

ALL Points Bulletin

December 2020



NOTE FROM THE ALL OFFICE:

You might have noticed the flyers have a little bit of a new format. You will notice there is no longer a sign up form at the bottom. Our UWP Marketing department decided on this change and we have to follow their direction. Now that we are using the online system there is less need for the form on the bottom. There will still be a place on each event to click and view the flyer for that event. If you choose to mail in your forms that is still fine, however, you will have to use the blank form on our website to fill out and print or you can send a note with what class it is for with the information asked on the form.

Click here to access the form:

[Registration form for check payments](#)

Please contact the office at 262-595-2793 or by email at LifelongLearning@uwp.edu with any questions.

Please note you can access the events that are online by telephone as well. Call the office for more information.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

CLASS COMMITTEE

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We are pleased with the response to November's offerings: White Privilege with Professor Helen Rosenberg, Egyptian Symbolism with Peter Chiappori and History of WI Labor & Progressivism with Ken Germanson. Our presenters have been both knowledgeable and stimulating; as well, class attendees have added interesting comments and questions.

December's classes: [100 Years of American Women in Music](#) by Professor

FOCUS GROUP INFO

Non Fiction BOOK CLUB

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Our group normally meets via Zoom the third Monday of every month at 930 am. This month's book is *Nomadland* by Jessica Burder.

This month's meeting is going to be on Wednesday, 12/9/20 at 10am. At this meeting we will be planning our future readings.

Everyone is welcome to join us. Contact Clarice at drohling@outlook.com or 262-653-0203 to join the mailing list and receive the list of books.

CURRENT AFFAIRS

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The Current Affairs Focus Group meets via Zoom from noon to 1:30pm every 3rd Monday. We discuss local, state, national, and international issues. Every meeting is different, as the world in which we live is in constant flux. There is no shortage of topics for discussion.

Everyone is welcome to join us. Contact Ted Anderson (trawisc@gmail.com) or Fran Brinkman (franbrinkman@gmail.com) to join the mailing list and to begin receiving the topics and Zoom login information.

GREAT BOOKS

Doris Nice, Coordinator

The Great Books Group meets the fourth

Laura Rexroth on the 10th. This provides an interesting conclusion to the centennial celebration of the Women's Suffrage Amendment.

Joshua Pohja, an educator with Milwaukee Repertory Theatre will guide us in exploring details of Dickens' [Christmas Carol](#) on December 19. MRT currently has 2 versions of the play available in virtual performances.

On schedule for **January**: Pharmacist Erin Merritt, details [Medical Hemp & CBD Oils](#) on the 19th. Professor Laura Gellott concludes her saga of researching & finally publishing her book about the [Virtual trip through Europe with Helen Curtis Perry](#) on the 21st.

On **February** 16 Egyptologist Peter Chiappori will return for another of his lecture series. This month we will also hear founders of Kenosha Opera Festival, Kayla Bergin & Nicholas Huff, who will explain how their burgeoning careers were detoured by Covid 19, and their high tech response to unexpected challenges.

March 19 will see the return of Dr. Michelle Braun who will discuss her research in Brain Health. Other ideas are being explored for this & future months. **As always, the committee welcomes any & all suggestions for topics & /or speakers.** Contact co-chairs Merrilee Unrath mleeu@wi.rr.com or Darleen Chiappetta, darleen.chiappetta@gmail.com.

LECTURE SERIES

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The first ALL virtual session of the Fall Lecture series went very well and was well attended. We had some highly knowledgeable speakers, as usual, on a variety of interesting topics.

We hope to have the past lectures available to view online soon.

The ALL Lecture Committee is already hard at work on the next session of lectures. Lectures will continue to be held @ 2 P.M. on the first and third Mondays, except for possibly in January when the dates aren't set yet. See the schedule being sent later this month for dates January thru June or check online anytime at: [Lectures](#). Any ideas for speakers or topics of interest can be sent to the co-chairmen for consideration by the committee.



Monday of each month from 10-11:30. We are currently reading from the Great Books Foundation text "Great Conversations Volume 1."

In the next few months we will be discussing writings by Veblen, Jung, Olsen and Munro.

If you are interested in joining us email Doris Nice at dorisnice101@gmail.com.

GREAT DECISIONS- Updated Information

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The Great Decisions Focus Group, a U.S. foreign policy discussion group, will resume in February of 2021. The discussions will be virtual through the Zoom format. Many of you may already be familiar with that. The DVD presentation will have to be streamed on your own through Vimeo. If there is another way, I will advise you of that. The Foreign Policy Association will provide a link to that site and I will provide that to those that have signed up. Books are ordered in October and received in January. The time for discussions will be one and 1/2 hours since it does not include the video.

It will be scheduled for Wednesdays, 1:00 to 2:30 pm on the following dates; topic

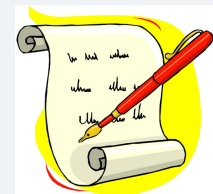
1) Feb. 10 - Global Supply Chains & National Security; topic 2) Feb.24 - Persian Gulf Security Issues; topic 3) March 10 - Brexit & the European Union; topic 4) March 24 - Struggles Over the Melting Arctic; topic 5) April 7 - China's role in Africa; topic 6) April 21 -The Korean Peninsula; topic 7) May 5 - Roles of International Organizations in a Global Pandemic; and topic 8) May 19 - The End of Globalization?

I will distribute the books in January. If you have any questions, My contact information is above.

POETRY

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We meet the second Monday of each month, 10 - 11:30 am online via Zoom.

This month we will finish an anthology that was put together by a recent U.S. poet laureate. In January we will begin

VIRTUAL FORMAT:

We will be using “*Collaborate Ultra*” which is similar to ZOOM, but there is no need to download an app on your computer. One advantage of the format is that members may watch ‘live”, or they may watch later as the talks will be recorded. You will receive instructions for participating LIVE OR “TAPED” for viewing later on the UWP website.

Each lecture will be announced a day or two ahead (via email, thanks to Vanessa), with details on the talk AND with the easy access LINK.

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reading and discussing a book written by the American poet who won the Nobel Prize in Literature this year, Louise Gluck. **New members are certainly welcome.** They should contact me at ron.story@att.net for information about the new book as well as for Zoom links to the meetings.

IN LOVING MEMORY

It is with heavy hearts that we share the passing of:



- Paul Mark Girman
- Jerold Mullane
- Maryan "Mary" Picolo

Always on our minds, forever in our hearts.

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