

Good Ideas *25th Anniversary*

An enriching three-day program for lifelong learners age 50 and over

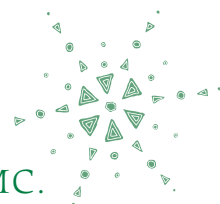
January 6, 7 & 8, 2009



25th Anniversary Good Ideas: A University Experience for Adults January 6, 7, & 8, 2009

Join a group of lifelong learners age 50 & over for an enriching three-day program at UWMC.

A January thaw for your mind and spirit.



Daily Schedule

8:15 - 8:45 am	Registration (Tuesday only) UWMC West Entrance Hallway
8:45 - 9:00 am	Welcome & Announcements (Tuesday only)
9:00 - 10:00 am	General Session, UWMC Theatre
10:00 - 10:30 am	Refreshment Break, Union. You're welcome to bring your own mug!
10:30 - 12:00 noon	Class
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 - 2:30 pm	Class
2:45 - 3:45 pm	Tuesday: <i>International Travel Photography of Clinton Randall Kidder</i> with Jim Lewis Tuesday & Wednesday: Open Swim - Fieldhouse Wednesday: <i>Wisconsin Valley Railroad</i> - with Ralph Wehlitz & Donald Haney

Full Lunch Menu

- January 6**
Homemade Chicken Noodle Soup, Tuna Salad on Croissant, Fruit, Anniversary Cake, Beverage
- January 7**
Chili, Ham & Swiss Cheese on Rye Bread, Relish Tray, Cookies, Beverage
- January 8**
Old-fashioned Bean Soup, Roast Beef and Provolone Cheese on Focaccia Bread, Fruit, Dessert Bars, Beverage

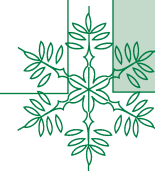


See Registration Instructions for Soup, Relish & Beverage option.

Good Ideas Advisory Board

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If you are interested in serving on this board, please contact Vickie in the Continuing Education Office.



Good Ideas: General Sessions

Tuesday - January 6

The Health of the Great Lakes

J. Val Klump

Klump is the Director and Senior Scientist at the Great Lakes WATER Institute at UW-Milwaukee and Senior Scientist and Adjunct Professor, UWM's Department of Biological Sciences and Department of Geosciences.

Besides being a primary investigator in the Institute's biogeochemistry and aquatic technology research, Klump also oversees the publication of a series of fact sheets titled "The State and Future of Our Waters." The Great Lakes WATER Institute is the largest academic freshwater research facility on the Great Lakes.

Wednesday - January 7

Personality in the Music

Lee Stanley

Stanley is a skilled pianist and has been playing for 45 years. He is the keyboard player with the American Jazz Express Combo and Big Band, he's composed and scored music for the Madison Symphony Orchestra, and is the bass section leader for the National Gospel Music Workshop of America.

Stanley has been active as an "artist in residence" for the Madison Metropolitan School District and as music director for the Mt. Zion Baptist Church. He's also a retired firefighter / paramedic and currently is the Assistant to the Director for Community Relations in the Chancellor's Office at UW-Madison.

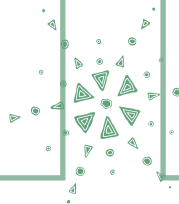
Thursday - January 8

A Wisconsin Logger's Incredible Story:
Alone, with Half an Hour to Live

Gary Edinger

Gary's a logger, and exceptionally tough even for a "timber beast." In February 2007 he was felling trees alone in northern Wisconsin when one of them kicked back from the stump and sheared off his lower left leg. Hear his amazing story of surviving this ordeal and continuing to do the things he loves.

Besides logging, Gary hand crafts log cabins, was a commercial fisherman on the Yukon River in Alaska for 3 summers and raced sled dogs for 19 years, winning the world championship in 1987. He also packs in and guides elk hunters into Montana & Idaho wilderness areas with horses and mules.





Morning Classes, 10:30 am - 12 noon (choose one)



1. DNA Evidence for Human Evolution and Migrations

For more than a century anthropologists have worked to find evidence of human origins and evolution by way of the fossil record. In recent years DNA scholars have joined the quest. Join us in considering how the DNA found in every cell of your body contains "historical information" about humanity's distant past.

Ron Lippi, UWMC Professor of Anthropology and principal investigator of a long-term archaeology project in Ecuador, has taught for Good Ideas for 19 years and has taught courses in human evolution for more than 20.



2. Romantic Love in Twentieth Century Film

This course will focus upon the changing thematic shape of marriage and romantic love as portrayed in 20th Century film.

You will discuss excerpts from films such as Casablanca, Sunset Boulevard, Fiddler on the Roof, Some Like It Hot, The Graduate, Hair, Antonia's Line, Annie Hall and Amelie.

Barry Liss is an Associate Professor of Communication Arts at UWMC.

3. Gardening Our Way!

Design your own fun, secretive garden with the use of photographs. You'll also learn about sexual and asexual propagation techniques, disease and pest control using organic methods and creation of a bird habitat. A copy of the book, *New Pronouncing Dictionary of Plant Names*, is included.

Darla Zastrow is an Associate Lecturer in Biology at UWMC and a board member of the R.W. Monk Gardens, Inc.

4. From Doodling to Drawing, YOU Can Do It

Do you doodle subconsciously when talking on the phone or sitting in a meeting? Learn how to develop your doodle into a pleasing art piece. It's all how you look at it! This class is geared for all levels. Materials will be provided.

Carol Mularkey, MFA, taught art for 31 years before retiring in 1990. She still teaches privately, for UWMC Continuing Education and at the CVA.

Afternoon Classes, 1:00 - 2:30 pm (choose one)



5. English Literature, 1500 – 1800: The Greatest Hits

Learn about some of the greatest writers in the English language! You'll examine the major literary figures during 300 of the most exciting years in Britain, including Marlowe, Shakespeare, Donne, and Pope, as well as the events that inspired them.

Karley Adney is an Assistant Professor of English at UWMC. She teaches writing, film and literature. Her specialty is British Literature, 1485-1660.

6. Rivals: Japan, China and India

Japan, China and India are each emerging powers. In the future, they will compete with each other and with the United States. Explore the characteristics of each.

Harlan Grinde is a Professor Emeritus of History at UWMC, where he taught from 1968 - 1998, and is a frequent "Good Ideas" instructor. He specialized in European history, but also taught world history and 20th century Asian history.

7. History of Musical Theatre

Learn how musical theatre has evolved in the last 100 years. Emphasis will be on musicals since 1970.

Russell Thorngate, Assistant Professor of Music at UWMC, has been involved in over 30 musical, dramatic and operatic productions. He currently directs the concert choir and vocal jazz ensemble at UWMC.

8. Become "Cool" to Kids: Create a Video Game

Learn the basics of video game creation by actually creating a video game that you can show off to friends and children. You should be comfortable using a PC but do not need to be a "geek." Flash drives will be provided.

Mark Hall is an Associate Professor of Computer Science at UWMC. His middle school Computer Science Education camps use "Game Programming" as an emphasis to get students excited about Computer Science.



Registrations will be accepted through Tuesday, December 30, 2008. College of the Emeriti will be given priority until Friday, December 12, 2008. Then all other registrations will be taken in the order they are received.

Registrant #1 _____
Registrant #2 _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone # _____

Morning Class Session

Registrant #1 Class No. _____
Registrant #2 Class No. _____

Afternoon Class Session

Registrant #1 Class No. _____
Registrant #2 Class No. _____

Optional: 2:45 pm

Travel Photography Registrant #1 Tues. Registrant #2 Tues.
Open Swim Registrant #1 Tues. Wed. Registrant #2 Tues. Wed.
Wisconsin Valley Railroad Registrant #1 Wed. Registrant #2 Wed.

Registration Fee (\$39 for each registrant)Total _____
Fee waived for College of the Emeriti Members

Full Lunch Program (\$25 per person)Total _____

OR Soup, Relish & Beverage Only Option (\$15 per person)Total _____

Mail your check and registration form to: **Continuing Education, UWMC** Grand Total _____
518 S. 7th Avenue Make checks payable to: **UWMC**
Wausau, WI 54401

DISCOVER MC VISA # _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____

Registration Instructions

1. Register for one morning and one afternoon class. Each class meets all three days.
2. Register early - space is limited. To register, complete the Registration Form at left and mail it to: Continuing Education, UWMC, 518 S. 7th Ave., Wausau, WI 54401. If you have questions, call 261-6294.
3. You may choose the Cafeteria Full Lunch Program for \$25.00 for all three days; choose a Soup, Relish & Beverage Only option for \$15.00; or bring your own lunch. Advanced reservations are required. (Coffee, tea, and water will be provided for the soup option and brown baggers.) 25th Anniversary cake for everyone on Tuesday.
4. It is recommended that you park your car in Marathon Park and use our west entrance. Other parking is available in the Stewart Avenue parking lot, along 7th Avenue and behind the Fieldhouse.
5. Pick up your registration packet inside the west entrance after 8:15 AM on Tuesday, January 6. We begin at 8:45 AM on Tuesday and at 9:00 AM on Wednesday and Thursday. Confirmation is not sent in advance.
6. In case of inclement weather, we will cancel the program for that day and try to reschedule for Friday. If the Wausau Schools are closed, Good Ideas will be for sure; however, we may also cancel if the surrounding areas are hazardous as well. To be sure, tune into the radio after 6:30 AM for any cancellation notice (WIFC, WSAU, WIZD, WDEZ, WRIG or WOFM).
7. Optional after-programs begin at 2:45. Rooms will be announced on January 6.