



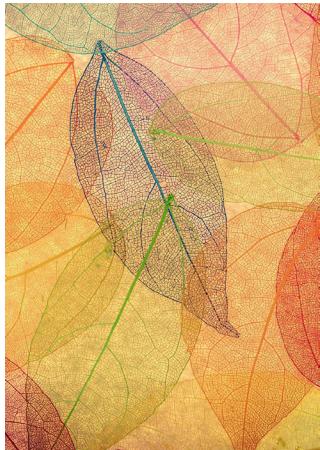
November 2019

MEETING LOCATION

Flintrock Falls Country Club
100 Jack Nicklaus Drive

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Carole Dann



Our first General Meeting was a great success at the Flintrock Falls Country Club. We had nearly 200 women in attendance and 160 stayed for the luncheon... close to a record. The speaker, Beth Rand of the Restoration Ranch, was wonderful and the food was enjoyed by all.

We are already working on some fine tuning for the November meeting. Congratulations to our Hospitality chairs, Pam Filas and Kim Majkszak, who worked all summer to make certain that our transition to this new venue went smoothly. Thanks also to the Flintrock Property Owner's Karen John, a Women's Club member, for her cooperation with the entry gate procedures.

The kick-off event, Boots and Bandana's, was Sunday, October 6th. It was a great success. All who attended had a great time. The venue, food, band, and decorations were amazing. Congratulations to Judy Baer and Dianne Haeg for all their planning. The Puttin' On The Ritz fall fashion show at the Sonesta Hotel Ballroom on October 28th and our biggest event of the year, sold out quickly to 250 Women's Club members. We will report on it in the December newsletter.

We have so many enthusiastic new members this year, over 44 since June as of this writing. They are

actively attending meetings and events together. Let's all welcome them when we get a chance.

General Meetings are held the 4th Monday of the month, September-April and the 3rd Monday in May. We do not meet in December. Social time is 9:30 a.m. with the meeting at 10 a.m., followed by a speaker. An optional luncheon follows immediately thereafter.

Thanksgiving is upon us. I hope that each of you is able to share this special Holiday with family and friends.

Carole Dann, President

1st VICE PRESIDENT

In November we are honored to have Travis County Commissioner Gerald Daugherty as our speaker. Mr. Daugherty grew up in the Houston area and was drafted out of high school by the Boston Red Sox.



He soon realized that an education was more obtainable than making it in the big leagues, so he returned to Austin and graduated from UT in 1975. For the past 40 years he has been a successful businessman, owning and operating ventures including the Pleasant Valley Sports Complex and is a partner in the Jack Allen's and Salt Traders Restaurants.

In 2002, he was elected to the Travis County Commissioners Court bringing his passion for transportation advocacy and his belief that government can accommodate growth without continually raising taxes. He served as Travis County Commissioner of Precinct 3 until 2008. He returned to the Commissioners Court in 2013 and continues to serve.
Nancy Bain, 1st Vice President

2nd VICE PRESIDENT

Our SIG gatherings are now in full swing! Continue to browse through this newsletter to read about scheduled activities both for general membership and SIG groups. The first Out and About trip is scheduled for November. Do not miss this event!

We have 23 SIGs which include 8 book clubs. If a group interests you, take the initial step and contact the Chairperson. You may also have ideas about starting/Chairing a new group. The Women's Club is the ideal milieu for a SIG "start up!" To begin the process, contact me at 216-409-1110 or saniles4@gmail.com

Sheila A. Niles, 2nd Vice President

TREASURER

I want to encourage all of you ladies to take advantage of Randall's Good Neighbor Program if you have not done so already. It is easy to do and costs you absolutely nothing. You simply stop by the customer service desk and fill out the Good Neighbor Program form. Select Women's Club of Greater Lakeway as your organization and each time you use your Randall's card, the club will receive 1% of your purchase. Our organization number is 7785. This added revenue helps us keep our budget on track and dues from increasing.

Carrie Smith, Treasurer

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Care and Concern cards were sent to Linda DeOme and Nancy Hughes. Sympathy Cards were sent to Shelley Smith, Pat Hahn, Sharon Gilmore, Karl Ansbach, and Jack Lewis.

Do you know someone needing a little encouragement while dealing with an illness, accident, loss of a loved one, or even recognition of an honor received? Women's Club would like to send them a card. Please contact me at 512-608-9966 or at sherry.bettis@yahoo.com.

Sherry Bettis, Corresponding Secretary

RECORDING SECRETARY

The Recording Secretary takes the official minutes at all Women's Club Board Meetings and General Meetings. General Meeting minutes will be available at the entrance to the Flintrock Ballroom at each General Meeting for your review.

Sara Scarberry, Recording Secretary

MEMBERSHIP

As of October 10th, 2019 we had 480 members which includes 12 new members since the last newsletter. Please welcome Kris Hanna, Priscilla Hardenne, Maggie Houck, Nancy Keith, B.J. Livingston, Deb Livingston, Joy Maytnier, Mitzi Ross, Barbara Rusling, JoyceSandig, Patti Sears, Martha Yaghi. Those members who did not renew their membership by September 23rd, have now been removed from the roster, and have not been included in the Membership Directory that went to print in early October. If you missed this important date, you can be reinstated by sending in your dues. Please send your check for \$40, payable to WCGL to: Gwen Holcroft, 315 Camino Arbolago, Lakeway, TX 78734. Contact: 512-551-2254 or wcglmembership@gmail.com.

Gwen Holcroft, Membership Chair

NEW MEMBER MENTORING



The Mentor Program allows us to introduce new members to our Special Interest Groups, special events and activities and to each other. Our first event was September 11th and was attended by 19 new members~ we hope they

all enjoyed themselves as much as we did. We have three more get-togethers, the next being a happy hour at the Lakeway Resort & Spa on Thursday, November 14th (future dates are February 5th and April 22nd). Details will be emailed to new members. Please contact us with any questions. janrouse3@gmail.com or Toni at tonidtabb@gmail.com

Jan Rouse and Toni Tabb, Co-Chairs

HOSPITALITY

We had an outstanding lunch in September for our inaugural gathering at Flintrock. We hope you will all join us again on November 25th. We will start off with tomato basil soup and then **your choice** of either chicken florentine or butternut squash risotto. We finish with an assortment of brownies, rock-slides and lemon bars. That should provide a nice break from all of your Thanksgiving plans. Get your checks in early so your space is reserved. Our cost remains the same at \$23 for members an \$28 for

guests or nonmembers. Please add the names of all people that you are paying for in the "memo" section of your check. Contact Kim at kimber4sue@att.net or 512-796-0971
Kim Majkszak and Pam Filas, Co-Chairs

SOCIAL



What a delight it was that the kickoff party at Schmidt Family Barbecue was enjoyed by so many. The food was outstanding, the band was great, and people were able to mix and mingle with each other. Who could ask for more?

Dianne Haeg and Judy Baer, Co-Chairs

SPECIAL EVENTS

We would like to thank everyone for all the help with the Puttin' on the Ritz Fall Fashion Show preparations: Annette Brown, emcee; Joan Peterson for taking all the reservations; Shelley Smith, who obtained all our wonderful door prizes; JW Rouse, who did our runway music; Pam Ovlen, Kendra Diamond and Shelley Smith, fashion coordinators; Judy Donohue, Cat Larson, and George and Brenda Rickert, performers; Sharon Rogers and Carol Jones, centerpiece designers; Frank White, videographer; John Dann for making our seating chart, and Dianne Haeg and Kay Beasley set-up team supervisors. And also a special thank you to all the WCGL ladies who helped us decorate. Our models, Stella Denny, Liz Mason, Sherry Todd Smith, Pat Trecker, Sherry Bettis, Sally Barto, Gwen Holcroft, Jane Blackburn, Beverly Gould, Susan Bryce, Elizabeth Toler, Lorraine Dantone, Jeanne Anne Klein, Nellie Groff, Joan Peterson, Sandy Barbari, Cindy Kilmer, and Linda Lauret were outstanding!

Ann McCann and Susan Jerke, Co-Chairs

HISTORIAN

We encourage members who are not yet pictured in our online directory to have your photo taken. I take photos in between each meeting and luncheon. SIG members are encouraged to send photos of your meetings/events to me so I may include them in our annual yearbook. Feel free to contact me at 512-507-1279 or sherrytodd52@yahoo.com

Sherry Todd Smith, Historian

PARLIAMENTARIAN

Even though the year is just starting, please take the time to consider who might be good candidates for next year's Executive Board. Previous Standing Board experience is required. Don't forget to consider yourself. I am certain that we miss out on some very qualified people just because no one has let us know that they are interested in serving.

Gloria Crosthwait, Parliamentarian

WEBMASTER

Stay in touch with current events by accessing our website <http://www.LakewayWomensClub.com> and connect with other members using our online directory. The online directory now includes email addresses for members who choose to opt-in to publishing their email in our password-protected directory. You can opt-in by going to the Membership tab on the website, clicking Directory, and filling out the online form. Your email will only be published at your request, by opting in. If you have a headshot you would like to include in the online directory, or if you have any questions about navigating the website, send me an email at wcglwebmaster@gmail.com

Autumn Schulze, Webmaster

COMMUNITY LIAISON

Lake Travis Community Library
www.laketraviscommunitylibrary.org

- Friday, November 8th, 1 p.m. ~ Classic movie: Singing in the Rain
- Thursday, November 14th, 7 p.m. ~ Speakers Forum: Smuggling & American Multinationals; speaker is UT Associate Professor Kate Gillespie, with an undergrad degree in Near Eastern Studies
- Tuesday, November 19th, 6 p.m. ~ Author Ken Roberts will discuss his nonfiction work, *The Cedar Choppers*.

Lakeway Activity Center

www.lakeway-texas.gov

- November 7th, 8th, 9th, 7:30 p.m. and November 10th, 3 p.m. ~ Lakeway Players' *The Best Christmas Pageant EVER!*; contact AC for tickets
- October 29-December 10th, 7-8 p.m. ~ Beginner Jitterbug/Single Court Swing partner dancing \$85 members, \$95 non-members

The Hills of Lakeway Country Club

- Sunday, November 24th, 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. ~

Lakeway Painters tribute to Willie Nelson; 30+ artists will display works including watercolor, mixed media, acrylic and pastel. Several of our Women's Club members will participate! It's a perfect opportunity to purchase original art.

Special Note:

The Heritage Committee would like to express appreciation for WCGL's loan of the Space Capsule for use in the Heritage Committee 2019 NASA recognition called, *Walk Me To The Moon*. It has enhanced the Heritage Center display and has been enjoyed by many. Thank you from Vickie Taylor and the Heritage Committee.

Contact Paula at pbnannie@yahoo.com
Paula Barcik, Community Liaison

DIRECTORY/YEARBOOK

So many of you carry your Directory/Yearbook with you just to get members' addresses and phone numbers, but there is so much more. Did you realize that you can find the following: List of Past Presidents, History and Founders, Executive Committee, Standing Committees, Committee Chairs, General Meeting dates and speakers, Special Events dates and locations, Special Interest Groups, Constitution, By-Laws, Standing Rules, and local Advertisers?!

Susan Bryce, Chair

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

~ BOOK CLUBS ~

“A” Book Club (accepting new members)

Meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 10 a.m. We rotate our monthly meetings between members' homes. Please call Jane at 512-565-6347 for details.
Jane Blackburn and Maggie Calbert, Co-Chairs

“B” Literates (currently full)

We meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. On November 12th we will meet at the Lake Travis Community Library in the Community Room to discuss *Factfullness* by Hans Rosling. Social time and refreshments begin at 10 a.m. and book dis-

cussions begin at 10:30 a.m. We will send out reminders and details to members a week before the meeting. Contact faithstevens@gmail.com or masondennis@sbcglobal.net

Faith Stevens and Liz Mason, Co-Chairs

Chatty Critics

(currently full)

Chatty Critics book group meets the 1st Monday of the month at 1 p.m. at members' homes. Contact: sampsonstephanie5@gmail.com
Stephanie Sampson, Chair

Life Enrichment Book Club

(currently full)

Currently, we are not reading books but rather having round-table discussions on different topics of interest each month. In previous meetings we have discussed topics such as dreams, travel, friendship, etc. We meet the 2nd Monday of each month from 1-2:30 p.m. in various homes. Our next meeting will be Monday, November 11th at the home of Alicia Supkay, 108 Lakeway Hills Cove. Our topic for discussion will be, 'What Was Your Favorite Thing To Pretend When You Were A Child?' Contact: donnak954@aol.com or 512-266-1120.

Donna Kumar, Chair

Literary Ladies of Lakeway

(currently full, but waiting list available)

The Literary Ladies of Lakeway meet in members' homes on the 2nd Wednesday of the month from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. We read a mix of fiction and non-fiction works. On November 13th we will be reading *Isaac's Storm* by Erik Larson. Our group is currently full, but we are taking names of ladies interested in joining if we have any openings. For information contact: Kimberly at lenzfamiliy@sbcglobal.net or Beth at cliffandbetho@gmail.com.

Kimberly Lenz and Beth Olszewski, Co-Chairs

Voyagers Book Club (accepting new members)

Voyagers Book Club has a special schedule for November and December. In order to avoid holidays, we meet only once for those two months: the first Friday in December, which will be December 6th. Our meeting will be at the home of Peg Truckenbrod at 10:00 a.m. At this meeting we have a book exchange where each person who wants to participate brings a book and leaves with one. We will be

discussing the book, *Surprised By Joy* by C. S. Lewis. Visitors are always welcome! Please contact Kathy for details at 512-775-5933 or kathylwilson@gmail.com
Kathy Wilson, Chair

Wine and Words (accepting new members)

We meet on the 4th Thursday each month in members' homes or out at restaurants to enjoy a light meal, some wine and discuss the book of the month. The Wine and Words book club will meet at The Grove restaurant on Tuesday, November 19th at 6 p. m. to discuss, *The Address* by Fiona Davis. Please contact Robin at 760-707-3801 or at robinhermann4@aol.com
Robin Hermann, Chair

World of Books (currently full, but waiting list available)

Members gather the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. at members' homes. Contact Sherrie at sheerrie@kelisatexas.com or Margot at margotodom@gmail.com
Sherrie Smith and Margot Odom, Co-Chairs

CANASTA (currently full, but need subs)

We meet the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at the Lakeway Activity Center from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. Contact Beverly Gould at 512-970-3244 or virgilbev@att.net
Beverly Gould, Chair

DINNER CLUB (currently full, but need subs)

We are a group of couples who meet in members' homes in pairings of three couples during January, February and March. One couple serves as host and is responsible for the entree. The two guest couples bring hor d'oeuvres and dessert and libations of their choice. Our regular membership is currently closed, however there is a substitute group. Substitutes are called if there are couples who cannot attend a scheduled dinner. If you are interested in joining the sub group, please contact Pat at youngerpat@aol.com or Laura at lauraaharvill@gmail.com

Pat Younger and Laura Harvill, Co-Chairs

DOTTIE'S FOLLIES (accepting new members)

Dottie's Follies is a dance group that performs for special occasions. You will be treated to their performances at the Women's Club Fall Fashion Show and the May 2020 Installation luncheon. This group is open to ladies who desire to learn dance routines and perform publicly, while improving their mental and fitness levels. It's also open to those who just like to have fun! Contact Dottie at 512-266-6460 or donadotties@aol.com

Dottie Stevenson, Chair

EXPATS (accepting new members)

We are a group who have either lived abroad or were born in another country. Members gather on the 1st Monday of the month at 10 a.m. Please contact Christa at 512-964-0330 or at christa@christabeyer.com for more information.

Carol Hudson, Christa Beyer and Els Buckingham, Co-Chairs

THE GALLOPING GOURMETS (accepting new members)

We do lunches out around town on the 1st Friday of the month. November's Galloping Gourmet luncheon will be held on Friday, November 1st, at Texas Street Grill. The restaurant has been redecorated and transformed into a warm and sophisticated venue with the ambience of a 4-star restaurant. Texas Street Grill is located at 3519 Ranch Rd. 620. Hostesses Terry Monk and Kristine Moore have organized a fabulous menu of Texas-inspired dishes. The cost is \$33.50 including tax and gratuity and excluding alcoholic beverages. Lunch will begin at 11:30 a.m. Contact Elizabeth at etjosey@aol.com or Judy at judithCbaer@gmail.com for more details and to sign-up.

Judy Baer and Elizabeth Toler, Co-Chairs

GARDEN CLUB (accepting new members)

Come join the Lakeway Garden Club for our monthly meetings on the 2nd Thursday of each month. We meet at 9:30 a.m. for refreshments, and the speaker starts at 10. Our topics this year include Japanese garden design, herb gardening and many more fun and interesting things to learn about gardening in Central Texas. Your level of experience makes no difference. There is always so much to

learn and you'll meet fellow gardeners. Contact Sue at 713-202-7633 or suepfeff@hotmail.com

Sue Pfeffer, Chair

HIKE & BIKE

(accepting new members)

On a cool, crisp Autumn day in November, members will hike Austin's Barton Creek Greenbelt trails to Sculpture Falls and enjoy a leisurely picnic. The Barton Creek Greenbelt, which has many miles of forested hiking trails, is considered an urban oasis. Sculpture Falls is known for its graceful, curved stones shaped by the flowing waters of Barton Creek. Hiking trails are on both sides of the creek. Here's a short video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NA1RCGP76Aw> Interested? To join, send an email to groupexpedition@gmail.com. More info and photos are at: <https://www.lake-waywomensclub.com/hike-and-bike>

Lynne LeMon, Chair

KNITTING AND STITCHERY

(accepting new members)

We meet the 2nd Monday of every month at 10 a.m. If you like to knit, crochet, quilt, needlepoint, weave, or just craft, please come and join us! Our next meeting is November 11th at the home of Peg Truckenbrod. For further information, please contact us. Phyllis at pmiller888@aol.com or 512-608-9638; Lori at lori.vacchiano1@gmail.com or 203-858-5572. Keep crafting!

Phyllis Miller and Lori Vacchiano, Co-Chairs

LAKEWAY INVESTMENT PARTNERS

(accepting new members)

Lakeway Investment Partners meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 1:30 p.m. If you have an interest in stocks or investing, please join us! Please contact Kay at kaymuessig@gmail.com, or Genevieve at fessendeng@gmail.com.

Kay Muessig and Genevieve Fessenden, Co-Chairs

OUT AND ABOUT

(accepting new members)

Our first trip is November 13th to the George Bush Library in College Station. The bus will depart Randall's at 7:30 a.m. and return around 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$60.00 and will include the bus, lunch at Cafe Eccell, and the library admission fee. Checks are to be made out to "WCGL Out and About" and mailed to Renee Picanso, 903 Crestone

Stream Drive. Those of you that are going, we need your lunch choices! If you have any questions, please contact our communications coordinator, Linda Bruning, with any questions at 785-215-2374 or at linda.bruning7@gmail.com.

Robin Hermann and Renee Picanso, Co-Chairs

PURSUING POETRY

(currently full)

We meet in members' homes at 10 a.m. the 1st Tuesday of the month. Our November 5th meeting will be at the home of Teddy Broeker, 107 Bellagio Drive. Martha Kubala will choose the poetry for this meeting.

Carol Davis and Karen Bruck, Co-Chairs

RETIREMENT HOME CRAFTS

(accepting new members)

Please join us in this community outreach to our elderly population as we do simple crafts with the residents of Legacy At The Oaks (next door to Baylor Scott & White hospital). We meet the 3rd Wednesday of each month from September until May from 1-2 p.m. at the facility. If you can cut, color, and glue, you are qualified. Please contact Donna for more information at donnak954@aol.com or 512-266-1120. "Each time you give of yourself to those in need, your heart overflows from such a kind deed."

Donna Kumar, Chair

SING ALONG

(accepting new members, auditions required)

The Sing Alongers are tuning up for another lively year. We have begun rehearsals to prepare for our Christmas show. This year there will be two shows on Sunday, Dec. 8th at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. We meet weekly on Thursdays at the Lakeway Activity Center from 3-4:30 p.m. For more information contact Joann at 512-261-3313

Joann Anderson, Chair

SINGLE FRIENDS OF LAKEWAY

(accepting new members)

We had our first meet-and-greet in September to welcome existing and new members. Many great ideas were discussed for upcoming festivities! Stay tuned for more firm details! Contact Jackie at jk14242@gmail.com or Sue at sue42block@gmail.com

Jackie Lloyd and Sue Block, Co-Chairs

SOCIAL HOUR (accepting new members)

Join us for a casual get together and stay connected to Lakeway Women's Club friends! We will meet on the 4th Wednesday of each month from 4:30 until 6:30 p.m. at local restaurants. Our locations will be confirmed through this newsletter and the WCGL website. We limit our reservations to the first 40 who register each month upon receiving their emailed invitation. Our next get together will be at Cafe Blue on November 20th at 4:30 p.m. For more information email Shelley at AgeNoMore01@aol.com or at 512-608-9264
Shelley Smith and Sara Scarberry, Co-Chairs

COMMUNICATIONS

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OUR WOMEN'S CLUB WEBSITE LINKS:

Home Page:

<https://www.lakewaywomensclub.com>

Membership Directory w/ photos, phone numbers & addresses (password protected):
<https://www.lakewaywomensclub.com/directory>

Individual Special Interest Group (SIG) info:
<https://www.lakewaywomensclub.com/sig-news>



Flintrock Falls Community Entrances

"A" ENTRANCE

CLUBCORP MEMBERS:

- Please enter via the Honors Dr. gate off Serene Hills Dr. (preferred)
- Or the right lane at the guarded gate off Flintrock Rd.

"B" ENTRANCE

RESIDENTS OF THE HILLS:

- Please enter via the gate on The Hills Dr.



"C" ENTRANCE

NON RESIDENTS & NON-CLUBCORP MEMBERS:

- Navigate to 100 Jack Nicklaus Dr. to the guarded entry off Flintrock Rd.
- Use the left hand lane
- Give your last name to the guard

NON-WCGL MEMBERS AND GUESTS must contact Kim Majkszak for a reservation: 512-796-0972 or kimber4sue@att.net