Osher Participation Announcements for April 18 – 22:
Spring Week #3

- Please… welcome the new members in your classes, remember to wear your name tag, turn off/silence your cell phones, and “keep moving” in the hallways so we don’t have bottlenecks.
- Use the green Drop/Add forms in the lobby to inform staff you’d like to add or drop a course. Staff can then notify members on the waitlist if a spot opens up.
- Stop the spread of germs that make you and others sick – cover your cough with a tissue or your upper sleeve, not your hand. And wash hands often, especially with our classroom microphone sharing.
- PLEASE pay attention to traffic signs on campus – As you leave the Osher parking area, the Stop sign at Fairwood Dr. is not a three-way stop – through-traffic has the right of way. Please come to a complete stop before pulling out onto Fairwood.

This Week

Monday, April 18th
11:15am – 12:45pm
- One-Session Course: The Sistine Ceiling: A History, presented by Nancy McAfee, in Classroom #4

Monday, April 18th
Summer Course Proposals are Due
- If you plan to lead a course during the summer, please submit your proposal to staff by 4/18. There is a NEW course proposal form available on our website that contains additional data fields. Please use the new form so your proposal is complete and won’t be returned to you.

Tuesday & Wednesday, April 19th & 20th
12:50 – 1:20 pm
- New Member Orientation: We encourage all new members to attend this informative 30-minute meeting either on Tuesday OR Wednesday. On Tuesday the orientation will be held in Classroom #1, and on Wednesday it will be held in Classroom #2. Refreshments will be served.

Wednesday, April 20th
1:00 – 1:30 pm
- How to Lead a Course at Osher, in Classroom #5: Did you know that all our courses are led by fellow members? We would certainly benefit from having new course leaders to help expand our offerings. Join us to find out how to get started.

Thursday, April 21st
12:15 – 1:30pm
- Pfaudler Lecture Series: How to Secure Successful Brain Aging, presented by University of Rochester Assistant Professor in Nursing, and Brain and Cognitive Science Psychiatry, Feng Vankee Lin, Ph.D., in Classroom #3/4

Planning Ahead

Monday, April 25th
11:15am – 12:45pm
- One-Session Course: Behind the Scenes in Community Theatre, presented by Travis Piper, in Classroom #2

Thursday, April 28th
12:15 – 1:30pm
- Pfaudler Lecture Series: Reflections on the New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Land of the Free, presented by Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School President, Marvin A. McMickle, Ph.D., in Classroom #3/4
Important to Note

- **Classroom Safety**: Safety is the number one responsibility of each Osher member whether or not we use canes, walkers, wheelchairs, or any other mobility assisting devices. Please be sure all of your devices or other personal belongings are not blocking doorways or aisles. If you move your chair into an aisle, please move it back.

- **Reserved Seating**: Please reserve the seats marked with handicapped signs in each classroom for the members who need them. Please do not add chairs to the open space marked with “X”s in the back of Classrooms 3 & 4 as they are reserved for members with wheelchairs. Thank you.

- **Cap Your Cup!**: While you’re in our facility, please keep a cap on your coffee cups, soda bottles, etc. This helps prevent spills that stain our carpets! If you do happen to spill, please notify staff immediately so they can treat the stain.

- **Speaking of Coffee Cups**: Did you know that you can fit tall coffee mugs from home under the brew dispenser of our coffee machines? The small metal shelf that the paper cups normally sit on can flip up and out of the way to accommodate large mugs. Please flip it back down when you are done or else the machine won’t dispense coffee to the next paper cup!

- **Add / Drop Forms**: Members can add or drop a class at any time during the term by filling out an Add/Drop form, found on the table in the lobby by the bulletin boards near the women’s restroom, and also in the black bins just inside the door of each classroom.

- **Osher Calendar**: All Osher meetings, term dates, one-sessions, Pfaudlers, and more events are always current on our online calendar at [www.osher.rit.edu/content/orgcalendar.html](http://www.osher.rit.edu/content/orgcalendar.html).

- **Osher is on Facebook!**: Did you know we have a Facebook page? Go to [www.facebook.com/osheratrit](http://www.facebook.com/osheratrit) to “Like” our page and stay up to date with the latest Osher happenings!

- **In Case of Emergency**: Please note that Emergency Action instruction signs are posted throughout the building, including in each classroom. If needed, an **AED** is located in the kitchen near the closet doors.