



# OLLI NEWSLETTER What's Happening!

Issue #7



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#### Greetings!

OLLI at SBU Summer 2020 semester has ended! We hope you were able to participate in the summer workshops and other virtual events via zoom.

We hope you enjoy Issue #7 of our newsletter.

Please e-mail all suggestions and comments to Liz Wilson at: elizabeth.wilson@stonybrook.edu

## FALL 2020 REGISTRATION COMING SOON!

Please continue to check your email for updates on the Fall 2020 Semester and Registration.

# DON'T MISS THE SUMMER LECTURE SERIES EVENT TOMORROW!



# **DAVID BOUCHIER**

Tuesday, July 14, 2020 3:00 pm

**TOPIC:** Life in a French Village

\*You will receive the ZOOM link & password for the upcoming lecture in a separate email

# **OLLI AT SBU LECTURE SERIES**

We would like to thank all of our past OLLI at SBU Lecture Series speakers! The generosity of these speakers has been such a wonderful addition to the OLLI program especially now during this pandemic.

#### GIL HANSON, PhD

Distinguished Emeritus, Stony Brook University
Geology of the Three Village area
and Port Jefferson Village



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#### **BARRY LEWIS**

**Our Classic Catskills** 



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## TO ALL OLLI WORKSHOP LEADERS:

OLLI Members have expressed their gratitude for your generosity and dedication to the OLLI at SBU Program especially during these challenging times.

See their heartfelt notes of appreciation\* below

\*click red button to see all notes to WSL's

"Thank you so much to all of the workshop leaders whose dedication to the program raised our spirits and make our stay at home much more tolerable. I wish you all the best of health."

"First, thank you to all workshop leaders who have held classes in person in the past before this terrible virus changed the way we conduct our lives. Next, thank you to all workshop leaders who held Zoom classes for us when we could no longer attend classes in person. That was a challenge to you, and I thank you for learning how to do this so we could continue learning. Finally, a big thank you to summer Zoom leaders. You helped brighten my days while being isolated this spring and now during these early summer days. A BIG THANK YOU TO YOU ALL!"

"I want to thank all of our generous workshop leaders who have given their time to make our days at home so much less isolating and so much more enjoyable."

"It has been wonderful to spend the summer session with you. Thank you dear workshop leaders for facilitating stimulating, thought provoking, educational, and entertaining hours. We laughed, we cried, we got through another month of COVID-19 stay-in-place protocol. Zooming into one another's hearts and minds provided much needed connection to my many OLLI friends. In need, a very gratifying experience. Looking forward to more lifelong learning in September."

"Thanks for the bright light of OLLI workshops over these past few months. It was so nice to be able to continue learning while being physically isolated. Bravo to all the OLLI workshop leaders truly supporting the idea of lifelong learning."

#### **END OF YEAR REMARKS**

from the OLLI at SBU Presidents Council & Program Manager

Typically, The OLLI at SBU Program Manager & OLLI Advisory Board President's Council deliver their remarks to the OLLI Membership at the end of the year luncheon celebration. Given the circumstances surrounding COVID-19, the remarks were made virtually.

#### CLICK BELOW TO HEAR THEIR REMARKS

- OLLI at SBU Program Manager, Breanne Delligatti
- 19-20 OLLI Advisory Board President: Edward Metzendorf
- 19-20 OLLI Advisory Board President Elect: **Jothi Curcio**
- 19-20 OLLI Advisory Board Immediate Past President: Ira Kurtzberg
- 20-21 OLLI Advisory Board President Elect: Mary Hance

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# Maurie McInnis becomes Stony Brook's sixth President

Watch the Video: A Message from President Maurie McIniss









