

Monday Morning Memo – 07.05.2021

Dear *Wider Horizons* Members and Friends,

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!



Wider Horizons Events and Information

1. **Thursday Morning's All-Member Zoom** with **Sue Lerner** and **Debbie Ward** will happen, as always, at **9:30 am**. Look for the link and the small group questions later this week.
2. **SAVE THE DATE OF WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25, 4:30-6:30 pm** for our **All-Member In-Person Celebration of our 100th (and more) member**. It will be held at **The College Club on Lake Union**. **Stay tuned!**

Members and Friends Share Recommendations

1. The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at the UW (OLLI-UW) offers short, academic programming for people over 50 years of age. OLLI-UW offers a free quarterly lecture via Zoom to the general public (see attached for the description of the next one on July 14).
2. **Barb Klube** sent me a description of an interesting panel that OLLI is sponsoring on Zoom on July 8 – it's free and open to all and is about villages like ours. See the second OLLI attachment.
3. From the perspicacious **Michael** and **Beret Kischner** team: *For those missing Wider Horizons storytelling during its summer hiatus, here is a 10-minute story beautifully told by the great jazz bassist Christian McBride. McBride was in Seattle two weeks ago for a live concert with the Seattle Repertory Jazz Orchestra at Benaroya Hall. It was the first such live event Beret and I attended since early 2020. Some of McBride's spoken comments and introductions were as delightful as the music. He's quite a storyteller. Here, on The Moth, he tells about getting to play with his hero, trumpeter Freddie Hubbard.*
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IbmGh3RkSGo>

4. Just in case you were thinking about getting or recommending one of those wearable Medical Alert devices, **Audrey Hansen** has shared a link to a review of “the best” one: <https://tinyurl.com/6f4xbcjr> -- She says it is about \$20/month. Another option is an Apple Watch (if you have the interest and do-re-mi) when you go out and Alexa/Echo devices in your home. Call if you have questions.
5. We can depend on **Bill Lippe** for advice on folk artists/events. Attached is the latest from him about The Triple Door and his own House Concerts.
6. Last, but not least, an important message from **Nora Langan** about climate change/our climate emergency is attached. Nora is telling us about two upcoming events that sound very interesting and important.

Till next time....

Yours,

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