

The NEWCOMER

Lake Barcroft Newcomers' Club Newsletter



December, 2002

December 10 th	Board Meeting	7:30 PM
December 12 th	RSVP Holiday Gift Exchange	
December 14 th	Holiday Gift Exchange	7:00 PM *
		* note change of time
January 11 th	Dinner on the town	TBA

Calendar of events

December 10 th	Board Meeting
December 12 th	RSVP Holiday Party
December 14 th	Holiday Gift Exchange
January 11 th	Dinner on the town

Board Meeting

Date: Tuesday, December 10th, 2002
Place: The home of Joanne and David Dale
6303 Beachway Drive
Time: 7:30 P.M.
R.S.V.P.: lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Amon Nixon at 575-9404
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!! The Newcomers' Board will meet to put the finishing touches on the Holiday Gift Exchange Party. This is a great way to meet your neighbors and serve the community. Hope to see you there.

Holiday Gift Exchange



Joe Pisciotta, our resident Santa, explained the gift exchange rules at last year's party.

Date: Saturday, December 14th
Time: 7:00 PM (*note: change of time*)
Place: The home of Leigh and Bob Gonzalez
6306 Crosswoods Circle (*note: change of place*)
Cost: \$10 for members and \$12 for non-members
Dress: Casual

Bring: If your last name begins with the letters A–M, please bring an hors d'oeuvres. For letters N–Z, a dessert or unspiked eggnog.

RSVP Deadline: Thursday, December 12th. Please respond to lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Amon Nixon at 575-9404

This year, the party will begin at **7:00 PM**, a half hour *earlier* than last year. (You may need to correct your calendar as the November Newsletter stated that it would begin at 7:30 PM!)

Each attendee is asked to bring a gift (recommended not to exceed \$15) to share in this fun-filled gift exchange! The gift may be fun or serious, but expect a few white elephants! Everyone who brings a gift will draw for a gift. If a couple wants to bring only a single gift, they will draw for one gift together.

Event Wrap-up

Saturday, November 16, saw the Newcomers' gather at the Annandale AMF bowling lanes for the first Newcomers' Turkey Bowl. While the skies outside poured rain into the gutters, the Newcomers poured bowling balls by the dozens into the gutters inside.

With 10 lanes at our disposal, there was plenty of room to handle the families who turned out to participate. There were even two special lanes with guide rails set aside for some of the youngest bowlers (although some of the older bowlers could have benefited by using those lanes, too!)

Some of the high scores of the day were turned in by Nancy and David Goslen and Dan Phillips.

While none of the participants will be turning pro or appearing on Bowling for Dollars any time soon, everyone enjoyed the companionship and spirit of the day. *See photos in this newsletter courtesy of Joe Pisciotta.*

A Special Thanks to our Benefactors

The Newcomers' would like to take this opportunity to give a special thanks to two organizations that have generously supported us recently.

Lori Welsh, a lake resident and fellow Newcomer, arranged to have Barton Distributors donate the wine for the September Barge party. We wish to thank both Lori and Barton for the generous contribution. The party would not have been nearly as successful without their help.

Further thanks are extended to John Ross (another lake resident and Newcomer) and the Capital City Brewing Company. John and Capital City supplied two different types of beer for the Octoberfest party. Their contributions certainly put the Oomph Pa in the evenings festivities. Next time everyone is trying to decide where to go for an evening dinner and drink, let's remember Capital City Brewing and John.

So, to both Lori and John, a grand thank you for your participation and support. The rest of the Newcomers appreciate your efforts on our behalf.

**January 11th
Dinner on the town**

Our January event this year will be dinner at a local restaurant. See our January newsletter for the time and place to visit with friends and neighbors *and* help plan the year's events. Don't have any ideas? Come anyway. The more the merrier. If you do have a suggestion, here is your opportunity to be heard. Please mark your calendar and join us. Watch for an email message in your mailbox as well as on Lake Link.

Newest Newcomers

Welcome to Lake Barcroft's newest Newcomers:

Gordon and Paloma Leigh 6357 Lyric Lane 22044
Marie & Karina Wright

Rob and Chandra Hanes 6423 Crosswoods Drive 22044

Natasha Rocheleau 3416 Rustic Way 22044

Christy and Bill Herz 6538 Jay Miller Drive 22041

Newcomers' Board

President:	Amon Nixon	575-9404
VP:	Paul Imse	256-9506
Secretary:	Ruth Krynski	941-0714
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Hospitality:	David Dale	933-1469
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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 2003 are \$15 per household. Please renew your family membership by Oct. 1, 2002.

**Please send your Membership Form to the
Newcomers' Club treasurer, Ruth Krynski, at
6508 Jay Miller Drive, Falls Church, 22041.
Make checks payable to LB Newcomers.**

Turkey Bowl Photos

Photos courtesy of Joe Pisciotta

