

The NEWCOMER

Lake Barcroft Newcomers' Club Newsletter



November 2003

November 10 th	Board Meeting	7:30 PM
December 8 th	Board Meeting	7:30 PM
December 13 th	Holiday Gift Exchange	7:30 PM

Calendar of Events

October 1 st	Begins membership for 2003-2004 year (<i>form on page 2</i>)
November 10 th	Board Meeting
December 8 th	Board Meeting
December 13 th	Holiday Gift Exchange

Two Upcoming Board Meetings

Date: Monday, November 10th, 2003
Place: The home of Sharon Friedman and Paul Imse
6512 Jay Miller Drive
Time: 7:30 P.M.
RSVP: lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Paul Imse at 256-9506.

AND

Date: Monday, December 8th, 2003
Place: The home of Ruth and Peter Krynski
6222 Edgewater Drive
Time: 7:30 P.M.
RSVP: lbnewcomers@yahoo.com or call Paul Imse at 256-9506

PLEASE JOIN US! During these Board Meetings, we will finalize the details for our Holiday Party and look ahead to next year's plans. **Come find out how you can help with Newcomers', too.**

Newcomers' Holiday Party on December 13th

Don't miss this party! If past experience is any indication, as many as a hundred newcomers and *oldtimers* will attend this last club event of 2003 at the home of Diane and Seth Davidson. Where else will you find so many congenial friends and neighbors converging on one place for good food, drink, and comradery? Look for details in our December newsletter and please try to be there!

October Event Wrap-up

Fall is here and it is a time of change. Leaves fall from the trees, winter clothes come out of the storage closet, and the Newcomers' Club elects officers for the upcoming

year. On October 19th, we did just that at Rio Bravo Restaurant. As we said farewell to Amon Nixson and greeted Paul Imse as our new prez, we dined on Central and South American inspired dishes along with some Tex-Mex favorites.



(Photo courtesy of Ed Schwarz.)

September Event Wrap-up

Hey! What's a Category Two hurricane to committed party folk? Nothing stops us! Just a quick adjustment to the calendar and we're back in business. A huge thank you goes to our hosts for this year's barge party, Gary and Debbie McManis and Jerry and Nancy Greene. Not only did they open their homes and lovely, terraced grounds to us but they rolled up their sleeves and helped set up beforehand. About 120 of us enjoyed a lake cruise before dining on a wonderful catered dinner, Hawaiian style. Thanks to the committee for your hard work and to our barge hosts and hostesses who motored us around in the crisp, autumn air.

(Photo courtesy of Paul Imse.)



Newcomers' Board

President:	Paul Imse	256-9506
VP:	David Dale	658-4518
Secretary:	Ruth Krynski	820-5791
Treasurer:	Carolyn Coldren	671-4029
Hospitality:	(A member like you)	
Membership:	Christy Herz	256-5533
Web Liaison:	Charles Turner	354-8630
PR:	Bill Wasyluk	671-3529

Happy Turkey Day!

Newest Newcomers

Welcome to Lake Barcroft's Newest Newcomers:

Ramon and Nancy Garcia	6358 Waterway Drive
Ann Simon	3802 Whispering Lane
Robert Farrell and Stephen Gammicchia	3605 Whispering Lane
Matt Peterson and Claudia Frutos-Peterson	3544 Half Moon Circle
Rick Malone and Jaime Bowerman	6319 Cavalier Corridor
Shane Olson and Alison Ruh	3409 Barger Drive
Jim and Dian Kaputa	3320 Potterton Drive
Matthew and Cherie McDowell C.J. Baltz	6211 Waterway Drive
Paige Kremser and Chris Stenrud	6217 Beachway Drive
Mark Rosker and Natalie Gluck	6201 Waterway Drive
Hai-Ly Lam	6248 Columbia Pike
Jeff and Ginny Pollack	3414 Blair Road
Julie and Rick Uritus	6408 Lyric Lane
David Schneder and Karen Snyder	6508 Jay Miller Drive
Gregory Kinzelman	6321 Beachway Drive

Letter to Amon Nixon

Dear Amon,

The good news (for you) is that your term as President of Newcomers' is over. The bad news (for us) is that your term as President of Newcomers' is over.

We are really indebted to you for your time, leadership and talents over the past couple of years. Your good ideas found fertile soil in new and interesting events. Your good humor helped us over bumps in the road as the unexpected required last minute adjustments, rescheduling and rethinking. You kept our meetings short and to the point. You kept us working as a team to achieve wonderful things for ourselves and the community. Most of all, you kept Newcomers' focused on the goal of making sure everyone had fun. As we express our appreciation, we cannot forget your wife, and best friend, Sue. The title was yours, but we all know that she contributed mightily to our success during your term.

"Thank you" hardly seems adequate. Know that you are appreciated and that your contributions will not be forgotten. Know also that you have many more anonymous friends throughout the Lake because of what you have accomplished as President.

Even though you have laid this burden down, we know that you are not gone. The Fourth of July is not that far away, and our Leader of the Pyromaniacs will be back in the saddle again.

It is now my turn to try to fill the large shoes you have left for me. If I can do nearly as well as you have done as President, I will have done very well indeed.

Thank you.

Paul Imse

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 2004 are \$15 per household. Please renew your family membership by Oct. 1, 2003.

**Please send your Membership Form to the
Newcomers' Club Secretary, Ruth Krynski, at
6222 Edgewater Drive, Falls Church, 22041.
Make checks payable to LB Newcomers.**