

## November 2017 Calendar

# *Homecoming Benefit and Bazaar* *Saturday, November 11, 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.*

*The Quadrangle Club, 1155 East 57th Street*

*Jamie Reft, Barbara Wagner and Sarah Wright, Co-Chairs; Deborah Franczek, Treasurer*

## **1917-2017: Service to the Community in Peace and War**

*Luncheon at noon.  
Entertainment presented  
by the Laboratory School  
Bel Canto Choir.*



*Please contact  
Clairan Ferrono  
773-750-0460  
for reservations.*

*If you cannot join us for the luncheon, please come to the bazaar, 10:00 A.M. to noon.  
There will be treasures, baked goods, raffle tickets and more to buy.  
Encourage your friends to stop by and shop!*

### **Board Meeting Cancelled**

The November Board meeting has been cancelled. We will meet next month (December). Use this time to BAKE for the *Homecoming Bazaar* bake sale...or just be good to yourself.

### **MEMBERS AND GUESTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND ALL SECTION ACTIVITIES**

#### **Book Discussion Tues., Nov. 7, 7:30 P.M.**

Chair: Laura Kracke  
773-288-6455  
hkracke@earthlink.com

**Hostess:** Jamie Reft, 773-633-2372

**Book:** *A Gentleman in Moscow* (Amor Towles)

**Next Month:** *Hidden Figures* (Margot Lee Shetterly)

The 2017-18 Book List is available on the Service League website at <http://ucserviceleague.org>

#### **Dining Out**

Co-Chairs: Jan O'Malley / Fran Gordon  
773-955-4518 / 773-684-0522  
hdrO@sbcglobal.net/ fgordon@aol.com

Dining Out will not meet in November.

#### **Games**

Chair: Charlotte Adler  
773-256-1314  
chbob@sbcglobal.net

Games will not meet in November due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

#### **Movies**

**Thurs., Nov. 9, 1:30 P.M.**

Chair: Mary Rose Shaughnessy  
773-415-2950  
maryroseshaughnessy@yahoo.com

**Movie:** *Doctor Thorne* (An adaptation of the Anthony Trollope novel, scripted by Julian Fellowes, creator of *Downton Abbey*)

**Location:** Hyde Park Art Center, 5020 S. Cornell Avenue. All are invited. \$2.00 donation.

**Next Month:** December 14, *The Queen of Katwe*

#### **French**

**Tues., Nov. 14, 2:30 P.M.**

Chair: Judy Chernick  
773-752-2317  
ChernickJM@gmail.com

**Hostess:** Anne Gomer, 773-536-2182. RSVP to the Chair.

Did you study French in high school or college? Did you speak French in the past but are no longer fluent? All levels of conversation are welcome. Please note our new meeting time.

#### **Spanish**

**Thursdays, 1:30 P.M.**

Chair: Agnes Zellner  
773-643-6992  
azellner@gmail.com

**Hostess:** For information about meeting place contact Agnes.

**Program:** The group reads and discusses Spanish novels, takes trips to museums, restaurants, etc.

#### **Walking**

**Tues., Nov. 14, 9:30 A.M.**

Chair: Frances Gordon  
773-684-0522  
fgordon@aol.com

We will meet in the lobby of Jan O'Malley's building at 5471 South Hyde Park Boulevard. Please RSVP to Jan, 773-955-4518.

<b>New Members</b>	The Membership Committee welcomes nominations for new members. Please email names and contact information for prospective members to <b>Membership Co-Chair, Judy Chernick, <a href="mailto:jchernick@ameritech.net">jchernick@ameritech.net</a></b> *Please include in subject line: <b>"Service League Membership"</b>
<b>President's Message</b>	Dear Members, I hope to see you at the upcoming <i>Homecoming Benefit and Bazaar</i> on Saturday, November 11. You will get a call from Grace Dodier asking you to bring homemade baked goods, jellies, or whatever you can. I hope you will take the time to bring in something delicious to sell. Tell your friends and neighbors to come to the Quadrangle Club at 10:00 A.M. Be first in line. Raffle items will be available. This is our big fundraiser for our five philanthropies. They are counting on our support. Come out and see your friends in this great show of fellowship. Check out our website. We are also on <i>Facebook</i> . And read this calendar!
<b>Buy Raffle Tickets!</b>	Please buy raffle tickets and encourage your friends to do the same. We have great raffle prizes. You don't have to be at the luncheon to win!
<b>SPECIAL RESOURCES</b>	
<b>Computers</b>	<b>SL Rep: Judith Wright, 773-947-0282, <a href="mailto:wrightjudithm@gmail.com">wrightjudithm@gmail.com</a></b> <b>Special Offers:</b> George Rumsey offers a half-price rate to SL members for his computer classes, HP Bank Bldg. Go to <b><a href="http://www.computer-resource.com">www.computer-resource.com</a></b> (click on "Schedule") or call George at 773-955-4455 for all the basics.
<b>Physical Activities</b>	<b>SL Rep: Frances Gordon, 773-684-0522, <a href="mailto:fgordon@aol.com">fgordon@aol.com</a></b> Mary Rogel offers a \$5 rate to SL members for 1-hour <b>QiGong</b> in the HP Bank Bldg. Go to <b><a href="http://www.eastpointassociates.com">www.eastpointassociates.com</a></b> or call Mary at 773-955-9643. Also <b>free Senior Services</b> are available at Chicago Cultural Center, Renaissance Court, 78 East Washington. They have exercise classes Monday thru Saturday. Call 312-744- 4550.
<b>OUR PHILANTHROPIES</b>	
<b>Chicago Commons Association</b>	<b>SL Rep: Caroline Harney, 312-833-3286, <a href="mailto:harney@att.net">harney@att.net</a></b> <b>Friday November 3: Pour Out Your Heart for Chicago Commons</b> will take place at The London House. Sarah Frick, Chicago Commons Development Director, will join me at the Service League <i>Homecoming Benefit and Bazaar</i> on November 11. Please stop by and hear about Commons' wonderful programs that the Service League has supported throughout its 120+ year history. Please visit their website at <b><a href="http://www.chicagocommons.org">www.chicagocommons.org</a></b>
<b>Delta Literacy</b>	<b>SL Rep: Charlotte Johnston, 773-288-8970, <a href="mailto:charlottejohnston@sbcglobal.net">charlottejohnston@sbcglobal.net</a></b> Tutoring services are offered at the D'Estee site on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. A session is also held on Wednesday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 P.M. On Saturday a Book Club meets from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Tutoring services are also offered at Kelly Library, 6151 S. Normal Blvd. and at Jackson Park Supportive Living, 1446 East 75th Street (open to residents only). Substitute tutors are very much needed. For specifics please contact Olivia Amos, Executive Director, 773-768-5794. Visit their website at <b><a href="http://www.chicagodeltas.com">www.chicagodeltas.com</a></b>
<b>HP Kenwood Hunger Program</b>	<b>SL Rep: Agnes Zellner, 773-643-6992, <a href="mailto:azellner@gmail.com">azellner@gmail.com</a></b> Volunteers are needed! Help with food prep and serving is needed on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Please contact Agnes Zellner, Service League Representative, for information regarding volunteer opportunities. The kitchen also accepts cash, food and clothing donations. For information regarding donations contact Rev. Sanders, 773-373-2861 or visit their website at <b><a href="http://www.hpkifc@hotmail.com">www.hpkifc@hotmail.com</a></b>
<b>Hyde Park Neighborhood Club</b>	<b>SL Rep: Colleen O'Leary, 773-643-2115, <a href="mailto:cmoleary@aol.com">cmoleary@aol.com</a></b> <b>Friday November 3: 2017 Gala Fundraiser, HPNC: Focused on Kids for 108 Years</b> , 6:00 to 9:00 P.M. at HPNC, 5480 S. Kenwood Avenue. The Service League will be honored as HPNC's longest donor! Tickets are \$100 each, but Service League members are welcome to use the \$75 reduced rate for non-profit employees. For further information please contact Sarah Diwan, <a href="mailto:sdiwan@hpnclub.org">sdiwan@hpnclub.org</a> . Please visit our website at <b><a href="http://www.hpnclub.org">www.hpnclub.org</a></b>
<b>St. Martin de Porres House of Hope</b>	<b>SL Rep: Patricia Bennett, 773-493-8826, <a href="mailto:Pbenne@comcast.com">Pbenne@comcast.com</a></b> St. Martin de Porres House of Hope provides housing and a supportive framework for recovery from addiction for women and their children. In-kind donations (provided that they fit the particular needs of the program) are a valuable way to supplement our cash support for St. Martin. Toiletries, including shampoo, soap, deodorant, toothpaste, bubble bath, lotion, etc., make a large difference in the women's ability to take charge of their own housekeeping and develop their sense of self-respect.

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