

EMERITI NEWSLETTER

OHIO UNIVERSITY

September Program

September's program will bring us Dr. David Scholl, Chairman of the Ohio University Board of Trustees. He will assist with the swearing in of new Emeriti. He will also offer a glance into what the future holds for Ohio University.

EMERITI LUNCHEON

September 19, 2019, 11:30 a.m., The Ohio University Inn

MENU

Things to Remember About the Luncheon

Mixed Green Salad

1. Lunches normally cost \$16. However, the September lunch is FREE

Searched Cod

2. Notify Tom Franz (franz@ohio.edu) if you will attend on the 19th.

Oven Roasted Chicken

3. If you "always attend" but can't make it this month, notify Tom Franz (franz@ohio.edu) by September 12

Roasted Red Potatoes

4. To be sure you get some, select your dessert BEFORE you sit down to eat.

Brussels Sprouts

Assorted Desserts

Message from the Emeriti President – Alan Boyd

The Emeriti Association needs leadership. We struggled to put together a board this year and we ended up with a past president serving again, i.e. me (and George Weckman, also a past president, served this past year). I am sure that nearly all of the members of the association have been leaders in one way or another in their careers -- department chairs, search committee chairs, other committees, both here at OU and in professional organizations. Why did we take those jobs but are unwilling to support the Emeriti Association? Were there professional rewards, such as plaques, lunches or dinners sponsored by the organizations? Did we feel we were responsible for the organizations we served? What are the incentives from the Emeriti Association that would stimulate future participation? Let me or John Hollow know what would encourage you to get involved in our leadership. If you would enjoy board meetings which are fun, have a sense of responsibility for an organization you are happy to be part of or something else, let us know what you would like to see happen to our organization. Uncle Emeriti needs you.

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What Have YOU Done Since You Retired? You've read the various entries which have appeared under this heading, such as Eric Wagner's, Danny Moates's, Gary Schumacher's, and others.

I encourage you to send me a write-up about YOU. Or send me the name and contact information for someone you would be interested in reading about. I'm at plhb222@hotmail.com. Put Emeriti Newsletter on the subject line.

Konneker Center

Just a reminder -- If you want to visit one of the offices formerly found in the Konneker Center, you'll find them in Lindley Hall. Konneker is being remodeled on the inside and will be out of commission for months.

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OBITUARIES

Because there were no newsletters during the summer hiatus, this issue is made up almost entirely of obituaries.

Lowell Galloway

Lowell Galloway died on May 13, 2019. He was born in Toledo, Ohio, and spent his early years there. After graduation from high school he attended Northwestern University in a program with the United States Navy. After graduation with a BS degree in economics and a commission as a Navy ensign he served for three years with the military. He then attended Ohio State University for an MA in economics, and went on to earn a PhD there.

Galloway held a variety of short-term academic positions throughout the United States and with the Social Security Administration, and then accepted a position as professor of economics at Ohio University in 1967. During his long tenure at OU he also served with a wide array of public service organizations throughout the state and the nation. He authored seven books and numerous professional articles.

Lowell is survived by his wife, two daughters, a son, several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

A more detailed obituary is available in the archives of *The Athens (Ohio) Messenger*.

Lynden Williams

Lynden Williams died in Buhl, Idaho, on May 28, 2019. He served in the Army Airborne and then the Peace Corps. He earned a BA and an MA from Long Beach State College and a PhD from Kansas University. He was a professor of geography at Ohio University, with a specialty in Latin America, particularly Peru and Ecuador.

He is survived by his wife, daughter, and grandchildren and is mourned by many more.

Lucian (Lou) Spataro

Lou Spataro died June 8, 2019, in Anthem-Arroyo Grande, Arizona.

He earned his PhD at the University of Illinois-Champaign in 1965 and spent over 30 years at Ohio University as a professor of Business

Administration. In addition to his teaching he consulted all over the world and contributed to numerous academic publications. He served in a number of professional leadership positions and was president of the American Business Communication Association in 1978,

Dr. Spataro is survived by his wife, two sons, two brothers and a sister.

Memorial tributes may be made as donations to the John Spataro Memorial Fund at www.johnspataro.com.

A more complete obituary is available at *The Athens Messenger* Archives.

Bruce Steiner

Bruce Steiner died on July 13, 2019, in Athens, Ohio. Born and raised in rural Wisconsin, he attended the College of St. Thomas in St. Paul, Minnesota. Earning a Woodrow Wilson enabled him to attend the University of Virginia where he earned a PhD in 1962. Following that he joined the Ohio University Department of History.

Bruce served on the OU Faculty Senate, was an associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, chaired the Department of History and oversaw the creation of the Contemporary History Institute.

He was active in volunteer work such as anti-capital punishment protests, the Athens Pregnancy Resource Center, among many others.

Bruce was preceded in death by his wife but is survived by a son and a daughter and two grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to Habitat for Humanity of Southeastern Ohio, the Athens Pregnancy Resource Center or Good Works, Inc.

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