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# University Club Newsletter

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**The IMU Building will be  
closed to public from  
November 20th to  
January 19th.**

## A Message from our Vice President

I hope everyone has been enjoying the Zoom programs in our Speaker Series. We have been both entertained and informed. It has been a learning curve for all of us but we have received a lot of positive feedback from our members and our speakers.



The Program Committee is currently working on programs for the spring semester. Since we are unable to have any large group activities in the club, we have decided to expand to two speakers per month for the months of January through April. The committee works to balance our programming between campus, community, entertainment and current events. We also try not to duplicate speakers our members may have heard in other popular organizations like IU Retirees, Meadowood, Rotary, etc.

We are currently extending requests for spring speakers and have two confirmed. Glenn Gass will be returning to talk more about the Beatles on February 25. Gladys DeVane will be speaking at UWC Spring Program on April 8.

We invite you to join us prior to the speakers and enter into a breakout room with some other fellow club members. Since we are unable to socialize prior to the speakers at the club or during lunch, it is a great way to meet new folks. All are welcome to participate. When the program is about to begin, the hosts will mute you and darken your screen.

There are several reasons why we are doing this. The speaker can see all the participants and it is distracting when people are moving around or moving on and off their screens while they eat, get a drink, etc. Background noises like a lawn mower, barking dog, telephone ring cannot always be controlled. This is also true when asking questions so we have asked those come through the "chat" feature.

The Meadowood Travel Series is beginning again, with three currently being planned. Since we are unable to enjoy those at the facility, we will also make all available via Zoom. This is a Meadowood sponsored event and no reservation will be needed, just click the link provided at the specified time.

A special thanks to our current Program Committee members, Steve and Sandy Moberly, Ken Beckley, Erdine Simic, and Charlene Brown. If you have any questions or suggestions, please let one of us know.

Cindy York  
Vice President



# Speaker Series



**Thursday, November 5**

**11:30 a.m. via Zoom**

**Guest Speaker Fred Cate**

**Internet Fraud, Credit Card Fraud  
and Telephone Scams**

Internet fraud, credit card fraud and telephone scams impact millions of Americans every year. Senior citizens are particularly vulnerable. How do you prevent such thievery? How do you react?

Our speaker is an international expert on these security subjects and will detail problems while offering tips for not becoming victims.



Fred Cate is IU Vice President for Research, Distinguished Professor, and C. Ben Dutton Professor of Law. He served as the founding director of IU's Center for Applied Cybersecurity Research, where he is now a senior fellow.

**Register by noon on Tuesday, November 3 by emailing [uclub@indiana.edu](mailto:uclub@indiana.edu). Only members who register by the reservation deadline will receive a Zoom link for this presentation.**



# Speaker Series



**Wednesday, November 18**

**11:30 a.m. via Zoom**

**Speaker - Steve Raymer**

**Steve Raymer is an IU Media School Professor and former award winning photographer for the *NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC*. He will describe his experiences and show photos from traveling the world as a photo journalist for two decades. Raymer's photography captures the magic of beautiful vistas, the joys and struggles of everyday people living everyday lives and the chaos brought on by natural disasters. This is all detailed in his recently published book *SOMEWHERE WEST OF LONELY: MY LIFE IN PICTURES* which includes over 594 photographs from countries across the globe.**

**In addition to being a photojournalist and author, Steve Raymer is an educator and teaches visual journalism, media ethics, international newsgathering and reporting war and terrorism at the Indiana University Media School. He is a tenured professor of journalism.**

**Register by noon on Monday, November 16 by emailing [uclub@indiana.edu](mailto:uclub@indiana.edu). Only members who register by the reservation deadline will receive a Zoom link for this presentation.**



# Arm Chair Travel



## **Experience Costa Rica**

**Monday, November 9**

**Speaker: Ellen Jay**

**2:30 p.m. via Zoom**

**This program is made possible by residents from Meadowood Retirement Community. All UClub members are welcome to attend. Zoom link will be available closer to the date.**



# Art in the Club

with

**Guest Speaker Tina Jernigan**

**Thursday, December 10**

**11:30 a.m. via Zoom**



Take a virtual tour of notable art pieces gracing the walls of our club. Explore the portraits of two notable IU presidents, a painting by Marie Goth, landscapes by T.C. Steele, and prints by retired IU Professor of Printmaking, Rudy Pozzatti. Ezkenazi Museum of Art Docent, Tina Jernigan, will share insights and stories of these works of art.

Ever wondered about the statue in the lobby outside the entrance to the club? An enlightening history of this piece of art will also be revealed.



Tina Jernigan is a true Hoosier, born in Linton, IN and having lived in Vincennes before moving to Bloomington in 1991.

In addition to being a Docent at the IU Art Museum, Tina brings years of experience and knowledge of art. She was the co-founder of the literacy coalition in Vincennes, a former art educator, coordinator, membership chair for Friends of T.C. Steele State Historic Site where she helped develop and initiate education outreach program on T.C. Steele.

Tina has travelled internationally to 30 countries visiting numerous art museums along the way.

**Register by noon on  
Tuesday, December 8th by  
emailing [uclub@indiana.edu](mailto:uclub@indiana.edu).  
Only members who register  
by the reservation deadline  
will receive a Zoom link for  
this presentation.**



# INTEREST GROUPS

The interest groups are the **HEART** of the University Club and the **BEST** membership benefit of all!

University Club Members in good standing are eligible to participate in as many interest groups as they wish.



We are updating all interest group information as it becomes available. Select groups continue their activities, others will not be meeting due to social distancing.

**IF YOU ARE NOT ALREADY ON THE ROSTER (2019-2020) FOR AN INTEREST GROUP AND WISH TO SIGN UP TO PARTICIPATE IN A NEW GROUP FOR 2020-2021, YOU MUST CONTACT THE INTEREST GROUP CHAIR DIRECTLY IN ORDER TO BE NOTIFIED WHEN THAT GROUP WILL RESUME MEETING.**

## ACTIVE WALKING GROUP

Do you need some safe socialization? **The walking group is active once again!**

We currently walk in Hyde Park. We start at Mytri's house, 3400 E. Brookstone Ct., Bloomington, IN 47401. Parking is available on the street. We travel a lovely tree-lined two mile route from Mytri's house to the Olcott entrance and back. We meet on Wednesday morning from 9 a.m. - 10 a.m. with a rain date on Friday. You will receive an email Wednesday morning if the walk needs to be moved.



In order to accomplish social distancing, we walk two by two with one person on the sidewalk and the second person near/in the street. We recommend wearing masks in order to keep each other safe even though we will be social distancing. With the re-opening of the state, virus transmission may increase. We want to keep everyone safe.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us. The Walking Group will be active through Wednesday, November 18. You will be notified in Spring 2021 when the Active Walking Group starts again.

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## ARTS AND ANTIQUES

The Antiques Group welcomes anyone interested in antiques! University Club Members who are admirers and/or collectors are invited to join this group to study, share, and gain a greater appreciation of antiques. This group meets on the 4th Thursday of most months from October to April.



Co-Chairs:

Linda Burton 812-369-4611

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## BOOK CIRCULATING

### Members continue to circulate books.

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

Here's how it works: 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 (excluding January 5th). Members must have their own transportation.

Co-Chairs:	Judith Granbois	812-332-5781	jgranboi@indiana.edu
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## BOOK DISCUSSION

If you love to read and discuss a variety of interesting books in any media form, this group is for you. The Book Discussion group meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month, from **September to May (except December)**, to discuss books selected by members the previous June. Each member reads the book ahead of time, and everyone gets a turn at being a discussion leader. The group meets in members' homes. Hostess duties rotate on a voluntary basis. Meetings begin with socializing from 9:30 to 10 am. Discussion runs from 10 to 11:30 am.

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## PARTY BRIDGE

The Party Bridge group meets on the 1st Monday of each month - **year round** at 11:30 am for lunch at Red Lobster, then plays bridge until 3:30 pm.

At the beginning of every meeting, each player contributes \$1 for the prize for that day.

Chair:	Judith Granbois	812-332-5781	jgranboi@indiana.edu
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## 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. The group meets **year round** on the 3rd Monday of the month at 11:30am at Meadowood for lunch and play.

Players contribute \$5 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.

**Bunco will resume as soon as Meadowood is open again.**

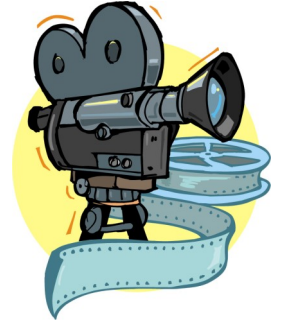
Chair:	Janie Harnett	812-339-4528	jane.harnett@comcast.net
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## CINEMA

**Cinema** will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month. Tuesdays are \$5 movie days. Evening movies starting between 7-8 p.m.

Friday of the prior week, when the new movies are listed, the chairperson will email the group with the options and times. The group will vote by email and voting will close at 6 p.m. Sunday. The chairperson will announce the movie the majority has decided to see. The chairperson will select a location to meet afterwards (for a cocktail or dessert and coffee, etc.) to discuss the movie. **The group meets September through May.**



Chair: Cindy York 812-333-4729 [cookie2852@aol.com](mailto:cookie2852@aol.com).

## DINING OUT

**Until social distancing is no longer recommended, this group will not be meeting.**

**If a volunteer desires to take over organizing the monthly restaurant visits in a socially distant setting, please let Barb Aspy know and she will send you the current member list. Thanks so much.**

The Dining Out group is open to all University Club members - singles and couples - who enjoy good food, good friends and good times. Dining Out events are usually on the fourth Sunday evening of each month. The schedule and other information is sent by e-mail and phone calls upon request. Responses must be received by the stated deadline so the restaurant can properly staff our event.

Restaurant seating is usually in groups of 6 – 8 to promote conversation and camaraderie. Guests are always welcome. Joining the group can be done at any time simply by contacting the chair. We do not meet in November or December due to the holidays.

Chair: Barb Aspy 812-350-4511 [b.aspy@yahoo.com](mailto:b.aspy@yahoo.com)



## EUCHRE

**This group will resume in the near future and an alternative meeting place may be necessary until Meadowood opens to the public.**

Euchre is a trick-taking card game played with partners with a deck of 24 cards ranging from 9 to Ace. Although around 1860 the game responsible for introducing the joker to the modern deck of cards, to act as the trump or best bower, the joker is not used in the most common version of the game. It is also believed to be closely related to the French game Ecarte' that was popularized in the United States by the Cornish and Pennsylvania Dutch. It has long been a popular Indiana and Midwestern game.

The group will meet on the last Thursday of the month in the Meadowood Card Room from 2 - 4 p.m. Please bring a snack to share and your own beverage. You do not need a partner to participate. The group will meet year-round.

Chair: Cindy York 812-333-4729 [cookie2852@aol.com](mailto:cookie2852@aol.com)



## EVENING BUNCO

Our **Evening Bunco** group is still looking for new members. The group will meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month from 7 - 9 p.m. It's a great opportunity for members to join us for an evening activity. We currently have seven members and are looking for five more. If you are interested, please contact Cindy York at 812-333-4729 or [cookie2852@aol.com](mailto:cookie2852@aol.com) or Marge Sutton at 812-336-8672 or [marjorie.louise.sutton@gmail.com](mailto:marjorie.louise.sutton@gmail.com).





## FINE DINING COOKING CLUB

**This group will resume in the near future.**

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

Members are divided into groups of four or five doubles who meet in members' homes with everyone sharing in the preparation and cost of 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.

Chair: Rosemary Harvey 812-287-7911 raharvey9@gmail.com



## 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 and 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 Hamilton Lugar School of Global and International Studies, and Meadowood Retirement Community - offers programs for the 2020-2021 year. **Meetings are held virtually via Zoom at 1 p.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month, September through May.** The cost of the series is \$25, which includes a book of readings.



**Date: Monday, November 16 at 1 p.m., via Zoom.**

**Topic: "U.S. Relations with the Northern Triangle"**

**Speaker: Jeff Gould - a Distinguished Professor at IU Bloomington, the James H. Rudy Professor of History in the College of Arts and Sciences and the Former Director (1995-2008) of the Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies.**

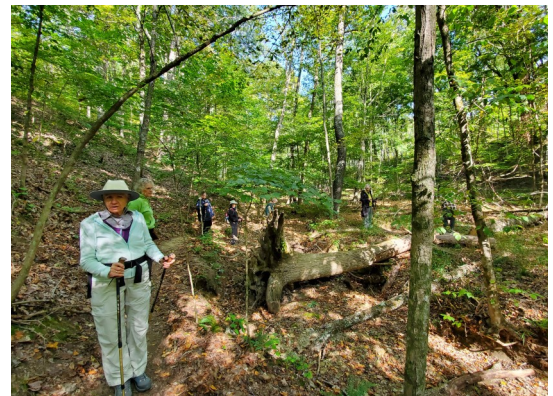
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## HIKING IN SOUTHERN INDIANA

**Our October 19th hike to the Sculpture Trails in Solsberry, IN was cancelled due to weather. This was the last scheduled hike for this calendar year.**

**The hiking group will resume next spring.**

**New date TBA** We will hike the Sculpture Trails Outdoor Museum in Solsberry, IN. See [SculptureTrails.com](http://SculptureTrails.com). In January of 2018, we hiked this after seeing the Tulip Trestle and eating at Yoho General Store. The weather turned cold and many of us left saying we needed to return.



Hitz-Rhodehamel Woods

Meets us at Yoho General Store ([YohoGeneralStore.com](http://YohoGeneralStore.com)) at 11:00 am for lunch. After we have eaten and visited we will go to the Sculpture Trails just down the road.

Chair: Kathleen Boggess 812-361-7332 kboggess44@gmail.com

## HOOSIER HYSTERIA



Did you know IU Athletics supports ten men's and twelve women's sports? We are more than just football and basketball fans. Join us in exploring some of the other spectacular sports each season. Events will be planned as Athletic Department directives and season schedules become available. All participants are responsible for their own admission where applicable. Future events include the following for men's sports: soccer swimming and diving, tennis, track and field, wrestling and baseball. Women's sports include soccer, volleyball, swimming and diving, tennis and softball. Tour of the baseball facility is also planned in the spring.

Chair: Cindy York 812-333-4729 cookie2852@aol.com

## INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP

Come be a part of this group and enjoy conversation over lunch with an interesting international student. We meet on the third Friday in the months of September, October, November, January, February, and fourth Friday in March. **Meetings are at noon.** If you are on the group's contact list, one of the co-chairs will notify you of the location prior to the meeting. Yearly registration fee is \$5.



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## LUNCHETTES

Join us in exploring local restaurants on the last Friday of the month at 11:30 a.m. A different dining venue is chosen each month; lunch goes order from the menu on separate checks. To promote conversation seating will be in groups of 4-6. Participants will be sent an email reminder the third week of the month. Reservations should be made by Wednesday of the week of the luncheon.

**Lunchettes group will not meet in November and December.**

Chair: Jan Greenwood Call/text 630-272-0107 jantgreenwood@gmail.com



## MAH JONGG

Mah Jongg is a tile-based game that originated in China. It is commonly played by four players. The game is played with a set of 144 tiles based on Chinese characters and symbols, although some regional variations may omit some tiles and/or add unique tiles. In most variations, each player begins by receiving 13 tiles. In turn, players draw and discard tiles until they complete a legal hand using the 14th drawn tile to form four melds (or sets) and a pair (eye).

Mah Jongg is open to new members who know how to play or are interested in learning the game. We are happy to teach you! We are playing American style with the 2019 card. **We will not be meeting until the pandemic is over or a vaccine is found.**



Chair: Kathleen Boggess 812-361-7332 kboggess44@gmail.com



## SHOP 'TILL YOU DROP

If Shop Till You Drop is to continue, the group will need a new leader. Janie has all the information needed for that individual, such as malls, names of stores, driving directions, lunch suggestions, phone numbers, meeting places, etc. She will be happy to share. The group always has a great time. Are you interested to lead this group?

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

All Shop 'Till You Drop information is shared 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 placed on the email list for information on future trips.



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

## YOGA



Our group currently meets each Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at Lower Cascades Park. We advise bringing an old shower curtain or similar barrier to use between your mat and the damp grass as we may encounter moisture from dew or an overnight shower. On occasion we move inside the shelter to use the picnic benches for a chair yoga session.

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 pace and level.

Wear comfortable clothes that 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.

Participation is FREE for University Club Members!

Co-Chairs and Instructors:	Marilyn Uselding	812-369-4313	mju744@hotmail.com
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## WRITE A FAMILY TREASURE



Do you love to recount childhood adventures? Was there an event that changed your life? The University Club is considering a new interest group, Write a Family Treasure, which will inspire members to write about their life and help them get started. It would meet once a month. Each meeting would last about two hours. The first meeting would cover some of the fundamentals about writing about yourself: what form your writing might take, how to overcome the impediments to writing, and what tools are available. It would include writing prompts and a little time to write. In subsequent meetings, group members would discuss their progress and share some of their writing. These meetings would also include additional prompts and time to write.

If you are interested in this group, please contact Wendy Teller at teller@rcn.com or call her at 812-334-7974.

The end of the semester brings new Indiana Memorial Union hours of operation. The building will be closed to the public starting November 20 to January 19. UClub office staff will be working remotely. If you wish to reach us, please email [uclub@indiana.edu](mailto:uclub@indiana.edu) or call 812-855-1325 and leave a message.



The University Club membership directory has been printed and ready for pick up. We ask members who wish to have a copy to please call the office to make special pick-up arrangements.

Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, November 1, 2020, at 2:00 a.m. On Saturday night, set your clocks back one hour to “fall back.”



*Welcome New and  
Returning UClub Members!*

**Roberta Cradick  
Richard Cradick**

**For more information on our partners please visit:**

**The Emeriti House**

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**IU Retirees Association**

<http://www.indiana.edu/~iura/>  
IU Retirees Association  
[iura@indiana.edu](mailto:iura@indiana.edu)

**IU Lifelong Learning**

<https://lifelonglearning.indiana.edu/>  
812-855-9335

**Meadowood Retirement Community**

<https://www.fivestarseniorliving.com/communities/in/bloomington/meadowood>  
812-330-4375

**Gentry Park Bloomington**

<https://gentryparkbloomington.com/>  
812-220-3158

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<http://www.acuclubs.org/Club/Scripts/Home/home.asp>