FALL/WINTER INTERSESSION OPPORTUNITIES

DATES:
November 28
November 29
December 5
December 6
December 12
December 13

Registration for Fall/Winter Intersession Opportunities classes is on a first-come first-serve basis.

Please register by sending an email to the Center - officemanager@iclru.org - listing the classes you would like to attend (please include the number that precedes each class title). Or, you can fill out the attached registration form and turn it in to the office.

Please mark your calendars with the classes you have selected. Confirmation letters will NOT be sent out!
TUESDAYS, NOVEMBER 28, DECEMBER 5 & 12
9:30 – 11:30

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT ANARCHISTS --- AND CAPITALISM/SOCIALISM?
Presenter: Bob Allen

During the three sessions, we will cover the origins, existence, beliefs, people involved and understandings of various political and economic theories that have shaped the nations-states that have come and gone in the last 200 years. Emphasis will be on Emma Goldman and her close friends. There will be videos, PowerPoint slides with pictures, pop quizzes, discussions, laughs, and opportunities for continuous learning. NOTE: This class will meet for 3 weeks.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28
1:00-3:00

TRAVELING IN NORWAY
Presenters: Jim and Kathy Secora

Travel sights in Norway including Bergen, Oslo, and Lillehammer in the south to the Nordkapp (north cape) and Kirkenes (on the Russian border) in the north. Whether traveling independently or on a tour, Norway is a beautiful country to visit.
**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28**
**1:00-3:00**

**RUSSIA: THE COLD WAR**
**Presenter: John Kness**

We will view the 30-minute DVD, “Mikhail Gorbachev: Perestroika and Glasnost”, part of the Great Courses series featuring Professor Mark Steinberg of the University of Illinois. It is the last of a series of 36 lectures beginning with Peter the Great. This lecture looks at Gorbachev’s recognition of the many problems of the system and his efforts to make Communism work. We will also discuss a book written by Zubok, *A Failed Empire*, written in 2009.

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29**
**9:30-11:30**

**WHAT’S UP DOC?**
**Presenter: Richard Westgard**

This class will look at how GPS evolved, just how it works, and its many uses as well as how latitude and longitude became critical in history leading up to GPS. We’ll also look at the host of satellites orbiting Earth. It’s crowded up there!

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29**
**1:00-3:00**

**A BRIEF HISTORY OF HYSTERIA**
**Presenter: Harry Trumfio**

This two-hour offering comprises an overview of the history of hysteria from the Greeks to the present time. The theories, causes, and treatments of the affliction will be the subject matter of the presentation.
The emergence of science from the 15th to the 18th centuries brought about a cultural war in the search for what is true. It was a war between top-down authority based systems of belief and bottom-up experimentation-based scientific findings. The close affiliation of church and state in France of the late 1700s led to an extreme abuse of unbridled authority and power. In turn, this led to the French Revolution of 1789 and the realization that a government of the people could not favor the interests of any faction, especially one as powerful as the church.

Where do our personalities come from? What is the difference between personality disorders and mental illness? The difference is huge, but often confused. Join me as we take a quick tour of what we all have --- personalities --- and what I’m sure everyone in ICL has avoided --- personality disorders.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6
1:00-3:00

COSI FAN TUTTI AND JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR
Presenter: Henrietta Leary

We will be reviewing the two operas for which we have group tickets for the upcoming season. Excerpts from the operas will be shown, with the beautiful music created by each of the composers. An enjoyable experience whether or not you intend to attend the operas.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12
9:30-11:30

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT ANARCHISTS --- AND CAPITALISM/ SOCIALISM?
Presenter: Bob Allen

This is the conclusion of the 3-week class begun on November 28.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12
1:00-3:00

TOLD AND UNTOLD STORIES OF WORLD WAR II
Presenter: Fred Lickerman

World War II, like none before it, between 1939 and 1945, cost 55 million people their lives. The war touched every continent and was fought on every sea and ocean. But most important of all, it was a people’s war and these stories of men, women, and children that we will tell (through video presentations) are a moving testament to their wartime contributions which ultimately led to the Allied victory. The winning of this war set the fundamental economic and social order that we live by today. These stories of bravery and courage must be told to our future generations so they may never be forgotten.
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13
9:30-11:30

WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS IN COSMETOLOGY AND FASHION
Presenter: Henrietta Leary

The foundation for this class is the presentation which I did for the recent COURAGEOUS WOMEN study group which covered the lives of Madame C.J. Walker, Eve Arden, Helena Rubenstein, and Coco Chanel. Several fashion designers have been added: Elsa Schiaparelli, Mary Quant (think mini-skirt) and Claire McCardell. These are all women who stepped out of the main stream and became successful.

TIPS ON AGING
Presenter: Arlene Burke

Information will be presented on resources available to seniors, local nurses’ lending closets, how to validate Canadian resources for less expensive drug costs, where to locally obtain information on Veteran’s benefits, senior safety in the home, durable medical equipment available, simple exercises while sitting down, and how to update one’s will and end of life wishes.
REGISTRATION FORM
Please circle the numbers of the classes you would like to take. Make sure you mark the dates and times on your calendar as confirmation letters will NOT be sent out. Turn this form in to Bob Masterson in the ICLRU office.

1. What Do You Know About Anarchists --- And Capitalism/Socialism?
   Tuesdays, November 28, December 5, AND December 12, 9:30-11:30

2. Traveling in Norway
   Tuesday, November 28, 1:00-3:00

3. Russia: The Cold War
   Tuesday, November 28, 1:00-3:00

4. What’s Up Doc?
   Wednesday, November 29, 9:30-11:30

5. A Brief History of Hysteria
   Wednesday, November 29, 1:00-3:00

6. The Origin of Separation of Church and State
   Tuesday, December 5, 1:00-3:00

7. Personalities: The Good and the Not So Hot
   Wednesday, December 6, 9:30-11:30

8. Cosi Fan Tutti and Jesus Christ superstar
   Wednesday, December 6, 1:00-3:00

9. Told and Untold Stories of World War II
   Tuesday, December 12, 1:00-3:00

10. Women Entrepreneurs in Cosmetology and Fashion
    Wednesday, December 13, 9:30-11:30

11. Tips on Aging
    Wednesday, December 13, 1:00-3:00

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