

# ACCT



Our Mission: To provide compassionate community based education and services that empower people of all ages to live courageously with HIV/AIDS.

## ACCT NEWSLETTER

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- The San Luis is once again throwing our 4th of July Party on Thursday, June 27th. Plan to join us and call Jake for van transportation. ACCT will be closed Thursday, July 4th. Happy 4th!
- The “Wellness Group” meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays after lunch.
- “Lee’s Art Lessons” - This month we are making “bugs”, but fun, cute ones. Join us at the Center on Tuesday, July 9th, from 11 a.m.–2 p.m. We will be serving lunch and it is FREE. Transportation is available so call Jake at 763-2437 to be picked up.
- The Houston Volunteer Lawyers will be at ACCT on Thursday, June 25th at 9 a.m. Call Sean to make an appointment or to discuss what services they offer.
- The UTMB nursing students have volunteered make lunch for the clients on Thursday, July 25th. What a great group of students they are and really helped our clients and staff.
- Lynn Selzer with Gilead Pharmaceuticals will speak on, “Sticking to Your HIV Treatment” on Thursday, July 25th.
- Our monthly movie day is on the 4th Tuesday of the month. This month it will be on July 23rd from 11 a.m. –2 p.m. A newly released movie will be shown and we will be having popcorn and a tasty lunch. Call Jake for a ride.
- The CAB Group will start meeting on the 4th Thursday of each month.

Well, summer is upon us! You can tell it is summer in Galveston when you have to take the back roads to avoid the traffic and the Gulf is no longer refreshing on a hot day. Speaking of hot days, please remember to take care of yourselves out there. It is going to get hotter before it gets any cooler so remember to drink water, Try to get your tasks done outside before the heat of the day and watch alcohol consumption in the heat, which can actually dehydrate you very quickly. If you need a place to cool off, come by the center and watch a little television in the a/c.

*Mark*

## **THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU**

- Dr. Patel for sharing all her knowledge on HIV and Aging
- 2 lunches donated by Jerry and Mike Eubank in Memory of Carlos Guerguin and Doug Shulz
- Our great cook Andrea for the super Frito Casserole and Garlic Bread
- Tideway's Lunch Bunch for being there for us at lunch EVERY month. Brack you the man.
- ShyKatz for the always WONDERFUL desserts (the Chocolate Bread Pudding was unbelievable
- To the great Nursing Students—Brett, Christa, Chrystal, Katelyn, Keeley, Michael, Mike and Molly and alllll their help with the Brunch Center pieces, decorating and for hauling art for the Sponsor Party
- Kara & Tara for donating their Birthday Bash monies to ACCT
- Bill & Michael for the super bike we raffled at the brunch and donated by Milltello
- V.J. for the fabulous Liquor Basket we also raffled and made over \$1,300 for both

## **FRIENDS FEEDING FRIENDS**

We have had a great response to our "Friends" program. We find we are in need of sponsorships for lunches in August. If you are interested in donating a lunch, we feed 30-40 clients per week and a lunch sponsorship is \$100, Please call Pam at 763-2437.

## **WISH LIST**

- Lee has a wish for his art classes. He needs aprons for our clients so they do not get paint on their clothes. Also, if you have any art or craft supplies he could use them. Lee uses anything and EVERYTHING.
- There is always a need for cat and dog food for our client's "babies"
- We are trying to build a "clothes closet" for our clients and would love to take your gently used shoes and clothes both male and female any size.
- As summer approaches, we find ourselves in need of hygiene product donations. This would include soap, shampoo, tooth paste and brushes and deodorant,

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