



Tuesday, August 11, 2009

Dear Members of the Emeritus College and Friends,

Below I have listed a few of our upcoming events. Please let me know if you'd like to be more involved in these or other Emeritus College activities.

Emeritus College Announcements:

Lunch Discussion THIS COMING MONDAY August 17th! Join us at 11:30 a.m. in the MARIAL Conference Room here in Building A of Briarcliff Campus (room 415E) for a discussion led by Lifelong Learning lecturer Jane Herndon entitled "The Best and Worst Presidents." Which are they and how are these positions decided? (Flier attached).

Continuing the Conversations Mid- to Late-Life Transitions: Tuesday, August 18th. An opportunity to listen and share notions and concerns about mid-life and aging with other emeritae professors, senior women faculty and staff. Moderated by Phyllis Rosen, LCSW. Light reception. Space is limited. RSVP at 404-727-2031 or roslyn.sledge@emory.edu by August 14 to reserve your spot. *Co-sponsored by the Center for Women.* Room 415E, MARIAL Conference Center Meeting Room, 4th floor, Building A, Briarcliff Campus. 4 - 6 p.m.

Breakfast Discussion Postponed in September: The breakfast discussion for the month of September has been postponed due to the Labor Day holiday and will be held on the second Monday, **September 14th.** Join us at 9:00 a.m. in the MARIAL Conference Room here in Building A of Briarcliff Campus (room 415E) for a discussion led by James Hund on the topic of "The Green Revolution in America." Dr. Hund will lead a discussion based on the recent book *Hot, Flat, and Crowded: Why We Need a Green Revolution in America* by Thomas L. Friedman. (Flier attached).

Other Programs Potentially of Interest:

(Reminder) Support groups for caregivers: Free education and support for family, friends and/or caregivers of older adults. Sessions meet the first and third *Thursday* of each month, from noon to 1 p.m. at the Center for Women Conference Room; and the first and third *Tuesday* of each month at 52 Executive Park South, Suite 5200 **beginning tomorrow, Aug. 11, 6:30–7:30 p.m.** *A flier is posted:* http://hr55.hr.emory.edu/worklife/Documents/ElderCare/Transitions_Senior_Program.pdf

(Reminder) Emory University's GIVE program: 1) Groups will be collecting items to help the homeless in Atlanta: personal hygiene items, diapers, baby formula, feminine products, and towels for the Gateway Center in Atlanta <http://gatewayctr.org/>. Marked drop boxes are located at the following: GDBBS Office, GS Office, Whitehead Bldg, Rollins Research Bldg, Public Health Bldg, DUC, and Woodruff Memorial Bldg. 2) Bakery goods to various places in need, i.e. Ronald McDonald House, etc.. If interested please contact Dr. Judith Fridovich-Keil at jfridov@emory.edu.

Race in the Classroom: A Roundtable Workshop on Race and Teaching. Wednesday, September 23, 10:30am-2:00pm; DUC Winship Ballroom. The workshop will be moderated by Mark Chesler, Professor Emeritus at the University of Michigan and author of *Challenging Racism in Higher Education*. Network with faculty and instructors and discuss specific topics like classroom power dynamics, teaching issues of race, race and curricula in the hard sciences, and teaching within a diverse classroom. For more information, visit http://www.gs.emory.edu/calendar/index.php?entity_id=220. Lunch will be served. Participation is free, but space is limited. Email salami@emory.edu to RSVP.

For more information, call the Emeritus College offices at 404.712.8834 or email me (charity.crabtree@emory.edu). All of our upcoming events are listed on our website, www.emory.edu/emergitus. Please visit us there!

All the best,
Charity :)