

EMERITI NEWSLETTER

President Duane Nellis was the speaker at the September luncheon and he had a sizeable audience. I heard that about 130 people had signed up and I believe it -- the ballroom at The Ohio University Inn was packed. I don't think management could have fit one more table in the room and all those tables were full! And to top it all off, Dr. Charles Ping was there.

Dr. Nellis spoke of his very favorable impressions of Ohio University, its campus and its branches. He has had a full agenda of visits to the academic departments and the administrative areas. He has been to Lancaster, Portsmouth, and Chillicothe; he visited the medical facility in Dublin (that's the one in Ohio, not Ireland). He was upbeat and enthusiastic and put a welcome emphasis on the academic side of Ohio University.

Welcome, Dr. Nellis.

New Emeriti Inductees

The luncheon for this month saw the induction of the following new emeriti members:

Douglas Bolon, Associate Professor Emeritus of Health Services Administration

Patricia Cambridge, Assistant Professor Emerita of Journalism

William P. Christy, Assistant Professor Emeritus of Music and Interdisciplinary Arts

Jeffry Scott Connor, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

Sally J. Fusner, Associate Professor Emerita of Nursing

Jeffry James Geisey, Associate Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science

Robert Patrick Hasset, Associate Professor Emeritus of Biological Sciences

Herman Wiley Hill, Jr. Director Emeritus of the Cutler Scholars Program

Joseph L. Hudak, Assistant Professor Emeritus of Social and Public Health

Sandra J. Jones, Associate Professor Emerita of Nursing

Mary Carter Keifer, Associate Professor Emerita of Business Law

Kaye Martin, Associate Professor Emerita of Middle Childhood Education

Zanemvula Zakes Mda, Professor Emeritus of English

Jan Palmer, Associate Professor Emeritus of Economics

Nicolae H. Pavel, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

Mark W. Phillips, Distinguished Professor Emeritus of Music

Rosemary Rossiter, Professor Emerita of Economics

Frank Lee Schwartz, Professor Emeritus of Medicine

Peter J. Souza, Professor Emeritus of Visual Communication

Robert Stanley Staron, Associate Professor Emeritus of Anatomy

Quoc-Phong Vu, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics (posthumous)

A. Michael Williford, Associate Provost Emeritus

Next Month's Speaker will be Dr. Dr. Amrit Singha, Professor of English

Speaking on "Partun of India"

Emeriti Board Members

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Interesting Things I've Learned

I just read that dancing (dancing!) can boost your memory and even reverse brain changes associated with aging. According to a study reported in *Frontiers in Aging Neuroscience* dancing beats both walking and stretching regimens for this and it apparently doesn't matter what kind of dancing you do. So if you performed your last boogaloo a decade or so ago, take up ballroom dancing, square dancing, line dancing, ballet. If you can't find a class or club to join, start your own.

A Good Source of Information

You can get all sorts of useful and interesting information about the who and what of the Ohio University Emeriti Association by typing those very words into your computer. The site has the association's constitution, news items, a list of members' names and other things you may want to know. Check it out.

Try the Classroom from the Other Side of the Desk

Here's a way to flex (tax?) your brain. Ohio University offers a chance for retirees to take courses for free (There is a charge for lab fees). You need to be an Ohio resident and 60 years old or older (They shushed me when I referred to it as the Old Fogies Program. Is there such a thing as a *young* fogey?) This is an opportunity to look into those intriguing topics you really didn't have time for when you were on that arduous pursuit of your degree and then taken up with teaching.

You can learn more about this by going on line under Ohio University Office of the Registrar, then clicking the Senior or 60+ tab. The other option is to call 740 593-4191 and speak to Brenda Dorr.

Life After Retirement

Jerry L. Sloan (BSJ 59 and Jeanne C. Sloan BSED 58)

The Sloans have retired to North Carolina and Jerry sent the following account of life beyond the classroom:

After 32 years in auto industry Public Relations, I retired when I was appointed a professor in the Scripps School of Journalism. I taught for 10 years. Then in 2002 I retired a second time and my wife Jeanne and I moved to Davidson, North Carolina, just north of Charlotte. We love retirement. We travel when we want and where we want. We visit our four children, 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren almost at the drop of a hat. We have taken a number of European river cruises and taken all our grandchildren either on Disney cruises or tours out west, plus we've driven across the country several times. I have nearly retired my snow shovel. And living on Lake Davidson gives us a permanent home and a summer home all in one.

We'd like to hear from others of you. Tell us about *your* retirement.

Obituaries

Nandola

Kahandas Nandola, 82, passed away on Sept. 4, 2017, in Libertyville, Illinois, of complications from a recent stroke. Dr. Nandola was born Jan. 17, 1935, in Tirupur (Tamil Nadu), India. He graduated with honors from the University of Madras with a bachelor's degree in commerce. He came to study in the U.S. and graduated with an MBA degree from the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania in December of 1962. He wrote his PhD dissertation on the economics of supermarkets while he worked at the Marketing Science Institute in Philadelphia and later at St. Joseph's University. He graduated with a PhD from the Wharton School of Business in May of 1970 and took a marketing professorship position at Ohio University in 1971. He founded the Executive MBA program at Ohio University and graduated 26 outstanding classes during his tenure as director of that program. Students were impressed with his ability to instruct, discuss, and converse in any environment while never losing his gentlemanly character, consistent with his treatment of all people. This echoes his motto for his Executive MBA Program of "Excellence with Elegance." He retired from Ohio University in 2006. He and his wife, Puspalata Nandola (deceased in 2015), were married in 1964. He is survived by his son Rabinder Nandola and two grandchildren, Sarah and Thomas. Dr. Nandola loved tennis and was an avid swimmer and walker for many years. He moved to Grayslake, Illi., in 2007 to be closer to his son and grandchildren. A cremation ceremony was held on Sept. 18. Condolences and memories can be sent to robnandola@yahoo.com.

Jageman

Larry W. Jageman, 79, of Athens died peacefully at home on Oct. 3, 2017, surrounded by family and friends after a short battle with cancer. Dedicated to helping those in need, he was an active member of the Central Avenue United Methodist Church, Good Works, the Boy Scouts, Montana de Luz (Honduras mission), and Athens Disability Commission, among many other community activities. He leaves behind a vast circle of friends who cared dearly about him. He received his bachelors degree from Central Missouri State and earned a Masters Degree and PHD from the University of Northern Colorado. He joined Ohio University in the late 1960s as a professor in Special Education. He is survived by Mary, his wife of 53 years; two sons, Brad (Rebecca) Jageman of Springboro, and Broc Jageman of Athens; two siblings, and several nieces and nephews.

Please consider making a charitable donation to the "James E. Jageman Scholarship

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