

# The Kendalight

Kendal at Oberlin Residents Association

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## Spring Fling!

Friday, April 26, 7:00pm  
Heiser Lounge & Auditorium

Theme: *Butterflies Are Free!*

- Stop by and have your picture taken in our Butterfly Photobooth.
- Plan to be in the opening Flutter-By Parade at 7:15pm. Wear your fancy duds or a costume.
- Enjoy an evening of dance, song, and videos provided by residents and staff from 3 to 93.
- Please eat early so the Dining Services staff can get the Fox & Fell ready for the reception following the program.
- We need donations of goodies, especially sugar-free and gluten-free, plus healthy snacks. Please leave those items on the table in front of the railing on the left side of the Café.

~Special Events Committee

### One Year Later...

#### “From loneliness in my cottage to happiness and contentment in Jameson House.”

To celebrate its first year, the Jameson House family will host an open house for the Kendal community on Friday, April 12, from 1:30 to 4:30pm. Residents will be available to provide tours, answer questions, and show off their home.

Recently Jameson House invited Priscilla Steinberg to have tea and hear what the residents had to say after one year in the House. She was not surprised that every comment was positive. Julie Shaw, Sabra Henke, and Nancy McClusky shared these thoughts with Priscilla: ♦ “I am appreciated here.” ♦ “Being in the cottage after the death of a spouse was so lonesome, but I’m never lonesome here.” ♦ “I did not know what to expect, but I am so content here. I feel very secure.” ♦ “I can walk to the library anytime I want or just take a walk.” ♦ “We can eat in any of the dining rooms, including right here in Jameson House.” ♦ “People know what I’m doing and where I am. This makes me feel very happy and safe. I feel satisfied.” ♦ “I worried we would be watched over, but it is not so. We can come and go as we want and choose to do activities here if we want.”

Most important, Priscilla says, they told her: “This is home.” ♦ “We are a very close community.” ♦ “I am so glad I am here.”



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### Kendal at Oberlin’s Silent Auction

May 6 through May 9

The annual Silent Auction, benefitting the Kendal at Oberlin Staff Education and Staff Emergency Funds, will run this year from Monday afternoon, May 6, through 3:00pm, Thursday, May 9, in the Heiser Lounge.

Collection of items for the auction will begin Saturday, April 13, and end Thursday, May 2. Please take donations to the Heiser Reception Desk weekdays before 5:00pm, weekends before 4:00pm. Forms for tax deduction for your donations will be available there.

We will be happy to accept new or gently used items – books, pictures, DVDs, jewelry, hand-crafted pieces, and other high-quality items – in support of this important annual fundraiser.

Thank you always for your support.

~Staff Special Events Committee

#### COFFEE HOUR WITH

BARBARA THOMAS

MONDAY, APRIL 8

9:30AM - LANGSTON

#### AFTERNOON EXCHANGE

BARBARA THOMAS

TUESDAY, APRIL 30

4:00PM - AUDITORIUM

## KNOW YOUR KORA COUNCIL

It takes many hands to care for this big house we live in. Maintenance and housekeeping staff do their part and so does our KORA Council working through its House Committee. That committee, chaired by Kendal residents, is made up of representatives from the Kendal at Oberlin administration as well as a group of residents.

The House Committee oversees the concerns and needs related to the furnishings and the decorative elements of all common spaces in Heiser and the apartment building. The committee seeks to create and maintain an inviting environment for all indoor public spaces and to make sure that these spaces are accessible to all residents. The scope of the committee's concern includes the Heiser Lounge, the hallways (including those in the apartment building), the Langston, Fox and Fell, the library, and the guest rooms.

The work of the committee includes making recommendations regarding furniture repair, reupholstering, and purchases as well as the acceptance of gifts of furniture. It advises the administration on needed improvements and decorative changes.

For the past nearly four years this committee has been led by the capable efforts of Ron and Chris Price, who have overseen many significant improvements to our facilities. At the March meeting of KORA Council, Dick and Nancy Cecil were named the new co-chairs of this committee. They have begun assembling a reconstituted committee, and the community looks forward to seeing the result of their work in months to come.

~Gary Olin, KORA President

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**The next KORA Council Meeting is Thursday, April 18, at 10:00am in Heiser Auditorium.** Come to our meeting, and ask someone to join you! **All are welcome.**

## Spring LifeLong Learning Classes in Heiser Auditorium

For classes with fees, register and pay by calling Lorain County Community College at 440-366-4148 or in person at the first or second session.

**News & Views: Foreign Affairs.** Discussion of topics from the 2019 "Great Decisions" briefing book, published by the Foreign Policy Association.

**Fridays, 10:30 to noon.** No registration or fee. **All are welcome.**

**April 5: Refugees and Global Migration,** with Dwight Call. (See p. 5.)

**May 3: Decoding U.S. China Trade,** with Terry Carlton. (See p. 5.)

**Topics in Clinical Neuroscience: Memory, Hearing and Balance Losses.**

Alan H. Lockwood, MD, Fellow of American Academy of Neurology, Fellow of American Neurological Assn., Professor Emeritus of Neurology, University of Buffalo. Three areas of clinical neuroscience impact our daily lives, particularly as we age. What are different kinds of memory and its disorders? How does the sensory input from vision and the inner ear cause disorders such as falls and motion sickness? What can we do to minimize the risk of hearing loss as we age?

**Tues., April 2, 9, and 16, 10:30am.** Fee \$20. (Class 4602)

**Rethinking Autism.** Psychologist Sandra McClennen, PhD. Developments in neurology have led to a deeper understanding of autism. This three-session course looks at the neurology underlying autism and the relationship between neurology and symptoms of autism, how alternative communication allows us to discover intelligence and creativity in autistics who are unable to speak, and the challenges of those who have what has been called Asperger's syndrome (a designation becoming obsolete). **Mon., May 6, 13, and 20, 10:30am.** Fee: \$20. (Class 4603)

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## One Year Later... (Continued from page 1)

Majoretta Brantford, a nurse who has worked in Jameson House this first year, told Priscilla she had no idea what to expect a year ago. She found that the residents quickly became a family, and she loves being there. Life Enrichment Coordinator Amanda Hooley, too, said, "We are one big family, and it is a beautiful thing to experience." After months and months of planning and development, Amanda has seen Jameson House open and flourish as the space it was designed to be.

Creative Arts Director Michelle Tar-sitano-Amato spent many months pre-

paring for Jameson House to open. She said one of her hopes was that Jameson would indeed become a "house" where everyone would eat dinner together – and that is exactly what is happening, with wide-ranging conversations going on all through dinners. Residents have plenty of topics to talk about – they share three morning newspapers: *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, and *The Chronicle*. Now everyone is waiting for warmer weather so they can use the beautiful patio garden where there will be a grill and a sunshade.

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## Kendal 2019 Directory Additions and Corrections

**Barbara Hartmann** - new phone: check with Heiser Reception Desk

**Marilyn Carson** - new email: check with Heiser Reception Desk

**Mary Lee Orr** - new cell phone: check with Heiser Reception Desk

## **Thursday Health Lecture Massage Therapy April 11 - 7:15pm - AUD**

Ayden Ash, Beth Stipe, and Megan from “The Kneaded Touch” will give an informative lecture on massage and body work. What is it, when is it an appropriate treatment modality, what types of massage are used and why, contraindications? They’ll tell how and where to get a massage here at Kendal. Types of massage offered include Swedish massage and structural integration. ~*Kathy Caldwell*

## **Third Thursday Lecture Oberlin Schools Endowment Fund: Dreaming Big! April 18 - 7:15pm - AUD**

Did you know that the Oberlin Schools have an endowment fund that supports all kinds of interesting programs? We will hear about a courtyard garden project and the BackPack Program which have benefitted from grants from this fund. A student member of the Endowment Board will interview students and we will hear some good jazz from the Oberlin High School Jazz Club.

## **First Thursday Health Lecture Cannabis Report May 2 - 7:15pm - AUD**

Speaker John Pardee is currently Patient and Community Outreach Manager, Ohio, Green Thumb Industries, LLC, a national cannabis consumer packaged goods company and retailer. GTI is opening a RISE dispensary in Lorain, and John plans to attend with one of its pharmacists.

## **Recycling Here and Now Mon., April 29, 7:15pm - AUD**

Lisa Beursken, recycling coordinator for Republic Services, will describe the operations of our recycler and answer our many questions. ~*Sponsored by the Environmental Concerns Committee*

## **Lunch Bunch Blue Sky, Amherst Wednesday, April 10**

This family-owned restaurant serves a wide array of salads, sandwiches, and wraps. Bus leaves Heiser at 11:30am, returning about 2:00pm. Bus charge: \$8.00. Lunch at your expense. Place check to KORA for \$8.00 in Box #157 by Monday, April 8. Sign-up sheet is posted on the shelf under the Activities Bulletin Board.

## **Trends in Health Care Thurs., April 11 - 4:00pm - AUD**

Steven Counsell, MD, will share insights on emerging trends in providing care to older adults, the evolving physician/nurse practitioner roles, and exploration of different models of care. He is director of Indiana University’s Geriatrics Program as well as IU’s John A. Hartford Foundation Center of Excellence in Geriatric Medicine, and a scientist at IU’s Center for Aging Research.

Drop off questions for Steven at the Heiser Reception Desk by April 7 so that he can respond to general themes. ~*Stacy Terrell, Chief Health Services Officer*

## **Musical Talent? We’ve Got It!**

Kendal resident Larry Mirel has collected names and contact information of our residents who play instruments with the intent of encouraging more of them to play music with each other for fun. He’s checking on possible venues where Kendal “talent” could perform.

## **Women in Composition Wed., May 1 - 7:15pm - AUD**

The Northern Ohio Youth Orchestra program manager and lab group director Colin Holter will moderate a panel discussion on promoting opportunities for women in composition with Oberlin Conservatory composition majors Soomin Kim and Kari Watson and a member of the composition faculty.

## **♪ Music at Kendal ♪**

### **Jazz Ensemble**

**Tues., April 2 - 7:15pm - AUD**  
Oberlin Conservatory Jazz Studies majors will present a varied program.

### **Paul Celebi, piano**

**Wed., April 3 - 7:15pm - AUD**  
Music by Scriabin, Debussy, Janáček, Phillip Glass, and others.

### **Bristol String Quartet**

**Sat., April 6 - 7:15pm - AUD**  
OC students Shomya Mitra and Anne-marie Schubert, violin, Jane Larson, viola, and Jumi Lee, cello, will play Janáček and Mendelssohn.

### **Kelly Sohyoung Lee, violin**

**Tues., April 16 - 7:15pm - AUD**  
An Artist Diploma student of Oberlin Conservatory’s Prof. Milan Vitek, she will perform music by Handel, Grieg, and Wieniawski, assisted by Yu Sakamoto, piano, Hannah Kim, cello, and Julian Grabarek, piano.

### **Jenny Huang, piano**

**Mon., April 22 - 7:15pm - AUD**  
Music by Mendelssohn, Beethoven, and Chopin (several waltzes and mazurkas).

### **“All In for Oberlin”**

**Thurs., April 25 11:00am-1:00pm  
Heiser Lounge**

Oberlin College celebrates its “All in for Oberlin” day with music! Sponsored by OC Conservatory and the College Development Office. While no funds are being collected here at Kendal, residents are free to show their support by picking up literature for various options.

### **Kendal Residents play with**

**OC Prof. Peter Slowik**

**Sat., April 27 - 10:30am**

**Heiser Lounge**

Professor of Viola Peter Slowik joins some Kendal residents for an informal rehearsal of String Sextet #1 by Brahms.



## Sunday Movies in Jameson House at 7:00pm

### April 7 - *Lilies of the Field* (1963)

An itinerant handyman (Sidney Poitier) builds a chapel for a group of German-speaking nuns in the Arizona desert. And teaches them English!

### April 14 - *Robot & Frank* (2012)

After an aging ex-jewel thief (Frank Langella) receives a robot butler from his son to look after him, he and the robot become a heist team. PG-13.

### April 21 - *Easter Parade* (1948)

A nightclub performer (Fred Astaire) hires a naïve chorus girl (Judy Garland) to become his new dance partner to prove he can make anyone a star.

### April 28 - *Inherit the Wind* (1960)

A fundamentalist orator (Fredric March) opposes a liberal lawyer (Spencer Tracy) defending a Darwinist teacher in the 1920s South. Based on the 1925 Scopes trial.

## Saturday Foreign Film

### April 20 - 7:15pm - AUD

**Summer with Monika** (1953) A pair of teenagers meet one summer day, start a reckless affair, and abandon their families to be together. Directed by Ingmar Bergman. Swedish, English subtitles. R. ~*Dwight Call*

## Saturday Night Movie

### April 27 - 7:15pm - AUD

**Hotel Rwanda** (2004) Don Cheadle gives an outstanding performance as a five-star hotel manager who sees his country descend into chaos and sets out to save his family. Then he realizes there will be no outside intervention to save the minority Tutsis and finds the courage to open up his hotel to 1,200 refugees. ~*Donna VanRaaphorst*

**Did You Know? You can call 775-9868 to hear announcements and menus of the day.**



## Art Gallery News

The **Kendal Gallery** now has an exhibit of the photographs of Bill Papas. His show, "My Visions," includes landscape studies, portraits, and images of places and things that caught his attention. In Bill's words "They are a bit out of the ordinary." A reception will be held on Friday, April 5, at 4:30pm in the Heiser Lounge.

Be sure to come to the Friends Corner dining room on Wednesday, April 3, at 2:45pm, when Whitney Brown, the Oberlin High School art teacher, and a few of her students will talk about the high school art program and the work of the students that have

been displayed in the Friends Gallery.

On April 8, a dazzling show of Peace Posters created by students at the Shiraz University of Arts, Shiraz, Iran, will go on display in both the **Friends and Community Galleries**. The posters were created by Iranian students in response to conferences and workshops on peace and friendship organized in Shiraz by Jafar Mahallati, a faculty member in the Oberlin College Religion Department. A reception is planned for Wednesday, April 17, at 2:30pm in the Friends Corner dining room.

Finally, the **Curio Cabinet** now contains Mary Van Nortwick's collection of Ukrainian Easter eggs – many decorated by Mary's mother. Mary remembers her mother getting together with friends annually for a weekend of making "pysanky," the beautiful Ukrainian Easter eggs!

## It's Time for "Kendal Collects"!

**Heads up!** From May 21 until August 19, the biennial **Kendal Collects** show will be on display in all our galleries as well as in the Curio Cabinet.

All residents are invited to submit up to three original works from their personal collections for this biennial show. As always, all submissions must be something not made by you and must remain on display for the duration of the show.

Watch for entry forms coming to your open mailbox early this month!

## Community Conversations Taxation Without Representation Is Tyranny! Mon., April 15 - 7:15pm - AUD

Come hear about the Constitutional, legal, and political forces that have kept District of Columbia residents second-class citizens for more than 200 years.

Resident Larry Mirel moved to Kendal with his wife Betsy after more than 55 years as a Washington, DC, lawyer. He specifies how in the world's greatest democracy the people who live in the nation's capital have no voting representation in Congress, yet are subject to all laws enacted by that body, including taxation.

## March in Oberlin's 2018 Big Parade on May 4!

Join the fun! The Kendal at Oberlin Precision Lawn Chair Brigade is scheduled to do our inimitable thing in the Oberlin Big Parade on Saturday, May 4.

We joyfully welcome anyone who would like to join our jovial band of jolly marchers. We have chairs available! Contact Don Parker for details.

Practice times are: Mon., April 29; Thurs., May 2; and Fri., May 3, at 3:30pm in Heiser Auditorium.

The Lawn Chair Brigade leads off the parade at 11:00am and does its routine along the route from the Oberlin Bookstore to Ben Franklin. Please carpool.



## Library Notes

During the second week of April, National Library Week, the Library Committee will distribute a brief survey to residents. There will be three multiple choice questions on library use and two open-ended questions on what is valued and what needs improvement in our library. Over the past twenty-five years, there have been many developments that affect the library. As the Library Committee considers issues of our present and future, we need to hear the views of our residents. Please give the survey your thoughtful attention and return it by April 30 to the Heiser Reception Desk.

~Mary Clare Beck, Library Committee

### Were You in the Peace Corps?

All Peace Corps returned volunteers, former Peace Corps staff and trainers, let's get together! If interested, contact Rebecca Cardozo (Thailand '73-'75).



Annually since 1999 our state association, LeadingAge Ohio, has sponsored the STARS program to recognize non-supervisory staff members who represent the best of the best in their daily service. Residents, family members, staff members, and even vendors can nominate staff who consistently demonstrate excellent service, teamwork, attitude, respect, and safety in their daily work.

For our Northeast Ohio region, the 2019 STARS program will accept nominations of non-supervisory staff members beginning Mon., April 29, and ending on Wed., May 8. Nomination forms will be available at the Heiser Reception Desk and at the Stephens Care Center Medical Secretary Desk.

Due to limited space at the May 23 Recognition Luncheon, only five STARS and one nominator for each STAR (total of 10) will be selected to attend. A selected STAR Finalist with multiple nominators will have only one nominator go along to the luncheon. The Kendal bus will transport the group to the Conference Center at Benjamin Rose Institute in Cleveland.

Our 2018 STARS, Saun Howard, Jim Keith, Jessica Moore, Carolyn Morrow, and Deshell Penny, are not eligible to be nominated for the 2019 program.

~Toni Merleno, Director of Human Resources & Operational Services

### News & Views: Foreign Affairs Fri., April 5 - 10:30am - AUD

Kendal resident Dwight Call discusses **Refugees and Global Migration.**

Today, no countries have open borders. Every state in today's global system has its own laws and policies about who is permitted to cross its borders, and how they will do so.

Who determines whether someone is a refugee or a migrant? How have different countries, including the United States, reacted to migration? How effective are the international laws, policies, and organizations that have evolved to assist and protect refugees and migrants? **No registration or fee. All are welcome.**

### Newcomers' Reception Wed., May 1 - 4:00 pm - AUD

All Kendal residents are invited to welcome our new friends and neighbors! Enjoy refreshments and live music as you chat with our newcomers – and old-timers, too. Wear your name tag! Our new residents want to get to know each other and the rest of us.

### Service, Teamwork, Attitude, Respect, and Safety

### News & Views: Foreign Affairs Fri., May 3 - 10:30am - AUD

Kendal resident Terry Carlton will speak on the topic **Decoding U.S.-China Trade.**

Though arguably the most advanced economy in the world, the United States still uses centuries-old numbers to measure trade. These antique numbers mangle understanding of the U.S.-China trade relationship, shrinking America's true economic size and competitiveness, while swelling China's. Bad numbers give rise to bad policies that ultimately kill U.S. jobs and cede market share to China.

What other tools can the United States employ to counter China's unfair trade practices? There are several available, yet they remain mostly unused. **No registration or fee. All are welcome.**

### Oberlin Heritage Center The Father Jake Austin Mystery Series: Evolution of a Lorain County Sleuth Tues., April 9 - 7:15pm - AUD

Learn more about mystery writing from author John A. (Jack) Vanek. Local readers of his Father Jake Austin mysteries find that the action in these page-turners takes place amid Lorain County landmarks. The spiritual gumshoe first appeared in the 2018 novel "Deros." "Miracles," the second in Vanek's three-part mystery series, was published earlier this year.

John Vanek graduated from Case Western Reserve University, where his passion for creative writing took root. He received his MD from the University of Rochester and practiced medicine in Ohio for 25 years, but his interest in writing never waned. Now retired to Florida, the former Oberlin resident writes steadily and occasionally teaches a poetry workshop for seniors at a local college. Free, open to the public.

## More About Kendal Residents

### Lynn Eastman and Edward (Ted) Muenk

#### Lynn:

My roots in northeast Ohio go back two generations: one grandfather was editor of the *Youngstown Vindicator*; the other was a banker there. My parents met in high school in Youngstown. I was born in northwest Pennsylvania, in Meadville, where my father became chair of the English Department at Allegheny College and my mother taught senior-high English.

My first choice for college was Oberlin, where I entered with the Class of 1970 and received a bachelor's in French. I next went to Brown for my master's in French, supplemented later with a master's in writing from Carnegie Mellon.

Life in an academic environment has always been nurturing for me. After many years of living in the eastern U.S. (Connecticut, New York, Virginia), I migrated to California in 1988 and found my new home at the University of San Francisco. Beginning as assistant to the Dean of Arts & Sciences, I retired in 2014 as coordinator of the MFA in Writing Program. At the same time, my husband, Ted Muenk, completed his tenure on the faculty at USF, teaching Latin, Greek, and art history. We left San Francisco to live full time in the condo we'd owned since 2000 in Napa.

Reading, always my favorite activity, could now be indulged in earnest. My interest centers on literary fiction, ranging from renewing my acquaintance with Proust in French to enjoying the works of contemporary writers.

My other focus in retirement became Share the Care Napa Valley, a non-profit organization that pairs volun-



teers with low-income, elderly residents who can't live independently without assistance.

My ideal day begins with a brisk walk and ends with a medicinal dose of dark chocolate. Additional interests include music, theater, film, and art – all of which I look forward to enjoying with new friends at Kendal at Oberlin.

#### Ted:

Born in London, England, in 1934, I was educated at a Jesuit high school, where I specialized in Latin and Greek.

At 18, I entered the Jesuit order. After several years' study of philosophy, I enrolled in Oxford and took a degree in "Greats" (Greek, Latin, philosophy, and Classical history). After teaching at my former high school for two years, I left the order and taught at private school until 1966, when I was encouraged by my Jesuit acquaintances to join the faculty at the University of San Francisco.

There I met and married my first wife, who became the mother of our three children (two boys and a girl) but died unexpectedly in 1995. My formal tenure at USF lasted 40 years. I taught Latin and Greek, courses in Classical culture and literature (in translation), and Masterpieces of Western Art.

After retiring from full-time teaching in 2006, I continued to teach Latin at USF, as well as continuing education courses about the Classical World for older adults in the Fromm Institute, located on USF's campus.

Following my first wife's death, I

became reacquainted with Lynn Eastman, with whom I had worked on several projects for the Dean of Arts & Sciences at USF. Lynn and I married in 2001. We departed USF together on her retirement in 2014 and moved to our condo in Napa.

Until recently, I volunteered as a docent for the di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, a large collection of Northern California art in Napa.

I enjoy reading, especially my favorite mystery author, P.D. James, and listening to the music of Bach, Scarlatti, Dowland, Brahms, and other "oldies." For exercise, I enjoy morning walks through the neighborhood, whose surroundings, at Kendal at Oberlin, are quite new to this California transplant.

### Upcoming Moves

**Barbara Rollins** will move from Oberlin, OH, to a Kendal Apartment in mid-April.

**Nancy Matthews** will move from Oberlin, OH, to a Kendal Apartment in mid-April.

**Dorothy MacIntyre** will move from Columbia Station, OH, to a Kendal Cottage in late April.

### Recent Move-Ins

**Tom and Shirley Taylor** moved from Newton, MA, to a Kendal Cottage in mid-March.

**Marvin and Barbara Gordon-Lickey** moved from Portland, OR, to a Kendal Cottage in mid-March.

### Recent Transfers

**Peter Rozmarynowycz** moved from a Kendal Cottage to Whittier in late February.

**Viola "Vi" Blount** moved from a Kendal Apartment to Whittier in mid-March.





## A.V. Shirk

My interests include photography (I used to be a commercial photographer); bicycling (I did a century for The Tour de Cure a few years ago); classical studies (Homer and Greek drama); art (I own several nice pictures I got in Mexico); drama, especially Shakespeare and Shaw (I used to be an actor); cooking (I married a gourmet cook who taught me a lot); writing (I used to write magazine articles); classical music (particularly chamber music); and traditional U.S. music (I used to play the five-string banjo).

In addition, I appreciate fine cinema (John Huston, Richard Lester, Kathryn Bigelow, Akira Kurosawa, Alfred Hitchcock, Robert Altman, Sofia Coppola, Orson Welles, Ernst Lubitsch, Julie Taymor...).

I love to read (history, biography, music theory, Jane Austen, Mark Twain, Winston Churchill, Dashiell Hammett and Raymond Chandler mysteries, Patrick O'Brian sea novels, and Jennifer Crusie romance novels).

Since moving to Kendal, I have been able to meet, and read the works of, resident authors such as Ronald Kahn and Thomas Van Nortwick. I always contribute to PBS and NPR, but I rarely watch or listen (it cuts into my reading); I enjoy a glass of wine (I used to be a wine merchant).

I know something about the issues and problems arising from guns in the U.S. (I used to sell firearms); I am semi-

bi-lingual. I know several important Spanish words and phrases (Si, No, Por favor, ¿Dónde está el baño?).

When my wife died in 2016, we had been together for 40 years in a marriage that had worked better than I had ever imagined it could. Among the things I miss are the wonderful conversations we had.

Since moving to Kendal, I have learned that intelligent conversation is something I will no longer have to do without.



## Barbara Groseclose

My maternal grandparents arrived in the early 20th century aboard a ship's steerage from Sicily and my paternal lineage lived for generations as sharecroppers in rural Georgia.

My brother and I obtained PhDs in our respective fields, though our parents, like their ancestors, did not have high school degrees and, then living in east Tennessee, were flummoxed that we went to college.

I have had a job since age 13 and earned my entire and only income since I was 18. I became an adult at the time some attitudes toward professional women, especially single women, were developing, even in the Midwest. Hired by Ohio State University following my graduate degrees at University of Wisconsin, I was the first full-time female in my department. Thanks to fellowships and grants, I engaged in research and writing for articles, essays, and books pertaining (or not) to my discipline in art history. Early on, I lived about a year each in Germany and then India and later at the American Academy in Rome.

My daughter Catherine was born a few months before I turned 42, to my delight. During her youth and my middle age, we lived for nearly a year in the Netherlands while I was a Fulbright professor at University of Utrecht, and she attended a Dutch public Montessori school.

We also lived several months in Italy when I was a Fulbright professor at the EUI in Florence, and Catherine was a teenager. Her father always joined us whenever possible. Later, I had engagements at the Rothermere American Institute in Oxford, England, the RSUH in Moscow, and smaller institutions in St. Petersburg.

Retiring from OSU in 2012, I joined the Peace Corps and lived briefly in a post-Soviet central European country. I became involved with English Conversation Groups in Columbus. I hope to continue a similar program at Oberlin Public Library and to assist Kendal committees for which I can be trained.

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## Kendal Kryptogam #170 - by Nina Love

**FLY YOUNG DAUB JOG RYF FLY MEUJ, DXF FLY  
TYKEHB JEXTY RYFT FLY KLYYTY. ~XHCHEMH**

**Solution to Kendalkrypt #169: "Inch by inch, life's a cinch. Yard by yard, life is hard." ~Fortune Cookie**



## Healthy Pruning

Our Ohio Urban Forester, Alan Siewert, taught a one-day Young Tree Training seminar at our Education Building on Friday, March 1. Our entire grounds staff and a number of interested Kendal residents availed themselves of this opportunity. The morning was spent going over proper pruning techniques, with Alan showing many wood samples of what was done correctly and what was not done well.

After lunch, the group went outside to prune young trees on our Kendal property under Alan's guidance.

What a gift this relationship with Siewert is to our Arboretum!



## Veterinary Care at Kendal

**Wed., Apr. 24 - 4:00pm - AUD**

Veterinarian Michelle Balas, DVM, will talk about routine care of our pets, covering services available to Kendal pet owners plus new perspectives on vaccinations and general nutrition. You do not need to be a pet owner to attend. **All are welcome.**

*~Kathy Caldwell*

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## Be Alert! Severe Weather Season Is Here

Our winter's frequent and wide temperature fluctuations have already brought severe weather to our region, but the spring season brings a stronger threat of severe weather, ranging from thunderstorms with damaging winds and heavy rains to tornados. This severe weather occurs especially in April through August. Kendal has a Safety Plan and Procedure that residents and staff must follow to avoid injury in the event of a Weather Warning. **Here are Kendal shelter areas:**

- **Heiser Community Center:** Public restrooms, auditorium, and interior corridors **away from windows.**
- **Apartment Building:** Bathrooms (if no windows), laundry rooms, stairwells, and corridors **away from windows.**
- **Stephens Care Center:** Public restrooms, bathing rooms, interior corridors, and resident bathrooms **away from windows.**
- **Cottages:** Bathrooms and closets inside **away from windows.**

When the National Weather Service issues a Tornado or Severe Thunderstorm Warning for Lorain County, all residents and staff members should respond immediately by taking precautions and seeking safe shelter.

When staff members announce that a weather warning has been issued, please cooperate and follow directions to seek safe shelter – even if the warning comes during a meal in our dining rooms!

Facility Services and Stephens Care Center have weather radios that will send watch, warning, and advisory announcements. They will notify the Heiser Community Center of imminent severe weather and all-clear messages. Oberlin's and Kendal's warning sirens will sound only when Oberlin is in the direct path of an approaching tornado or other violent storm.

Since these sirens may be difficult to hear, please monitor your weather radios, computers, and TV messages to stay updated on the latest weather advisories. Be self-reliant and self-aware for your safety!

*~Toni Merleno, Director of HR & Operational Services/Risk Manager*

## Thursday Evening at Allen Memorial Art Museum

**April 4 - 5:00-7:30pm**

**Program at 5:30pm**

Mark Polizzotti, chief editor for New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, will present "Beautifully Unfaithful: What Makes A Good Literary Translation" and discuss the aesthetic and ethical questions involved in judging a creative act or translation. The program, part of Oberlin College's annual translation symposium, is cosponsored by the academic areas of comparative literature, classics, English, French, and Italian. The galleries remain open until 7:30pm. **All are welcome.**

## Plea for Fresh Flowers

The Flower Committee is always grateful to residents who are willing to provide flowers from their gardens in the spring, summer, and autumn for the arrangements in Heiser Lounge. Please let Dina Schoonmaker know by email if you are willing to let us cut your beautiful flowers, what you plan to grow, and when you expect blooms. We always cut sensitively but are also happy to have you cut your own and leave them in the Floral Creations/Art Studio.

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**Find biographies of all residents in "Who's Here" on the Kendal Library center bookcase.**

**Remember to wear your name tag so newcomers (and old-timers) can tie your name to that face!**



## Tuesday Tea at Allen Memorial Art Museum April 9 - 3:00pm

An Oberlin College student will speak about a work of art in the museum's collection. The speaker will be selected competitively by AMAM collection curators based on research abstracts submitted by students. Tea and cookies will follow the program.  
**All are welcome.**

## Genealogy and History Group Looking for New Leadership

The Genealogy and History Group was started in 2003 by Nancy and Don Hultquist. Residents and invited speakers have given over 100 presentations, typically attended by 50 to 90 residents.

Presentations have ranged from talks on personal family stories to a lesson on using computers for genealogical research. The sharing of ancestries and ideas resulted in a number of Kendal residents finding that they are distant cousins! Sample titles:

- The Eddy Family in America from 1630 on
- A Tale of Two Mahans
- Sharing my Musical Roots
- The 75th Wedding Anniversary and the Singer Family
- My ggg-Grandfather's House Circa 1815
- Family Reunions – How They Grow  
If you have a keen interest in this area, please contact Nancy Hultquist.

## Community Conversations

### “Multiple Perspectives on Oberlin Drama at Grafton” Mon., April 1 - 7:15pm - AUD

Resident Phyllis Gorfain, the recipient of the 2019 Governor's Award for Arts Administration for her work as Founder and Artistic Director of Oberlin Drama at Grafton, will lead a small panel of current and past volunteers, post-release actors who have returned home, and audience members. The panel members will share their distinctive ODAG experiences and their own stories about the impact of ODAG.

Tracey Field, a theater professional who is Associate Director of ODAG, will also talk about directing “The Merchant of Venice,” to be given in mid-May.



1/18/19-3/13/19

## Kendal Nature Sightings

**1/18, Red-breasted Nuthatch**, tree on Rock Pond west shore, Scott Orcutt; **1/19, Carolina Wren**, on feeder and fence near #201, Lee Hefner; **1/26, American Tree Sparrows**, Rock Pond west shore, Scott O.; **1/30, 8 Robins** in a flock, Phase II, Scott O.; **1/30, Pileated Woodpecker**, back of #138, Judy and Dennis Cook; **1/31, Red-shouldered Hawk**, feeders at #29, Maureen Bailey (house-keeping); **2/5, Woollybear Caterpillar**, near cottages #1-8, Nina Love; **2/11, Eastern Bluebird**, near #144, Carla VanDale; **2/15, Bald Eagle** flying over campus, Maureen B.; **2/19, Bluebirds** behind #137, Maureen B.; **2/20, 4 Robins** next to #64, Anne Martin; **2/25, Buffleheaded Duck** diving in Rock Pond, Scott O.; **2/26, 6 Mallard Ducks**, Rock Pond, Scott O.; **2/27, pair of Red-headed Ducks**, Rock Pond, Scott O.; **2/27, Downy Woodpecker** behind #64, M. C. Beck; **2/28 Red-winged Blackbirds**, Rock Pond, Nancy Lombardi; **3/2, 2 Common Grackles**, Rock Pond, Scott O.; **3/4, Red-shouldered Hawk**, tree by Troll Bridge, Anne M.; **3/4, 12 Robins** enjoying the crabapple near #4, Arlene Dunn; **3/9, Great Blue Heron**, Center Pond, Scott O.; **3/13, Song Sparrows** singing Lot 2, Maureen B.

## Kendal Neighborhood Buddy System News

The Kendal Buddy System works campus-wide as a means to check personal safety. Through prearranged signals each morning, residents communicate that they are safe. The area coordinators now are:

- 1st Floor Apts. - Betty O'Connor and Marilyn Burns
- 2nd Floor Apts. - Kathy Reichard
- Phase I - Mary Lynne Grove and Marian Lott
- Phase II - Marie Evans
- Phase III - Harol Pesuit
- Cottages 1-24 - Elizabeth Brinkman
- Cottages 25-52 - John Leinenweber
- Cottages 53-80, 101-104 - Nancy Cooper
- Cottages 83-100, 105-120 - Jill Wettersten
- Cottages 121-141 - Kay Rider

If you are not yet participating in the Buddy System, feel free to contact your area coordinator for more information and assistance.

As you plan vacations or perhaps a move to the Stephens Care Center, remember to notify your buddy and help find a replacement buddy, when possible.

Thanks all for your help with this. The Buddy System really does keep us safer.

*~Lynn Ayres, Buddy System Coordinator*

## Texting for Emergencies

Kendal's Buddy System area coordinators are in the process of collecting information for Facility Services about which of our phones can receive text messages in an emergency. If you would like to receive text messages from Facility Services during an emergency, please let your Buddy List area coordinator know which of your phone numbers are capable of receiving texts. If you have changed your phone number in the last year or so, please make sure that your Buddy System area coordinator has your new number.

If you don't know the Buddy System area coordinator for your area, check the listing above.

## Artists! Writers! Here's Your Chance to Shine

Remember the multitude of crafts, quilts, paintings, and photos displayed in the Auditorium last June when the LeadingAge Ohio regional Arts and Writing Resident Forum came to Kendal? And the poems, essays, and stories you could read on the tables in the Fox and Fell Cafe?

Finish that knitted boa, glaze that clay pot, revise your poem or short memoir, and submit your best work again this year. This year the juried show is June 13 at the Jennings Center in Garfield Heights; the prizes come back home to you. Winners' works go on to the statewide showing at LeadingAge's August meeting in Columbus. A Winners' Bus will take you to the exhibit and lunch.

For art work, get details and submission form from Creative Arts Therapy Director Michele Tarsitano-Amato. For writings, contact Thelma Morris

Deadline for Kendal submission: May 1. Don't be late!

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## Social Services

### Day of Advance Directives Tues., April 16, 10:00-11:30am Ed Center Training Room

Celebrate this Day of Advance Directives by completing your Ohio Advance Directives for Health Care. Come prepared with questions, pens, and addresses. Social Services will provide the Ohio Health Care Power of Attorney and Living Will documents.

Kendal Social Services Associates Kim Preston and Kim Peters will lead a workshop to help you complete or update your Health Care Power of Attorney and Living Will.

Following the morning's presentation, join Kim and Kim in the Den at noon for **Lunch with the Kims** and ongoing discussions on ways to talk about important life goals with your loved ones. Bring your lunch or purchase it at Langston.

## Knife Sharpening

The woodshop has obtained a knife sharpener! If you have knives (regular or serrated) or scissors you want sharpened, put in a work order at the woodshop hallway table. The results are not guaranteed for all types, but we are willing to try. Cost will be based on the time required. Any questions, call Ken Cheek, 774-6641.

## Chalk Walk's on June 22!

Save the date for Oberlin's wonderful popular event that includes master artists, local artists, and scores of community members of all ages who create beautiful, whimsical, and unique works of chalk art on our downtown sidewalks.

Kendal residents have regularly staffed the booths to register participants and provide chalk.

Save the date and consider joining us. Watch for sign-up information in the May *Kendalight*.

~Dina Schoonmaker

## Big Bus Trip to Blossom Music Center Saturday, July 13

On July 13 we are planning our Blossom Bus trip for a wonderful evening of Tchaikovsky's Fourth with Jahja Ling, conductor, and Conrad Tao, guest pianist in Prokofiev's Piano Concerto #3. A short Mussorgsky piece completes the program.

Watch for signup details in May.

## Like to Sew? "Threads" Needs You!

The Kendal "Threads" group do simple repairs for residents who can no longer sew for themselves. Now we need another seamstress to help. We meet every Thursday from 10:30 to 11:30am in the Craft Room. Call Gay Fischer, Nancy Cecil, or Eileen Dettman for more details.

## Big Bus: Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens

**Tues., May 28 - 9:30am - 4:30pm**

Stan Hywet Hall, built in 1915 by Frank Seiberling of Goodyear Tire and Rubber, is one of the finest examples of Tudor Revival architecture in America. There will be a docent-led tour of the manor, and a self-guided tour of the beautifully landscaped grounds and formal gardens.

Although there is no elevator, visitors with rollators are welcome to most areas except the manor's second floor which is accessible only by stairs.

Lunch will be on your own at Molly's Shop & Cafe, located in what were the horse stalls of the carriage house. Or if you prefer, bring a brown bag lunch to eat at the picnic tables.

Sign-up sheet with host and details of cost will be posted on the shelf below the open mailboxes. Sign-up begins April 22 and closes at noon on May 20.

## Time for Friends of the Oberlin Public Library Spring Book Sale

New members can join at the door on April 10 for Friends' Pre-Sale Night.

Most items: \$0.50-\$1.00. Saturday: \$5.00 per bag. Sunday: All items 10 cents.

- Wed., April 10, 5:00pm-8:00pm
- Thurs., April 11, 10:00am-8:00pm
- Fri., April 12, 10:00am-5:30pm
- Sat., April 13, 10:00am-5:30pm
- Sun., April 14, 1:00pm-3:00pm

The Friends will repeat the popular Special Book Corner, featuring individually-priced books that are brand new or of interest to collectors. Contact: Ann Ingram, 520-444-9585, [annitagram2@gmail.com](mailto:annitagram2@gmail.com).

Report from  
The John Bartram Arboretum:  
**Arbor Day Celebration**  
Wednesday, April 24, 2019

Join us in celebrating Kendal's fourth annual Arbor Day. We are delighted to have with us Colby Sattler, Western Reserve Land Conservancy's Urban Forestry and Natural Resources Project Manager, to help us understand "Urban Forestry, a Community Effort." Sattler leads urban reforestation endeavors throughout the greater Cleveland area, working with residents to help them become Certified Tree Stewards, a Land Conservancy effort.

At 9:30am meet friends new and old at the back of Heiser Auditorium for refreshments. At 10:00am Jeff Baumann, City of Oberlin Public Works Director, will begin our morning session in the Auditorium with a brief update about Oberlin's Tree Program. Sattler's keynote address will follow. I'm sure we will have questions for him following his talk!

After a lunch break, we will gather at 1:00pm at the Heiser Reception Desk to go out with Kendal Early Learning Center children to the new large Arboretum plant community bed in the quadrangle north of Cottage #108 to plant a hackberry tree commemorating Mary Ann Serazin. Two other large trees will be planted in this bed later this year – a cucumber magnolia and a sourwood – along with a variety of shrubs. This urban forestry work is a community effort you can be part of. Our Arbor Day afternoon will conclude with a Tree Walk, during which Sattler will be teaching us as he comments on what he is seeing as we walk in our John Bartram Arboretum.

~Anne Helm for the Arboretum Committee

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### Did You Know?

**You can call 775-9868 to hear announcements and menus of the day.**

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### **Petitti's Garden Center** Thurs., May 9 - 1:00-3:30pm

Join us for the annual Spring shopping trip to Petitti's Garden Center in Avon. **Sign up for the Kendal bus.**

### **If It's Spring ... It Must Be Time for the Plant Sale!** Friday, May 3 - 7:30am to 4:30pm in the West Corridor between mailboxes and bank

A multitude of plants is growing in the Horticulture Room in preparation for the upcoming sale. Mark the date on your calendar. ~May Zitani



### **New Wellness Support Network Form Available in Library**

Thoughtful Health Conversations has a new form to help you set up your Wellness Support Network. Use this form to help you tell your friends what you would like them to do when an emergency happens.

For example: who will care for your pet or your plants, go with you to a doctor's appointment to hear what he/she has to say, and call your family and friends?

**The new form and all of THC's other forms are in a yellow folder in the hanging file box on the long table in Kendal's Library.**

Please take one of the Wellness Support Network forms and feel free to make your own copies of the others and return the original to the yellow folder.

### **Kendal Resale Shop Talk**

*Benefitting Kendal Residents Assistance Fund and Community Charities*

In late March, the Kendal Resale Shop (KRS) held its annual winter clothing clearance sale to make room for our supply of spring and summer clothing. Please stop in the Shop now to refresh your warm-weather wardrobe!

KRS has been preparing for a wonderful on-site apartment sale in early April. It will feature high-quality mid-century modern furniture. Keep an eye out for our announcement in WKAO and on our bulletin board with sale dates, times and location.

Resale Shop deposits to the Residents Assistance Fund for February totaled \$1,962.25. Thanks to all our donors and shoppers!

**DID YOU KNOW?** In 2009, the KRS (then called the R>A>F Shop) moved from a small office off the south hallway of Heiser to Apt. #155. It operated there until 2014, when it was relocated to Apt. #257.

**THANK YOU!** Keep those donations coming and keep shopping the KRS! ~Nancy Lombardi, Chair, Kendal Resale Shop

### **Supporting Friends Meets Monthly on Third Tuesdays**

On April 16, 1:30-2:30pm, Supporting Friends will meet in the Whittier Lounge. Then, starting in May, meetings will be on the third Tuesday of every month from 1:30-2:30pm in the Green Room. ~Carol Bojanowski



My husband was very sick and spent a lot of time away from Kendal in a local hospital. I visited him every day. I did not expect many friends to visit him often, but it was very much appreciated when friends kept in touch by sending cards with well wishes. **STAY CONNECTED.**



## Saturday Walks Resume

Weather permitting, we resume the scheduled Saturday Walks in April. Residents desiring to walk off the Kendal campus should assemble at the Heiser Reception Desk at 9:00am every Saturday to form car pools to travel to the listed destination. The walks are usually 1-3 miles and at a leisurely pace.

### April 6 - Amherst Beaver Creek Reservation

### April 13 - Bike Path/Train Depot South

### April 20 - Black River Reservation/Steel Mill trail

### April 27 - Carlisle Reservation/Meadow Loop

Questions? Contact Phil Pritchett.

## Beauty at Your Service

**Tues., April 23 - 1:00-3:00pm, PS Salon & Spa** (across from the Community Gallery)

Come join us for some pampering and popcorn! Enter to win a gift certificate along with other prizes. First 25 people will get a gift at the door. We look forward to meeting you, but most of all to pampering you PS style!

## UU Kendal Gathering "Springing Forward - 2"

**Rev. Mary Grigolia**

**Wed., April 17 - 4:00pm - AUD**

Rev. Mary delves deeper into neuro-spirituality: how we can use our brains to change our minds (to change our brains, etc.) in our continuing exploration of cultivating resilience for troubled times. **All are welcome.**

### IN MEMORIAM

**ROBERT "BOB" BALDWIN**

**MARCH 1, 2019**

## Table Tennis Report

Our Kendal table tennis group meets three times weekly in the Hesier Auditorium. With three top-of-the-line tables, a parquet floor, and bright lighting, we're as well, if not better, equipped than most clubs.

Overall, 16 to 18 residents turn out to practice and play. All are assured of plenty of time at the table. Mondays, when he's able, Doyle Harbaugh comes from Wakeman to help us improve our skills. Doyle has played for the U.S. national team at home and abroad in paraplegic competition.

We invite you to join us. Kendal table tennis is fun. In March a resident, there for the first time, said: "I last did this as a child. I feel so happy!"

*~Sidney Rosenfeld*

## Balance Clinic

**Tues., April 23 - AUD  
9:30am-12 noon; 1:00-3:00pm**

The Kendal at Oberlin Therapy Department will host a balance clinic for Kendal residents.

The Tinetti Performance Assessments will be performed by pre-scheduled appointments, and Balance Master assessments will be performed by pre-scheduled appointments.

To schedule an appointment for a balance assessment during the Balance Clinic, please come to the therapy department to sign up, or call the department at 775-9816.

For any questions regarding the Balance Clinic, call Ashley Patterson, Therapy Coordinator, at 775-9816.

## RELIGIOUS SERVICES

### AT KENDAL

#### Episcopal Service

**No Service on Sat., April 13.**

#### Easter Eve

Sat., April 20, 4:00pm, Gathering Rm.

#### Society of Friends

Sundays, 10:30am, Education Center



## Bridge Results

**March 4:** 1st, Beverly Fordyce; 2nd, Kathy Caldwell

**March 11:** 1st, Joe Colucci; 2nd, Betty O'Connor; 3rd, Jan VanDoren

**March 18:** 1st, Rachel Fordyce; 2nd, Kathy Caldwell; 3rd, Rebecca Cardozo

**March 25:** 1st, Joe Colucci; 2nd, Connie Bimber; 3rd, Eileen Dettman

## Kendal United Fellowship

**Sat., April 13 - AUD**

**9:30am: Food and Fellowship**

**10:15am: Jennifer Graham**

Our Cleveland Metro Parks speaker will present: "Trapped! The Lake Erie Tunnel Disaster." **All are welcome.**

## Southwark Society Dinner

The Southwark Society (aka South Philly Club) celebrates the 5th anniversary of its founding at 6:00pm on Mon., April 1, with a dinner in Langston. Seating limited to members only. Please feel free to view the exhibition. *~Founders Board*

## The Kendalight

Monthly newsletter of the

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## Dining and Nutrition Services

### Sunday, April 21, Easter Buffet

#### Fox and Fell Dining Room

Seatings at 12 noon or 2:00pm for parties of six or more

Seatings from 11:45am to 1:30pm for parties of up to five

On April 1, reservation forms for the Easter Buffet were placed in open mailboxes or sent to residents by email. Reservation forms should be returned to the Heiser Reception Desk or Dining Services by Monday, April 15.

**Langston** will be open for breakfast (7:30-9:30am) and overflow seating for the midday meal only.

**Fox & Fell** and **Langston** will both be closed for the evening meal.

**Friends Corner Dining Room** will have normal serving hours for all meals.

**NOTE: Bagged lunches can be ordered and picked up in Langston before 2:00pm on Easter.**

### Intergenerational Gathering in Langston

Thurs., April 4 - 3:15pm

Let's Celebrate

**National Carrot Day!**

Join the Kendal Early Learning Center children for intergenerational fun!

~Lisa Wilken, Langston Dining Manager

**Watch for the sign-up sheet:**

**Solo Diners:** Thurs., April 11, 5:30pm, The Den (meets on second Thursday of the month).

**No April Vegan Dinner!**

Due to numerous other monthly events, there will NOT be a Vegan Dinner in April. Watch for a progress report on the viability of an Ethiopian meal for May 17! ^

### Celebrate Earth Month with Bicycle Tune-Ups

Joe from Oberlin's Swerve Bike Shop has volunteered his services once again to tune up and do minor repairs on our bikes/trikes/recumbents. He will set up shop, weather permitting, from 10:30am to 12:00pm on Tues., April 16, in Parking Lot #9/10. (Rain Date: Tues., April 23.) If repair and maintenance can't be accomplished in this time, the bike shop will pick up a bicycle at Kendal for repair in the shop. We're extremely lucky to have such an obliging shop owner as Swerve's Joe. Let's support him whenever we can.

~Dina Schoonmaker, Kendal Environmental Concerns Committee

### Reception for Kendal High School Staff, Class of 2019 Sat., April 27 - 3:30pm - HL

Come wish our staff well as they prepare to graduate.

**Oberlin High School:** Brendan Ortiz, Thayer Preston, Sajel Rodriguez, Ondraya Soto, Inel Washington; **Firelands High School:** Genalda Finley, Madison Flanagan; **Midview High School:** Julia Diedrick, Isabella Johnson; **Wellington High School:** Jaciah Edwards; **Western Reserve High School:** Lauren Gienke, Willia Holz-miller; **Elyria High School:** Desirae Henline; **Amherst High School:** Emily Johnston, Zach Pena, Hannah Pietch.

### For the Vision-Impaired



**Low-Vision Support Group: "Learning to Live with Low Vision" Audio Presentation Thursday, April 11 4:00pm - Green Room**

**Magnifiers and More Pays Spring Visit Tuesday, May 14 11:00am to 2:00pm Heiser Lounge**









Come visit with Deb Kogler, long-time friend of Kendal low-vision residents and owner of Magnifiers and More. On Tuesday, May 14, Deb brings her traveling store of visual aids, including magnifying glasses, batteries, decks of large-print cards, checkbooks, talking watches and clocks. Yes, she has the latest electronic readers, too. Stop by for an M&M catalog. As always, Deb's good advice is free.

~Sponsored by the Low Vision Support Group and Social Services staff

### Meet, Greet, Eat Returns on Monday, April 29

Sign-up sheets will be posted below the open mailboxes on Monday, April 22. Deadline for signup is Saturday noon, April 27 – reserve your place early! Then come to the Fox and Fell around 5:30pm on April 29 wearing your name tag, and enjoy a meal with new (or old) friends. Each dining table is assigned a number; you draw a number to find your table. Get your meals as you usually do, either by ordering from the menu or going to the buffet. The usual dining options in Langston and the Fox and Fell will be available for those who do not want to participate in Meet, Greet and Eat.

~Sheila Eckstein, Sharon Furrow, Priscilla Steinberg

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>AAA Mature Driver Class</b> – <b>Mon., April 29 and Wed., May 1</b> 9:30am-3:30pm AUD <b>Sign-up required.</b>	<b>1</b> Bible Study every Monday 10:00am CCR Mexican Train most Mondays 7:15pm F& F Café Bridge 6:30pm Green ODAG 7:15pm AUD	<b>2</b> Jazz Ensemble 7:15pm AUD	<b>3</b> Artist Reception: OHS students 2:45pm Friends Corner Paul Celebi, piano 7:15pm AUD ARS: Piotr Anderszewski, Piano  7:30pm Finney (tx)	<b>4</b> National Carrot Day! 3:15pm Langston First Thursday at AMAM 5:00-7:30pm Program 5:30	<b>5</b> News & Views: Foreign Affairs 10:30am AUD Artist Reception: Bill Pappas 4:30pm HL Cont. Music Ensemble Magnus Staveland, Tenor  7:30pm WCH	<b>6</b> Walk in Park: 9:00am Heiser Bristol String Quartet 7:15pm AUD Oberlin Orch. 7:30pm Finney 
	<b>7</b> Quaker Worship 10:30am Ed Ctr Film: Lilies of the Field 7:00pm Jameson English Country Dancing every Sun. 7:15pm AUD	<b>8</b> Coffee Hour with Barbara Thomas 9:30am Langston Suggestions & Concerns 2:00pm CCR Bridge 6:30pm Green	<b>9</b> Tuesday Tea at AMAM 2:30pm (carpool) OHC: Jack Vanek, author, Father Jake Austin Mysteries 7:15pm AUD	<b>10</b> Lunch Bunch: Blue Sky, Amherst 11:30am-2:00pm  Oberlin Sinfonietta 7:30pm WCH 	<b>11</b> Low Vision Group 4:00pm Green Rm Trends in Health Care 4:00pm AUD Solo Diners 5:30pm The Den Thursday Health Lecture 7:15pm AUD	<b>12</b> Jameson House Open House 1:30-4:30pm
<b>14</b> Quaker Worship 10:30am Ed Ctr Film: Robot & Frank 7:00pm Jameson	<b>15</b> Jazz Symposium 12:00pm Stull  Monday Night Movie at Apollo Sign up for bus  Bridge 6:30pm Green Taxation without Representation 7:15pm AUD	<b>16</b> Day of Adv. Directives 10:00-11:30am Ed Ctr Training Room BIKE REPAIRS 10:30am-noon Lots #9/10 Lunch with Kims Noon - Den Kelly Sohyoung Lee, violin 7:15pm AUD	<b>17</b> Artist Reception: Peace Posters 2:30pm Friends Corner Jazz Symposium 3:30pm Stull  UU Gathering 4:00pm AUD Song Swap, Judy Cook 7:00pm AUD ARS: The Spring Quartet  7:30pm Finney (tx)	<b>18</b> KORA Council 10:00am AUD 3rd Thursday Lecture: Oberlin Schools Endowment Fund 7:15pm AUD	<b>19</b> Rod Knight with Len Garver's Trolley Run 5:00-6:15pm HL	<b>20</b> Walk in Park: 9:00am Heiser Easter Eve Episcopal Serv. 4:00pm GaRm Film: Summer with Monika 7:15pm AUD
<b>21</b> Easter Quaker Worship 10:30am Ed Ctr Easter Buffet 12 noon to 2:00pm Fox & Fell Film: Easter Parade 7:00pm Jameson	<b>22</b> Bridge 6:30pm Green Jenny Huang, piano 7:15pm AUD	<b>23</b> Balance Clinic 9:30am-12:00pm 1:00pm-3:00pm AUD	<b>24</b> Annual Arbor Day Celebration 9:30am AUD; 1:00pm tree planting Vet Care at Kendal 4:00pm AUD Song Swap with Judy Cook 7:00pm AUD	<b>25</b> Dementia Friendly Discussion Group 10:30am Green Rm "All in for Oberlin" music celebration 11:00am-1:00pm HL	<b>26</b> Spring Fling 7:00-10:00pm AUD, HL, F&F	<b>27</b> Walk in Park: 9:00am Heiser Residents and Peter Slowik rehearse 10:30am HL Reception for Kendal High School Staff 3:30pm HL Film: Hotel Rwanda 7:15pm AUD
<b>28</b> Quaker Worship 10:30am Ed Ctr Film: Inherit the Wind 7:00pm Jameson	<b>29</b> Meet, Greet, Eat (sign up) 5:30pm Fox & Fell Bridge 6:30pm Green Lisa Beursken Recycling Here & Now 7:15pm AUD	<b>30</b> Afternoon Exchange Barbara Thomas 4:00pm AUD	<h1 style="color: red;">April 2019</h1> <p>             CCR = Crossroads Room      WHT = Whittier Lounge              GaRm = Gathering Room      Bold = at Kendal              HL = Heiser Lounge      tx = Tickets needed              WCH = Warner Concert Hall       = Kendal Bus           </p>			