WHAT’S UP AT ICLRU?

ICLRU HEALTH AWARENESS 411 SEMINAR
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th – ALUMNI HALL

Join us for morning treats, have a healthy lunch, learn important information and have your questions answered by two respected physicians (a cardiologist and a doctor of internal medicine.)

Click here for the registration form.

Sign up soon and bring your family and friends.

We expect this event to be full as it is open to non-members.

NOTES FROM THE CENTER

Watch for an upcoming event that ICLRU will be sponsoring at Friendship Village. On October 17th there will be a piano recital at Friendship Village featuring some piano performances by the top students of The Chicago Conservatory of Performing Arts Music Conservatory. More information will be coming.

Also, the deadline to reserve tickets for the Lyric Opera matinee performance of Tosca on January 30, 2015 has been extended. Tickets are available for a great price of $48.50. Contact Henrietta Leary at henriettaleary@comcast.net to reserve a ticket.

If you’re attending Fall study groups, be sure to review the Notes and Reminders that were sent out on Friday morning.
LUNCHTIME PROGRAMS

PLATO’S PLACE: Wednesdays — Come to Plato’s Place for some lively conversation. Bring your lunch and join the group in Room 330 at 11:45 am.

Topics:
Wed., Sept. 17 will be: Does playing “devil’s advocate” promote better discussion or is it destructive?
Wed., Sept. 24 will be: Trans fats, sugar and salt are believed to be bad for human health. Should the government pass laws that regulate their use in food?

CLUBS

THE TRAVEL CLUB: There is no meeting in September, but as part of the Travel Club meeting on Monday, October 27 from 11:45 am—12:45 pm, long time coordinator, Anita Brandes, will present a program on geology in Australia. This is in preparation for our Jan/Feb trip to Australia/New Zealand). All are welcome.

REMINDER: ICLRU member, Sheila Libman, reported that the "Learn to Knit a Special Gift" study group created and delivered nearly 50 baby hats to Northwest Community Hospital.

The summer term has ended but the knitting will continue. This will not be a study group, but an opportunity to contribute to a greatly appreciated effort. If you would like to participate in this project, please contact Sheila Libman at SGL724@gmail.com for instructions (knit or crochet) and other info.

Sheila would like to continue the baby hat project as an ongoing activity. She will email the info and instructions to all who are interested, and would be happy to deliver to the hospital any completed hats if requested.
DOmENTARY FILm EVENT aT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY

Moji Christianah Adeyeye, Ph.D, FAAPS, Chair, Department of Biopharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy Roosevelt University invites ICLRU Members to a screening of a documentary – Fire in the Blood — at RU, as a social justice event and part of student/campus activities/classes. Dr. Adeyeye was part of a Q&A session with the producer of the film. The movie is about how access to HIV/AIDS drugs was denied to many people especially in Africa, and how millions of Africans died as a result. Some information about the movie is shown below plus the Trailer link. Dr. Adeyeye plans to show the film in Schaumburg on these dates so mark your calendars:

September 23: from 3-5pm in Alumni Hall
September 24: from 9-11am in Alumni Hall

If you would like to attend please let Bob know in the Center

FIRE IN THE BLOOD

Directed by Dylan Mohan Gray — Click to see the TRAILER at: http://fireintheblood.com

A shocking exposé of how pharmaceutical companies use patent law to keep profits unconscionably high even at the expense of peoples’ lives, and a plea for universal access to affordable, life-saving generic medicines. An intricate tale of “medicine, monopoly and malice”, FIRE IN THE BLOOD tells the story of how Western pharmaceutical companies and governments aggressively blocked access to affordable AIDS drugs for the countries of Africa and the global south in the years after 1996 - causing ten million or more unnecessary deaths. It is also the inspiring story of the improbable group of people who decided to fight back. Shot on four continents and including contributions from global figures such as President Bill Clinton, Bishop Desmond Tutu and economist Joseph Stiglitz, FIRE IN THE BLOOD is the never-before-told true story of the remarkable coalition which came together to stop ‘the Crime of the Century’ and save millions of lives.

Don’t miss the Poetic Visions Open House, Saturday, September 13, 2014 from 1:00—3:00 pm Free Admission, Complimentary Refreshments

Enjoy the arts! John Green & the Northwest Community Council present Poetic Visions, drawings with poetic writings, now through Oct. 6, 2014 at Arlington Green Executive Center, 2101 S. Arlington Hts. Road. For more information click here. This exhibit will run through October 6 from Mon-Fri., 9am—5pm.

Artists:
John P. Green
Wendy Werdan
Russell Blanchard
Linda Treshansky
Danny Grosso

Poets:
Pamela Larson
Gail Goepfert
Lawrence Boisen
Linda Treshansky
Wendy Werdan
Nancy Heggem
John P. Green
Kate Hutchinson
A THANK YOU
FROM ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY

Thank you for your generous support of Roosevelt University’s 21st Annual Scholarship Golf Outing, which was held on Monday, August 11, 2014, at the Schaumburg Golf Club & Academy.

We’re sorry you could not join us for a terrific day of golf and camaraderie. Thanks to ICL’s Birdie Level sponsorship, Roosevelt University was able to raise almost $54,000 for student scholarships!

We invite you to view the pictures that were taken at the Outing: https://www.flickr.com/photos/rugolfouting/sets/72157646613501086/. Also, at your earliest convenience, please forward this link to the ICL foursome: Mel Quinn, Mike Mounts, Selwyn Schwartz & Rudy Von Loon.

We wish you all the best and look forward to seeing you at our 2015 Golf Outing!

Sincerely,

Doug Knerr
Paul Matthews
Executive V.P. & University Provost
Assistant V.P. of Campus Operations

Community Garden Progress Report

ICLRU volunteers have been hard at work at the Roosevelt University Community Garden, and recently Randi Long helped to unveil our crop of Yukon Gold potatoes, which were unearthed from two re-usable fabric grow bags.
THINGS TO DO

Schaumburg Township District Library

Forensic Detectives
Wednesday, September 17th from 7 to 8:30 pm
(Combined Room)
DNA testing has been used to reveal secrets about some of history’s most famous and infamous people. Did a notorious Old West outlaw fake his death? Have the remains of a renowned astronomer been located after five centuries? Learn how detectives use DNA testing to identify heroes and villains.

*Registration for these events is required, in person at the Central Library Information/Magazines Desk or by phone, 847-923-3347

ELMHURST HISTORICAL MUSEUM
EXHIBIT: CATCH IT WHILE YOU CAN!
Sox vs. Cubs: The Chicago Civil Wars
Closes September 28, 2014 FREE

Major League Baseball in the City of Chicago is divided geographically by only ten miles, but the distance between fan bases is far greater. In its summer exhibit, Elmhurst Historical Museum hits it out of the park highlighting the longtime rivalry between the fans of these two storied teams.

This cultural history exposé covers all the bases of the crosstown rivalry to examine concepts of loyalty and fandom through videos of each team’s colorful supporters; interviews with former players, sports journalists and broadcasters; and fan souvenirs.

Find out more about the storied rivalry of the “Sox vs. Cubs” in the exhibit, at the Elmhurst Historical Museum, 120 E. Park Avenue, Elmhurst, Illinois from May 16, through September, 2014. Museum hours are Tuesday through Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m., and admission is free. For more information, call 630-833-1457 or visit the historical museum’s website: click here for more info.
THINGS TO DO

CASINO ROYALE 2014
(Benefits the Children’s Advocacy Center)

October 10, 2014
6:30 p.m. To 10:30 p.m.

Register now at www.cachelps.org!
Take a chance on Children’s Advocacy Council at Casino Royale 2014
Gather your friends for an evening of games, food and fun!
Blackjack | Roulette | Craps | Silent Auction

$50 Ticket Includes:
$10 in chips
Food, beer, wine and soda from 7-9

Westin Chicago North Shore
601 N. Milwaukee Ave
Wheeling, IL

Proceeds will benefit the programs and services of the Children’s Advocacy Center which supports children and families affected by sexual abuse and severe physical abuse. Visit www.cachelps.org for more information.
INSTITUTE FOR CONTINUED LEARNING
AT ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY

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Monday—Thursday

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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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