



Elder Collegium Class Schedule — Fall 2017

For Lifelong Learning

The Questing Intellect Never Retires

September 11 - November 3, 2017

Formal registration period ends August 21 (late registration possible)

<i>Title of Course</i>	<i>Instructor</i>
Fun-eral—Another Spin on Death. Let's talk. 4 Mondays, 9:30-11:30 (Sept. 25, Oct. 2, 9 & 23) (Limit 20)	Craig Breimhorst Rice County Hist Soc, Faribault
Sonnets and Soliloquies—Words and Forms to Express Heart and Soul 8 Mondays, 10:00-12:00 (Limit 20)	Dan Van Tassel Village on the Cannon
Symphonies from Mozart to Mahler 8 Mondays, 1:30-3:30 (Sept. 11-Nov. 6, no class Oct. 2) (Limit 18)	Lawrence Archbold Village on the Cannon
The History and Chemistry of Chocolate 8 Tuesdays, 9:30-11:30 (Limit 18)	Jerry Mohrig Village on the Cannon
How Plant Diseases Have Affected Human History 4 Tuesdays, 10:00-12:00 (Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3 & 10) (Limit 18)	Bob Nyvall Northfield Senior Center 106
Music in the Courts and Cities of the European Renaissance 8 Tuesdays, 1:30-3:30 (Limit 18)	Gerry Hoekstra Village on the Cannon
Politics and Religion—Unholy Union or Marriage Made in Heaven? 8 Tuesdays, 1:30-3:30 (Sept. 19-Nov. 7) (Limit 18)	Jan Linn Northfield Senior Center 106
Liberty and Laissez-Faire 8 Wednesdays, 9:30-11:30 (Limit 18)	Steve Soderlind Village on the Cannon
Waste, or Talking Trash 8 Wednesdays, 1:30-3:30 (Limit 18)	George Kinney Village on the Cannon
Philosophy and Psychiatry—Some Questions 8 Wednesdays, 9:30-11:30 (Limit 18)	Perry Mason Northfield Senior Center 106
Southeast Asia and the Spice Tour 8 Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 (Limit 18)	Mike Leming Northfield Senior Center 106
The German Novelle—A Distinctive Narrative 8 Thursdays, 1:30-3:30 (Limit 12)	LaVern Rippley Northfield Senior Center 106
Understanding Our Immigrants and Refugees 5 Thursdays, 3:00-5:00 (Oct. 5-Nov. 2) (Limit 30)	Sam Ouk Faribault Diversity Coalition
Exploring the Jesus of History and the Christ of Experience 7 Fridays, 9:30-11:30 (Sept. 15-Nov. 3; no class Oct. 13) (Limit 18)	Dan Geslin Northfield Senior Center 106
Laura Ingalls Wilder—Becoming a Writer 6 Fridays, 9:30-11:30 (Sept. 22-Oct. 27) (Limit 20)	Diane Hagen Paradise Theater, Faribault

Our Purpose:

To provide a content-oriented study experience for elder students with senior faculty.

Our Program:

- CVEC focuses on a desire for life-long learning
- The courses of study are selected to provide rich academic experiences in the liberal arts
- Most of these courses will use a seminar format with learners actively participating in discussion
- CVEC welcomes younger registrants (under 50) on a seat-available basis
- Previous formal education is not a requirement

Our Policies:

- Class sizes are limited (as shown in parentheses)
- Most classes will meet 8 times, once/week
- Classes are 2 hours/session
- Financial assistance is available for registrants who cannot afford the fee (see Registration Form)
- Students may withdraw from a course before the 2nd class meeting and request a refund