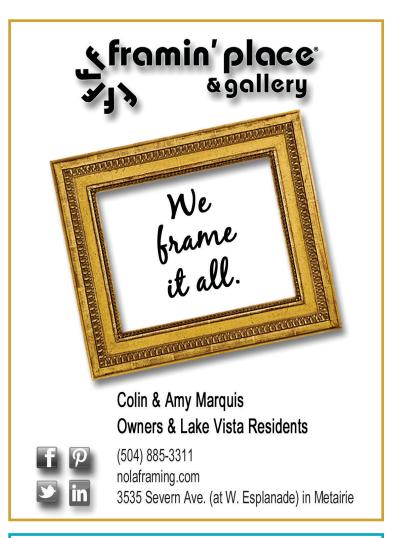


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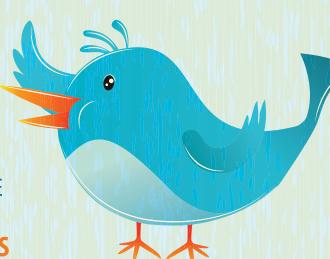
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I said, "We are bound by our choosing to live here. As the original members of our community are in the minority, we owe it to them to listen to their counsel and wisdom and to record their recollections of life in the Forties and Fifties here when it really was much more natural, to pass that on to the newer converts to our neighborhood".

I also said, "We have a wonderful opportunity now to pass the torch of the vision of the planners to the next generation of neighbors who have moved here ..." It's been a rush - three rich years of pondering and two as your president pursuing our mission.

The object then, I wrote, was the same as prior boards and presidents: "improve our communications; continue to get the City and Entergy/NOPSI/S&WB to fix the streets, lights, sidewalks; continue the work to beautify the 'hood; social events; improve our interaction with the other lakefront communities and Lakeview; countless Levee Board meetings; coordinate with the Crime Prevention District; issues related to property and pets; and more..."

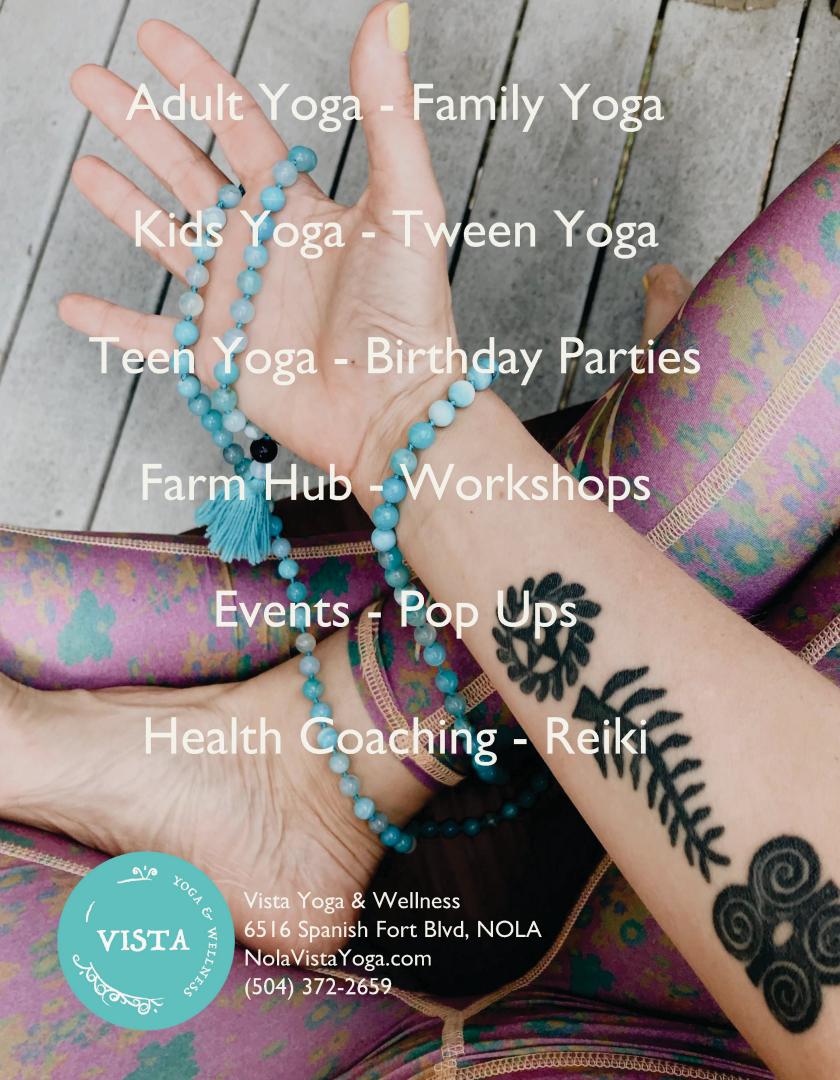
We went beyond that, way beyond, powered by my ever-expanding wish list, your ALL-VOLUNTEER board members have worked tirelessly. They have a lot of 'wins' and have contributed to the list of goals: increased activity on the LV Facebook Page; engaged with the OLD-PD to give us input and maps before running events affecting us; a new Real Estate committee to alert Realtors and title attorneys of our special covenants; creating a new social event, the Archi-Talk; invested in our new website in 2017 and now, a new member and board platform with a second GoLVPOA.com; expanded the social calendar; expanded partnerships with the two neighborhood associations, the LV Women's Club and the LV Garden Club; completed a major beautification project with the LV Garden Club; prevent rezoning of our parks; prevented Entergy from moving below ground transmission vaults to the surface by engaging the NFPAMA in a Lakefront-wide rejection and too many to remember. I said it before, we could do much more if we had more volunteers. That brings me to my regrets: we fought off an energy-sapping BZA adjustment right when we needed to focus on our ambitious list of projects in progress; we weren't able to find/fill volunteers to work as artists, a historian, an archivist, documentarian, or get any help for Archi-Talk. As yet, we haven't started the revision of our Board Manual; haven't started one of my earliest suggestions of taking member polls. If any of these sound interesting, they will be made easier on the new GoLVPOA.com platform.

So, that's a long list. That was NOT my mission two years ago. I said it was to CREATE COMMUNITY to have our new board connect more with our young... new families, out of which would flow solutions to problems, and the energy and contributions which create the joy for sharing our special place with each other. We did that with the dedication and help of the younger volunteers to our board and I can't thank them enough for their willingness to work hard.

Still, I cannot tell you now that we have reached a milestone. That is up to you - to get with your other neighbors to bring that to fruition. If you take time to come to the spring Semi-Annual Meeting on April 29 for our annual elections, it will mean a lot to the volunteers for you share your credits and criticisms. As for criticism, being a member of the association allows you to better engage through your membership benefits, to serve as on a committee, or board member or as an officer to move us towards a better community.

I have enjoyed the time serving you and look forward to seeing you out and about on your walks, runs and with your kids and pets. On that note, take a look at the new Pet Directory and put Fluffy or Fido's picture in there! My profound thanks and kudos to board members and officers who are merely listed but I cannot tell you how much effort they have done on our behalf during my two years. Thank you, Jay Baudier, Paul Caboche, Charlie Cerise, Brandon Dumontier, Rachel Forstall, Pat Gelbwaks, Casey Grimm, Chip Mann, Michael Moffitt, Kim O'Brien, Connie Quave, Bob Romero and Milton Reese. Also, a very special thanks to your Block Captains, without whom we would be lost.







Lake Vista Woman's Club Springing into 2019! by Connie Quave, IV/WC President

The Lake Vista Woman's Club began 2019 with a great neighborhood event - the first ever joint meeting with the Lake Vista Garden Club. Club Presidents, Xiomara Brewster (LVGC) and Connie Quave (LVWC) sported matching tiaras to kickoff the Carnival Season, dubbing the event "The Inaugural Meeting of the Clubs". The well attended event was held upstairs at the Lake Vista Community Center, a perfect "neutral ground" for the occasion. The Clubs shared a philanthropic donation to NOLA Tree Project. Executive Director, Connie Uddo was the speaker for this organization that began after Hurricane Katrina, replanting 150 trees along Lakeshore Drive. To date, they have planted over 50,000 trees and participate in regular events giving trees to the public all over town (Big Treesy Giveaways).

The February meeting was a Valentine's Theme and coordinated with our club theme, "We are Family" as we learned about all the wonderful things being done for families of sick children at Ronald McDonald House on Canal. Executive Director, Corey Staehle told of countless stories of families that have come through Ronald McDonald house. In addition to monetary donations, they love to have groups come in to cook a meal, and are always looking for donations of individually wrapped toiletries. She mentioned that they could always use gardening help as well. Hostess Judi Russell has been a regular volunteer there for years as it's a very rewarding way to spread some love and a helping hand to families going through such a difficult time.

In March we had an outing to Vista Yoga, our neighbor in the Lake Vista Community Center. We learned some stretches and relaxation techniques and enjoyed a healthy lunch catered by The Bird's Nest Cafe. We had great attendance and a lot of fun letting all of our stresses go and being good to ourselves! Michelle Gruntz, Owner of Vista Yoga, and Courtney Enderle from The Bird's Nest Cafe have become welcome additions to our Lake Vista family and we are so happy they are here.

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Leash Your Dog in Take Vista

by Stephen Wolf

There are two groups of dog owners. The first keeps their dog on a leash at all times when outside unless in a designated off-leash area. They care about their dog and would not risk them running into traffic or another hazard where they could be hurt or killed. They respect birds and other wildlife that are chased, stressed and harassed by off-leash dogs. They defend people's property from a loose dog's decision to defecate in their yard. They respect the public at large who do not wish to be approached or otherwise molested by an off-leash dog. They respect the elderly who can be knocked over by a free-roaming "friendly" dog. They respect children who cannot defend themselves against an unpredictable animal that has chosen them as a play toy. They respect the law which requires dogs to be leashed always.

And there are the rest of you. You think that your dog is friendly and won't bother anyone if they come running up to say hi. You are ignorant of the fact that a dog on a leash will feel very threatened by another dog that is off leash and approaching. The meeting of an unleashed dog with one that is restricted to a leash is the recipe for an instant dog fight and trip to the vet for stitches or worse. You are also beyond arrogant in assuming I, or anyone else, want to meet your dog. I don't. One of my dogs is a fifteen year old pug that is blind and deaf and walks very slowly. He does not want to meet your playful yellow lab. My other dog is a French Bulldog that reacts very badly toward other dogs when she is trapped on a leash. I don't want her meeting your dog either. You are also wrong in your belief that your well-heeled unleashed dog would never leave your side. It is never a surprise to me when your dog abandons you for more interesting fare despite your pleas to stay.

I love my dogs and protect them, which is why I keep them on a leash. I will also protect my dogs against unwanted advances from your illegal, unleashed dog. Citronella spray, Pepper spray or a kick to the ribs are usually effective. This may sound harsh, but imagine what you would do if your properly leashed dog were attacked by a dog off-leash. What would you do to defend your dog? I am completely within my rights to defend myself and my dogs by using any of the above or worse. If you love your dogs you will not expose them to potential harm by allowing them to roam the neighborhood, or even by your side, off leash.

The law is on my side on this and here it is:

Orleans Parish in Chapter 18 of the city code: Leash Law (Sec. 18-14) *Dogs which* are properly licensed and vaccinated may be allowed outside of an enclosure if they are kept on a secure leash and accompanied by its owner or keeper. Any dog that is found "running at large" can be impounded and the owner or keeper ticketed. Dogs who roam present a nuisance or a danger to the public and may be in danger of being hit by a car, being attacked by another animal, abuse from strangers. An animal that is impounded is done so to protect himself and the public.

If you want to give your dog an off leash adventure take them for a short car ride to City Bark, or any other of the several off leash dog parks in the New Orleans area. All dogs in City Bark are required to be off leash which allows the dogs to interact without one of them feeling trapped and helpless on a leash. Your dog will love the time spent in a safe environment playing with other dogs as well as the car ride there.

The parks and lanes of Lake Vista, on the other hand, don't belong to you and you have no right to let loose your dog there.



"Dear lovely dog moms and dads of the neighborhood. My name is Olive. I am a French bulldog who loves to nap, eat anything in sight, and take walks around the neighborhood with my parents. I'm pretty small, and am easily threatened by dogs who are not on leashes and who approach me and my parents on our walks.

Last year, my mom was sent to the hospital after an unleashed dog began to attack. This, along with recurring encounters with unleashed dogs around the neighborhood, has made me and my parents afraid every time we go on walks.

I hate being scared to go outside, and I really wish I could walk around the block without fearing for my safety and the safety of my mom and dad. Please help me feel more safe by leashing your dogs. It means a lot to me, and to the other parents in the area.



LAKE VISTA PET DIRECTORY

by Brandon DuMontier

Hi my name is Sadie and I'm a two and a half year old Double Doodle. I live with my human pets on Thrasher St in Lake Vista. I was born in a place called Venus, Texas at Lamgo Farms (www.lamgofarms.com). I know they say everything is bigger in Texas but I'm just a mini-Double Doodle, which means I won't get much bigger than thirty pounds. A Double Doodle is a mix between a Labradoodle and a Goldendoodle. My mom is named Maybelline and is a mini Chocolate Labradoodle. My

dad is named Paddington and is a mini Red Goldendoodle. I think I am the perfect blend but my human dad says I'm just an

expensive mutt. I'm pretty sure he is joking. My human dad lives with my human Mommy and also three little humans... A boy age 11, another boy age 9 and a little girl age 6. I love living in Lake Vista because of all the wonderful lanes and parks. Plus there are so many paths that we can walk on and explore. I love to run and fetch balls in my yard, for as long as someone will keep throwing them. I also love the fact that Lake Vista has so many other dogs for me to play with. I recently learned about the new Lake Vista Property Owners website, www.goLVPOA.com, that has a pet directory. It is so cool! I can look up other dogs on the website to go meet and play with...it even has a cat directory to let me know where i can go to chase cats. If your

human family are paid up LVPOA members, you can access the pet directory and enter your picture and description. Then you will be in the mix to find and meet other dogs (or cats). It's kind of like Match.com for pets. Please go enter your information so we can build up a big database of all of our furry friends in Lake Vista and maybe even plan some get togethers. Hope to see you online and even better, hope to meet you in person.





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A Letter from a Keighbor

This week I received a letter from a neighbor complaining about the LVPOA failing to enforce many regulations, failing to hold residents accountable, with the result that Lake Vista is being compromised and is no longer the community it once was. This neighbor's biggest immediate concern was golf carts, but the issues go all the way from un-leashed pets to shrubs and fences compromising the lanes.

This letter was very distressing as the entire LVPOA Board works very hard to keep Lake Vista from being compromised. But truthfully, we do not always succeed. I decided to respond to the letter by sharing our frustrations and our successes in the context we on the board see them every day. Our neighbor really appreciated hearing from us and suggested we publish the letter in the Lake Vista News. So here it is, this time to all of our neighbors.

Dear Lake Vista Keighbor,

Thank you for your interest and dedication to our community. LVPOA tries to do many things and we clearly do not get it right every time. It is always healthy and appreciated to get feedback when our members and neighbors think we can do better. The times we fall short in what we accomplish are precisely the times we need continued support from neighbors like you who care.

If I may, I would like to share with you some of the things we struggle with and some things we have accomplished in the recent past.

- First, to be candid, our biggest problem with restrictions and code violations and golf carts is enforcement. We have no authority and the City and the Levee Board are under-resourced and not as committed to enforcement as we would like. Specifically regarding golf carts we have put up signs in the parks and asked the Levee Board Police to ticket, even to especially watch before and after school at St. Pius.
- Unfortunately, we have no power to undo bad behavior. As a result, nearly all of our successes have been in prevention, and here we have provided some valuable service to the community. In the past we saw violations slip through the cracks. Gradually we have developed and refined a process where LVPOA reviews all construction plans in parallel with Levee Board architects and we have strengthened the contract each resident must sign agreeing to build to their approved plans This has significantly reduced the number of errors and violations in approved plans.
- We have reinstated notification of restrictions on real estate listings making agents and new owners more aware of the necessity to honor them.
- We successfully opposed the Levee Board's attempt to change zoning on the lakefront to allow the historic shelters in the park to be converted to commercial venues serving alcohol in violation of our restrictions.
- We provided staff work and political pressure to prevent Entergy from installing above ground transformers on our lanes.
- We upgraded the newsletter as a tool to communicate with neighbors and increased other opportunities for neighbors to communicate with neighbors about many issues.
- We provided the Levee Board with an inventory of lane servitude violations and have their commitment to defend this utility servitude and community space from violations including fences, structures, patios and inappropriate plantings.
- We have secured the attention of the levee board on the importance of requiring the pre-screening of plans to include drainage review to assure that fill under new homes does not adversely affect neighbors. We believe we will be successful in refining this aspect of their procedures.

Neighbors, even given its frustrations we continue to work on enforcement, of all laws, codes and restrictions. In spite of, or perhaps because of our frustration we really do need the support of the community, through membership, criticism and by expressing support of the unique values of Lake Vista to our neighbors. I personally thank you for caring and hope you will join us in this effort to keep the memories of Lake Vista alive for our children and grandchildren.



THE WAY WE WERE BY DAWN DAVIS







THE HOLIDAY CLUB

Mrs. Mary Haase President

REMEMBERING Hary Haase LVPOA'S FIRST FEMALE PRESIDENT

Early this February we quietly lost a dear friend and neighbor when Mary (Sherwood) Haase passed away after living in Lake Vista since its earliest days...1950 to be exact. In this first "Way We Were" article, I share my memories of Mary, a neighbor of 35 years, and her son, Roger Sherwood, who has been a Lake Vista resident himselffor 70 years!

Being a housewife in Lake Vista in the early 50's could have been a rather isolating experience. Much like today if you had moved here from Uptown, your old friends just wouldn't want to come "all the way out to the lakefront" to visit. Also as Roger pointed out, most families were a one-car family and the husband took that car to work, so the wife and the kids spent their days in this very new neighborhood.

Women like Mary organized to make their own fun (networking 1950's style), and expanded their own talents in the spacious but sparse Lake Vista subdivision. Mary enjoyed gardening and maintained a lovely yard with lots of interesting plants, bushes, and trees. Many happily became "pass along" plants for her neighbors and garden club enthusiasts, and I was definitely a recipient. She was a long-standing member of the Lake Vista Garden Club and was president in 1975-1976. Mary was also very active in the Louisiana Federation of Garden Clubs, both as a judge and participant in floral creations, earning several awards in landscape and design. She became certified as a Landscape Critic from LSU in Baton Rouge, and in 1962 after the Lake Vista Methodist sanctuary was built, Mary landscaped the grounds winning an award for landscaping from the LV Garden Club. The church's sanctuary also merited an Honor Award in architecture from the Gulf States Region of the American Institute of Architects. As a member of the Lake Vista Methodist Church, Mary was proud of these accomplishments, and for many years gave of her voice as well, singing solo soprano on numerous Sundays, as she had also studied operatic performance for a time!

True to her landscaping and civic interests, Mary was a leader in a tree planting drive for New Orleans public squares, parks and major streets, an endeavor, which would eventually become "Friends of City Park." She was also involved in a campaign for placing trash cans around our city during the mayoral term of Victor Schiro, who were also Lake Vista residents. Did the trash can campaign work? Sorry, you can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink...(the writers 2 cents.) Also, along with other Lake Vista women, Mary campaigned and realized the establishment of Bayou St. John as an historic waterway.

In 1973, with many civic and beautification credentials supporting her, Mary Haase happily accepted the Presidency of the Lake Vista Property Owner's Association, being the first woman to do so. Mary quickly set out to accomplish the Board's as well as her own goal to develop a brochure entitled "30 Years of Progress in Lake Vista." This informative brochure served to remind new residents and residents of long standing of the guidelines and restrictions, and neighborhood goals concerning other city agencies (i.e. Zoning, sound familiar?) which must be observed. In this publication, Mary also included a brief history of Lake Vista, our planned neighborhood, including assisting organizations and churches. The last line of Mary's introductory letter states "Remember: a united community effort will bring about a much improved neighborhood." Some things never change!

Now, the fun loving sweet Mary I remember... Being sociable, entertaining and just plain enjoying life seemed to come easily for Mary. I remember her stories about the early years when Lake Vista couples got together taking turns having dinners on their lawns which grew into a dinner and dancing organization called the "Holiday Club." John and I were 2nd generation members of the club which had expanded to also include Lake Shore and Lake Terrace couples. Our parties met mostly upstairs in the Lake Vista Community Center (overhead spotlights where the bands performed are still there.) The most popular party was the New Year's Eve dance. There was a huge lit up "count-down-to-midnight" clock which had been created by Holiday Club member Emile Alline, the store front designer for Maison Blanche. Incidentally, Mr. Alline was also the creator of New Orleans own Mr. Bingle!

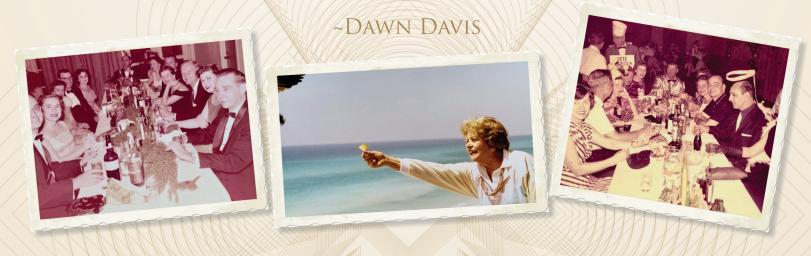
Mary's son Roger and wife Suzie live on Thrasher St. in the house Mary and her husband built in 1950. While they have made many lovely improvements, it's interesting to realize he's lived in the same house nearly his whole life! Roger shared some aspects of growing up in Lake Vista during the 50's and 60's.

As with most of us of that era, the kids in your neighborhood were your playmates and friends, no Uptown play dates. Since the parkways had newly planted trees they provided wide open spaces for many impromptu games of football, and all Roger had to do was walk out his "front door" and he was in the park.

As teenagers, two favorite hangouts came to mind. Lenfant's on Canal Blvd. and the Rockery Inn at Robert E. Lee Blvd. and Canal Blvd. Both "ain't dere no more," the latter replaced by the multi-business building housing Rockery hardware, Rockery gas station with the bank at the other end. By the way, the Rockery Inn got its name from its stone façade made from discarded ship's ballast stones.

When Roger was young the Lake Vista Community Center was a very active place. Roger recalls riding his bike numerous times to the grocery to pick up extra things for his mom. Besides the grocery, Maranti's Drug Store was there with a soda fountain where you could get a hamburger for 25 cents and a Coke for a nickel! The Center was also home to a U.S. Post Office, a laundry, beauty salon and a gift shop. Basically it supplied Lake Vista with many services without having to leave the neighborhood, which I believe was the plan at the time.

Well, so much for a trip down LV memory lane I'm getting a text message on my smart phone.



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LAKE VISTA GARDEN CLUB



Thanks to the efforts of our volunteer crew that made the recent Sunday, April 7, **Spring Bar-B-Que and Easter Egg Hunt** in Floral Park a **happy** community and family affair!!!



Our Tree Reforestation Project 2018-19 has not had the desired trees planted. Jason Roussel, Roussel Outdoors was unable to fulfill his initial commitment and we are disappointed in his performance. A new contractor has been selected for future projects.



Please be a responsible pet owner and pick-up after your dog and properly dispose of the trash. That means, dispose of the trash in your container and not onto public or private grounds. Your neighbor's yards, Lake Vista's parks and lanes are used by children and adults that find it unsettling stepping in your Fido's mess and having to clean it up.



Be on the lookout for **sooty mold** especially on Crepe Myrtles but it can appear on many other plants, shrubs and trees. Call a professional or study DIY techniques on various websites. The Garden Club uses DB Services of LA, Kris Clulee for horticultural spraying, 504-462-5203.



Photos: Left Top: Very Happy Fringe Tree

Left Bottom: Crape Myrtle with Sooty Mold

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ORDINARY INCOME/EXPENSE

Income	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	\$ Change
Advertising Income	6,775	3,338	3,438
Total Association Dues	8,320	10,802	(2,482)
Interest Income	26	13	13
Donations	-	580	(580)
TOTAL INCOME	15,121	14,732	389
Gross Profit	15,121	14,732	389
Expense			
Transaction Fees	216	60	156
Fees	233	-	233
Lake Vista Newsletter	1,724	1,348	376
Lake Vista Website	250	-	250
Total Beautification Expense	28	670	(642)
Neighborhood Events	200	240	(40)
Printing Expense	-	183	(183)
Total Taxes	-	9	(9)
Utilities-Electric Expense	41	43	(2)
Total Expense	2,692	2,554	139
NET ORDINARY INCOME	12,429	12,178	250
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LAKE VISTA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, April 12th 11:00 AM

LV WOMAN'S CLUB

Meeting and Election of 2019-2020 Officers (Philanthropy - New Orleans Musicians Clinic)

> Monday, April 29 6:30 PM

LVPOA SEMI-ANNUAL **MEETING & SOCIAL**

with Board Election Lake Vista Community Center, 2nd Floor

Tuesday, May, 7th 11:00 AM

LV GARDEN CLUB

Installation Luncheon Ralph's on the Park

> Friday, May 19th 11:00 AM

LV WOMAN'S CLUB

Installation Luncheon at **New Orleans Country** Club (Reservations due by Friday 5/3)

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There has been a lot of discussion at our board meetings about the lack of active members within the LVPOA. We have a large following from residents who have resided in Lake Vista for many years, but we are deficient in getting newer neighbors to join us. I am writing this to urge anyone whether new or old, if you are planning to spend your foreseeable future in Lake Vista, please get involved with the LVPOA!

The association meetings are only twice a year, one evening in April and another in October. At these meetings we discuss topics that directly affect our neighborhood and the surrounding areas, we vote on Board of Directors positions and it gives you a chance to let your Board know what you need from us.

The Board is always in need of neighbors to volunteer for positions on the Board or to help by serving on committees. Everyone that lives here has a talent that can be used for good for the neighborhood. Maybe you are an avid gardener, an accountant, a web designer, etc.

If you don't stand up and join, you have no say in the future of this neighborhood. Get involved! Together we can work to bring fresh ideas and revitalize our historic neighborhood while honoring the unique features that make it so special. With your help, we can make Lake Vista better than it has ever been!

Rachel Forstall

LVPOA Membership Committee, Chair

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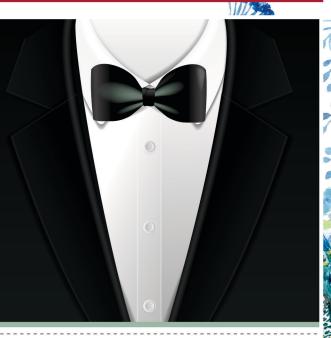


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