



North Harris County
2016–2017 Interest Groups

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<i>Day and Time</i>	<i>Interest Group</i>	<i>Location and Chair</i>
Fourth Thursday 9:45 a.m. Coffee 10:00 a.m. Discussion No meeting in Nov.	Beyond Candy Crush (Using Technology in Everyday Living) 2016: Sept. 22, Oct. 27, Nov. – No meeting, Dec. 22 2017: Jan. 26, Feb. 23, March 23, April 27, May 25	Meetings in members' homes Chair: Elizabeth (Liz) Wilson elspeth47@earthlink.net
Second Tuesday 10:00 a.m. Meet 10:15 a.m. Bridge Starts	Daytime Bridge Reservations required to play. 2016: Sept. 13, Oct. 11, Nov. 8, Dec. 13 2017: Jan. 10, Feb. 14, March 14, April 11, May 9	Hilton Garden Inn 7979 Willowchase Blvd @ Hwy 249 Chair: Barbara Hine barbhi@sbcglobal.net
First Thursday 9:30 a.m. Coffee 10:00 a.m. Discussion	Daytime Lit Bas Bleus (Mary Quinn) & Red Hot Readers (Liz Wilson) 2016: Sept. 1, Oct. 6, Nov. 3, Dec. 1 2017: Jan. 5, Feb. 2, March 2, April 6, May 4	Meetings in members' homes Chairs: Mary Quinn MaryGQuinn@yahoo.com Elizabeth (Liz) Wilson elspeth47@earthlink.net
Second Friday (Except Oct. 7, 2016 when event is on the first Friday.) Time varies	Gourmet – A Mix of Tantalizing Cuisine & Memorable Excursions 2016: Sept. 9, Oct. 7, Nov. 11, Dec. 9 2017: Jan. 13, Feb. 10, March 10, April 14, May 12	Location varies. Chair: Marge Mitchell MitchellFamilyTX@sbcglobal.net
First and Third Mondays February & April 2017 7:00 p.m.	Great Decisions – Topics selected from the Great Decisions 2017 Briefing Book published by the FPA. 2017: Feb. 6, Feb. 20, April 3, April 17	Meetings in members' homes Chair: Mary Jane Petrick MaryJanePetrick@gmail.com
Third Wednesday 1:00 p.m.	Mah Jongg – For <i>experienced</i> players of all levels 2016: Sept. 21, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 21 2017: Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 15, April 19, May 17, June 21, July 19, Aug. 20	Meetings in members' homes Chair: Mary Jane Petrick MaryJanePetrick@gmail.com
Fourth Monday 6:30 p.m. Dinner/Social 7:00 p.m. Discussion No meeting in December	Prime Time Lit 2016: Sept. 26, Oct. 24, Nov. 28, Dec. – No meeting 2017: Jan. 23, Feb. 27, March 27, April 24, May 22	Ristorante Fratellini, 8905 Louetta, Spring 77379 – (between Champion Forest Drive & Champion Drive) Chair: Bonnie Flynn bfly5@earthlink.net
Fourth Tuesday Late morning	Screen Savors – Movie at a theater and lunch 2016: Aug. 23, Sept. 27, Oct. 25, Nov. 22, Dec. 27 2017: Jan. 24, Feb. 28, March 28, April 25, May 23, June 27, July 25, Aug. 22	Movie at a theater & lunch at a nearby restaurant Chair: Jane Egner twoeggjane2@msn.com
Second Thursday 1:00 p.m. (5 months only)	The World Today – Current events discussions 2016: September 8, October 13, 2017: January 12, February 9, March 9	Meetings in members' homes Chair: TBD barbhi@sbcglobal.net (Contact)
Third Tuesday 1:00 p.m. Social 1:30 Program No meeting in December	Travelmania – Members share their travel experiences 2016: Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15, Dec. – No meeting 2017: Jan. 17, Feb. 21, March 21, April 18, May 16	Meetings in members' homes Chair: Sue Mason sue-mason@sbcglobal.net

*See book titles for Daytime Lit & Prime Time Lit
and topics for Gourmet & Travelmania on next page.*

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AAUW North Harris County 2016–2017 Interest Group Books and Activities

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Daytime Lit – Book Title</i>	<i>Author</i>
Thurs., Sept. 1, 2016	<i>United States of Jihad</i>	Peter Bergan
Thurs., Oct. 6, 2016	<i>Under the Wide and Starry Sky</i>	Nancy Horan
Thurs., Nov. 3, 2016	<i>My Thoughts Be Bloody</i>	Nora Titone
Thurs., Dec. 1, 2016	<i>The Wright Brothers</i>	David McCullough
Thurs., Jan. 5, 2017	<i>Rage for Fame</i>	Sylvia Jukes Morris
Thurs., Feb. 2, 2017	<i>Romantic Outlaws</i>	Charlotte Gordon
Thurs., March 2, 2017	<i>Our Souls at Night</i>	Kent Haruf
Thurs., April 6, 2017	<i>The Millionaire and the Bard</i>	Andrea E. Mays
Thurs., May 4, 2017	<i>American Girls: Social Media and the Secret Lives of Teenagers</i>	Nancy Sales

<i>Date</i>	<i>Prime Time Lit – Book Title</i>	<i>Author</i>
Mon., Sept. 26, 2016	<i>Off the Radar</i>	Cyrus Copeland
Mon., Oct. 24, 2016	<i>Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World That Can't Stop Talking</i>	Susan Kane
Mon., Nov. 28, 2016	<i>The Japanese Lover</i>	Isabel Allende
December	<i>No Meeting</i>	
Mon., Jan. 23, 2017	<i>The Train to Crystal City</i>	Jan Jarboe Russell
Mon., Feb. 27, 2017	<i>Station Eleven</i>	Emily St. John Mandel
Mon., March 27, 2017	<i>17 Carnations: The Royals, the Nazis, & the World's Biggest Cover-up</i>	Andrew Morton
Mon., April 24, 2017	<i>A Man Called Ove</i>	Fredrik Backman
Mon., May 22, 2017	<i>Crazy Rich Asians</i>	Kevin Kwan

<i>Date</i>	<i>Gourmet – What's Happening</i>	<i>Event Coordinator(s)</i>
Fri., Sept. 9, 2016	Messina Hof Winery – Tour and Lunch – Bryan College Station	Kati Woodward
Fri., Oct. 7, 2016	Original Greek Festival – Houston (Note: Event is on the first Friday.)	Annette Matthews
Fri., Nov. 11, 2016	Allô French Rotisserie – Lunch & Shopping – Vintage Park	Karen Gunderson
Fri., Dec. 9, 2016	Taste of Texas Restaurant – Christmas Party – Houston	Carla Moore
Fri., Jan. 13, 2017	Making Peanut Butter for Charity (Houston Food Bank)	Jane Egner
Fri., Feb. 10, 2017	Gatlin's BBQ – Houston	Sharon Glasgow
Fri., March 10, 2017	The Arbor Gate Nursery & Shops – Lunch TBA – Tomball	Sue Ann Lurcott
Fri., April 14, 2017	Black Market Table & Cooking Demonstration by Claude Lakewood Forest	Genie Kline
Fri., May 12, 2017	Planning Luncheon	Marge Mitchell

<i>Date</i>	<i>Travelmania</i>	<i>Speaker(s)</i>
Tues., Sept. 20, 2016	Going to the Dogs – The Last Great Race (Alaskan Iditarod)	Guests: Linda Coapland & Sandy Davis
Tues., Oct. 18, 2016	Myanmar – The Golden Land	Guest(s) Khet Khet Win & her mother, Khin Swe (Doris) Aye
Tues., Nov. 15, 2016	Kiwis and Kangaroos – New Zealand & Australia	Sharon Jeremenko
Tues., Jan. 17, 2017	A Miraculous Transformation of Two Colonies: Hong Kong & Macao	Guest: Yuen-Yee Ma
Tues., Feb. 21, 2017	China – Then (1981) & Now	Diane Boundy, Annette Matthews, Lena Habiby, Sue Mason, & Mary Smith
Tues., March 21, 2017	Photos That Tell a Story – A Photo Potpourri of South Korea in 1954, Missions on the High Road to Taos, & Inside View of the Rose Bowl Parade in 2017	Sylvia Tucker
Tues., April 18, 2017	Pioneer Cattle Ranching in Primitive Venezuela in the 1970s (Heather as a Pioneer Wife & Ronnie as a Cattleman)	Heather and Ronnie Graham
Tues., May 16, 2017	Tulips & Windmills – Viking River Cruise of Belgium & The Netherlands	Sue Mason

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