

May 2004

UPDATE

ALAMO HEIGHTS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Mayor Biechlin set for Chamber address

Alamo Heights Mayor Bob Biechlin is scheduled to address the Chamber of Commerce at its May 5 luncheon at Water Street Oyster Bar.

Robert (Bob) Biechlin was born in Akron Ohio. He moved to Alamo Heights with his family in 1936, and graduated from Alamo Heights High School. He then attended St. Mary's University, where he obtained a degree in business administration.

The mayor is married to the former Betty Whitehead, who is a real estate broker active in the Alamo Heights community. They have three sons, Robert, Jr., Michael and Paul Brink.

Bob and his wife Betty attend St. David's Episcopal Church, where he is a member of the Vestry and a Lay Reader. Mayor Biechlin is a U.S. Navy Veteran, having served his country for two years. After his military service, he obtained his insurance license, and is self-employed in insurance and financial services. He is a Chartered Life Underwriter, and is currently a member, and past president, of the San Antonio Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors. In addition he is a past board member of the Texas Association of Life Underwriters.



Mayor Biechlin with Phyllis Trager at the Chamber's Holiday Parade in November

Biechlin has served his community extensively. He has been a member of the Alamo Heights City Council since April of 1978. He became mayor pro tem in April of 1981, a position he held until elected Mayor in 1997.



Alamo Heights Night

Jeff Carrell, a director of the Alamo Heights Chamber of Commerce and chairman of its Alamo Heights Night effort, provides a little encouragement to a couple of kids interested in the bean bag toss

Let me tell you about my business . . .



Multiple Speakers

In the absence of the scheduled speaker, the April luncheon featured members of the chamber describing their businesses. Here, Jeff Carrell of Alamo Heights Chiropractic.



Special Acknowledgement

Emory Jones of Edward Jones Investments recognized AHCC members like Debbie Myers, Ruth Chislett and Larry Lentz for the professional way in which they run their businesses.



Family Affair

Gary Pundt of Alamo Heights Garage gave members a brief rundown on the work done at the automotive service center owned and operated by his family since 1958.



Supply Side

Alamo Heights Office Supply owner Ed Zuzula, who will host the next Chamber Mixer May 20, when the Chamber's new website is scheduled to go live.



Networking

Steve Wilson and Mary Lou Elizondo share a laugh over their lunches "back home" at Water Street Oyster Bar.



Tete-a-Tete

Mary Edwards and Susan Cox put their heads together

Chamber welcomes two firms as members

The Alamo Heights Chamber of Commerce is pleased to introduce you to two relatively new members whose contact information has not been included in previous issues of the Chamber Update.

Please welcome:

Chase Manhattan Mortgage Corporation
 1100 NE Loop 410, Suite 400
 San Antonio, Texas 78209
 Contact: Tina M. Pfeiffer
 Phone: (210) 805-1195
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 1207 Jackson-Keller
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 Contact: Patty Stansell
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The Calm before the Storm

A pair of chamber workers at the Alamo Heights Night booth take time for a conversation before the next wave of revelers arrives

New member or old, select a committee with which to volunteer

Like most organizations, the Alamo Heights Chamber does much of its work through committees.

If you haven't already volunteered your services to a committee, now is a good time to do so, and the following list of committees and chairs will help you make your choice.

By-Laws Revision	Diane Thomas 824-8483
Government Affairs	Larry Stewart 333-6422
Holiday Parade	Sandra Murphy 528-5160
and Phyllis Trager	731-5701
Luncheons	Debbie Myers 821-6441
Marketing	Susan Cox 453-3359

Membership	Lara Thompson 829-8991
and Carol Phelps	737-3057
Mixers	Vivian Seyfarth 283-6111
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Speakers	Terry Negley 697-9180
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Website	Ed Zuzula 822-9671

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— AHCC Calendar —

— May 2004 —

Monthly Luncheon

Wednesday, May 5
Water Street Oyster Bar
Networking at 11:30 a.m.
Lunch at noon
RSVPs requested - 822-7027
or info2004@alamo-heightschamber.org

Board Meeting

Wednesday, May 12
5:30 p.m.
Jeff Carrell's office:
Alamo Heights Chiropractic

May Mixer

Thursday, May 20
Alamo Heights Office Supply
5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

— June 2004 —

Monthly Luncheon

***Thursday June 3
Water Street Oyster Bar
Networking at 11:30 a.m.
Lunch at noon
RSVPs requested - 822-7027
or info2004@alamo-heightschamber.org

Board Meeting

Wednesday, June 12
5:30 p.m.
Deborah Myers' home
2615 Country Hollow

June Mixer

Thursday, June 17
Picante Grill on Broadway
5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.

***One-time only Thursday luncheon.

Alamo Heights Chamber of Commerce

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