

The NEWCOMER

Lake Barcroft Newcomers' Club Newsletter



February, 2002

February 9th

Valentine's Dinner

6:30 PM

Newcomers' Club 2002 Calendar

February 9 th	Valentine's Dinner
March 16 th	St. Patrick's Day Party
April 20 th	Casino Night
May 11 th	Weenie Roast
June 22 nd	Beer Brewing Party
July 4 th	Fireworks
September 2 nd	Labor Day Games
September 21 st	Barge Party
October 19 th	October Fest
November 16 th	Turkey Bowl
December 14 th	Holiday Gift Exchange

Board Meeting

Date: Tuesday, February 5th, 2002

Place: The home of Sue and Amon Nixon
3408 Greentree Drive

Time: 7:30 p.m.

R.S.V.P.: lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Amon Nixon at 575-9404

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!! Come join the Newcomers' Board at our next meeting on Tuesday, February 5th, at the home of Sue and Amon Nixon. All newcomers are welcome and encouraged to attend Board meetings. It is the easiest way to check out the club and see how you can participate.

Valentine's Dinner

Date: Saturday, February 9th

Time: 6:30 Cocktails
7:30 Dinner

Cost: \$12 to \$15 per entrée

Place: Fort Myer Officers' Club
Arlington, Virginia

Dress: Coat and tie

RSVP: lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Amon Nixon at 575-9404 by **Wednesday, Feb 6th**.

Newcomers' hospitality hosts, Joann and David Dale, have invited us to join them as their guests for cocktails and dinner at the Fort Myer Officers' Club on Saturday, February 9th. The Club's entrées include its popular Prime Rib dinner as well as a variety of other selections. Accomplished musicians stroll among the tables to add to the ambiance of the evening. If you plan to join us for this Newcomers' Club event, **you will need to RSVP by Wednesday, February 6th**, as the

guest list must be provided to Fort Myer well in advance. We are sorry that we will not be able to accommodate late requests because of security procedures at this military facility.

LBA Board Elections on Tuesday, February 19th

The Lake Barcroft Association Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 19th at 7:30 PM at Belvedere Elementary School. At this time, elections for the Board of Directors will be held. As promised, here are names of those members of the Newcomers' Club who are running for the board. They are **Peter Browne, Diane Davidson, Amon Nixon, Barbara McGrew, and Mike Spivey**. The Lake Barcroft Newsletter contains detailed resumes of these candidates as well as others who are running for positions on the board. You are encouraged to read about all of the candidates and, if you are so inclined, to please give these newcomers your thoughtful consideration when casting your ballot.

Casino Night

On Saturday, April 20th, we are planning an evening of Black Jack, Craps, and Roulette to benefit a local charity. But we wonder if there is enough interest and/or support for this activity. Please let us know your opinions and comments by responding to lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or Amon Nixon at 703 575 9404.



Upcoming event

St. Patrick's Day Party

If you want the luck o' the Irish for the comin' year, you'd be wise to join us for this event on Saturday, March 16th! This is the evening of our annual St. Patrick's Day Party at the home of Kendra and Steve Biegalski complete with a wee bit o' Irish dancin' by our spry hostess! Look for further details in the March Newsletter. You won't want to miss this evenin' of Irish frolickin'.

Happy Valentine's Day!

Event Wrap-Up

Chili Cook Off



Photos courtesy of Curtis Haymore.

The weather outside was mild but things were warming up inside the home of Dave Feld where the Newcomers held their Chili Cook off. Nine entries were offered, each different in taste, ingredients and texture. Although none was hot enough to bring tears to the eyes, all were tasty and satisfying. The much-coveted Barcroft t-shirts were awarded to the top four entries—Donna Black, Seth Davidson, Paul Imse, and Ellen Meinhart. Chips, cornbread and salsa rounded out the menu. Afterwards everyone settled back to watch the NFL playoffs on Dave's stadium-sized TV set. Thanks to Dave for hosting this enjoyable event.



Community Listserve

George McLennan is the development coordinator of the Lake Barcroft website (www.lakebarcroft.org) and listserv. The website and listserv are now up and running. The website has great information about the history of Lake Barcroft, neighborhood news and events, and community information including Newcomer's Club activities. Visit Lake

Barcroft on the web today at www.lakebarcroft.org! If you'd like to subscribe to the Lake Barcroft listserv, send an e-mail message to lakebarcroft-subscribe@yahoo.com and put the text "subscribe" in the subject line. You'll receive details back about how to participate. The listserv is a great way to obtain information from your fellow neighbors on contractors, home repairs, crime reports, pest problems, etc. Sign up today!

E-mail Newsletter

Reminder: If you need to add or update your email address, please notify us at lbnewcomers@yahoo.com. We much prefer to distribute the newsletter by e-mail, so please let us know if you have an e-mail address.

Newcomers' Board

President:	Amon Nixon	575-9404
VP:	Beth Wadle	298-4279
Secretary/Newsletter:	Ruth Krynski	941-0714
Treasurer:	Mary Larson	750-6876
Hospitality:	David Dale	933-1469
Membership:	Leigh Gonzalez	914-1208
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PR:	Bill Wasylyk	671-3529
LBA Liaison:	Sue Nixon	575-9404
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Lake Barcroft Newcomers' Club Membership Form

Names of Household Members:

Street Address _____

Falls Church, VA Zip Code _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Is this a new membership? Yes No

New Member Move-in Date: _____

***Membership dues for fiscal year 2002 are \$15 per household. Please renew your family membership by Oct. 1, 2001.

**Please send your Membership Form to the
Newcomers' Club treasurer, Mary Larson, at
3505 Farm Hill Dr., Falls Church, VA 22044. Make
checks payable to LB Newcomers.**