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TO OUR ESTEEMED MEMBERS - UNIVERSITY CLUB HAPPENINGS

Another great University Club year is underway. I am so pleased to serve as president alongside an incredible group of ladies serving on the board. Returning board members are Jan Tracy, Barb Duncan, Judi Moore, Mary Potter, Monica Hayes, Evonne Freeman, Margaret Kaltefleiter, Pat Skay, Pam Buethe, Sally Orr, Audrey Beatty, Roseanne Meyer, Cathy Schiele and Deb Gill.

Joining us are Suzanne Nies, Karen McClusky, Jan Freirchs, Nancy Dole, Linda Spangle, Barbara Santucci, and Danette Frauenholtz.

Welcome aboard new and returning, ladies!! My job is made easier with the help and support from all of them.

Along with Jan Tracy, Rose Meyer, Pam Buethe, I attended the Big Ten University Clubs Conference in East Lansing, MI. What an incredible opportunity for us to meet amazing women from other university clubs and to share ideas to enhance our clubs. We are looking forward to hosting the Big Ten Conference in June 2025.

We will start the year with our Annual Fall Fair chaired by Jan Tracy. The event will again be held at Park View Church located at 15 Foster Road on Tuesday, September 12th from 10:00 am to 12 noon. I'm so looking forward to seeing ALL of you there. This is the time to pay dues if you haven't already, sign up for interest groups and catch up with friends over coffee and pastry.

Reminder: dues and luncheon reservations may be paid online through our website.

Our first Club luncheon will be Tuesday, October 10th at the Radisson Hotel at 11:30 am. The exciting news is the speaker! University of Iowa President, Barbara Wilson, will join us and provide an update on campus happenings.

We are off to a good start with NEW INTEREST GROUPS. The board of directors has approved an Evening Interest group for women that cannot attend our daytime activities. Edie Campo is chairing this new group, Evening Ins and Outs.

Another new interest will be Travel Exploration. Carol Bushmiller and Mary Potter will be co-chairing. Heritage Discovery is a new interest group and will be chaired by Jan Frerichs. Evonne Freeman will be starting a new Euchre card group. Beginning Bridge 2 is being chaired by Jan Frerichs. Please share information with friends and family. Learn more about ALL the interest groups at the Fall Fair!

I look forward to seeing YOU at many University Club events throughout the year.

Marilee



Marilee Fowler
University Club 2023-24
President

SAVE THE DATE JUNE 6 2025
TO HELP WITH THE BIG 10 CONFERENCE

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB needs



The University Club Board welcomes you to the

FALL FAIR OPEN HOUSE

Tuesday, September 12

Drop in between 10 AM-Noon

Parkview Church, 15 Foster Road, Iowa City

**** Reconnect with friends and meet new ones!**

****Explore our 35+ Interest groups by talking to members and signing up for your favorites!**

**** Sign up for luncheons and volunteer opportunities**

**** Contribute to scholarships for Iowa women to attend the University**

**** Pick up your 2023-24 Yearbook**

****Join as a new or renewing member.**

We would love to see you in person to begin a fabulous year of fun activities and friendships.

Without **U**, our club is incomplete! All are welcome!

September 6: Miracles in Motion & Coral Ridge Distillery

Day Trip Culture Group
Wednesday September 6, 2023
Miracles in Motion Swisher, Iowa
Cedar Ridge Distillery Swisher, Iowa

Meet: Meet at Coral Ridge Mall parking lot across from Chilies at 8:45 leave promptly at 9:00

Trip High lights:

Morning: We will tour Miracles in Motion a therapeutic equestrian center. This center serves hundreds of students in a year, it has a work force of 300 volunteers and a herd of horses including miniature horses. Their clientele consists of students from Linn, Johnson, and other eastern Iowa counties both children and adults with physical, emotional, and cognitive challenges. Their mission is to foster personal achievement for persons facing challenges by providing diverse equestrian activities with therapeutic, educational, and recreational benefits. It will be a very fun and exciting morning learning about this program. Please remember to wear comfortable shoes for this tour.

Lunch will be on your own at Cedar Ridge Distillery

After lunch there will be a tour of Cedar ridge **and/or a tour with tastings.**

In 2005 Jeff Quint founded Cedar Ridge because he believed it was time for Iowa's a corn producing state to share it homegrown Bourbon Whiskey with the world and is the first licensed distillery in Iowa since prohibition. Cedar Ridge has become a leader in craft spirits, winning many awards such as the Best American Craft Whiskey in 2016. Join the group for a tour and/or a tasting.

Cost - Choose an option:

- 1 _____ \$25.00 (includes Miracles in Motion) Cedar Ridge Distillery Tour
2 _____ \$35.00 (includes Miracles in Motion) Cedar Ridge Distillery tour and tastings

If you have any questions, please contact
Helen Dietrich 319-331-7826 or
Theresa Tometich 319-530-0386

To register, please mail.
Completed registration form in the Clarion
One check made payable to Theresa Tometich

2222 Oakleaf Street
Coralville, Iowa 52241

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, August 30,
2023 **No Refunds or Registrations after this
date.**



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Day Trip Culture Group
Wednesday September 6, 2023
Miracles in Motion Swisher, Iowa
Cedar Ridge Distillery Swisher, Iowa

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone# _____
Cell #: _____
E-mail Address: _____

Lunch on our own Cedar Ridge Distillery Swisher. Iowa

Cost - Choose an option:

- 1 _____ \$25.00 (includes Miracles in Motion) Cedar Ridge Tour
2 _____ \$35.00 (includes Miracles in Motion) Cedar Ridge tour and tastings

I WOULD BE WILLING TO DRIVE ___ YES ___ NO

I can fit _____ additional people in my vehicle.
Reminder, you need to give driver between \$5.00-\$7.00.

To register, please mail:
Completed registration form in the Clarion.
One check made payable to Theresa Tometich
2222 Oakleaf Street
Coralville, Iowa 52241

Registration Deadline: Wednesday, August 30, 2023
No Refunds or Registrations after this date.

October 4, 2023 Tour to Van Buren County

Meet: Johnson County Fair Grounds at 8:15 a.m., leave promptly at 8:30 a.m.



First stop will be the **American Gothic House & Visitor Center in Eldon**. We will tour the house Grant Wood sketched in 1930 and the adjacent visitor's center including an exhibit gallery and gift shop.

Props & costumes will be available to create a personal American Gothic Portraits. Bring your cameras!

Step back in time and relax as we have a catered lunch of butternut soup, tossed salad, and ham or turkey sandwiches at **The Hotel**

Manning, a historic steamboat-style boutique hotel on the



banks of the Des Moines River. After lunch we will tour the hotel rooms and various treasures that distinguish the hotel, enjoy a serene river view from the hotel's wrap-around patios.

Next we will explore the **Bentonsport National Historic District**

We will visit the ruins of old mills along the Des Moines River, stroll across a century-old iron bridge for a breathtaking view of the river.

Treasures await in the specialty shops, including antiques, gemstones, pottery, and a blacksmith shop. Enjoy delicious fudge.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE WEDNESDAY, September 27, 2023
NO REGISTRATIONS AFTER THIS DATE**

Cost: \$18 Member / \$20 Member's Guest (includes entrance fees lunch and donation). We suggest giving \$6 - \$8 to your driver for gas.

This tour is limited to 24 people.

To register, Complete registration form. Mail to: Diane Dalton, 1222 Oakes Dr IC 52245-5730.

For more information on this tour please call Diane Dalton 319.321.7429, Theresa Tometich 319.530.0386 or Marianne Weiss 319.331.2311



Day Trip Cultural Group

Van Buren County on Wednesday, October 4, 2022

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Cell # _____

Email Address _____

I WOULD BE WILLING TO DRIVE ___ YES ___ NO

I can fit ____ additional people in my vehicle.

To register, mail completed registration form to:

Diane Dalton, 1222 Oakes Dr Iowa City 52245-5730

Registration deadline is Wed., **September 27, 2023**

NO registrations after this date.

November 1: Mont Rest Murder Mystery Luncheon

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB CULTURAL DAY TRIP MONT REST BELLEVUE, IOWA NOVEMBER 1, 2023

Meet: "Old" HyVee parking lot on 1201 N. Dodge St. across from St. Joseph Cemetery at 8:45am. Leave promptly at 9:00am.

TRIP HIGHLIGHTS: Mont Rest Murder Mystery Luncheon

Step back in time to a beautiful, luxurious Victorian mansion B & B. Nestled high on a bluff with a panoramic view of the countryside and the Mississippi River. Antiques throughout the mansion. We will be treated to gracious dining while being engaged in a murder mystery. Costumes are available to enjoy the full effect of the era.

Menu: Ginger Chicken, salad, bread and dessert.

PLEASE NOTE: This is a two story mansion with tour. **NO ELEVATOR. TRIP IS LIMITED TO 32.**
REGISTRATION DEADLINE OCTOBER 24, 2023. No refunds after this date.

Cost \$42/member/ guest \$44 (Includes Murder Mystery Luncheon, tour of mansion)
We suggest you pay your driver \$5-7 for gas.

Questions, contact Diane Dalton 319-321-7429, Nancy Rossley-Barnes 319-3211689, Helen Rittenmeyer 319-321-9417.

MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM WITH CHECK TO:
Helen Rittenmeyer
4529 Taft Ave.
Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Day Trip Cultural Group
Wednesday, November 1, 2023

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Cell # _____

Email Address _____

**MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION
FORM WITH CHECK TO:**

Helen Rittenmeyer
4529 Taft Ave.
Iowa City, Iowa 52240

Registration deadline is:
Wednesday, October 24, 2023
NO refunds or registrations after this date.

The Fall Fair needs U

Please plan to attend on
September 12. See page 2 for
all the details. You can
volunteer to help by contacting
Janet Tracy.



Engage with the club on our Facebook page:
www.facebook.com/uclubiowacity If you "like" and "follow"
the page, you'll see posts about upcoming events, interest
group activities, and more. *(For privacy, we won't be tagging
Facebook photos with member names.)*

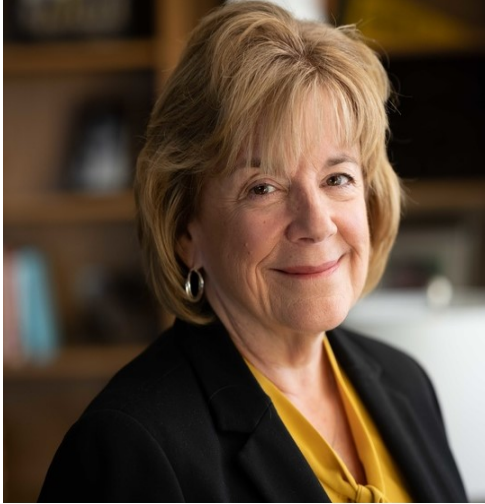
If you'd like to submit photos and brief news or updates, or if
you have questions, please email our Social Media Adminis-
trator, Audrey Beatty, at: uclub.iowacity.photos@gmail.com
or Follow us on Instagram:
[uclubiowacity](https://www.instagram.com/uclubiowacity)

OCTOBER LUNCHEON AND PROGRAM

OCTOBER 10, 2022 LUNCHEON
(BUSINESS MEETING)

SPEAKER: Dr. Barbara Wilson, President of Iowa University

“WHAT BROUGHT HER TO IOWA AND HER FIVE STRATEGIC PRIORITIES”



**Dr. Barbara Wilson, President
University of Iowa**

President Wilson’s strong sense of community and her leadership priorities are focused on people. In her first year, the university finalized a new 5-year strategic plan, launched transformative faculty recruitment and retention programs. President Wilson and her development team raised over \$400 million to support student, faculty and health care initiatives, including the largest gift in the 175 year history of the University of Iowa.

Barbara is a native of Appleton, Wisconsin. Her spouse, John Lammers, is a retired professor of communication. They have two grown daughters. President Wilson began her first term as the 22nd president of the University of Iowa on July 15, 2021. You will enjoy her.

Decoration Chairs:
Rose Meyer and Marilyn Deal

COST: \$27.00 (Members). \$28.00 (Guests)
1 check made payable to *The University Club*
to:

Linda Spangler, P.O. Box 21
North Liberty, IA 52317

Date: October 10, 2022
Time: 11:30 Social Time
12:00 Noon Luncheon
Cash Wine and Soda Bar

Location: Radisson Hotel and Conference
Center 1220 First Ave, Coralville

Menu:

Croissant Club — Flaky Butter Croissant stuffed with ham, turkey, Swiss & Cheddar cheeses, bacon, and topped with lettuce and tomato. Served with pasta salad.

Vegetarian Meal: Vegetarian Croissant

Gluten free meal will be offered at request.
Meals served with water, tea, and coffee

Dessert Bites

New Policy for luncheon payments: If you register and pay for a luncheon and cancel, you will receive a “Luncheon Credit” instead of a refund. This credit can be used toward a luncheon during the current club year. If the amount due is different than the credit, you will need to pay the difference. Credits are issued ONLY if you cancel before the deadline.
Credits can not be used with online reservations.

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB REGISTRATION FORM OCTOBER LUNCHEON /BUSINESS MTG Tuesday, October 10, 2023 12:00 Noon Radisson Hotel & Conference Center Coralville

Name _____
Address _____
Phone # _____
Cell # _____
Email Address: _____

Cost: \$27.00 Member / \$28.00 Member’s Guest

Vegetarian Meal Requested ____ (Please check)
Gluten Free Requested ____ (Please check)

**Reservations should be RECEIVED by:
Tuesday, October 3, 2023**

Reservations not guaranteed after that date.

**NO REFUNDS AFTER THIS DATE
To register, please mail:**

- Completed registration form
- 1 check made payable to *The University Club* to:

Linda Spangler, P.O. Box 21
North Liberty, IA 52317

NOVEMBER LUNCHEON AND PROGRAM

NOVEMBER 7, 2022 LUNCHEON

NOVEMBER LUNCHEON AND PROGRAM
NOVEMBER 7, 2023

(NOTE: THIS IS THE 1ST TUESDAY OF NOVEMBER!)

PROGRAM:

XTREAM ARENA....IT'S FUTURE IN THE IOWA CITY
AND CORALVILLE AREA

Xtream Arena is a one of a kind facility in the Midwest that is bringing in new athletic competitions and tournaments. It also can provide a venue for certain University of Iowa Athletic sports, and alleviate tight scheduling in Carver-Hawkeye Arena. That makes this facility a sought after and worthwhile investment.

Come hear Jason Anderson, General Manager of Xtream Arena, share all the new and exciting events coming to the arena in the upcoming future.....and why you should attend with friends and family!!!!



DATE: November 7, 2023 (NOTE DATE AND TIME CHANGE)

TIME: **11:00 social time**

12:00 noon luncheon

Cash Wine and Soda Bar

LOCATION: Radisson Hotel and Conference Center

COST: Member \$28.00 / Members Guest \$29.00

(Includes tax and gratuity)

DECORATIONS: Jan Frerichs and Nancy Dole

Checks should be made out to The University Club and sent to Linda Spangle

P.O. Box 21, North Liberty, IA 52317

Reservation Deadline: October 31, 2023

Reservations must be received by the 31st

Date: November 7, 2022
Time: **11:30 Social Time**
12:00 Noon Luncheon
Cash Wine and Soda Bar

Location: Radisson Hotel and Conference Center
1220 First Ave, Coralville

MENU:

Pineapple Chicken with Teriyaki: Lightly marinated chicken breast in Oriental sauce, served with grilled pineapple on a bed of white rice and seasonal vegetables.

House Green Salad and dressing

Vegetarian/Gluten Free: On Request

Stuffed Bell Pepper

House Green salad with dressing

Meals served with water, coffee, and iced tea

New Policy for luncheon payments: If you register and pay for a luncheon and cancel, you will receive a "Luncheon Credit" instead of a refund. This credit can be used toward a luncheon during the current club year. If the amount due is different than the credit, you will need to pay the difference. Credits are issued ONLY if you cancel before the deadline.

Credits can not be used with online reservations.

THE UNIVERSITY CLUB REGISTRATION FORM
NOVEMBER LUNCHEON
Tuesday, November 7, 2023 12:00 Noon
Radisson Hotel & Conference Center
Coralville

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

Cell # _____

E - mail _____

Cost: \$28.00 Member / \$29.00 Member's Guest

Vegetarian Meal Requested _____ *(Please check)*

Gluten Free Requested _____ *(Please check)*

Reservations should be RECEIVED by:

Tuesday, October 31, 2023

Reservations not guaranteed after that date.

NO REFUNDS AFTER THIS DATE

To register, please mail:

- Completed form
- 1 check made payable to *The University Club* to:
Linda Spangle
P.O. Box 21, North Liberty, IA 52317

The Power of Donating to The University Club Women's Scholarship Fund

Empowerment and Growth: The Power of Donating to The University Club Women's Scholarship Fund

In our society, education plays a pivotal role in shaping the future. Yet, for many talented young women, pursuing higher education remains a challenge due to financial constraints. Donating to our club's scholarship fund is a powerful way to contribute to their growth and empower them to achieve their dreams. I would like to share a few thoughts for you to ponder when thinking about whether you will plan to donate this year or not. Please explore these compelling reasons why you should consider supporting such a cause, highlighting not just the benefits it brings to the students but to you personally.

Investing in Education:

By donating to the scholarship fund, you are making a direct investment in education. Your contribution helps bridge the financial gap for deserving young women who may not have access to the necessary resources. Education is a transformative force that can break the cycle of poverty, and by supporting these students, you are promoting equality and social mobility.

Empowering Women:

Promoting women's education is a crucial step towards achieving gender equality. By supporting a women's college scholarship fund, you are empowering these young women to pursue their passions and excel academically. As they gain knowledge, skills, and confidence, they become role models for future generations, inspiring other girls to believe in their own abilities and embrace education as a path to success.

Fostering Diversity and Inclusion:

Donating to The University Club Scholarship fund contributes to fostering diversity and inclusion within higher education. Scholarships enable students from diverse backgrounds to access opportunities that might have otherwise been out of reach. By creating a more inclusive academic environment, we enrich the learning experience, promote cross-cultural understanding, and prepare students for a globalized world.

Creating Lasting Impact:

The impact of your donation extends far beyond the immediate benefits for individual students. By investing in education, you are creating a ripple effect that can change lives, families, and communities. As these talented young women graduate and enter the workforce, they contribute to the development of their communities, becoming catalysts for positive change. Your support not only helps them realize their potential but also fuels a cycle of giving back and paying it forward.

In addition to the benefits your donation creates for the women and our community you also have personal benefits:

Personal Fulfillment:

Contributing to the scholarship fund can be an incredibly rewarding experience. Knowing that your donation is directly enabling a young woman to pursue her dreams and reach her full potential brings a sense of fulfillment and satisfaction. Witnessing the impact of your generosity can be a powerful motivator, inspiring you to continue making a difference in the lives of others.

Networking and Connection:

Engaging with Scholarship fund opens doors to meaningful connections. You become part of a community of like-minded individuals who share a passion for education and empowerment. Networking events, fundraisers, and other activities associated with the fund provide opportunities to connect with students, alumni, and other donors, expanding your network and fostering lifelong relationships. Be on the watch for this year as we create more collaborative time for those members who make donations to the Scholarship fund.

No matter how small or large your involvement is towards the scholarship fund we appreciate your participation and hope to grow each year in the number of members who participate.



Monica Hayes
Finance Chair

Scholarship Donations

Friend			Mentor		
Nancy Duffner	\$5		Deborah Gill	\$100	In Memory of Janet White Cramer
Geraldine Krezek	\$5		Dianne Cahalon Salling	\$100	
Linda Scott	\$5		Margaret Kaltefleiter	\$100	In memory of Priscilla Holtkamp
Helen Vakner	\$20		Mari Greb	\$100	In Memory of Mom and Dad Greb
Shirley Cox	\$20		University Club President gift Kate Varcoe	\$100	
Colleague			Vera Loening	\$100	In memory of Stefan Loening
University Club Golf	\$25	In memory of Pat Davis	November Speaker - Jane Cox	\$150	
Barb Duncan	\$50		Leader		
Kate Varcoe	\$50		Jane M Kuthy	\$200	
Kathryn Maxwell	\$50	In Memory of Cleanne Schieber, Past President	Paula Sanan	\$200	In memory of Pat Schnack and Cleanne Schieber
Kathy Maxwell	\$50	In memory of Hyla Boelman	Theresa Tometich	\$200	
Linda Westphal	\$50	In memory of Cleanne Scheiber, Past President	Joanne Woodman	\$500	
			University Club- Endowment	\$500	

The donors and amounts listed here are for donations received during the club year but not yet listed in the Clarion. The full list of the Club Year Donations can be found in the upcoming yearbook. Online donation instructions, form, and qr code can be found on page 15 of this issue.

<p>NAME _____</p> <p>ADDRESS _____</p> <p>PHONE _____</p> <p>AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____</p> <p>PLEASE CHECK ONE <input type="checkbox"/> In Memory of <input type="checkbox"/> In Honor of</p> <p>Name of Honoree _____</p>		<p>THE UNIVERSITY CLUB</p> <p><i>Scholarship Fund</i></p> <p>2023-2024</p> <p>for tax deductible donations</p> <p>make check payable to</p> <p>The University of Iowa</p> <p>Center for Advancement</p> <p>mail to</p> <p>Monica Hayes, Finance Chair</p> <p>2530 Corridor Way, Ste 202</p> <p>Coralville, IA 52241</p>
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Our final donation numbers for the 2022—2023 year totaled \$7001! A breakdown: \$665 in overpayment of dues

\$375 online payments directly to the Foundation that I was notified about from members

\$5961 in checks or cash given to me

We had a total of 116 member donate with 135 donations,

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Newcomers' Monthly Coffee Meetings

The University Club has a Newcomers' Division as a bonus to members of the Club during their first 2 years. When you join the University Club, you are automatically added to the list of Newcomers unless you opt out.

Newcomers' meetings are held year round on the 3rd Thursday, from 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM. Summer meetings (June, July, and August) are held at City Park. Fall, winter, and spring meetings are held in the lower level of the Coralville library. There's plenty of parking, including an underground garage with a lower-level entrance for those bitter winter days.

Come to the meetings and have fun while meeting new friends and participating in a variety of interesting and often educational programs.

Watch for the monthly email with program details. Members of the Newcomers' Division are encouraged to participate in all the activities and interest groups offered by the University Club.

MARK YOUR CALENDER FOR 3rd Thursdays 9:30-11:00 a.m. Bring your own Beverage!

Coffees:

- ◆ August 17: Canning and freezing garden produce. Members can bring excess garden produce to share.
- ◆ September 21: Introduction of members, 2-minute snapshot of yourself. Discussion of interest groups.
- ◆ October 19: Iowa Trivia - Tailgate party, wear your favorite team colors.
- ◆ November 16: Gardening program by Julie Happel & Bonnie Rubin - List of arboretums and botanical gardens to visit all year long - Seed Savers in Decorah.
- ◆ December 21: Holiday Memories - Bring a favorite holiday recipe or memory to share.

The Co-chairs of Newcomers this year are Jan Frerichs and Nancy Dole. Contact us at ucnewcomers@gmail.com with questions or for more information. We hope to see you soon!



INTEREST GROUP CALENDAR 2023-2024

Join interest groups at the Fall Fair or by contacting the chairperson of the group.
You must be a current, paid University Club member to participate in interest groups.
 If you are interested in forming a new interest group and are willing to act as chairperson,
 contact the Interest Group Chairpersons: Evonne Freeman and Margaret Kaltefleiter.

1ST MONDAY	1ST TUESDAY	1ST WEDNESDAY	1ST THURSDAY	1ST FRIDAY
9:30 Bowling 11:30 Beginning Bridge Two 1:00 Scrabble-Social 7:30 Book Club	9:30 UC Board Meeting 11:00 Boxing * RSVP for UC Luncheon	Day Trip Culture Group (Sept - Dec & Apr - Jul)	AM Golf (Apr - Aug) 9:30 Connections 10:00 Latin Dance Movement 11:00 Boxing* 1:00 Mah Jongg	9:00 Tennis 6:30 Bunco Evening
2ND MONDAY	2ND TUESDAY	2ND WEDNESDAY	2ND THURSDAY	2ND FRIDAY
9:30 Bowling 1:00 Bunco	11:30 UC Luncheon	9:00 Writers' Group 1:30 Women With Hammers 5:30 Heritage	AM Golf (Apr - Aug) 10:00 Latin Dance Movement 11:00 Boxing* 12:00 Euchre 1:00 Mah Jongg 2:00 Knitting* 7:00 Evening Ins and Outs	9:00 Tennis 9:45 Biking (Apr—Nov) 12:30 Book Club 2ND SATURDAY Evening Gourmet (Nov, and Jan—Apr)
3RD MONDAY	3RD TUESDAY	3RD WEDNESDAY	3RD THURSDAY	3RD FRIDAY
9:30 Bowling 11:30 Learn to Play Bridge 7:00 Book Club	9:00 Womens' Investing Network 11:00 Boxing* 11:30 Bridge 2:00 Financial Literacy	1:30 Tea Time	AM Golf (Apr - Aug) 9:30 Newcomers' Coffees 11:00 Boxing* 12:30 Book Club 1:00 Mah Jongg 1:00 Travel Exploration	9:00 Tennis 7:00 Couples' Bridge
4TH MONDAY	4TH TUESDAY	4TH WEDNESDAY	4TH THURSDAY	4TH FRIDAY
9:30 Bowling	9:00 Writers' Group 11:00 Boxing* 11:30 Bridge 11:30 Red Shoes**	11:30 Bridge 1:00 Board Games & Cards*	AM Golf (Apr - Aug) 10:00 Latin Dance Movement 11:00 Boxing* 12:00 Taste Our Cookin' 1:00 Mah Jongg	9:00 Tennis 12:30 Book Club

***year round, with limited exceptions**
****Red Shoes lunch location changes monthly**

"Like" and "Follow" us on the Club Facebook page. If you'd like to submit Interest Group photos, brief news, or updates, send them to uclubiowacity.photos@gmail.com

IMPORTANT PLEASE READ!

This Clarion (Issue 1) will be the only issue to include a printed Interest Group List and Calendar other than your Yearbook. This minimizes the number of pages as a cost savings for both printing and mailing. The most current details and calendar can also be found on the Club web site.

IMPORTANT PHOTO-VIDEO DISCLAIMER!

The Full Disclaimer can be found on page 15 of this issue, but the main point is that if you do not want your image recorded for distribution, you must make your wishes known to the photographer, and/or the event organizer, and/or contact The University Club at uclubiowacity@gmail.com, in writing.

MONTHLY INTEREST GROUP DETAILS

BIKING

Co-Chairs:

Liz Bergeron
319-491-7131 elizaberger@gmail.com
Sandy Johnson
319-330-7004 sandra-j-johnson@uiowa.edu

MEETS: 2nd Fri., Apr-Nov, 9:45 AM to Noon. (Weather cancellations reschedule to 3rd Fri.)

BOARD GAMES AND CARDS

Co-Chairs:

Pat McGee
319-338-5215 icmcee3246@gmail.com
Sherrie Panther
319-337-4514 sherriepanther@gmail.com

MEETS: 4th Wed, incl. summer, 1:00—3:00 PM at Walden Place.

BOOK CLUBS (5)

MEETS: First* Mon., 7:30 PM

*Second Mon. in Sept, then first Mon through June.

Co-Chairs:

Peggy Grimmer
920-461-3585 p.g@yahoo.com
Bobbie Ney
319-341-0711 bneyban@gmail.com

MEETS: Third Mon., 7:00—9:00 PM

Chair:

Frann Ostroff
319-541-3286 frannostroff@gmail.com

MEETS: Third Thu., 12:30—2:00 PM

Co-Chairs:

Ruthann Papke
563-242-9380 nursepapke@mac.com
Patty Roberts
502-494-0402 patriciaroberts7@icloud.com

Hills Bank on Gilbert St. IC.

MEETS: Second Fri., 12:30 PM (Sept—June)
Books for the Young at Heart.

Co-Chairs:

Ann Burton
319-621-0245 ann.burton73@gmail.com
Lynette Adams
319-631-4718 lswadams@gmail.com

Contemporary and classic young adult books.

MEETS: Fourth Fri., 12:30-2:00PM

Kid Lit

Co-Chairs:

Nancy Rossley-Barnes
319-321-1689 nrossley@yahoo.com
Diane Dalton
319-321-7429 didalton60@gmail.com

Current and past children's literature. Midwest One Bank, Coralville

BOWLING Non Sanctioned 30 Week League

Co-Chairs:

Maryann St. John
319-341-9115 maryannstj@hotmail.com
Denise Hellstein
319-621-1026 d.hellstein@mchsi.com

MEETS: Mon, weekly, at 9:30 AM, Sept-Apr at Colonial Lanes, 2253 Old Hwy 218 S (S Riverside Dr) IC. .

BOXING—SILVER FOX BOXING

Co-Chairs:

Joni Bosch
319-321-9529 Jonideebosch@gmail.com
Ann Allaire
319-338-5831 akallaire@gmail.com

MEETS: Year round each Tues and Thurs at 11:00 AM except 2nd Tues when UC luncheons are held. ICOR Boxing, 391 Highland Ave, IC. Open to women 50 and up. Focus is on dexterity, strength, and conditioning. UC members receive 25% off standard fees. New to the sport? Try a free class or two before signing up.

BRIDGE (6)

Players must find their own subs from provided list (all groups).



MEETS: Third Tues 11:30 AM—3:00 PM

Co-Chairs:

Evonne Freeman
319-331-6692 efreeman0208@gmail.com
Mary Burchette
612-799-9296 mary.burchette@gmail.com

Year round at 1st Ave HyVee, IC, 4 rounds (timed) of 6 hands. 50 cents from each player to use for prizes. Expected to purchase lunch at HyVee,

MEETS: Fourth Tues., 11:30 AM—3:00 PM

Co-Chairs:

Carralee Sueppel
319-331-3791 (c) 319-683-2739 (h)carraleesueppel@sharontc.net
Sheila Vedder
319-351-3181 (H) 336-337-8476 (Cell) skvedder@gmail.com

Year round at HyVee, 1st Ave. IC, 4 rounds (timed) of 6 hands. 50 cents from each player used for prizes. Players are expected to buy lunch from HyVee.

MEETS: Fourth Weds: 11:30 to 3:00 PM

Co-Chairs:

Sandy Bucher
319-331-3113 sandyjimbucher@gmail.com
Diane Sondergard
319-351-7880 tigrhkw@gmail.com
Karen Juvenal
319-321-5954 karenjuvenal@hotmail.com
Cathy Pietrzyk
319-571-2478 catherine-pietrzyk@uiowa.edu

Community of Christ Church, 2121 South Ridge Dr. CV. Cost is \$15 for donation and snacks, 25 cents for prizes. Three timed rounds.

MONTHLY INTEREST GROUP DETAILS

MEETS: Third Friday, 7:00 PM COUPLES BRIDGE

Chair:

Jeanne Snyder
319-354-1050 Jeannemsnyder@gmail.com
Chicago style party Bridge with spouse or partner in members' homes.

MEETS: 3rd Mon 11:30 to 3:00

LEARNING TO PLAY BRIDGE

Co-Chairs:

Evonne Freeman
319-331-6692 efreeman0208@gmail.com
Susan Carroll
319-354-1913 susan.carroll25@gmail.com
Danette Frauenholtz
319-351-2911 dfrauenholtz@gmail.com

Location will depend on group size. Learn to play or brush up on skills. No pressure group. We'll share lunch at a local restaurant with cards after. Meets year round.

MEETS: 1st Mon. 11:30 to 3:00

BEGINNING BRIDGE TWO

Co-Chairs:

Jan Frerichs
319-331-6341 jnfrerichs01@gmail.com
Linda Van Loh
509-440-1646 lindavl52241@gmail.com

1st Ave HyVee, IC

BUNCO DAYTIME

Co-Chairs:

Diane McGraw
319-665-9492 dmcgraw33@icloud.com
Diane Cahalan-Salling
952-435-8327 d.c.salling66@gmail.com

MEETS: 2nd Mon. 1:00 PM Grand Living at Bridgewater, CV.
\$2 per person for prizes. All are welcome, no experience necessary.

BUNCO EVENING

Co-Chairs:

Linda Van Loh
509-440-1646 lindavl52241@gmail.com
Connie Steele
319-512-6419 connie.steele@gmail.com

MEETS: 1st Fri, 6:30 PM, Members' homes.
Spouses and guests welcome. Great mixer and way to meet new friends.

CONNECTIONS

Co-Chairs:

Linda Spangle
303-503-1138 (cell) lmspangle@gmail.com
Sue Dane
319-530-1318 susan.k.dane@gmail.com

Meets: 1st Thurs Sept—June from 9:30 to 11:00 am at the Coralville Library. This friendship building group offers entertaining and educational meetings to encourage visiting and getting to know members. Spring and Fall socials planned to incl spouses, partners, friends.

DAY TRIP CULTURE GROUP

Trip coordinator:

Helen Dietrich
319-337-7826 hidietrich732@gmail.com

MEETS: 1st Wednesday, usually around 8:15 am. The Day Trip tour committee arranges for day tours normally Sept through Dec and Apr through Jul. Detailed descriptions for upcoming trips will be listed in future Clarions.

EUCHRE

Co-Chairs:

Evonne Freeman
319-331-6692 efreeman0208@gmail.com
Nancy Dole
319-400-3599 nancydole@mchsi.com

MEETS: 2nd Thurs Noon to 3:00 Location determined by size of group. Organized as 4 players to a table, Euchre rules. 3 Rounds with different partners. Meet at local restaurant for lunch, cards follow. Required to find own sub from provided list.

EVENING INS AND OUTS

Chair:

Edie Campo
630-707-1272 edie.campo@outlook.com

MEETS: Primarily on the 2nd Thurs 7:00 PM

An evening social group for those who enjoy evenings OUT as well as gatherings IN each other's homes. Fun activities planned at different locations. Some events may include spouses, partners, guests.

FINANCIAL LITERACY

Chair:

Monica Hayes
319-519-0569 Monicahayesteam.com

MEETS: 3rd Tuesday, 2:00 - 3:30 pm, at 847 Quarry Rd., Coralville

GOLF

Co-Chairs:

Karen Olmstead
319-330-3211 karenolm@aol.com
Rosie Russell
319-541-9043 rosiearussell@aol.com

MEETS: Weekly on Thursday mornings at Finkbine Golf Course, Iowa City. Organized play is from April through the end of August. All golfers are welcome.

GOURMET – EVENING

Chair:

Margaret Kaltefleiter
319-471-7791 mkalte26@aol.com

MEETS: 2nd Saturday in Nov., and Jan. thru Apr. Evening Gourmet is for members (with or without a spouse)

HERITAGE DISCOVERY

Co-Chairs:

Jan Frerichs
319-331-6341 jnfrerich01@gmail.com
Diane Schubert
319-325-5931 dfs6214@msn.com

MEETS: 2nd Wed at 5:30 PM at Coralville Public Library. Discussions revolving around different heritage groups.

MONTHLY INTEREST GROUP DETAILS

KNITTING

Chair: Carol-Jean Boevers
707-709-6009 cJsb821@gmail.com

MEETS: 2nd Thurs 2:00 PM Year round, in members' homes.

LATIN DANCE MOVEMENT

Co-Chairs:
Connie Vaughn
706-537-0414 conniebeachbound@gmail.com
Joni Bosch
319-321-9529 jonibosch@gmail.com

MEETS: 1st, 2nd, and 4th Thurs, 10:00 to 10:50 AM. \$10 per session at ICOR Boxing Club

MAH JONGG

Chair:
Kimberly Jensen
208-724-3947 kjpgurple@msn.com

MEETS: Each Thursday at 1:00 pm at Grand Living at Bridgewater. We play the American version of an Asian tile game. This is an extremely fun game but is different from the "match-style" mah jongg played online.

RED SHOES

Co-Chairs:
Linda Van Loh
509-440-1646 lindavl52241@gmail.com
Linnell Phillips
319-541-4757 linnell.phillips@hotmail.com

MEETS: 4th Tuesday at 11:30 am. Please join a group of fun loving women who like to go out, visit and have a good lunch too! We will be on the lookout for new and exciting area dining opportunities, in addition to continuing to enjoy some of our tried-and-true favorites!

SCRABBLE - SOCIAL

Co-Chairs:
Connie Lee McCall
319-331-6237 connie.mccall01@gmail.com
Susan Young
319-321-1903 sjy@mchsi.com

MEETS: 1st Monday, at 1:00 pm. Grand Living at Bridgewater.

TASTE OUR COOKIN'

Co-Chairs:
Cheryl Reinhardt
319-351-6403 careinhardt@mediacombb.net
Karen Olmstead
319-330-3211 karenolm@aol.com
Connie Burkart
319-351-0455 cburkart@q.com

MEETS: 4th Thursday (September through May with a combined meeting for November and December) at 12:00 pm at First Presbyterian Church, 2701 Rochester Ave., Iowa City. We share recipes and socialize over lunch based on a monthly theme. Everyone is welcome.

TEA TIME

Chair:
Margaret Kaltefleiter
319-471-7791 mkalte26@aol.com

MEETS: 3rd Wednesday at 1:30 PM at members' homes. All members take turns hosting and making tea sandwiches, scones, and desserts for small, rotating groups.

TENNIS

Co-Chairs:
Shirley Barker
319-360-4639 shrlybrkr@msn.com
Julie Wittig
843-505-1474 j903greenfields@gmail.com

MEETS: Weekly Mon, Wed, Fri, 8:00 AM. Liberty High School during the summer, City Park, IC in the spring. May meet in the winter at North Dodge Athletic Club.

TRAVEL EXPLORATION

Co-Chairs:
Carole Buchmiller
319-430-2134 cbuchmiller@gmail.com
Mary Potter
319-359-8004 marypotz@msn.com

MEETS: 3rd Thurs, 1:00 PM, Hills Bank Community Room, Forevergreen Rd, North Liberty.

UCWIN - WOMEN'S INVESTING NETWORK

Chair:
Susan Young
319-321-1903 sjy@mchsi.com

MEETS: 3rd Tuesday, 9:00 - 11:00 AM

WOMEN WITH HAMMERS

Chair:
Kathy Maxwell
319-351-6230 squirt5@mchsi.com

MEETS: 2nd Wednesday, 1:30 - 3:00 pm. A \$5 membership fee for the year must be paid by October 1st to remain in the group.

WRITERS' GROUP

Co-Chairs:
Frann Ostroff
319-541-3286 frannostroff@gmail.com

MEETS: 2nd Wednesday and 4th Tuesday from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm, Hills Bank, 2621 Muscatine Avenue, Iowa City.



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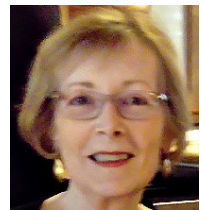
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