



ICL PRESIDENT'S LETTER
JUNE, 2007

DEAR ICLers

One more huge applause for the Spring Study Group Coordinators for all they did to make the sessions such a success. And we have more to come with the Summer offerings just having been announced. Be sure to sign-up for your choices either on-line at our website or in person during Registration on Wednesday, June 13. That day, beginning at 10:00am, we will also be having a "Taste of ICL", the Annual ICL Meeting, great entertainment and a super free lunch – so you all come.

I want to point out the huge strides that have been made in upgrading our website – which you will find at: <http://www.roosevelt.edu/icl> Thanks to member Mike Thompson for all he has done to make this a reality.

The site has: 1) a brief explanation of ICL; 2) a link to the August conference that we are sponsoring; 3) a "What's New at the ICL Website" section; 4) a "What's Next at ICL" section; and 5) a "ICL Info" section.

You can click on any of the listed links and get detailed information about a selected subject. For example, under "ICL Info", click on "Plato's Place" and you will find a listing of all of the scheduled topics for the balance of 2007. It meets on Wednesday's from 11:45am to 12:45am. If you haven't gone before, give it a try – "you'll like it".

Under "ICL Info", there are four links to help you share information about ICL with potential new members: "Frequently Asked Questions"; "New Membership Brochure"; "Membership Benefits"; and "ICL Admissions Application".

And, for those who are thinking of leading a Study Group this Fall, under "ICL Info" there are two links that might prove very helpful – 1) under "Coordinator Resources", then "Study Group Topics", then "Subjects from ICL Programs Nationwide" there is a listing of dozens and dozens of possible topics; and 2) under "Coordinator Resources", then "Teaching Company Courses" there is a listing of a number of CDs that ICL owns – any one of which would serve as a major portion of a Study Group.

Coming up, in addition to the June 13th event, we have the June 6th Lecture, the June 21st Jane Austen Day, the Summer Study Groups, the July 16th Ice Cream Social, the July 23rd trip to "Ancient Americas & Darwin", and the August 6th "ICL Celebration of Summer" (more to come its details later). Check out the "ICL Calendar" link on our website to see all of our scheduled activities through the end of 2007.

So, in addition to all the other summer activities you have planned for the summer, ICL is here to keep you busy and give your mind a chance to "GROW, GROW, GROW".

Bob Allen, ICL President