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A Message from Grace:

Leaves are falling and our thoughts are turning to Thanksgiving. Outside, preparations are being made for the winter season. And at Founders Hall we are getting ready for our Winter Semester. The course book should arrive in mid-November.

Our members' health is still foremost in our minds. Given the current situation, we will hold Winter Semester classes on Zoom. We remain hopeful that we will be able to reopen the building in the spring. We will update you as soon as we have information.

Please mark your calendars for our next Pick-Me-Up. Seeing everyone who attended our inaugural event was uplifting for me and the entire staff. I am already looking forward to doing it again. Thank you for being a part of our Founders Hall family.

HIGHLIGHTS

- NOV 6 GAMES ON ZOOM: Scattergories
- 12 BOOK DISCUSSION: *The Custom of the Country* (via Zoom)
- 13 GAMES ON ZOOM: Bingo
- 17 Pick-Me-Up sponsored by *Constellation Home Care*
- 18 Cooking with Mark & Grace
- 20 GAMES ON ZOOM: Wheel of Fortune
- 26 Closed for Thanksgiving
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DEC 7 Winter Semester registrations due

Games on Zoom are sponsored by: *The Greens at Cannondale and Wilton Meadows.*

NEWS AND UPDATES

PICK-ME-UP

Tuesday, November 17 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Our first Pick-Me-Up was so much fun, we're doing it again! RSVP to drive by the building between 10:00 am and 12:00 pm on Tuesday, November 17. We'll have a bag for you containing butternut squash soup, a biscuit and pumpkin oatmeal cookies. The staff will be outside to say hello and enter you into a raffle for an Adam Broderick gift card. And for those without transportation, we will deliver your gift bag to you in the early afternoon. RSVP to 203-431-7000 by Friday, November 13. *Sponsored by Constellation Home Care.*

GAMES ON ZOOM START NOVEMBER 6

Will include interactions among players.

Now that there is a chill in the air, we are moving our Friday Game Days from the patio to Zoom. Scattergories, Bingo, Wheel of Fortune - your favorites are already on the schedule. We will be using Zoom in a new way for these games, which will foster interactions with other players. The time will be 1:00 pm, starting on November 6. Please sign up so that we know to send you the link. You can also request to be grouped with friends during the game. 203-431-7000.

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Book Discussion

The Custom of the Country by Edith Wharton
November 12, at 3:00 pm via Zoom
facilitated by staff of the Ridgefield Library



Please let us know if you want to receive the Zoom link. This book is available at the Ridgefield Library and on Hoopla.

Do you need help with Zoom?

We will be using the video conferencing technology Zoom for the foreseeable future. We know this could be challenging and we want to help you use Zoom successfully.

Call us today to talk with us about your situation. We will work one-on-one with you to get you up and running. Everyone is different, so we craft the solution to fit the person.

Call us at 203-431-7000 and ask for Grace or Tracy.

New Members

(as of October 16)

Welcome!

Iskra Alexandrov
Diana Friedlander
Moki Kokoris
Bob Lewis
Annette Stanley

Support Founders Hall this Holiday Season

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Cooking with Mark & Grace

The Webers will co-host this special cooking class focusing on an easy Thanksgiving menu for singles, couples or small groups.

- Wednesday, November 18 from 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm.

- Via Zoom. Link will be sent to all members.

Winter Semester

Register by:
December 7

Classes start:
January 4

Founders Hall gift certificates...

are great holiday gifts!

You, your friends or family can buy them online at founders-hall.org.



Or, call Tracy Dubin and she will help you with the process. 203-431-7000.



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