



## LUNCHEON CLUB

*The luncheon club has been organized to provide an ongoing opportunity for our members to get together in a relaxed casual surroundings to socialize with other AU members. A great way for a new member to connect and learn about activities the other members engage in.*

Restaurants are selected based on suggestions from members, having recently opened, or being a potential choice to return to with family and friends. The restaurant must accommodate a reservation for between 8 and 20 members. It should be within a **10-mile radius** of the club's meeting place. The club tries to visit new locations and varying cuisine once or twice a month.

Contact the Luncheon Club Chairman to get on the email list. When a lunch date is set you will get an invitation to RSVP by email detailing the date, time, and restaurant. You simply **respond YES** if you can make that specific event. Members do not have to attend a lunch to stay on the list. The day before the event you will get a confirmation. If you do not get or see the confirmation, please do not hesitate to call the chairman. You will also receive a list of members attending. This will include a picture and brief profile of the member. This gives you some background of each member and if the member is a Board member or Chair of an activity. Names tags are not used at these luncheons.

### HOW DOES IT WORK?



Every invitation includes a link to the restaurant's menu. Please **review their menu** prior to returning your **RSVP**.

Each member is provided with pad and pencil to keep track of what they order, how much and the cost of extras like beverages or drinks.

**The rules are strict and adhered to.** We pay using **cash only**. Each **member only pays for what they ordered plus 25%** (for tax and tip). Sharing the bill is prohibited. Members can order whatever suits them and should not have to be concerned about what others are doing or what the tip should be.

The money and pad are returned to the **HOST** at the end of the meal. The member must alert the host if they need change. A member does not have to wait for the bill to be settled once he has given his portion to the host. The host must always settle the bill. All the money collected is turned over to pay for the food and service.

## THE CLUB HAS MEET AT 68 RESTAURANTS

