 1918 and served as a mess hall. The indoor area of the museum has 45,000 square feet and exhibits memorabilia, photographs, dioramas, uniforms, weapons, vehicles and other military accessories used from 1825 to the present.

We will enjoy lunch at the ageless East Side Café, a dining experience resembling dinner at grandma’s!

Meet at the usual car-pooling site on Dawn Drive at the intersection of Thunderbird, just down the hill a bit, towards the ATD building at 9:00 am.

Questions? Do call 512-970-4400 (Please make this correction in the yearbook!.)

And...do bring along that man in your life!





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TO MAKE OR CHANGE A RESERVATION



We have started using a new email announcement system for delivery of our reminders, newsletters, etc. Each luncheon reminder email will include a link that will connect you directly to the reservation page. All you will need to do is click on that RESERVE NOW button! It's just that easy. Fill in the requested information and we will see you at the luncheon!

If something happens and you have to change your plans, it's just as easy. Either go back to the email and click the RESERVE NOW button again or go to our website, lvwomensclub.com and fill out the requested information for cancellation or change. You have until the Monday before the luncheon to make changes. Otherwise, you will be billed for the lunch.

If you did not get a reminder in your email, please check your SPAM or JUNK MAIL folder. The email address is lvwomensclub@gmail.com and it will be coming from yours truly. Mindy Hensen AKA "The Lunch Lady". It would help if you mark our new email address as OK...not SPAM OR JUNK! That way you will always get our notices.

Thanks,
Mindy

The Lunch Lady

HAVING AN EVENT?

If you are planning an event at K-Oaks and would like to rent either the table settings or our table cloths, contact 512-623-0022.



Special Interest Group Challenge

Tick, Tock, Tick, Tock....time is slipping away. There are several special interest groups eyeing for first place. Let us keep it going.

If you don't know what this is about...check with any of the Special Interest Groups on display at the luncheon and be prepared to accept the challenge!

Box Tops for Education Lago Vista Elementary School has participated in the BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION program since 2002, earning over \$10,000. (Fund use is restricted.) Visit boxtops4education.com for a list of participating products and valuable coupons. Bring your BT4E to the Women's Club Luncheons and place them in the collections basket in the bar area.



GOT WINE?

At each monthly luncheon, a small group of volunteers brings wine and serves it to luncheon attendees. Donations are taken for the wine and are generously given to the club for philanthropic endeavors. To continue this practice, volunteers are needed to help serve the wine at each luncheon. If you would like to be a part of this committee, please contact Janet Cason, 832-265-1470 or janet.carley@yahoo.com.