

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

- For the New Year, we will be having a “Good Luck” Luncheon on Thursday, January 2nd at noon with ham, black eyed peas and cabbage for a healthy, wealthy new year.
- The “Wellness Group” meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays after lunch. The Group is facilitated by our Marianna, Rex and Ryan from Southside Pharmacy. It is growing, so come be a part of something wonderful.
- Lee’s Art Lessons have been moved to the 2nd Thursday of each month. This month the art project is on Thursday, January 9th at 11:00. We missed Lee last month so we did not hear plans for this month so it will be a surprise! Come join in the fun.
- The Houston Volunteer Lawyers will be here Thursday, January 16th. Call to make an appointment or to discuss what services they offer.
- Movie Day is back and will be on Tuesday, January 28th at 11 a.m. Lunch will also be served, Call Darron for transportation.
- We celebrate the month’s birthdays on Thursday, January 30th. Thank you Charlene for giving all the wonderful cakes from ShyKatz!

FANTASTIC CHRISTMAS LUNCH

A SUPER BIG Thank you to all who made the Christmas Lunch one of the best ever! From Bill’s fabulous decorations (he out did himself) to Nathan who spearheaded the gift bags with lots of help from the Galveston.Com group of Jim, Lee and all their staff who jumped in and set a record for making 60 bags, putting up tables, setting them and decorating in just 1 1/2 hours! **Whew!**

Then comes the lunch created by Don and David of Miller’s Seawall Grill and their staff. The fruit salad, turkey, smoked pork, dressing, yams, green beans, corn casserole and of course their Huge rolls were all out of this world. However, the tower of desserts was UNBELIEVABLE! David is the pastry chef and he proved his expertise with the “to die for” pecan tarts, gooey, yummy chocolate cake and of course the excellent Italian Cream Cake. Thanks also to servers and workers: Carrie, Nathan, Charlene, Candy, George, Bill, Michael, Jim, Lee, Steve, Cheryl and of course Don and David. **THANK YOU!**

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- The super Newsletter team—Sandra S., Dianna B., George M. and Robert with occasional entertainment by Mark!
- Thanksgiving servers and clean-up crew: George, Joe, Tim, Lynda, Carrie and Steven C.
- Tideway's Lunch Bunch super chicken enchiladas, beans and rice!
- The very fun loving Trinity Ladies: Sue P., Jacque E., Catherine P. & Mary Lou S. who served ham, our favorite tater tots, green beans and killer cranberry salad with a tasty cake by Trish C.
- Unitarian Universalists (aka the U.U.s) for collecting travel size hygiene products and cat, dog food, treats and even animal toys and diapers!
- Marianna taking the lead for the art class (when Lee was under the weather) with lots of help from board member Charlene and nursing student Sarah who just happened to pop by
- ALL Who donated to the raffle—small appliances i.e. toasters, pot & pans, crock pots, can openers, towels—all were GREATLY appreciated

FRIENDS FEEDING FRIENDS

Our newest friends donating to the lunch program, "Friends Feeding Friends" are Kelly and Jeremy Haas and our own artist Danny Pickett. Also on board quarterly this year, is the San Luis Hotel who has provided our 4th of July lunch for years. We appreciate their commitment and look forward to some tasty lunches. If you are interested in donating a lunch, we feed 30-40 clients per week and a lunch sponsorship is \$100. Another opportunity to help with lunch is if you like to cook but cannot afford to buy the food, call us to see if we have any available funds. Please call Pam at 763-2437.

WISH LIST

- Rolls of stamps for the newsletter. We send by "snail mail" approx. 300 each month. This is considered "Administration" and the grants will not cover the cost. Forever stamps are just 46 cents until the end of January when they go up to 49 cents!
- Our clients can always use gently worn clothes especially warm ones for this unseasonably cold weather.

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