

# OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE OLLI TIMES

at The University of Georgia

## PRESIDENT'S COLUMN: THE OLLI STAFF

Hello, OLLI folks.

There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens. Time to have fun in class, at lunch, or in your Special Interest Group. And time to get better acquainted with the people who administer your organization.

OLLI@UGA is fortunate to have an excellent staff, and all of them would be pleased to meet you. So be sure to say hello and introduce yourself when you run into Katy Crapo, Zu Reuter, Shelly Magruder, Sara Williamson, Rita Healan, and Amy Munnell.

OLLI's Executive Director is **Katy Crapo**. Katy earned a bachelor's degree in human resource management and a master's degree in adult education and held a variety of positions in higher education before moving to Athens with her husband Paul in 2010. She is responsible for managing OLLI's operations, supervising the staff, and implementing policies and programs in accordance with OLLI's mission. She is an *ex officio* member of the Board and of all standing committees. And she represents OLLI externally.



**KATY CRAPO**  
Executive Director



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Manager of Member Services and Technology



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Bookkeeper



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**AMY MUNNELL**  
Social Media Coordinator

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## OLLI PARTNERS WITH UGA PERFORMING ARTS FOR CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES



**Patrick Castillo**—composer, performer, and instructor of OLLI's pre-concert chamber music classes

A unique partnership between OLLI@UGA and the UGA Performing Arts Center has yielded a series of special classes by a renowned music educator presented in conjunction with UGA's prestigious Franklin College Chamber Music Series. OLLI@UGA members who purchased the full series will receive a special discount.

The Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center, a premier repertory company for chamber music, will be the featured attraction in the series of six concerts – three this fall and three in spring 2016 – to be held in Hodgson Concert Hall on the UGA campus. The first concert of the Franklin College Chamber Music Series on October 4 featured the husband-wife duo of cellist David

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# PRESIDENT'S COLUMN



**Betty Jean with Cosmo**  
(photo by Chuck Murphy)

**Zuleme Reuter** is Manager of Member Services and Technology. In 2010, with more than twenty years of training and administrative experience in programming, staffing, and personal lines insurance, she moved from Arizona to Georgia. Zu facilitates communication with members, works with volunteers, and operates the software systems that serve the membership. She is an *ex officio* member of the Membership Committee and the Information Technology Committee.

**Shelly Magruder** is Office Manager. She has a bachelor's degree from the University of Georgia in Education. She oversees the office, ensuring that it is open during business hours, gives customer support to members and volunteers, processes data, and provides bookkeeping assistance to the bookkeeper, the treasurer, and the chair of the Finance Committee. She also gives logistical support to instructors, volunteers, and members.

**Sara Williamson**, a Certified Public Accountant, is Bookkeeper. Sara has a bachelor's degree from the University of Maryland in secondary education and post-graduate work at North Carolina State in accounting. After twenty-two years as an accountant in Raleigh, North Carolina, she moved to Athens. She now works as an independent contractor bookkeeper for OLLI@UGA and Family Connection-Communities in the Schools of Athens.

**Rita Healan** is Office Assistant. She has a bachelor's degree from the University of Georgia in education. She assists OLLI's administrators in a variety of ways, with registration, membership sign-ups, parking, and countless other tasks that arise.

**Amy Munnell** has worked for OLLI for twelve years, first as Registrar and now as Social Media Coordinator. She is a 1984 graduate of UGA with a BA in English. Amy publicizes OLLI through Facebook and Twitter, posting news, announcements and photos about OLLI@UGA to drive traffic to OLLI's website. She also posts articles she finds about health, personal finance, retirement, travel and other subjects of interest to our members.

At the end of the last fiscal year, OLLI's members numbered almost fourteen hundred. When our academic programs and social activities function well, we may forget that we have Katy, Zu, Shelly, Sara, Rita, and Amy working diligently at the computer, on the phone, and in meetings to ensure that OLLI enhances all of our lives. When we get to know them we discover not only what they do for us but how interesting they are as individuals and how much fun they are to be with.

(I apologize for ending this column with a preposition.)

Betty Jean Craige  
President

## OLLI TIMES FALL SUBMISSION INFORMATION

Material for the December issue (to be mailed the week of November 30) is due Thursday, November 12. The *OLLI Times* is published six times a year with news about OLLI, its members, and OLLI events. Address questions, suggestions, and submissions to [patmcalex@gmail.com](mailto:patmcalex@gmail.com).

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# NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION



**Welcome table: Hosts Ralph and Jean Crown, Carol Lee Baker, and Kit Haney await new members at the Fall 2015 New Member Orientation. In back: Jay and Cathy Shinn.**



**New OLLI members listen to a presentation in a classroom. (by Julie Cashin)**

The OLLI Hospitality Committee planned and organized the New Member Orientation (formerly “Newbies”) that took place at River Crossing on August 12, 2015. There were approximately 78 new members attending. The event began at 1:00 p.m. with registration, where each new member was given a red folder with inserted information from committees and SIGS. They were then escorted to three classrooms for presentations of 20 minutes each on (A) OLLI background and financial information and class registration; (B) using online technology; (C) meeting people by getting involved and joining SIGS, committees and volunteering. The new members remained in their original classroom and speakers rotated.

Refreshments were prepared and served at the end of the presentations by Hospitality members. This provided an opportunity for questions to the presenters and other seasoned members. We had a lot of positive feedback; it was another successful New Members Orientation!

## NEEDED: NOMINATIONS FOR 2015-16 NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The OLLI Board of Directors is seeking nominations for the 2015-2016 Nominating Committee. The Board will elect the Committee’s members at its November meeting. The Nominating Committee develops the slate of candidates for officers and Board members who stand for election by the membership at the Annual Meeting in May. According to our Bylaws, the Nominating Committee consists of the President-Elect and four additional members. Their term of office is one year, beginning on the day of the Board’s November meeting and ending on that day the following year.

Please consider nominating yourself or another OLLI member for this important position. Lee Albright, President-Elect, will accept nominations until October 28. Email them to her at [leealbright207@gmail.com](mailto:leealbright207@gmail.com) or turn them in to the OLLI Office.

The member making the nomination is responsible for obtaining the potential candidate’s willingness to serve and for submitting the name to Lee on the form available on the website. Click on the link on the Announcement Scroller on the [olli.uga.edu](http://olli.uga.edu) website, “Nominations Open: 15-16 Nominating Committee.” Forms are also available in the office.

# A BASH OF A BASH



**Dona Conway (left) and Louise McElroy (right) eating Lanier Gardens/Talmage Terrace's refreshments and socializing with a guest (by Bill Flatt)**



**The crowd at the Bash (by Julie Cashin)**

After a special membership meeting (where the single full-year membership signup period was changed to one beginning in July and one in January of each year), OLLI held one of the best-attended Bashes ever. The comments below give a sense of the Bash experience.

**Clover Weller:** We were “having the time of our lives” at the Membership table! What a joy to welcome new and renewing members!

**Jay Shinn:** Only a small [percentage] of the guests at the Bash actually filled out the Guest Registration form and received a Guest name tag, but even at that we had 52 registered guests. Forty people signed up as new members.

**Katy Crapo:** The energy at the Bash was palpable! It is a pleasure to greet guests and welcome back “seasoned” members! Having our sponsors present allowed OLLI members an opportunity to learn more about their products and services.

**Peggy Cole:** It was a lot of fun. There were so many people! . . . I sat for awhile at the UGA Speech and Hearing Clinic table [one of the OLLI sponsors], since I've worn their hearing aids for years. They gave over 50 screenings.

**Katherine Winslow:** This was my first Bash and I was delighted to see such a good turnout. We were so busy with the OLLI Gear table that I never left the table once during the Bash. Even so, I could see that everyone was having a good time

**Chuck Murphy** (when I asked if he'd taken any photos at the Bash): Sorry, I didn't take a single shot. I . . . never got away from the Picture This! table to get a shot.

**Jay Shinn's** summary: “It was a great day - truly a bash of a Bash!”



**Clover Weller, Dick Lynch, and Ray Zwaagstra at the Membership Table, signing up new members. That's Gordhan Patel on the right. (by Bill Flatt)**



**Katherine Winslow (left) at the OLLI Gear table (by Julie Cashin)**



Dog t-shirt



Human t-shirt



Field bag



Drinking glass

## NEW ONLINE OLLI@UGA LOGO STORE NOW OPEN

Now you have an easy way to order a variety of OLLI@UGA logo items – at wholesale prices – with all items mailed directly to you. On the OLLI website you will find a link to a special online “store” that offers a selection of apparel as well as items for home, office, travel and even your pet dog! Each item is listed with a picture, description, sizing chart, and color choices. Tax and shipping costs will be added to all orders.

Ready to begin your shopping experience at the new OLLI Logo Store? You will find the link on the OLLI website in two places:

1. **Public site:** Go to “More links” (lower left-hand series of links in red boxes) and click on OLLI Logo Store.
2. **Member site:** Click on “My Dashboard,” select Member Services (button at the top of the page), and then click on OLLI Logo Store. You will go immediately to the complete chart of logo items.

This online store is managed through an independent company, CaféPress. All correspondence about OLLI logo items sold through that site will be handled by CaféPress.

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## OLLI PARTNERS WITH UGA PERFORMING ARTS FOR CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES

Finckel and pianist Wu Han, both artistic directors of the Chamber Music Society. The next five concerts in the series will offer a tour of music history with each performance focusing on a different period of music from Baroque to the 20<sup>th</sup> century.

The concert dates and themes to come are as follows:

- **Thursday, Oct. 22, 8:00 p.m. The Age of Grandeur: 1650-1750** – works by Bach, Telemann, and Vivaldi.
- **Thursday, Nov. 19 8:00 p.m. Classical Celebration** – The Orion String Quartet playing quartets by Haydn, Mozart, and Beethoven
- **Thursday, Jan. 28 8:00 p.m. Romantic Masterworks** – works by Schubert, Smetana, and Schuman
- **Thursday, Feb. 11 8:00 p.m. Pianos/Pianists** – Wu Han, Alessio Bax and special guest Robert Spano perform works by Debussy, Stravinsky, and Gershwin
- **Sunday, April 24 3:00 p.m. Glorious Sextets** – works by Strauss, Dvorák, and Brahms

Each of these chamber music performances will (like the first concert) be paired with an OLLI class presented at River’s Crossing. The classes will meet from 10:30 to 11:45 a.m. the morning of the weekday concerts and on Friday morning for the weekend concert on April 24. The instructor is Patrick Castillo, an accomplished composer and performer. During his multifaceted career, he has also led a variety of pre-concert discussion events, and has authored, narrated and produced the widely acclaimed AudioNotes series of listener’s guides to the chamber music literature.

To enroll in the UGA Franklin College Chamber Music Series, go to Event Registration after logging in on the OLLI website.



**“Cooking Class—The Healthy Gourmet” September 10.** Chef Tim Dondero demonstrates an interesting-looking dish. (by Cheryl Copeland)

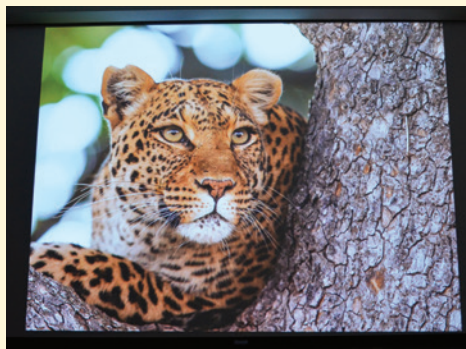
**“Childhood in Nazi Germany” September 28.** Ludwig Uhlig, UGA Emeritus Professor of Germanic and Slavic Languages, likewise kept a packed classroom spellbound—in this case, with his detailed, often shocking memoir of his early life as a ward of the Nazi welfare system. Consigned to a military boarding school, he and his parents barely survived the horrendous 1945 Dresden fire bombing and the Soviet invasion, finally escaping east across what would become known as the Iron Curtain. (John Albright)

Old expressions that have become obsolete because of the inexorable march of technology...[include] “don’t touch that dial,” “carbon copy,” “you sound like a broken record,” and “hung out to dry.” We at [this] end of the chronological arc have the advantage of remembering there are [now] words that once did not exist and there were words that once strutted their hour upon the earthly stage and now are heard no more, except in our collective memory. It’s one of the greatest advantages of aging.-- Selections from linguist Richard Lederer sent to us by Tom Wittenberg

**“Grass, Prey, Predator” September 23.** Chuck Murphy kept his class of 40-something spellbound as he described his adventures in Botswana last year, traveling with a professional wildlife photographer who was also his guide. Chuck showed incredible—and beautiful—shots he’d taken of lions, hyenas, elephants, African wild dogs, giraffes, hippopotamuses, and various multi-colored African birds. Equally thrilling were his descriptions of the adventures he and his guide encountered. Particularly memorable: an attack on their small boat by a hippo, being chased in their vehicle by an elephant, and a hyena literally eating Chuck’s newly purchased trail camera outside his tent during the night. As for lions, he said, “Inside the vehicle, you’re invisible to them. Outside, you’re lunch.”



Title slide for Chuck’s class



One of his fascinating Botswana shots



Chuck’s way of saying “The End” (by Pat McAlexander)

“Times have changed. I will never forget the first time I saw a bucket of Kentucky Fried Chicken sitting on a table at a covered-dish dinner. I knew then that we were presiding over the decline of civilization.”

—Darrell Huckaby, *The Banner-Herald*

# CLASSES



**“World of Insects” on October 9.** Professor Paul Guillebeau (third from right) and his class set out on an excursion to find insects at the Bot Gardens. *(by Pat McAlexander)*

## OLLI Happy Halloween Luncheon

Step out of the pages and become your favorite storybook character  
....the **SCARIER** the better!



Join the **Evil Stepmother** and her **Ugly Daughters** at:

George's Lowcountry Table  
2095 Millege Avenue  
**11:30 Friday, October 30**

Dutch Treat – Reservations Required  
Seating Limited to 50  
Limited Menu

Costumes Optional

**Reserve on line or call the OLLI office at  
706.542.7715**



**Below are three upcoming trips you may be interested in. To register for these trips, go to [the OLLI Website](#), check in, and click on “Event Registration” (at top left of the website page next to “Courses.”)**

## Historic Fox Theatre and High Museum November 12, 2015

Have you ever wanted to see the backstage and workings of Atlanta’s fabulous Fox Theatre and combine this with a visit to the High Museum of Art to see a special collection that is in town? Well, now you can, all in one day, on November 12, 2015. The total cost is \$80. This covers everything but lunch (private bus to and from Atlanta, admission fees to the Fox Theatre and the High Museum, snacks on bus).

**Visit to Fox Theatre.** You may have seen shows at the Fox, but this will be your opportunity to take a tour to get behind the scenes of this historic theater. You will need to be able to walk up and down a number of stairs and please note that some places are not ADA (American Disabilities Act) accessible on this tour.

**The High Museum.** The special collections at the High will be “Hapsburg Splendor: Masterpieces from Vienna’s Imperial Collections” and “American Encounters: The Simple Pleasures of Still Life.” We will have a special talk by a docent on the Hapsburg Splendor exhibition.

**Note:** If you are a member of the High Museum and bring your membership card, you will receive a \$10 refund of the admission fee

since it will not be necessary for OLLI to purchase a ticket for your admission to the museum.

### Schedule

- Depart Athens at 8:00 a.m.
- Tour the Fox Theatre in morning
- Lunch on your own or with other group members about noon at one of several places near the Fox Theatre
- Depart Fox Theatre area via bus after lunch for the High Museum
- Afternoon at the High Museum
- Depart for Athens about 3:45/4:00 p.m.
- Arrive back in Athens around 5:30 p.m.

**Registration deadline: October 30. Space is limited, so register soon. Questions? Contact Bill Allworth ([wilo59@charter.net](mailto:wilo59@charter.net)) or Don Schneider ([d Schneider36@att.net](mailto:d Schneider36@att.net)).**



Scene from the 2013 Dallmeyer excursion to the Appalachians. Note the motto on the navy blue geology t-shirt toward the right: “It’s not our fault.” (by Dorinda Dallmeyer)

(See story about the 2016 version on opposite page)



## Course-Linked Excursion: “Building the Appalachians—Tectonics and the Geology of Georgia,” March 7 - 11, 2016

There will be an optional excursion associated with the OLLI course “Building the Appalachians” (February 29-March 4). Registration in this course is a requirement for participation in the excursion. Those registering for the excursion will be guaranteed a course position.

The course will describe the geology of Georgia and its relationship to plate tectonics and development of the Appalachian Mountains. Daily laboratory sessions will provide a “hands-on” geological experience. The trip is a five-day, four-night excursion that initiates in Athens at River’s Crossing on the morning of March 7. Transport will be by rental mini-vans. Stops will be made at overlooks and roadside exposures. Minimal walking will be required. We will traverse the southern

Appalachians starting within fossil-bearing sedimentary rocks of the Valley and Ridge exposed in northeastern Alabama and northwestern Georgia. The trip will continue eastward across metamorphic and igneous rocks exposed in the North Georgia Blue Ridge and terminate in Athens on the afternoon of Friday March 11.

The registration fee for the excursion is \$350. This will cover the costs of van rental, fuel, staff, a comprehensive guidebook, the OLLI daily fee and the registration for the associated course. It will NOT include costs of accommodation or meals. Accommodations have been arranged in DeSoto State Park (Alabama), Chickamauga, Blue Ridge and Lake Chatuge with an average daily cost of approximately \$40/person (double occupancy). Registration must be completed prior to January 15, 2016. If you have any questions about the course or excursion, contact David Dallmeyer at [dallmeyr@uga.edu](mailto:dallmeyr@uga.edu). This excursion is limited to 20 participants.

## Scotland: July 16 - 29, 2016

Tracy Elder of Elder Excursions has arranged a trip to Scotland for OLLI@UGA members. Thirteen days in Scotland (July 16-29) for \$3200 includes all ground transportation; lodging for 12 nights; entrance fees for all venues with private tours at some; 24 meals (7 dinners, 3 lunches, all breakfasts and afternoon tea at the Willow Tea Room in Glasgow); a joint event with Edinburgh University’s lifelong learning group; all tips and taxes; a group leader to handle logistics; and the OLLI class fee. Airfare (flight to and from Glasgow) is not included. Trip insurance is required.

The itinerary includes a tour around Glasgow, Edinburgh; St. Andrews, Inverness, Orkney Islands, Loch Rannoch, and Pitlocherry. The trip is rated moderately challenging—walking up to five miles a day over varied terrain (some very steep), negotiating stairs without railings, and traveling where handicap access may not always be available. You must be able to carry your own bag from the coach to your room.



Cawdor Castle near Inverness, parts of which may have been built in the 1300’s (by Tracy Elder)

Deadline for registration is **January 1, 2016**. A deposit of \$500 should be paid at the time of registration with the balance due by March 1. For more information, contact Tracy Elder ([tracyelder@charter.net](mailto:tracyelder@charter.net) or 706.207.2885).

## And being planned: Costa Rica

UGA Entomology Professor Dr. Paul Guillebeau will be taking a group of 15 OLLI members and guests to Costa Rica from July 26 to August 1, 2016. He will take students from the two classes which he has taught at OLLI and will fill in with interested OLLI members to make a group of 15. If you would like to hear more details as they develop, please email Ann Crowley at [a.ann.crowley@gmail.com](mailto:a.ann.crowley@gmail.com).

# SPECIAL INTERES



These HAPPY HIKERS gathered for a group photo taken by a helpful passerby at Dicks Creek Falls in September.



Marilyn Allgood, in the company of 27 chattering LUNCH BUNCH friends, enjoys a surprisingly cool late summer day in Athens with a glass of wine and the locally grown delicacies of Heirloom Cafe. (by John Albright)



Serendipity. Midway through a Thursday excursion around Memorial Park, OLLI WALKS SIG'sters chanced upon Bear Hollow Zoo coordinator Clint Murphy (center). Filled with enthusiasm for local lore, global biology, and all sorts of Georgia critters, he told us about the resident bears Yonah, Athena and DJ, as well as about the Park's history, special contributions to lifelong learning, and upcoming festivals. (by John Albright)

# T GROUPS (SIGS)



A good crowd gathered for the first OLLI ROCKS meeting of the season on September 15. Professor William Fitt of the UGA's Department of Geology (front row, far right), spoke on "What Is a Coral Reef?" He also brought a collection of sea animals (some alive!) to show the group. (by Pat McAlexander)



**The Rook & Pawn**

A new Special Interest Group is **GAME ON!** This SIG provides a great opportunity for OLLI@UGA members to play and/or learn new games in a relaxed setting. It will meet the first Tuesday of each month at The Rook and Pawn, a game café in downtown Athens. In addition to having 600+ game titles, the café will supply our very own "Game Wizard" to teach new games to our group. The café also offers an excellent food service which includes a selection of snack items, salads, sandwiches, daily specials, desserts, beer on tap or in bottles, full coffee menu, and a variety of regular and unique cocktails, in addition to a tea service.

To join this group, go to "My Dashboard" and click on Special Interest Groups/Join a SIG (top of the page). If you need more information before joining, send an email to [kath.winslow@gmail.com](mailto:kath.winslow@gmail.com).

**OLLI BUDDIES** has been started this year for OLLI@UGA members who wish to volunteer to assist the faculty and staff at the Gaines Elementary School on Gaines School Road. This assistance can be as daily morning greeters, reading volunteers and math volunteers. Scheduling is flexible and done on a monthly basis. A Buddy can sign up for as many days each month as they wish. Orientations are given to each Buddy and will be scheduled as needed. A number of OLLI@UGA members have already signed up to be OLLI Buddies. For more information or to sign up, please go to the OLLI@UGA web page or contact Tom Kenyon at [tkenygroup@gmail.com](mailto:tkenygroup@gmail.com).



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# The OLLI Times



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OLLI artists met with Joanne Roth and Jeani Goodwin to plan the Art Fair. Front row l. to r.: John Weber, Margaret Agner, Cam Bridges, Jeani. Back row: Elizabeth Barton, Joanne, Chip McDonald

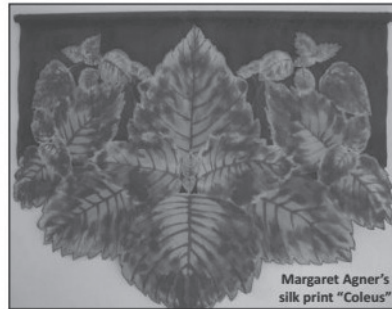
Photo by Pat McAlexander

## OLLI ART FAIR AND PLANT SWAP ON "LUCKY" FRIDAY, APRIL 13

On Friday, April 13, 1:00-4:00 p.m. at Central Presbyterian, OLLI is holding its First Annual Art Fair, which Joanne Roth, who initiated the idea, is whimsically calling "Drawing More Than Flies." At the same time there will be a "Need More

and scarves); Elizabeth Barton (art quilts and fiber collages), John Weber (photographs), Erica Lewis (weaving), Joanne Roth (illustrations/paintings), and Cam Bridges (oil on canvas paintings). Interest groups such as Picture This! Digital Photography and OLLI art, jewelry-making, and batik classes will be participating. OLLI writers are also invited to attend and display and/or sell their books. Clearly the fair will be, as John Weber puts it, "a showcase for the versatile talents of the OLLI membership."

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Margaret Agner's silk print "Coleus"

## NOMINATIONS FOR OLLI BOARD

**Remember the first OLLI Art Fair in March 2012? Retrieve OLLI memories through archived issues of the *OLLI Times*.**



Robert Burns

**Scots Wha Hae!!! Robert Burns Dinner** is scheduled for Saturday, January 23, 2016. Many of you attended the wonderful dinner last year celebrating the birthday of Scotland's Bard, Robert Burns. Over 220 enjoyed the bagpiping, the Highland dancing, the poems, and the pageantry—a grand occasion with many manly men in kilts and brow lassies in tartan skirts. If you did not attend, just ask someone who did! This January's dinner is in the planning and we expect to open up registration in November – so watch for that announcement! The dinner will be open to both OLLI and non-OLLI celebrants! And, don't hesitate to ask one of us about this signal event!!

Your Organizing Committee: Dotty Harnish, Dan Wilson, Alex Patterson, Smith Wilson, Ian Hardin

**OLLI Times and Photos Archived.** Want to re-read an article you remembered in the *OLLI Times* from past years? You don't have to have saved the hard copy! Issues of the *OLLI Times* from 2012 to the present are now archived on the OLLI website (and we plan to add issues from 2010 and 2011). Go to My Dashboard; click on Resources; on the menu that appears, click on [OLLI Times](#). You will see a row of images representing OLLI Times volumes by calendar year (see top of this page). Click on the year you want, then on the issue you want. You will get the issue to the left if you select the year 2012, then the March issue.

Photos of OLLI events are also archived; go to the same place and click on [Photo Gallery](#).

**OLLI Artists.** Margaret Agner's monotype "Sacred Bond," depicting her family when the kids were "middle-sized," won Best of Show in the Southern Heartlands Arts Juried Show, which ran through October 8. **Chuck Murphy's** photography exhibit, "Nature, Illustrated," at the Botanical Garden during the month of September, was impressive, as suggested by the viewer who said in disbelief, "Are these all by ONE GUY?" **Sylvia Dawe** is teaching Metalsmithing and Jewelry at the Lyndon House this fall. Her jewelry will be available at the Lickskillet Market at the Lyndon House Art Center October 24, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Paintings and quilts by **Elizabeth Barton** and paintings by **Dortha Jacobson** will be on display at Aurum Studios, 125 East Clayton Street, during the month of October. The Retro Album Covers exhibit at the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Athens during October and November features forty-two album cover designs, each depicting a song composed by OLLI artist/musician **Chip McDaniel**.

**The OLLI Bylaws Committee** has been meeting monthly this semester to update OLLI's bylaws. Members are Bill Alworth (chair), Lee Albright, Betty Jean Craige, Katy Crapo, Pat McAlexander, Don Schneider, and Barbara Timmons. The next meeting will be scheduled during the week of October 19. Members of OLLI, especially past and present members of the Board, are encouraged to attend or to submit written suggestions regarding bylaw changes that should be considered by the Committee.

**OLLI Kroger Shoppers: Link your card to benefit OLLI.** If you use a Kroger Plus Shopper card, you can link your purchases to Kroger charitable donations for OLLI@UGA using these three easy steps:

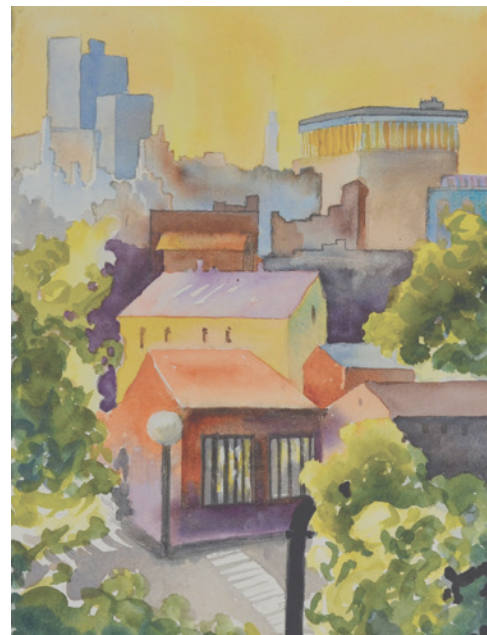
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