MISSION STATEMENT

Learning in Retirement (LIR) provides intellectual, cultural and social opportunities to foster life-long learning for adults in association with Waukesha County Technical College.

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MEET THE NEW OFFICE STAFF

Meet Mary Buechel
After retiring from a wonderful job at National Insurance in June, I decided to join the WCTC Learning in Retirement program to enhance my new lifestyle. After enrolling in the crochet class, I had the opportunity to apply for a clerical position in the LIR office and was accepted.

While attending the fall crochet class, I met many members who shared the same feelings that I had about learning needlework techniques and meeting new people.

I am truly excited about the chance to help LIR members make their experience easier, and welcome any suggestions that come my way. I will be in the office on Mondays, and on Wednesday mornings.

Meet Val Brown
I have been an administrator and executive in non-profits for many years, mostly at Alverno College, and then at the Waukesha County Community Foundation, Waukesha Symphony and Rogers Memorial Hospital. I joined LIR three years ago, and am a member of the LIR Singers. I also sing with my church choir and with the Jubilate Chorale. I will be in the office on Wednesday afternoons and Thursday mornings.

NEW LIR Office Hours (beginning December 3, 2012):
- Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: 9:30 AM – 4:00 PM
- Wednesday: 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

LIR Course Locations
Maps will be sent with your Confirmation Letter(s)
Building and Campus maps can also be found at http://www.wctc.edu/maps

WCTC

Pewaukee Campus (P)
800 Main Street
Pewaukee, WI 53072
262-691-5566

Waukesha Campus (W)
327 E. Broadway
Waukesha, WI 53186
262-695-6500 (information)
262-695-6504 (emergency)

While we try to do everything we can to maintain the posted schedule, there may be course changes (dates and/or locations) due to unforeseen circumstances.

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Office Hours
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W: 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

LIR website:
http://www.wctc.edu/lir

School Closing
In the event of conditions affecting the regular opening of WCTC, several local radio and television stations will give updated notices of any closing or cancellation. Additionally, you may visit our homepage at www.wctc.edu for closing information.
WINTER/SPRING COURSES AND SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Registration is by mail-in only (no phone registration). The deadline date for registration is January 16, 2013.

Membership
Yearly membership is from September 1, 2012 to August 31, 2013. If you are not an LIR member now, and wish to join for this membership year, please fill in the information requested and enclose $50 per person for the non-refundable membership fee. We do not prorate membership fees.

Important Note: Membership dues are not refundable, even if the course you desire is full.

Course Registration

All courses are $10.00 unless noted in the course description. Please choose your courses carefully as there will be no refunds for any courses you decide to drop or are unable to attend. Refunds will be given for courses which are cancelled by LIR. We wish to encourage people to enroll only in those courses that they are sure they will attend. Your cooperation is requested and appreciated.

Please Note:
⇒ Individuals must complete separate registration forms and submit individual checks.
⇒ Only LIR members may participate in courses.
⇒ You must register for and have a current, annual membership in LIR to participate in Special Interest Groups.

If you register for a course and then need to drop before it begins, please notify the LIR office at 262-695-3473.

Lottery and Vouchers

If enrollment exceeds the course size limit as of the deadline date, all registrants for that course will be chosen in a lottery. Vouchers will be given if a lottery is held and a registrant was not selected. You will not be included in a lottery if your form is received after the deadline. As determined by LIR board policy, courses that have exceeded the size limit are filled this way rather than on a first-come, first-served basis.

Confirmation Letters

Confirmation Letters will be sent out in early February. The WCTC/LIR office will not have information about your registration until after February 7, 2013.

Guest Policy

Guests may be allowed at LIR classes only with authorization of the LIR office. No child under the age of 12 is allowed in LIR classes in accordance with WCTC policy.

Special Interest Group Registration

If you are not in a Special Interest Group now, but are interested in joining now, you will need to register for the group on the membership form. Membership in special interest groups needs to be renewed each September. A letter will be sent confirming your registration. You may call the leader for specifics about the group’s activities.

General Information

LIR is fortunate to have so many highly qualified, non-paid instructors who freely volunteer considerable time and expertise in the development of quality courses. LIR has over 400 members with interesting and diverse backgrounds and opinions. As adult learners and volunteer instructors work together to ensure our continued success, the following suggestions are offered:

Please be in class on time to avoid class distraction. Tell the instructor in advance if you need to leave early. When possible, tell the class coordinator of an upcoming absence. Class coordinators can assist with distribution of printed material that you may have missed.

When personal opinions are presented by instructors or by students, common courtesy is requested in expressing those opinions. Your opinions do matter and often make the course more interesting. In some instances, it may be preferable to talk with the instructor after class. In all situations, LIR will follow the code of conduct for students and instructors as presented in the WCTC code of conduct which can be found on the WCTC website.

NOTE: Our courses are non-credit and do not qualify for CEU’s.
Monday Courses

#970 Topics in Philosophy  Part 1
Instructor  Gary Ott
Dates   Mondays: February 18, 25, March 4, 11, 25, April 1
(Note: No Class on March 18)
Time   9:30 -11:25 AM
Place  Waukesha

In Parts 1 and 2, we will explore a variety of topics from Western intellectual tradition. This is not a lecture course, but rather a free-wheeling discussion of various philosophical, political, sociological, and intellectual issues “led” by the instructor.

#971 Topics in Philosophy  Part 2
Instructor  Gary Ott
Dates   Mondays: April 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6, 13
Time   9:30 -11:25 AM
Place  Waukesha

In Parts 1 and 2, we will explore a variety of topics from Western intellectual tradition. This is not a lecture course, but rather a free-wheeling discussion of various philosophical, political, sociological, and intellectual issues “led” by the instructor.

#972 Crocheting
Instructor  Judy Franke
Dates   Mondays: February 25, March 4, 11, 25
(Note: No Class on March 18)
Time   1:30 - 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

This course is for all skill levels, from beginners to those who wish to “improve” their skills. All students should bring light-colored, four-ply weight yarn and an H hook.

#973 Conquest of the Americas Part 2 DVD
Instructor  Tom Dicristo
Dates   Mondays: April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, May 6
Time   1:30 - 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

Christopher Columbus’ voyage to the Americas, in 1492, was arguably the most important event in the history of the world. In these concluding lectures, Professor Eakin wraps up his contention that Columbus’ “discovery” of the Americas gave birth to the distinct identity of the Americas today. This “discovery” created a collision between three distinct peoples and cultures: European, African, and Native American. Professor Eakin puts the final touches on his argument that this complex blending of three peoples into one formed completely new societies and cultures that were neither European, African, nor Indian, but were uniquely American.  (Part 1 is not a prerequisite)

#974 Chi means Energy! Certified Techniques for Vitality!
Instructor  Claire Walchli, TCF
Dates   Mondays: April 29, May 6, 13
Time   2:30 – 3:45 PM
Place  Pewaukee

Use movements that are 5,200 years old to revitalize. Boost your stamina. Relax. Breathe deeper. Build your brain to body and your muscle/nerve connections. Learn modifications to personalize your exercises and your fundamental movements. Then, use what you process in your daily life; hobbies, sports, business day. A certified instructor will be showing you Qi Gong, Tai Chi and ROM Dance. Release all the “useless” in your life. This program offers participants a pleasant variety of exercises to get you on a fresh path to balanced health. These can be therapeutic to your body, your mind and your spirit. Join us for some gentle yet powerful movements done standing or seated. Wear comfortable clothing and flat shoes. The course is taught by a certified instructor in her 14th year of practice.
#975 Life and Work of Mark Twain Part 1 DVD
Instructor Judy Jones
Dates Tuesdays: February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 26, April 2
(Note: No Class on March 19)
Time 9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

Let’s visit the Life and Work of Mark Twain and travel down the Mississippi River with him. Twain was the “Lincoln of our literature” to William Dean Howells, and to Ernest Hemingway, he was the “father of all modern American literature”. This DVD class will cover many of Twain’s works and his life as an American treasure. Each class will consist of 2 lectures by Stephen Railton (PhD) of the University of Virginia, with plenty of time for discussion.

#976 Trails of Evidence: How Forensic Science Work Part 1 DVD
Instructor Tom Dicristo
Dates Tuesdays: February 19, 26, March 5, 12, 26, April 2
(Note: No class March 19)
Time 1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place Waukesha

Taught by veteran forensic scientist, Professor Elizabeth Murray, this course takes you from the crime scene to the lab to the courtroom in lectures that reveal the personality and passions of an investigative mind. What’s more, the course introduces the principles of forensic science and looks at case studies that will give you a new appreciation for the ability of law enforcement to determine who committed a crime, how it was done, and why it was done. In Part One, you explore protocols for investigating a scene, and you probe some classic types of evidence including fingerprints, shoeprints, footprints, fibers and blood.

#977 Helping You Find Greater Inner Peace
Instructor Mel Story
Dates Tuesdays: April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, May 7
Time 9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

What if we told you there are really no odious rules to follow, that meditation is just being yourself? What if we told you that you don’t have to change yourself in any way to reap the benefits of meditation? Well, that’s what this course is all about.

The marvelous truth is that you already know how to meditate. We’re here just to give you a permission to do it—and to do it in your own unique way. If you set up favorable conditions, meditation happens spontaneously. This course is about how to set up those conditions for yourself. It will provide a rest deeper than sleep; it is refreshing and rejuvenating. Meditation is good for your health, and enables you to better deal with the constant challenges of your daily life. We will also work with the SUBCONSCIOUS MIND. A “western” approach is used; no mantras, humming or walking to “clear your mind.” This course provides an experience from which you’ll emerge whole and real and empowered to be your best self.

#978 Great World Religions: Islam DVD
Instructor Tom Dicristo
Dates Tuesdays: April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, May 7
Time 9:30 - 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

The focus of this course will be to better understand Islam’s role as a religion and as a way of life. In 12 lectures, moving from Muhammad to the present, from the 7th to the 21st centuries, we will explore Muslim beliefs, practices, and history in the context of its significance and impact on Muslim life and society through the ages, as well as world events today.

Course Registration forms are a separate document.
#979 Your Natural Medicine Cabinet: Using Therapeutic Essential Oils as a Replacement for Over-the-Counter Meds.

Instructor       Barbara Lemke, RN, CCAP
Dates             Tuesday, April 16
Time              1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place             Waukesha

Take an in depth look at why essential oils work for everyday health concerns. Learn about the chemistry, method of action and application of therapeutic essential oils to understand how they work for pain, colds, coughs, flu, ear aches, tummy aches, hormone balance and more. Hear about individual results people receive from using therapeutic essential oils. Bring your questions with your specific concerns. Experience the oils first hand in class.

(Note: This course is $5.00)
(Note: This is the same course as #985, but on a different date)

#980 The Journey to Palomar and Black Point Mansion

Instructor       Carmen Periquet and Edna Pfeiffer
Dates             Tuesday, May 7
Time              1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place             Waukesha

This course is an introduction to the June 12th Special Events trip to Yerkes Observatory and Black Point Mansion in Lake Geneva. The DVD we will use will serve as a starting point in discussing the important role this observatory played in George E. Hale’s attempt to construct the biggest telescope in the world.

We will tell the story about the family who owned and occupied Black Point Mansion, which is now Wisconsin’s newest museum. Today, Black Point is considered to have one of the most intact collections of Victorian furniture in the Midwest.

(Note: This course is $5.00)

#981 A Holistic Approach to Financial Planning for Retirement

Instructor       Michael J. Jungen, CFP®
Dates             Tuesdays: May 14, 21, 28, June 4
Time              1:30 - 3:25 PM
Place             Waukesha

This series examines the issues crucial to maintaining financial independence during retirement. Mr. Jungen, a Certified Financial Planner practitioner, discusses how a comprehensive, "Holistic" approach to financial planning can provide greater peace of mind and security. Topics covered include: How to identify and prioritize personal and financial objectives, Creating your own personal “Plan and Path”, How to reduce income taxes and employ tax aware investing, How to invest for current income in a low interest rate world, IRA rollovers and IRA distribution planning, How to conserve and transfer your estate effectively to people or organizations you care about, Planning for extended care needs and the risks of declining health, and Asset Allocation and Investment options for an uncertain world.

#982 Mah Jongg Beginning Course Part 1

Instructor       Carmen Periquet
Date              Tuesdays and Wednesdays: May 7, 8, 14, 15
Time              9:30 -11:25 AM
Place             Waukesha

This course is for anyone who wishes to learn how to play Mah Jongg. It is not for experienced players. You will need to purchase a Mah Jongg card (for $8.00) from the instructor on the first day of class.
#983 Understanding Human Life and Its Impact  Part 2  DVD
Instructor  Richard Wood
Dates  Wednesdays: February 20, 27, March 6, 13, 27, April 3
(Note: No class on March 20)
Time  9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place  Waukesha

Come journey through an intriguing story of remarkable innovations that transformed humankind into the sole agriculturists on our planet. See the effects of world travel on plants grown far from their origin. Learn about the Age of Reasoning and Darwin, Galton and Mendel. We will discuss topics from farming in water to brewer’s yeast and antibiotics; from food production to technology to engineering.

#984 Financial Planning in Retirement: You Can Take Control
Instructor  Brian A Faracy, Financial Advisor, Ameriprise Financial
Dates  Wednesdays: February 20, 27, March 6, 13
Time  1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

This course is designed first to gauge the financial acumen and experience of the attendees then tailor the order of topics accordingly. The fundamentals of the investment universe and asset allocation will be reviewed as necessary. Then we will discuss: #1 Planning for Retirement: Challenge your Concerns and Take Control, #2 The Four Cornerstones of Your Financial Future, and #3 Maximizing Your Social Security Benefits. The idea here is to offer a course that is educational, enlightening and even fun.

#985 Your Natural Medicine Cabinet:  Using Therapeutic Essential Oils as a Replacement for Over-the-Counter Meds.
Instructor  Barbara Lemke, RN, CCAP
Dates  Wednesday, March 6
Time  9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place  Waukesha

Take an in depth look at why essential oils work for everyday health concerns. Learn about the chemistry, method of action and application of therapeutic essential oils to understand how they work for pain, colds, coughs, flu, ear aches, tummy aches, hormone balance and more. Hear about individual results people receive from using therapeutic essential oils. Bring your questions with your specific concerns. Experience the oils first hand in class.
(Note: This course is $5.00)
(Note: This is the same course as #979, but on a different date)

# 986 Winston Spencer Churchill (WSC) Part 2   DVD
Instructor  Bob Dude
Date  Wednesdays: March 13, 27, April 3, 10, 17, 24
(Note: No class on March 20)
Time  1:30 - 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

Dr. J. Rufus Fears (PhD, Harvard) calls Winston Spencer Churchill the greatest statesman and leader of the 20th century and shows how a single individual can change the course of history. WSC Part 2 will use Dr. Fear’s six 30-minute DVD’s as a framework, tracing WSC’s heritage and accomplishments from his birth up until ‘his time in the wilderness’ through his remaining life, great wartime accomplishments and postwar activities, until his death in 1965. Additional information from great historical authors and other DVD’s on WSC/World Events will be added to class content. Ample time will be given for class discussion.
**#987 How to Look at and Understand Great Art**  DVD

**Instructor**  Liz Bednar and Sandy Karkossa  
**Dates**  Wednesdays: April 3, 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8  
**Time**  9:00 - 11:00 AM  
**Place**  The Life Enrichment Center in Oconomowoc

You can learn how to really look at art – its line, composition, color – and understand the meaning of its signs and symbols to vastly enhance your appreciation of masterworks. Each class consists of 2 lectures followed by discussion. This new DVD class is led by Dr. Sharon Latchaw Hirsh, Rosemont College.  
*(Note: Since this course is off campus, it is available to non-members as well as LIR members. The cost for members is $10.00. The cost for non-members is $15.00.)*

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**#988 Building Model Structures**

**Instructor**  Chuck Gevaert  
**Dates**  Wednesdays: April 3, 10, 17, May 1  
*(Note: No class on April 24)*  
**Time**  9:30 – 11:25 AM  
**Place**  Pewaukee

This class will study construction techniques, and we will build a model structure. We will study three different methods for building structures, such as “kit building.” Many companies market kits for model structures. A second method of structure building is “kit bashing”. These structures are built from kits that are modified and combined. A third method of building a structure is “scratch building”. These structures are created from raw materials. So join the fun.

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**#989 Zentangle® Basic**

**Instructor**  Vera McAdow  
**Dates**  Wednesday, April 17  
**Time**  9:30 – 11:25 AM  
**Place**  Waukesha

Zentangle® is an art form for those of us that are convinced we have no artistic ability. It is very easy to learn. Zentangle® uses only paper (called tiles), a fine point marker and repetitive strokes in a deliberate manner. Unlike other art forms, you never know what your design will look like when you are finished. As you create, you enter a state of relaxed focus that unlocks your creativity. **This is a $10.00 course.** The fee includes $5.00 for a one day course, and $5.00 for materials, which will be provided by the instructor.

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**#990 Travel to Galapagos Islands**

**Instructor**  Carmen Periquet  
**Dates**  Wednesday, May 15  
**Time**  1:30 – 3:25 PM  
**Place**  Waukesha

Come and join me on a spectacular journey to the Galapagos Islands through pictures taken on my travel there. I will share how this trip had enriched my life through the encounters I had with its beauty and the friendly animals around. Who knows, you might decide to go and visit this extraordinary place yourself!

I will also give some tips on how to travel safely and economically. I will share websites you can visit that offer good travel tips and deals.  
*(Note: This course is $5.00)*
#991 Mah Jongg Beginning Course Part 2
Instructor Carmen Periquet
Date Wednesdays: May 22, 29, June 5
Time 9:30 - 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

This course is for anyone who wishes to continue to improve and maintain their skills in playing Mah Jongg. It is not for experienced players. **You will need to purchase a Mah Jongg card (for $8.00) from the instructor on the first day of class if you do not already have the 2012 Mah Jongg card.**

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Thursday Courses

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#992 Favorite Meals and Why They Work
Instructor Rich Johnston and Cheryl Loveland
Dates Thursdays: February 21, 28, March 7, 14
Time 1:00 – 3:30 PM
Place Waukesha

*Cooks Illustrated* has just come out with a new book: “The Science of Good Cooking.” Rich and Cheryl will lead the participants through four sessions – presenting an entrée and/or a side dish that is one of their favorites. What is new is that they will explain the reasons behind why each recipe works so well. These will be principles that can be used in other dishes – so as to expand the participant's range of expertise. **This is not a demonstration course. Everyone is expected to participate. A $20 materials fee and the risk form will be collected the first day of class.**

LIR follows WCTC’s Non-Credit Kitchen Sanitation/Safety Policies. See: [http://www.wctc.edu/cooking_codes](http://www.wctc.edu/cooking_codes)

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#993 Digital Photography Basics
Instructor Marci Lanois and Tom Grzesiak
Dates Thursdays: February 21, 28, March 7, 14, 28, April 4
(Note: No class on March 21)
Time 9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

Almost everyone uses digital cameras. In this course, you will learn the parts of your point and shoot digital camera, how the camera works, how to transfer pictures from the camera to the computer, printing options, and various ways to share your pictures. Please bring your camera, the cord that connects your camera to your computer (if you have one), and your camera’s manual to each class. A basic knowledge of computers is needed for this course. **We will use a computer for part of this course.**

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#994 Cathedrals Part 2 DVD
Instructor Pat Tibbetts
Dates Thursdays: February 21, 28, March 7, 14, 28, April 4
(Note: No class on March 21)
Time 9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place Waukesha

This course will study what a cathedral is and the evolution of Christian church architecture. Our discussions will focus on cathedrals of Western Europe and particularly those of the Gothic period (1100-1500). We will also look at other church architectural developments in other areas of the world. **(Part 1 is not a prerequisite)**
#995 Reading MACBETH

Instructor  Ralph Bielenberg
Dates  Thursdays: February 21, 28, March 7, 14, 28
(Note: No class March 21)
Time  1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

Let's read and discuss together one of Shakespeare's familiar tragedies. See how a play was staged in those days. Dip into Shakespeare's life and work as an actor on the London stage. Investigate his poetry, language and sources of ideas for his plays. A text will be loaned to you free of charge.

#996 The American Civil War  Part 4  DVD

Instructor  Bill Graham
Dates  Thursdays: April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9
Time  1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

We will finish the Civil War march with Gary Gallagher, Professor in the History of the American Civil War, University of Virginia. Selected topics in this segment are: Cold Harbor to Petersburg, Mobile Bay and Atlanta, Petersburg, the Crater, and the Valley, Petersburg to Appomattox, Confederate and the Northern Home fronts, Prisoners of War, the final campaigns, closing scenes and reckonings. The course concludes with the lecture/discussion, Remembering the War.

#997 An Introduction to Facebook

Instructors  Marci Lanois and Tom Grzesiak
Dates  Thursdays: April 11, 18, 25, May 2
Time  9:30 -11:25 AM
Place  Waukesha

Facebook is one of the most popular social networking tools of the 21st century. This course will cover how to: create a Facebook account, set up privacy and security settings to protect your account, add friends, create and share posts, comment on posts, "Like" things on Facebook, upload pictures, and use the LIR Facebook page.

This course uses computers.

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‘Like’ us on Facebook.
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http://www.facebook.com/lir.wctc

#998 The Basics of the HUD/FHA Reverse Mortgage Program

Instructor  Gary Zimmerman
Dates  Thursday, April 18
Time  1:30 – 3:25 PM
Place  Waukesha

There is less than an adequate amount of information out there regarding how the reverse mortgage program works. In this class, I will answer any and all questions and eliminate any misinformation as well. We'll talk about the recent enhancements made to the program, including lowered costs. Besides working well to help retirees better maintain their lifestyles, the reverse mortgage program is now suggested by many financial advisors as a key part of retirement planning.
(Note: This course is $5.00)
#999 Fair Trade: Shopping with a Conscience

Instructor  Sally Michalko
Dates       Thursday, May 9
Time        9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place       Waukesha

The Plowshare Center was the first Fair Trade shop in Wisconsin. Since 1990, Plowshare, a non-profit, has supported talented artisans in more than 30 economically developing countries by providing a market for unique, hand-crafted items. In this class, you’ll learn the principles of Fair Trade and how this practice is empowering people to provide for their families and how it is transforming communities. View DVD clips showing artisans from a variety of countries using traditional techniques to create beautiful items, and see the finished products that are available at Plowshare.

(Note: This course is $5.00)

#1000 Sharing Views on Timely Topics Part 1

Instructor  Richard Wood
Dates       Fridays: February 22, March 1, 8, 15, April 5, 12
(Note: No class March 22 or March 29)
Time        9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place       Waukesha

We will be sharing views with everyone contributing ideas. Topics are chosen by the class.

#1001 Sharing Views on Timely Topics Part 2

Instructor  Richard Wood
Dates       Fridays: April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 17, 24
Time        9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place       Waukesha

We will be sharing views with everyone contributing ideas. Topics are chosen by the class.

#1002 How Do You Solve a Sudoku?

Instructor  Chuck Gevaert
Dates       Fridays: April 5, 12
Time        9:30 – 11:25 AM
Place       Waukesha

Have you tried to solve the Sudoku that appears in the newspaper and been frustrated in your attempt? In this class we will discuss strategies for solving these puzzles. I am not a master at solving these puzzles but I have strategies to solve most Sudokus which I will demonstrate in this course.

Register by January 16 for the best chance to get the courses you want!
LIR Special Events 2013

Flyers about and registration for each LIR event will be mailed several weeks before the event, except for overnight trips. Those flyers will come out months in advance.

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<td>Attend the 4:00 PM Waukesha Civic Theater performance on the second Saturday of each production.</td>
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<td><strong>Golf League</strong></td>
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<td>A recreational golf league meets locally on Thursday mornings from May to September for nine holes of golf.</td>
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<td>If you play, come join us. We meet on Tuesdays from 1:00 - 3:00 PM at the Pewaukee Campus.</td>
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| NEW Office Hours: M, T, TH – 9:30AM – 4:00PM W – 9:30 AM – 3:30 PM |
Seize the Opportunity

An organization is only as good as its members. Learning in Retirement thrives due to the hard working volunteers that make up our various committees. LIR applauds these members for their hard work and dedication.

If you are interested in joining one of the LIR committees, please call the office with your name, phone number, and which committee(s) you would like to join. Not only will you be furthering the mission of LIR, but committee membership is a great way to meet other members.

Our committees include:

**Curriculum**  Organize courses and the course catalog.

**Membership**  Recruit new and maintain current members.

**Promotions**  Promote LIR in the local communities. Create the LIR biannual newsletter.

**Fund-Raising**  Organize activities that raise funds for LIR.

**Mailings**  Help prepare items for mailing to members.

**Special Events**  Organize events and trips for LIR members.

Call the LIR office at 262-695-3473 if you wish to join a committee.

We really need YOU to become an active, involved LIR member! Please consider volunteering for a committee.

TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS MAY BE MADE TO LIR-WCTC

The LIR Foundation, an organization designed to obtain, manage, and convey private resources to assist WCTC in achieving its goals and coordinate private fund raising activities, is available to handle donated contributions and to provide receipts for tax purposes to individual contributors. Monetary donations of any size can be handled through the Foundation.

The Foundation has established “Advised Funds” for sponsored WCTC organizations such as LIR. Each organization sets up its own fund with a Statement of Purpose so that individuals can make tax-deductible donations and disbursements can be made according to the criteria that the organization specifies. The Foundation, in effect, serves as the “bookkeeper” with each organization being in charge of its fund.

Donations can be sent directly to the Foundation or to the LIR office with a memo notation that the contribution is for the “LIR Advised Fund.” A letter, which serves as a receipt for tax purposes, is sent by the Foundation to the individual contributor.

If LIR members have questions about this fund or about the Foundation, they are encouraged to talk to a board member. Supporting LIR through members’ contributions or as suggested memorials to a family member or former LIR member will continue to be encouraged.

*Register by January 16, 2013 for the best chance to get the courses you want.*

Course Registration forms are a separate document.