

ENDACOTT SOCIETY

Retired Faculty and Staff of the University of Kansas groups.ku.edu/~endacottsociety Dec. 2013

SCHEDULED EVENTS *All activities meet at the Adams Alumni Center unless otherwise noted.*

Afternoon Lecture Series

Sharon and Bob Brown (842-2079) are in charge of Birthday preparations. Loraine Lindenbaum (lhindenbaum@sunflower.com, 843-4308) and Lee Ketzler (leeketzler@yahoo.com, 843-4834) are in charge of programs.

December 12—Program at 2:30, sherry at 2:00, in the Summerfield Room. Following the celebration of December birthdays, Dean Neeli Bendapudi will address the topic: “KU Works for KS: A Business Case.”

Dean Bendapudi is the H. D. Price Dean at the KU School of Business and Professor of marketing. She recently presided at a ceremonial groundbreaking for a new \$65.7 million Business School building. “Her enthusiasm and zeal ..(are).. infectious,” according to a Journal-World editorial of October 22, 2013.”

Card and Game Theory

Edna Galle (galle@ku.edu, 843-2950)

December 19—1:30 in the Paul Adam Lounge. The sign-up sheet for bridge and scrabble is available at the Wednesday Coffee.

Cinema Studies

Fred Madaus (fmadaus@ku.edu >, 841-4939), Audrey Kamb-Studdard (audkamb@ku.edu, 843-4166), and Bruce Linton (balinton@ku.edu, 843-6796).

December 17—Film at 2:00, coffee at 1:45, in the Paul Adam Lounge. The December film will be *The Third Man*, starring Orson Welles and Joseph Cotton. A pulp novelist travels to postwar Vienna, only to find himself investigating the mysterious death of an old friend, black-market opportunist Harry Lime.

Nominated for 3 Academy Awards, won one. Running time 104 minutes. Please join us for coffee and a mystery!

Computer Study

Jerry Niebaum (jniebaum@wizardofkansas.com, 842-3127)

All meetings at 9:00 in the Paul Adam Lounge. Programs for the month follow:

December 4—”KanREN: Statewide Networking” (Cort Buffington).

December 11—”edX: online learning” (Jerry Niebaum).

December 18—”Dr. Fixit” (Jerry Niebaum).

Conversations with ...

Jerry Niebaum (jniebaum@wizardofkansas.com, 842-3127)

December 3—2:30 in the Music Room. Our guest will be Lee Young. Jerry will serve as moderator.

The interview with Ellen Reid Gold is now available on YouTube at <http://youtu.be/XqwgIZQ5dRA>.

Drama Study

Arnold Weiss (ahweiss@ku.edu, 842-5502), and

Bob Procter (robert@procter.com, 221-2100)

Drama Study group will take a holiday break. The next meeting will be on January 10th. The play will be announced in the January *Newsletter*.

Gardening

Allen Wiechert (wiechert@ku.edu, 842-5467) and

Dick Schiefelbusch (843-5869)

December 4, 11, 18—9:00 in the Music Room.

Great Books Study

Ellen Reid Gold (843-6933) and Don Chambers (843-5805)

December 11—1:30 in the McGinnis Library. The Great Books group will discuss a selection from Marcel Proust *Swann’s Way*. All are welcome to join us. If you need a copy of the selections we will be reading, call Don Chambers (a little in advance) or email captnemo@ku.edu.

SCHEDULED EVENTS

Music

*Roberta Spires (rspires@ku.edu, 842-6820). Contact:
Thelma Taylor.*

December 4, 11, 18—Immediately following coffee, in the Music Room.

Singing for Fun

*Roberta Spires (rspires@ku.edu, 842-6820). Contact:
Shirley Phillips, Mary Ross, or Pat Kelly.*

December 5—2:00 in the Music Room. A session of fun, singing oldies and goodies, with Winnie Gallup, Pat Kelly and Al Gallup and others. Please come and sing!

Ten O'clock Scholars, AKA "Wednesday Coffee"

Esther Smith (842-1660)

December 4, 11, 18—10:00, in the Summerfield Room. Conversation, coffee, tea, cookies and announcements.

Since the Endacott Society will not be meeting at the Alumni Center on either Wednesday December 25 or January 1, we invite you to meet instead on Thursday, January 2 at 10am for coffee at the HyVee Store on Clinton Parkway, in their open seating area at the west end of the store. We will purchase our own coffee and refreshments. Come and share holiday cheer together!