Welcome new and returning Members!

Stephanie von Hirschberg
Susan T. Eastman
Fenella Flinn
Janis Neff

We’re glad you’re here.

Spring Luncheon

Register today for the UWC Spring Luncheon
At St. Marks United Methodist Church
On
Thursday, April 14th at Noon!

Call Susan at the Club 812-855-1325
And have your Credit Card ready
Deadline is Noon on Friday, April 8th!

Annual Meeting

Register today for the Annual Meeting & Lunch
In the Presidents’ room at the Club
On
Monday, April 25th at 11:45 AM!

Call Susan at the Club 812-855-1325
And have your Credit Card ready
Deadline is Noon on Tuesday, April 19th!
Upcoming Events

April 14  Women’s Club SPRING LUNCH & SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER
Featuring School of Music Instructor Charlie Jesseph with Quinn Sternberg at St. Marks United Methodist Church on the Bypass  12:00 pm

April 25  University Club’s ANNUAL MEETING & LUNCHEON
With special guest speaker, Marjorie Hershey!
Meet the scholarship recipients
Elect the 2016—2017 Board of Officers
In the Presidents’ Room at the University Club  11:45 am

May 25  Luncheon Club’s ANNUAL WINE TASTING DINNER
In the Presidents’ Room at the University Club  5:30 pm

SAVE THE DATE for the ANNUAL WINE TASTING DINNER

Wine Tasting  

Wednesday, May 25th @ 5:30 pm
In the Presidents’ Room of the Club
It’s with a heavy, yet happy, heart that I send this newsletter to print for the last time. Before I go, I want to say thank you to all the incredibly wonderful people that I’ve had the pleasure to work with over the past two years. Thanks to the lovely ladies of the UWC Board—I’ll miss having breakfast with you every month! Your leadership has been an inspiration to me. Also to the UClub Board—it’s been a wildly interesting ride! A special heartfelt thanks to “The Legend that is Kate Kroll” and the crew of ladies who organized my farewell dinner—I’ll never forget that special evening, and I’ll never forget you!

Managing the University Club has been the highlight of my working career. Although I’m leaving the very best job I’ve ever had, I’m leaving to return to the very best family a gal could ask for and to start a new adventure!

As I turn the reins over to your new Manager, Susan, I am confident the baton is being passed to very capable hands. I know the Club will continue to flourish under her management. Susan knows everyone in town, is wonderful to work with, and will bring a fresh perspective to the club.

Next time your in the Club, check out our beautiful new sign over the front door! Give me a ring if you’re ever in the Queen City. Ciao you groovy people!

Welcome to our new Club Manager

Susan Dabkowski

Susan has lived in Bloomington since 1973 — except for seven years in the San Francisco Bay area — and is an alum of Indiana University (Non-Profit Management and B.A. in Psychology). She has over 25 years of experience in the local nonprofit sector and most recently served as Executive Director of Jill’s House, Inc. throughout its seven years of operation.

Susan happily shares her historic Bloomington Restorations, Inc. home with husband, Carl, and three curious cats.
University Women’s Club
Annual Spring Luncheon

Featuring

Charlie Jesseph
IU School of Music, Instructor
with Quinn Sternberg on Bass

April 14, 2016, NOON

St. Mark’s United Methodist Church
100 N State Road 46, Bloomington, IN

Charlie Jesseph is a Bloomington singer/songwriter & guitarist specializing in Acoustic Soul & Jazz. He performs regularly in the Bloomington music scene not only as a singer & guitarist, but as a pianist and percussionist as well. This young man radiates vibrant enthusiasm for music. As an instructor, he provides a simple and clear approach to the complex concepts of music theory and songwriting. In 2014 Charlie & Quinn were the opening act for Jay Leno
courtesy Indiana University

Please Join Us For an Afternoon of Food, FUN and Entertainment to Encourage Donations to University Club’s Endowed Scholarship Fund

Information is attached

Luncheon Stations

Chicken Pecan Apricot Salad, Homemade Ham Salad,
Fresh Curry Egg Salad, Southern Vegetable Salad
Lime Pineapple Gelatin Salad, Fresh Plate of Multi Fruits,
Bread Baskets and Butter
Assorted Desserts with Whipped Cream available
Coffee, Iced Tea, Iced Water

Luncheon Reservations

Payment made out to University Club due in University Club Office by April 8, 2016

Please make checks payable to University Club & mail to: IMU #150, 900 E. 7th Street, Bloomington, IN 47405
Or Call 812-855-1325 to reserve and pay by credit card—be sure to have your credit card ready when you call.

PLEASE PRINT your Name and those of your Guests as you would like them to appear on your name tag. Thank you.

Member:______________________________ $20 Member:______________________________ $20

Guest:_______________________________ $22 Guest:______________________________ $22

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TOTAL $ ____________________________
The University Club of Indiana University is proud to present

Dr. Marjorie Hershey!

Keynote speaker at the Annual Meeting Luncheon, Election of Officers & Scholarship Awards Presentations

On Monday, April 25, 2016, 11:45 AM
in the Presidents’ Room at the University Club

DR MARJORIE HERSHEY has been a Professor in the IU Department of Political Science since 1974. Her research and teaching interests focus on political parties, campaigns, and elections. Please join us to learn more about this timely and relevant topic!

SLATE OF OFFICER CANDIDATES
At the Annual Meeting, we will vote on the slate of candidates presented for the 2016-2017 Executive Board of Officers

Co-Presidents: Joe Miller & Ruth Miller
Co-Vice Presidents/Presidents Elect: Ruth DiSilvestro & Marilyn Uselding
Secretary: Mary Swarthout
Treasurer: TBD

MENU
Romaine Salad w/ Peaches and Goat Cheese
Cornish Hen & Asparagus
or
Eggplant Parmesan & Asparagus
Blueberry Shortcake
Coffee, Iced Tea

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
2016 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS!
Kirsten M. Hawley
Michaela R. Ullrich
Lucas W. Corley

ANNUAL MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2016

Payment required by noon on Tues. April 19th

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NAME: _________________________________ $18
NAME: _________________________________ $18
GUEST: _________________________________ $20
GUEST: _________________________________ $20
INTEREST GROUPS!

Are you passionate about something and wish to start a new interest group? You can do that by contacting Interest Group Chair Lou Moir at: 812-332-0472, or email her at: moirl@indiana.edu

University Club members in good standing are eligible to participate in as many Interest Groups as they wish by contacting the chair of each interest group.

Membership in the University Club is required to participate in an Interest Group.

If you would like information about membership in the University Club, please contact Club Manager, Susan Dabkowski at 812-855-1325 or email her at: uclub@indiana.edu

ANTIQUE GROUP

Our group welcomes all those interested in antiques. University Club members who are admirers and collectors are invited to join this group to study, share, and gain an appreciation of antiques. This group usually meets on the 4th Thursday of each month from September to April excluding November. December has an early meeting date. Special programs and a spring bus trip to an historic site are also planned. Yearly dues of $5 should be submitted to co-chair: Helene Jones, 605 N. Bell Trace, Bloomington, IN 47408, 812-331-0266.

BOOK CIRCULATING

Are you an avid reader? Then consider the Book Circulating Group!

Hardcover books are circulated every two weeks October to May. The final book you receive is yours to keep. The reading list includes both fiction and non-fiction. A reasonable fee is charged to cover the cost of the books. Books will be passed between members on the 5th and 20th of each month, beginning October 20th (excepting January 5th).

Co-Chairs: Lou Moir 812-332-0472 moirl@indiana.edu
           Linda Heath 812-332-8501 lheath@mac.com
BOOK DISCUSSION

If you love to read and discuss a variety of interesting books in paperback form, this group is for you. The group meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month from September to May to discuss books selected by members the previous June. Each member reads the book ahead of time and at some point takes a turn at being a discussion leader according to the established group guidelines. Hostess duties rotate on a voluntary basis. The group meets in members’ homes. Meetings begin with socializing from 9:30 to 10:00 AM. Discussion runs from 10:00 to 11:30 AM.

Co-chairs: Rosemary Dever 812-339-5979 rmdever@indiana.edu
Maribeth McKaig 812-876-3697 mbmckaig@juno.com
Martha Smiley 812-339-6822 martha-smiley@att.net

BRIDGE – DUPLICATE

You need not be an expert to have fun playing duplicate bridge. Participants meet at Meadowood in the downstairs Card Room at 12:15 PM (games begin at 12:30) on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. There is a 50-cent per person fee to cover the cost of prizes. Everyone interested in playing is welcome. You and your partner are welcome to join anytime during the year.

Co-chairs: Frank Prosser 812-332-5563 prosser@cs.indiana.edu
Virginia Henderson 812-824-2955 dove1128@kiva.net

PARTY BRIDGE

We meet at Bobby’s Colorado Steak House on the 1st Monday of each month at 11:30 AM for lunch, then play bridge until 3:30ish. Bobby’s Colorado offers a soup & salad buffet for $6.50. Yearly dues are $5 to cover miscellaneous costs. In addition, at the beginning of each meeting, each player contributes $1 for the prize for that day.

Chair: Tina Costin 812-336-1504 tinacostin@comcast.net

BUNCO

BUNCO is a fast-moving, uncomplicated game of dice, luck, and prizes. If you like plain, old fashioned fun you should seriously consider joining the BUNCO SQUAD. We meet year round on the 3rd Monday of the month at 11:30 am at Meadowood for lunch and play.

Players contribute $5.00 each time for the cash awards. There are 12 regular players. All others who sign up serve on the sub list. Those who wish to be a substitute may join at any time.

Chair: Janie Harnett 812-339-4528 jane.harnett@comcast.net
**DINING OUT**

The Dining Out Group is open to all University Club members, singles and couples who desire good food, good friends and good times! Everyone is welcome! Joining the group can be done at any time simply by contacting the chairman.

The schedule and other information is sent by e-mail. Responses must be received by the stated deadline. Dining out events are usually the fourth Sunday evening of each academic month. Dinner is typically preceded by a social time in a member’s home. Restaurant seating is in groups of 6 – 8 to promote conversation and camaraderie.

- **April 24** - Rob and Barb Aspy - Social hour at the Aspy home and dinner at the Function Brewery  
  Barb Aspy, b.aspy@yahoo.com or Rob Aspy, robnbarb@att.net
- **May 22** - Janie Harnett, jane.harnett@comcast.net
- **June 26** - Lois and Rick Holl, uusw5501@yahoo.com

The Good news is we have chair persons for the rest of the Dining Out Calendar - NO events July and August. Kick off event will be scheduled for September 25.

**WE STILL NEED a volunteer to Chair the Dining Out Interest Group for next the season of events.**

Please Consider doing this . . . it is really not hard nor too time consuming. Thanks for all of you who volunteered to chair a month this year! Lu Cregar, lcregar@gmail.com 812-391-1189  (Note this is a NEW number.)

**FINE DINING COOKING CLUB**

Like to cook? Talk about good food and restaurants? Try new recipes? Make new friends? Then this may be the interest group for you!

Members are divided into groups of four or five doubles and meet in members’ homes with everyone sharing in the preparation and cost o the meal. The mix of people is different at every dinner. An Opening Get Together and an End-of-Year party are held for the entire group.

If you are interested in becoming a member, please call or email Chairs, Vicki Pappas or Harriet Castrataro to be put on the name list for next year or as an alternate for this year.

- **Co-chairs:** Vicki Pappas 812-361-9500 pappas@indiana.edu  
  Harriet Castrataro 812-334-0697 hcastrat@indiana.edu

**GREAT DECISIONS**

Great Decisions is the nation’s oldest, most popular program of citizen education in world affairs. The common purpose is to help members become informed, involved, and to understand how world events affect their daily lives.

The University Women's Club in cooperation with the Foreign Policy Association, IU's Center for the Study of Global Change and Meadowood, offers programs for the 2016 year. Meetings will be held in the Terrace Room at Meadowood at 1:15 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of the month September through May. The cost of the series is $15.00 which includes a book of readings.

- **Co-chairs:** Donna Smith 812-331-0311 vhsmith@indiana.edu  
  Mike Chiappetta 812-337-1884 mchiappe@indiana.edu
INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP

Come be a part of this group and enjoy conversation over lunch with an interesting international student. We share culture, customs and interests! We meet at Bobby’s Colorado Steak House (Dutch treat) on the third Friday in the months of October, November, January, and February. The March luncheon will be on the fourth Friday. Yearly registration fee is $5.

Co-Chairs:
Kate Kroll 812-332-4018  katekroll@comcast.net
Martha Smiley 812-339-6822  martha-smiley@att.net
Louray Cain 812-339-9841  louray1@comcast.net
Karen Mikesell 812-336-2000  kmikesell@usa.net
Ellen Stern 812-337-8053  gstern@indiana.edu

HIKING IN SOUTHERN INDIANA

If hiking off the usual path interests you, join Eleanor Lahr and others as they check out hikes from Alan McPherson’s Nature Walks in Southern Indiana and other interesting places. Group size is limited to ten or less, depending on trail and transportation restrictions. The schedule is subject to change. Impromptu hikes sent out via email. Walks go rain or shine. Dress for the weather, and bring water and a snack. Hikes vary in length and difficulty. For more information and to reserve a spot, call Chair: Eleanor Lahr 812-339-4209, elahr@indiana.edu

SPRING 2016
HAYS TRAIL in the Deam Wilderness
(FR) April 15, (SA) April 23, (SA) April 30, (SA) May 7

We will depart from our usual format for our spring hike by having four hikes instead of one. Saddle Creek Valley, which is accessed by a five-mile round-trip hike on the Hays Trail in the Deam Wilderness, had a spectacular show of wildflowers in 2015. Anticipating that it will be beautiful again in 2016, we are scheduling four hikes to take advantage of the succession of wildflower blooms from early through late spring. Participants can choose to take one to all four of these hikes. The hikes will take place on different days of the week to accommodate more schedules. We plan to return shortly after noon each day.

LEAVE TIME: 8:00 a.m. from the east side of the K-Mart/Bloomingfoods parking lot, near Clarizz Dr.
DISTANCE: 5 1/2 miles  HIKING TIME: About 3 hours
DIFFICULTY: Moderate (hills, uneven terrain, crossing small streams)

LUNCHETTES

Join us in restaurant exploration on the last Friday of the month at 11:30 a.m. Reservations should be made with one of the Chairs below by the first of the week for each luncheon. A list of restaurants that we plan to visit is listed below. You will be sent an e-mail to remind you of the event; reminder phone calls will not be made.

April 29th @ CHEDDARS, 126 E. Franklin Road (on the west side of town)
May 27th @ FINCH’S, 514 E. Kirkwood Street.
June 24th @ SCENIC VIEW, 4600 Indiana 446

Co-Chairs:  Sally Isom 812-339-6227, sallyaisom@gmail.com
           Jan Greenwood 630-272-0107, jantgreenwood@gmail.com
YOGA

You need not feel intimidated by yoga! If you are interested in improving balance, breathing, flexibility and relaxation, this is the group for you. No previous knowledge of yoga is necessary. Everyone works at their own level.

We meet at St. Thomas Lutheran Church, located at the corner of East 3rd Street and Smith Roads.

Wear comfortable clothes to permit easy movement; bring a yoga mat and a stretchy band or belt. Our instructors strive to leave you feeling stretched, relaxed and in a better place than when you came through the door.

You may participate three times before membership in the University Club is required. There is no additional cost beyond your University Club membership, but we do ask that you give a minimum $20 annual donation to St. Thomas Lutheran Church for the use of their lovely facility.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact Marilyn, Svelta, or Wendy.

Co-Chairs and instructors:  Marilyn Uselding  812-369-4313  mjuselding@yahoo.com
                          Svetla Vladeva   812-334-9999  svladeva@hotmail.com
                          Wendy Teller     812-334-7974  teller@rcn.com

SHOP ‘TILL YOU DROP

If you love to shop, here's your chance to join our group and hit the road for shopping adventures and fun galore!

Trips are planned at random. All Shop-till-you-Drop information will be sent via e-mail. If you are already on the contact list, you need do nothing. If you are new to the game, be sure to contact Janie and sign up to be put on the email list for information on future trips.

Chair: Janie Harnett  812-339-4528  jane.harnett@comcast.net
Helpful Information

**RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENT FOR EVENTS:** Reservations and pre-payment are required for all events. In many cases, a meal choice is also requested. We accept Credit Cards, Cash and Checks for luncheons, special events, and membership renewals. Please have your credit card ready when you call. Meadowood trips require pre-payment by cash or check only.

**PARKING:** Your Club membership entitles you to 1/2 off the parking rates for IMU Lot 1 and Lot 2. Stop in the office between 9:00 and 3:00 to have your parking ticket stamped. Payment for a Club event entitles you to 2 hours free parking in IMU Lot 1 and Lot 2.

**ORDER A RIDE TO THE CLUB:** If you need a ride to a Club event, or if can provide someone with a ride, please call Community Chair, Carolyn Anderson at 812-334-1716.

**WEATHER:** The University Club follows MCCSC when closing due to inclement weather.

**FOOD ALLERGIES:** Please let us know if you have food allergies when ordering your meals. Currently, all sauces and gravies are made with vegetable stock.

**SMART PHONE APP TAKES YOU RIGHT TO THE UCLUB WEBSITE**
Many Meadowood outings sell out very quickly. Please call 812-855-1325 today to secure a reservation. All depart from the Meadowood Circle Drive 2455 Tamarack Trail

**MEADOWOOD OUTINGS - Call the Club to Reserve 812-855-1325**

**Friday, April 15 - Tour the Swope Gallery in Terre Haute, IN**
Lecture by local artist Neil Garrison. Charge back lunch in Terre Haute will complete a lovely afternoon. Depart Meadowood at 10:30 AM. The Gallery is always free—you’ll pay only for lunch.

**Thursday, May 5 - Phantom of the Opera in Indianapolis**
Andrew Lloyd Webber’s mesmerizing score along with jaw-dropping scenery and breathtaking special effects, magically combine to bring this tragic love story to life each night. Depart Meadowood at 11:00 AM. $80 Guest ticket plus lunch.

**Wednesday May 11-Guys and Dolls at Beef and Boards.**
Two gamblers’ plans go awry when romance is in the cards! $60 ticket gets you door to door transportation, lunch, the show and refreshments on the ride home. Departs 10:30 AM.

**Friday, May 20- Day at the Races-Churchill Downs, KY**
Feeling lucky? Enjoy a day at the races. Price includes refreshments at Meadowood, lunch and ticket into Churchill Downs. It’s a fun day of betting (and winning?) on thoroughbred horses. $60 Guests

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**Arm Chair Travel**

**2016 Spring Schedule**

**April 11:**
French Palaces and Cathedrals  

**All Programs:** Meadowood Terrace Room