



June 2025

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The Endacott Society Annual Business Meeting will take place on Wednesday, June 25 in the Paul Adam Lounge at the Adams Alumni Center. The regular Ten O'clock Scholars coffee social gathering will take place at 10 a.m. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m. with a review of the 2024-2025 Annual Report. The meeting might run past the usual 11 a.m. closing time, so plan accordingly. Here is the agenda:

- President's Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Minutes of the 2024 Meeting
- Standing Committee and Activity Reports
- o Membership Report
- o Election of Officers
- Other Business and Final Comments
- Adjournment

The 2024-25 Annual Report will be available online at <https://endacottsociety.org/annual-report/> in advance of the meeting. Some paper copies will also be available in the room June 25th.

I am grateful to those officers who will complete their terms this year:

Past President-- Dave Mannering
Treasurer --Pam Houston
Secretary-- David Bushouse

I am even more grateful to those who will take office on July 1:

--President Lindy Eakin
--President-Elect Gary Minden
--Treasurer Linda Mullens
--Secretary Betty Bunce

Many thanks for their willingness to take on these duties and to the committee

that nominated them: Dave Mannering, Judy Niebaum, Dave Marden and Jim Woelfel.

Ten O'clock Scholars has not had to meet off-site for a long time. Make a note to yourself that we will return to the Senior Resource Center on Wednesday, June 11 for any scheduled activities that day. I will ring the Endacott bell at the SRC because, from June 10 through the 14th, KU will be the site of the 82nd Annual Congress of The Guild of Carillonneurs in North America, a very prestigious event. The entire Jayhawk Welcome Center is booked for them each day.

We also look forward to the June 17 Endacott potluck supper at the Adams Alumni Center. The featured speaker will be Sheryle D'Amico, Senior Vice President for Strategic Integration at LMH Health. Please make plans to attend for what promises to be a fun, informative and delicious finale to the fiscal year.

- Kevin

June Activities & Events

Armchair Travel

Ron Schorr rwwschorr@gmail.com

No travel program is scheduled for June.

Arts & Sciences Lecture Program

Kevin Boatright kboatright@ku.edu

No lecture scheduled for June.

Cinema Studies

Nora Clark nora.clark@washburn.edu
J. Tom Adams papawmik2004@yahoo.com

DOMESTIC MOVIE

No Domestic movie for June.

FOREIGN MOVIE

Tuesday, June 10th, 1:30 to 4:00pm

Lawrence Public Library, Room "C"

"Timbuktu" (Kanopy) 2014, 1 hr. 36 min

Near Timbuktu, currently ruled by religious fundamentalists, Kidane lives peacefully in the dunes with his wife Satima, his daughter Tanya, and Issan their shepherd. In town the people suffer, powerless, from the terror imposed by foreign jihadists. Music, laughter, cigarettes and soccer have been banned. Women have become shadows but resist with dignity. Every day new improvised courts issue tragic and absurd sentences. Kidane's family had been spared the chaos in Timbuktu, but when their destiny changes abruptly, Kidane and his family must face the new laws of these foreign occupants.

Directed by Abderrahmane Sissako, this movie was nominated for Best Foreign Language Film at the Academy Awards and Best Film at the BAFTA Awards. It won the Francois Chalais Award at the Cannes Film Festival.

DOCUMENTARY MOVIE

Tuesday, June 24th, 1:30-4:00pm

Lawrence Public Library, Room C

"The Cove" (Kanopy) 2009, 1 hr 31 min

A team of activists, filmmakers and freedivers expose a deadly secret hidden in a remote cove in Taiji, Japan, uncovering a tradition of shocking cruelty. This unforgettable and courageous story will inspire outrage and action.

This movie was directed by Louie Psihoyos.

Drama Studies

Michael Shaw michaelhearneshaw@gmail.com

Tuesdays, June 3rd & 17th at 1:30pm

ART ROOM at Pioneer Ridge Independent Living.

On June 3 we will finish "Major Barbara" and, if time permits, "The Apple Tree." Which is an early, comic morality play. In it, the Everyman character outwits everyone, including Death and the Devil.

On June 17 we will read Eugene O'Neill's "The Hairy Ape." It is a Nobel Prize winning playwright Eugene O'Neill's powerful short play about the class divide and dehumanization of the industrial age.

Games Theory

Steven Lee swlee@ku.edu

Thursday, June 26th at 1:30pm

In June we will play Nerts. Nerts is a speedy game of solitaire that you play in teams. Players race to get rid of their Nerts pile from the Ace on up. This is a game of great fun and camaraderie. Please join us **one week later than usual on June 26th at 1:30** in the Senior Resource Center. Treats provided!

Garden Seminar (Hybrid)

Cal & Jo Cink ccinkbird76@gmail.com

No meetings are scheduled in June for Garden Seminar (nor for July or August).

Our regular schedule of the second and fourth Wednesday meetings in the month will not resume until September. Happy Summer Travels!

Great Books (Zoom)

Jim Woelfel woelfel@ku.edu

Wednesday, June 11th at 1:30 pm.

Our reading selection for June is from Canadian author Margaret Atwood's most recent collection of short stories, *Old Babes in the Wood* (Vintage Books, 2023). Atwood is among the most notable authors of our time, having published over fifty books, including novels, poetry, short stories, essays, and children's stories. She is best known for her 1985 novel *The Handmaid's Tale*.

We'll be reading and discussing the three "Tig and Nell" and the four "Nell and Tig" stories with which *Old Babes* begins and ends. The stories are "scenes from a marriage," about Nell and Tig's life together, from their younger years to their old age. They range from very clever humor to deep poignancy.

Lunch Bunch

Ron Schorr rwrschorr@gmail.com

Wednesdays, 11:45 am.

Ron will announce a local restaurant each week, or weather permitting, he may announce a picnic-style brown bag at the Weinberg Pavilion at the Rotary Arboretum, 5100 W. 27th St. Please contact Ron by email to receive his announcements.

Movement Workshop

Haskell springer@ku.edu

Fridays, June 13, 20, 27 (Note the exception below) at 9am
Senior Resource Center

There will be **no** June 6th workshop, The Tai Chi group will meet all the other Fridays in June.

Old-Time Radio (Zoom)

John Nicholson wryterjccc@gmail.com

Monday, June 30 at 1:30pm-3:45pm

Please note that all our radio shows are now captioned for your enjoyment. This month, we'll begin with **Amos 'n Andy**. Next, we'll listen to an episode of the Science Fiction series, **X Minus One**. We'll finish the afternoon by spending it with Connie Brooks in an episode of **Our Miss Brooks**. The waiting room opens at 1:15 with the program beginning at 1:30. If this is your first time attending, please consider joining us. No reservations are necessary.

Out-of-Town Travel

Judy Niebaum jniebaum@sunflower.com

No travel adventures for June, July, or August.

Potluck Dinner & Lecture

Linda Mullens lmullens@ku.edu

Tuesday, June 17th– 5:30 pm wine and cheese, 6:00pm dinner, 6:45pm program.
Adams Alumni center, 2nd floor

Please sign up for this event by Tuesday, **June 10** and indicate what food (appetizer, salad, vegetable, dessert) you will bring. Meat is furnished.

Our speaker is Sheryle D'Amico, Senior Vice President of Strategic Integration at Lawrence Memorial Hospital. She will talk about the clinical partnership with the University of Kansas Health System.

You can use the signup sheet which is available during Wednesday Coffee or by calling or emailing Linda Mullens- lmullens@ku.edu or 785/766/3698.

Technology Studies

Dave Mannering dmannering@yahoo.com

There will be no Technology Studies meeting on June 4.

Wednesday, June 18, 9:00 AM, Adams Alumni Center

-- Perpetual Motion Machines-- Will people ever stop trying to make them?

Wednesday Coffee

Kevin Boatright kboatright@ku.edu

Wednesday, June 4, 10:00 a.m. – Adams Alumni Center

Wednesday, June 11, 10:00 a.m. – **Senior Resource Center, 745 Vermont Street**

Wednesday, June 18, 10:00 a.m. – Adams Alumni Center – **Birthday Cake**

Wednesday, June 25, 10:00 a.m. – Adams Alumni Center/10:30 a.m.--Annual Meeting



Endacott Garden enthusiasts at Powell Botanical Gardens in Kansas City.

