

Leadership Highland Lakes



VISION:

To guide and grow our future leaders in our greater Marble Falls/Highland Lakes area.

MISSION:

To educate, connect and to empower our future leaders by creating a stronger community in the greater Marble Falls/Highland Lakes area.

DESCRIPTION:

- Enhance the development of community leadership by offering participants from diverse backgrounds an expanded knowledge of the issues, insights and opportunities facing the greater Highland Lakes community.
- Provide new contacts and foster relationships with a unique group of community, business, civic and social leaders to broaden your communications and business networks.
- Discover your personal leadership strengths, and find new areas where you can make meaningful contributions; to increase your ability to articulate a vision of the community and put that vision into action.

THE PROGRAM:

Leadership Highland Lakes is a program offered through the greater Marble Falls/Highland Lakes area Chamber of Commerce.

Since its resurrection, each year 20-25 of the greater Highland Lakes' most promising leaders are chosen to participate in an intensive one day per month, 9-month program. The program provides opportunities that are beyond your day to day work and personal environment that will sharpen your vision of leadership.

The experience is designed to unite leaders through learning about various facets in our community with civic leaders, CEO's, and other business owners and leaders in our community to develop a greater awareness of what our community needs and how we as leaders can affect change through personal influence and application.

Educate - Throughout the year, participants will travel to various sites, meeting the policy makers and trend setters in our community. They will interact with elected officials, city executives, business leaders, non-profit leaders and others who make our community what it is. Sessions are designed to provide a solid foundation in the concepts and principles of leadership that will be addressed throughout the program as the participants are confronted with the daily issues that face our community. The areas of study include:

- City and County Government
- Art & Education
- Non-Profit & Social Services
- Real Estate & Construction
- Tourism
- Business & Industry
- Health & Wellness
- Day at the Capitol

Connect - The program brings together diverse men and women with multiple perspectives, both experienced and emerging leaders, and builds relationships based on trust and understanding.

LHL competitively selects men and women from the Greater Highland Lakes area.

They include, among others, corporate executives, government officials, entrepreneurs, school principals, doctors, lawyers, independent business owners, clergy, and community organizers.

Participants not only connect and begin to build a network with each other but also with civic, social, and fellow business leaders in the community.

Empower - After completing the program and gaining a deeper understanding about community challenges and opportunities, Leadership Highland Lakes graduates become a network of doers. They are encouraged to support the community to work for change and growth by volunteering, serving on boards and getting involved at a higher level.

For more information or questions, please contact Laura Mitchell, Director of Membership, laura@marblefalls.org or 512.680.7929.