NEWBERRY LIBRARY FIELD TRIP

ICLRU’s next field trip will be December 5. Seating is very limited, so sign up in the Center starting Monday, Oct. 14.

This special exhibition, to commemorate the 150th Anniversary of the U.S. Civil War, examines the culture of the Northern home front through visual materials. It illustrates the war’s influence on families and the economy through music, literature, newspapers, art and much more. It is Chicago’s only major Sesquicentennial War Exhibit. It is the Civil War beyond the battles.

The visit will include a tour of the Newberry Library and after viewing the exhibit we will have lunch, on your own, at Maggiano’s Little Italy. [Click here](#) for details and the registration form.

NOTES FROM THE CENTER

PIANO SHOWCASE RECITAL

You are invited to a special Piano Showcase Recital by the Students of the Chicago College of Performing Arts Music Conservatory. This recital will be on Wednesday, October 16th, at 1:30 pm in Alumni Hall on the Schaumburg Campus. No registration is needed. Event sponsored by the CCPA and ICLRU.

BookEnds, the Non-Fiction Book Club, will meet Thursday, October 17 in Room 327 at 3:15 pm. Henrietta Leary will lead the discussion on her book selection: Guns, Germs and Steel by J. Diamond.

[Click here](#)
Wednesday, come to Plato’s Place for some lively conversation. Bring your lunch and join the group in room 330 at 11:45 am. Our topic on Oct. 16 is:

Are we the person we see ourselves as, or as others see us?

PLATO’S PLACE

LUNCHTIME PROGRAMS

On Tuesday, October 15, Socrates Revenge will feature “the human fungal diseases” at 11:45 in Room 314.

Bring Your Lunch

The following Tuesday, October 22, Along the Beaten Path, will have a special noontime presentation. Jack McKee will present a selection of operatic DVD Highlights. Emphasis will be on the works of Giuseppe Verdi, considered by many to be the greatest of the Italian operatic composers. This will be in celebration of the 200 year anniversary of Verdi’s birth. We will see and hear a variety of popular arias, duets and choruses. Anyone who has ever attended one of Jack’s opera presentations knows that we are in for something musically and visually outstanding. 11:45 in Room 314.

Staff Editorial:
ICLRU is a 501(c)3 Non-Profit organization. While affiliated with Roosevelt University, the ICLRU is run by its members, through an elected Board of Directors and the Chairpersons of its various committees. All persons on the Board and the committees are volunteers. All members are encouraged to participate to keep the organization vibrant.

Membership is open to seniors, age 55 and over, who have reached a point in life where they want to pursue their interests in a continuing learning and social environment with a group of like-minded peers.

ICLRU’S MISSION AND VISION

The mission of the ICLRU is to offer its members a non-credit, non-degree educational program together with social and cultural opportunities through which older adults may share their talents, experiences and skills.

Our Vision: To enrich our members’ experiences, while making the ICLRU an essential organization for Roosevelt University and our larger community.

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