

ENDACOTT SOCIETY — May 2008

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SCHEDULED EVENTS

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

Afternoon Lecture Series

Maxine Patterson (843-7905), Mary Schweppe (schweppe@ku.edu, 842-1147), and Howard O'Connor (843-1884). Stan and Janet Roth (sdroth@ku.edu, jroth@ku.edu, 843-4764), and Bill Hambleton (wwhamble@ku.edu, 843-2508) are in charge of programs.

May 8—Program at 2:30, sherry at 2:00, in the Summerfield Room. Following the celebration of April birthdays, Kathy Mulinazzi, Director of Small World, will speak on 'Celebrating Forty Years of Small World.' Small World is an organization for international women who are living in Lawrence and want to learn English. Many of the women are wives of University of Kansas students.

Card and Game Theory

Art Lamb (artlamb@sunflower.com, 749-4647)

May 15—1:30 in the Paul Adam Lounge. The usual games of bridge and scrabble will be played. A sign-up sheet is available at the Wednesday Coffee, or call Ruth Ann Culvahouse, 840-0626.

Cinema Studies

Grant Goodman (plim@ku.edu, 841-1066) and Fred Madaus (fmadaus@ku.edu, 841-4939)

May 20—Film at 2:00, coffee at 1:45, in the Paul Adam Lounge. Cinema Studies will show the film *The Reckless Moment*. This film stars Joan Bennett and James Mason and was the last film in the United States directed by the Viennese Max Ophuls. This is also the first film in which Joan Bennett played a mature maternal role. Moreover, this is perhaps one of the first Hollywood films which could be called "film noir." As always, everyone is welcome.

Computer Study

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

All meetings are at 9:00 in the Paul Adam Lounge.

May 7—Introduction to Spreadsheets: Excel (Jerry Niebaum).

May 14—Application Software: Google Earth (Jerry Niebaum)..

May 21— Planning and evaluation session.

May 28— Computer Lab (Jerry Niebaum).

Domestic Public Policy Study

Jim Drury (jdrury@ku.edu, 842-3308), John Poertner (jpoertner@sunflower.com, 749-2599) and Ev Swartz (evswartz@ku.edu, 841-4065)

May 5—3:30 in the All American room. April Holman of Kansas Action for Children will discuss "Kansas Tax Modernization."

Drama Study Group

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

May 9—1:30 in the music room. We will complete the reading of Shakespeare's *Hamlet* and continue with a (pun intended!) post mortem discussion of the play and of our reading of it, and finally (as time permits) by consideration of vehicles for future reading.

Foreign Policy Study

Marilyn Bradt (mbradt@carrollsweb.com, 843-7751)

May 19—3:30 in the McGinnis Library. Al Sellen will lead the discussion on "European Integration: Looking Ahead." *Please note that this is one week later than our customary time, as the Adams Center is not available to us on the usual day.*

Gardening

Arno Knapper (knapper@ku.edu, 312-9422) and Dick Schiefelbusch (843-5869)

May 7, 14, 21, 28—9:00 in the Music Room.

Great Books Study Group

Dave Hiebert (gundave@sunflower.com, 842-8706) and Ellen Gold (843-6933)

May 14—1:45. This month, the selection to be read will be "Thinking" from *Pensees* by Blaise Pascal. Discussion leader will be Ellen Reid Gold.

Metropolitan Opera Radio

Al Sellen (jnalsellen@aol.com, 841-7432)

May 3—12:30, at the home of Vic and Mary Wallace, 1509 Massachusetts Street. The final radio broadcast of the Met season will be Mozart's *Die Entführung aus dem Serail* (The Abduction from the Seraglio). All are welcome!

Music

Arno Knapper (knapper@ku.edu, 312-9422)

May 7, 14, 21, 28—Immediately following coffee.

Singing for Fun

Roberta Spires (rspires@ku.edu, 842-6820)

May 1—2:00 in the Music Room. Please join us for a fun-filled song fest down memory lane with Winnie Gallup on the piano and Roberta Spires leading.

Ten O'clock Scholars, AKA 'Wednesday Coffee'

Genevieve McMahon (841-2116).

May 7, 14, 21, 28—10:00.

Endacott Society Membership List

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