



# The Lubbock Women's Club

## Courier



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### September Calendar of Events

Sept. 1-4	Fri.–Mon.	Holiday—Club Closed		
Sept. 6	Wednesday	Fashions, Fads, and Fancies Roundtable: <i>"Fashion Irresistible,"</i> <i>Dillard's Style Show</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept. 11	Monday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds Roundtable: <i>"Celebrating 40 Years: Children's Miracle Network," Misti Welch, Director</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept. 14	Thursday	JWC Luncheon: <i>"Favorite Things"</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept. 14	Thursday	JWC Event: <i>"Texas Tech University System's Public Art Collection"</i>	6:00 p.m.	TBD
Sept. 15	Friday	Creative and Fine Arts Roundtable: <i>Serendipity: "Create with Kelley," Kelley Pitts, Independent Stampin' Up!® Cardmaking Demonstrator Presents Cardmaking 101</i>	10:30 a.m.	\$23
Sept. 18	Monday	Third Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Sept. 20	Wednesday	Music and Entertainment Roundtable: <i>"Music: The Message of Wonder For Body and Soul," David Cho</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept. 25	Monday	Health and Wellness Roundtable: <i>"Getting to Know Us, Laura W. Bush Institute For Women's Health," Prim Naegle, Assistant Director of the LWBIWH</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept. 26	Tuesday	Courier Assembly	9:30 a.m.	
Sept. 29	Friday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds Roundtable: <i>"Strive For Honor," Coach Grant McCasland, TTU Men's Head Basketball Coach</i>	12:00 noon	\$20



THE LUBBOCK WOMEN'S CLUB HISTORICAL FOUNDATION  
ERNESTINE PAYNE WELBORN ENDOWMENT SPEAKER'S SERIES  
WELCOMES

**BARBARA (BABS) COSTELLO AKA BRUNCH WITH BABS**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH  
FRAZIER ALUMNI PAVILION  
6:30 P.M. RECEPTION 7:00 P.M. DINNER

**PREMIUM RESERVED TABLES OF 8 WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR \$1000  
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10 A.M. ON MONDAY SEPTEMBER 11TH AT LWC.

BARBARA COSTELLO, BETTER KNOWN AS @BRUNCHWITHBABS ON INSTAGRAM AND TIKTOK,  
IS A MOTHER OF FOUR, GRANDMOTHER OF NINE AND ADOPTED GRANDMOTHER  
TO HER MILLIONS OF FOLLOWERS ON SOCIAL MEDIA.

SHE'S THE USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF "CELEBRATE WITH BABS",  
AND HAS A SECOND BOOK IN THE WORKS.

SHE IS A REGULAR GUEST ON TODAY, GMA AND DREW BARRYMORE,  
WHERE SHE SHARES ALL HER HOUSEHOLD TIPS, TRICKS, HACKS, AND DELICIOUS RECIPES.

A FORMER TEACHER AND PRESCHOOL FOUNDER, SHE IS ALSO A WIFE TO HER LOVING HUSBAND, MR. BABS.

## From the President

≡ *Eat, Drink, and Be Merry*



As we enter a new year with new members, new programs, new events, and a new yearbook, I feel philosophical, so allow me to address all my sweet club members this way.

**To the Junior Women's Club Members:** Enjoy your youth!! It goes fast. Your families, children, friendships, jobs, activities, and spiritual lives will have good times and bad ones. But, take them all in because these make us grow up – but not old.

**To those in the 50 to 70 age group:** Ditto what I said to the JWC Members, except now you can enjoy the freedom of knowing some of those good and bad times are behind you. You can relax in having been there and done that for the most part. Remember to add what you have not done but want to do now to your list. For many, your children are probably grown, and you most likely have grandchildren, which you know are much more fun than children because grandma's rules are different from mom's rules. I suspect you have learned to set priorities differently than when you were younger, and that is quite a relief.

**To the ladies in my age group over 70:** Girls, we are in our fourth quarter, so let us throw as many Hail Marys as we can. This year our focus is: *Eat, Drink, and Be Merry*.

Blessed to be a Blessing,

*Sherry Blankenship*



## Bridge Friends *Eat, Drink, and Get Merry* at The Lubbock Women's Club

**Gather your friends and make reservations to join us for Games Day, which takes place on the First and Third Mondays.**

## Tricia's CORNER...

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer!! Even though fall is in the air, I'm already preparing for Christmas! Others must be because our December calendar is filling up quickly! The LWC is perfect for hosting a holiday party or lunch with friends. We always feature excellent food and service provided by our talented staff! Patsy Simpson, our incredibly talented House & Grounds Chairman, has been working hard this summer, planning the most exquisite Christmas transformation for the Club this holiday season. I know it will elevate your special parties and events this holiday season. Stop by the front office or see me for further details.

We have many exciting programs this month! We don't want you to miss any of them. To help keep you informed, Rene sends emails to remind our membership of an upcoming event. If you haven't received these emails and want to be included, please email [reservations@lubbockwomensclub.com](mailto:reservations@lubbockwomensclub.com). Happy Fall!

*Tricia Duncan, General Manager*

## From the JWC corner:



Dear JWC Members,

The JWC getaway to Amarillo was an adventure. Your time and hard work paid off! It was a fantastic opportunity to nurture new and old friendships. Ya'll if you haven't been to Amarillo in a while, you need to check it out. They have so many neat places to visit, and it's just a quick trip away. We even caught a minor-league baseball game! Thank you to Yellowhouse for donating their Sod Poodles suite to us and getting me on the mound for the first pitch. Now, I can check it off the bucket list!

As we slide into fall, the Favorite Things Luncheon is on Sept. 14. This luncheon is always a crowd-pleaser. Bring a favorite item, app., gadget, cosmetic, or whatever you fancy and would like to share with others. You are guaranteed to leave with a list of items you want and great ideas for gifts! Keep in mind that every lunch is a great opportunity to invite a friend! So don't forget to make your reservations!

*"A pessimist forgets to laugh, but an optimist laughs to forget." (borrowed)*

Sincerely,

*Ashley Hongland*, President of the Junior Women's Club

## JWC "Favorite Things" Luncheon

Thursday, September 14, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Wednesday, September 13, 12:00 noon

Join us for our annual "Favorite Things" Luncheon. Bring your favorite "must-have" to the luncheon for a show-and-tell. This is a great way to get ideas for gifts or find a product or item that you would love for yourself.

**Chairman: Kerri Schoonvelt**  
**Greeter: Haley Madewell**  
**Invocation: Andrea Bodine**

## Texas Tech University System Public Art Trail

Thursday, September 14, 6:00 p.m., cost: TBD  
Reservations by Wednesday, September 13, 12:00 noon

There is nothing quite like seeing the art collection around the Texas Tech campus. Join us for an evening touring the public art collection, which ranges from antiquities to modern and contemporary art.

**Chairman: Lori Ioppolo**  
**Committee: Karli Chambers, Leslie Kitten, Shelly Merrell, Emily Philips, and Kelsi Riebel**

# September Roundtables



## Third Monday Games

Monday, September 18, 2023, 9:30 a.m., \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 15, 12:00 noon  
Chairmen: Janine Gorell and Susan Nix

## "Celebrating 40 Years—Children's Miracle Network"

Monday, September 11, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 8, 12:00 noon

This year, Children's Miracle Network is celebrating 40 years at UMC's Children's Hospital, which helps to heal the children who live in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. Come and learn about the state-of-the-art pediatric medical technology CMN has funded. Make your reservation today to hear Karin and Abner share their incredible experiences with being the longest running CMN co-hosts in the nation.

Chairman: Kandy Adams  
Committee: Beth Brown, Linda Greenstreet, Terry Hawkins, Dona Richardson, and Carol Tarbox

## Serendipity: "Create with Kelley"

Kelley Pitts

Independent Stampin' Up!® Demonstrator

Brunch at 10:30 a.m.  
Friday, September 15, 2023, \$23  
Reservations by Thursday, September 14, 12:00 noon

Have you ever received a handmade greeting card from a friend or family member? Didn't it make you feel special? Have you ever wished you could make special cards to uplift, inspire, or entertain someone?

You can! Kelley and her helpers will walk you through the basics of creating your own fun Stampin' Up!® card. Kelley will demonstrate several ways to "step up" your paper crafting skills with fun folds, embellishments, texture, and more. (There is a \$3.00 fee included for materials.)

Please join us and enjoy a delicious brunch and a morning of creativity and fun making a card of your own!

Chairman: Judy Walton  
Committee: Kathy Britton, Lisa Carson, Teri Davis, Patricia Franklin, Carolyn Marshall, Diana Melcher, and Pam Tipton

## Dillard's Style Show: "Fashion Irresistible"

Wednesday, September 6, 2023, 12:00 Noon, \$20  
Reservations by Tuesday, September 5, 12:00 Noon

Pre-fall collections have arrived at Dillard's with a lineup versatile enough to wear now and style for the cooler months ahead. What a great time to freshen up your closet! Join us to see the latest color trends, clothing styles, and fashion statements, plus enjoy a delightful lunch with friends. Come ready to shop all the trends that are available with looks that are sure to please.

Chairman: Kathy Horkey  
Committee Members: Suzanne Burgess, Jan Harris, Dee Ann Holder, Carol Locke, Liane Locke, Debby Tullis, Robin Walker

## "Music: The Message of Wonder for Body and Soul"

Maestro David Cho

Wednesday, September 20, 2023, 12:00 noon \$20  
Reservations by Tuesday, September 19, 12:00 noon

David Cho's "musical magic" will delight and entertain his audience with style and grace. This artistic virtuoso is always a favorite one at The LWC each year. You will not want to miss this special event! Be sure to register early and bring a friend to share in the fabulous music performed by Maestro Cho!

Chairman: June Hogue  
Committee: Melissa Lewis, Elaine Milam, Jill Nelson, Dona Richardson

## "The Laura W. Bush Institute for Women's Health"

Prim Naegele, Asst. Director of LWBIWH

Monday, September 25, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 22, 12:00 noon

Come join us for lunch and learn more about the exciting initiatives and programs we are doing in our Lubbock community and the fun events we have planned in the near future.

The Laura W. Bush Institute for Women's Health (LWBIWH) is a leading organization dedicated to advancing women's health and well-being through research, education, and community outreach. We aim to identify sex differences and raise awareness to ensure more personalized medical care for women.

Chairman: Nancy Neal  
Committee: Heather Hocker, Liane Locke, Ainsley Nelson, Cathy Porter



# “Strive For Honor”

Coach Grant McCasland

Friday, September 29, 12:00 noon

Reservations by Thursday, September 28, 12:00 noon

**Come meet the new Texas Tech Men’s Basketball Coach and hear what is in store for his inaugural season following a fabulous winning season at North Texas! Come one; come all, and bring your basketball fan guests!**

**Lots of surprises to come, and you may even get to shake hands and take a picture with Raider Red. Wow! A basketball autographed by Coach McCasland could be yours if you are lucky! (Thank you, Kandy Adams!) Our very special guest will be Cece McCasland as well as members of Coach McCasland’s administrative staff.**

**Chairman: Martha York**

**Committee: Kandy Adams, Jan Broome, Suzanne Christopher, Nancy Neal**

## Available

The 2023-2024 LWC Yearbooks are available!!! Please plan to pick up YOUR copy at the Club if you did not pick it up at the Fall Coffee. You don’t want to miss any exciting events planned for this **“EAT, DRINK, AND BE MERRY” YEAR AT THE LUBBOCK WOMEN’S CLUB!!**

### Memorials & Donations

#### LWC

In Memory Of:

Daisy Sudduth

by:

Gina and Bob Hayes

In Memory Of:

Daisy Sudduth

by:

Myrna and Leon Reed

In Memory Of:

Doris Taylor

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Betty Knight

#### LWCHF

In Memory Of:

Lucy Locke

by:

Joyce Cheatham

### welcome New Members

#### LWC

Patton Howard

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#### JWC

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# OCTOBER Calendar of Events



Oct. 2	Monday	First Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Oct. 4	Wednesday	Fashions, Fads, and Fancies Roundtable: <i>"Hello Fall-Trends to Embrace," Your Shop Style Show</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct. 9	Monday	Participating Clubs Luncheon	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct. 12	Thursday	JWC Luncheon: JWC: <i>"Lubbock in the Loop"</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct. 16	Monday	Third Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Oct. 19	Thursday	Travel and Leisure Roundtable: <i>"Cuba: A Lovely Chaos," Melinda Green Harvey</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct. 23	Monday	JWC: <i>"Fall Fundraiser"</i>	4:00-7:00 p.m.	
Oct. 24	Tuesday	<i>Courier</i> Assembly	9:30 a.m.	
Oct. 24	Tuesday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds Roundtable: <i>"UMC's New Children's Hospital," Mark Funderburk</i>	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct. 30	Monday	Autumn Games Benefit	9:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.	\$30

Article deadline reminder: September 1 for the October *Courier*. Please email articles to Dona Richardson at [donarichardsonsb@icloud.com](mailto:donarichardsonsb@icloud.com).

Hosting a party?  
 We would love to do all the work for you!  
 Give us a call to book your event now!

