



LEOH (Life Enrichment of Houston) - September 19, 2019 Newsletter

(Pardon the Progress! Our Fall Session is in temporary locations, while church renovation continues. We will be in newly renovated church areas for the Spring Session.)



WELCOME to the first day of the Fall Session of LEOH's 39th Year!

Judy Bristol is recovering nicely from recent shoulder surgery. We wish her well!

Newsletter publish date

Members will receive the weekly newsletter via email, prior to Thursday class days. There will continue to be a limited number of printed newsletters available on class days.

LEOH Trips

The Summer trips were a big success!

Check out the LEOH website and photo album to see pictures/details of previous trips.

Trip leader Ann Fairchild (fairann@sbcglobal.net) will be notifying everyone by email a few weeks in advance of upcoming trips. Stay tuned! And remember...once you sign up, notify Ann immediately if you cannot go, so someone else may have the opportunity.

Book/Magazine/CD/Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange

Borrow a book, magazine, CD, or puzzle, and return when done. New this fall are the puzzles, as well as an alphabetical list of our books by author (please keep the books alphabetized)! As always, you may keep what you choose from a selection of note pads, cards, calendars, pens.

Don't forget your Name Tag!

Please pick up your name tag from the LEOH box, if you haven't already done so. Oops—not there?! Did you leave it in your car/home? If it is apparently gone forever, please sign the pad at the registration desk to get a new one. Remember, we all need help learning (and remembering) who we all are, particularly new members!

THIS THURSDAY'S HAPPENINGS

- 9:00 a.m. **BASIC SPANISH CLASS (Room 139)** (taught by Maura Rodriguez, MD)
REGISTRATION (\$20) continues in the Family Life Center before 10:00 a.m. and following lunch. And donations are always welcome as part of registration, and/or when paying for lunch, to help defray LEOH costs.
- 10:00 a.m. **WHAT'S UP, HOUSTON? (Rooms 136/137)**
 JUSTIN RILEY, Senior Public Safety Planner, H-GAC, discusses Homeland Security and Emergency Management.
- 11:00 a.m. **TOWN HALL (Rooms 136/137)**
 MICHAEL J. MENDOZA, Sustainability Manager, University of Houston, tells us what drew him to this work, what he has been able to accomplish at UH, and what still needs to be done, especially in light of the needs of our larger society.
- 11:55 a.m. **LUNCH DRAWING (Rooms 136/137)**
 On the first Thursday that a member attends, they will add their name to the LEOH bowl upon arrival that morning. The lucky person whose name is drawn will enjoy a free lunch! Lunch is also free this day for first-time visitors and new members.
- 12:00 p.m. **LUNCH (Family Life Center)**
 Enjoy a change this fall to **Firehouse Subs!** The sub, chips, dessert, and a drink, are still the bargain price of \$3. (Donations are still welcome, too, of course!)
- 12:45 p.m. **Social Bridge (Family Life Center)** coordinator Jean Vorhaben
Year-Round Bridge (Room 138) coordinator Pat Roberts
- 1-3:30 p.m. **Watercolor Painting (Family Life Center)** acclaimed instructor Marie Schaeer



NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKERS: Check out your brochure or your upcoming emailed newsletter for details!

A REMINDER: HOW DID LEOH START, AND WHEN?

In 1981, Eveleth (Dickie) Harshman, a retired teacher and member of Bethany UMC, shared and nurtured her vision with other churches and organizations: a senior group that would embrace educational and spiritual growth. She was successful – LEOH can also stand for Life, Energy, Optimism, and Hope!

LEOH questions? Contact Ken Euler at ken@bethanyumc.org or 713-664-5740. And check the website, leohtexas.org
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