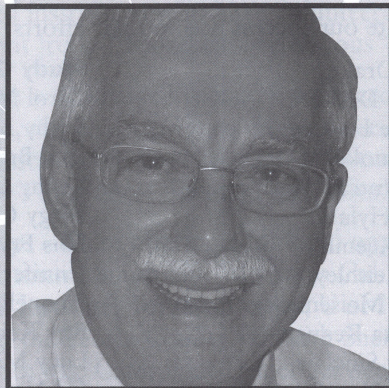


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WHO IS OLLI?

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) is an organization at Bradley University whose members share a common goal: to remain vital and active in their late career and post-career lives.

Consisting of over 850 people from age 50 to 98, OLLI members come from all backgrounds and educational levels. Together they enjoy a diverse collection of year-round programs including non-credit classes, educational travel, study groups, and special events.

OLLI program ideas originate in suggestions from the membership. This grassroots approach ensures that the OLLI curriculum represents a wide array of topics and member interests.

Leading most OLLI programs are volunteers from the community, the university, and from the OLLI membership. Staff provide leadership, facilitate program development, and manage the use of university resources.

Bradley University Continuing Education sponsors the OLLI program which originated in 1994 as the Institute for Learning in Retirement (ILR). In 2008, the Bernard Osher Foundation awarded Bradley a grant that established the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute – OLLI at Bradley University.

A subsequent gift in 2010 from the Foundation recognized Bradley's OLLI as a program of national distinction. These funds endowed OLLI thus ensuring its long term viability.

OLLI at Bradley University is an affiliate of the Elderhostel Institute Network and The Bernard Osher Foundation.

Learn more about OLLI by visiting our website: www.bradley.edu/continue/olli

WE ARE OLLI!

OLLI volunteers are the heart and soul of our organization. We celebrate our success due to their efforts. Thank you, volunteers!

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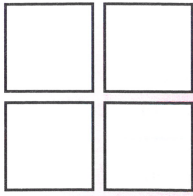
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Famous 19th Century orator and abolitionist, Henry Ward Beecher, said, "Every man should be born again on the first day of January. Start with a fresh page. Take up one hole more in the buckle if necessary, or let down one, according to circumstances; but on the first day of January let every man gird himself once more, with his face to the front, and take no interest in the things that were and are past."

If Beecher were among us today, without a doubt he would be a staunch advocate for "lifelong learning." His January "fresh page," would include "register for OLLI's Winter 2012 Classes, Study Groups, and Learning Trips."

Ours can, too. As you read this, Winter 2012 may seem so far away to you – after all, you don't have your fall leaves raked yet, you're having the grandkids and 42 of their closest friends over for a wiener roast, it might be you who's hosting Thanksgiving dinner this year, and oh my, what will you get your brother-in-law for a holiday gift. Take a note from William Blake and console yourself that these soon will be "things that were and are past." Think "face to the front," and read in the following pages what OLLI has to offer us for Winter 2012:

Classes – As this President's letter goes to press, we have 32 classes confirmed for Winter. Some are new and some are those you said you wanted us to do again - with some NEW instructors as well as some of the dedicated instructors who have volunteered their time and talents for us in the past. As always, topics run the gamut from "theoretical and serious" to "practical and informational" to "fun and playful."

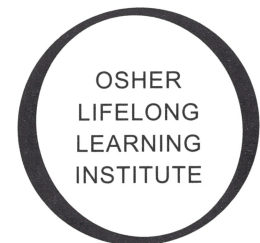
Study Groups – "Current Events," introduced last Fall, continues with discussions about topics of international, national, and local importance. Three new Study Groups are offered: "Justice," "Midnight in Paris: A Look at the Lost Generation Between the Wars," and "Great Decisions" – as well as a reprise of Jon Neidy's Facilitator Training and "Workshop for Life Story Writers" led by Carla Rich Montez.

Learning Trips – We're offering additional opportunities to sites that have had long waiting lists: Peoria Police Department, South Side Mission's Culinary Arts School, Peoria City Hall, Ag Lab, Pekin Federal Correctional Institute, Toraason Glass, U of I College of Medicine, Peoria International Airport, 182nd Airlift Wing, the Peoria County Jail with Sheriff Mike McCoy, and the Coroner's Office. We have some new trips, too: the Caterpillar Dealer Service Technician Training Facility at ICC and the new Bass Pro Shops.

Thank you for coming out to learn with OLLI for Winter 2012. Our numbers of participants for Winter classes have steadily increased over the years – from 92 in 1997 to 181 in 2011. Let's keep it growing. Invite a friend! We want this to be the best Winter yet for OLLI programs!

Carolyn J. Shepherd
2011-2012 OLLI President
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P.S. Come out for the committee meetings where we plan our upcoming Classes, Study Groups, and Learning Trips – no special knowledge or skill required. EVERY OLLI member is welcome. The more members who come, the more opportunities we have to enrich our programs with fresh ideas. What's more – it's FUN.



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WHAT TO EXPECT

Believing that the world is a classroom, OLLI members travel to learn. OLLI Learning Trips provide tour guides, docents, and local experts who share informative behind-the-scenes insights – many of which are not available to the public.

Participation in Learning Trips is worry-free. All travel arrangements are made by staff in Continuing Education, parking is reserved during the trips, and most fees are included. To make your trip even more enjoyable, please note:

- All Learning Trip times in this brochure are approximate and subject to change. Please refer to your confirmation handout (mailed upon registration) for specific departure, tour, and arrival times.
 - Many of our Learning Trips require walking and standing in various terrains and environments. To ensure your safety and to respect our hosts' regulations, it is required that everyone wear closed-toed shoes.
 - Each Learning Trip and Special Event includes an activity level number. Before you register, make sure the activity level matches your abilities. This will ensure an enjoyable trip for you and those who travel with you.
- (1) Enter/exit vehicle with minimal assistance, climb some stairs, stand for up to an hour, and walk a few blocks indoors or out.
 - (2) Level 1, plus: climb some flights of stairs and walk on uneven surfaces.
 - (3) Levels 1 & 2, plus: healthy, mobile, and able to participate in 3-5 hours of daily physical activity.
 - (4) Levels 1 – 3, plus: able to participate in 6 hours of daily moderate activity.

LOCAL TRIPS

Get to know your community on these half-day excursions to local sites. The price includes meal, van transportation, entrance fees, and tour guides. After you register, you will receive detailed information about the trip, including an itinerary for the day. Register early – these trips are usually limited to 20 and fill quickly.

General Wayne A. Downing Peoria International Airport (2)

Thursday, January 5, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Here's your chance for an exclusive, behind-the-scenes look at the areas of the Peoria International Airport not normally accessible to the average passenger, including ticket counters, inbound baggage facilities, passenger screening rooms, waiting areas, and jet bridges. We will

also learn how the new 125,000 square-foot terminal conveniently places ticket counters, baggage claim and rental car desks on one floor in the main concourse, serving around 1 million travelers annually through 12 gates. In addition, there will be an opportunity for questions and one-on-one interaction with airport staff. \$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Peoria County Jail with Sheriff McCoy (2)

Tuesday, January 17, 2012, 8:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Back by popular demand, Peoria County Sheriff Mike McCoy will lead a behind-the-scenes tour of his department and the attached jail while providing a narrative about the county's law enforcement services. We'll learn how highly qualified officers handle criminal investigations and protect Peoria County residents as we visit administrative offices, briefing rooms, and the crime lab. In addition, we'll walk through the lockup portion of the facility and experience the jail's newer technological advances, including a closed circuit bonding system, computerized mug shot and booking system, and a live scan fingerprint processing system.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Toraason Glass (1)

Wednesday, January 18, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

One of OLLI's most intriguing local favorites is back by popular demand! For those who haven't yet experienced this trip, please join us as we get an exclusive, up-close look at local artist Hiram Toraason's 4,000-square-foot glass-blowing studio and gallery. Hiram, a graduate of Southern Illinois University who apprenticed under William and Katherine Berstein in Celo, North Carolina, will demonstrate his techniques of working with 2,000-degree molten glass and create a one-of-a-kind work of art. Hiram will also discuss the artwork he created for the renovated entrance to Methodist Medical Center.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Peoria Police Department (2)

Thursday, January 19, 2012, 8:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

If you missed our visit to the Peoria Police Department last summer, please join us as we view holding cells, line-up rooms, interview rooms, the evidence room, and a museum that highlights equipment, photographs, and evidence collected over the last 80 years. Our tour will also include a behind-the-scenes look at the adjacent Emergency Communications Center, where we'll observe and learn how the trained staff handles emergency calls for all of Peoria County law enforcement, fire, and ambulance services and provides critical information in emergency situations to both officers and citizens

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

**University of Illinois College of Medicine at Peoria (1)
Wednesday, February 1, 2012, 8:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Once located in Bradley University's Burgess Hall, the University of Illinois College of Medicine at Peoria (UICOMP) has graduated more than 1,400 physicians since 1973. As part of the nation's largest public medical school, UICOMP offers a balance of classroom education and clinical experience. During our visit, we'll learn how the school aims to improve healthcare in our community through education, research, and patient care. The tour will include a stop in the simulation training facility where students practice diagnosing and treating conditions on full-size adult, pediatric, and baby simulators. \$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Peoria County Coroner's Office (1)

Thursday, February 2, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Our first tour of the Coroner's Office was so popular, we've decided to offer another opportunity this winter for those who weren't able to join us the first time. On this trip, we'll learn about the responsibilities of Peoria County Coroner Johnna Ingersoll, an elected official charged with investigating sudden, unusual, and traumatic deaths and assuring those bodies are examined, identified, and if necessary, autopsied. Our visit is expected to include an observation of a jury inquest, which is held weekly to determine the manner of some deaths occurring in Peoria County

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Homeway Homes Factory and Model Homes (2)

Wednesday, February 8, 2012, 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

If you've ever wondered about the modular homes on display off Interstate 74 near Goodfield, this is the perfect opportunity to learn how they're designed and built. We'll travel to Deer Creek to tour the Homeway Homes Factory and talk with President Brian Schieler about the company's modern design and construction processes. We'll see the staff at work throughout each step of the building stages, including floor and wall build, roof set, plumbing and insulation, siding, and final inspection and wrap. After the factory tour, we'll head to Goodfield to tour a completed model home, then enjoy lunch at nearby Busy Corner Restaurant.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Pekin Federal Correctional Institution (2)

Thursday, February 9, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The Federal Correctional Institution (FCI) in Pekin is comprised of a medium security facility housing male inmates and a minimum security satellite prison camp that houses male offenders. During our tour, Executive Assistant Marie Wynia will guide us through the FCI and provide insight about the security, programming, and population of the prison. In order to comply with federal guidelines, participants will be required to provide

documentation for a routine security screening prior to the tour. Also, due to security restrictions, OLLI's headset amplification system will be unavailable on this trip. Please bring photo identification on the day of the tour. \$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Peoria City Hall with Dr. Peter J. Couri (1)

Friday, February 10, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Peoria City Hall, constructed 113 years ago on the site of an outdoor produce market at the corner of Madison and Fulton, has been celebrated recently with a 52-page booklet about its priceless art and architecture. The author of that booklet, local historian Dr. Peter J. Couri, will be our guide as we take a private tour of City Hall and learn about all the planning, politics, and Peorians involved in constructing the Flemish Renaissance-style building. During our visit, we'll see the building's priceless art, plus its Italian marble wainscoting, copper cupola bell tower, ornamented stepped gables, and the open atrium rotunda with a stained glass skylight.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

South Side Mission and Culinary Arts School (1)

Wednesday, February 15, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The South Side Mission, Peoria's oldest rescue ministry, has been serving the poor since 1925 through its homeless shelter, youth ministries, and career training. On this trip, we'll get an insider's look at the Mission's Culinary Arts School, a full-time program designed to help under/unemployed men and women train for careers in the hospitality industry. During our visit, we'll tour the facility, learn how the program is helping its graduates gain employment in Peoria's finest commercial kitchens, meet Chef Chris Franzoni and his students, and dine on lunch specially prepared by the students.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

USDA National Center for Agriculture Utilization Research (2)

Thursday, February 16, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

This trip is back by popular demand! Most people never see past the front door of the 270,000 square-foot building commonly known as the Ag Lab. Take advantage of this rare opportunity to get a first-hand look at NCAUR, home to more than 100 Ph.D. research scientists who invent industrial and food products and develop technologies to improve environmental quality. We'll learn how the laboratory was created in 1940 in response to a chronic farm depression, plus speak with the scientists who conduct research that has led to hundreds of new commercial products such as biodegradable plastics, edible films, printing inks, novel flavors, and pigments.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

Bass Pro Shops (2)**Friday, February 17, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

Get an insider's look at the newly opened Bass Pro Shops in East Peoria when we visit the store for lunch and a tour. Mike Heuermann, Operations Manager, will guide us through the massive outdoor center that features rustic doors, an entry adorned with three dozen animal trophies, hand-painted murals of Banner Marsh and Starved Rock, and a waterfall that cascades into a 27,000-gallon fresh water aquarium featuring native Illinois River fish. Before the tour, we'll dine at Uncle Buck's Fishbowl and Grill, a 15,000 square-foot restaurant that gives the impression of dining underwater.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

182nd Airlift Wing, Illinois Air National Guard (1)**Tuesday, February 21, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

The 182nd Airlift Wing, Illinois Air National Guard, is a diverse group of citizen-airmen from our community serving the nation's call to duty. It also maintains and operates eight C-130 Hercules aircraft capable of transporting large amounts of personnel and equipment over long distances. During our visit, Colonel William Robertson ('83), the Wing Commander, will lead a tour to explore the Wing's mission to include the maintenance, flying operations, and air support to the Army, Security Forces, and much more. He'll also provide an update on the Wing's current worldwide missions.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

ICC Caterpillar Dealer Service Technician Training Facility (1)**Wednesday, February 22, 2012, 11:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.**

In 1998, Caterpillar Inc. and Illinois Central College partnered to design a program to train students to become entry-level technicians for the dealerships that buy, sell, and repair Caterpillar machines and equipment. Join us as we tour the facility on ICC's East Peoria campus and learn how the program combines classroom and real-world experience to teach engine fundamentals, machine hydraulics, Caterpillar fuel systems, transmissions and torque converters, undercarriage/final drives, and more. The tour will be guided by professors and program coordinators from the college.

\$22 – includes lunch, tour, and van transportation

"Come Blow Your Horn" at Conklin's (1)**Thursday, February 23, 2012, 5:30 – 10:00 p.m.**

You'll have the best seat in the house as we travel to Conklin's Barn II Dinner Theatre in Goodfield for a private visit with owner Mary Simon, followed by dinner, a play, and post-show discussion with the actors in Neil Simon's "Come Blow Your Horn." The play, a hilarious romp about a man who moves in with his brother in New York City, will feature well-known local actor Bob Lane Jr. and Simon herself. Before the performance, we'll enjoy

a buffet dinner and wine while Jim Ludwig, retired Bradley University theater professor, will provide insight about Simon's writing legacy.

\$49 – includes presentations, second row tickets to the performance, buffet dinner, wine, and van transportation

REGIONAL TRIPS

Spend time with OLLI enjoying travel throughout Illinois and nearby states. The price of each trip varies, but includes meal, charter coach transportation (unless otherwise indicated), entrance fees, gratuities, snacks, and tour guides. Detailed itineraries are mailed upon registration. Register early – these trips are usually limited to 40 and fill quickly.

Winter Waterfall Hike with Ed Stermer (4)**Monday, January 16, 2012, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

OLLI favorite Ed Stermer is back for another popular hiking and geology trip to Starved Rock State Park in Utica. Stermer, a Professor of Earth Science at Illinois Central College, will guide us along the trails within Starved Rock and discuss the 18 canyons that slice dramatically through tree-covered, sandstone bluffs. In addition, we'll view the park's incredible rock formations and waterfalls while learning about the amazing geologic history and mineral sources of the region. Please note that this trip will require several hours of hiking throughout the day, and participants should review the activity level suggestions prior to registering.

\$69 – includes guided hike, lunch, gratuities, snacks, bottled water, and charter coach transportation.

MULTIDAY TRIPS

Spend time with OLLI enjoying overnight travel. The price of each trip varies, but includes most meals, hotel accommodations, charter coach transportation (unless otherwise indicated), entrance fees, gratuities, snacks, and tour guides. Detailed itineraries are mailed upon registration.

Canada's Atlantic Coast and Cabot Trail (2)**Nova Scotia****May 24 – June 2, 2012**

OLLI has teamed with Collette Vacations for this once-in-a-lifetime, 10-day exploration of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, and Nova Scotia. Our adventure will include:

- Halifax city tour, including Peggy's Cove and its historic lighthouse
- A guided tour of the Titanic gravesite and Maritimes Museum of the Atlantic in Halifax by historian and author Blair Beed

- A cruise of Shediac Bay, New Brunswick, for a hands-on lobster trapping experience and lobster dinner aboard the 53-foot Ambassador
- Hopewell Rocks and Fundy tides observations, and tours of the Glooscap Heritage Center, Olivier Soapery, and La Pays de la Sagouine, Moncton, New Brunswick
- Visits to Rustico's wharf, Cavendish National Park, and a traditional kitchen party on Prince Edward Island
- Anne of Green Gables Museum, local farms, and scenic tours in Cavendish and Charlottetown
- Ferry ride to Cape Breton Island, scenic drives along Bras d'Or Lakes, Canada's only inland sea
- An all-day exploration of the Cabot Trail
- And many more unique experiences!

Cost: \$3,481 for double occupancy and \$4,170 for single occupancy. Includes all accommodations, taxes, transfers, round-trip air transportation from Peoria International Airport, land transportation, 8 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 4 dinners, presentations, tours, and gratuities.

Deposit/waiver due by Wednesday, December 14, 2011.

Final payment due by Wednesday, March 21, 2012.

Please note: Deposit fee is \$250. Cancellation/insurance waiver is \$165, which guarantees full refund of all payments (including deposit), except the waiver itself, in case of cancellation prior to day of departure. If you choose to purchase the cancellation/insurance waiver, you must do so when submitting your deposit fee. The deposit and cancellation/insurance waiver is due by Wednesday, December 14, 2011. If you choose to cancel before that date, your deposit and waiver will be refunded in full. The deposit and waiver will not be refunded after Wednesday, December 14, 2011.

Indiana Architectural Tour (2) with the Fine Arts Society of Peoria June 19 - 21, 2012

Ranked sixth in the nation by the American Institute of Architects, Columbus, Indiana is noted for the innovative designs of more than 70 historic and modern structures, including six National Historic Landmark buildings. Join OLLI and the Fine Arts Society of Peoria this summer for a three-day, two-night architectural exploration of Columbus, French Lick, West Baden, and New Harmony, Indiana. Frequent OLLI instructor, Fine Arts Society member, and retired architect Bennett Johnson will accompany our group to provide valuable insight and background throughout the trip.

Our adventure will include:

- A private, guided tour encompassing a broad cross-section of Columbus's architecture
- Tours of the Miller House and Garden, a National Historic Landmark that expands upon Ludwig Mies van der Rohe's architectural tradition of Modernism and showcases the work of leading 20th century

architects and designers Eero Saarinen, Alexander Girard, and Dan Kiley.

- Guided tour of the French Lick Springs Hotel and the West Baden Springs Hotel, a National Historic Landmark built in 1902. With its one-of-a-kind domed atrium spanning 200 feet, six tiers of rooms, and balcony rooms with a panoramic view of the atrium, it has been called the "Eighth Wonder of the World."
- Guided tour of New Harmony, a small town along the banks of the Wabash River that was once a "Utopian society" founded by German Lutheran immigrants. While in New Harmony, we'll visit its Roofless Church, Athenium, and Cathedral Labyrinth.

Cost: \$646 for double occupancy and \$706 for single occupancy includes all meals, lodging, admission fees, charter coach transportation, gratuities, docents, presentations, and snacks. A trip orientation meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 2, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the Michel Student Center Executive Suite. A fully refundable deposit of \$200 per person is due by Wednesday, February 1, 2012. To receive a full refund, you must cancel your trip by Thursday, March 1, 2012. Final payment is due Sunday, April 1, 2012. Cancellations made after April 1 will be non-refundable. We recommend the purchase of trip cancellation insurance within 15 days of your deposit payment to be eligible for maximum benefits. For more information, visit www.travelinsure.com/cobrand/select/bu or ask your travel agent.

LauraPalooza 2012! (1) South Dakota and Minnesota July 9 - 15, 2012

Each year, travelers from across the country visit Minnesota State University to share their continuing interest in the lives and stories of beloved author Laura Ingalls Wilder, particularly as related to American culture, history, values, and ideological practice. Join OLLI as we travel to South Dakota and Minnesota to visit the settings for some of Wilder's books, the homes of author Maud Hart Lovelace "Betsy" and childhood friend Bick Kenny "Tacy," experience the LauraPalooza activities and lectures, and enjoy an evening production of the Walnut Grove Wilder Pageant.

Specifics about the trip, including the cost to participants, will be determined based on interest. You don't need to commit yet, but check the LauraPalooza! box on the registration form to receive more information about the trip.

STUDY GROUPS

Study Groups are discussion-based sessions for members who want to explore a topic in depth and who are willing to help do so. In effect, each member is both a participant and a resource – all in the context of a relaxed and friendly atmosphere.

Held year-round, Study Groups generally meet weekly for two hours and may convene for up to eight sessions. A facilitator leads the group and shares instruction with the members who may do outside readings, make in-class presentations, and otherwise contribute to the group. Like OLLI Classes, Study Groups are non-credit.

Study Groups meet on the campus of Bradley University and at several satellite locations throughout the community including Proctor Endowment Home, Lutheran Hillside Village, Riverview Senior Living Community, the Peoria NEXT Innovation Center, and Methodist North at Allen Road.

Great Decisions for the United States and the World
Mondays, February 6 – March 26
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Location: Peoria NEXT Innovation Center

The discussions will be based on the eight articles of ten pages each in *Great Decisions 2012*, published by the Foreign Policy Association. Among the topics are U.S. National Security, Responding to the International Financial Crisis, Germany and the Eurozone, Sanctions and Nonproliferation. Participants should read the ten page article on the week's topic. Those who wish to do so may volunteer to lead one of the discussions.

\$64 (\$20 of which is for materials supplied by the Foreign Policy Association) – facilitated by Dick Sanders, Professor Emeritus of History from Eureka College.

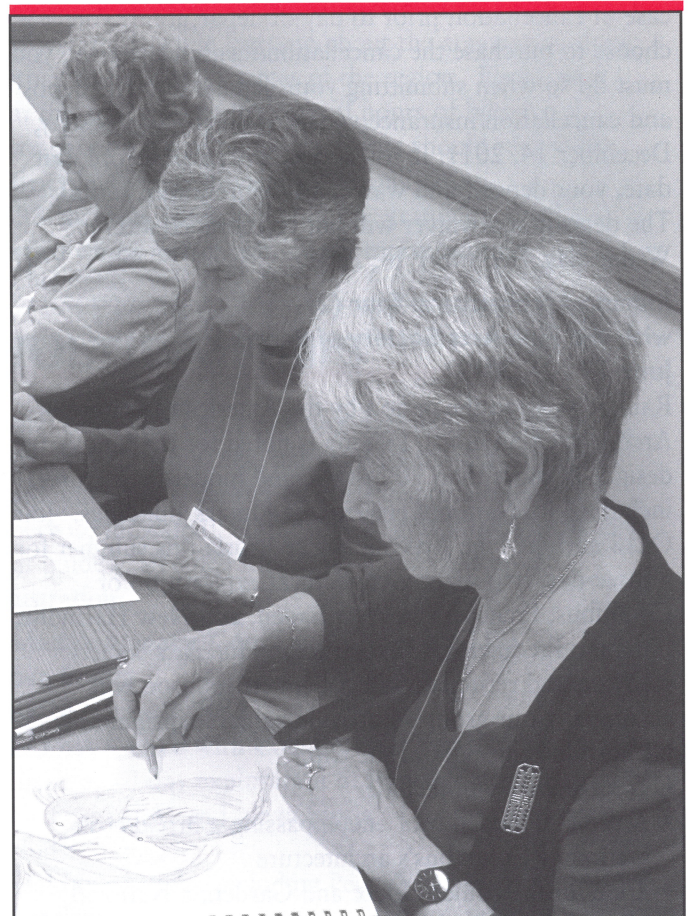
Justice: What's the Right Thing to Do?
Tuesdays, February 7 – March 27
9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Location: Peoria NEXT Innovation Center

This Study Group will explore the American political philosopher Michal J. Sandel's views on justice and the good life. Here are some of the questions that Sandel proposes, and we will discuss. Would you switch a runaway trolley from one track to another if it meant killing one person instead of five? Should government tax the rich to help the poor? Should a member of a terrorist's family be tortured until he reveals the location of a bomb? Should it be legal for the police to torture innocent people? Do individual rights and the common good conflict? To help us answer these questions and many others, Sandel will point us to the views of Aristotle, John Rawls, John Stuart Mill, Robert Nozick, Immanuel Kant, John Locke, Jeremy Bentham, and others. By the end of

the Study Group we will have a better understanding of how to best confront the ethical questions that arise in our own daily lives. Participants will read Sandel's book *Justice: What's the Right Thing to Do?* before the first meeting. It is available at Amazon for \$9, and excellent videos of the 12 lectures in the book are widely available for free on the Internet along with detailed study notes. The course syllabus, communicated after registration, will include topics for each of our 8 meetings. Participants will have an opportunity to sign up for one topic and do the research necessary to facilitate a discussion of that topic. Each week everyone will be encouraged to participate in the exchange of ideas during the topic discussion.

\$44 – facilitated by Gil Nolde and Greg Peine, both of whom are active OLLI members.



Carolyn Schelkopf, Joyce Rosenberger, and Judi Gentry explore the possibilities of colored pencils.



Henry Sinclair takes a closer look at a welding machine at Midwest Technical Institute.

Study Group Facilitator Training
Wednesdays, February 15 and 22
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Cullom-Davis Library

Have you heard about OLLI Study Groups and are interested in being a facilitator? Then, this Study Group is for you. Join Jon C. Neidy for an interactive and engaging exploration of group facilitation and its dynamics. You will learn how to establish a learning community, construct a group plan, and ask well-crafted questions. You will also learn how to involve members in research projects and presentations. For this Study Group, be prepared to relax, reflect, and have fun. While designed for OLLI Study Group facilitators, the content for this Study Group is applicable also to anyone who leads groups (or wants to lead groups).

The cost is FREE! Lunch is on your own each day. Facilitated by Jon C. Neidy, Associate Director, Continuing Education at Bradley University.

Midnight in Paris:

The Lost Generation Between the Wars
Thursdays, February 23 – March 29
10:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Location: Methodist North at Allen Road

Learn about Hemingway and Hadley, Scott and Zelda, Archibald MacLeish, Picasso, Baker, Pound and many others as we return to Paris in the 1920s for a discussion of artists and expatriates who Gertrude Stein called “The Lost Generation.” Through reading Hemingway’s *A Moveable Feast* and film clips, we’ll consider their personalities, their relationships, and their work. Participants will be expected to read Ernest Hemingway’s book *A Moveable Feast* (available in both paperback and

e-book editions for approximately \$11) and make a brief oral presentation about an artist/expatriate of most interest to them.

\$44 – facilitated by Carol and Roger May. Carol is a retired ICC instructor and administrator who has taught several OLLI Classes and Study Groups. Roger is a retired District #150 instructor who has also taught several OLLI Classes and Study Groups.

Workshop for Life Story Writers

Wednesdays, February 1 – February 22
1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Bradley University Caterpillar Global Communications Center

Did your family kitchen have a special smell during the holidays? Does the sound of a tractor remind you of your summers on the farm? Join this friendly group for writers who want to use reminiscing as a source of story ideas. Our approach will focus on weekly writing inspired by memories and shared experiences. We will also discuss ways in which we can take some of the work out of writing so that it becomes something you look forward to doing. If you’ve put off writing your life story, wait no longer. Find out how writing the stories of your life could be the time of your life!

\$44 – facilitated by Carla Rich Montez, Marketing Director in Continuing Education at Bradley University and OLLI life story writing instructor.

Current Events

Tuesdays, Jan. 3, 17, 31, Feb. 14, 28, and Mar. 13
2:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Methodist North at Allen Road

Here’s your chance to join others in a lively discussion about topics and events of international, national, and local importance. Led by a facilitator, participants in the Current Events Study Group meet twice a month to read and exchange information and ideas about newsworthy events. Each session will focus on a pre-selected current events topic. The first topic will be selected by the facilitator and emailed, in advance, to participants. Bring ideas for future discussion to the first meeting as the group will decide the remaining topics. If applicable we may utilize DVDs, outside guest facilitators, or other learning aids to assist with the discussion. Participants should research and be prepared to discuss pre-selected topics. Participants may volunteer to moderate a specific “events” discussion if the topic is of special interest to them. Access to email and the Internet are required.

\$44 – facilitated by Marge Semmens, OLLI member who has a great enthusiasm for learning



Assistive listening devices are available for all classes. Call 677.2523 for information.

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CLASSES

OLLI's Winter classes meet on four consecutive days in January. A typical day begins at 8:30 a.m. and concludes at 3:30 p.m. with breaks every hour. Between classes, participants enjoy camaraderie and conversation.

All classes are handicapped accessible, and individuals who require assistive listening devices are accommodated.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10 AND

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12

9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

BREAK 10:00 – 10:30 a.m.

1. Asian Performing Arts

Explore the development and present form of drama and puppets in India, Turkey, China, Japan, and Southeast Asia as well as their relationship to music and dance. Video performances and examples of the puppets will be shared by the instructor, Kate Wulle, Professor Emeritus of Humanities and Theatre, Moraine Valley Community College. (NI/NC)

2. Ernie Pyle – America's Reporter of WWII

Ernie Pyle was the most popular and most read reporter of WWII. Learn about his interesting and troubled life, and listen to Lee Wenger read some of his best articles. Class instructors are Lee Wenger, afternoon host on WCBU, and Bernie Drake, past president of the Peoria Historical Society and OLLI instructor. (RI/RC)

3. Gardens in Art

This class is being offered through a partnership with the Fine Arts Society of Peoria. On Tuesday, engaging lecturer, Sarah Glover, Bradley University Associate Professor of Art History, will present *Mysterious Mazes*. She will explore depictions of gardens in medieval manuscripts, cartography, and architectural spaces, and consider the meanings these spectacular spaces had for those who enjoyed them. On Thursday, popular lecturer, Jeffrey Nigro, returns to the fine arts lectern to take us on a tour of Renaissance gardens as depicted by Italian, French, and English artists. He will show how these gardens used geometry, pattern, mechanical wonders, and complex symbolism in an attempt to create a perfect fusion of nature, art, science, and philosophy. Mr. Nigro has been associated with the Art Institute of Chicago since 1988, serving as Director of Adult Programs from 2004 to 2010. (R&NI/NC)

4. Human Versus Robot

The past three decades have been fascinating for roboticists. Robots have shown they can learn rather than repeat fixed behavioral patterns. For many applications, robots have become agents of choice. They permit action in the real world as well as in virtual reality. They have proven to defeat the most talented chess or quiz show players. They have explored deep oceans and craters. They are now part of the workforce handling those dirty, dull, difficult, and dangerous jobs. In these series of lectures, Sam Kherat, Senior Engineering Project Team Leader at Caterpillar Inc. and Adjunct Professor at Carnegie Mellon University, will present some of the most

fascinating breakthroughs in robotics technologies.

(RI/R&NC)

5. Intuition, Premonition, and Meaningful Coincidence

Brooks McDaniel, retired ICC Professor of Philosophy and Religion, will discuss stories, usefulness, and possible explanations for intuition, premonitions, and meaningful coincidences. Suggested background reading includes: Larry Dossey, *The Power of Premonitions* and Jean Shinoda Bolen, *The Tao of Psychology: Synchronicity and the Self*. (RI/NC)

6. Play It Again, (Uncle) Sam: The History of American Piano Music

Explore the development of many different styles of American piano music such as ragtime, blues, bluegrass, classical, popular, and hymns. Joshua Russell, adjunct professor in Bradley University's Department of Music and concert pianist, will discuss these styles and perform piano pieces by American composers such as Gershwin, Gottschalk, Scott Joplin, William Bolcom, and others. (RI/NC)

7. Tough on Crime

Chief Steven Settingsgaard and Sheriff Mike McCoy will provide opportunities for questions and answers regarding crime in our city and county. Doug Ward, Administrative Operations Manager, Peoria Police Department, will demonstrate the Crime Mapping Program now available to the public for identifying the what, when, and where of crime in Peoria and Peoria County. Judge Stephen Kouri, who deals with criminal cases daily, will offer his insights from the bench. (RI&NI/NC)

8. Watercolor Pencils

Jean Gronewold, local artist and OLLI instructor, will introduce all new painting subjects. If you took this class previously, you are welcomed to take it again, and learn something new! You do not have to know how to draw as the instructor will provide templates for the class to use. If you are new to watercolor pencils, it is an exciting and enjoyable medium. Jean will demonstrate step-by-step painting techniques for participants to follow. This class is limited to 10. (RI/C)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10 AND

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12

12:30 – 3:00 p.m.

BREAK 1:30 – 2:00p.m.

9. The 2012 Presidential Race

Brad McMillan, Executive Director, Bradley University Institute for Principled Leadership in Public Service, will take a look at the 2012 presidential race and the current issues and trends that will likely impact the election. Brad will explore what it will take to end the partisan gridlock in Washington D.C. as he discusses how to engage the middle majority in the political process as well as the role of Congressional and presidential leadership. (RI/NC)

10. Advanced Colored Pencil Art

Come join us in advanced colored pencil artwork with Melvin Turner, art hobbyist with 12 years experience. A supply list will be provided. Participants must have some experience in colored pencil art. The class is limited to 10. (RI/NC)



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11. Come to the PICNIC

Come be a part of the PICNIC (Partners in Caring NOT in Crime) and find out how you can help address adult literacy needs in Peoria. Learn more about delivering GED services to the most needy residents of Peoria and how you, as concerned citizens, can get involved. The class instructors are Hedy Elliott-Gardner, District #150 teacher of adult education and GED courses for 16 years, and Beth Crider-Derry, Assistant Regional Superintendent of Schools. The Thursday class will be held at the Proctor Recreation Center, 309 Du Sable. (NI/NC)

12. The Creation Story Like You've Never Heard it Before

Examine the creation account in Genesis 1 from the perspective of ancient cosmology. Mike Shirey, Associate Pastor at Northminster Presbyterian Church, will investigate the account of creation in light of its purpose rather than what it may or may not tell us about the mechanics and chronology of creation. (RI/RC)

13. Forties Flicks

Between 1940 and 1949, about two-thirds of the American population went weekly to a film. Enjoy and discuss clips from movies released during and after World War II like Rebecca, Casablanca, Citizen Kane, Double Indemnity, Girl Crazy, Yankee Doodle Dandy, I Was a Male War Bride, The Lost Weekend, and many others. Join Roger May, retired teacher and OLLI instructor, and Carol May, retired ICC administrator and OLLI instructor, and learn why the decade of the 1940s was a great time to go to the movies. (RI/NC)

14. Globalization and Business: Opportunities and Challenges

It is well known that companies must be engaged globally to be competitive. But how exactly is this done? What are the benefits and challenges? How can small businesses succeed especially against larger, international competitors? Join Jim Foley, Director, Bradley University's Turner Center for Entrepreneurship, for an interactive look into the process of globalization. (RI/NC)

15. Mathematical Constructions Using Paper and Straws

Learn about Platonic solids while constructing them with paper and straws. Create stellated icosahedrons! Put together trihexaflexagons using adding machine tape. Create while you learn with Mary Jane Sterling, Bradley University Mathematics Instructor. (RI/NC)

16. Understanding Investment Risk and Strategies for IRAs

Cathy Butler and Bill Luthy, Morgan Stanley Smith Barney LLC, will provide an overview of the features and benefits of transition, estate, and wealth planning with IRAs. They will also discuss various types of investment risk, how they apply to different asset classes, and strategies for minimizing risk. (NI/NC)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11 AND FRIDAY, JANUARY 13 9:00 – 11:30 a.m.

BREAK 10:00 - 10:30 a.m.

17. Airports and Air Traffic Control

Join Dean Doughty, retired air traffic controller, as we tour an airport from the pilot's perspective: looking at runway markings, airport lighting, and airplane issues. We'll also do some "vectoring." (RI/R&NC)

18. Christian Ethics

Look at the diversity of ways to serve and worship in the Christian community to better reach people of other faiths and ethnicities. There has been a movement in the Christian community to move from traditional to more contemporary methods. Samuel Duren, Pastor of Zion Baptist Church, will look at the pros and cons of these methods and how successful they are. (NI/NC)

19. Economic Development and Tax Increment Financing

Explore how local governments work with the private sector to generate development. Learn about economic development tools like tax increment financing (TIF), enterprise zones, and business loans. Christopher Setti, special projects manager with the city of Peoria, will be the instructor. (RI/NC)

20. Get Organized - Collecting or Hoarding?

Hoarding is a topic that has gotten much attention in recent years. What makes someone a hoarder? Is collecting the same as hoarding? Kate Varness, certified professional organizer, will explain the latest information on compulsive hoarding and what can be done if you, or someone you love, hoards. If it feels like you are drowning in paper, you will also get key information for reducing incoming paper and demystifying the paper puzzle. (RI/NC)

21. Introduction to Body Mapping

Our body maps are our mental pictures of our bodies' structure and function. Molly Slotter, staff accompanist in Bradley University's Department of Music and certified Andover Educator, will teach us how to examine, correct, and clarify our maps in order to rediscover greater ease and flexibility in everyday activities. (RI/RC)

22. John Steinbeck's Legacy

John Steinbeck is recognized as a major 20th century American writer, authoring popular and award-winning novels like *Grapes of Wrath* and *East of Eden*. He was also a prolific writer of short fiction, such as *The Red Pony*, *Flight*, and *Chrysanthemums* that are less known to readers. Is Steinbeck still contemporary? Is he relevant in his portrayal of American life and character? Read and discuss selected stories to determine Steinbeck's literary legacy. The class instructor is Michael Slaughter, retired Professor of English at Illinois Central College. (RI/NC)

**23. Live Music**

Come join us for some traditional music including old-time, gospel, folk, and just about any toe-tapping song you can sing along with or dance to. Carol Carroll, Lynn Furness, and Shirley Coers will tell a bit of the story of traditional music, its roots, and the many instruments used. Wayne Broadkorb and Judy Ernst will tell us about and play accordions to keep us swinging and swaying. Shirley Cunningham and the Zephyr Ensemble will play Medieval, Renaissance, Baroque, and contemporary music on reproductions of recorders and a few other instruments first used over 800 years ago. (R&NI/NC)

24. Whatever Happened to the Congress We All Knew and Loved?

What has changed about Congress? We'll look at all of the changes and try to figure out how Congress has become one of the most unpopular institutions in the nation. The class instructor is Bill Hall, Bradley University Professor Emeritus of Political Science. (RI/NC)

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11 AND**FRIDAY, JANUARY 13****12:30 – 3:00 p.m.****BREAK 1:30 - 2:00 p.m.****25. Finding Beauty and Order in Chaos**

Relax and enjoy a guided tour through the world of chaos. We will begin with Newton's clockwork universe theory and then move into the world of strange attractors, fractals, and the butterfly effect. Along the way we will deep dive into the beautiful Mandelbrot set and visit the "little model" from Edward Lorenz. Join Greg Peine, OLLI Study Group facilitator and retired Caterpillar engineer, to explore the use of chaos in art and literature and finish our tour by discovering some of the engineering applications of chaos in our lives today. (RI/NC)

26. Genealogy Research for Beginners

Learn about beginning genealogy research with instructors from the Peoria County Genealogical Society (PCGS) and the Peoria Public Library. Spend the afternoon of January 11 in the classroom learning about the basics of genealogy research from PCGS members Donna Pond and Barb Benner. You will learn how to get started, what to expect, and get information about the Peoria County Genealogical Society. On January 13, travel to the Peoria Public Library for an afternoon of research in the Local History and Genealogy Department. The Library's local history expert, Linda Aylward, will help you start your research using computer databases and print materials, so come with a topic in mind to start your search. This class is limited to 20. (NI/NC)

27. Getting Started for Spring

Get your yard ready for spring with some handy tips for spring lawn care, perennial gardening, and landscape maintenance. Ella Maxwell, horticulturist at Hoerr Nursery and master gardener, will entice us with everything new for spring including new plants, new tools, and new products you'll want to use. She will also show and share how to get started with seeds and explore seed catalogs and ordering by mail. (RI/NC)

28. International Experiences

Four presenters will provide accounts of their international experiences while living, working, or exploring overseas. Come learn with Gil Nolde, Switzerland; Larry Lau, Russia; Dan and Marjorie Getz, Japan; and Judy Greer, Indonesia. (N& RI/NC)

29. Introduction to Birding

Look at the process of birding including identification, field techniques, new technology in birding, optics, and places to go birding in Central Illinois. The class instructor is Mike Miller, Peoria Park District Supervisor of Environmental and Interpretive Services. (RI/R&NC)

30. Our Schools: Separating Reality from Fiction

Please join five experts as they discuss today's school system AND answer your questions. Elizabeth Crider-Derry, Assistant Regional Superintendent of Schools, will explore Peoria's newest high school which opened at Wildlife Prairie Park this fall. Gerald Brookhart, Regional Superintendent of Schools, will help us understand the role of a Regional Superintendent of Schools, these offices, their work, their funding, and also discuss Governor Quinn's recent decision to terminate their salaries. Jehan Gordon, State Representative, will present her views on each of the school-related laws which were passed in the latest session of the Illinois General Assembly. Paul Flynn, Training Director NECA/IBEW Local #34 Electricians and Pat Faley, Training Coordinator Local #353 Steamfitters, will present the requirements for two of Peoria's apprenticeship training programs so you can better understand the Woodruff Career and Technical Center housed within the Woodruff High School building. (R&NI/NC)

31. So You Want to be an Actor! Oh, no!

It's been said that everyone has two professions - their own and show business. This class is for anyone who ever harbored secret thoughts of being in a play or a movie. James Wilhelm, a fixture in local theatre for over forty years, along with some of his actor friends, will share experiences in the world of theatre, help participants understand the casting process at the local or professional level, and explain exactly what an actor is in for when committed to being in a show. (RI/NC)

32. When Cancer and Hope Collide

While cancer touches far too many lives, reasons for hope abound. Cancer is more survivable today than ever before. As groundbreaking clinical research trials accelerate our understanding of the disease, the path to more effective treatments and therapies becomes clearer. Through research, promising new therapies are measured against the current standard of care. Each successful clinical research trial raises the standard of care and improves chances for survival. Kathy Francis, registered nurse and Interim Executive Director of the Illinois CancerCare Foundation, and other professionals from Illinois CancerCare, will be talking about the importance of scientific clinical cancer research to help prevent, screen for, and diagnosis cancer. They will also share ways to reduce the risks. (NI/NC)



WINTER 2012 REGISTRATION

(PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT)

WHAT I WANT TO DO

Learning Trip and Special Event Membership Fees

- I am new to OLLI Learning Trips.*
- Local Trips**
- \$ 22 Gen. Wayne A. Downing Peoria Inter. Airport, January 5
- \$ 22 Peoria County Jail with Sheriff McCoy, January 17
- \$ 22 Toraason Glass, January 18
- \$ 22 Peoria Police Department, January 19
- \$ 22 Univ. of Illinois College of Medicine, February 1
- \$ 22 Peoria County Coroner's Office, February 2
- \$ 22 Homeway Homes, February 8
- \$ 22 Pekin Federal Correctional Institution, February 9
- \$ 22 Peoria City Hall with Dr. Peter J. Couri, February 10
- \$ 22 South Side Mission, February 15
- \$ 22 USDA NCAUR, February 16
- \$ 22 Bass Pro Shops, February 17
- \$ 22 182nd Airlift Wing, February 21
- \$ 22 ICC Caterpillar Dealer Serv. Tech. Training Fac., Feb. 22
- \$ 49 "Come Blow Your Horn" at Conklin's, February 23

Regional Trips

- \$ 69 Winter Waterfall Hike with Ed Stermer, January 16

Multiday Trips

- Canada's Atlantic Coast, May 24 - June 2
- \$250 Deposit
- \$165 Insurance Waiver
- \$3481 Double Occupancy Roommate: _____
- \$4170 Single Occupancy

- Indiana Architectural Tour, June 19 - 21
- \$200 Deposit
- \$646 Double Occupancy Roommate: _____
- \$706 Single Occupancy

- LauraPalooza 2012!, July 9 - 15 (Check here for information)

Total (LINE A)

Study Group Membership Fees

- I am new to OLLI Study Groups.*
- \$ 64 Great Decisions for the United States and the World
- \$ 44 Justice: What's the Right Thing to Do?
- \$ 00 Study Group Facilitator Training
- \$ 44 Midnight in Paris: The Lost Generation...
- \$ 44 Workshop for Life Story Writers
- \$ 44 Current Events

Total (LINE B)

Class Membership Fee

The class fee includes the complimentary Kick-Off Lunch, gift, and one class in each of the periods listed below.

- I am new to OLLI Classes.*
- \$ 90 OLLI Class Fee
- I am willing to volunteer as a Class Host*

Total (LINE C)

Tuesday and Thursday Classes

- 9:00 - 11:30 - indicate a first (1) and second (2) choice
1. Asian Performing Arts
2. Ernie Pyle - America's Reporter of WWII
3. Gardens in Art
4. Human Versus Robert
5. Intuition, Premonition, and Meaningful Coincidence
6. Play It Again (Uncle) Sam
7. Tough on Crime
8. Watercolor Pencils

12:30 - 3:00 - indicate a first (1) and second (2) choice

9. The 2012 Presidential Race
10. Advanced Colored Pencil Art
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Kick-Off Buffet Luncheon

Tuesday, January 10, 2012

11:30 a.m.

Michel Student Center Ballroom

Menu:

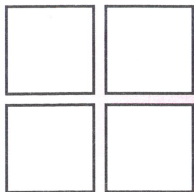
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| Baked chicken | Vegetable pasta primavera |
| Tossed salad with dressings | Orange glazed carrots |
| Green beans almandine | AuGratin potatoes |
| Chicken noodle soup | Carrot cake |

Please register by Tuesday, January 3, 2012.

- \$ 00 I will attend the Kick-Off Lunch (complimentary for OLLI Class members).
- \$ 15 I will attend the Kick-Off Lunch (\$15 for people attending only Trips and/or Study Groups).

Total (LINE D)

(PLEASE COMPLETE OTHER SIDE)



WINTER 2012 REGISTRATION

(PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT)

WHO I AM

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LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

OLLI subscribes to an environment of thoughtful discussion and mutual respect which is at the heart of a university-based experience. We value our participants and those who volunteer to share their time, talent, and organizations with us. These ideals enable us to enjoy the constructive exchange of ideas and remain informed and excited as lifelong learners. We embrace these ideals as a commitment to civility and academic freedom.

INFORMATION DISCLAIMER

Information provided in OLLI programs is for educational and informational purposes ONLY. In no way should OLLI be considered as offering legal advice, investment advice, health advice, or any related advice on behalf of Bradley University.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Photographs are taken during all OLLI programs. Your registration gives consent for any such photographs to be used for advertising and publicity purposes by Bradley University, its licensees, and or member organizations, and you waive all claims for any compensation for such use or for damages.

PARKING

Parking information for ALL programs will be provided with your confirmation materials. Limited handicapped-accessible parking is available by permit on campus. Please contact Wanda at 309.677.2523 for details.

HOW I WANT TO PAY

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LINE D _____ +

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I would like to donate \$5 to The OLLI Scholarship Fund

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You may also register and pay online at www.bradley.edu/continue

LEARNING TRIP WAIVER

In order to complete trip registration, participants are required to read and sign this assumption of risk, release, and waiver.

My signature confirms that I have read and agree to the cancellation policy, I meet the activity level requirements, I agree to abide by the safety guidelines of Bradley University staff and each host organization, and I recognize and accept the risks and conditions of the trip.

I acknowledge that my participation involves some personal risk. For each trip, I will wear closed-toed shoes and agree to use any other safety equipment required by the host site.

I will assume the risks and responsibilities regarding my participation and hold Bradley University and its agents harmless.

Signature _____

Date _____



CANCELLATION POLICY

In an effort to increase the availability of all OLLI programs and reduce the number of members placed on waiting lists, a cancellation policy has been approved by the OLLI Executive Committee.

The intent of this policy is to encourage our members to carefully consider their personal availability for each trip. Your careful scheduling will help your fellow OLLI members who wish to participate in our programs get a chance to do so. We appreciate your consideration!

Classes and Study Groups

- \$10 cancellation fee
- The remainder of the registration fee will be refunded.

Local Trips

- \$10 cancellation fee
- If your spot is filled from the waitlist, the remainder of the registration fee will be refunded.
- If your spot isn't filled, your registration fee will be forfeited.

Regional Trips and Special Events (with fees)

- \$10 cancellation fee
- If your spot is filled from the waitlist, the remainder of the registration fee will be refunded.
- If your spot is not filled, your registration fee, less any expenses prepaid by OLLI, will be refunded.
- If there is no fee for a Special Event, there will be no cancellation fee.

Multiday Trips

- Your deposit will be refundable up to 14 days after deposit deadline.
- There are no refunds after final payment deadline.
- Some multiday trips that are planned in conjunction with a travel agency (such as Nova Scotia) will have other specific cancellation policies. Please refer to the information provided at orientation meetings for complete details of these policies.

Extenuating circumstances will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Our community connections with non-profit and service organizations help us provide additional and reciprocal programming for our OLLI members. To learn more about these connections, please visit their websites.



www.aaii.com



www.mymethodist.net/encore



www.peoriahistoricalsociety.org

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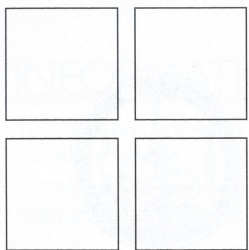
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