

Summer Picnic On Green Mountain

Wednesday, June 15, 2011
11:00-2:00 p.m. at the Pavilion.

Come out in June to Green Mountain Nature Center for the OLLI Potluck Picnic.

Lunch served at noon.
Bring a covered dish to share.

Drinks and paper products provided by your Social Committee worker bees.

The area is beautiful, so come early or stay late and enjoy the cool, the covered bridge, lake, hiking trails, historic buildings, and mingling with your fellow members.



OLLI Photo Contest

Last call: Photos Due By June 30, 2011

Theme: Seasons of the Tennessee Valley

You can include 3 photos representing all seasons between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011

It isn't too late. Bring your cameras to the OLLI picnic and submit your best three to the OLLI Photo Contest at ollinewsletter@msn.com.

Prizes:

1st place: \$75.00 winter term tuition

2nd place: \$50.00 restaurant gift certificate

3rd place: \$15.00 OLLI membership

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From The President

OLLI's new year began June 1, and many members have already renewed their membership.



Chuck Duffy

Your Board of Directors has its first full meeting on June 3 with several new board members. The OLLI picnic on Green Mountain is June 15, a great event in a beautiful location.

The Southeast Regional Conference of OLLI will be held in Tuscaloosa July 27 through July 29, and I hope as many of our members as possible will attend this year. The catalog for the Fall Term should follow shortly afterwards. So, despite the summer, OLLI marches on, and volunteers are welcome

Chuck Duffy, President

STORYTELLING

JUNE 28, 7:00 P.M.

OLLI instructor, Joe Berry will be participating in storytelling along with a small group. They will be narrating stories to the public at Huntsville Main Library on June 28, 7:00 p.m. The story that Joe will recite is one that he wrote for the occasion called, "North Toward Home," taking place during the Civil War. He warmly invites you, your friends, and family to join in this delightful storytelling adventure.



Thanks to our Office Volunteers



OLLI is a volunteer-driven organization and an essential group of these volunteers are those who staff our OLLI office during the times when our classes are in session. A special thank you to Jim Lindberg who coordinated the office volunteers for the year. The office volunteers who staffed the OLLI office during this past year were the following:

Lynn Abernathy
Pat Allen
Jean Bannister
Leah Black
Kay Burrell
Sue Chatham
Janet Creech
Helena Crutcher
Darlene Davis
Chuck Duffy

Luci Haisten
Wendy Kash
Jim Lindberg
Helen Martin
Jane McBride
Myrna McDonald
Bettye McElroy
Olga Morawe
Jean Mulcahy
Al Spratley

Cindy Spratley
Mary Jo Taylor
George Thurlow
Karen Trevey
Barbara Ward
Bob Ward
Carol Webster
Jim Will
Steve Wynn

Thanks to all of these volunteers for providing this very special service for our OLLI members.

Sue Chatham, Member Services

The Truly Educated Never Graduate

Southern Regional Conference for Learning in Retirement

July 27 - 29, 2011

University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa

Have you wondered how other OLLI's and retirement groups are organized? Are you curious to know what type of classes or events they might offer? Have you considered sharing your experiences with our OLLI with other retirement groups?

This is your chance. The Southern Regional Conference for Learning in Retirement will be held in Tuscaloosa on the campus of the University of Alabama. There will be over 50 Lifelong Learning Institutes represented and over 22 speakers with more than 400 years of experience in Lifelong Learning.

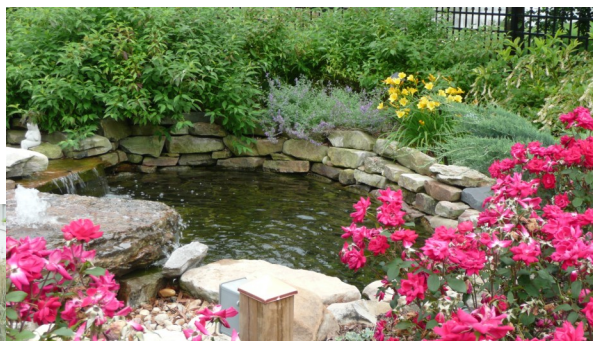
If you are interested in attending and would like more information, contact Sue Chatham – 256-461-0262, chatham@knology.net – or contact OLLI on the University of Alabama Campus at 205-348-3002.

The Spring Garden Tour Class Has a Grand Finale!

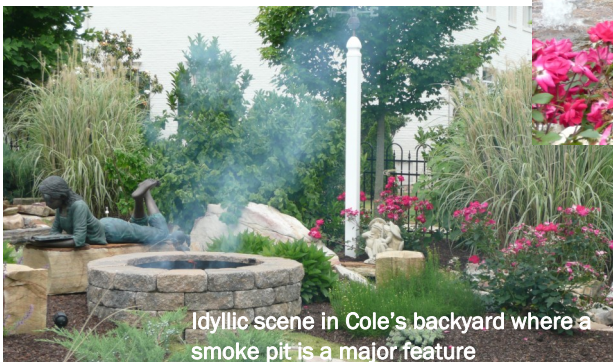
As their last activity of the term, the Spring Garden Tour class visited the home garden of Trevor Cole, owner of Across the Pond. Not only were class members enthralled by the beauty of Cole's front and backyard gardens but they were informed during their tour by George Bennett's (owner of Bennett Nursery) formidable knowledge of landscape materials and practices. The class organizer was Jean Lake.



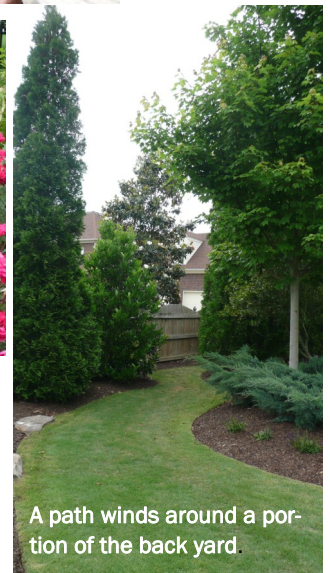
Jean Lake (forefront) introduces Trevor Cole (2nd from right) and George Bennett (wearing hat).



One of several water features in the backyard



Idyllic scene in Cole's backyard where a smoke pit is a major feature

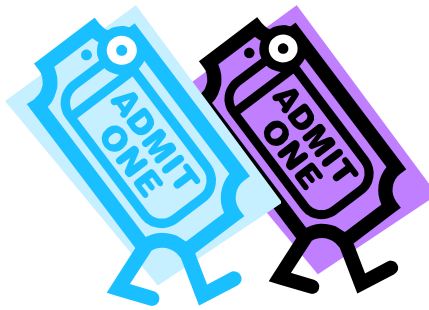


A path winds around a portion of the back yard.

Photos and article
 by Joyce Pettis

Free OLLI Holiday Party Tickets? Membership in OLLI? What do they have in common?

Do you know someone who has an interest in continuing their learning? Then OLLI is the right place for them, and you could win two tickets to the OLLI Holiday Party. **For every new member for 2011 that you refer to OLLI between June 1 and November 1, your name will go into a drawing for two OLLI Holiday Party tickets. Make sure that your friends put your name on their membership forms. So spread the word — the more new members that you bring in, the more chances that you have to win! A membership form is on page 6 of this newsletter, or visit our OLLI web site at www.osher.uah.edu.** Tell your friends about OLLI and YOU may become a winner. Good luck! (Don't forget about OLLI's gift membership for that special relative, friend, or neighbor. For only \$15.00 you can sign them up with a membership that will show how much you care. Give a unique gift — the gift of learning.)



OLLI Photo Contest

The 2011 photo contest theme is called **Seasons of the Tennessee Valley** and can include photos representing the summer, fall, winter, or spring seasons taken between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011. **Only current OLLI members are eligible to participate**, so please make sure your membership is up-to-date prior to entry. Photos can be submitted at anytime up to June 30. **Please note that entering your photo gives Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UAH and UAHuntsville permission to use your name and photo for the OLLI web site, catalog, newsletter, or any publications pertaining to the photo contest.. You will be emailed a release form after your photograph is submitted, and it will not be eligible for judging until the signed release form is received.**

Guidelines:

- ◆ **Theme:** Tennessee Valley **Seasons**
- ◆ **Specs:**
 - * Photographs must be converted to a digital jpg format
 - * Photo editing is permitted but keep the original photo
 - * Photo must not have identifying/copyright marks
 - * Preferred size is 1024 pixels
 - * Resolution at 72
 - * Color photos are preferred
 - * Email as an attachment
- ◆ **Submit to:** OLLInewsletter@msn.com. You can submit up to three entries; include your name, phone number, and email address. Give some information about the photo, where you took it and the date.



A Lively May OLLI Annual Meeting

As always, the food and decorations at the Annual Meeting on May 13 were splendid, thanks to Nan Case and her Social Committee. Guest speaker Cathie Mayne of the Land Trust gave an interesting presentation about our local and regional land. New Board of Director members were elected, outgoing Board of Directors members were recognized, and warm thanks were given to the Instructors and facilitators for an excellent Spring Term.



OLLI Membership Form for June 1, 2011 – May 31, 2012

Name _____ Preferred Name on Badge _____

Street Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Please send OLLI Newsletters via: E-mail [] Please send OLLI Newsletters via Postal Service: []

Do you want to receive E-mail messages about OLLI activities? Yes [] No []

Join the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at UAH by mailing this completed form and a check for \$15, payable to:
Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UAH.

MAIL TO: Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UAH
P.O. Box 1581, Huntsville, AL 35807
PHONE: 256-824-6959

How did you hear about OLLI? Senior Center Family & Friends
 Library WLRH Huntsville Times
 Other: Please Specify _____

If referred by an individual, please list their name _____

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at UAH is not responsible for any damage or personal injury sustained when a member is participating in any OLLI sponsored activities on or off the UAH Campus.

Membership: \$15

Scholarship Fund*: _____

Total Enclosed: _____

Date: _____

New Membership []

Gift Membership Yes [] No []

Gift From _____

*If you would like to make a contribution to the OLLI Scholarship Fund for a UAHuntsville student, please include the additional amount you would like to donate in your check.

Important Notice: Inputs for the July/August Newsletter are due by July 19.

Please send articles and ideas to Lorrie White, Editor; Joyce Pettis, Co-editor, at OLLInewsletter@msn.com.
Please understand that due to cost and space constraints, articles may be edited for length.



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