

Monday Morning Memo – 01.24.2022

Dear *Wider Horizons* Members and Friends,

Wider Horizons Events and Information

1. Join **Susan Adler** and **Bob Anderson** at Tuesday's **All-Member Zoom** tomorrow at 7 pm. Here is the link and the questions are attached:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84108714663?pwd=Zm5XM3o5RHlqRmhnOVJLWIREQW5mQT09>
2. This Thursday's **All-Member Zoom** will go on as always at **9:30 am**. Questions and a Zoom link will be sent out to you on Wednesday by **Sue Lerner**.
3. Please contact me about sharing your vaccination status if you haven't already done so. Our new Covid Protection Policy is attached.
4. Also attached is a warning from **Christian Roehr** regarding Covid scams.
5. Planning for new social activities begins this week with the help of Louise Andersen who is picking up some social activity planning work with us along with her personal assistant services. We will be surveying members about their interests from photography to dance; from tai chi to hiking, etc. Meanwhile, so as to not let the better be the enemy of the good, if you are interested in a photography group, contact **Wolfgang Kluge**: wfluge@comcast.net – He's interested in a group but not in leading it.

Members and Friends Share Recommendations

1. From **Audrey Hansen**: *One time I gave Mary's Place info to a begging mom+child. I asked a cop to take them there. Not only did he refuse, he chided me by saying they were gypsies and all over the city. I looked at him so hard, he had to look away. She was thankful for the paper I gave her and I never saw her begging again, nor her friends downtown. I assume they all went to Mary's Place. I like all the ideas in this article:*
<https://www.therighttoshower.com/make-difference/7-practical-ways-you-can-help-the-homeless>
2. **Ann Lawrence** and **Eleanor Dills** have shared a link about one of their favorite organizations: **The Yes Farm** -- The urban farm uplifting Black and brown communities in Seattle: https://i-d.vice.com/en_uk/article/88gxq4/yes-farm-seattle-interview
3. **Scott Dills** shared this link to an article by Mort Kondracke:
<https://www.postalley.org/2022/01/15/wanted-a-better-strategy-to-defend->

[democracy/](#) If any of you know Mort, we are hoping to convince him to do a Forum for us and a personal contact is always helpful.

4. **Naomi Shiff** shared some tips on scams with me and I added a couple of general principles (see attached).
5. **Kathleen O'Connor** shared the beautiful photo below! A good way to start our week. She also shared this link to an article about the neuro benefits of movement: [Finding Creativity Through Movement - Neuroscience News](#)



Yours,

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