



# LLI MATTERS

Lifetime Learning Institute at SUNY New Paltz

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## Participate in your LLI

### Help us run the organization

Come join the fun! LLI is run by volunteer members, who help out in any number of ways, from participating in committees (such as curriculum or events) to being a class assistant to joining mailing parties. It's a lot of fun, and it provides ample opportunity to socialize and get to know other LLI members. We're always looking for more people to participate, so **let us know if you're able to help.**

### Suggest courses or offer to teach one

We are always open to new courses and instructors, so send us your suggestions. Or, maybe you have something you would like to teach to your fellow students. No pay, but the conditions are fabulous. Just let us know your interest, and we'll send out a course proposal form.

### Come to council meetings

Council meetings are held monthly (usually the second Friday of the month), and members are welcome to attend. Call to check the time and place, or to obtain meeting minutes.

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### Can you run audio/visual equipment?

**We are looking for someone who is tech savvy to help out during the period between catalog completion and classes starting. So, if you enjoy working with DVD players and LCD projectors, or you are good with technology issues, we have a dire need for your assistance.**

**HELP**

## LLI Registration Coordinator Jean Poirier



We are pleased to announce that Jean Poirier has been hired as the Registration Coordinator for LLI.

Jean comes to us with over 13 years of college administration experience with SUNY New Paltz. Among other things, Jean worked for the Language Immersion Institute as Program Coordinator, then was the Extension Program Coordinator for Continuing Education and finally was the Director of Business Projects in the School of Business. She is also the publicist for the Town of Plattekill. Jean is currently a stay-at-home mom for her two young children and says she is pleased to have her hand back in academia, albeit with our small organization.

Jean spent much of August and September training with Mary Cotton-Miller, LLI's Registrar, and Ellen Munzer, LLI's former administrative assistant. She got our classes off to a good start in September and looks forward to providing the best of care to our members.

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## Amy Baumann-Gabari Receives 2010 LLI Scholarship

Photo by Ken Wishnick

LLI President Myra Sorin (left) presents Amy Baumann-Gabari with LLI's third annual \$1,000 scholarship. The award is given to a non-traditional student at SUNY New Paltz and will assist with the purchase of expensive textbooks.

"I am trying to set an example for my children that education is a very important investment," said Ms. Baumann-Gabari, who is pursuing her degree in accounting. "I am so proud to be recognized by a program that shares my appreciation for learning, "



## JANUARY FILM SING-ALONGS

This year's intersession film series will be a delightful way to brighten up the winter.

**Every Wednesday in January**, we'll be treated to film musicals by Oscar and Hammerstein, while Carole Ford leads us in a sing-along as the songs appear on screen.



Please join us as we experience such classics as South Pacific, Carousel and The King and I. Bring your voice, or just come to listen. Bring a guest, if you'd like. We're going to have a lot of fun enjoying classic musicals and singing together.

**Time: 1:00 pm**

**Place: Woodland Pond**

*Woodland Pond (100 Woodland Pond Circle) is on North Putt Corners Road, about one mile north of Route 299 in New Paltz.*

## DECEMBER BRUNCH

**Wednesday, December 1.** Come to brunch to learn from Carole Ford and listen to her read from her new book, *After the Girls Club: How Teenaged Holocaust Survivors Built New Lives in America*. Look for flyer with details.

## Socialize at Jazzman's on the SUNY campus



Don't forget to stop in at Jazzman's for lunch or coffee before, after, or between your Wednesday classes on the SUNY campus. It's a good place to meet other LLI students and to relax between classes. Jazzman's is in the Faculty Tower, right next to Humanities and a few steps away from the Lecture Center.

See you at Jazzman's!

Classes start again in March. Look for your spring catalog in mid-January. Lots of stimulating courses !

## LLI COUNCIL

### Officers

**President:** Myra Sorin

**Vice President:** Sally Rhoads

**Secretary:** (vacant)

**Treasurer:** Ed Rogers

**Immediate Past President:** Gail Gallerie

**Registrar:** Mary Cotton-Miller

### Standing Committees

**Classroom Affairs:** Tomi Schneider

**Curriculum:** Lyn Mayo

**Events:** Gail Logan

**Membership:** June Polatsek

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### Members-at-Large

June Finer

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Helise Winters

Dean of Regional Education

SUNY New Paltz

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Get involved  
Engage your mind

## Having trouble parking on campus?

Try the LOOP bus, which travels through the core areas of New Paltz and the SUNY campus. Ask the driver to drop you off at the **Wooster Science parking lot** (close to the Humanities Building) and say which bus you wish to return on. There's free parking at the Route 32 N. Park & Ride (across from Stewarts), but the LOOP can be boarded anywhere along the route.

For the full schedule and map, call 340-3333 or go to [www.co.ulster.ny.us/ucat/schedules/newpaltz\\_loop\\_map.pdf](http://www.co.ulster.ny.us/ucat/schedules/newpaltz_loop_map.pdf).

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