

The Rutland Area Osher Steering Committee is pleased to offer you a delightful, informative and varied spring program of Friday afternoon talks by people who are leaders in their fields. Do come join us for one, a few or all of the sessions.

If mailing in the registration, please allow 10-14 days from date of mailing check to receipt and processing. For registration assistance, please call 802-856-5817.

**RUTLAND OLLI MAIL-IN REGISTRATION
SPRING 2023**

Name _____

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State _____ Zip _____

Email address:

____New Member ____Returning Member

UVM alum (Y or N) _____

Enclosing Full Membership Registration
\$25__

OR for Individual Program(s) @\$8 each

Date____ Title_____

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SPRING 2023 OSHER SERIES

April 7, 2023

Peter Huntoon: An Artist at Work

Peter is a well known artist from Middletown Springs. He will explain his process and technique while he creates art before us. Peter paints from photos, sketches, on location and from his imagination using a multitude of mediums. This promises to be an entertaining program not to be missed.

April 14, 2023

Mary Fran Lloyd

Neurographic Art: Connecting Science and Art

Mary Fran Lloyd, an abstract artist, and promoter of art in Vermont for the past 30 years, will introduce us to Neurographic Art. Russian psychologist Pavel Piskarev created this mindfulness activity in 2014, which connects science with art. Mary Fran will demonstrate and guide us in experiencing this art form.

April 21, 2023

Jeff Danziger: Political Cartooning, Different Now?

Mr. Danziger began drawing and writing for the Rutland Herald in 1975, and was quickly picked up by and syndicated in national papers. He has won many awards and has published 10 books of drawings, two novels and a memoir. Danziger will share a description of years of cartooning Vermont and American life and politics, with his take on the recent shift in what is considered acceptable or over the line in comedy and cartooning.

April 28, 2023

Dr. Scott MacLachlan: The Common Loon is Back

Dr Scott was a veterinarian for 31 years in Poultney. Now retired, he volunteers with the Vermont Loon project, revisiting his early career as a biologist for the NH Audubon documenting the loon population. His program will present research about Common Loons in the late 70's when the NE population was at a critical low. We will explore their ecology, the impact of human activity on loon survival and the loons' comeback in southern Vermont.

May 5, 2023

Cynthia Stadler: Ordering Your Affairs

Cynthia Stadler is a Certified Hospice and Palliative Care Nurse. She will present how gathering important documents and information in one place is a profound gift to our loved ones in the event we become unable to manage our affairs on our own. The talk focuses on how to prepare our documents, important information, and even personal possessions as an act of love for those who will survive us.

May 12, 2023

Martha Molnar: Playing God in the Meadow

Martha Leb Molnar has a certificate in Botany from the NY Botanical Gardens. She is a freelance writer and commentator, and this is her third book. Martha will talk about, *Playing God in the Meadow: How I Learned to Love My Weeds*, in which she and her husband, having found their dream acreage in Vermont, try to stave off the non-native invasives. This is not just for gardeners! You can buy the book from Phoenix to read ahead of time, or just come and enjoy Martha's compelling rendition.

COVID HEALTH/SAFETY INFORMATION

UVM sponsored non-credit functions/ offerings (including OLLI) whether held at UVM or at a non-UVM facility or location, are governed by the same health and safety policies. As such, UVM expects event participants, visitors and guests will be vaccinated. Masks are optional and welcomed. Check our webpage for full information at learn.uvm.edu/olli/rutland

SPRING MEMBERSHIP SERIES - \$25 INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS - \$8 EACH

NEW REGISTRATION PROCESS

We can no longer take any payments/ registration at the door. ****Pre-registration is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.** However, if you decide to attend at the last minute, please feel free to come and submit payment afterward with instructions and envelope that we will provide.

REGISTRATION/PAYMENT OPTIONS:

*****Please consider Option 1 – quick and easy for you and the OLLI staff and volunteers:***

- 1) Go to learn.uvm.edu/olli/rutland and register online with your credit card.
- 2) Register over the phone with your credit card by calling the UVM OLLI Office at 1-802-656-5817 during regular business hours.
- 3) Or Mail-in registration form indicating full series membership or specific program(s) you attended or plan to attend. Mail completed form with your check (made out to University of Vermont-OLLI) to: OLLI at UVM, 460 South Prospect Street Burlington, VT 05401.

RUTLAND OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE (OLLI) Spring 2023

The OLLI mission is to provide intellectually stimulating and affordable learning opportunities for seniors in community settings. Affiliated with the University of Vermont, we are a non-profit, all-volunteer organization.

We are grateful to the Rutland Recreation and Parks Department and to the volunteers who make this program possible.

When? Where?

Lectures are held on Fridays, April 7 through May 12 from 1:30 pm to 3:00 pm at the Godnick Adult Center, 1 Deer Street, Rutland. For directions or program information, call 802-773-1853.

Important

Please see Registration Section for **RECENT CHANGES** to payment of membership dues as well as the procedure for attending single lectures



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