

2024-2025 JLD Sustainer Interest Groups

Sustainer Interest Groups are topic-specific organizations for JLD Sustainers in good standing. Please note that many of these groups have group fees or user pay for activities in addition to your JLD annual dues.

If you are interested in starting a new Sustainer Interest Group, more information on starting a new group is available at https://members.jldallas.org/?nd=vms_public_form&form_id=406

BOOK CLUB

Women of Words (WOW) Book Club - To get on the waitlist, contact:

Rachel McCarthy	rkmccarthy@att.net	214-526-3120
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GARDEN CLUB

Terra Bella

New garden club just planting our roots and looking to grow. If you love flowers and gardening, we would love for you to join.

Contact:

Juliette Coulter	juliettecoulter@me.com	214.394.5532
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CONNECTING/SOCIAL

JLD Connect

Provides social opportunities to connect with JLD members! We meet after work at fun venues in Dallas once a month. Sustainer, Actives, Provisionals welcome. No reservations are made and pay as you enjoy. Events can be standing room only. 5:30pm-8:30pm. You are welcome to stay beyond these hours on your own.

Contact:

Catherine Cooper	cathycooper3@aol.com	901-409-1250
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Revelers

Sustainers through the Baby Boomers join in monthly socials and options to attend Dallas area events with the group.

Contact:

Catie Feehan	catie6000@att.net	713.299.6887
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Socialites

A group for newer Sustainers and Actives to connect with amazing women and the community through fun curated events. Socialites focuses on socializing, dining, cultural events, and shared rewarding experiences through monthly events.

Contact:

Jessica Shaw	jas75230@yahoo.com	214.691.0378
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Facebook Group Link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/589388125600672>

FINANCIAL/INVESTING

Profit Makers Investment Club

There is a partnership buy-in requirement based on stock value on December 31 (different buy-in amount from Sustainer Profits) Contact:

Julie Halley Wallace	queenjulie@sbcglobal.net	214.415.4335
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Sustained Profits

One-time buy-in of \$1,000, plus annual dues of \$330 pay for more stock and administrative costs. Broker presents the market activity and helps us research profitable stocks.

Contact:

Kris Densing	krisdensing@msn.com	214.632.7445
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FOOD

JLD Gourmet

The JLD Gourmet Dining Group is open to Provisionals, Actives, and Sustainers. We have dinner once a month on either the second Tuesday or second Thursday.

Contact:

Happy Franklin	happy.franklin@att.net	214.621.4596
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GAMES

Mahjong

All levels -- beginning, intermediate and advanced -- are welcome! There are on-line sign-up links for open play sessions in day or evening at JLD HQ. Beginner instruction in small groups will also be available periodically. JLD Mahjong Tournament in late April.

Contacts:

Stephanie Hardeman	hardeman.stephanie@gmail.com	
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Debbie Munir	dhmunir@sbcglobal.net	214-725-7307
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Sustainer Bridge

This group is for experienced bridge players with good knowledge of the game.

Contact:

Nancie Wagner	nanwag@gmail.com	469.583.5770
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MOVIES

Midday at the Movies

Spend an afternoon at the movies once a month.

Contact:

Alyson Ray	alysonray@outlook.com	214.405.1923
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NEEDLEWORK

Sustained Stitches PM

This needlework group (needlepoint, knitting, cross-stitch) welcomes beginners and experts.

Contact:

Kristianne Hinkamp	kristianne.hinkamp@gmail.com	214.336.1270
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ACTIVE/OUTDOORS

Get Movin'

Seeks ladies who are ready to get physically active! Do you have curiosity to try new activities? Are you seeking adventure? Activities may include walking, running, dancing, kayaking, yoga/pilates, hiking or even scuba diving!

Contact: JLDGetMovin@gmail.com or

Beckie Callahan	beckiecallahan@gmail.com	214.564.5785
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Get on the Waitlist

Antiques and Art

This group explores antiques and art through a variety of activities and programs.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Diane Drake	txky2@aol.com	214.668.4518
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Antiques Too

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Kim West	kimberlywest66@outlook.com	214.538.2510
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Sustainer Stitches

Meetings are at JLD HQ. This group not only sews but also knits, crochets, quilts, and needlepoints.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Clair Krizov	krizovc@bellsouth.net	214.739.4009
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Issues & Interests

Monthly meetings at JLD HQ to hear speaker on topics of community interest.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Myra Lancaster	rplancaster@charter.net	214-707-6181
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Topics & Trends

Hear speakers talk about issues of current interest.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Cindy Carter	cindycarter7@gmail.com	214.535.7567
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Spice It Up

Cooks and non-cooks meet seven times September-May for evening cooking classes or in-home themed dinners. Dues are \$20. Lively discussion of food and wine guaranteed.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Paula Payne	pjpettigrew@gmail.com	214-725-3864
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Spice Too

For fellowship and food – both cooks and non-cooks -- meet several in the evenings or on weekends for cooking classes, theme dinners in home or other food-related activities.

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Melissa Gioldasis	mgioldasis@swbell.net	214.549.1255
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Jennifer Harrison	jenniferh@remacinc.com	214-663-0877
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Bluebonnet Garden

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Venise Stewart	venisestuart@hotmail.com	214.507.9662
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Forget-Me-Not

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Bettye Slaven	bettye5116@yahoo.com	214.533.0824
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Between the Covers

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Anne Leary	anneleary@sbcglobal.net	214.226.2402
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Booked Up!

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Frances Grigsby	grigsbf@gmail.com	214.244.9985
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Rave Reviews “Too” Book Club

To get on the waitlist, contact:

Diane Drake	txky2@aol.com	214.668.4518
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