

The Newsletter of Baylor Round Table

A Warm Baylor Round Table Welcome!

Membership in Round Table began for me 15 years ago as a way to meet other women within the Baylor community, and that goal has certainly been accomplished - but it has provided so much more exposure to imaginative and stimulating programs, enjoying our talented students, lovely luncheons, teas and dinners held in various locations across our beautiful campus, participation in engaging interest groups, community service projects, student scholarship support and, oh yes - many wonderful friends with whom I have served on a variety of projects through the years. Baylor Round Table reaches across departments/schools/colleges and age boundaries. It truly is a microcosm of what makes Baylor unique.

Please consider exploring the possibilities and go beyond just paying your dues. Join an interest group, attend as many programs as you can, and yes.... Please come, let's be friends!

Warmest Regards,

Marilyn Eichelberger

President, Baylor Round Table 2010-2011

Newcomers Brunch

The Newcomers will be introduced to Round Table at the annual Newcomers Brunch Saturday, August 28, at 10:00 a.m. at the Mayborn Museum.

The Newcomers will hear from the chairs of the Program and Interest Group committees about activities that they can engage in throughout the year. They will also be given an introduction to attractions at Baylor and in the Waco community. Descriptions of these attractions will be accompanied by fabulous door prizes.

Newcomers who indicate an interest will be matched with mentors from Round Table who can help them with any questions they may have as they get settled in.

If you'd like to be a mentor, please contact Lorin Matthews (Lorin_Matthews@baylor.edu). The Newcomers and their mentors will have a chance to all get together at an ice cream social to be held Sunday, October 10.

Lorin Matthews
Newcomers Committee Chair

Annual Membership Tea

Please plan to attend the Baylor Round Table Annual Membership Tea to be held Friday, October 1, 2010, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m., at the Albritton House.

The tea will be hosted by Mrs. Alice Starr, Baylor's First Lady; Marilyn Eichelberger, President, Baylor Round Table; and the Baylor Round Table Executive Board.

We hope you can join us to meet new friends and learn of plans for the coming year.

And **don't forget** to bring eligible co-workers to the tea so they can join too.

A Message from the Scholarship Fundraising Committee

Hi everyone. Hope you are having wonderful vacations in spite of the heat!

Martha Lou and I met recently with our committee and we are so excited about the Silent Auction in December. We will also have gift baskets like we had at the Style show and cards. If you know you will probably be interested in either of these, tell us and that will help us plan how many to have for purchase. We have many wonderful items for the auction so come prepared to bid!!!

We need baskets!!!!If you have some that you do not need , please drop them off at Martha Lou's office at the SLIC. You can park by the Student Life door and someone inside will be glad to take them from you!

Donate any gourmet food items, gift items, kitchen gadgets, etc., for the baskets.

If you have items for the auction, bring them to Martha Lou or call Madelyn, and she will come after them. You could also give them to members of our committee which I will list below.

Thanks so much for any help you can give us. Remember our scholarship is very important to us and to some student!

Madelyn Jones and Martha Lou Scott
Chairs, Scholarship Fundraising Committee

Members: Joyce Packard, Judy Maggard, Dovalee Dorset, Bonnie Luft and Marilyn Eichelberger

Upcoming Fall Events - Mark Your Calendar Now

- October 12 – Luncheon with Alice Starr and Former Waco Mayor Virginia DuPuy speaking on women and the Baylor/Waco connection
 - November 16 – International Student Thanksgiving Dinner
 - December 2 – Christmas Luncheon and Chamber Singers Concert
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Interest Group Updates

Interest group sign-up sheets will be available at the Membership Tea on October 1st. Interest groups are the perfect way to connect with other Round Table members throughout the year to fellowship with each other and serve the Baylor and Waco communities.

If you have an idea for an interest group or you would like to lead a group please contact Judy Maggard at 710-8510 or Judy_Maggard@baylor.edu.

For additional information about Round Table, visit our website at:
<http://www.baylor.edu/baylorroundtable/>