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May/June 2000

**HOUSTON ASTROS VS COLORADO
NEW ENRON FIELD
MAY 9, 2000
LEAVE 5:30 PM - RETURN AFTER GAME
002SCA001303**

Call 281-425-6311 to register by Mastercard or Visa, or come by the College in Rundell Hall. Because of the vast popularity of all the ballgames at Enron Field, you may register for ONE of these ballgames in May. In the next newsletter, you may register for the ballgames in June, July, August and September. Fee is \$15 (includes ticket and transportation). **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS MONDAY, APRIL 17 at 1:30 PM.**

**CITY BY THE BAY TOUR
MAY 16, 2000
LEAVE 8 AM - RETURN 5 PM
002SCA003401**

Call 281-425-6311 to register with Mastercard or Visa or come by Rundell Hall on the College campus. Tour includes Texas City Dykes, Texas City College of the Mainland, Shoal Point Light-house, Heritage Square and Museum, Site of 1947 Texas City Explosion, Miseka - Sandberg Park, Seawall Port, Davison Home, First Lady's Pavillion. Fee is \$20 (includes tour, transportation and lunch). When you register, tell the clerk which of these luncheon choices you would prefer: catfish & fries, fried shrimp & fires, chicken fried steak & fries, or grilled chicken salad. **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS MONDAY, APRIL 17 at 1:30 PM.**

**HOUSTON ASTROS VS CINCINNATI
NEW ENRON FIELD
MAY 15, 2000
LEAVE 5:30PM - RETURN AFTER GAME
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Call 281-425-6311 to register by Mastercard or Visa or come by Rundell Hall on the Lee College campus. Because of the vast popularity of all the ballgames at Enron Field, you may only register for ONE of these ballgames in May. In the next newsletter, you may register for ballgames in June, July and August and September. Fee is \$15 (includes ticket and transportation). **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS MONDAY, APRIL 17 at 1:30 PM.**

**"55" ALIVE DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASS
JUNE 7 - 8, 2000
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM
003SCA009801**

Back by popular demand is AARP Instructor Benny Beck offering the "55 ALIVE" Defensive Driving Course. The class will be held for two consecutive mornings on the Lee College campus in Technical Vocational Bldg.. 1, Room 119B. You must come to Continuing Education in Rundell Hall to register as you can only pay by check or money order, there you will also be given a class parking permit. The \$10 payment needs to be made payable to AARP. This class will satisfy all Texas insurance requirements for you to save money, but may not be used for a ticket violation. Call Lynne at 281-425-6416 for any questions. **REGISTRATION FOR THIS CLASS BEGINS MONDAY, APRIL 17 at 1:30 PM.**

**SENIOR TRIP/KIDS AT COLLEGE
HUNTSVILLE DAY TRIP**

JUNE 7, 2000

LEAVE 8 AM-RETURN AROUND 6 PM

003SCA004901

Call 281-425-6311 to register by Mastercard or Visa or come to Rundell Hall on the Lee College campus. After having fun with games and snacks on the bus, we will arrive at the "tallest statue of an American hero anywhere in the world" Sam Houston. The tour includes Sam Houston University, Texas Department of Criminal Justice, historic downtown, Sam Houston Memorial Museum, the Prison Museum with Bonnie and Clyde memorabilia, an old electric chair, etc., the newly opened H.E.A.R.T.S. Museum with a veterans' memorial. Fee is \$20 (includes all tours, transportation, snacks on the bus and lunch). **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS ON TUESDAY, MAY 30 AT 7:30 AM.**

**SENIOR TRIP/KIDS AT COLLEGE
FERRYBOAT TRIP**

JUNE 28, 2000

LEAVE 8:30 AM - RETURN AROUND 2:00 PM

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Call 281-425-6311 to register by Mastercard or Visa or come by Rundell Hall on the Lee College campus. Ferryboat pilot, Calvin Evans will guide and narrate a tour down the waterways past the San Jacinto Monument, the Battleship of Texas, see dredging in the Houston Ship Channel, some of industry's loading docks, to the shores of the Baytown Nature Center. After the boat tour, we'll head to Subway where we'll pick up lunch (dutch treat) and head for our picnic spot at Baytown's newest park, "San Jacinto Point." Fee for this trip is \$10. Bring sunscreen, hat, etc. if you need protection from the sun and wind. **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS TUESDAY, MAY 30 at 7:30 AM.**

**COMMISSIONER JIM FONTENO
25th ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

JUNE 29, 2000

LEAVE 6:00 PM - RETURN 11:30 PM

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Come join in as all of the East Harris County area celebrates Harris County Commissioner Jim Fonteno's 25th anniversary. There will be many "salutes" to the Commissioner, VIP activities, and refreshments. Music and dancing will be to the sounds of the Baytown Big Band. Lee College and its 26 year old Senior Citizen program is featured on a special full page of the Anniversary Book which every attendee will receive a copy. All festivities and transportation are free, BUT YOU MUST register by calling 281-425-6311. Seating is limited so call soon.

REMINGTON PARK TOUR AND RECEPTION

JULY 7, 2000

10:00 - 12:00 NOON

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You are invited to tour the beautiful assisted living facility in Baytown- Remington Park. It is located at 901 W. Baker Road, Baytown directly across from Baker Road Baptist Church and St. John's Catholic Church. You will be served delicious appetizers and get to meet and speak with current residents. YOU MUST register by calling 281-425-6311. Transportation will not be provided.

**SENIOR TRIP/KIDS AT COLLEGE
UPPER TEXAS COAST BOAT TRIP**

AUGUST 1, 2000

LEAVE 8:30 AM - RETURN AROUND 3:30 PM

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Call 281-425-6311 to register by Mastercard or Visa or come by Rundell Hall on the Lee College campus. The riverboat will take passengers up the river to the Wallisville locks, travel the San Jacinto Riverbank, down river through the marshes and enter into the Trinity River. Lunch will be served on board. This trip is a must for all of you interested in the ecology of the water, birding, and waterfront land in the Baytown/ Anahuac area. Fee is \$10. Bring sunscreen, hat, etc. if you need protection from the sun and wind. **REGISTRATION FOR THIS TRIP BEGINS TUESDAY, MAY 30 at 7:30 AM.**

TUESDAY PROGRAMS

Join us on these selected Tuesday mornings for a special program of the day. Refreshments and social time begins at 9:30 am to be followed by the program. We meet at the Baytown Community Center, 2407 Market Street in the Tejas Room. Also watch the Community Calendar News in the Baytown Sun for updated information on presentations.

- April 11 The Better Business Bureau of Houston has launched an innovative program called SILVER SLEUTHS to combat schemes targeting older adults. Silver Sleuths are volunteers 55 years of age and older, and they are trained to be inspectors, examiners, scouts, agents, reporters, and detectives. Silver Sleuths work in conjunction with the BBB to monitor and identify fraudulent schemes and scams in their own community. Our speaker today, Candice Twyman has 22 years of experience working in the Houston area in management of volunteers, program development and gerontology. Come hear all about this exciting program and the training class AT Lee College SOON.
- April 18 No program today
- April 25 Branson Trip all week
- May 2 Annual Palais Royal Style Show and Luncheon- There will be lots of DOOR PRIZES too. Entertainment will be provided by one of the "dancing and singing" elementary schools in our area. Just bring a salad and a smile and we'll provide the rest. If you would like to model (we need all sizes of men and women), call Lynne at 281-425-6416 now. This is our last monthly luncheon until September.
- May 9 Annual Harris County Nursing Home Olympics will be held this day in Pasadena. Many volunteers are needed to insure that every nursing home resident has a "partner" to participate in all the Olympic events. Lee College will provide bus transportation to the event and you will receive lunch. Call Lynne at 281-425-6416 to become a volunteer. We'll leave at 8:30 am and return late afternoon.
- May 16 Texas City Day Trip today
- May 23 Would you like another way to enjoy low-impact exercise? Want to have fellowship AND learn a fun sport? A two day (two hours each day) FREE "Learn to Bowl" class begins at Max Bowl East today. Join us at Max Bowl East Lanes 720 Ward Road, Baytown at 10 am -12 noon today. Then Thursday, June 1 at 1 - 3 pm we'll have lessons and then decide if we as Lee College Seniors want to form a "beginning" bowling league. EVERYONE COME!!! This will be so much fun!! Classes will be taught by former Professional Bowlers Murray and Jannie Foreman.
- May 30 "LIFELINE of America" For over twenty years, LIFELINE has been North America's leading personal response service. Over 2 million people in the United States still living independently (homes or apartments) make this their personal declaration of independence. Come hear as Gil Gerlich and Bill Lucas, local Lifeline volunteer installers present a most important program. They will bring the actual communication monitors, the pendants and wristbands. Invite a friend, neighbor or anyone young or older that might be interested in seeing how easy it is to be connected to Lifeline. This is also the last Tuesday program until September socome for some special goodies.

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

- April 30** The Baytown Symphony Orchestra presents their spring concert featuring two soloists. Todd Brennan from Lee High School and Douglas Toney from Sterling High School. April 30, 2000, 2:30 p.m. at Lee College, Rundell Hall Auditorium.
- May 6** Election Year 2000. Vote for City Council & Mayor, and Goose Creek School Board Candidates.
- May 13** The Baytown Community Chorus presents their annual spring concert and fundraiser. Concert and dinner will be held May 13, 2000, 4:30 p.m. at Grace United Methodist Church, 304 North Pruett. Tickets are \$10 per person. Door prizes will be given. For ticket information call 281-573-3033.

Did you know that Lee College Continuing Education offers computer classes just for senior citizens? Class size is kept low to allow for individualized instruction. For more information call 281-425-6311 and ask about our Computing for Seniors courses offered in Baytown and Crosby. Registration for summer 2000 classes begins May 30, 7:30 a.m.

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