

**September 17th Social 11-11:30, Lunch 11:30, Fashion Show at
Noon
LUNCHEON & FASHION SHOW for all BCC Members & Guests**

The Gift Solution at Barton Creek Square Mall will be showcasing over 30 outfits of their newest arrivals. Fashions and accessories will be modeled by BCC members. JEWELS BY PARK LANE has selected just the right items to adorn each outfit. And, always flawless and fabulous, MARY KAY COSMETICS will provide a photo-finish-look for each model. BRIGHT BEGINNINGS from BEST DRESSED KIDS, an Austin favorite store for moms, grandmoms and aunties, has the finest in kiddie couture to choose from. Our own troupe of little darlings will be strutting their stuff in the latest!

Raffle Prizes include a leather purse from Gift Solutions; Necklace, Earrings & Bracelet from Jewels by Park Lane; Child Portrait from Best Dressed Kids.

Post Program Comments:

"You and your team did a wonderful job. It was a large group! If I had a repeat I would want it to go just as well as it did today. Having the vendors was a great idea - they fit in so nicely. And the highlight was having the children model. They were absolutely precious. ...Joan and Sylvia's centerpieces were a hit and fit right in with the program. In fact, they could have sold more of the ladies. ...Love to see this many ladies come every month." Janie L. Williams BCCWA President

**October 15th Social Hour 11:00-11:30 AM, Lunch 11:30, Program
Noon
ANGELA PLOETZ, CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZER**

is an engaging speaker who provides relevant tools, tips and steps that can be used to get organized, perform jobs productively and run households efficiently and effortlessly. She can organize your time, control the flow of paper, organize direct sales business and help you lose the clutter as well as the guilt. (And with holidays just around the corner, we could all use a little more organization this time of year!) Find out if you're making some of the most common mistakes and KISS THE CLUTTER GOODBYE!

Raffle Prizes: Angela Ploetz "Freedom Filer" and a copy of "My Favorite Products Guide", AND a beautiful hand-made purse donated by one of Janie Williams friends!

**November 19th
FLOWERS, FLOWERS INC.**

Carla Kirkwood and Deneise Raines of Flowers, Flowers Inc. will show us how to create some holiday floral arrangements for our homes! These ladies will show us how to use our own ornaments to customize our holiday wreaths, how to incorporate fresh flowers into our decorations and so much more!

Raffle Prize: Christmas Wreath from Flowers, Flowers Inc.

Post Program Comments:

"Not only was the meeting today a good meeting, it was a GREAT meeting!!! The attendance was good, the food was good, the program was very entertaining, and the meeting ran very

smoothly." Donna Smith

"I want to tell you that I thought our BCCWA luncheon on Thursday was terrific! The timing for it was perfect, the food was great, and the program was excellent. I was so happy to see so many people there and they sure experienced a wonderful luncheon." Joy Wristers

December 17th
BCCWA CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON
January 21st, 2010 Social 11-11:30, Lunch 11:30, Program Noon

CATHLEEN GRANT from **THE GREAT ROOM** Specialist in dramatic one-day room makeovers, Cathleen will discuss how she expertly arranges your existing home furnishings for an inviting new look with the WOW factor! Cathleen holds a Certification in Interior Redesign and Real Estate Staging from the industry leader IRIS organization, and also offers other services such as design and color consultation, move-in decorating, holiday and party decorating, and shopping services. Create the home of your dreams, all on a budget!

Raffle Prize: One-Room Color Consultation; value \$99.

DESIGNER TRUNK SPORT FASHION SHOW
February 18th, 2010 - 6:30 P.M. Evening Meeting
Balcones Country Club Women's Association & BCC Pro Shop Invite all
BCC Men, Women & Their Guests to our First

Tennis, Golf and Casual Country Club Attire will be modeled by members from BCC Men's & Women's Tennis & Golf Associations and BCCWA! Trunk Show Vendors include Ahead, Kate Lord, Cutter & Buck, Nike Golf, Tail Tennis, Under Armour Golf, Adidas-Ashworth, and special discounts will be available for purchases made that evening.

Fun-filled evening includes Complimentary Champagne, Chef Tony's Gourmet Hors D'Ouvres, Live Music by Mark Witmer Trio, Fashion Show (you won't forget), Door Prizes and surprise entertainment you won't want to miss! Only \$20 per person for Gourmet Food, Fun Show & Roaring Good Time!

Raffle Includes: Three (3) \$100 Gift Certificates toward merchandise purchase!

Post-Program Comments:

"... Ron said what a great event it was and that he had a lot of fun. He was a model draftee and not a volunteer who confessed he'd been expecting the worst and was just doing it because I asked for his support. He had a great time and thought it was a terrific event to support the club. Of course, what guy doesn't like to be surrounded by pretty women." Martha Davis

"Sharon, Martha and Leah, I would like to thank each one of you for all you did to make the WA Fashion Show such a hit. I know there were many more that helped but you were instrumental in getting it going, following through with persistence, patience and detail. I think it was a huge success. Those I talked to loved it. And, of course, Chris and Ike were the ice cream. The vendors were delightful and their prices more than fair. I hope many made purchases. Again, many thanks." Janie Williams, BCCWA President

"Congrats on the February dinner. My daughter and I really enjoyed the evening. I know that all of you worked very hard on the event and I think that the hard work paid off." Carole Bankston

March 18 Luncheon: Gardening in Austin

– you won't want to miss this luncheon. C.J. Brehm-Stern, landscape designer and manager from Red Barn Garden Center will present "Common Cents Gardening" to help turn our thoughts away from cold weather to thoughts of warmer days and enjoying our beautiful outdoors. She will discuss how to garden efficiently, the importance of organics, general gardening and landscaping ideas and tips, as well as free classes offered at Red Barn. C.J. holds certifications as a Master Gardner, Master Composter, Texas Landscape Professional and Texas Nursery Professional, and sits on the board of the WaterWise Council of Texas. She will share her 30-years worth of landscaping knowledge (20 years in Central Texas) as we get ready to garden in 2010. Raffle Prize: Gift Certificate from Red Barn Garden Center, Gift Certificates for Manicure, Pedicure,

April 15th Luncheon

If you were BORN in Texas or NEW to Texas, you won't want to miss our guest speaker this month. Diane Barnet is a free-lance writer who has lived in South Austin for 15 years. Her articles have appeared in The New York Times, Los Angeles Times, Dallas Morning News, Christian Science Monitor, TravelSmart, Backpacker, Arthur Frommer's Budget Travel Magazine, Hawaiian Journal of History and Austin's Good Life Magazine. Her new book, "**Inside South Austin: A Guide**" is a history of, and guide to, the quirky neighborhood that puts the "weird" in "Keep Austin Weird," and helps make Austin "Live Music Capital of the World." The Canadian-born author will speak about South Austin's history, architecture, music, dining, events and shopping in Austin's most beloved part of town. Ladies, why not wear your favorite Texas outfit (optional, of course!).

Friday Night Dance April 23rd

7-10 Pm

Music by Texas Crude

Cover Charge for Dance BCC Members \$5 per person; \$10 per Guest Ca\$h Bar

Come Early To Enjoy A Buffet Dinner

At 6 Pm - Cost \$

In addition to Dance Cover Charge

Make Your Reservations Early!

Your Timely Reservations Allow Our Bcc Staff To Better Serve You!

Call Kaye Burson at 258-1621 Or E-Mail

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May 20 (Evening Event) :

This is the night when *BCCWA*'s hard work pays off, not to mention some well-deserved, hard-working high school students: It's the **Scholarship Awards Dinner**. In 2009 we awarded \$12,000 to six deserving students (shown in this photo); 2010 is bigger and better yet – thanks to our membership!! SEVEN scholarships in the amount of \$2,500 EACH (or total of \$17,500), were awarded to seven Westwood High School Seniors at a Dinner in their honor.

2009 Recipients

BCCWA Monthly Luncheons will resume in September, 2010. If you would like to submit a topic or program for our luncheon, please contact BCCWA Program Chairperson Sharon Meyer at sharonmeyer8711@aol.com.