

### LEARNING FOR THE JOY OF LEARNING

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ALL COURSES & EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS

\* \$100 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

### Book Discussion of 'Leonardo'

by **Walter Issacson**, with **Library Director Kris Wiley** and **Dave Martinka**, **April 9, 1:30 pm, Library 2nd floor, 17 N Broadway.**

Become immersed in this exceptionally popular biography of Leonardo Da Vinci, a complex, giant figure from Italy, 1452-1519. Pick up the book at the Library and join in the discussion even if you haven't had time to finish the book.

### King's Singers

with **Professor Wayne Wagner** giving a **King Singer's history lunch discussion April 13 at 11:00 a.m. at the MLC cafeteria**, 1995 Luther Court, NU. Lunch is at your own expense. Following the discussion we can take 10 people on a bus trip to the April 15 King's Singer concert at Orchestra Hall, riding along with talented MLC students. Register in advance. **Tickets for bus & concert are \$40 first come first served.**

### Extra Bonus, April 15 Twins Game Bus

for 10 more people on the MLC bus going to the King's Singers. Register in advance. Tickets are \$50 for upgraded lower level right field Twins tickets and bus, first come first served. Half of the bus will be filled by cheering MLC students.

### History & Mysteries of Ancient Egypt

with **Lowell Liedman**. **April 16, 23, 30, May 1, 1:30 p.m. at the New Ulm Community Center Rm 112, except April 30 will be at the NU Library, 17 N Minnesota.** We will cover the history of ancient Egypt from its beginnings to the Roman conquest. We will emphasize the Old Kingdom which was the time of the pyramids and the New Kingdom which was the time of secret tombs and enormous temples. We'll examine mysteries concerning tombs, pyramids, mummification, and hieroglyphics. We'll also deal with the role of archeology in uncovering history. Lowell plans to show slides from his time in Egypt.

### Vision, Tools & Standards for Successful Journalism Luncheon

with **Eileen Madsen**, **May 7 at 11:30 a.m. at the New Ulm Country Club.** Soup & Sandwich bar is optional for \$12 per person. Editor Eileen Madsen will present the Vision, Journalism Tools and Standards that have launched and sustain the highly successful River Valley Woman Magazine. Natasha Wels, the magazine's Sales & Marketing Department will join Eileen.

### Wrap-Up Appetizer Party **Wednesday, May 30, 1:30 p.m. Hermann Heights Picnic Shelter #1.**

Let's celebrate a fantastic year of classes. *Bring an Appetizer to share.* Beverages are provided. We'll invite our instructors to join us. Anyone sporting a costume related to any of our 2017-2018 class content will receive a prize. No RSVP needed, meet us there rain or shine.

▶ **BOOK DISCUSSION OF 'LEONARDO'**  
MONDAY, APRIL 9TH, 1:30 -3:00 PM,  
2ND FLOOR LIBRARY, 17 N BROADWAY, NU

▶ **ANCIENT EGYPT**  
MONDAYS AT 1:30 P.M. APRIL 16, 23, 30, MAY 1  
AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER ROOM 112,  
(APRIL 30 MOVED TO NU LIBRARY 2ND LEVEL)

▶ **BOOKENDING KING SINGERS CONCERT**  
FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 11:00 AM AT MARTIN LUTHER  
COLLEGE CAFETERIA, LOWER LEVEL, OPTIONAL  
LUNCH. CONCERT \$40 APRIL 15 AT 10:00AM  
W/BUS AT MLC PARKING LOT

▶ **TWINS GAME**  
APRIL 15, 10:00 A.M. WITH BUS AT  
MLC CHAPEL PARKING LOT

▶ **PRAIRIE SERIES**  
MAY 14, 21, 23 AT 1:30 PM, 1ST CLASS MEET  
AT DNR HEADQUARTERS 21371 HWY 15.  
2ND CLASS MEET AT POLLINATOR PARK &  
3RD CLASS CARPOOL TO MINNEOPEA, HWY 68

▶ **SUCCESSFUL JOURNALISM**  
MONDAY MAY 7, 11:30 PM  
OPTIONAL LUNCH \$12 NU COUNTRY CLUB

▶ **WRAP UP APPETIZER PARTY**  
WED, MAY 30, 1:30 PM HERMANN HEIGHTS  
PICNIC SHELTER BY CENTER STREET

### Prairie Series

with **Megan Benage**  
**Regional Ecologist**, Division  
of Ecological and Water  
Resources, May 14, 21 and 23, at  
the DNR Headquarters, 21371  
Hwy 15 just south of New Ulm,  
with a field trip to the Pollinator  
Park on N. Broadway on May 21  
and a carpooling trip on Hwy 68  
to Minneopa State Park on May  
23rd. Megan will describe four  
major pollinator groups: bees  
and wasps, butterflies and moths,  
beetles and even flies benefitting  
from the Pollinator Park. We  
will learn how local ecosystems  
are impacted by everyday  
decisions. Dress for weather  
and have good walking shoes,  
rain or shine.

## Summer with our Partner Organizations



### Buddy Sveine: New Ulm Transit Entrepreneur

Thursday, June 7 at 6:30 p.m.

Library Meeting Room

Local historian Terry Sveine will present “Buddy Sveine: New Ulm Transit Entrepreneur” at the New Ulm Public Library on Thursday, June 7 at 6:30 p.m. Buddy Sveine, Terry’s uncle, was the owner of Liberty Cab and New Ulm Bus Lines, as well as a number of other local businesses during his lifetime. Terry will share stories of Buddy’s endeavors and escapades, framed by the history of our local public transportation. Call 507-359-8334 for more information about this free program.

### Love Never Dies at the Orpheum Theatre

Sunday, July 1, 6:30 p.m. show with a bus trip organized through Community Education.

Register with Community Education, 507-233-8307, registration deadline is May 11.

Charter bus and ticket \$74. Bus will leave at 4 pm from the Middle School Parking Lot on South Garden. The greatest love story ever lives on in a new musical from Andrew Lloyd Webber set against the spellbinding backdrop of Coney Island.

### Dakota War Week Commemoration

August 22-26

Register with the Brown County Historical Society

Brown County Museum, 2 N Broadway, New Ulm, 507-233-2616

This week of events, which commemorates the U.S.-Dakota War of 1862, will include compelling historical and cultural presentations as well as historic tours of downtown New Ulm and the pioneer section of the New Ulm City Cemetery.

### Minnesota State Fair

Thursday, August 30 with a bus leaving at 6:30 a.m.

Organized through Community Education and leaving from the Middle School Parking Lot on South Garden. Charter bus \$25. Admission fees will be payable on the bus, also. Phone Community Education at 507-233-8307 to register.

### Mark Your Calendars: Sept 7 Fall CASTLE Kickoff Event

*If poor weather conditions are forecast, check the website, look for an email from us and/or phone the office at 507-354-3212 for a recorded message of cancellations.*

**Many thanks to our supporters: The New Ulm Library, ISD 88 Community Education, Turner Hall, State Street Theater, Brown County Historical Society, the City of New Ulm for classroom space, Martin Luther College and the United Way of the Brown County Area.**

If you Skype or Facetime on a computer or tablet and would like to participate in a class from home, let us know

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