



The Learning Times

A Message From the President

SUMMER MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

11:00 a.m.– 2:00 p.m.

Wardsville Lions Club
3505 Route M
Jefferson City, MO. 65101

Pre-registration deadline
July 10, 2023

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This is a great time of the year to be a member of LIR! This newsletter provides information regarding classes and trips scheduled for the coming fall semester and an opportunity to sign up for those events of personal interest. Thanks to the good work of Tom Piper, our web administrator and Cecil Caulkins, our newsletter chairman, it is now possible to register for clubs, classes and trips by printing out forms from our website, www.lirjc.org, then filling them out and mailing them to the LIR office.

In addition, our annual summer membership meeting is coming up on July 19th at the Wardsville Lions Club. Excellent food and entertainment will be available thanks to our Membership and Marketing and Hospitality Committees. A full lunch will be served for the first time since the advent of Covid!

At our business meeting, we will vote on a slate of candidates for the LIR Board of Directors. These candidates have been selected by the Nominating Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. Linda Amick is proposed for a first three-year term. Lee Bunch, Wendy Hansen and Chris Straub are being proposed for second three-year terms.

We will also have introductions of the LIR Board, committee members, distinguished guests, and the recipients of the LIR/Dr. Gary K. Scott Scholarship (Emma Heather from Centertown) and the ROTC Scholarship (Cadet Quinton Ryerson from Versailles).

Two members of LIR will be awarded Lifetime Membership Awards for their distinguished service for many years to LIR.

The meeting will be concluded with a raffle for free classes. July 19th provides a great time for all of us to be together again!

Sincerely,
Chris Straub, President

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Nominees for Board of Directors

One item of business for our Summer Membership Meeting is the election of new board members. The nominees are Linda Amick, Lee Bunch, Wendy Hansen, and Chris Straub. You'll find biographical information on these nominees on an insert included with this newsletter.

Please read the bios and be ready to vote in July!

LIR Summer Membership Meeting July 19, 2023

The Summer Membership Meeting will be held July 19, 2023, at the Wardsville Lions Club, 3505 Route M, Wardsville, MO, the same location as the winter meeting in January. Check-in will begin at 11:00 am. Beginning at 11:30, we will be treated to entertainment of a sing-along featuring Mike Michelson on the piano. The Lions Club will serve our noon luncheon of fried chicken and roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, green beans, slaw and dinner rolls, with cookies and cupcakes for dessert.

You can visit the exhibit area featuring travel, curriculum, and clubs, along with their representatives, following check-in and after the business meeting. This is an opportunity to get answers to any questions. Parking permits for Soldiers Hall will be available for \$10 at the LIR Office table.

A short business meeting will feature brief descriptions of upcoming offerings and the introduction of special guests, LU and ROTC scholarship recipients, and past course presenters. Free LIR course certificates will be given as door prizes.

Pre-registration (form enclosed) is required for this event along with the prepaid luncheon cost of \$12 for members and \$15 for non-members. Those requiring a gluten-free meal must request it on the enclosed registration form.

Call the Learning in Retirement office at 573-681-6152 if you have questions concerning the meeting or registration. The final date for registration is July 10, 2023.

Learning in Retirement Scholarship Winners

Learning in Retirement awarded the **ROTC scholarship** for the 2023-2024 school year to **Cadet Quinton Ryerson** from Versailles, Missouri.

Cadet Ryerson is a marketing major with a minor in military science, is an MS2 and is currently a Squad Leader. He joined the National Guard in 2018. After attending Cadet Leader Training at Fort Knox, he will head to Fort Campbell, where he will go the Sabalauski Air Assault School to receive the Air Assault Badge.

Upon graduating from Lincoln, Cadet Ryerson plans to commission as a Second Lieutenant and wants to serve in active duty Infantry. In his spare time, Cadet Ryerson enjoys lifting weights and, spending time with loved ones.

Emma Heather, a sophomore from Centertown, Missouri, will receive the **LIR/Dr. Gary K. Scott Scholarship**. She is majoring in Elementary Education.

Emma currently works at Woodland Montessori School in Jefferson City and The United Methodist Church Preschool (substitute) in California. Emma has volunteered for collection and packing of school buddy packs. Emma's GPA is 4.0.

Board of Directors - 2023

Elected Members

Chris Straub, President
Cindy Stephens, Vice-President,
Barb Maxwell, Secretary
Terry Rackers, Treasurer
Mentha Bolton-Bakari
Lorraine Brooks (Historian)
Lela Bunch (Sunshine Chair)
Bill Gerling
John Gulick
Wendy Hansen (Travel Chair)
Steve Newman
Sheila Scott (Curriculum Chair)
Jenny Smith

Ex Officio Members

Steve Buchholz, Past President
Cecil Caulkins, Newsletter Editor
Kay Freidinger, Hospitality Chair
Sue Hilkemeyer, Clubs Chair
Cheri Landers, Office Manager
Kay Martellaro, Membership & Marketing Chair
Tom Piper, Web Administrator
Lisa Stock, Lincoln University Liaison

LIR Office Closings

The LIR Office will be closed on the following holidays:

July 4 (Independence Day)
September 4 (Labor Day)
November 22-24 (Thanksgiving Break)
December 18-January 2 (Winter Break)

LU / LIR Parking Permits for 2023-2024

Lincoln University parking permits for LIR members will be available at the summer membership meeting on July 19 or during regular hours at the LIR Office. Parking permits are good only for parking on the Soldiers Hall lot. Permits are valid from September 1, 2023, through August 31, 2024.

To obtain the permit, you will need the following information: vehicle make, model, color, license plate number; and your driver's license number. Cost of the permit is \$10.00.

TRAVEL TIP REMINDERS*August - December 2023*****General****

- **LIR coach trips depart from and return to Walmart Supercenter, 724 West Stadium Boulevard (near the Central Bank ATM). Coaches most often arrive 30 minutes prior to departure time.**
- Seating: When you arrive at the coach, board and choose a seat; it remains yours for the rest of the trip. The front seats on either side of the aisle are reserved for the escorts.
- Please put escort names and phone numbers in your cell phone when you are confirmed on a trip. If they need to call you with important information about the trip, you will have them in your contact list and know who is calling.
- LIR trips visit both public and government sponsored sites. It is the responsibility of the traveler to follow the guidelines as dictated by the venues visited.
- Tips are included in the cost of the trip for the coach driver, for all included meals, step-on guides, and donations for charitable venues. Meals on your own and hotel housekeeping tips are at your discretion.
- Please wear your name badge—it really helps everyone!

****Health & Safety****

- Travelers should carry medication lists with them AT ALL TIMES. Your name badge is a handy storage place. AND don't forget to bring all your medications on trips.
- LIR travel requires walking and the physical capability to tour the site. If you have concerns regarding the described activities, please call an escort to discuss the degree of difficulty of the trip's venues.
- Comfort stops are planned for the comfort and well-being of travelers when travel time is between two and two and a half hours. Passengers are encouraged to leave the coach for a short walk for their health.
- Water is provided for travelers on all coach trips.
- Travelers with special dietary needs should contact an escort **PRIOR** to the trip to express their required dietary accommodation.
- While COVID is still with us, masking and other safeguards are up to the discretion of each traveler or particular venue. You will be notified in your reminder letter if a venue has any requirements.

****Registration****

- Submit separate checks for each trip if possible. Couples may combine payments on one check.
- Checks for multiple trips will be deposited even when placed on a wait list for some trips. Refunds will be made after the date of the trip.
- When registering with a friend for trips, you are strongly encouraged to mail or drop off registrations together as registrations are recorded as received.
- Refunds for trip cancellations depend on the ability to fill the vacancy and/or the recovery of expenses already paid.
- NO deposit is necessary to be placed on a wait list.
- Registrants for a trip are automatically added to a wait list if the maximum number of travelers has already been confirmed.

TRIPS: JULY-DECEMBER 2023

CLUE

Stages Theatre: Kirkwood Performing Arts Center
Wednesday, August 16

It's not just a game anymore! Join us as we head to Kirkwood Stages Theatre to see CLUE. This show is based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie that was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game. CLUE is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery.



The play begins on a dark and stormy night at a remote mansion, where six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Sip soup with Miss Scarlett, Professor Plum, Mrs. Peacock, Colonel Mustard, and a host of other classic oddballs as you unravel this whodunit.

On our way to Kirkwood, we'll have a comfort/food stop. The show runs from 2-3:45 p.m. with an intermission. After the show, we'll have a buffet dinner at Sugarfire Restaurant in Wentzville. Your registration fee includes the show, dinner and coach cost.

Depart: 10:30 a.m.
Return: 8:00 p.m.

Escorts: Kay Martellaro 573-680-6058
Wendy Hansen 573-645-2031

Cost: \$135 Total due with registration



OZARK POTPOURRI

Springfield, Ozark and Branson
Wednesday-Thursday, September 6-7

Join us for a two-day trip to the Ozark region of Missouri where we will enjoy a sampling of the many places and flavors this area has to offer.

For history lovers, our first visit is Springfield's History Museum on the Square. In addition to learning about the area's local history and its impact on America's past, we will enjoy both permanent and temporary exhibits that feature Route 66 and learn why Springfield is referred to as the birthplace of Route 66. Visitors to the museum have the opportunity to learn local history through an interactive exhibit that simulates a passenger train ride where they will encounter a shootout with Wild Bill Hickok and immerse themselves further in local lore and history. Other galleries showcase the Civil War in Springfield, local pioneers and founders, and the area's Native Americans.

After exploring the History Museum, we'll be treated to a tasty lunch at the Springfield Brewing Company, a cornerstone of downtown Springfield known for its unique spirits and craveable eats. Lunch (included in cost of trip) will consist of a barbecue buffet that includes smoked pulled pork, pastrami brisket, slaw, fries, and house-smoked beans. Travelers can take the opportunity to enjoy one of their unique brews (on their own) with their lunch.

For nature lovers, our next stop is the Springfield-Greene County Botanical Gardens. While at the Gardens, we will have a docent-led tram tour that highlights their history as well as dozens of themed and collection gardens. We will also have the opportunity to take a docent-led walking tour of their Master Gardens and Butterfly House. The Visitor's Center houses its own exhibits as well as a gift shop, restrooms, water fountain, and a reference library. Friendly staff members will be on site to answer any questions you might have.



We will be staying at the Springfield Drury Inn where we can enjoy its Kickback Reception for dinner and drinks. If you prefer, there is an Applebee's a very short distance from the hotel. At 7 p.m., we'll take the coach for an **optional** trip to Bass Pro Shop. This is its original store—they call it "The Granddaddy of All Outdoor Stores." Just lookaround or indulge in some shopping! We will head back to the hotel by 8:30 p.m. and the rest of the evening is on your own.

On the second day of our trip, after breakfast at the Drury, we will be visiting the Route 66 Car Museum, which is dedicated to showcasing and preserving some of the most quintessential and beautiful automobiles in our Nation's history. The museum houses early automobiles as well as racing, rare, valuable, and celebrity automobiles.

Then, we'll head to Finley Farms, modeled after the family farms that once dotted the Ozark landscape. Lunch here will highlight the farm-to-table menu items for which Finley Farms has become known. After a lunch featuring a riverside view



and the restaurant's specialty sandwiches, we will have the opportunity to learn the farm's history while touring the grounds and the Mill, which was originally built in 1833. It has been moved, rebuilt, and lovingly restored.

To top off the day, we'll take a short drive to Branson's Sight and Sound Theatre. Theatre lovers will be treated to the production "Queen Esther," a captivating Old Testament tale that comes to life with magnificent sets, special effects, and live animals as part of the stage production. Esther's life changes forever once a crown is placed upon her head. Theatregoers will discover whether she can find the courage to trust in God's plan for her life.

After the show, we'll head home with a comfort/food break at a Love's Travel Stop, arriving in Jefferson City around 10 p.m. Plan to save these dates and join us for two informative, fun-filled days in the Springfield/Ozark/Branson areas.

Depart: 7:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 6
Return: 10:00 p.m., Thursday, September 7

Escorts: Wendy Hansen 573-645-2031
Kristin Eddy 571-217-9365

Cost: Single: \$365 \$220 due with registration
\$145 final pay due by July 26

Double: \$295 \$160 due with registration
\$135 final payment due by July 26

Agatha Christie's "The MOUSETRAP"

Arrow Rock Lyceum Theatre

Tuesday, September 12

From the Grand Dame of mystery, Agatha Christie's "The Mousetrap" holds the world record for the longest running production, mesmerizing audiences for more than sixty years. Monkswell Manor welcomes a group of strangers in the midst of a snowstorm and on the heels of a murder in town. It soon becomes clear that the killer is among them, and the strangers grow increasingly suspicious of one another. When a second murder takes place, tensions and fears escalate. Will the identity of the murderer be revealed before they strike again? "The Mousetrap's" riveting plot will have you on the edge of your seat from start to finish!

To begin our journey, we will meet the coach at 11:30 a.m. and arrive at Arrow Rock Main Street at 1:00 p.m. where those who would like to shop may get off the coach and walk to the theater on their own, which is just 2-3 blocks away.

After the show, we'll enjoy dinner at J. Huston Tavern in Arrow Rock and then head back to Jefferson City.

Depart: 11:30 a.m.
Return: 7:30 p.m.

Escorts: Lela Bunch 573-797-3271
John Gulick 573-536-1755

Cost: \$100 Total due with registration

A DAY AT KAUFFMAN STADIUM

Kansas City

Sunday, October 1

The summer/fall season would not be complete without a trip to the BALLPARK! This year we'll check out the American League at Kauffman Stadium! The Kansas City Royals take on the Bronx Bombers (The Yankees) on the final day of the Major League Baseball regular season! Will Aaron Judge set a new home run record? Is Harrison Bader still making those FANTASTIC outfield catches? We have great seats on the third base side. Get out your ROYAL gear and celebrate!

The price of the trip includes your ticket and coach ride. Food at the ballpark and our two comfort stops will be on your own.

Depart: 9:15 a.m.
Return: 8:45 p.m.

Escorts: Lee Bunch 573-797-3271
Vicki Ford 573-694-0014

Cost: \$95 Total due with registration

REVERENCE AND BEAUTY

St. Louis

Thursday, October 12

On this trip you have the opportunity to experience extreme differences in the venues we visit. Our journey begins with the deep reverence and continues later in the day with the beauty portion as we view extraordinary glass artworks.

The schedule has us arriving at the Kaplan Field Holocaust Museum to learn from the stories shared to history by survivors who later came to St. Louis. We learn how they were able to survive this unimaginable existence of inhumanities that are beyond understanding. It is a part of history that cannot be forgotten to ensure it will never be repeated.

We begin our visit of the museum at 10:30 a.m. with a kosher lunch catered by Kohn's Kosher Deli. Why so early? Because the scheduling for the rest of the day would be difficult to complete unless we start with lunch. We can do it! These two venues are so special, and the glass exhibit is only in St. Louis this summer. Lunch from Kohn's is included in your registration fee. After lunch, we will be split into groups led by a tour guide.

At 1:30 p.m., we are off to the Missouri Botanical Gardens for the beauty part of the day. Here we enjoy delightful elegance in glass exhibits from world renowned artist, Dale Chihuly.



A tram provides transportation around the Gardens to see the exhibits. Although many of the beautiful pieces can be seen from the tram, not all will be visible. Consequently, those who want to see everything included in Chihuly's works may want to explore on foot. You have an opportunity to grab a light snack while at the Gardens because you might be starting to feel the effects of our early lunch. On the way home, we plan a stop for a meal on your own as soon as we get out of the city.

The coach leaves the Gardens at 4:15 p.m. heading for Culver's in Eureka. There is an option for an Arby's nearby. Enough time is scheduled for a comfort stop and to get a meal before returning to Jefferson City. Arrival at the Walmart parking lot will be around 7:30 p.m. Your day is guaranteed to be filled with moving experiences.

Depart: 7:45 a.m.

Return: 7:30 p.m.

Escorts: Kay Martellaro 573-680-6058

Janet Lepper 573-680 6703

Cost: \$105 Total due with registration

**LOUISVILLE SLUGGER, ARK ENCOUNTER,
AND CREATION MUSEUMS**

Kentucky

Monday-Wednesday, October 16-18

We are headed for Kentucky and several unique experiences! The destination venue for the first day will be the Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory in Louisville. As we have a lot of miles to cover this day, we will stop for comfort and food breaks in Caseyville, Illinois, and Evansville, Indiana.

We should arrive at the Museum in plenty of time for our 4 p.m. tour. We will experience history-in-the-making as you stroll through the actual factory where world-famous Louisville Slugger bats are created. Generations of legends have swung these bats, including Babe Ruth, Joe DiMaggio, Ted Williams, Jackie Robinson, Roberto Clemente, Hank Aaron, and George Brett. Hold bats actually used by baseball superstars like Mickey Mantle and Johnny Bench. Count the homerun notches Babe Ruth carved into his Louisville Slugger bat for every home run he hit with it. Guests even get a free miniature souvenir bat at the end of the factory tour. Slugger Museum cost is included with registration.

Time permitting, and on your own, you may want to venture to Barrel and Billets (located next door to the Slugger Museum). There you will find bourbons finished using reclaimed 200-year old European and American Oak, Smoked Oak, and Cherry and Maple Woods – the way it might have been done in the 1800s. We will board the coach at 5:00 p.m. for the Drury Hotel in Louisville for the evening with a "Kickback Happy Hour."

Day two begins with breakfast at the hotel. We will depart at 9:30 a.m. for the Ark Encounter (Noah's Ark) in Williamstown, Kentucky. The Ark is based on the Genesis flood narrative contained in the Bible. This is a full-sized reconstruction of Noah's Ark, built according to the dimensions given in the Bible. It is 510 feet long, 85 feet wide, and 51 feet high, stretching more than 1.5 football fields in length. Dozens of fascinating exhibits within this unique attraction will bring to life the biblical account of Noah's Ark.

Meet Noah, his family, and animals on the Ark. The Ark contains 132 bays arranged on three decks. We will enter on the lowest deck and move between decks on ramps. There will be lots of walking at the Ark, but lots of seating and restrooms are available on every floor. We will have lunch at Emzara's Kitchen Restaurant located outside the Ark.

The buffet-style restaurant has a variety of delicious entrees, salads, and desserts (including food-allergy sensitive options). We will board the coach at 4:00 p.m. for the Hilton Hotel in Florence, Kentucky. Ark Encounter and lunch is included in the cost of registration. For your evening meal you may want to dine at Rafferty's, located across the parking lot from the hotel or at the hotel restaurant. The evening meal is on your own.

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Day three, our last day, starts with breakfast at the hotel. We depart at 9:30 a.m. for the Creation Museum in Petersburg, Kentucky. The state-of-the-art Creation Museum allows you to venture through biblical history, stunning exhibits, and botanical gardens. As you walk through the museum, you will see what is called the Seven C's of History: Creation, Corruption, Catastrophe, Confusion, Christ, Cross, and Consummation. You will experience a recreation of what the Garden of Eden may have looked like.

Using images, videos, and fossils, you'll see Adam and Eve,



animals, the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, and, after the fall, how the effects of sin changed the world, and how the flood affected the world. It details how the fossils are evi-

dence for a catastrophic worldwide flood. Throughout the Creation Museum, you can find an explanation for the different "races" in a Tower of Babel exhibit, on various well-known people from the Bible, about the work Christ did on the cross for us, and an exhibit teaching what Israel was like at the time of Jesus. The museum does require a lot of walking. You can choose between several restaurants at the Museum for lunch. You can find Noah's Café as soon as you leave the lobby area with a very basic menu. After a morning of exploring and lunch, we board the coach for home at 1:00 p.m. Creation Museum cost is included in registration. Lunch is on your own.

We will have a comfort stop at Terre Haute, Indiana before stopping for dinner at Cracker Barrel (dinner on your own) in Caseyville, Illinois. We should arrive home around 9 p.m.

Depart: 7:00 a.m., Monday, October 16
Return: 9:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 18

Escorts: Martha Kleindienst 573-353-7582
Lee Bunch 573-797-3271

Cost: Single \$620 \$380 due with registration
\$240 final payment due September 10

Double \$445 \$270 due with registration
\$175 final payment due September 10

RIGHT HERE IN RIVER CITY

Friday, November 3

Whether you call it The City of Jefferson, Jeff City, JC, Missouri's Capital or The River City, the best place to call it is HOME! Jefferson City is a very diverse small town as size and population goes, but we are all extremely proud of it. Our town is not only picturesque, but historic. It offers a wide variety of museums—over twenty, in fact. Some may be familiar to you, but others may be entirely new. Please join us as we explore our beautiful town and dig deeper into several of the mini-museums Jefferson City has to offer.

We will start our day's adventure with a guided tour of the Missouri State Archives. Here we will view historic documents as well as learning how the Archives is open to all citizens for researching family genealogy and more. From the Archives we will head up the hill to the Missouri State Capitol. A guided tour of the building, its artwork, and chambers will be followed by free time in the Missouri State Museum.

Next the group will head downtown. Half of the group will enjoy an early lunch at Sweet Smoke BBQ Downtown, where you may choose from three meal selections. The other half of the group will visit the Jefferson City Museum of Modern Art for a brief presentation and gallery time. After an hour, and walking about a block, the two groups will switch places.

After lunch we will board the coach and head for another split destination. Half the group will start at the Veterinary Museum of Missouri for a guided tour. This museum is the only one of its kind in the United States. The other half of the group will begin at Runge Conservation Nature Center. You can join a short program or choose to walk the trails or wander among the exhibits.

Finally, what tour of Jefferson City would be complete without a stop at the Central Dairy Ice Cream Parlor? This will be our final stop for the day where you may choose from a small cone or dish of your favorite flavor.

This tour includes transportation, admissions, gratuities, lunch at Sweet Smoke and your Central Dairy Ice Cream snack. There will be a moderate amount of walking, standing and some stairs on this trip. If you are new to Jefferson City or have lived here all your life, you are sure to discover something new, Right Here in River City.

Depart: 8:45 a.m.
Return: 5:00 p.m.

Escorts: Carole Spencer 573-694-5776
Cindy Stephens 573-280-0336

Cost: \$75 Total due with registration

THE FUTURE AND THE PAST

Interesting Sites of Columbia

Thursday, November 16

After boarding our coach on the Stadium Boulevard Walmart parking lot, we head to Columbia to the Roy Blunt NextGen Precision Medicine building, where we'll have a tour and learn about the future of healthcare and how the University of Missouri is involved in this future. Next, we'll travel via coach across the MU campus to the Art & Archeology Museum. Here we'll see artifacts from Egypt, Mesopotamia, Palestine, Greece, and Rome. Lunch will follow at Cheddars, with a choice of four options.



Once lunch is finished, our coach will drive us to downtown Columbia where we'll divide the group with half visiting The Chocolate Factory (yes, you'll get some chocolate!) and half visiting Blue Stem, a store that features Missouri crafts and describes itself as 'An Art Fair Every Day.' You'll have time for viewing and shopping at each of these stores.

The groups will walk between the two stores (about 1½ blocks) before re-boarding our coach to travel to The Boone County History & Culture Center. The Center houses historical photographs, artifacts, living-history displays, and rotating exhibits. After taking a tour, you can browse at your leisure. Located within the museum is the Genealogical Society of Central MO Library, and adjoining the museum is the Montminy Gallery, which houses the art of local artists.

We'll arrive back at the Walmart parking lot at approximately 5:30 p.m. after a day of learning about the future of healthcare and past events in the history of mid-Missouri.

Depart: 8:10 a.m.

Return: 5:30 p.m.

Escorts: Cindy Stephens 573-280-0336
Paula Hilkemeyer 816-518-9039

Cost: \$75 Total due with registration

VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS HOMES OF ST. LOUIS

Tuesday, December 12

Experience the opulence of Victorian era homes in St. Louis with us. In St. Louis, we will begin our tour day by meeting our Discover St. Louis guide at the Forest Park Visitor Center to travel to two Victorian Homes decked out for Christmas.

We will enjoy a costumed, docent-led tour of the Oakland House, a completely restored mansion built in 1853 by Louis A. Benoist, a pioneer banker. The home was a country home for him and his third wife, Sarah Elizabeth. Benoist commissioned George Ingham Barnett, who had recently completed the Tower Grove home of Henry Shaw, to design the home. Barnett also designed the Governor's Mansion in Jefferson City and many of the lavish homes in Lafayette Square in St. Louis. Lunch will be catered onsite at the Oakland House.

After lunch, we will travel to the Campbell House Museum. St. Louis is home to many amazing residences that tell the history of this river city that bustled with commerce and political electricity. After a monumental five-year, three-million dollar restoration, the

Campbell House Museum stands as one of the most accurately restored 19th Century buildings in America, reflecting the high-Victorian opulence of the 1880s. Built in 1851, the first house in the elegant Lucas Place neighborhood, the Campbell House was the home of renowned fur trader and entrepreneur Robert Campbell and his family from 1854 until 1938. The home weaves the story of the Irish elite and their Irish domestic servants and how their lives intertwined, a bit of an American version of Downton Abbey right here in St. Louis. The museum contains hundreds of original Campbell possessions, including furniture, paintings, clothing, letters, carriages, and a unique set of interior photographs taken in the mid-1880s.



After leaving the Campbell House, returning our Discover St. Louis guide to the Forest Park Visitor Center, and making a comfort stop, we will arrive in Jefferson City at 7:00 p.m. More information will be included in your notification letter in November.

Depart: 7:45 a.m.

Return: 7:00 p.m.

Escorts: Lee Bunch 573-797-3271
Marge Kudrna 573-694-8550

Cost: \$115 Total due with registration

COURSES: JULY-DECEMBER 2023

MISCELLANEOUS COURSE INFORMATION

Registration forms are provided in the LIR newsletter or on the LIR web site.

Since 2021, there has been a \$3 fee for each session of a course, i.e., \$12 for a four-week course; \$9 for a three-week course; \$6 for a two-week course; and \$3 for a single course.

Registration is required for all courses so that adequate seating is available and presenters know how many handouts or other course materials are needed. Registration should be mailed to the LIR office.

Location of courses varies, depending on the topic and class size. Specific locations for each class are named in this newsletter or will be announced in the notification letter you receive. Location changes will also be indicated in the notification letter. Cancellations and other changes can also be found on the LIR website: [Learning in Retirement \(lirjc.org\)](http://Learning in Retirement (lirjc.org)) on the Announcement tab and the Calendar tab.

You will receive a copy of your registration form in the mail for your records. This will also inform you if you are on the WAIT List.

Your reminder notification will be emailed unless circumstances require USPS mailing.

Please contact the course coordinator or LIR office if you cannot attend any session. If you must cancel a course for which you have enrolled, the registration fee may be refunded if the LIR office (681-6152) receives notice one week prior to the start date of the first class.

Refunds are processed at the end of the semester and will be considered on a case-by-case basis by the curriculum chair and the office manager.

After the deadline, should an emergency occur that prevents you from attending the course, the LIR office should be notified as soon as possible

FOUR-SESSION COURSES

MOVIES — WOMEN OF DISTINCTION

Time: 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Dates: Wednesdays, August 9, 16, 23, 30, 2023

Place: Missouri River Regional Library, 214 Adams Street, 2nd Floor

These movies are about strong and determined women — women who made their mark in the world.

August 9: The Josephine Baker Story: How did a poor little Black girl from Missouri become the Queen of Paris, before joining the French Resistance, and finally creating her dream family, “The Rainbow Tribe,” adopting twelve children from the four corners of the world? This is the fabulous story of the first Black superstar — Josephine Baker.

August 16: On the Basis of Sex: The true story of Ruth Bader Ginsburg, her struggles for equal rights, and the early cases of an historic career that led to her nomination and confirmation as a United States Supreme Court Associate Justice.

August 23: Hidden Figures: As the United States raced against Russia to put a man in space, NASA found untapped talent in a group of African-American female mathematicians who served as the brains behind one of the greatest operations in U.S. history. Based on the unbelievable true-life stories of Dorothy Vaughan, Mary Jackson, and Katherine Goble Johnson, known as ‘human computers,’ we follow these women as they quickly rose in the ranks of NASA alongside many of history’s greatest minds.

August 30: Harriet: Based on the thrilling and inspirational life of an iconic American freedom fighter, Harriet tells the extraordinary tale of Harriet Tubman’s escape from slavery and transformation into one of American’s greatest heroes. Her courage, ingenuity, and tenacity freed hundreds of slaves and changed the course of history.

Coordinator: Karen Sander 573-680-9045

Asst. Coordinator: Lai-Lin Wilson 573-690-7874

Cost: \$12.00

WATER

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Tuesdays, October 31, November 7, 14, 21, 2023
 Place: First Mid Bank & Trust, 300 Ellis Blvd.



Earth is the water planet. Water is the source of all life. Sevenths of the earth's surface is water, and our bodies are a very similar 70% water. Humans can live for weeks without eating, but only a few days without drinking water. In the United States we *have progressed* from dipping a bucket into a stream or pond, to simply turning on a faucet in our homes.

In these classes we will examine the evolution of supplying water throughout United States history.

Presenter: Dan Hermann, retired Jefferson City High School teacher
 Coordinator: Bill Gerling 573-220-4319
 Asst. Coordinator: Sheila Scott 573-821-0162

Cost: \$12

THREE-SESSION COURSES

TRAVELOGUES — OH, THE PLACES WE'LL GO!

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Dates: Tuesdays, September 5, 12, 19, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing, 2300 St. Marys Blvd.

Oh, the places we'll go and the things we will see and do as we retire and have time to travel. How about the gardens of Wales and Northern England, or Italy, the Amalfi Coast, Rome? Perhaps Egypt OR from Pole to Pole? Members will entertain and entice us as they share their trips.

September 5, 10:00 a.m.: Alice Longfellow will highlight the beauty of the gardens of northern England and the mystical country of Wales.

September 5, 11:00 a.m.: Bill and Paula Gerling will share highlights from their recent visit to Italy. It is no accident that the most visited nation in Europe is Italy. Where else can you find remnants of the greatest empire in the ancient world, capital of the largest Christian church in the world, and magnificent works of the Renaissance artists?

September 12, 10:00 a.m.: Continuing the Italian theme, Ellen Richardson will share her view of the wonders of Rome, and the beauty of the Amalfi Coast.

September 12, 11:00 a.m.: Jenny and Tony Smith will guide us through Egypt — home to remnants of a 5,000-year-old civilization. Advanced in engineering, art, and science, the wonders and mysteries of this culture is a treasure to explore.

September 19: We will go from POLE TO POLE with Tina Sellner, visiting Alaska and Antarctica. BRR!

Coordinators: Carol Ellinger 573-230-4006,
 Bill Gerling 573-220-4319,
 Jenny Smith 573-230-8245
 Asst. Coordinators: TBD

Cost: \$9

TWO-SESSION COURSES

STREAMING SERVICES: CUT THE CABLE.

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Dates: Wednesdays, September 6, 13, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing, 2300 St. Mary's Blvd.

TV and video streaming services are directly competing with cable companies for convenience and affordability. Since we watch streaming services over the internet, our favorite shows can be watched anywhere with a WiFi connection. These sessions will review the wide range of streaming services in one class and the apps to use them in the second class.

September 6: Streaming Services

September 13: Streaming Apps

Presenter: Tom Piper, LIR Member
 Coordinator: Tom Piper 573-230-5350
 Asst. Coordinator: Eunice Straub 573-230-6707

Cost: \$6

IPAD OPPORTUNITIES: TECH SERVING US

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Dates: Wednesdays, September 20, 27, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Mary’s Blvd.

The iPad is a touchscreen tablet PC made by Apple, which originally debuted in 2010. The first class will review operations and customizing options for the iPad, iPad mini, and iPad Pro. The second class will examine the top iPad apps, including Pages, Numbers, Camera, Photos, Music, and others.

September 20: iPad Basics

September 27: iPad Best Apps

Presenter: Tom Piper, LIR Member
 Coordinator: Tom Piper 573-230-5350
 Asst. Coordinator: Eunice Straub 573-230-6707

Cost: \$6

SITTING DOWN WITH THE JUDGES

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Thursdays, October 5 and 12, 2023
 Place: The LINC, President’s Suite, 1299 Lafayette Street

Presenters:

October 5: Retired Judge Tom Sodergren has many memories — of growing up, and of being a judge. One chapter of his memoirs gained a prestigious literary prize, but he shares not only his memories of growing up, but also the many curious, funny intriguing, tragic, frustrating, notable moments and cases while serving six terms as Cole County Associate Circuit Judge. And yes, he presided at a lot of weddings, too!



October 12: Richard Callahan was elected and served as Cole County Prosecuting Attorney and Cole County Circuit Judge. He then was appointed U. S. Attorney, Eastern District of Missouri, and later retired to Cole County, serving as a Senior Circuit Judge. Thus, he served on both sides of the bench, both state and federal. Among the cases he will discuss with us are the Mildred and Richard Hodges murders on Boonville Road in Jefferson City in 1988. and the federal case in Ferguson, Missouri, involving the death of Michael Brown.



Presenters: Honorable Thomas L. Sodergren
 Honorable Richard G. Callahan
 Coordinator: Carol Ellinger 573-230-4006
 Asst. Coordinator: Karen Sander 573-680-9045

Cost: \$6

ONE-SESSION COURSES

“MURDER & MAYHEM IN JEFFERSON CITY”

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Tuesday, August 15, 2023
 Place: Masonic Lodge, 3211 Masonic Court

Please join author Michelle Brooks as she shares stories of some of the shocking events of Jefferson City’s turbulent early history. Her book, “Murder & Mayhem in Jefferson City,” will be released in July 2023.

Presenter: Michelle Brooks
 Coordinator: Jenny Smith 573-230-8245
 Asst. Coordinator: Pamela Kormann 573-680-0106

Cost: \$3

SENIOR NUTRITION

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Thursday, August 17, 2023
 Place: TBD

Everybody knows about the Cole County Senior Nutrition programs, right? Or do we? Are they only about the food, or is there more to it than that? Who is in charge and how do they get everything organized and coordinated to provide services to the many seniors they serve? Join us in learning the answers.



Presenter: Jackie Beal, Senior Council on Nutrition
 Coordinator: Pamela Kormann 573-680-0106
 Asst. Coordinator: Lorraine Brooks 573-636-6829

Cost: \$3

THE MEANS TO AGING BEST

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Tuesday, August 29, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Marys Blvd.

The majority of us probably couldn't wait to get our coveted driver's license when we turned sixteen. Throughout the subsequent years, the ability to drive has been very important to us — especially as we age. Come and learn about some tools and resources to help keep us safe on the road, and how to stay medically and physically fit to drive our automobiles.

In addition, we will hear a presentation on recognizing the difference between the red flag signs of dementia, and the normal changes associated with aging that everyone encounters in life.

Presenter(s): Kathy Deeken and Melissa Schulte, Aging Best Area Agency on Aging, Columbia, MO.
 Coordinator: Pamela Kormann 573-680-0106
 Asst. Coordinator: Janice Orr 573-291-7628

Cost: \$3

COWBOYS AND INDIANS, PART II

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Thursday, September 14, 2023
 Place: First Mid Bank & Trust, 300 Ellis Blvd.

Dr. Scovill is back by popular demand to continue his interesting and informative description of the "Old West" and the country's westward movement. Many of us grew up watching tv's versions of how the West was settled and governed — by Gunsmoke, Bonanza, and Wagon Train. We will get a more realistic picture through Dr Bruce Scovill's view of Wild Bill Hickok, Calamity Jane, Kit Carson, and others.

Presenter: Bruce Scovill, Ed.D., retired Lincoln University History Professor
 Coordinator: Bill Gerling 573-220-4319
 Asst. Coordinator: Carol Ellinger 573-230-4006

Cost: \$3

EYES ON THE MOVE: THE GROWING HISPANIC CULTURE IN MID-MISSOURI

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Thursday, September 21, 2023
 Place: El Puente - Hispanic Ministry, 2709 Industrial Drive, Suite B

You'll want to keep your eyes open and your ears perked to discover how we can welcome our Hispanic neighbors. El Puente staff will share the challenges, as well as the opportunities and benefits, of the growth of the Hispanic culture in Jefferson City and California, Missouri. Join us in this educational event.

Presenter: El Puente Staff
 Coordinator: Mentha Bolton-Bakari 414-736-4555
 Asst. Coordinator: TBD



RESTORING HOME: JOURNEY BACK TO NATURE

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 12 Noon
 Date: Tuesday, September 26, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Mary's Blvd.

What are the benefits of planting natives in your yard? What is the harm of invasive plants like bush honeysuckle and kudzu in your yard and our woodlands and prairies? This program will inspire you with the beauty and balance that native plants can bring to our environment and the damaging ripple effects of invasive species on our native ecosystem.

Presenters: Jane and Alan Haslag
 Coordinator: Jenny Smith 573-230-8245
 Asst. Coordinator: Karen Sander 573-680-9045

Cost: \$3

FAMOUS MISSOURIANS, CHAPTER 3

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Wednesday, October 4, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Mary's Blvd.

Wow, we thought two classes would identify most famous Missourians, but apparently not! We take a look at more famous (and infamous?) Missourians, again introduced by LIR members. There are so many people of note who have called Missouri home — come hear about some of your favorites!

Presenters: LIR Members
 Coordinator: Tom Piper 573-230-5350
 Asst. Coordinator: Carol Ellinger 573-230-4006

Cost: \$3

CELESTIAL EVENTS COMING OUR WAY

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon
 Date: Tuesday, October 10, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Marys Blvd

Two solar eclipses are on their way for Missouri sky gazers! One is in October 2023, the other in 2024. This class will describe these two eclipses and how unusual they are. We will also discuss how to observe them safely and what locations might be the best for viewing. We won't see any other events as spectacular as these for many years to come. This class will prepare you! Mr. Germann is an observing assistant at the University of Missouri Columbia Laws Observatory.

Presenter: Mr. Valentine H. Germann
 Coordinator: Jenny Smith 573-230-8245
 Asst. Coordinator: Lai-Lin Wilson 573-690-7874

Cost: \$3

THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Wednesday, October 11, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, N.H. Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Mary's Blvd.

Come along with Miss Indigo, a mythical character and storyteller, who traveled with Harriet Tubman on the Underground Railroad. Miss Indigo will describe some of the stops along the way, utilizing quilt pieces, and will share her personal interactions along the Underground Railroad.

Presenter: Miss Indigo
 Coordinator: Eunice Straub 573-230-6707
 Asst. Coordinator: Chris Straub 573-230-6707

Cost: \$3

“POSITIVE CULTURE WINS” (IN BUSINESS AND LIFE)

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Wednesday, October 18, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, Scheppers Distributing,
 2300 St. Mary's Blvd.

Gary Wilbers, a popular author and motivational speaker, will present how to develop a positive culture that wins — to enhance people and their performance.



He will show how to create energy to motivate and achieve great results, boost productivity in life, and connect with relationships for a greater impact each day.

Presenter: Gary Wilbers, Author
 Coordinator: Tom Piper 573-230-5350
 Asst. Coordinator: Mentha Bolton-Bakari 414-736-4555

Cost: \$3

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT: AN ECUMENICAL MISSION

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Tuesday, October 24, 2023
 Place: Catholic Charities, 1015 Edmonds Street

Have you ever wondered what goes into resettling refugees in our communities? This class will offer a greater understanding of the monumental work that goes into enabling refugees to find a place to settle and live.



The class will offer personal examples of how it takes many individuals and faith-based groups to accomplish this.

Presenters: Steve Buchholz, Becky Buchholz (LIR members), Catholic Charity representatives
 Coordinators: Steve Buchholz 573-690-2489, Becky Buchholz 573-690-6579
 Asst. Coordinator: Barbara Maxwell 573-619-5921
 Cost: \$3

TRUE COLORS TEST — PERSONALITY TYPES

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Wednesday, November 1, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, Scheppers Distributing, 2300 St. Marys Blvd.

Find the keys to exploring and unlocking your True Colors. True Colors is a metaphor for personality types. An easy, entertaining way to better understand yourself and others and increase communication. It is an invaluable tool for enjoying success in your interactions with friends and family members as you let your true colors shine.

Presenters: Louise Hune and Kay Freidinger, LIR members
 Coordinator: Mentha Bolton-Bakari 414-736-4555
 Asst. Coordinator: Pamela Kormann 573-680-0106
 Cost: \$3

YOU CAN'T READ THIS !!!!

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Thursday, November 2, 2023
 Place: The LINC, Rm 204, 1299 Lafayette Street

Join Librarian, Lisa, as she discusses the insidious censorship of book banning. She will provide a context for understanding the individual right to freedom of expression, and how it intersects with intellectual freedom, as it relates to important social and political movements.

Presenter: Lisa Stock, LIR/Lincoln University Liaison
 Coordinator: Mentha Bolton-Bakari 414-736-4555
 Asst. Coordinator: Pamela Kormann 573-680-0106
 Cost: \$3

DID YOU KNOW? NASA — HIDDEN TREASURES

Time: 1:30 — 3:30 p.m.
 Date: Wednesday, November 8, 2023
 Place: Clydesdale Room, Scheppers Distributing, 2300 St. Marys Blvd.

An exploration of valuable people who worked for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) to further the research of outer-space advancement.

Presenter: Lincoln University Senior Student
 Coordinator: Mentha Bolton-Bakari 414-736-4555
 Asst. Coordinator: Tom Piper 573-230-5350
 Cost: \$3

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY — ON THE GO!

Time: 10:00 a.m. — 12 Noon
 Date: Thursday, November 16, 2023
 Place: The LINC, President's Suite, 1299 Lafayette Street

President John Moseley will present information to us regarding the challenges facing Lincoln University, and some of the very positive developments that have occurred recently.

Presenter: John B. Moseley, Ed.D., Lincoln University President
 Coordinator: Chris Straub 573-230-4395
 Asst. Coordinator: Eunice Straub 573-230-6707
 Cost: \$3

CLUB NEWS

Jammers Music Club

Few things offer as many benefits as music. Whether we are listening, singing together, playing an instrument, or dancing, music soothes our body and soul. Enjoying music in a group improves our mental health and mood, helps us deal with our troubles and cares, gives us a sense of belonging, and promotes fellowship.

The LIR Jammers Club serves this purpose for its six current members, who meet every other Monday morning, 10:30 a.m. at the St. Joseph Lutheran Home Chapel at 1306 West Main. Our sessions last about two hours, and we play all genres. Currently, we have members playing piano, guitar, violin, and percussion. In the past we have had banjo, ukelele and mandolin players. Do you play an instrument, and are you looking for fellow music lovers to jam with? The Jammers would welcome you. We are a casual bunch with a range of talents.

When we are not “practicing,” we are performing for our fellow retirees who are confined to nursing homes. It is a joy when they recognize the songs, tap their toes, and join in the singing. We typically play familiar tunes.

If you play an instrument, we would love to have you. If you are not sure, you can come sit in on one of our practices to see if this would be a good fit for you. For more information, contact Colleen Dehaven at 573-308-0615.

By Jenny Smith

Hand and Foot

Do you enjoy a good game of cards? Then you might enjoy trying a game you haven't played before – Hand and Foot. Each player chooses two sets of 13 cards each; one becomes the hand, which is played first, and the other the foot, which can only be played after all cards in the hand are played. Usually, four players are at each table and partners are played; however, if a table doesn't have four players, each person plays for himself/herself. The game uses five decks of cards—one for each person playing, plus an additional deck, so a game with four players would use five decks of cards.

The game consists of four rounds with each round requiring more points than the previous round to be able to “lay down” your cards. The goal is to play all the cards in your hand and then your foot to create melds of seven cards and score more points than your opponent. A game takes about two hours, but no time limit is set.

The game is different from other card games (maybe a little rummy, a little canasta) and although it seems difficult, new players catch on quickly and enjoy it very much. The most difficult parts of the game are having enough points in your hand to lay down, and then counting all those points you've racked up!

The LIR members in the photograph below are just some of the people you might meet if you decide to give it a try. For more information, call the facilitator, Debbie Cramer, at 573-694-1650 or the LIR Office at 573-681-6152.



CLUBS

Bocce Ball: Mondays, Apr-Jun & Sep-Nov
Morning Session: 9:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Barb Wolkoff, 573-636-3088,

bnbwolkoff@mediacombb.net

Afternoon Session: 12:15 p.m.

Facilitator: Lori Brooks, 573-636-6829,

loribrooks100@gmail.com

Location: Prison Brews, 305 Ash St.

Book Club: 4th Monday, 1:30 p.m.

Facilitator: Barb Maxwell, 573-619-5921,

maxwellbarb0806@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Bridge Club: 1st & 2nd Mondays, 1:00 p.m.

Facilitator: Gene Noe, 573-635-2118,

noejemo@mchsi.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Canasta I: 2nd Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Barb Barnard, 573-619-1497,

sunfairebarb@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Canasta II: 4th Thursday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Karen Wesselmann, 940-597-5796,

kswess48@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Dominoes: 1st & 3rd Monday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Stephanie Robey, 314-221-2168,

stephdrobey@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Hand and Foot: 2nd & 4th Thursday, 1:30 p.m.

Facilitator: Debbie Cramer, 573-694-1650,

debraellencramer@outlook.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Jammers: 1st & 3rd Monday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitators: Coleen DeHaven, 573-308-0615,

cocomusic@SBCGlobal.net

Location: Chapel, St Joseph Bluffs, 1306 W Main

Mah Jongg: 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.

Facilitators: Rose Dey, 573-230-5553

rosie.dey@gmail.com

& Louise Hune, 573-291-4492

lhune70@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Pinochle: 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Linda Amick, 573-782-3566,

porchview17@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Pitch: 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 1:00 p.m.

Facilitators: Denise Kliethermes, 573-395-4662,

1952DeniseK@gmail.com

& Betty Richey, 573-635-2590,

birdwatcher114@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Scrabble: 1st Thursday, 1:00 p.m.

Facilitator: Theresa Sullivan, 573-230-5367,

Sullitherm1@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Thread Heads: 1st Wednesday, 9:30 a.m.

Facilitators: Julie Cook, 573-230-4914,

cook.julieret@yahoo.com

& Jean Pace, 573-636-7090,

pace2647ja@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

Walking/Hiking: Thursdays,

8:30 a.m. Summer, 9:30 a.m. Winter

Facilitators: John & Ellen Richardson, 573-893-4909,

johnellen@mchsi.com

Location: Varies

Writers: 2nd Thursday, 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator: Barb Maxwell, 573-619-5921,

maxwellbarb0806@gmail.com

Location: LIR Classroom 8

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