Texas Ladies Auxiliary

Fall Newsletter 2026



Welcome to cooler weather and changing of leaves!

The Texas Ladies Auxiliary has been busy and having fun, as usual!

Congress in North Carolina!



Friends having fun!



Seersucker tradition!!!

MOKAT was in Richardson. We hosted ladies from Missouri, Oklahoma, Kansas and Arkansas. Thirty-four ladies attended. Guests received a bag containing: Dr. Pepper, Chic o Sticks, a hand painted wooden Texas bookmark and a Ranger badge with a recipe for Texas Caviar. Refreshments included Mrs. Baird's donuts and Fritos. Odd food choices, right? But they all had their start in Texas. The officers shared the history of the snacks. Our speaker, Alana Shuma shared the "Laws of Fashion". Of course, our room was beautifully decorated by Candy Rudy. Guests all received a bag containing items to create a paper cockade. Fun was had by all.

Texas Pride!



























Look at those cowgirls all dressed up!!!!



Greetings from Mr. Osborn, for Becky 

Of course, several ladies escaped to go shopping….we caught a fashion show at Chico's and then had a wonderful lunch at The Chocolate Angel.





Fall Leadership in Kentucky!

Several ladies attended Fall Leadership in Kentucky. We enjoyed a costume party on Friday night and the Ladies Auxiliary meeting.





Scary.....

Fall BOM was located in Arlington. We had lunch out on Friday at Mimi's Café and it was delicious.



The Saturday meeting included a children's author. We were able to buy books and she signed them.

Candy Rudy provided the décor and Susan Byram the door prizes.

We elected three members to provide a slate of officers for the next administration.





Door prizes were given out and we colored bookmarks. Bookmarks were provided by Eileen Walcik.

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Leadership will be the first week in March in Kentucky. I hope more can attend this fun time together!

State Convention is in Conroe, April 8-11th

Our plans include a garden party luncheon at the home of Susan Byram. Wear your favorite hat and outfit to celebrate Spring! The cost is $10.00 for this luncheon. Many thanks to Susan and Kristy for their work on this luncheon



Our **Saturday** meeting will include Kristy Campbell providing our program. Our slate of officers will be elected at this meeting. There will be plenty of opportunities to help our Ladies Auxiliary continue growing and having fun together!



Congress will be in New Orleans in July. Plans are underway for Texas ladies to SHINE!!!!!

Make plans now to join us, Louisiana isn't far from home for us. It is a great opportunity to learn all about how Congress works and how we can make ours even better!



Our **Texas Congress pins** are GOING fast!!! I hope you have bought yours by now. If not, please contact Jean Kanter, Cynthia Goode, Mary Beth Brunson or myself to buy one. Remember the donations received for these pins will provide for the hospitality room at Congress. The donation is $40.00 for the pin



We are also still selling raffle tickets for the beautiful quilt that Mary Beth Brunson made. It is so pretty and the winning ticket will be drawn at State Convention in April. So, get your tickets! $5.00 each

If you would like to help with **Congress 2029** in Austin, Texas, please let me know. We have several committees set for your choice:

Hospitality Decorating First Lady Tour/Tea Bags/Pins/Content

Holidays and celebrations are coming up fast. May you find peace and love during this time and know you are valued!

Rowena Hayes, President