“Play On!” Shakespeare Now!

At Our February 14 Luncheon

Our guests will tell us much more, but this is how the Oregon Shakespeare Festival (OSF), describes the Play on! project: "OSF is commissioning 36 playwrights and pairing them with dramaturgs to translate 39 plays attributed to Shakespeare into contemporary modern English.... By seeking out a diverse set of playwrights (more than half writers of color and more than half women), we hope to bring fresh voices and perspectives to the rigorous work of translation."

Tim Slover, a project contributor and a professor in the UU Theatre Studies Program, teaches playwriting and dramatic literature. He is an accomplished playwright and screenwriter, whose works have been produced off-Broadway and in professional regional and university theatres all over the US, Canada, and UK. His writing awards are many, including being a finalist for a Television Arts and Sciences Community Service Emmy.

Dr. Slover’s Play on! contribution is The Two Noble Kinsmen, produced jointly by the OSF and the UU Department of Theatre in 2017.

David Hitz, Project Initiator and Funder, will be our special guest from California.

For “side by side” demonstrations of the original text and the translated text see: https://soundcloud.com/playonosf/sets/demos

Please Note that the February Luncheon will be on Wednesday

Luncheon Menu

Wednesday, February 14, 12:15 p.m. Union Building, Saltair Room

Reservations should arrive by mail by February 7 to Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City, UT 84103

See Page 5 for a reservation form

Garden Salad
Teriyaki Glazed Chicken
Basmati Rice and Seasonal Vegetable
Apple Pie

Vegetarian Option: Tofu and Vegetable Rice Bowl

Fruit Plate Option
Spring 2018 Emeriti Club Luncheon Programs

Wish to Serve? Consider This:
Natural History Museum of Utah (NHMU)

There are many exciting volunteer opportunities at the NHMU, including representing the Museum at community events, helping to evaluate visitor experience in the Museum, or using conversation and hands-on activities to spark excitement and curiosity in guests in our galleries. Emeriti may be particularly interested in working with our School Programs department. Each year the NHMU hosts over 45,000 elementary aged children. We need volunteers to help engage our field trip guests in a number of ways: volunteers may ensure a smooth orientation for students, work with 4th and 5th grade students in Museum classroom activities, engage students in hands-on activities that spark curiosity in science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM), or interact with students in our galleries to make connections between the Museum and their school curriculum. All of our School Programs volunteers will be helping to foster in our young visitors a positive experience with natural history, and play a part in igniting a child’s life-long passion for science. To learn more about NHMU volunteer opportunities, visit our website at https://nhmu.utah.edu/volunteers, or email the Volunteer Department at volunteer@lists.nhmu.utah.edu.

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IN MEMORIAM

Mary Francey,
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November 2, 2017

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A big Thank You! to our enthusiastic Emeriti travelers! By Christmas we had filled all the space held for us for our tour, *Greece: Minoans to Pericles to Paul*.

**On Day 5** of our upcoming tour to Greece en route from Thessaloniki to Kalambaka we are scheduled to stop in Veria to visit the Bema of Apostle Paul. I had to look up “bema” to find out that it is the altar/sanctuary of an Orthodox church; historically, it was the orator’s platform in ancient Athens. While this memorial is not without interest, it is a modern one. Meantime, seven miles southeast lies the **UNESCO World Heritage site of Vergina** and the **Museum of the Royal Tombs of Aigai** displaying the finds from the tomb of Philip II of Macedon, father of Alexander the Great, discovered in 1977. I am working to convince the tour company to drop those of us interested at the Museum while others go to see the Bema. (The entrance fee for the Museum, as of this moment, is 12€.) The more of us who are interested in going to Vergina the stronger will be the argument. So please let me know, if you haven’t already, whether you would like to do this and I will see what can be done! *Michele’s email*: 1elizabethan@comcast.net

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**For those who last month requested tickets to the March 11 matinee of SLAC’s production of *HIR*, those tickets will be distributed at the February luncheon, or mailed if you are unable to attend.**

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**Emeriti Club Members** are entitled to a pair of FREE preview tickets. You may collect them in person from the PMT box office with your emeritus UCard

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**Ticket Pickup; Preview Dates**

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***Please Note:*** PTC Preview performances are on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.
Select Campus Events

Bennion Center

2018 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service

January 13, 2018 from 9-12:30
This day of service is part of the Martin Luther King Jr. Week of Celebration at the University of Utah and it honors the legacy of Dr. King and his grass roots work in communities.
To register and select a project see:
https://bennioncenter.org/forms/mlk-service-day.php
Questions? Contact Bryce Williams at bryce.williams@utah.edu or 801-581-4811

School of Music

Winners of the Summer Arts with American West Symphony
January 20 at 7:30pm at Libby Gardner Hall.
Members may use their $1.00 School of Music vouchers for this performance.

Babcock Theatre

The Beautiful Game
Music by Andrew Lloyd Webber
February 16-25 and March 1-4; Senior ticket price: $15
For times and to purchase tickets:
https://tickets.utah.edu/events/the-beautiful-game/
Under the watchful eye of team coach Father O’Donnell, John and Del both show promise as professional soccer players. They’re just two regular teenagers, but when they find romance they become swept up in the events that engulf their community, and each must decide whether to follow their hearts.

Curiosity Cons

From the August 29, 2016 AARP Bulletin article, No-Talk Phone Scams
Knowing that you are likely to ignore unrecognized or private numbers on caller ID, today’s crooks use software that allows them to display fake numbers that are hard to resist. Here are some variations.

- The neighbor ploy Your area code and prefix are displayed, so the call appears to be from a neighbor or nearby business. “Fewer people are comfortable blocking local numbers, increasing scammers’ success rates,” notes Jonathan Nelson of Hiya. And the bogus number makes it hard for law enforcement to track.

- The “Hey, there’s a call from my own phone number” scam It’s hard to resist answering a call from your own number, which scammers can simulate. And they are able to get around any call blocking that you’ve set up.

- The one-ring rip-off Criminals sometimes program auto-dialers to make repeated calls to you, each disconnecting after just one ring. They know this might spur you into calling back the displayed number to complain. There’s double trouble if you call area codes such as 268, 664 and 876. These are for Caribbean countries and other places that have high per-minute phone charges. One scam involves getting you to call one of those numbers, then getting you to hold through transfers that rack up your bill until a scammer gets on the line and starts a fraudulent pitch.
**Hiking Group January-February Schedule**

Contact: Suzanne.stensass@hsc.utah.edu

Is your New Year’s Resolution to get out more with the Emeriti Hiking Group? We hope you will join us in 2018. The following hikes will be on snowshoes or with hiking boots with microspikes, depending on the weather, terrain and leader. The following are planned:

1/5, Spruces Campground
Easy, Jim King, Leader

1/12, Gardsman Pass
Moderate, Suzanne Stensaas, Leader

1/19, Brighton to Solitude
Moderate, Bill Gray, Leader

1/26, Mountain Dell
Easy, Donna Gelfand, Leader

2/2, Pine Hollow, American Fork Canyon
Moderate, Steve VanWinki, Leader

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**Luncheon Reservation Form**

Wednesday, February 14, 12:15 pm, Union Saltair Room ~ see page 1

Name ________________________________ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___
Partner ________________________________ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___
Guest(s) ________________________________ Chicken ___ Veggie Plate ___ Fruit Plate ___

Number attending @ $17.00 each _______ Luncheon $ _______

Voluntary dues for 2017/18 - $12.00 Single, $24.00 Couple*  Dues $_______

☐ Please check here if this is your first luncheon as a new member

Total $___________

*PLEASE NOTE: You may use the reservation form at any time to send in your dues only, without attending the luncheon.

Make check payable to PROFESSORS EMERITI CLUB. Payment should arrive by **February 7**

Send payment to: Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City UT 84103