



Austin Newcomers Welcome Mat

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December Monthly Meeting Holiday Luncheon with the Texas Longhorn Singers



When: Wednesday, December 13

Time: 11 a.m. social time
12 p.m. - meeting and lunch

Where: Chez Zee
5406 Balcones Dr.

Cost: \$30/person

RSVP: By December 11, [Online](#), or checks to Austin Newcomers postmarked by December 8 and mailed to Marsha Hayden, 10402 Treasure Island Dr., Austin TX 78730.

The University of Texas Longhorn Singers, the premier show choir of The University of Texas at Austin, will entertain us at our December 13 luncheon. The performers' talents and their sense of pride in UT are contagious to everyone who hears them. A small group of singers will perform Texas folk music, UT spirit songs and a perhaps a Christmas tune or two. Catch the holiday spirit and the joy that music brings at our next meeting.

New and Prospective Member Welcome Event

Please come and meet fellow Austin Newcomers, board members and our many interest group chairs.

When: Sunday, January 28, 3 - 6 p.m.

Where: Home of Alison and Roger Seaman

RSVP: Please RSVP [Online](#) for directions and planning purposes

Details: Couples please bring along a hearty appetizer AND a drink to share. Singles please bring along a hearty appetizer OR a drink to share.



For questions contact Kathy Finley or Laurie Gillig at memberservices@austinnewcomers.com or leave a message at 440-759-4742 or 614-361-4936.

President's Message



Happy Holidays

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December Board Meeting

When: Wednesday, Dec. 6
Social, 9:30 a.m.
Meeting, 10:00 a.m.

Where: Jan Jones
6305 Mustang Valley Tr.
Wimberley 78676

RSVP: **By December 4** to
withrow19@hotmail.com
and
jones6lp@gmail.com

When I think of Christmas, I think of all that is sure to come: the endless parties, the shopping, the expectation and excitement seen in little ones eyes, the joy and laughter that fill the family gatherings. My Christmas wouldn't be complete without Andy Williams, Bing Crosby, Jimmy Stewart, and almond crescent cookies that I've made every year for 40 years, but only at Christmas. My mouth waters at the thought. Let's see what else the holiday season will bring:

C – (a)Christmas Carol. Yes, we all know the story, but if you think the show at the Zach Theater is the same old thing, you couldn't be farther from the truth. I promise you will be delighted and thoroughly entertained with some of the best local singing talent in town if you sign up with our Interest Group, "Experience the Zach" on December 28th.

H – Holiday Party. Don't miss the annual joint ANC Book Club party on December 7 with award winning novelist John Pipkin, who will speak and sign *The Blind Astronomer's Daughter*.

R – Ride the Austin Steam Train. Enjoy the North Pole Flyer. This 2-hour train ride features a visit from Santa and Mrs. Claus, hot cocoa, and a Christmas cookie. Each car is decorated for the season and passengers enjoy a live reading of the North Pole Flyer book, the railroad's own Christmas Story.

I – Ice Skating. Did you know you could ice skate on the roof of Whole Foods' downtown location for only \$10? You can imagine you are at Rockefeller Center.

S – Singers. UT Singers, that is. What better way to get into the spirit of the season than with the sounds of the season at the December 13 monthly general meeting/luncheon.

T – Trail of Lights. Austin 101 will provide all you new Austinites the opportunity to experience the iconic Trail of Lights that have graced Zilker Park for so many years. Sign up and then round up your children and grandchildren on December 9 and marvel at the lights and sights.

M – Make your way to the annual Lake Travis Holiday Boat Parade. It begins at 6 p.m. sharp on December 2 at the Sail and Ski Shop and finishes at the Rusty Rudder. You can even decorate your own boat if you'd like, join the parade, and win a prize.

A – Austin Symphony. Gather your friends and get on your best parachute pants, jelly bracelets, and jean jacket because the Austin Symphony will transport you with music of the 1980s on December 29-30 at 8 p.m. at the Palmer Events Center

S – Season's Greetings everyone. Stay tuned for an exciting and fun filled New Year with the *Austin Newcomers Club*.

*Cheers,
Donna*

BOOK GROUPS

Austin Newcomers Book Club**Annual Holiday Party**

Thursday, December 7, 11:30 a.m.

Chez Zee, 5406 Balcones Dr., 78731

Cost: \$30.00

Mail check to Gayle Cannon, f/b/o Book Club, 10700 Gold Yarrow Dr, 78730

Award-winning novelist: **John Pipkin**

Speaking and signing: **The Blind Astronomer's Daughter**

Members of Bluebonnet and Yellow Rose book groups will receive detailed information by email.

Questions? Contact chairs:

Gayle Cannon, gaylecannon70@gmail.com, Mimi Rhea, eerhea@att.net

Afternoon Mystery Book Group

When: Wednesday, December 6, 12:30 p.m.

Book: *Journey to Munich*, Jacqueline Windspear

Where: Doreen Hyde
3205 Dessert Willow Cove, 78735

RSVP: By Monday, December 4, to
doreen1963@gmail.com

Details: Our annual December potluck luncheon is a week earlier than usual to avoid conflicting with the Newcomers Christmas luncheon. Since our book is set in Germany, try to bring a German dish or a holiday dish. Please RSVP early to let Doreen know what your dish will be. We will play a white elephant game with books that are either wrapped or in a holiday bag, so bring a used mystery for the game.

Chair: Bronwyn Bowen
bbowen60@gmail.com

Men's Book Club

When: There will be no meeting in December

Book: Happy reading over the holidays

Where: Check back in January

RSVP: Not required

Chair: Hector Barrio
hebate@gmail.com

MOVIES

Art House Cinema North

When: December 8, 7:30 p.m.

Cost: \$1.00/person at the door

RSVP: [Online](#) or RSVP to email sent to group each month

Details: Each month the group selects a film to see before the next month. We see the film and then get together as a group to discuss and rate it as well as select a film for the following month. Details of upcoming gatherings for this group are sent in a separate email to group participants with details about the movie selection, location, and any additional information that is needed.

Chair: Karen Rankin
karenrankin@austin.rr.com

Art House Cinema South

When: December 8 or 22, 7 p.m.

Cost: \$1.00/person

RSVP: [Online](#) (if you are new/not on the mailing list) before the meeting

Details: We meet at homes of members and discuss and rate two movies selected in the previous month. Members attend one of two meetings each month, on either the second or fourth Friday. Online registrants receive an email with meeting details and the movie to see. Hosts generally limit the number of people their homes can accommodate. Details of meetings will be sent ahead of meeting dates via email.

Chair:
ArthouseCinemaSouth@austinnewcomers.com,
512-632-1305



Critics' Corner

When: December 8, 7:30 p.m.

Details: Critic's Corner meets at 7:30 on the second Friday of each month. Details of upcoming gatherings are sent in a separate email to group participants, giving details about the movie selection, location, etc. Members see

the movie on their own, then meet at a member's house for a discussion of the movie. We ask members to bring a hearty appetizer or dessert and a beverage. Visitors are welcome. Email Tom Taylor for information.

Chair: Tom Taylor
tomtaylor9@gmail.com
214-642-3873

AROUND AND ABOUT AUSTIN

Hello Austin - Sing-a-Long and Downtown Stroll

When: Saturday, December 2, 6 - 9 p.m.

Where: South Steps of Capitol Building

Cost: Free

RSVP: [Online](#) just so we can plan, late comers welcome

Details: The annual Holiday Sing-Along and Downtown Stroll is a free, family-friendly event that celebrates the arrival of the holiday season and the joy it brings.

The fun starts with live music on two stages on Congress Avenue followed by a Sing-along at 6 p.m. on the south steps of the Capitol featuring songs of the season with KUTX 98.9 music hosts John Aielli and Elizabeth McQueen.



As the clock strikes 7 p.m., the countdown to the lighting of the Capitol tree begins, featuring a programmed light show at the top and bottom of every hour, set to holiday songs of local Austin musicians.

From 5 - 9 p.m. Congress Avenue will be abuzz with holiday cheer during the Downtown Stroll. Join us to hear live music and enjoy fun family-friendly activities. Shops, restaurants, galleries, and museums will be open late and will feature special activities and offers.

Austin 101 - Trail of Lights



When: Saturday, December 9, 6 p.m.

Where: Zilker Park

Cost: Free

RSVP: [Online](#) or email Janna Smith at email below

Details: Boasting over 2 million lights, viewing the Austin Trail of Lights is a great way to get in the holiday spirit.

Gates open at 7:00 p.m., and since this is opening night with free admission, it's likely to be a popular event. We'll meet at the food truck area near the giant lights-only Christmas tree at 6:00 p.m., grab a bite to eat, then head over to the entrance gate. (If you are interested in meeting off-site and carpooling, please let Janna know.) Come on out and enjoy the more than 40 light displays that have become an annual Austin tradition.

Chair: Janna Smith
jannaks55@gmail.com

AROUND AND ABOUT AUSTIN (continued)

Hello Austin - Austin Symphony New Year's Pop Concert

I Heart the 80s with Conductor Peter Bay

When: December 30, 8 p.m. (doors open 6:30 p.m.)

Where: Palmer Events Center

Cost: \$57 including convenience fees

RSVP: By November 26, [RSVP and pay online](#). Palmer Events Center changed their process and all tickets must be paid in advance to ANC. Pattie Webster Schieck will pick up tickets and distribute at event. Come early as it gets crowded.

Details: Gather your friends and get on your best parachute pants, jelly bracelets, and jean jacket because the Austin Symphony is transporting you to the 1980s. Come have the time of your life with music from The Police, George Michael, Michael Jackson, Cyndi Lauper, and so much more.

Join Hello Austin for this great night of "Stand on the Table Groovy Music." This is a very popular event and sells out quickly. This is our third year enjoying this concert at the Palmer Center.



Bring your favorite food dish and enjoy this concert in a cabaret-style setting. We will sit at tables of 10, so bring a large dish to pass around and share. There is a cash bar with wine, beer, and soda onsite.

Please come when the door opens or shortly thereafter. This will give us time to enjoy our appetizers/deserts before they turn down the lighting.

Our seats are in the second half of the cabaret (tables seating 10) section. Pattie Webster will pick up the tickets at Will Call and distribute. This is a very crowded event so please come early.

Questions: Please email questions to:
Helloaustin@austinnewcomers.com or
Pattie@PattieWebster.com

Daytrippers - Fredericksburg



When: December 5

Details: Fredericksburg is at its best during the holidays, but Daytrippers turnout of late has been disappointing. Before we plan an official outing, please email me directly at susi.spies@gmail.com if you're interested in Fredericksburg fun on December 5.

Once I know who's going, we'll plan a fun day with lunch at Woerner's Feed Store Cafe (so much cuter than it sounds) and an assortment of events you can choose from including

- A visit to the Urban Herbal herb farm
- A visit to Weekend Village

- Shopping and antiques
- A tour of the Nimitz National Museum of the Pacific War

We can also include some time in Johnson City to visit their exciting new Science Mill for kids (so you'll know where to bring your grandkids the next time you need an outing).

And for those who'd like to, we can even stay in until dark and see the Johnson City Texas Lights Spectacular.

RSVP: Want to join us? Email susi.spies@gmail.com by November 30.

Chairs: Susi Spies, susi.spies@gmail.com
Dale Truitt, daledtruitt@gmail.com

FOOD/SOCIAL

TGI Social (Thank Good- ness It's Social)



When: Enjoy your holiday and see you in January

Price: \$1/person at door

RSVP: tgisocial@austinnewcomers.com

Chairs: Janie and Jim McClam
jalommc@msn.com, 512-301-9230

Out to Lunch Bunch



Details: Out to Lunch Bunch will not be lunching in December because we'll all be out madly holiday shopping in December.

We'll resume our lunching around town on January 26th. Stay tuned.

Chair: Susi Spies
susi.spies@gmail.com



Come to Dinner - Bring a Plate

When: December 9

RSVP: Contact the chair to be placed on the list to receive the monthly invitation. You will get an email after the first of the month with the date and host, and you should **RSVP then, NOT online**. Once the guest list is complete, the hostess sends out menu information and the address and directions to attendees. Each guest brings a dish.

Details: Come to Dinner – Bring a Plate is a monthly dinner group for single ANC members who enjoy cooking and socializing. We meet in small groups in a member's home. In July and August we meet in a restaurant.

When you join the list, we expect a commitment to be a host or co-host at least once every 12-18 months.

Chair: Lynne Marcus, Lmarcus08@gmail.com
505-340-5464

Happy Hour - The Driskill Bar



When: Tuesday, December 19, 4-7 p.m.

Where: The Driskill Bar, 604 Brazos
Paid parking in area, valet \$20 (\$10 with validated bar receipt)

Price: Cost of food and drinks, separate checks.

RSVP: [Online](#)

Chairs: Elliott and Nancy Kossak
ekossak@gmail.com
Charlie and Louise Brown
charlieb7127@gmail.com

THEATER

Experience the Zach



A Tuna Christmas

When: Sunday, November 12, 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, December 6, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m.

Ticket Purchase Deadline: Wednesday, November 15

Where: Zach's Cozy Kleberg Theater

Details: Don't miss the funniest show on stage anywhere. It's Yuletide season in itty bitty Tuna, the third smallest town in Texas, where the Lion's Club is too liberal and Patsy Cline never dies. Two actors play all 22 colorful citizens of Tuna.

A Christmas Carol

When: Thursday, December 28, 7:30 p.m.

Ticket Purchase Deadline: Monday, December 4

Where: Zach Topfer Theater

Details: Austin's most rockin' holiday tradition returns to make merry with a new music to get the party started! ZACH's inspired adaptation of the Dickens' classic is a musical sleigh ride through rhythm and time, infusing the traditional Victorian story with a musical score that spans all genres and eras.

Please arrive 30 minutes before show time or join us for drinks and appetizers at 1:15 p.m. or 6:15 p.m. in the Z-lounge before the show.

How to Buy Tickets

Ticket Prices for both shows: \$41 - \$69

Tickets: We're holding seats for a limited time, so don't wait. Please do not call the Box Office to purchase as they are unable to offer you your Austin Newcomers group discount.

Option 1: Call Alyson Mintz, group sales at 512-476-0594, Ext: 245 or e-mail amintz@zachttheatre.org

Option 2: Use our Online Discount Group Code: NEWCOMERS when you purchase tickets online for No-
vember 12 or December 6 thru the Zach website.

Chair: For questions regarding our performance schedule or general information, please contact:
Pattie Webster Schieck
Pattie@pattiewebster.com

The Play's the Thing

- **Coming up:** Saturday, Dec 2, 8:00 p.m. **Miss Bennet: Christmas at Pemberley** at AP (6:00 Vino Vino)

Details: This theater lovers group explores classic, contemporary, and musical plays throughout the year. We also meet for a pre- or post-theater dinner. The venues are Austin Playhouse (AP), Mary Moody Northen Theatre (MMNT) and Georgetown Palace Theatre (GPT).

The rest of the season is listed below.

- Saturday, Feb 17, 7:30 p.m. **Romeo & Juliet** at MMNT (5:30 Zax Restaurant)
- Sunday, Mar 4, 2:00 p.m. **Barefoot in the Park** at GPT (Dinner follows at Gumbo)
- Saturday, Apr 7, 8:00 p.m. **Shakespeare in Love** at AP (6:00 Vino Vino)

- Sunday, May 6, 2:00 p.m. **My Fair Lady** at GPT (Dinner follows at Gumbo)
- Saturday, June 2, 8:00 p.m. **Curtains** at AP (6:00 Vino Vino)

Tickets: To pay for subscriptions, flex passes, and single tickets, contact the box office of each theater directly. Mention that you are a member of Austin Newcomers.

AP: Box Office (Cyndi) 512-476-0084
www.austinplayhouse.com

MMNT: Box Office (Meg) 512-448-8484
www.stedwards.edu/mary-moody-northen-theatre

GPT: Box Office (Nancy) 512-869-7469
www.georgetownpalace.com

RSVP: Online or by email to the chair below to **let us know who is coming to the performance and to dinner.**

Chair: Rinette Seidner
plays@austinnewcomers.com

HOBBIES



Knit and Stitch

When: Thursday, December 7, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Host: Sheila Daily
2305 Barton Creek Blvd. Unit 5, 78735

RSVP: By December 5, [Online](#) or email sheiladaily@hotmail.com

Details: We meet on the first Thursday of each month to knit, crochet, or do laptop needlework projects. Join us for coffee, crafting, and conversation.

Chair: Deborah Marks
dmarksny@aol.com
917-696-3647

Photography

Welcome photographers. The photography interest group meets twice a month, once for a photo shoot, on the second Tuesday and again on the fourth Tuesday for a photo share session. To be added to the email list, please email Dwight Reck, dreck1066@gmail.com.

Photo Shoot: Instructions will be emailed to all members before each photo shoot giving the location, time, and directions.

Share Session: Fourth Tuesday of each month
10:30 a.m. socializing
11:00 a.m. share session

Email 6 photos to George McCane at photoman401@gmail.com so he can compile a slide show for all members to enjoy and to offer ideas.

Where: Precision Camera store's classroom, 2438 W. Anderson Lane in the West Anderson Plaza. Optional lunch afterwards at a nearby restaurant.

SHOPPING

Shop Austin!

Save the Date- Austin's Second Downtown

When: January 30, 2018

Where: Domain Northside and lunch at Taverna

Cost: Whatever you purchase and lunch

RSVP: [Online](#) or cd_gallagher28@hotmail.com

Details: There is no Shop Austin! In December but save January 30 when we'll tour the unique shops at Domain Northside and have lunch at Taverna Northside.

Hosts: Diane Gallagher
cd_gallagher28@hotmail.com
Jan Jones
jones6lp@gmail.com



LANGUAGES/EXPATS

Expats

When: Saturday, December 16, 6-8 p.m.

Where: Inge and Jorg Eichbderg
5221 Trading Bend, 78735

RSVP: By December 13, Online, limited to 30

Details: We enjoy sharing our overseas experiences. learning about other cultures, and being with members who are from outside the US. If you have to cancel, please notify the hosts and Ingrid Sarrat so we can notify the waiting list. Please bring a hearty appetizer to share and a beverage of your choice.

Chairs: Ingrid Sarrat
isarratster@gmail.com
Inge Eichberg
inge@austin.rr.com



French Conversation

When: To be decided

Where: To be decided

RSVP: nlow@austin.rr.com or pmja66@aol.com

Details: As usual, the group will plan the December conversation and combined Christmas party.

Chair: Nedra Low, 512-351-9113
nlow@austin.rr.com

Spanish Conversation

When: No meeting in December

Where: Check back in January

Chair: Susana Surbek, 512-740-2349
susana.surbek@hotmail.com

FUN AND GAMES

1st Friday Bridge

When: Friday, December 1, 6:30 - 7 p.m. social time,
7 - 9:45 p.m. play bridge

Where: Lamar Senior Activity Center
2974 Shoal Crest Ave.

Cost: \$5.00/person

Details: We meet the first Friday of every month. All bridge players are welcome, both couples and singles. We are a group of average to very good players. Come join us for a fun night of bridge.

Chair: Ed Stokes
edward@stokes.biz
512-284-4117

3rd Thursday Bridge

When: Thursday, December 21, 9:45 a.m. social time,
10 a.m. play begins

Host: Nancy Cosby

Where: Vaqueros Café and Cantina
1801 S. Capitol of Texas Hwy.

Cost: \$3.00/person

RSVP: By November 9, [Online](#) or to Chair
Nancy Cosby below.

Details: This group of average to expert bridge players enjoys playing together. We like the competition and challenge of party bridge and the opportunity to meet new people. Bridge is open to all.

Chair: Nancy Cosby
ncosby@flash.net, 817-360-0494

FUN AND GAMES, continued

Kitchen Bridge**When:** December 6**Where:** Deidre Brightman's home**Cost:** \$2.25**RSVP:** On or after (NOT BEFORE) November 1, [Online](#), or email chairperson below. After three tables are filled you will go on sub list.**Details:** All people on the player list will be contacted before the first of the month with the name and contact information of the hostess for the month. If you wish to be placed on the player list, contact the chair listed below.**Chair:** Mimi Rhea
eerhea@att.net
512-491-0744**Bunco****When:** December 19, 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.**Where:** Directions sent to respondents**Cost:** \$5**RSVP:** By December 15, email
priscilla@planetgabby.com**Details:** Please contact Connie Gardner if you are interested in joining Bunco as a regular member or substitute.**Chair:** Connie Gardner
peplett@aol.com
915-203-4522**Canasta****When:** Mondays, December 4, 11, 18
11 a.m.**Location:** Mimi's Cafe
12613 Galleria Circle
Hill Country Galleria, Bee Cave**RSVP:** See online calendar or email
canasta@austinnewcomers.com
the Sunday before each date.**Details:** We meet every Monday for a relaxing day playing a Hand and Foot version of Canasta, which is easy to learn. New players are invited to join in. You're welcome to play as often as you like, every week or just occasionally. We begin at 11:00 a.m., break for lunch about 12:30 p.m., and continue to play afterward. We order from the menu and get separate checks. Join us for a fun day of cards and conversation with a group of interesting ladies.**Cost:** New players pay a one-time fee of \$15 when they join to cover the cost of cards and supplies.**Chair:** Marti Glycer
martiglycer@hotmail.com**Euchre****When:** December 16, 6:30 p.m.**Where:** TBD**Cost:** \$5**RSVP:** [Online](#) or kasha.action@gmail.com**Details:** BYOB and a dish to pass.**Chair:** Kasha Petrea
kasha.action@gmail.com
716-308-1986

FUN AND GAMES, continued

Ladies Poker

When: No game in December. Enjoy your holiday.

Where: Check back in January

Cost: \$5

RSVP: to inge@austin.rr.com

Chair: Inge Eichberg
inge@austin.rr.com
 512-921-4034

Mah Jongg



When: Thursday, December 14 and 28, 1 p.m.

Where: Café Express
 3418 North Lamar Blvd.

Details: This group plays the American Version of Mah Jongg and uses The National Mah Jongg League card. We welcome anyone who is interested to join us.

Chair: Ruth Ann Plotkin
Ruthann.plotkin@gmail.com
 512-582-0957

Mexican Train



When: We are not playing in December

Where: TBD

Cost: \$2 kitty, lunch on your own

RSVP: psklar1@gmail.com

Details: Mexican Train will not meet in December. The second Wednesday in December will be the ANC annual holiday lunch. I hope to see you there. We will start again on January 10. Have a wonderful December.

Chair: Peggy Sklar
psklar1@gmail.com

Second Sunday Scrabble

When: Sunday, December 10, 3 - 5 p.m.

Where: Russell's Bakery & Coffee Bar
 3339 Hancock Dr.

RSVP: By December 7 to sandytzone@juno.com

Details: Join us for some fun and sample some great food and pastry at this independent Austin business. This group is not competitive.

Chair: Sandy Longstreth
sandytzone@juno.com

Pinochle

When: No meeting in December

Where: Stay tuned for January

RSVP: Nshipley@me.com

Details: All levels of players are welcome. We play single, double, or triple deck Pinochle with lots of laughter. Come join us for an evening of fun.

Chair: Nancy Shipley
nshipley@me.com
 832-236-9909



HEALTH/FITNESS

Happy Trails

When: There will not be a walk in December



Chair: Donna Dauenhauer
donnadau@hotmail.com
 512-852-9535

Hearty Hikers - Hill Town Lake

When: December 12, 9:30 a.m.

Where: Meet at the rock on Veterans Dr. next to Austin High School

Cost: Free with optional lunch by separate check

RSVP: [Online](#)

Details: Come for an easy hike about 4 miles long around the west side of Town Lake. Then enjoy coffee at a place nearby to start off the holiday season and burn off those holiday treats. Wear sturdy shoes, sunglasses, sunscreen, and bring water.

Directions: Park on Veterans Dr. under the MoPac Expy at the start of the Ann and Roy Butler Hike and Bike Trail, next to Austin High School. Meet directly across the street at the rock. For more directions or information contact Beth Holcomb at the email below.

Chair Beth Holcomb
bethholcomb7@gmail.com
 908-963-9731

Golfing Around Austin

When: Monday, December 11

Where: Course to be determined

Cost: Greens fees vary, pay at course

RSVP: [Online](#) by Sunday, December 3

Details: We play a different course around the local area each month and will continue to play the 4-player select best-ball scramble and have a lot of fun. We have players of all abilities, and our goal is to have a lot of fun. So don't be bashful about coming out and playing with us. Once you sign up by the deadline above, I'll call a course, get tee times, and let everyone know when and where we'll be playing. If you have any questions, please e-mail or call me.

Chair/Information: John Cates
jwcates3@gmail.com
 832-814-8402

MUSIC

Live Music Lovers - Graham Reynolds Ruins the Holidays

When: Wednesday, December 20, 7:30 p.m.

Where: Long Center Concert Club

Cost: Tickets are \$25.00

RSVP: Not necessary

Details: Please call me if you have a problem getting tickets.

Chair: Dona Reynolds
grdr@hotmail.com
 713-651-7899

December 2017

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RSVP REQUIRED: [Click here](#) or complete form below



GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING RESERVATION for December 13

Price: \$30 for Holiday Luncheon with Texas Longhorn Singers.

Register and pay Online or register online and send checks payable to Austin Newcomers Club, postmarked by December 8, to Marsha Hayden, 10402 Treasure island Dr., Austin TX 78730

Name(s) _____

Please print

Phone _____

Check one: ☐ Continuing member household ☐ Have not joined yet
☐ 1st dinner/luncheon as member ☐ 2nd dinner/luncheon as member

Austin zip code _____ moved from _____

Guest _____

Please print

We always need greeters at our monthly meetings. It's an easy job and a great way to get acquainted with other Austin Newcomers. Let us know if you are willing to help at this meeting or a future one. The greeter coordinator will call you with additional details.

___ I'm willing to be a greeter at this meeting ___ I'm interested in being a greeter at a future meeting.

Members with dietary restrictions: An alternative menu option is available at regular monthly luncheon meetings. NOTICE IS REQUIRED WITH THE RSVP. Please include specific information regarding your restrictions. YOU ARE FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR MENU SUBSTITUTIONS MADE AT THE EVENT.

Texas folk
music, UT
spirit songs,
holiday music

Welcome New Members

Norman Allen

4407 Ganymede Dr., 78727
512-921-4944

Bill & Julianne Brackin

101 Colorado Street #2902, 78701
832-707-5943
From Anchorage, AK

Dolores Carpenter

2305 Gila Pass, 78734
806-773-5018
From Lubbock, TX

Concetta "Connie" Ferraro

3803 John Simpson Trl, 78732
From: Chicago, Illinois

Angela Genter

325 Mary Elise Way, 78737
661-333-6500
From: Bakersfield, CA

Heidi Maetzold

P O box 6568, 78762
303-324-0520

Jeff and Patty Mitter

15098 Warbler Drive, 78734
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