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University Ladies Club Spring
Business Meeting & Luncheon

April 6, 2016, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Westwood Country Club
3808 W. 35th Street, 78703

Raffle!

Turn in Invoice/Info Sheet & Next Year's Dues

Guests are welcome!
Hostesses: Evening Book Group

Bring your dollars for the raffle to support VLC activities.
There will be a variety of items donated by various members.

Make your check payable to VLC in the amount of \$30
and mail to Ingrid Fink, 5410 Mountain Cedar Cove,
78731. Please mail to arrive in Ingrid's hand by the
deadline, March 30, 2016. Note need on check
for gluten-free, vegetarian, or nut-free. A
shuttle will be available from the front gate and
parking area to the club entrance.



University Ladies Club Interest Groups

Join the fun, join the crowd! Interest Groups Coordinator Christine Gilbert may be reached by phone, 512-474-2295, or e-mail at cgilbert@austin.rr.com

Book & Audio Book Circulation

Kay Hopper 512-447-4585 kqhopper1986@gmail.com.
This group is meant for those of you who love to read current books or listen to audio books and/or would like to see a selection of new books without having to buy them. Each individual in our group purchases a recently published (18 months or newer) book or an audio book (not necessarily recent) and then passes it along to the next member on the roster. We have subgroups for printed and audio books. We pass selections once a month during the academic year and in May we gather for a potluck salad lunch. Contact Kay for details.

Book Discussion - Morning

Betty Walton 512-477-9258 bbwalton@austin.rr.com
Lynn Stokoe 512-453-0650 sstokoe@austin.rr.com
The morning book group will meet Thursday, April 21st at 10:00 am at the home of Ardyce Walser, 7959 Mesa Trail Circle, 78746. Our book for April is "Clementine: The Life of Mrs. Winston Churchill" by Sonia Purcell. An email will be sent to all morning book group members with more details prior to the meeting. Please call or email Lynn Stokoe if you would like to join this group. It is lots of fun.

Book Discussion - Evening

Sandy Huber 512-496-6063 gshuber@sbcglobal.net
The April meeting of the evening book group will be held Monday, April 18th at 7:30 pm at the home of Marie and Vic Arnold, 1801 Lavaca St #7J, 78701. The book for this month is "The Woman Behind the New Deal" by Kirstin Downey. If you would like more information about our group or wish to attend a meeting, please contact Sandy Huber at 512-496-6063 or gshuber@sbcglobal.net.

Bowling

Frances Beachy 512-345-1665 francesb22@hotmail.com
Doesn't matter if you are better at turkeys or gutters, we welcome you on any Friday morning for a lot of fun! Call for details and directions.

Bridge

Kay Hopper 512-447-4585 kqhopper1986@gmail.com
Vicki Olson 512-451-8827 LazyL.915@att.net
We meet on Tuesday mornings at the Humana Center located in the HEB shopping center off Braker Lane between Jollyville Rd. and Hwy 183 (Research Blvd). We start at 9:30 am and usually finish between 12:30 and 12:45 pm. We maintain a list of ULC members who play with us often and we also have a list of substitute players (including both members and non-members) who join us less often. We welcome both novice and experienced players. Call Kay or Vicki for more information.

Foreign Foods Group

Dianne Crawford 512-263-3249 dianneecraw@earthlink.net
The Foreign Foods group will meet on Saturday, April 16th at 6:00 pm at the home of Dianne Crawford, 912 Lipan Trail, 78733 Please call Dianne at 512-263-3249 for more information.

Hikers and Gardeners

Nancy Podio 512-266-3922 nancypodio@aol.com
Lynn Stokoe 512-453-0650 sstokoe@austin.rr.com
We are off to Manor Road where the American Botanical Council is located in an old house with gardens. They are doing research on herbs from around the world which have medicinal uses. Their planting beds are arranged by body system: digestive, neurological, heart, etc. Very interesting! Come join us the SECOND WEEK of April on the 14th. Details to come. If you would like to join our group please call Nancy at 512-914-6607

Movie Buffs

Christine Gilbert 512-474-2295 cgilbert@austin.rr.com
We'll go to a movie on the 3rd Thursday, usually starting between 12 and 1 pm. Christine will email the list a few days before the movie about movie choices and selection.

Wine Tasting

Kay Hopper 512-447-4585 kqhopper1986@gmail.com
Carole Buckman 512-838-6142
cdbuckman1966@gmail.com
Come join us next year for wine, education, and friendship in our women's only wine-tasting group. We meet once a month on Wednesday evenings and those meetings are now over for the academic year. We will have an April event at which spouses are welcome. Time and place TBD. For more information call Kay Hopper, 512-447-4585 or Carole Buckmann, 512-838-6142.



Welcome A New Member!

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Email: Lusdodge@gmail.com



President's Message

Dear Ladies

As our club year draws to a close, isn't it wonderful to live in Austin where nature surrounds us with signs of new beginnings and the promise of warm sunny days. We learned a lot at our excellent March program about birds of central Texas. Didn't it make you want to join a bird watching group? Thank you T.J. Campbell, Dorothy Foster, and Dorothy Newcomb for making it a lovely time. Our April 6th luncheon will be at Westwood Country Club. Please get your reservations in to Ingrid Fink as soon as possible.

Our sympathies go out to Lynn Durrenberger for the loss of her husband Cyril, and to the family of long-time member Mary Rohlich.

It is time to pay your dues for ULC year 2016-2017. Don't forget to fill out the membership form and mail it with your check to Mary Newcomb. While you are at it, take a look at the membership eligibility in your yearbook (p.31) and see if you know anyone eligible to join. You could invite them to be your guest at the April luncheon.

Thank you for supporting me and all the members of the Executive Council these past two years. You are a remarkable group of women! It has been a real pleasure working with and having fun with you all.

Sincerely,
Betty Walton
 President, ULC



Luncheon Tidbits

Watch this space monthly for info on the upcoming event.



April Fool's Day (April 1) is the date on which we pay our dues for the upcoming ULC activity year of 2016-2017. Bring your 2-part payment, the Invoice/Info sheet and your check, to the April 6th meeting and pay at the door as you pick up your nametag. Also bring CASH for the RAFFLE, in which are many delightful and tempting goodies begging to go home with YOU.

At our business meeting before lunch, we will honor our newly-minted HERITAGE MEMBERS and vote in the new officers. Treasurer and Secretary: please remember that you will present your reports to the club during the business meeting.

In Memoriam

Our sincere sympathies and condolences are extended to the families of the following: former member Margaret Ann Walker who passed away on February 15, 2016; former member Louise Vine who passed away on February 17, 2016; member Lynn Durrenberger, whose spouse Cyril, passes away on March 4, 2016.

Scholarship Donations

Donations were made in memory of Mary Rolich by Marie & Vic Arnold, Jane & Michael Downer, Dorothy Foster, Anita Rao, Sally Scott, Kaye Abikhaled, & Shanti Aggarwal; in memory of Wallace Collins by Mami Udagawa, Jane & Michael Downer, Dorothy Newcomb, & Kaye Abikhaled; in memory of Martha Poe by Sally Scott; in memory of Jane Mack by Sally Scott; in memory of Janet Reed by Sally Scott; in memory of Margaret Ann Walker by JoAnn Jentz.

Thank you!

Slate of Nominations for 2016-2017

We will be electing new officers at the April 6th Spring Business Meeting at the Westwood Country Club. The nominating chair this year was Ardyce Walser. She has submitted the following slate of nominations.

Officers:

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Assistant Treasurers
Parliamentarian

Mary Newcomb
Fay Evans-Martin
Vacancy
Jane Downer
Kaye Abikhaled, Ingrid Fink
Betty Walton

Committees:

Auditing
Interest Groups & Membership
Newsletter Editor
Nominating
Notification
Programs & Name Tags

Lynn Stokoe
Christine Gilbert
Miye Cohen
Ardyce Walser, Cora Farmer
Jane Chenevert
Dorothy Foster, TJ Campbell, Joan Welch

Scholarship
Yearbook Editor

Kitten Richter
Bretna Hackert

Sign Up for the 2016-2017 Year!

We will begin accepting membership dues for the 2016-2017 year on April 1, 2016. **Please use the form** on the next page and complete the information needed for the 2016-2017 yearbook and your interest groups. Complete the form, write a check to ULC, and mail the form and check to Mary Newcomb. All pertinent information is on the form. **You can also bring the completed form and check to the April 6th Business Meeting to give to Mary.** If you have any questions, please contact Mary Newcomb at 512-294-1019. Thank you!



INVOICE

University Ladies Club Membership Dues for 2016-2017

Amount: \$20.00 (or \$22.00 if you request yearbook mailed)

Payable to: ULC

Mail check to: Mary Newcomb
50 Tate Lane
Round Rock, TX 78665

Deadline: **June 30, 2016**

Please fill out the form below and mail with your check.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Department _____ Spouse's name _____

Delivery preferences:

Newsletter - Check one **or both**

_____ by regular mail

_____ by email

Yearbook - Check one **or two**

_____ hard copy picked up at September luncheon

_____ hard copy mailed (Add \$2.00 to dues)

_____ by email

Interest Groups – limited to paid members:

Please check all interest groups you would like to join –

_____ Book & Audio Book Circulation

_____ Book Discussion – Evening

_____ Bridge

_____ Hikers & Gardeners

_____ Movie Buffs

_____ Book Discussion – Day

_____ Bowling

_____ Foreign Foods

_____ Wine Tasting

Should you have any questions, please contact Mary Newcomb at 512-294-1019 or at newcontate@yahoo.com.

If you are a new member:

How did you hear about the ULC? _____

Who, if anyone, invited you to join? _____

For everyone:

Do you know of others who would be interested in joining the ULC? (Give name & phone number)

Do you have suggestions for getting information about the ULC to a wider audience? _____



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Jane Chenevert (*newsletter only; no correspondence, please*)

3906 Edwards Mountain Drive

Austin, TX 78731

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

University Ladies Club—Scholarship Donation

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ Payable to ULC Endowed Presidential Scholarship.

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ E-mail _____

Phone Numbers _____

This gift is ☐ to honor, or ☐ in memory of: Name _____

Please notify the family of this gift:

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Send this form and your check to ULC Treasurer:

Mary Newcomb

phone: 512-294-1019

email-newcontate@yahoo.com

50 Tate Lane

Round Rock, TX 78665

Thank you for supporting the University Ladies Club Endowed Presidential Scholarship fund.