

UNION STATION FOR LUNCH

VISIT SPACE ON MARCH 11TH AT THE ARVIN GOTTLIEB PLANETARIUM

Built in 1914, Union Station has been a working train station for millions of travelers. It was extensively remodeled and reopened in 1999 with its majestic Grand Hall, three 3,500-pound chandeliers, and six foot wide clock hanging in her central arch. Union Station is also home to traveling exhibits, Science City, a giant 3D Extreme Screen Theatre, and many other attractions and events each year for visitors of all ages.

Our outing will begin with an **11:00 am** show in the Arvin Gottlieb Planetarium on the station's lower level. The planetarium's 60-foot dome was recently upgraded and is now one of the largest and highest resolution planetariums in the Midwest. We will watch the **CAPCOM GO! THE APOLLO STORY** which lasts about 30 minutes. Then we will move up to the main level and eat lunch at Harvey's at Union Station in the middle of the Grand Hall.

You may also choose to attend the lunch only by indicating your choice(s) in the coupon below.

PARKING AVAILABLE for \$5.00 for 4 hours to be paid by retiree. It's a covered parking garage...turn at signal light at Broadway St. and follow to north side to enter the parking garage.

REMARKS FROM THE CLUB PRESIDENT

Hello Retirees,

Welcome to our New Year, 2020! Here's hoping this year will be a fulfilled retirement year for you.

As this year reflects, we hope you will have 20/20 vision and insight and will join us for our quarterly events! Our first event will be on March 11, at our beautiful Union Station. Please see the details in this newsletter and the coupon provided to place your reservations for this fun event.

In addition to our retirees, another major source of our strength is your Board of Directors. These people put much time and effort into preparing, planning events and keeping you informed. This year, we welcome two new Board Members: Nancy Woodward-Arrangements and Programs and Donna North-Secretary and Treasurer. We are always looking for individuals to participate on the Board to bring fresh and new ideas to our meetings and events.

One last and very important thing... Please see the **NEWSLETTER UPDATE!** And remember this web site: **hallmarkretireeclub.com.**

I look forward to seeing you at our March event and all of our future events.

Marshia Blair
President



Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2020

Arrival Time: 10:15-10:30 outside the Planetarium. We will be seated at 10:45 in Planetarium

Planetarium show: 11:00

Lunch: Noon

Cost: \$4:00 for Planetarium, \$18 for Harvey's lunch (which includes gratuity)

Menu: CHICKEN TENDER PLATTER – includes buttermilk mashed potatoes, bacon-shallot green beans, BBQ sauce and Honey Mustard. Soft drinks, Iced Tea and Water are included. Dessert extra.

NO RESERVATION ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 21, 2020

RESERVATIONS FOR SHOW/LUNCHEON

Name: _____

Spouse or Guest Name: _____

Number of Show Reservations @ \$4 Each: _____

Number of Lunch Reservations @ \$18 Each: _____

E-mail Address: _____@_____

Telephone: (_____) _____

Make check payable to **Hallmark Retiree Club** and mail with this coupon to be received by **February 21st** to:

Donna North
113 East 117th Street
Kansas City, MO 64114

*Please let us know of any dietary requirements/preferences.
No cancellations will receive a refund. Maximum reservations 120.*

IN MEMORIAM

1/16/2020 EMILY 'KATIE' MAJOR, *spouse: Jeff*
1/12/2020 LEE RAINEY, *spouse: Marie*
1/9/2020 EDNA WILLIAMS
1/5/2020 JOHN J. MURNANE
1/1/2020 JAY DITTMAN, *spouse: Terri*
1/1/2020 GAIL LEWIS
1/1/2020 OLIVER LEE HOLLAND
12/31/2019 JOHN RICHARD BRENNAN
12/29/2019 JOHN HARDEY
12/28/2019 RONALD HESS, *spouse: Peggy*
12/27/2019 JUNE OESTERLE, *spouse: Carlton*
12/27/2019 ZANE L. WILSON
12/22/2019 DESSIE REE CRANE
12/12/2019 ELAINE BOYDSTON, *spouse: Leland 'Gale'*
12/12/2019 DONALD A. PACITTI, *spouse: Eleanor*
12/11/2019 BETTY LANCE
12/8/2019 KENNETH JACOBS, *spouse: Angie*
12/7/2019 CHARLES SAUNDERS, *spouse: Jo Ann*
12/7/2019 WILLIAM TOBIN, *spouse: Marjorie*
12/6/2019 BRADLEY BYRER, *spouse: Lisa*
12/5/2019 GERTRUDE A. SAXTON
12/4/2019 GARY BEAUCHAMP, *spouse: Bonnie*
12/4/2019 PEGGYLEE ARPIN, *spouse: Paul*
12/3/2019 DON ROSS PETERSON, *spouse: Mary*
12/2/2019 LOIS EVERSMEYER, *spouse: Ray E.*
12/1/2019 DEAN 'LUKE' BILLBE, *spouse: Patti*
11/23/2019 MELVIN L. CROUCHER
11/23/2019 ROBERT DALE OERTWIG
11/23/2019 GLENDA NEGRELLI
11/23/2019 WILLIAM YARDLEY, *spouse: Joyce*
11/27/2019 ALVERNA MAE JENKINS
11/16/2019 RAYMOND ESSMAN, *spouse: Katherine*
11/13/2019 YVONNE I. GOODMAN
11/13/2019 ROBERTA P. CLARK, *spouse: Edward*
11/13/2019 GEORGE ANTHONY JOHNSON
11/11/2019 PATRICIA LOCKE CASWELL, *spouse: Fred*
11/10/2019 RANDY HAGUE, *spouse: Nancy*
11/10/2019 MARY MOONEY, *spouse: James*
11/10/2019 MICHAEL STRICKLAND, *spouse: Mary*
11/10/2019 BILLY CURIE
11/4/2019 RONALD HEAPE, *spouse: Rose*
11/1/2019 DAVID ATTARDO, *spouse: Joan*
11/1/2019 VIRGINIA J. CASCOE
10/31/2019 HAROLD E. FERRIS, *spouse: Royetta*
10/30/2019 GARY LILLY, *spouse: Maryline 'Sue'*
10/30/2019 MYRTLE PHILLIPS, *spouse: Don*
10/29/2019 ELIZABETH McCORD, *spouse: Rex*
10/25/2019 DONALD 'DON' BOSWELL, *spouse: Beatrice*
10/23/2019 JOHN GADDIS
10/22/2019 ROCHELLE STACEY, *spouse: James*
10/21/2019 EILEEN WEBSTER, *spouse: David*
10/1/2019 MARLENE KRAKOW
9/28/2019 MARY CHANDLEE, *spouse: Lawrence*
3/10/2019 DAWN SCHWARTZ
2/22/2019 MICHAEL PEAK, *spouse: Mary*
6/30/2018 LESLEY TIMMONS, *spouse: Gary*
5/18/2018 RON RAYMER, *spouse: Arena*

Additional information on these individuals and more remembrances can be found on the retiree club web site (www.hallmarkretireeclub.com).

NEWSLETTER UPDATE!

Please note this newsletter edition will be the last printed and mailed retiree newsletter. Going forward, you can access your information on hallmarkretireeclub.com, where you can also find updates about retiree benefits, events, lists of recent retirements, remembrances and more.

HALLMARK VOLUNTEERS--

Continuing the Caring Tradition

KALEIDOSCOPE at Hallmark Headquarters

Children of all ages and their families enjoy creating their own wonderful works of art using discard materials from Hallmark manufacturing.

We are looking for caring people who want to share their time and encourage children. Our Kaleidoscope volunteers have three main responsibilities: encouraging the children, assembling basic projects and cleaning/restocking the studio between sessions. We have opportunities for volunteers Monday – Saturday. You can volunteer as little as 3 hours a week up to 6 hours a week, depending on your time commitment and schedule.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

If you have a new address, e-mail, or phone number; have questions about insurance, reporting a death of a spouse or retiree, discounts, or direct deposit changes for Cash Balance Retirements please contact the Hallmark HR Services Department at 1 (888) 545-6200, or e-mail them at HRservicecenter@hallmark.com. You can also post a message on the Hallmark Retiree Club Facebook page for questions regarding Retiree Club activities.

The Hallmark Retiree Board welcomes your comments and suggestions and also invites you to consider a position on our board or committees.

Editor's Note:

It is said that the only constant in our world is 'change'. Therefore it is only inevitable that our quarterly, mailed newsletter is now replaced by our existing web site (hallmarkretireeclub.com) and Facebook page (**Hallmark Retiree Club**).

Both those sources will continue to offer valuable information to all Hallmark retirees as well as serving to inform you of events planned by your Board of Directors to come together, sharing stories and renewing the associations built over many years.

We urge you to visit those sites regularly and to respond by attending future events that are being planned:

Loose Park Picnic, June 17th
Fall Gathering, September 9th
Holiday Luncheon, December 2nd

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