



THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Professors Emeriti Club

Emeriti

NEWSLETTER

No. 3 November 2019

The University of Utah Chamber Choir Concert: Continuing Our Holiday Tradition



Join us on **Wednesday December 4 at 12:00 noon (note the day and time change)**, for the seventh annual Emeriti Club concert by the **University of Utah Chamber Choir**. Dr. Barlow Bradford, Director, established the choir in 2010. In 2014, the choir garnered international acclaim by winning the Grand Prix de la Ville de Tours (Grand Prize of the City of Tours). Returning in 2015 to participate in the championship round amidst other winning choirs, they secured the Grand Prix European (European Grand Prize), often regarded as the world cup in amateur choral musicianship.

We are indeed fortunate to have this lauded choir with us again this year. A magical holiday experience is in store for Emeriti Club members. **For the Choir's convenience, their performance will come before the entrée is served and, as stated above, will start promptly at 12:00 noon.**

Luncheon Menu

Wednesday, December 4, 12:00 noon. Union Building, Saltair Room

Reservations should arrive by mail or online by **November 27**

Online with credit card at: <https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club>

By mail to Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City, UT 84103

See page 5 for a reservation form

[Fifty-cent charge for credit card payment; this is less than the price of a first-class stamp]

Garden Salad

Herb-Roasted Chicken with Pan Sauce

Herb Stuffing and Green Beans Almandine

Chocolate Raspberry Torte

Vegetarian Option: Quinoa Stuffed Pepper

Fruit Plate Option

Modest Increase in the Price of Emeriti Club Luncheons



Effective beginning with our January 14th luncheon, the cost of meals at our Emeriti luncheons will be \$18, an increase of \$1 per meal that is necessitated by rising food costs. Even this does not cover the actual cost of most of our meals. The difference is subsidized by income from dues paid by our members. Luncheons purchased by credit card will continue to have a 50-cent surcharge.

Although dues are voluntary, we do encourage members to make their dues payments if they are able. They help support our activities in a variety of important ways and maintain the vitality of our Club. **Please see the box below for more information about dues.**

Emeriti Club Dues

All who are named emeritus/a by the Trustees of the University of Utah automatically become members of the Professors Emeriti Club as do their spouses. Membership comes with no additional requirements. However, the Club does provide many benefits and, accordingly, solicits dues from members who wish to support our programs. **Annual Dues are \$12.00 for an individual, \$24 for a couple, and can be paid when submitting the Luncheon Reservation Form at the end of each newsletter.**

Member dues are one of two resources that support Club activities. The Academic Vice President's Office also provides a nominal annual stipend. The Club's Executive Board arranges a variety of ongoing activities, including **monthly luncheons** with special presentations by notable speakers; **overseas trips**; weekly **hikes** and additional multi-day outdoor activities; **special events** with the Utah Symphony/Opera, the University's School of Music, Pioneer Theatre, and more. Where applicable, special ticket prices include **a small subsidy to make events affordable to all.** The Club also produces a **monthly newsletter** throughout the academic year (eight issues) to keep members informed of all sponsored activities and events. And the Board continually **advocates** for emeriti faculty benefits and privileges. **Your dues help support these activities and benefits.**

Consider This: Volunteering at the Geraldine E. King Women's Resource Center

As the holiday season approaches, we begin to think a lot about giving. This year consider a gift of time: serving a meal to the 200 otherwise homeless women living at the Geraldine E. King Women's Resource Center. It is one of three new centers serving the homeless in the Salt Lake area and one of two currently open.



The Center is run by the Volunteers of America (VOA). The brand-new building at 7th S and 131 E is lovely and full of light. It is an impressive facility, serving a critical need in our community. Volunteers are needed to serve (not cook) meals. This is how VOA describes the volunteer program:

Our Meal Service Program invites individuals and mid-sized community groups to volunteer at our facility by helping with meal prep and service for up to 200 women, who are struggling with homelessness. As a meal service volunteer, you are providing positive community engagement and helping us meet the nutritional needs of the clients. Our kitchen facility can accommodate up to 20 volunteers at a time with plenty of tasks to keep everyone busy.

Individuals, couples, or groups can sign up for a breakfast, lunch, or dinner two-hour shift on a specific date. See <http://bit.ly/2WsvlJj> for more information and a sign-up calendar.

STOP
PRESS !!!

We are working on an **EXCITING ADDITION** to our **ITINERARY!**

CHAVENAGE HOUSE aka **Trenwith** of **Poldark** fame!

Chavenage House in Gloucestershire is in the **heart of the lovely Cotswold Hills**. Constructed of beautiful mellow Cotswold stone, it dates from 1383, with many additions over the centuries. Only two families have been in possession since Tudor times. You will have seen the house on telly in *Lark Rise to Candleford*, *Wolf Hall*, and most notably *Poldark*. Fingers crossed all will be confirmed soon, then **the house will be opened especially for us** to visit. We will also hope to arrange for refreshments there depending on cost & time.



"One's destination is never a place, but a new way of seeing things." ~ Henry Miller



And our 2020 tour is designed to provide you a new way of seeing a country you may have visited before. Perhaps you have been to Plymouth, or strolled Cambridge, but our **CUSTOMIZED** tour goes beyond to take you to villages & towns, churches & stately homes where you've never previously set foot. We have the opportunity to delve into obscure corners that produced men and women who braved the sea to reach a New World, an unknown land, to start new

lives in an age when returning was not readily an option. Who were they? To name a few: Miles Standish, John Alden, Priscilla Mullins, Edward Winslow, Susannah White, William Bradford, William Brewster—some ring a bell, some not, but all have their stories. Now is your chance to learn more about them.

Nor is that all this tour offers. Gaze over the Fens, explore stately homes open *just for us*, discover how a vast Jacobean house became a Polish Special Ops training center in World War II, cruise the River Dart, or pull yourself up Lincoln's Steep Hill by a handrail—you'll find unexpected, even quirky, pleasures everywhere you turn.

This **special private 12-day tour**—with **22 included meals** and no optionals to increase the cost (beyond a chance to extend your stay in London)—requires we have an **absolute minimum of 15** travelers. **The more we get, the less the cost**, so bring family, friends, and neighbors! Our numbers are capped at 30. **Please note the December 1 deadline for your deposit.** This is to help us get the best rates for the direct non-stop international flights.



Land cost: \$3399 pp double occ (*for the minimum 15 travelers;*

amount will decrease at 20, 25, & 30)

Deposit: \$250 **Due:** Dec. 1, 2019 **Final payment due:** Feb. 3, 2020

Questions? Need an Itinerary? Contact: Monica at Thomas Travel, 801-266-2775

In Memoriam

Stanley W. Crawley
Architecture
October 15, 2019

John M. Matsen, III
Pathology and Pediatrics
November 9, 2019



**PIONEER
THEATRE
COMPANY**

300 S. 1400 E. Salt Lake City, UT 84112

Box Office: 801-581-6961

<http://www.pioneertheatre.org/2017-2018-season/>

Emeriti Club Members are entitled to a pair of FREE preview tickets. You may collect them in person from the PMT box office with your emeritus UCard



Ticket Pickup (T/P) and Preview (P) Dates

Please Note: PTC Preview performances are on Thursdays at **7:30 p.m.**

The Play That Goes Wrong

T/P: Nov. 18, 2019

P: Dec. 5, 2019

Mary Stuart

T/P: Dec. 23, 2019

P: Jan 9, 2020

Once On This Island

T/P: Jan. 27, 2020

P: Feb. 20, 2020

Ass

T/P: March 9, 2020

P: March 26, 2020

Something Rotten!

T/P: April 13, 2020

P: May 7, 2020



Holiday Markets

Utah Museum of Fine Arts

Saturday and Sunday, December 7 & 8

Market is free; admission required to visit exhibits

Red Butte Gardens Glass Art Show

November 2 - December 17;

Free Garden Admission, Saturday & Sunday, December 7 & 8 thanks to ZAP



No Golf Cart Rides, but Wheelchairs are available

After the distribution of our last newsletter, we discovered that golf carts cannot navigate the ramps on the way to the Saltair Room. **However, you may request a wheelchair and a wheelchair attendant at the Information Desk just inside the East entrance of the Student Union.**

Emeriti Hiking Group News



The emeriti hiking group continues to enjoy our mountains and foothills. Many have discovered new friends with similar interests. So, if you don't like hiking alone, why not join us on Fridays? Our weekly hikes are announced 5-7 days ahead and vary from easy to moderate. Members of the group volunteer to lead hikes and we have discovered many new trails this way. We also have an annual camping/moteling trip to various places. **To join the list contact Suzanne.Stensaas@hsc.utah.edu**

Executive Board 2019-2020

Anne Cullimore Decker — President

801-277-1256 anne.decker@utah.edu

Jerilyn McIntyre — President-Elect

509-899-4275 jerilyn.mcintyre@mac.com

Ted Packard — Past President

801-278-5958 ted.packard@utah.edu

Jan Harold Brunvand — Secretary

801-359-9919 jan.brunvand@gmail.com

Linda Keiter — Newsletter Editor

801-581-0391 linda.keiter@utah.edu

Ryck Luthi — Membership and Program Facilitator

801-532-6464 ryckluthi@msn.com

Michele Margetts — Special Activities Coordinator

801-582-2806 1elizabethan@comcast.net

Frank and Carol Stenger — Co-Treasurers

801-359-4452 stenger_sue@msn.com

Please cut here ✂ *****

LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM

Wednesday December 4, 12:00 noon, Union Saltair Room ~ see page 1

[To pay by credit card, go to: <https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club/>]

Name _____ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___

Partner _____ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___

Guest(s) _____ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___

Number attending @ \$17.00 each _____ Luncheon \$ _____

Voluntary dues for 2019/20 - \$12.00 Single, \$24.00 Couple* _____ Dues \$ _____

Please check here if this is your first luncheon as a new member Total \$ _____

☛ ***PLEASE NOTE: You may use either the paper form or the online credit card reservation site at any time to PAY YOUR DUES, even if you are unable to attend the luncheon.**

**Make check payable to PROFESSORS EMERITI CLUB. Payment should arrive by November 27.
Send payment to: Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City UT 84103**