FAQs

1. **What is the date, time, and location?**
The Courageous Leaders Lunch is on May 17 at Junior League of Austin. General check-in will be from 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. (VIP check-in for reception is at 10:30 a.m.) Please arrive on time to allow time for parking, registration and time to visit with friends and colleagues. Event will conclude promptly at 1:00 p.m.

We invite guests to stay after lunch for continued conversation and activities.

2. **Where do I park?**
Carpooling is encouraged! Parking is available in the Junior League parking garage and along Bluffstone Drive and Bluffstone Cove. Parking is free. The parking garage can be accessed from both Bluffstone Drive and Bluffstone Cove.
3. What is the dress code?
The Courageous Leaders Lunch is Business Casual or Business Dress. It's Friday in Austin, be comfortable.

4. What is the cost to attend? Do you have tables available?
$5,000 - VIP Table Purchase
$3,000 - Table Purchase
$300 - Class Ticket Purchase
$150 - Individual Ticket Purchase

Tickets and tables can be purchased here. (No tickets will be sold at the door)

5. What is the schedule of events?
10:30: VIP Reception and Check-in
11:00: General Check-in
11:45: Lunch
12:00: Program
12:45: Closing Remarks & Golden Tickets
1:00: Event ends
1:00: Post-event Vision Boarding & Continuing the Conversation

6. What can I expect at the event?
Here's what you can expect at the Courageous Leaders Lunch:
   ● Engaging discussion on leadership in today’s dynamic business landscape
   ● Connect with community-minded professionals and expand your network
   ● Extra time to mix and mingle with attendees following the lunch (optional)
   ● Celebrate local courageous leaders before, during, and after the event
   ● Opportunity to win a signature Walk & Talk prize with visionary VIPs from across Central Texas

7. What else is happening at the Lunch?

Leadership Lending Library!
Bring one, take one! Join us in honoring the transformative power of knowledge and the spirit of lifelong learning. Check out the Leadership Library, where we celebrate the wisdom of the past and the possibilities of the future! Bring in an old leadership book that has inspired you and trade it for another to expand your leadership journey. (Books may be new or used.)

Chance to win a Golden Ticket!
Each attendee will receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win a Golden Ticket. A Golden Ticket gets you access to an exclusive Walk and Talk with a preeminent community leader for 30-45 minutes (arranged after the event). A "Walk and Talk" is a Leadership
Austin tradition where folks gather one-on-one for a stroll or sit somewhere quiet outside of the traditional office setting. This is a more informal and active way to connect for meaningful conversation. What makes a Walk and Talk special is that the two of you talk about something that is important to you, something that enables you to get to know each other on a deeper level.

8. **What is happening after the Lunch?**
The lunch will end at 1:00 p.m, but you do not have to go right away. Following the lunch will be bonus social and connection time with Vision Board materials! Also, for anyone interested in learning more about applying for the 2025 Emerge or Essential Cohort, we will have alumni and staff available to answer your questions.

Later that evening, 120 [Essential](#) and [Emerge](#) leaders will graduate. This is a closed event for the cohorts and personal guests.

9. **How can I donate to the Scholarship fund?**
Be the reason Leadership Austin continues to ensure that finances are never a barrier to accessing our dynamic community leadership training by supporting our scholarship fund. Through May 20, 2024, every gift made will be matched dollar for dollar - up to $20,000 - by our generous partners at Wells Fargo. You can make your donation [here](#).

10. **What if I need to take a meeting?**
Understanding Courageous Leaders have busy schedules, we have secured limited space for you to take a meeting prior to or after the lunch. This space is co-working so please bring your headphones. Space is limited to 12 people at a time.

11. **What if my plans have changed?**
If you are unable to attend the lunch and you have purchased a ticket, you are eligible to transfer your ticket up to May 13 at 5:00 p.m.

12. **Who can I contact for more information?**
E-mail Lindsay at [marketing@leadershipaustin.org](mailto:marketing@leadershipaustin.org) for questions regarding the event.