

Dear Emeriti and Friends,

This year the Ohio University Emeriti Association is pleased to welcome into the Association 15 new emeriti of Ohio University. All emeriti are invited to Emeriti Luncheons which are held six times during the academic year at the Ohio University Inn. Luncheons are a time for social interaction with your fellow Emeriti colleagues and through the luncheon programs informed of ongoing events, organizations and activities of the university and Athens community. At the September 12th luncheon new emeriti will be introduced and welcomed by Dr. Donald Leo, Executive Vice President and Provost of Ohio University. Dr. Leo will also present the program for the September meeting.

The September 12th luncheon as well as other luncheons will be held at the Ohio University Inn second floor ballroom. The September luncheon will be a plated meal and free for all emeriti and spouses. Other luncheons throughout the year will cost \$25 per person, paid by check or exact cash. The luncheon will start at 11:30am and the program will begin at 12 noon and conclude by 1pm. Please contact Alan Boyd (alanwboyd1960@gmail.com) by noon on Friday September 5th to make your reservation. The number of reservations determines how much the Emeriti Association must pay the Ohio University Inn. If you make a reservation but do not attend, the Association must still pay for your meal. If you arrive at the Inn but have not made a reservation you may of course stay for the program.

All emeriti and their spouses are considered members of the Emeriti Association and are encouraged to be active by joining others at the luncheons. There are no dues for the organization. We also hope emeriti will volunteer on occasion at the Kennedy Art Museum, Dairy Barn Arts Center, the Ohio University Emeriti Park or serve as a judge at the annual Student Research and Creative Activity Expo. The Association also provides financial support for undergraduate student research and travel. We look forward to hearing about the students and their research later in the academic year.

Communication is very important as is maintaining the emeriti directory. This letter is being sent by USPS to all members in the master Emeriti Directory maintained by the University. This directory can be found at the Emeriti website <https://ohio.edu/emeriti>. However, during the year most, if not all, communication will be sent by email based on the listserv directory of active members maintained by the Emeriti Association.

Enclosed are forms for you to complete and return in the enclosed envelope. We thank you in advance for completing the forms, which are used to update both the Emeriti Directory and the listserv used for email communication. If you do not wish to be on the listserv just let us know.

We hope to see you at our first meeting of the academic year, Thursday September 12th at 11:30 am at the Ohio University Inn. If you have not received an e-mail invitation at least two days prior to the meeting, please contact our president or membership chair.

Cordially,

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