

## 2017-18 MHC Club of Houston Calendar

**Neighborhood Gem Meals.** See our website to RSVP for our monthly international meal series.

**Miller Outdoor Theatre Bring-Your-Own-Picnic – Nov. 4, 7 pm.** Our new Parents Group has organized this family-friendly event (everyone welcome). Sing Along with the Muppet Movie! Look for the blue balloons on the hill - no sign-up required. Free picnic seating on the hill. No RSVP required.

**Book Club Launch Meeting – Feb. 16, 7 pm.** This year's Book Club kickoff meeting is hosted by Barbara Massey '53 at 6221 Lake Street (RSVP to Barbara at rpmbhm@att.net). Contact Co-Chairs Priscilla Jane Huston '64, Mary Alice Martin '15, Becky Hunter '63, Barbara Massey '53 or Sherril Gerard '85 for book ideas or to host a meeting.

**Holiday Party - Dec. 3, 2 pm – 3:30 pm.** Lisa Dell'Angelo '83 will host our casual holiday party at 3017 Quenby. We'll pack care packages for our local students and exchange gifts. Each attendee should bring (a) a 12-count of a care package item (for 12 students) and (b) a wrapped, beloved but used book with your favorite holiday recipe tucked inside. RSVP at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F094BA9AC2CA31-holiday>.

**J-Term Events.** A month chock-full of exciting, inspiring get-togethers. Details to come!

**Spring Theatre Outing.** Our Events Committee will be planning an outing (date TBD in late February) to attend the Stages Repertory Theatre's production of "Ann" written by Holland Taylor (the hilarious play about Texas Governor Ann Richards). Watch your email for details!

**The Mini-Lobster (Crawfish) Boil.** March 24, 2018, 4 pm to 7 pm, 913 Sandy Beach Drive, Conroe, Texas. Nicole Shanklin '98 hosts the return of our signature club event at her beautiful home near the shore of Lake Conroe! For many years, we enjoyed an annual Lobster Boil hosted by several dedicated and hardworking alumnae who have now retired from duty. In an event to revive this beloved tradition, we are starting on a smaller scale this year with a March crawfish boil. Maybe over time, our generation's crawfish will grow into lobsters! Registration details and cost of the event will be announced this winter.

**Art Car Preview Picnic.** In April (date TBD), we'll gather on Discovery Green for a bring-your-own picnic to enjoy an advance look at the fabulous art cars. Enjoy one of Houston's quirkiest traditions! As always, look for the blue balloons and the MHC banner! Kid-friendly event. No RSVP required.

**Rose Drop.** On April 14 (noon – 3 pm), Priscilla Huston '64 and Julie Baskin Brooks '81 will chair our always heartwarming Rose Drop to encourage admitted students to attend MHC. 13204 Watermist Drive, Pearland. RSVP at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f094ba9ac2ca31-2018>.

**Annual Meeting – May 6, 2:30 pm - 4 pm; business meeting at 3:15 pm.** 702 East 13th Street in the Heights. Mother/daughter team Christine Stuart '92 and Ilse Acosta Parker '68 host an afternoon tea for our annual business meeting. Due to space limitations, this event is limited to alumnae only please. We will vote in new club officers, brainstorm ideas for next year, and toast graduation/ reunion season with champagne and strawberries! Laurel Parade white is encouraged but optional. Please RSVP at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f094ba9ac2ca31-mount>.