



The Layette

Christ Child Society of Texas, Capital Area, Inc. February 2018 Newsletter

FEBRUARY DATES

Every Wednesday:

Baby Stitches meets weekly at 9am-11:30am at Janie's house (1209 Cushing Drive, Round Rock)

SewMuchFun meets on the first Monday at 9am – St. Mary's Lago Vista – **Feb 5, Mar 5, Apr 2** Join the fun!

Every Thursday:

CCS Bag Ladies at The Cottage (3610 Shell Rd, Georgetown) 10am-12pm

Every Friday:

Yarnoholics at The Corner Bakery in RR (110 N I-35 #180) 10am-12pm.

Layette Saturdays

Join the CCS Bag Ladies, Too on the **2nd Saturday** each month at the Cottage 9am-12pm (**Feb 10**)

CCS Board Meeting

February 6 – 6:30pm at Joan Watkins' house (1304 S Elm Street, Georgetown)

EFL Meetings

MONDAY, February 19 – **9:30am** – Barbara Forby's House (1012 Regency Lane, Round Rock) Future Meetings: **March 19 6:30pm and April 16 9:30am** Please join us!

CCS Wish List

ALWAYS in need:

- * **Wipies** – approx. 80 count avoid CVS brand - too flimsy
- * **Full Size** (+5 oz.) **Toothpaste**
- * **Printer Paper BOXES**

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STAY INFORMED ... STAY INVOLVED!

Honorary Members: The Board elected to add **Jan Huelskamp** and **Mary Urbanowski** to our rolls of Honorary Members. They join **Trudi Jenkins** with this distinction. Both Jan and Mary were instrumental in getting our chapter started and have served CCS as past-presidents in other chapters.

Big Change for Baby Stitches: Janie Castillo has shared with us that they will be selling their home and moving in with their son in the near future. That means we are in need of a home for the Wednesday Baby Stitches sewing group. Please pray that a member(s) feels the call to host the sewing group. We will need to look at all possibilities and probably be creative! The sewing done by this group is the backbone of the entire layette program. **Thank you to Janie and Deacon Concho Castillo** for hosting the sewing, many, many meetings and other CCS activities for so many years.

Craft Fair: The Board has decided not to participate in a Craft Fair in 2018. If you are interested in chairing the Craft Fair in 2019, please contact Joan Watkins 512-591-7787.

NEST Dinners: Dinners once per month for 25 Homeless/At-Risk Teens in Georgetown.
January 11 Dinner = the Board and Ruth Hlas
February 1 Dinner = the SewMuchFun Sewing group
March 1 Dinner = Maggie Sullivan with her Rosary Group and her Grace Ladies
If you are interested in helping with the **April 5 Dinner** and/or the **May 3 Dinner**, please contact Mary Q Smith 512-635-9338.

Evening for the Ladies: This year's theme is **Moonlight Masquerade**. Save the Date: **Tuesday, MAY 15**. We need ALL members to help plan and participate in our largest fundraising event. We have some fabulous ideas in the works. Our committee needs more helpers. We need several members to help with our **Silent Auction and Ticket Toss** planning and prep. We have lots of other details and decisions to make and we need help executing this so we have another successful event. Come be part of the fun and planning. Be a sponsor! Put together a SA basket. **Sell 8 tickets and get 1 FREE!** Come to our monthly meetings. Contact Barbara Forby 512-773-8749 for additional information.

Calendar Updates: (These are all included in the UPDATED 2018 Calendar)

- 2/1 Elementary Hygiene Assembly 10:00am at Miss Mary's Cottage (with St. Dominic Savio students)
- 2/2 Elementary Hygiene Bag delivery to Berkman and Voigt 9:00am
- 2/19 EFL at Barbara Forby's home 9:30 am
- 3/19 EFL at Location TBD 6:30pm (NOTE....evening meeting)
- 4/16 EFL at Barbara Forby's home 9:30 am
- 5/1 Joint Board/EFL Meeting 6:00 pm Julie Schultz's home
- 5/6 Backpack Assembly Homeless Teens 1:00 pm at Miss Mary's Cottage
- 5/7 Backpack Delivery RRISSD 9:00 am
- 5/7 EFL Basket Assembly 5:00 pm at Julie Schultz's home

UPDATED MEMBERSHIP ROSTERS: COMING SOON! Check your contact information on the new roster. Many members have updated information. If your info is incorrect on the roster, please send email to membership.ccstxcapital@gmail.com for Bianca Bustos (our membership chair) so we can get your information updated.