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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Thank you all for a wonderful 2018. Many new members have joined, new ideas and innovations have come forward, and friendships continue to grow! I am looking forward to 2019 and the years beyond to build on the progress of 2018. But, we need your help too. Please attend our activities and programs, and invite guests to come and join in. We all must support our club!!

To that end, we will be making some changes as of January. We will be moving most of our activities to the Whitefish Bay Woman's Club and ceasing the use of Lydell. Supplementing that, we have been graciously given free use of the Bavarian Bier Haus on select days, which we will use for additional activities, most notably Bingo. Please note our office, address and phone number will remain the same. The calendar which will be included with the January-February newsletter will contain specifics. But still plan on Monday, Wednesday and Friday for most of the activities, with our monthly program still on Thursdays.

Inflation has hit the Club, just as it has most everywhere else. Accordingly, our Board has voted to raise the dues to \$25.00 per individual and \$35.00 per couple. Contributions are always appreciated as well. Please read Rosalie Peevy, our Treasurer's article. Special thanks to Rosalie, Jean Schramm, Mary O'Byrne and Jan Tishberg for their articles in this newsletter.

We wish you a...

Blessed Thanksgiving, a Happy Hanukkah, a Merry Christmas, and a New Year filled with good health and happiness!

TRY THESE DELICIOUS HOLIDAY RECIPES

THANKSGIVING CORN BREAD 1 can regular corn (drained), 1 can sweet corn (drained), 1 cup sour cream, 1 stick melted butter, 1 8oz. package Jiffy Corn Muffin Mix, shredded cheese of your choice, to taste. **DIRECTIONS**: Preheat oven to 350. Mix all ingredients except the cheese. Place mixture in greased glass baking pan. Bake for 50 mins, top with cheese. Bake an additional 10 minutes, or until cheese melts.

CHRISTMAS APPLE CRISP 1, 9x13 pan filled with apples, 3/4 cup water, 1 cup sugar, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1 cup and 1 tablespoons flour, 1.5 sticks butter, cinnamon and salt to taste. **DIRECTIONS**: Preheat oven to 350. Sprinkle apples with cinnamon and salt, water over apples. Mix sugar, brown sugar, flour, and butter together. When fully mixed, crumble like pie crust, spreading evenly over top the apples. Bake for 75 minutes, or until golden brown.

KING KOLE BLINTZ FOR HANUKAH BRUNCH 2 packages King Kole Cheese Blintzes, .25 lb. butter, 4 well-beaten eggs, 1.5 cup sour cream, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 tablespoon orange juice. DIRECTIONS: Preheat oven to 350. Melt butter in 2 qt. casserole and place blintzes over butter in one layer. Blend remaining ingredients with eggs, pour over Blintz. Bake 45 minutes, until top starts to brown. Serve with powdered sugar, strawberries, raspberries or sour cream.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DREAMS AND YOU Do you dream? What are you dreaming about? Let noted expert Rabbi Jay Brickman discuss the mysterious subject of dreams and interpret the meaning of your dreams. Please jot down what your most recent dreams are about for Rabbi Brickman's interpretation. Then following that, please join the Rabbi and your fellow guests for a desert reception.

WHEN: Tuesday, November 13th; performance at 1:00pm | WHERE: Whitefish Bay Woman's Club, 600 E. Henry Clay | Cost: \$5.00 donation

HOLIDAY PARTY | Please join your fellow members and their guests for our annual gala of great food, entertainment, fun, and comradery. In addition to a delicious catered lunch by Ferrantes, we will be royally entertained by the renowned David Drake who will present a variety of songs of the season. Please RSVP to the Club by calling 414-204-8220 and leaving your name(s) no later than November 29th!

WHEN: Thursday, December 6th, 12:00pm WHERE: Whitefish Bay Woman's Club, 600 E. Henry Clay COST: \$22.00

MOVIES AT MARCUS

Join us at Marcus North Shore Movie Theater in Mequon for a fun filled time with your LX and Boomer friends at a 1st Run Movie, accompanied by hot buttered popcorn and comfortable seating. Great deals on tickets! Ticket price for members \$3.00; non-members \$4.00. Price includes popcorn and a dessert reception after the movie.

Movies are shown the first Wednesday of each month. Check in at 6:00, movie starts promptly at 6:30. For information and reservations call the LX Club at 414-204-8220, or Jan at 414-228-1882. Please leave a message with your phone number and we will return your call.

CONTRIBUTIONS

The LX Club provides the North Shore area with musical programs, special lunches, evening movies, special and educational speakers, as well as board and card games for your enjoyment. However, due to inflation over the years, our expenses now exceed our income.

We are a non-profit organization whose only source of income is the dues we receive from you as members. We do have a savings account which was started years ago to build a senior center for our community. People and businesses were generous with their contributions, but the senior center was never built. Eventually the funds were put into a savings account and we have been using these funds to subsidize expenses which exceed our income. This account is slowly being depleted by approximately \$6,000.00 per year. The Villages of Fox Point and Bayside have been

generous in awarding our club grants to pay our rent and most of the president's fee. However, we still have other expenses such as telephone and wi-fi, office supplies, liability insurance, paper products, etc. Many times, we have had to subsidize the lunches and entertainment. We are fast approaching the 2018 tax season which is a perfect time for giving, because you will be able to deduct the amount from your taxes. Any amount you give will be greatly appreciated. Just mark your check "charitable contribution," and we will mail you a receipt for tax purposes. Thank you for your generosity.

MOVIES AT LYDELL | 1:00PM

NOVEMBER 14TH, 2018 | **VICTORIA AND ABDUL** 112 mins | The extraordinary true story of an unexpected friendship in the later years of Queen Victoria's (Academy Award winner Judi Dench) remarkable reign. When Abdul Karim (Ali Fazal), a young clerk travels from India to participate in the Queen's Golden Jubilee, he is surprised to find favor with the Queen herself. As the Queen questions the constrictions of her long held position, the two forge an unlikely and devoted alliance with a loyalty to one another that her household and inner circle attempt to destroy. As the friendship deepens the Queen begins to see a changing world through new eyes and joyfully reclaims her humanity.

NOVEMBER 28TH, 2018 | **THE LEISURE SEEKERS** 112 mins | The film stars Academy Award winner Helen Mirren and two time Golden Globe winner Donald Southerland as an aging runaway couple going on an unforgettable journey in the faithful old RV they call The Leisure Seeker, traveling from Boston to the Ernest Hemingway Home in Key West, Florida. They recapture their passion for life and their love for each other on a road trip that provides revelation and surprise right to the end.

DECEMBER 12TH, 2018 | **THE MAN WHO INVENTED CHRISTMAS** 104 mins | In 1843 London, author Charles Dickens (played by Dan Stevens) finds himself in financial trouble after writing three unsuccessful novels in a row. Desperate for a hit, Dickens relies on real life inspiration and his vivid imagination to bring Ebenezer Scrooge (played by Christopher Plummer), Tiny Tim and other classic characters to life in "A Christmas Carol," forever changing the holiday season into the celebration known today.

After December 21st, 2018 the LX Club will no longer be at Lydell Community Center. Therefore, "The Man Who Invented Christmas" on December 12th will be our last movie there.

FROM SUNSHINE LADY JEAN SCHRAMM

Get well soon to Judy Katz and Val Laporte. Our prayers and best wishes to you both as you recover from your injuries!

Also special wishes to Don Brodhagen and Carol Rushman Mieli!