OSURA CALENDAR

“Description of Events” follows this calendar outline. The descriptions can also be found in the newsletter.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

October 4 — Benefits Committee
October 11 — Board Meeting

MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

October 13 — Photo Society
October 15 — Walking/Hiking Group
October 19 — Book Club
October 20 — Lunch Bunch
October 25 — Tertulia Breakfast
October 26 — Bridge Group
October 27 — Dinner Series

SPECIAL EVENTS

OCTOBER 6 — MOTTS MILITARY MUSEUM
Registration Closed
OCTOBER 20 — ROCK & ROLL HALL OF FAME AND CHRISTMAS STORY HOUSE/MUSEUM
Registration Closed
OCTOBER 21 — BALLETMET-NIGHT & DAY
Registration Required by October 10
OCTOBER 22 — CITYWALKS COLUMBUS GUIDED TOUR
Register directly at Columbus Landmarks Foundation
NOVEMBER 5 — NOOR ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTER
Registration Required by October 28
DECEMBER 9 — LA COMEDIA DINNER THEATER– A CHRISTMAS CAROL
Registration Required by November 9

2017
SEPTEMBER 2-10, 2017 — THE "MAGNIFICENT" CANADIAN ROCKIES
Informational Session: October 10

NOTE: EVENTS LISTED FOR THE FIRST TIME ARE PRINTED IN RED.

RESERVATIONS
For those events marked “Registration Required:”
• Call 1-800-762-5646, or 614-292-2281 to register, or
• Sign up and pay for our events on our new website
• PAYMENT is due ONE WEEK after CONFIRMATION to keep reservation.
• Make check payable to OSURA [please write event date(s) and name(s) on your check].
• Mail check to: OSURA, 2200 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, OH 43210.
OSURA  
Calendar of Events  
October 2016  

COMMITTEE MEETINGS  

October 4  
Benefits Committee  
Time/Place: 9 a.m., Longaberger Alumni House, 2200 Olentangy River Road  

October 11  
Board Meeting  
Time/Place: 9 a.m., Northwood-High Building, 2231 N. High Street  

MONTHLY ACTIVITIES  

October 13 (Thursday)  
Photo Society  
Program: “Germany, Austria, Memories and Friends” presented by Charlotte Assor  
Member Theme: “Europe” limit 3 images. Send digital files in a Power Point file (alternately in .jpg 96 or 72 dot/inch format) to jhuston1@columbus.rr.com or mail files on a new CD to arrive 3 days before the meeting (J. Huston, 4095 Fenwick Rd., Columbus OH 43220), or bring prints (at least 8”x10”) to the meeting. New members welcome.  
Dues: $10 is due at this time; make check to: OSU Photo Society, mail to Martha Warren, Sec./Treas., 3502 Wenwood Dr, Hilliard, OH 43026; or bring to the meeting  
Time/Place: 5:15 p.m., cocktails; 6 p.m., dinner; 7:00 p.m., program; OSU Faculty Club. You MUST make reservations for dinner by calling 292-2262 by October 10.  
Cost: on your own; ranges from $10-15  
Arranger: Lawrence Kennedy (Photographic Society SIG)  

October 15 (Saturday)  
Walking/Hiking Group  
Challenge Level 2-4  
Everyone welcome. Join us on the trails at Highbanks Metro Park, 9466 US 23, Lewis Center. Here’s hoping we’ll walk among the fall colors.  
Time/Place: 11 a.m., we’ll meet at the Ranger and Nature Center.  
Arranger: Hallan Noltimier (Walking/Hiking SIG)  

October 19 (Wednesday)  
Book Club  
_The Secret Chord_, by Geraldine Brooks. No knowledge of the Bible is needed to enjoy this mixture of history and myth about King David. The arc of his life’s journey from obscurity to fame, shepherd to soldier, traitor to murderous despot, to remorseful and diminished dotage is revealed.  
Time/Place: 1:30 p.m., Carriage Hill of Arlington Party House, Lafayette Drive. Call Lee Hill (614-459-4743) for directions.  
Arranger: Lee Hill (Book Club SIG)
October 20 (Thursday)
Lunch Bunch: What is “The Golden Elixir”?
It’s the essence of effervescence – champagne. Our speaker, Dr. Richard Hill, will tell us the sparkling story of this exotic, bubbly beverage. Don’t miss it!
Time/Place: 11:15 a.m., MCL Cafeteria, Kingsdale
Cost: On your own, order through cafeteria line starting at 11:15 a.m., program at approximately 12 noon.
Registration Deadline: October 18
Arrangers: Phyllis Carroll, and Elenore Zeller (Social Committee)

October 25 (Tuesday)
Tertulia Breakfast
Join fellow OSURA members and friends for breakfast and conversation.
Time/Place: 8 a.m., OSU Faculty Club
Cost: on your own
Arranger: Jerry Dare (Tertulia Breakfast SIG)

October 26 (Wednesday)
Bridge Group
Join us. There is no membership fee and it costs only 25 cents for prizes the day you play. Come enjoy the fellowship, and have fun playing a good game of bridge.
Time/Place: 1 p.m., Friendship Village of Dublin, North CR
Arranger: Steve Miller (Bridge Group SIG)

October 27 (Thursday)
Dinner Series: The Detection of Deception
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Gary Bernston will present an informative view of the history and current status of the detection of deception. It includes the applications of the polygraph, including the reliability and validity of such examinations. It will highlight the tensions between typical applications and newer scientific approaches, e.g. “brain fingerprinting.”
Time/Place: 5:15 p.m., social hour (cash bar), followed by dinner at 6:00 p.m. and program at 7:00 p.m.; OSU Faculty Club
Cost: $23 (service charge included)
Registration Deadline: October 21
Arranger: Howard Gauthier (Dinner Series SIG)

SPECIAL EVENTS

October 6 (Thursday)
Motts Military Museum and Dinner–94th Aero Squadron
REGISTRATION CLOSED
Meet by: 1:30 p.m. at the museum (5075 S. Hamilton Rd., Groveport); if you need a ride contact the arrangers-- susanberntson1@gmail.com or betty.hriesik@live.com
Arrangers: Susan Berntson and Betty Hriesik (Cultural Arts/Travel Committee)

October 20 (Thursday)
Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and Christmas Story House/Museum
Cleveland
REGISTRATION CLOSED
Meet by: 7:30 a.m. back parking lot at Kohl’s, 3360 Olentangy River Road
Return: approx. 7 p.m.
Arrangers: Bruce Wylie and Alabelle Zghoul (Travel Committee)
October 21 (Friday)  NEW
BalletMet – Night and Day
(Senior Dress Rehearsal)
Challenge Level 1
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
BalletMet begins the season with Balanchine’s great Serenade, and exciting ballets by artistic director Edwaard Liang and Val Caniparoli. Only $18 for group tickets!! Register by phone or email by October 10. Send a check by October 17. Tickets will be held at Will Call.
Time/Place: curtain rises at 11 a.m. Seating is general, so plan to arrive early for best seats. Doors open around 10:15 a.m., Ohio Theatre, 39 E. State Street
Cost: $18 (admission ticket)
Registration/Refund Deadline: October 10
Arranger: Les Benedict (Cultural Arts Committee)

October 22 (Saturday)  NEW
CityWalks Columbus Guided Tour
Challenge Level 2
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
This walking tour covers the architecture and history of the area shared by expert tour guides with the Columbus Landmarks Foundation. Tour is approximately 1.5 miles, is outside and focuses on building exteriors, but bring your ID for a possible visit to the Ohio Statehouse.
Meet by: 9:45 a.m. SW corner of Broad and High Streets
Return: 11:30 a.m.
Cost: $11.24 (guided tour) – register directly at Columbus Landmarks Foundation. See http://columbuslandmarks.org/citywalks-columbus-guided-tours/. Send an email to jrlarson35@aol.com if interested in lunch afterwards.
Registration/Refund Deadline: NA
Arrangers: Julian Larson (Cultural Arts Committee)

November 5 (Saturday)  NEW
Noor islamic Cultural Center
(Dublin, OH)
Challenge Level 1
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
The Noor Islamic Cultural Center offers a program, “Islam 101.” The presentation covers the basics of the faith, allows ample time for questions, and includes a tour of the mosque. See http://noorohio.org/.
Meet by: 11 a.m., Noor Islamic Cultural Center, 5001 Wilcox Road, Dublin, OH
Return: 1 p.m.
Cost: No cost for presentation and tour
Registration Deadline: October 28
Arrangers: Susan Berntson (Cultural Arts Committee)

December 9 (Friday)
La Comedia Dinner Theater– A Christmas Carol
(Springboro, OH)
Challenge Level 1
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
La Comedia Dinner Theatre, a taste of Broadway in Springboro, OH presents “A Christmas Carol”. Included is La Comedia’s buffet.
Meet by: 9:30 a.m. back parking lot at Kohl’s, 3360 Olentangy River Road
Return: 5:00 p.m.
Cost: $74; includes motor coach transportation, buffet lunch, admission, and tips
Registration/Refund Deadline: November 9
Arrangers: Jessica Pritchard and Karen Kitts (Travel Committee)
September 2 – 10, 2017
The “Magnificent” Canadian Rockies
(Vancouver, Jasper, Lake Louise, Banff, Calgary)
Challenge Level 4
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
We’ll take a tour of Vancouver, ride VIA Rail’s “The Canadian” to begin overnight train travel to Jasper, travel along the Icefields Parkway en route to Lake Louise and Banff…and finish our adventure in Calgary. Full itinerary is at gateway.gocollette.com/link/766996 and in registration packet. Contact Karen Gallien of Sun Deck Cruises at (877-855-4434) for registration packet.
Informational Session: October 10, 2016 at 3:30 p.m., Whetstone Library, 3909 North High Street
Depart: TBA September 2, 2017 (Saturday) from CMH
Return: TBA September 10, 2017 (Sunday)
Cost: $5,199 double, $6199 single, $5149 triple; includes round trip airfare from Columbus (air available from your local airport – cost may vary), taxes and fees, transfers, tours, lodging, 13 meals, sightseeing per itinerary, cancellation waiver, and insurance
Registration/Payment Deadline: $600 deposit due with reservation form by February 23, 2017, first come, first served; final payment due July 4, 2017.
Arranger: Alabelle Zghoul (Travel Committee)