

# OSURA CALENDAR

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

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

August 1 — Benefits Committee  
August 8 — Board Meeting

## MONTHLY ACTIVITIES

August 17 — Lunch Bunch  
August 22 — Tertulia Breakfast  
August 23 — Bridge Group

## SPECIAL EVENTS

AUGUST 9 — ARK ENCOUNTER  
Registration Closed  
AUGUST 26 — HEALTH & WELLNESS  
Registration Required by August 25  
SEPTEMBER 2-10 — THE "MAGNIFICENT" CANADIAN ROCKIES  
Registration Closed  
SEPTEMBER 12-16 — STRATFORD FESTIVAL  
Registration Closed  
\*\*\*\*\*SEPTEMBER 20 — ANNUAL FALL CONFERENCE\*\*\*\*\*  
Registration Required  
SEPTEMBER 27 — OSURA GALLERY HOP  
Registration Required by September 22  
OCTOBER 18 — RARE BOOKS & MANUSCRIPTS AT OSU  
Registration Required by October 13  
OCTOBER 30 & 31 — BEREA KY TOUR  
Registration Required by September 26  
NOVEMBER 17 — LA COMEDIA: *WHITE CHRISTMAS*  
Registration Required by October 17

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

## Registration Procedure

**1-Registrations requiring payment:** Registrations can be made by going on-line to [www.osura.osu.edu](http://www.osura.osu.edu), or by phone **614-292-2281** or **1-800-762-5646**. You can pay by credit card, or if you mail in a check make it payable to OSUAA. Put the name of the trip in the Note/Memo section of the check and send or drop off to:

Customer Service  
c/o OSURA Longaberger Alumni House  
2200 Olentangy River Road  
Columbus, Ohio 43210

*The reservation is not made until payment is received.*

**2-Registrations NOT requiring payment:** Registrations will be made through the Arranger's email provided in the description of the event, or if you do not have computer access call 614-292-2281

**OSURA**  
**Calendar of Events**  
**August 2017**

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

**August 1 (Tuesday)**  
**Benefits Committee**

**Time/Place:** 9:15 a.m., Longaberger Alumni House, 2200 Olentangy River Road

**August 8**  
**Board Meeting**

**Time/Place:** 9 a.m., Longaberger Alumni House, 2200 Olentangy River Road

**MONTHLY ACTIVITIES**

**August 17 (Thursday)**  
**Lunch Bunch: *Columbus History via Vintage Postcards***

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Richard Barrett, a trustee of the Columbus Historical Society and author on Columbus, will take us on a visual tour of the city using vintage postcards. Come learn about our history, appreciate its past, and ask questions of an expert.

**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:** Register at [OSURASocial@gmail.com](mailto:OSURASocial@gmail.com) or call 614-292-2281 by August 15

**Arrangers:** Rai Goerler and Elenore R. Zeller (Social Committee)

**August 22 (Tuesday)**  
**Tertulia Breakfast**

Come join 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)

**August 23 (Wednesday)**  
**Bridge Group**

Join us; new members always welcomed. 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 at the same time.

**Time/Place:** 1 p.m., Friendship Village of Dublin, North CR

**Arranger:** Steve Miller (Bridge Group SIG)

**August**  
**Book Club**

The OSURA Book Club is on summer hiatus until September 13<sup>th</sup> (a week early due to the Fall Conference) so start reading our first book in the new reading year? *The General vs. the President: Mac Arthur and Truman at the Brink of Nuclear War*, by H.W. Brands. Lincoln fired McClellan for inaction; Truman fired MacArthur for reckless action. Each President made certain the U.S. Constitution was upheld with civilian rule over the

military being a core principle. No general “riding in on a white horse to save the day” creating a military dictatorship was allowed!

**Arranger:** Lee Hill (Book Club SIG)

## **August**

### **Photo Society**

No meeting until Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup>

**Arranger:** Lawrence Kennedy (Photographic Society SIG)

## **August**

### **Walking/Hiking Group**

No planned group walk until September 16<sup>th</sup>. This gives you time to explore other places on your own. Hit the beach, woods, and trails of summer....but don't forget the sunscreen.

**Arranger:** Hallan Noltimier (Walking/Hiking SIG)

## **August**

### **Dinner Series**

No event until we reconvene on September 28<sup>th</sup> for another year of great programs.

**Arranger:** Howard Gauthier (Dinner Series SIG)

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### **August 9 (Wednesday)**

#### **Ark Encounter**

(Williamstown, KY)

REGISTRATION CLOSED

**Meet by:** 7:15 a.m., back parking lot at Kohl's, 3360 Olentangy River Road

**Return:** approx. 7:30 p.m.

**Arrangers:** Alabelle Zghoul and Betty Hriesik (Travel Committee)

### **August 26 (Saturday) NEW**

#### **Health & Wellness Lectures**

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Two lectures will be presented. At 9:00 AM: *Wills, Trusts and Estates* by Bruce Johnson, Moritz College of Law and at 10:00 AM: *Living Wills, Do Not Resuscitate Orders, Palliative Care and Comfort Procedures* by Christopher Hritz, MD, OSU Medical Center. A question and answer period will follow each lecture.

**Time/Place:** Registration 8:30 a.m.; program 9 -11 a.m., Martha Morehouse Auditorium, 2050 Kenny Road

**Cost:** Free

**Registration Deadline:** August 25 – email [OSURA.Health.Wellness@gmail.com](mailto:OSURA.Health.Wellness@gmail.com)

**Arranger:** Rod Tomczak, (Health & Wellness SIG)

### **September 2 – 10**

#### **The “Magnificent” Canadian Rockies**

REGISTRATION CLOSED

**Depart:** TBA September 2 (Saturday) from CMH

**Return:** TBA September 10 (Sunday)

**Arranger:** Alabelle Zghoul (Travel Committee)

**September 12-16 (Tuesday-Saturday)**

**Stratford Festival**

REGISTRATION CLOSED

**Meet by:** 7:45 a.m., Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup> back parking lot at Kohl's, 3360 Olentangy River Road

**Return:** approximately 5:00 p.m. Saturday, September 16

**Arrangers:** Odette Blum and Marilyn Blackwell (Cultural Arts Committee)

**September 20 (Wednesday) NEW**

**2017 OSURA Annual Fall Conference**

REGISTRATION REQUIRED by September

**Time/Place:** 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., Fawcett Event Center, 2400 Olentangy River Road

**Cost:** \$25 members – includes continental breakfast and lunch

**Parking:** Free

**Arranger:** Rachael Turner (Benefits Committee)

**September 27 (Wednesday) NEW**

**OSURA Gallery Hop**

Short North

Challenge Level 2

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Visit three top Short North galleries—Hammond-Harkins Gallery, Sherrie Gallerie, and Studios on High. Enjoy refreshments and learn about the galleries and their current exhibits. This is an encore event because the one last year was so popular that not everyone could attend. So, register soon!

**Meet by:** 11 a.m. at Hammond-Harkins Gallery, 641 N. High Street

**Return:** Hop will end at approximately 1 p.m.

**Cost:** \$5; Includes light refreshments at each gallery, including a light lunch of cold meats, cheese, and wine; with coffee/tea and cookies afterwards.

**Registration Deadline:** Register at [osura.osu.edu](http://osura.osu.edu) or call 614-292-2281 by September 22.

**Arranger:** Les Benedict (Cultural Arts Committee)

**October 18 (Wednesday) NEW**

**Rare Books and Manuscripts at OSU: Exhibit of the Reformation and a Tour**

Thompson Library (OSU Main Campus)

Challenge Level 2

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Curator Eric Johnson will guide us through a new exhibit, "Publish or Perish." It commemorates the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Reformation by featuring publications that stoked the religious controversies. Then, he will talk about the missions and collections of the Rare Books and Manuscripts Department of the OSU Libraries.

**Meet by:** 1:30 p.m., Thompson Library

**Return:** approx. 3 p.m.

**Cost:** Free

**Registration:** Register at [OSURA.CulturalArts.Travel@gmail.com](mailto:OSURA.CulturalArts.Travel@gmail.com) or call 614-292-2281 by October 13

**Arranger:** Raimund Goerler

**October 30 & 31 (Monday, Tuesday) NEW**

**Berea KY Tour**

Challenge Level 2

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Visit [Berea.com](http://Berea.com). Visit KY Artisan Center for shopping and lunch on your own. Enjoy a guided tour of Berea with two stops, a mystery dinner theatre and overnight stay at Boone Tavern. Optional Berea College Artist demonstrations or \$40.00 craft class.

**Meet by:** 7:15 a.m., Monday, October 30<sup>th</sup> back parking lot at Kohl's, 3360 Olentangy River Road

**Return:** approx. 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>

**Cost:** \$196.50 double; \$260.50 single

Cost includes motor coach transportation, accommodations, tour, three meals, theater, artist demonstration, snacks, and tips; optional \$40.00 take-home craft

**Registration/Payment Deadline:** Register at [osura.osu.edu](http://osura.osu.edu) or call 614-292-2281 by September 26.

**Arrangers:** Pat James and Alabelle Zghoul (Travel Committee)

### **November 17 (Friday) NEW**

#### **La Comedia Dinner Theater– White Christmas**

(Springboro, OH)

Challenge Level 1

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

La Comedia Dinner Theatre presents “White Christmas”. Included is La Comedia's buffet. [lacomedia.com](http://lacomedia.com)

**Meet by:** 9 a.m. back parking lot at Kohl's, 3360 Olentangy River Road

**Return:** 4:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$74; includes motor coach transportation, buffet lunch, admission, snacks, and tips

**Registration/Refund Deadline:** Register at [osura.osu.edu](http://osura.osu.edu) or call 614-292-2281 by October 17

**Arrangers:** Sandy Nicholson and Jessica Pritchard (Travel Committee)

### **UPCOMING EVENT**

Look for details in future issues.

### **December 8**

#### **Christmas at Malabar Farm**

Lucas, OH

**Arrangers:** Jessica Pritchard and Alabelle Zghoul