

March, 2007, ICL President's Letter

Dear ICLers:

It's time to "Spring Into Spring".

Don't forget to sign-up for the Spring Study Groups: Foreign Affairs, Legal Issues, Progressivism, New Yorker, Investing, The Enlightenment, Silent Movies, Cities and Regions, Women, Something Different, Chicago, Writing, Middle Ages, Classic Films, Wellness, Brush Painting, Tai Chi, Science, Gilbert and Sullivan, Louvre and Paris, Immigration, Mysteries, Chopin and Jane Austen. Wow!

Also, come to the last two Winter Lectures - March 7th and 14th plus the Taste of ICL and Registration on the 7th.

Mark your calendar for our annual volunteer day - "New Deal Service Day" on Saturday, April 14th.

Plus remember the next trip to "The Mystery of Edwin Drood" on April 29th - email or call Mary to sign up.

A couple of suggestions to engage you in ICL:

- 1) Get more involved with ICL by coming to an Advisory Board Meeting - held the 2nd Monday of each month in Room 317;
- 2) Volunteer to serve on one of our various committees - Service, Program Development, Finance, Special Events, Website, Lectures, etc. - just e-mail me your interest(s) and we'll take it from there;
- 3) Begin development a Study Group for this summer - it's really pretty easy - pick a topic, develop a 5-week outline of subjects to cover, do the necessary research (almost everything is on the internet and in libraries), pick subjects for attendees to cover, write brief explanation of study group, sign-up people during registration and co-ordinate weekly 2-hour sessions. There, isn't that simple. There are lots of people to help you, so please think about it and contact Sully at 847-259-5577 or Sue Harty at 630-289-7518.

Don't forget to visit the ICL website www.Roosevelt.edu/ICL - there is lots of information about our activities with a newly developed calendar.

Enjoy - continue to learn - be good to one another - and never, ever give up.

See you at ICL.

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