

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the new year of Women's Club of Greater Lakeway! These new beginnings mark a significant milestone not just for our organization but for everyone who believes in the power of community and shared purpose.

We are incredibly thrilled to embark on this new year's journey with you all. As we open the doors to our social club, we do so with a heart full of gratitude and excitement. This club was born from a vision—a vision of creating a space where individuals come together to connect, support one another, and help create an environment where women thrive.

In the months leading up to this moment, countless hours have been spent planning, organizing, and dreaming of special activities and events. And now, as we stand on the threshold of this new chapter, we are humbled by the support and enthusiasm of everyone who has been a part of this journey.

Women's Club of Greater Lakeway is more than just a place; it is a community where every voice matters and every effort counts. Our aim is to foster an environment where individuals can come together to engage in meaningful activities, build lasting friendships, and make great memories.

We have an exciting year ahead, filled with events, initiatives, and opportunities for growth and connection. We encourage you to dive in, explore, and take full advantage of all that our club has to offer.

Thank you for being part of this new year. Here's to a year of new beginnings, meaningful connections, and making a difference together - let's make it extraordinary.

Judith Baer, President



1ST VICE PRESIDENT

A very warm welcome to all of our returning and new members. We are so happy that you have decided to join us for this very exciting new season of the Women's Club of Greater Lakeway.

As your first VP, it is my responsibility to find speakers for our monthly meetings. This year I was fortunate to work with the following ladies to find speakers who will inform, entertain, and inspire you with topics requested during our survey. Many thanks to **Debbie Carver, Kim Majksak, Leslee Minahan, Susan Mueller, Becky Parker**, and others who offered suggestions.

Our first meeting will take place on Wednesday, September 25th at the new TexArts Theater at 1110 RR 620. Sharon Rogers and her hospitality committee have a great menu for our kick-off event, followed by some surprises! The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the lobby and then proceed into the theater, which has a capacity of 100 seats. Carpooling is encouraged!

We look forward to seeing you soon. Remember, your participation is what makes us all a success, so...Welcome Aboard and Here We Go!

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281-413-6647

Lorraine Dantone Werner, 1st Vice President

Please use these links to sign-up for WCGL membership, luncheons, and various SIG fees and events.

Membership Payment Links:

[WCGL Annual Dues](#)

[Garden Club Annual Dues](#)

[Galloping Gourmet](#)

Event Payment Links:

[WCGL Brunch](#) (Sep. 25)

ONLINE PAYMENT ADMINISTRATOR

All payments will be handled through Square.

2ND VICE PRESIDENT

Welcome Back Everyone!!

I've been busy this summer streamlining our SIG registration. I hope you found the new SIG Sign-Up Form a more efficient way to register for SIGs.

If you would like to join another SIG, you can either complete the SIG Form again adding the new SIG OR you can email me. Either way I will update your profile and provide your information to the SIG chair who will then contact you.

SIG Chairs have been provided their respective membership lists and should be contacting you soon.

Thank you, Cheryl May for chairing Antique Addicts and Robin Herman for chairing Out & About. I hope you agree, it's good to see these popular SIGs return.

If you have an idea for a new SIG, please contact me at cynthia@montebella.com.

Cynthia Keas
2nd Vice President

TREASURER

The Executive Committee presented the 2024-25 WCGL budget to and was approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting on August 29th. The budget includes provisions for all event registration fees to cover their own total costs, to be self-funded with a reasonable contingency for minor discrepancies in estimated attendance. A copy of the budget will be available for viewing at all monthly general meetings. The two State Farm Insurance policies that cover club liability, practices and stored items were renewed in July. The storage unit lease was renewed in July. Event planning started in June with certain deposits made to hold dates.



Please remember to mark your calendars when paying for membership dues and events. If you make duplicate payments, Square holds onto its fee\$, so any refund\$ will be le\$\$ than what you paid!! Thank you for your cooperation.

Darla Nelson, Treasurer

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Do you know a member needing a little encouragement while dealing with an illness or loss? The Women's Club would like to send them a card to let them know we are thinking about them. Care and concern cards have recently been sent to: **Joyce Christian, Bonnee Nelson, Gwen Holcroft, Dawn Trombley, Diann Blevins and Lori Vacchiano.** Please let me know the names of members needing cards sent on behalf of the membership. WCGL also sends cards of congratulations and appreciation. Contact me by text or email, at 737-210-9723 or reneepicanso@gmail.com

Renee Picanso, Corresponding Secretary





RECORDING SECRETARY

The Recording Secretary takes the official minutes at all Women’s Club Board Meetings and General meetings. The minutes of the previous General Meeting will be available for members to review in the foyer of the site of all General Meetings. The approved minutes for each year are kept in a notebook that is stored at the Lakeway Heritage Center to provide historical reference for current and future generations.

Pat Younger, Recording Secretary

MEMBERSHIP



If you haven’t already, **NOW is the time to renew your WCGL membership for the upcoming 2024-2025 year to take advantage of all**

that Women’s Club has to offer!

You’ll join over 220 members who have registered since July 1st.

A year of fun and friends awaits! You don’t want to miss our Fabulous Fashion Show open to members only in October, or our monthly General Meetings for a chance to get together with friends for Brunch and to hear interesting presentations from our Guest Speakers.

You must be a member to participate in over 20 Special Interest Groups, where there’s truly something for everyone.

By renewing now you will continue to receive our monthly Newsletters and will have access to our member Directory.

To join WCGL, please complete the Membership Form found here: [WCGL Membership Form 2024-25](#).

Once you complete the Membership Form, please hit SUBMIT to record your answers.

You will then receive a pop-up window with the Payment Link.

DO NOT close that pop-up window without paying your dues unless you’re paying by check. Your \$50 membership dues will be effective through May 2025. sara.scarberry103@gmail.com

Sara Scarberry, Membership

HOSPITALITY



Please join us Wednesday September 25th at 9:30 a.m. for our first general meeting at the new Tex-Arts Theater & Academy 1110 Ranch Road

620. Our program will include a short talk by Sandy Cox (Executive Director) about the many offerings the theater will have for our community. There will be entertainment by some of the talented people that make up our artistic theater. Also, a tour of the facility will be available.

We will provide a European style continental brunch for your enjoyment. The cost of this event is \$15. Sign-up by clicking the link in the green box on page 2 of the newsletter.

Sharon Rogers, Chair

NEW MEMBER MENTORS



Welcome new members to the Women’s Club of Greater Lakeway. As your mentors, we would like to invite you to our first coffee social on Tuesday, 9/17/24 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Becky Parker.

We will acquaint you with the organization as well as introduce and explain the many Special Interest Groups (SIG’s) that are available for you to join.

There will be 5 hosted socials throughout the year to better get to know each of you. They will be held at various times and locations.

In addition, there will be a “New Member” table especially for you at each monthly meeting. Please let Bonnee or Becky know in advance if you’ll be attending.

Look for your invitation to come with further details. We hope to see you soon to guide you

through the wonderful adventures that await this year. Bonnee bonneenelson@icloud.com Becky rhparker2017@gmail.com

Bonnee Nelson & Becky Parker, Co-Chairs

SPECIAL EVENT-FASHION SHOW



We're excited to announce "Fashion on Fire," the fall style show, will be coming to the Sonesta Hotel on October 30th.

The Gift Solution at Barton Creek Mall will be showing the new fall trends. Mark your calendar. More information coming soon.

Dianne Haeg, Chair

DIRECTORY



The 2024-2025 Women's Club Directory, a must have, will be published, and mailed to each member in October.

The Directory is a supplement to our website and provides a list of members' addresses, phone numbers and much more. In addition to our leadership team, the Directory provides general meeting dates, speakers, special interest groups and details about our governance.

To receive a copy, you must be an active member and pay your annual dues by October 1st. Please review our membership information column on the WCGL website to submit your dues.

Dawn Trombley, Chair

HISTORIAN



Historically the WCGL's historian is the person who collates pictures from meetings and SIG events and puts them in a book that is

given to the president at the end of her term. This year a very nice gentleman, Nick Grossman has offered to assist with picture taking, but I also need y'all to send me photo's from your fun SIG events to jenniferwindau@hotmail.com.

Looking forward to a fun year!

Jennifer Windau, Chair

NEWSLETTER



Rosie Babin, Editor

COMMUNITY LIASON



Welcome back to the fall kickoff of WCGL. Our President, Judy Baer, her Board, and all the SIG volunteers have been busy during the summer planning a wonderful year for WCGL members. Encourage all your friends to rejoin or join this fabulous group of women!

This year as Community Liaison, I am going to feature four areas of interest and information that you may wish to add to your calendar or schedule. You may already know some of the detail I am describing, but for newer members of our community, this information should be helpful. Lakeway (Austin) is totally unique for providing all of us with so many fun events/activities, services, educational opportunities, and numerous ways to serve others. Please let me know if you have information to share in these four categories. Together we can keep each other informed about all amazing Lakeway (Austin) has to offer!

ACTIVITIES

Lake Travis Community Library. 1938 Lohman's Crossing. Our library is outstanding in all they offer our community. The library publishes a monthly Activity Schedule, so check it out: laketravislibrary.org. In September, these events are featured:

- Lake Travis Knit and Crochet Club.
Tuesday, 9-17-24 at 2:30 p.m. All levels of skill and interest with members who will happily provide you with tips and guidance.
- A Joyful Life with Sullins Stuart.
Wednesday, 9-18-24 at 6 p.m. Sullins is a spiritual teacher and therapist. He has a masters degree in counseling plus two published books. Sullins has spent 30 years studying spirituality, philosophy and psychology.
- Jazz Duo Tommy Howard & Chris Jones.
Tuesday, 9-27-24 at 3 p.m. The Austin Chronicle has published accolades about this talented group.

Lakeway Newcomers & Neighbors.

www.lakewaynewcomers.com. This organization provides a lot of social events for couples and singles. All residents are welcome.

- Mercer Dance Hall, Dripping Springs.
Sunday, 9-15-24. 2- 6 p.m. Afternoon of Texas Style Entertainment plus Dancing.
- Wine & BBQ Hosted Dinner. Wednesday, 10-16-24.
- Annual Gala at Sonesta Bee Cave.
Saturday, 12-12-24.

Lakeway Activity Center. www.lakeway-tx.gov/64. 105 Cross Creek, Lakeway. This is a multi-use facility for social, civic and recreational activities for all ages. There are a variety of classes, camps, events, memberships and facility rentals for residents. LAC publishes a monthly newsletter of all their activities and classes. LAC can keep you very busy!

EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (UT OLLI). This institute is for curious adults who enjoy classes among leading scholars and experts who share a fascination with exploring new areas of knowledge and traditional disciplines.
www.utolli@austin.utexas.edu. If you are interested, check out their website or contact WCGL member Susan Rick for more information

on their great educational program.

Srick2011@gmail.com.

Please let me know if you are enjoying any educational program that you would like to share with WCGL members.

SERVICES

Victim Services. In November 2023, we invited Kara McLeod to present a program on Victim Services at our General Meeting. Kara is the Coordinator for Victim Services. This program was extremely informative on the various sources of help that we or someone we know might need. This outreach service was initiated by the Lakeway Police Department and subsequently was combined with the City of Bee Cave. The program centers around crisis intervention and support services to victims. The list of what Kara and the Lakeway Police Department provides us is quite long. There will be more in-depth descriptions in future newsletters. For now, if you need assistance with any situation whether you are concerned about your well-being or possibly need help or advice, call Kara or the Lakeway police. They are available to help you 24/7. Kara McLeod's mobile is 512-261-2885. Her email is karamcloud@lakeway-tx.gov. I advise you to put her number/email in your phone.

VOLUNTEERING

Women's Storybook Project of Texas – a Prison Ministry. The Storybook Project was started by women in the Outreach Program of St. Mark's Episcopal Church in 2003. Volunteers help incarcerated mothers record stories and messages of love for their children. They then mail the recordings along with the books to the children so they can hear their mother's voice, bring comfort to them, and know that she is thinking of them. In 2023, the organization celebrated their 20th year of helping mothers stay in touch with their children. To learn more contact volunteers Betsy McCraine bmmcraine@sbcglobal.net or Sandy Barbari sandybabari@gmail.com. You can also contact info@storybookproject.com or call 512-861-5110. Thank you, Betsy and Sandy, for many years of service.

There are so many volunteer opportunities for us. I plan to share as many as I can over the next nine months. I know many women in WCGL give a lot of volunteer hours to worthwhile causes. Please

contact me so I can share what you do with other WCGL ladies so they will know the various possibilities in our area to contribute their time and talent. camaysfa@aol.com

Blessings, Cheryl May, Chair

WEBMASTER / ONLINE DIRECTORY



Jordan Herrera, Webmaster

STORAGE UNIT OVERSIGHT



The storage unit is located at the climate-controlled Cube Smart, 15616 Stewart Road. To access the unit, contact Carol Jones at caroljones37@yahoo.com or 919-928-2556 to coordinate. Once in the storage unit, you will need to note on the inventory form the items taken from the unit.

Carol Jones, Storage Unit Oversight

PARLIAMENTARIAN



The Parliamentarian position has two main functions for the WCGL. First, she provides oversight of the WCGL Constitution, By-Laws and Standing Rules. The Constitution covers the fundamental principles of the organization, and the By-Laws guide the actions and decisions made by the Board of Directors. The Standing Rules allow the WCGL to administer the By-Laws. These documents are available for review on the WCGL website.

Secondly, the Parliamentarian serves, in a non-voting capacity, as Chair of the Nominating Committee, which will select the Slate of Nominees for the WCGL Executive Board for the following year. The Executive Board consists of the President, 1st and 2nd Vice Presidents, Treasurer and both Recording and Corresponding Secretaries.

Diann Blevins, Parliamentarian

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Non-Book Club SIGS

ANTIQUÉ ADDICTS: Open



I hope everyone is happy that WCGL is reviving the Antique SIG this year. I know a lot of us enjoy antiques from jewelry to furniture and everything in between. My husband knows when we are traveling in a car, if I see an Antiques sign, he better be prepared to stop!

Let's rebuild this SIG together. Our first meeting will be at my home. This will be a planning session, and perhaps we will have time to share our tales on how we became "addicted." I also can show you some of what I call my "Eye Candy." We then need to determine what we would like to do in 2024-2025. I envision having home sessions where we take turns giving the program and sharing some of our favorite antiques and knowledge. Then, we can plan to take some road trips to various antique stores plus enjoy lunch together. At the moment, we have about 15 people who wish to be part of our SIG, so meeting in homes is feasible. I know in the past, this SIG was quite large. If we end up with many members, we will have to figure out where we can meet without incurring rental charges. Lots to plan! In the meantime, I will put together an email list to communicate with you on details before our first scheduled meeting on September 23rd at 1:30 PM. Currently we are on the WCGL calendar to meet on the fourth Monday of each month. This was an available SIG date/time slot. Cheryl May camaysfa@aol.com

Cheryl May, Chair

CANASTA – Open



Hello WCGL ladies. I am excited to chair the Canasta SIG again this year. I hope you will consider joining as this is such a great group of ladies. We meet the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at the Lakeway Activity Center from 12:30-3:30 p.m. You must be a member of both the WCGL and the

LAC to belong to this SIG. Please come join the fun and let me know if you have questions.

Peggy Clements, Chair

DINING DAMES – Open



Members meet for lunch at various restaurants around Austin on a mission to find the best cuisine Austin has to offer. Dates vary based on restaurant availability. Table seating is mixed to encourage member socialization.

The first Dining Dames luncheon will be September 20th at the Tiny Boxwood on W. 35th St. in Austin.

Allison Rudnick & Nancy Taylor, Co-Chairs

DINNER CLUB – Closed



The Dinner Club offers members a social evening of good company and delicious food three times each session.

Dinners are in the homes of members designated as hosts for one of the dinners February, March, and April on the third or fourth Saturday. The main entrée is the hostess' choice each month. The evening begins at 6:30 p.m. with drinks and appetizers. One couple will bring appetizers and the other couple dessert. Each couple must provide their own alcoholic beverage. The hosts are not allowed to serve alcohol at these dinners. The dates are guidelines. If the hosts cannot adhere to the date or the guests are busy that Saturday, the three couples may change the date as they see fit to accommodate all three couples. Our kick-off party is January 26th, at the home of Debbie & Al Carver. At the kickoff, members will meet the couples with whom they will be dining next season and receive information on how Dinner Club works. At this point, we have a full group for next season with additional couples on the waitlist who serve as subs when needed. If you wish to join the permanent list, you may notify me that you want to

be placed on the waitlist for such. As there are usually couples who must cancel before the first dinner, it is possible that a slot will open. You may also still sign onto the sub list. On that list, you are invited when a guest couple cannot attend. You do not host as a sub. Dinner Club has been a popular Sig. Our members have found Dinner Club to be a wonderful way to meet new couples in a relaxed setting and some have formed lasting friendships because of being a member. Pat Younger
youngerpat@aol.com

Pat Younger, Chair

DOTTIE'S FOLLIES – Open



Dottie's Follies is a dance group that performs for special occasions. This group is open to ladies who

desire to learn dance routines and perform while improving their mental and physical fitness levels.

Dottie Stevenson, Chair

GALLOPING GOURMETS – Waitlist



Galloping Gourmets members enjoy monthly luncheons at a variety of restaurants on the first Friday of each month.

A HUGE thank you to Susan Jerke, Marianna Jacobs and Pamela Swafford for agreeing to Co-chair Galloping Gourmets this year.

October Hostesses, Jaynee Lancaster and Mindy Beaty, are busy planning an amazing luncheon. Mark your calendars: October 4th at 11:30 a.m. GG members will receive an email soon with luncheon details and payment link.

Hostesses still needed! If you're interested in hosting a monthly luncheon, please contact one of the Co-chairs.

Susan Jerke, Marianna Jacobs & Pamela Swafford, Co-chairs



GARDEN CLUB – Open



Hello Everyone! We hope you have had a wonderful summer and that your gardens are surviving in spite of the heat. Our new team has some great speakers and outings planned for the coming year and we hope you will join us. If you have not already joined or

renewed your membership in the Garden Club please click on this link:

<https://square.link/u/45sy5WHv>

Our first meeting will be an open house meet and greet on Friday, September 13th. We will have coffee, tea and yummy treats at Emmaus Church in the Pastoral Life Center room A&B on the ground floor. This event will be open to all members and prospective members too. Come join us to see old friends, meet new ones and learn about our exciting programs for 2024-2025!

Kristine Moore and Judy Cellio, Co- Chairs

GIRLFRIENDS' SOCIAL HOUR – Open



Greetings to all our socially minded ladies of WCGL. Our SIG meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month from 4:00-6:00

p.m. at the Lakeway Resort to socialize with our girlfriends while enjoying beverages including happy hour specials. Many attendees will make a dinner out of appetizers as well. The resort offers us separate checks which is rare at many venues. Please note: no cash is accepted AND they do include the gratuity automatically to your bill. We email an Evite each month to our members to announce the theme and request RSVP's. We encourage you to respond quickly as space can be limited. Looking forward to reconnecting after the summer break. Mark your calendar for September 19th for the first social hour of the season!

Questions, please reach out to Jackie Mata at jackie83mata@gmail.com

Jackie Mata & Barbara Staiger, Co-Chairs



HIKE & BIKE – Open



Members of Hike and Bike enjoy being with others in nature and participating in light activity. Hike & Bike outings can include hiking, bicycling, kayaking,

caving or swimming - wahoo! Mark your calendar.

PLANNED OUTING DATES:

- Thursday, Oct 10, 2024
- Thursday, Nov 7, 2024
- Thursday, Mar 6, 2025
- Thursday, Apr 3, 2025

In addition to PLANNED outings, Hike & Bike occasionally hosts SPONTANEOUS outings on perfect-weather days. Once you join, we'll send a copy of our Welcome Kit For New Members to you – so you have the info you need to participate. Got questions? Contact Lynne at groupexpedition@gmail.com

Lynne LeMon, Chair

INTERMEDIATE BRIDGE – Open



Members meet on the 4th Tuesday in member homes. Intermediate Swiss Pairs Bridge.

Peg Truckenbrod, Chair

LAKEWAY INVESTMENT PARTNERS – Open



While the majority of WCGL members have been busy with traveling and summer activities, the Lakeway

Investment Partners Members (LIP) have kept attentive to managing our stock portfolio throughout the summer months. Yes, we did take off in July, but in June we had a Zoom meeting, and in August we gathered at the home of Kelly

Fogarty for fun and fellowship plus a review of all our holdings. The stock market never takes a vacation, so we always must keep an eye on all the news that affects the performance of our investments and act accordingly.

We welcome any WCGL member who would be interested in joining our special group of ladies. Upon joining there is an initial \$1,000 contribution to our jointly held portfolio, and quarterly we each contribute \$100 to our holdings. We have a sophisticated software – Bivio – that supplies us with a multitude of financial information on the stocks we own. You don't need to be an expert on the market to join. Come learn with all of us on all aspects of investing. We meet on the first Tuesday of every month at 1:30 p.m. The majority of our meetings are held by Zoom, but quarterly we meet in member homes. Please contact our Chair Deanna Allen deannaallen107@gmail.com or Co-Chair Cheryl May camaysfa@aol.com for more information on visiting our meetings or joining.

Deanna Allen & Cheryl May, Co-Chairs

LET'S DO BRUNCH – Open



Hello Brunch Bunch!
My name is Jacquelyn Foreman and I am your new host for LETS DO BRUNCH!

Let's Do Brunch will meet on the First Monday of each month from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. We meet in members' homes to keep the intimate feeling of this SIG. Each month there is a "Host Home" (that member's brunch is **free!**) with 4 other co-hostesses. This group creates the theme of their brunch and divides making the dishes that will be served. The price for each LDB is \$15. This pays for the food/beverages served, paper goods provided and any other *necessary* items for that brunch. The amount reimbursed *shall not exceed the collected amount* for that month's brunch.

Please note, there is absolutely NO REIMBURSEMENTS FOR ALCOHOL, GIFT CARDS OR EXTRAVAGANT ITEMS.

Our first Let's Do Brunch will be Monday, October 7th. Kaye Beasley has graciously offered to host at her home. To attend the brunch, click on the link (in the **green square**) for Let's Do Brunch. Follow

the prompts to pay for your reservation using "Square." *Please be patient...* You will receive a confirmation email in about **30 minutes** letting you know that you have paid. *You do not want to overpay as refunds will not be issued.*

The only way for Let's Do Brunch to continue is your involvement! We need Host Homes. As of now, we have September, November, March, April and May covered. If we have no Host Home, there will be NO brunch...so please consider volunteering your home. The decisions about the type of brunch you have, how many fit comfortably in your home and who your co-hostesses are is at your discretion. As your chair, please know that I'm available to help out however I can.

I'm looking forward to an incredible year filled with delicious food. Thank you for your continued support of Let's Do Brunch.

letsdobrunchwcgl@gmail.com 512-554-8298

Jacquelyn Foreman, Chair

MAHJONGG MAVENS – Open



The MahJongg Mavens have a monthly playdate at the Lake Travis Community Library on Lohmann's Crossing. Playdates vary somewhat due to the availability of the library's

meeting room but are usually on the 3rd or 4th Friday of the month from 1-4 p.m. Members will receive a reminder email each month to which they can RSVP. Our first playdate will be on Friday, September 27th from 1-4 p.m. and there will be tables for beginner and experienced players. An instruction class for new players is planned for Thursday, September 12th and Friday, September 13th from 1-4 p.m. at the home of Julie Gross. Please contact Julie at jdgtex@gmail.com if you are interested in taking the class.

Leslee Minahan, Chair

OUT & ABOUT – Open



Greetings from your “once again” fearless leader of Out and About – Robin Hermann. Yes, we are back and planning some incredible trips for this year! For new members who are not familiar with Out and About, it is a day trip to local nearby towns or venues. It can include museums, places of interest, shopping and, of course, good restaurants. In the next newsletter, you will receive more information about our trips, including dates, places, sign up information and the ladies who will be assisting with the trips.

Robin Hermann, Chair

SINGLES – Open



Members meet for monthly activities & meals around the Lakeway area. Meeting dates vary based on the activity. Reserved for

SINGLE members only.

Dee Hall, Chair

STITCHES & YARNS – Open



We meet at member homes at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd Monday of each month all year.

Members are sent an email reminder before the meeting. During our meetings we share projects, generally fiber-

related, that we’re currently working on, exchange bits of information of common interest, and offer suggestions and encouragement for design or technique questions.

We are open for new members who are interested in any of the fiber arts. If anyone not on our current roster would like to visit, please contact Jean by email to receive information about the next meeting. fordjean@gmail.com / 207-266-3470

Jean Ford, Chair



BOOK CLUBS

“A” BOOK CLUB – Closed

Meets on 3rd Tuesday at 10 a.m. in member homes. Members will be notified of the monthly meeting location via email.

Book selection for the upcoming year: *The Women* by Kristen Hannah; *The Love of My Life* by Rosie Walsh; *West with Giraffes* by Lynda Rutledge; *The Door* by Magda Szabo; *First Lie Wins* by Ashley Elston; *A Calamity of Souls* by David Baldacci; *Remarkable Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt; *Listen for the Lie* by Amy Tinter.

Julie Hardin, Chair

“B” LITERATES – Closed

“B” Literates is a book club of fun and interesting women who meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the homes of our members. We skip the month of December. Our group reads a mix of fiction and non-fiction and enjoys a robust discussion about each book we read. If you are interested in joining this group, please reach out for more information. Pamela Swafford 630.251.3575 pswafford14@gmail.com Members will be notified of the monthly meeting location via email.

September 10, 2024

The Little Liar - Mitch Albom

October 8, 2024

Remarkably Bright Creatures - Shelby van Pelt

November 12, 2024

American Duchess: A Novel of Consuelo Vanderbilt - Karen Harper

January 14, 2025

Demon Copperhead - Barbara Kingsolver

February 11, 2025

The Women - Kristin Hannah

March 11, 2025

Miss Eliza's English Kitchen - Annabel Abbs

April 8, 2025

It's a Long Story: My Life - Willie Nelson

May 13, 2025

Lady Tan's Circle of Women - Lisa See

Pamela Swafford + Joyce Christian, Co-Chairs

CHATTY CRITICS – Open



Chatty Critics meets on 1st Monday at 1 p.m. in member homes. Visitors and New Members Welcome! Members will be notified of the monthly meeting location via email.

Book selection for the upcoming year including discussion

dates: *The King of Diamonds* by Rena Pederson (10/7), *Elon* by Walter Isaacson (11/9), *Rednecks* by Taylor Brown (11/5), *Love's Orphan: My Journey of Hope and Faith* by Ildiko Scott (Lakeway Resident) (12/2), *The Midnight Library* by Matt Haig (1/6), *Confessions on the 7:45* by Lisa Unger (2/3), *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray (3/3), *The Best Minds* by Jonathan Rosen (4/7), and *Cassandra in Reverse* by Holly Smale (5/5).

Summaries of the books can be found at:

[Summaries of Books Link](#)

Stephenie Teichman, Chair

LITERARY LADIES of LAKEWAY – Limited

Meets on the 2nd Wednesday at 11 a.m. in member homes. Members will be notified of the monthly meeting location via email. Book selection for the upcoming year with discussion dates:

The Women, by Kristin Hannah (9/11); *Between Two Kingdoms: A Memoir of Life Interrupted* by Suleika Jaouad (10/9); *West with Giraffes* by Linda Rutledge (11/13); *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee (12/11); *Go Set a Watchman* by Harper Lee (1/8); *The Invisible Lif of Addie LaRue* by VE Schwab (2/12); *The Secret Lif of Sunflowers* by Marta Molnar (3/12); *Tom Lake* by Ann Patchett (4/9), and *The Wide Wide Sea: Imperial Ambition, First Contact & Final Voyage of Captain James Cook* by Hampton Sides (5/14).

Pam Filas, Chair

VOYAGERS BOOK CLUB – Open

We meet on the 4th Friday at 10 a.m. in member homes. Members will be notified of the monthly meeting location via email.

Book selection for the upcoming year: *A Beautiful Rival* by Gill Paul; *Mockingbird Summer* by Lynda Rutledge; *The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store* by James McBride; *Kings of Texas* by Don Graham; *West With Giraffes* by Lynda Rutledge; *Horse* by Geraldine Brooks; *The Wager* by David Grann; and *The Demon of Unrest* by Eric Larsen.

Peg Truckenbrod, Chair

WINE WITH WORDS – Closed

Wine With Words meets on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 6 p.m. in a member's home. We use the highly rated, free Book Clubs app to communicate about our meeting location.

Sept - Last Flight by Julia Clark

October- The Women by Kristin Hannah

November- Mastering the Art of French Murder by Colleen Cambridge

December- no book; Dinner and gift exchange

January- Hidden Figures by Margot Lee Shetterly

February- First Lie Wins by Ashley Easton

March - The Covenant of Water by Abraham Verghese

April - The Alice Network by Kate Quinn

May - The Lifeguards by Amanda Eyre Ward

Teresa Kennedy, Chair

OUR WOMEN'S CLUB WEBSITE LINK:

<https://www.lakewaywomensclub.com>

The Women's Club is an IRC 501(c)(7) organization. Our objective is to promote the social, cultural, and intellectual growth of our members. Membership dues for the period of June 1, 2024 to May 31, 2025 can be paid online. The WCGL website contains the link, or the form can be downloaded to mail along with a check payable to WCGL for \$50.

2024 TEXAS STATE CAPITOL CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT

**EACH YEAR, WE PICK UP A BULK ORDER OF ORNAMENTS
AS A CONVENIENCE FOR OUR MEMBERS**

COST OF ORNAMENTS:

1	\$25
2	\$50
3	\$75
4	\$100



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**ORDERS MUST BE PLACED AND PAID FOR BY NOVEMBER 1, 2024
FOR PICKUP AT NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING NOVEMBER 20th
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