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# The Lubbock Women's Club

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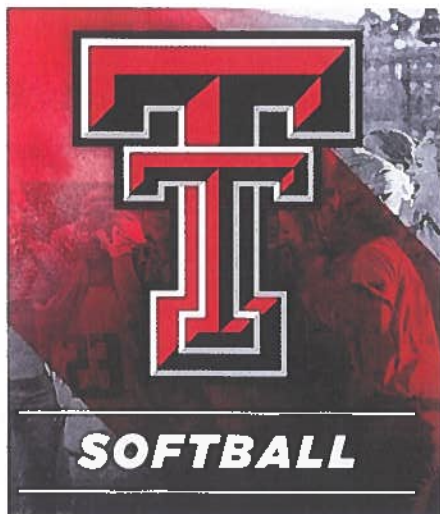
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# September

CLUB CLOSED August 30 - September 1 for Labor Day

Sept 3	Wednesday	Fabulous and Fun Fashions RT: "Fashion Trend Predictions and Style Inspirations for Fall", Dillard's	12:00 noon	\$25
Sept 8	Monday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds RT: "Texas Tech Softball: Fast Tract to WCWS Finals", Head Coach Gerry Glasco	6:00 p.m.	\$25
Sept 11	Thursday	Health and Wellness RT: "Understanding Your Hormones", Kristine Isaacson, R.Ph., PharmD. , Laura Vosen, RN, Kitch Pharmacy	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept 15	Monday	Third Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Sept 15	Monday	JWC: Games Night	6:00 p.m.	\$22
Sept 17	Wednesday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds RT: "Greetings from Lubbock: A Postcard History", Cindy Martin, Lubbock Historical Commission	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept 19	Thursday	Project: LWC/JWC Event: "All Things Texas!" (Ranching Heritage Center)	6:00-9:00 pm	\$100
Sept 22	Monday	Travel and Leisure RT: "OLLI at TTU: Where Everyone Knows Your Name", Penne Richards MFA, Director	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept 25	Thursday	Lubbock Facts, Faces, and Finds RT: "State of the City: How We Are Doing", Mayor Mark McBrayer	12:00 noon	\$20
Sept 25	Thursday	Courier Assembly	1:30 p.m.	
Sept 29	Monday	Fifth Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20



## TEXAS TECH SOFTBALL: FAST TRACK TO SUPER SUCCESS!!

Head Coach Gerry Glasco

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## From the President

*A Legacy of 80 Years 1945-2025*



As August transitions into September, the Lubbock Women's Club marks the beginning of its new club year with the annual Fall Coffee, graciously organized by Dee Ann Holder. This event also celebrates the release of the new yearbook—a special edition commemorating the Club's 80th anniversary. Congratulations to Linda Greenstreet for her instrumental role in assembling this milestone publication. September ushers in a symbolic shift—from summer's spontaneity to fall's structure. Routines return, providing us with a comforting sense of order and stability in an often-unpredictable world. As you plan your September calendar, consider joining us for the engaging events the Club has to offer:

- **Style & Fashion:** Be inspired by the latest trends at the Dillard's Style Show.
- **Sports Spotlight:** Enjoy an evening with Texas Tech University's renowned softball coach, sharing insights into their fast track to the Women's College World Series Finals.
- **Health & Wellness:** Gain valuable knowledge on hormones and your health.
- **Local History:** Discover Lubbock's past through a fascinating postcard collection.
- **Lifelong Learning:** Explore the wide-ranging programs offered by TTU's Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI).
- **City Update:** Hear from Mayor March McBrayer on the current "State of the City."

### Save the Date: All Things Texas!

Join us for a truly Texan evening on **September 19 at 6 p.m.** at the Ranching Heritage Center. This festive event will feature a Western band, dancing, classic Texas barbecue with all the trimmings, and both silent and live auctions. Don't miss the chance to shop for unique items with a signature "Texas flair." We hope to see you there!

- **Historical Note:** On **September 17, 1787**, the U.S. Constitution was adopted—an often-overlooked but foundational moment in American history that enshrined civil liberties still protected today.
- **LWC Historical Note:** From **1941 to 1956-57**, an 18-car garage occupied the site of today's Tea Room and Tea Annex. Initial plans to replace it began in 1950-51 but were delayed until 1956-57 when the Club approved new expansion plans by architects Talmage DeWitt and Arnold Macker. The project, contracted to Norman Igo, came to a bid of \$56,390.

*Nancy Barr*  
NANCY BARR  
LWC PRESIDENT 2025-2026

## Tricia's Corner...

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer! Even though fall is in the air, I'm already preparing for Christmas. Our December calendar is filling up quickly, and the LWC is the perfect place to host holiday parties or enjoy lunch with friends. We always feature excellent food and service, provided by our talented staff, and the Club will be beautifully decorated to elevate your special events and gatherings. Be sure to stop by the front office or see me for further details.

I also want to address a continuing concern with Style Show reservations. Last month, we had 19 no-shows. Unfortunately, this resulted in wasted food and kept ladies on the waiting list from attending. Please remember—if you make reservations in advance and forget to cancel, you will still be charged. If no-shows continue to be a problem, we may have to implement a payment-in-advance plan.

To avoid charges, please call to cancel by NOON the day before the show. Some members are calling after the deadline and are upset when billed, but by that time, our chef has already begun preparing your meal. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in helping us reduce waste and make space for others who wish to attend.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to me directly. I'll be happy to address your concerns.

*Tricia Duncan, General Manager*

### CELEBRATE 80 YEARS OF TRADITION IN STYLE!

Commemorate the 80th anniversary of the Lubbock Women's Club with our exclusive Chanel-inspired tote bag—a timeless accessory with a purpose.

Crafted from durable heavy cotton canvas, this chic two-tone gusseted bag measures 18" x 14"—perfectly sized for everyday use, whether you're running errands or heading to a luncheon. Stylish, functional, and meaningful.

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To purchase, call 806-763-6448 with your credit card, or visit the office to pay by check.

All proceeds support The Lubbock Women's Club and  
The Lubbock Women's Club Historical Foundation.  
Carry your bag with pride—it's more than fashion, it's a legacy.



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From the JWC Corner:



Hello, fall! I am so excited to have cooler weather begin to settle into West Texas, along with football and other fun fall activities. Lubbock seems to come alive with the hustle and bustle of autumn. And so does the Lubbock Women's Club!

This month, the JWC will host its first games night on September 15. We are excited to introduce a secondary opportunity for members to come together and enjoy time with friends while playing their favorite games at the Club. So bring your besties and have a night out!

We are also excited to team up with LWC this year to bring you All Things Texas! on September 19. Don't miss your chance to 'scoot a boot' with live music, auction, delicious BBQ, and the best company around!

There are also several roundtable luncheons at the Club this month to continue building connections, so be sure to stay up to date on our calendar of events and announcements by following us on Facebook or Instagram and visiting our website!

Sincerely,

*Briana Vela*

Briana Vela  
JWC President 2025-2026

# JWC GAME NIGHT

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2025, 6:00 PM, \$22  
RESERVATIONS BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 12:00 NOON

ENJOY YOUR FAVORITE GAMES ON THE THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH AT THE LUBBOCK WOMEN'S CLUB. WHETHER IT'S MAHJONG, BUNCO, BRIDGE, OR OTHER CLASSICS, GRAB A FRIEND AND JOIN US FOR FUN AND FELLOWSHIP! LIGHT SNACKS, WATER, AND WINE PROVIDED.

CHAIRMAN: JOY LEWIS



## WELCOME

New Members



### LWC

Andrea Hitchcock  
Pat Quattromani  
Evelyn Silvas  
Carol Simpson

### JWC

Jodie Hagen  
Nicole Harrison

## Memorials and Donations

### LWC

Donation  
by:  
Natalie Inderman

### LWCHF

Donation  
by:  
Gay and Kevin Atkins

In Memory of Leslie Walker  
by:  
Sharon Grant

Leading Lady Pin  
by:  
Pat Wheeler



# Roundtables

## Third Monday Games

Monday, September 15, 9:30 a.m., \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 12, 12:00 noon  
Co-Chairman: Pat Marse and Pat Rice

## Fifth Monday Games

Monday, September 29, 9:30 a.m., \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 12:00 noon  
Chairman: Joyce Cheatham

# FASHION

## trend

PREDICTIONS & *Inspirations* for Fall

## Dillard's

Wednesday • September 3 • Noon

\$25

Reservations due by noon Tuesday, September 2

Fall will be here soon, and with Dillard's help, we will be ready to embrace it! You will not want to miss the beautiful, versatile styles that Dillard's offers, and hear Brenda's valuable insight on the newest fashion trends.



Committee: Kathy Britton (Chair), Julie Fuller, Stacy James, Alicia Mullins, Julie Snell, Sonia Wierzbka

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## UNDERSTANDING YOUR HORMONES

Kristine Isaacson, RPh, PharmD

Thursday, September 11, 2025, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Wednesday, September 10, 12:00 noon

Do you want to feel better? Do you want to take control of your health and live your best life?

Dr. Kristine Isaacson, owner of KITCH PHARMACY, will share her expertise in understanding and managing our hormone levels. Your hormone levels and hormone balance affect your mood, energy, weight, and overall health. Whether you are dealing with perimenopause or menopause symptoms, this session will empower you to take control of your health and improve your well-being.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to learn from an expert in hormone balance.

Chairman: Connie Karvas

Committee: Dawn Kelley, Marita Tedder, Angela Watson

## Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at TTU:

Where Everyone Knows Your Name

Penne Richards, Director OLLI at TTU

Monday, September 22, 2025, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Friday, September 19, 12:00 noon

Learn about the history of the Bernard Osher Foundation and the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Texas Tech University, how it has evolved over time, and the national impact of the program.

The presentation will spotlight the vibrant learning community at OLLI, the deep partnership with Texas Tech University, and the four Tech campuses it inhabits. We will explore the impressive array of courses and events OLLI hosts, its top-tier instructors, and the profound influence it fosters. Hear about what some OLLI members are saying and experience a glimpse into OLLI, a friendly place where everybody knows your name.

Chairman: Susan Tarrant

Committee: Dawn Kelley, Kathy Lupton, Diana Melcher, Janice Stachowiak, Pat Wheeler, Dianne White

## Greetings From Lubbock: A Postcard History

Cindy Martin,

Lubbock County Historical Commission

Wednesday, September 17, 2025, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by Tuesday, September 16, 12:00 noon

Join us as Lubbock historian Cindy Martin shares a short history of Lubbock, illustrated with historic postcards. She will show you some familiar places in a new (or old) light!

Chairman: Sally Abbe

Committee: Sharlett Chowning, Mary Crites, Beverly Crossnoe, Vikie Sutherland

## State of the City: How Are We Doing? Mayor Mark McBrayer

Thursday, September 25, 2025, 12:00 noon, \$20  
Reservations by  
Wednesday, September 24, 12:00 noon

Join us as we hear Mayor Mark McBrayer's report on the state of Lubbock—the good and the work still to be done. Mark your calendars for September 25!

Chairman: Nancy Wood

Committee: Sherry Blankenship, Sandy Howard, Linda Snider



ALL THINGS TEXAS



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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 • 6-9PM

## RANCHING HERITAGE CENTER

RSUP: [reservations@lubbockwomensclub.com](mailto:reservations@lubbockwomensclub.com)  
or 806-763-6448 or [lubbockwomensclub](http://lubbockwomensclub.com)

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### VENDORS

### MENU

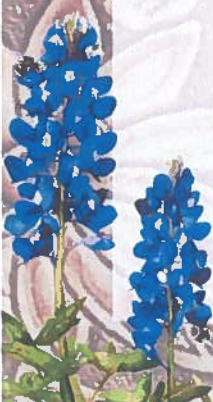
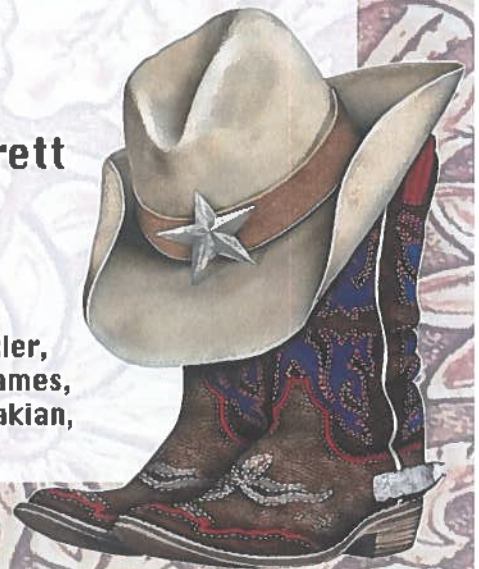
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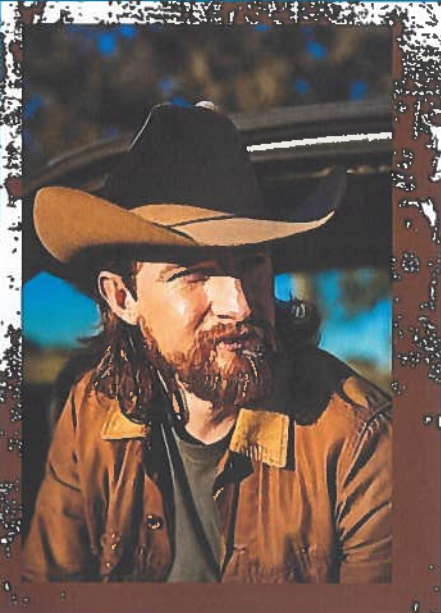
### ENTERTAINMENT

Music by Shae Cosby & Dustin Garrett

Individual tickets: \$100.00

Co-Chairs: Julie Fuller and Amanda Owens  
Committee Members: Gay Atkins, Mary Fran Bixler,  
Kathy Britton, Casie Cearley, Kari Hobbs, Stacy James,  
Charly Johnson, Anita Kittridge, Marissa Ann Melakian,  
Debbie Warmoth and Kay Young





# SAVE-THE-DATE

THE LUBBOCK WOMEN'S CLUB HISTORICAL FOUNDATION AND  
THE WELBORN-PAYNE ENDOWMENT PRESENTS  
OUR FALL SPEAKERS SERIES FEATURING:

## Christian Wallace

CO-CREATOR AND WRITER OF THE HIT TV SERIES "LANDMAN" AND  
FORMER STAFF WRITER FOR "TEXAS MONTHLY"

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 6:00 P.M.

FRAZIER PAVILION, TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY

TICKETS ARE \$125 OR \$90 AND GO ON SALE MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH



# BRING YOUR BOOS

Monday, October 27, 2025  
9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## AUTUMN GAMES BENEFIT "BRING YOUR BOOS"

Monday, October 27, 2025, 9:30 am - 2:00 pm, \$25  
Reservations by Friday, October 24, 12:00 noon



Join us for lots of treats (door prizes), no tricks, and FUN! Whether you play Bridge, Mah Jongg, or any other game, get your friends together and come to the Autumn Games Day Benefit. It's sure to be a fun-filled day—all while benefiting the Lubbock Women's Club.

Chairman: Pat Rice

Committee: Sandra Bennett, Millie Booe, Sandy Core, Kaye Greer, Donna Griffis,  
Cathy Hendrick, Mary Ann Jones, Jeri Saffle, Judy Spoons

## 2025-2026 LWC Yearbooks

The 2025-2026 LWC Yearbooks "A Legacy of 80 Years" are now available! Please plan to pick up your copy at the Club if you did not receive it at the Fall Coffee. You don't want to miss any of the exciting events planned for this year!

## Mark your Calendar

### Christmas Marketplace

Friday, November 7  
11:00 am - 5:00 pm





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## October Calendar of Events

Oct 1	Wednesday	Fabulous and Fun Fashions RT: "Fashion Fall Fashions", STOCK /It's a Girl Thing!	12:00 noon	\$25
Oct 3-5	Friday	JWC: Fall Getaway Trip to Fredericksburg	TBD	TBD
Oct 6	Monday	First Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Oct 9	Thursday	Health and Wellness RT: "Blueprinting Peace of Mind - Planning for the Future", Tonya Combest, RPh, Owner, Combest Funeral Homes	12:00 noon.	\$20
Oct 13	Monday	Participating Clubs / LWC Fall Meeting	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct 14	Tuesday	Heritage & Enrichment RT: "The Legacy of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce", Cathy Porter, VP of Membership and Programs	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct 14	Tuesday	JWC: "Trick or Treat Pumpkin Carving"	6:00 p.m.	\$10
Oct 20	Monday	Third Monday Games	9:30 a.m.	\$20
Oct 20	Monday	JWC Games Night	6:00 p.m.	\$22
Oct 23	Thursday	JWC/LWC: "Favorite Things Luncheon"	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct 23	Thursday	Community Event: LWCHF Fall Speaker Series - Christian Wallace, co-creator and writer of the TV series "Landman" (Frazier Pavillion, TTU)	6:00 p.m.	\$90/ \$125
Oct 24	Friday	Travel and Leisure RT: "The Meaning of the Declaration of Independence", Dory Wiley, Historian/Investment Banker	12:00 noon	\$20
Oct 27	Monday	Autumn Games Benefit: "Bring Your Boos"	9:30 am-2pm	\$25
Oct 29	Wednesday	Heritage & Enrichment RT: "Clothing and Textile Treasures", Marian Ann Montgomery, PhD, Curator, Clothing and Textiles, Texas Tech University Museum	12:00 noon	\$20

Article Deadline Reminder: September 1 for October Courier. Please email articles to Janice Stachowiak at [janstachowiak94@gmail.com](mailto:janstachowiak94@gmail.com).

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