



University Club of Rockford

July 2022 Syllabus

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Welcome Back Members!

Returning Member

David & Chris Kase

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Alma Mater

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Welcome, New Members!

New Member

Sabrina Marlow & Nathan Arroyale

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James Hansberry

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IL Wesleyan Univ.

St. Anthony College Nursing

University of IL

Univ. of N. Carolina

University of IL

Rockford Univ.

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Northern IL University

Friday, July 1st – Forbes Music Series



What could be better than dining on our deck in the summer? Dining while listening to the always fabulous Reed & Waddy, on the deck, weather permitting, 5:30PM to 8:30PM. Reservations are highly encouraged as we fill up on entertainment nights.

Monday, July 4th – July 4th Cookout

Celebrate America's independence at the U Club with our annual cookout and pool party, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. with a summer buffet 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. All of your cookout favorites will be featured plus ice cream treats for dessert. Adults are \$19.95, children under 12 are \$9.95 and children under 3 are free with the purchase of a regular-priced entrée. Please make your reservations early, as this is one of our most popular events of the summer. Weather permitting, seating will be on the deck and grounds.



Friday, July 8th – 3 Good Men



Join us for a special music night sponsored by **Joe and Jeanette Geraghty, Brian and Barbara Livingston and**

Skip McDonald!!! Three Good Men will be performing from 6PM-8:30PM. Make your reservations!!!

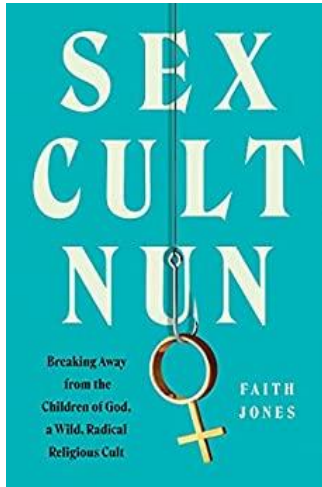
Monday, July 11th – Forbes Summer Music Series



Join us on the deck as we welcome back Miles Nielsen to our Forbes Summer Music Series.



Tuesday, July 12th – Book Club



Join us on the second Tuesday of each month at 7PM for our Book Club! This month we are reading *Sex Cult Nun* by Faith Jones. In 'Sex Cult Nun,' granddaughter of cult leader tells her story of escape **Faith Jones, a successful lawyer, is the granddaughter of David Berg, founder of The Family.** She tells of how she was raised in the cult from infancy until managing to leave it in her early 20s.

Reading Ahead:

August - *Take my Hand* by Dolen Perkins Valdez

Tuesday, July 19th – Guest Bartender – AAUW

On Tuesday, July 19th Guest Bartenders, Ed and Diane Kuehl invite you to join them in supporting the AAUW scholarship fund for young women entering college majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM).

Enjoy a designer drinks, challenge games and a raffle from 5:00 to 7:00. Pub menu will be available from 5-8. All cash tips put in the jar will support scholarships for local female STEM students.

Raise a stem for
STEM scholarship!

LAWN PARTY!

University Club of Rockford
945 N. Main Street

Tuesday,
July 19, 2022
5 PM – 7 PM

Support the AAUW scholarship fund for female scholars who are majoring in Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM).

Bring your friends to a lawn party with designer drinks, games, and a 50/50 raffle from 5 – 7 PM.

Dinner can be ordered from 5 – 8 PM.



AAUW
empowering women since 1881

Thursday, July 21st – Forbes Summer Music Series



Join us for our Forbes Summer Music Series featuring Steve McClanahan. Steve will perform his acoustic pop and rock music from 6 to 8 p.m.

Cubs Brewers Bus Trip – Saturday, August 27th!!!

The University Club will make our annual trip to Milwaukee on Saturday, August 27th. Game time is 6 :10PM. This year we will be a part of the



Johnsonville Party Deck, where we will sit and have dinner. The Johnsonville Party Deck includes full buffet featuring: Johnsonville bratwursts with sauerkraut, Johnsonville hot dogs with onions, grilled burgers, chicken tenders, side salads, mac & cheese, kettle chips, assorted cookies and unlimited soft drinks. Each ticket comes with two complimentary Molson Coors domestic beers per adult, private restrooms, flat screen high definition TVs, and assigned seating (section 305, rows 1-8). The trip also includes transportation to and from the game, along with beer, wine, soda, and water on the bus. The cost is \$150 per person. Please contact Kelly to reserve your ticket.

Save The Date – Thursday, August 25th University Club Scholarship Golf Outing

Your scholarship golf committee invites you to yet another fun-filled golf play day. All net proceeds will go to benefit the University Club's scholarship trust. We have many ways that you can help.



First, for you golfers, \$150 affords you a full day of excitement. Our day starts at the U. Club. The doors open at 11:00 AM, and upon your arrival, you will receive a U. Club souvenir. From there, enjoy the cookout consisting of brats, hot dogs, free keg beer, and more. After lunch, we head over to Rockford Country Club. There will be ample time to get warmed-up on the driving range, and then the shotgun start begins at 1:00 PM. The golfing format will again be a scramble,

and there will be several exciting on-course contests. Once golf is over, we trek back to the U. Club for dinner. Here, will you enjoy a prime rib and baked chicken dinner. After this fine feast, we will announce the first, second, and third place teams from the play day. The winners from the on-course contests will also be announced. There will also be 20+ door prizes to award. Finally, the winner of the 50/50 raffle is announced.

Second, even if you are not a golfer, you may still financially support the golf play day. For \$150.00, the club will prepare a hole sponsorship sign in your name. This sign will be displayed on one of the 18 tee boxes. Additionally, your name will be recognized on a donor board that is in the foyer at the University Club. Also, for every 25 hole sponsorships that are sold, a hole sponsor name will be drawn. The winner will receive a \$150.00 food credit for the University Club. So, you could end up getting your money back! Lastly, this much appreciated donation may be tax deductible.

Lastly, we offer a 50/50 raffle. Raffle tickets are sold for as low as \$5.00 for 1 ticket. Otherwise, you may purchase 5 tickets for \$20.00. Tickets will soon be available for purchase at the University Club bar. You may also contact Jim Pieschel at (815) 289-9492 or jpieschel@comcast.net, and he will be happy to forward raffle tickets to you. Finally, if history is an indicator, the winner could walk away with \$1,300 - \$2,500 in cold, hard cash!

We look forward to your support!

Jim Pieschel

To the members of the University Club of Rockford,

I have recently completed the second semester of my Senior year at the University of Missouri. Throughout the semester, I continued to remain highly involved in the University of Missouri's Honors College as both a Cherng Scholar and a Pre-Med Scholar. Both the Cherng Scholars Program and the Pre-Med Scholars Program have continued to provide me with valuable mentorship and

skills required to best prepare me for my transition into medical school. This semester, I was enrolled in Invertebrate Zoology, Evolution & Ecology, Principles of Management, Introduction to Business Processes & Technology, and Principles of Marketing. I greatly enjoyed both my coursework and my professors. I ended this semester with a 4.0 GPA and maintained my spot on the Dean's List. Furthermore, I graduated Summa Cum Laude from the College of Arts and Science and the university's Honors College.

In addition to classes, I remained highly involved within my sorority, Chi Omega, and was selected for Mizzou '39. This award recognizes the top thirty-nine seniors based off of academic achievement, community involvement, and leadership on campus. I am excited to say that I have recently committed to the University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Medicine. I am looking forward to moving to Memphis this July and to continue expanding my education and passion for the medical field.

This semester, I continued my volunteer work with Compassus Hospice and MedZou. I am grateful to have the opportunity to interact with patients during such a lonely time. I believe that these positions may be the most impactful that I have held, and my excitement to pursue the medical field has only intensified. In addition, I have also remained highly involved with my research. After many months of working on a publication centered on reactivating mutant p53 protein to suppress growth and metastasis of triple negative breast cancer, I was published in a prestigious journal early this year as the first author. I am ecstatic to have accomplished one of my long-term goals prior to my graduation in May.

I would like to give thanks to the University Club of Rockford's scholarship committee for making my ability to pursue my passion for the medical field more

of a reality. I am so appreciative of all that the University Club of Rockford has done for me and my undergraduate studies. I am honored to have been selected as a 2018 scholarship recipient and am eager to see all that my future holds.

Sincerely,

Taylor Berke

Dress Code Reminder

Smart, casual wear appropriate for an office environment including crisp jeans with no wear, holes or inappropriate designs. Shorts are acceptable in the summer in the bar, card room, and on the deck.

Gentlemen are requested to remove hats when in the clubhouse and wear a collared shirt in the dining room. Pool wear with a cover up is permitted in the bar area during the summer until 5 PM.

Pool 101

- The Pool is open Monday – Friday 10AM -7PM Swim at your own risk. Pool will close at 7PM.
- The Pool is open Saturday and Sunday 10AM – 6PM with a Pool Attendant. Pool will close at 6PM.
- Please sign in daily; there is a \$5 guest fee.
- Grandchildren under 13 are free when using the pool with their Grandparents.
- Please wear a cover-up and footwear if you enter the bar area to place a food or drink order.

You can place a food or drink order by calling the Clubhouse at 815.962.1730. The Clubhouse is closed on Saturdays and Sundays but please feel free to pack a cooler for the day. Gas and Charcoal grills are available for member use.

University Club 2022 Forbes Summer Music Series

Cocktails and Music at the Club

Mondays & Thursdays 6PM-8PM
 Thursday, May 26th – Cole Brandt
 Monday, June 6th – Espinosa & Reed
 Thursday, June 16th – Acoustic Millennium Band
 Monday, June 20th – Kelly Steward
 Thursday, June 30th – Trinadora
 Monday, July 11th – Miles Nielsen
 Thursday, July 21st – Steve McClanahan
 Monday, August 4th – Dan Maguire
 Thursday, August 18th – Cole Brandt
 Monday, August 22nd – Lone Canary

Friday Night Tunes 5:30PM-8:30PM
 June 3rd – Shuffle This
 July 1st – Reed & Waddy
 August 12th – Groove Hotel
 August 26th – Vince Chiarelli Band

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Thank You To Our Music Sponsors

Platinum
 Lawn Care By Walter

Gold
 Mary Ann Smith
 Chris Chapman

Silver
 Elder Granger II & Ela Bucko
 Roger & Kay Larrick

Bronze
 Ed & Diane Kuehl
 Brian & Barbara Livingston and Joe & Jeanette Geraghty
 Pete & Becky Rundquist and Norm Dasenbrook & Heidi Buchholz



Cheers!!! Live Music, Friends, and Birthdays!!! Linda Salmon, Cherri & Phil Eaton, and Bill & Cathie Thiede.

Member Incentive Program

New members will pay a \$250 initiation fee and their first month dues. Upon payment, they will receive a \$250 food and beverage credit in five \$50 gift certificates. The primary sponsor will also receive a \$250 food and beverage credit in five \$50 certificates. This is based on a regular membership. Junior memberships will receive a pro-rated version based on junior dues. This is our most aggressive new-member incentive program and we know that you will get the word out to potential members. Only one gift certificate can be used each visit. Please call Kelly or Julie with any questions at 815.962.1730.



Bits & Pieces

Is there a local organization that you support? Would you like to **host a Guest Bartender night** at the U Club for that group? It's a fun way to raise awareness and funds for that organization. Contact Kelly for more information.

Remember, you can **enjoy all your U Club favorite meals as a carryout**. Ask your server for a menu to take home. Ask about the nightly specials when calling in your orders.

A gentle reminder, **reservations mean a better dining experience** for not only you, but all our members. Reservations allow us to be better prepared and staffed to serve your dining requests. We appreciate your reservations, but, if you are on the go and drop in at the last minute, we are happy to welcome you.

Do you have a **menu item that you would like to enjoy?** Do you have **special dietary requirements?** Please let us know and we will do our best to meet your needs. Just contact Chef O with your requests.

Green Comment Cards are provided with your dining bill and are also available in the foyer at the Club. Please fill them out with the things you love about your club experience or some suggestions for improvement. The food and beverage committee and the board of directors review the comment cards monthly. Our goal is to provide the most enjoyable club experience for members.

Remember to **"like" us on Facebook** to get updates on club happenings and lunch specials and to connect with fellow members. Find us at "U Club Rockford."

Serving a group in your home or at your office? Let the U Club do the work for you. Contact Kelly for menu ideas and more information.



Are you involved with a Card Club, Book Club, any Club? The **University Club of Rockford** is a great place for your Club to meet. Contact Kelly with any questions.

Do you know someone who is getting married?

Romance is in the air! This is the time of year, many couples are celebrating a recent wedding proposal. At The University Club of Rockford we realize advance planning and setting your "date" is the next step in securing your dream wedding.



Look to The University Club of Rockford and our unique charm and ambiance for your wedding location. The University Club of Rockford offers a spacious, outdoor venue to enjoy your special day and still practice social distancing.

Splish, Splash!!! We now accepting applications for **Summer Pool Memberships** for just \$650! Enjoy our swimming pool for the 2022 season, plus lunch and beverage service poolside or on the main deck until 2 p.m. Monday thru Friday. You can also attend our July 4th Pool Party cookout as well as our Memorial and Labor Day cookout parties. Our Pool Legacy Memberships are also available to adult children/grandchildren of members. Legacy members receive all the benefits of regular pool members, but at a discounted cost of only \$475 for the season.

Squash Court Memberships are now available for non-members!!! \$50 Per Month, must be set up on auto bank draft (no fee added) or paid by a Visa, or Mastercard (with 3% fee added) per month, or pay \$550 per year to be paid in full at the time of joining.

Club Hours

Lunch Service Monday – Friday 11AM-2PM

Monday Night Homestyle Menu 5PM-8:30PM

Taste of Tuesday 5PM-7:30PM

Wednesday Happy Hour 2PM-7PM

Thursday Night Dinner 5PM-8:30PM, Remember Kids and Grandkids eat FREE from Kids' Menu with the purchase of a regularly priced entrée on Thursday nights.

Fabulous Friday Night Fish Fry 5PM-8:30PM