

# UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO SERVICE LEAGUE

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## February 2006 Calendar

Members Meeting, February 15, 1:30 p.m., Ida Noyes

### James Cappleman

Licensed clinical social worker and Pediatric Family Advocate  
University of Chicago Children's Hospital,  
where he is also chair of the Family Advisory Board  
and the Comer Family Satisfaction & Measurement Team.

He currently serves as board president of the Uptown Chicago Commission,  
the voice of the community's block clubs.

He has worked extensively with homeless people.

He will speak to us on:

### *Family Advocacy: A Systems Approach to Providing Care to Families*

Hostesses: Book Group  
Men are always welcome.

<b>Board Meeting</b> February 8	The <b>February 8</b> Board Meeting will be at the home of Dianne Luhmann, 5000 East End, #14D, at 9:45 a.m. Wednesday. Co-hostesses are Betty Britton and Bonnie Umeh. Regrets only to the hostess at 752-8901.
<b>Reminders</b>	Gifts to the University of Chicago Service League are tax deductible. Many companies will match their employee's contributions. Ask your company's matching-gift officer for a matching-gift form. Notify our Treasurer, <i>Dianne Luhmann</i> , 752-8901, or Associate Treasurer, <i>Marilyn Helmholtz</i> , 493-0420, who will complete the paperwork.
<b>In Memoriam</b>	Gretel Dreyfuss and Vivian Pachman have died.
<b>BLUE GARGOYLE</b>	Anyone wishing to visit any of the Blue Gargoyle programs should call Executive Director, Paul Sakol or Bronzeville Director Jackson to make an appointment. Visitors are welcome. Website: <a href="http://www.bluegargoyle.org">www.bluegargoyle.org</a> . Contact <i>Barbara Cramer</i> , 538-7072.
<b>CHICAGO COMMONS ASSOCIATION</b>	Chicago Commons Association website is <a href="http://www.chicagocommons.org">www.chicagocommons.org</a> . Children are now being served at New City. Anyone wishing to volunteer for a support group for the Regio Emelia Teaching Facility, please contact <i>Gwen Ritchie</i> , 773-488-2194.
<b>HYDE PARK-KENWOOD INTERFAITH OPEN KITCHEN</b>	Service League Members volunteer to help chop every 4th Friday. Volunteer choppers are needed to help prepare the Friday noon meal, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m, <b>January 27</b> . Need a ride or a companion? Call <i>Mimi Asbury</i> , 955-6288.
<b>HYDE PARK NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB</b>	The Neighborhood Club website is <a href="http://www.hpnclub.org">www.hpnclub.org</a> , where you can find out about the many ongoing programs for children, teens, adults, seniors (and pets). Service League representative: <i>Anne Hamada</i> 667-4945 ( <a href="mailto:annehamada@sbcglobal.net">annehamada@sbcglobal.net</a> )
<b>ST. MARTIN DE PORRES HOUSE OF HOPE</b>	Sr. Therese, who is running the St. Martin De Porres Center alone now, could use the help of a volunteer accountant or bookkeeper. If you would like to volunteer, contact the Center, 643-5843 or <i>Betty Britton</i> , 643-1499
<b>NEW MEMBERS</b>	Please welcome new member Ursula Winter.

<b>BOOK DISCUSSION</b> February 7	The Book Group will meet Tuesday evening, <b>February 7</b> , at 7:30 p.m., at the home of Diana Stokes, 1700 E. 56, #3001. The book will be <i>Snow</i> by Orhan Pamuk. Elsa Johnson will host the <b>March 7</b> meeting at the HPNC. The book will be <i>The Way to Paradise</i> by Vargas Llosa. Chair: <i>Diana Stokes, 643-4383 (dastokes@gmail.com)</i>
<b>COMPUTERS</b> January 26- March 2	Computer classes will be held at the Hyde Park Bank, #907, on Thursdays for 6 weeks <b>January 26 to March 2</b> . <i>MORNINGS: Computer maintenance and file management</i> , including coping with email and attachments (3 wks); <b>Introduction to PowerPoint</b> , including use for printing digital images (3 wks). <i>AFTERNOONS: Curing the Winter Blahs On-Line</i> : 1) Do's and Don'ts of Internet Use, 2) Travel, 3) Shopping, 4) Food, 5) eBay, 6) Online Gardening. \$25/session--May be taken separately. Register with \$25 non-refundable downpayment with the Chair: <i>Marianne Smigelskis, 667-5839 (thalictrum@mac.com)</i>
<b>DRAMA</b>	The Drama group normally meets the second Friday at 1:30 p.m. No meetings in February. Chair: <i>Charlotte Adler, 256-1314; chbob@sbcglobal.net.</i>
<b>GAMES</b> February 1	The Service League Games Group will meet <b>Wednesday, February 1</b> at the HP Neighborhood Club, at 10 a.m. Carol Strauss will host, and the games will be <b>Dominoes &amp; Perquackey</b> . Chair: <i>Myllicent Buchanan, 493-0610 (m.k.buchanan@worldnet.att.net)</i>
<b>GERMAN</b> February 17	The German section will meet at 1:30 p.m on <b>February 17</b> . Members will present in German their own Travel Memories. Hostess: Charlotte Vikstrom, 5832 Stony Island Ave. # 11E 773 493 - 0666 Chair: Ursula Selby, 667-2276 ( <i>selby1700@aol.com.</i> )
<b>ITALIAN</b> Wednesdays	The Italian Group meets weekly to study Italian language and literature. Anyone with a working knowledge of Italian is welcome. Please call the hostess or the chair for time, as it changes from week to week, although always on Wednesdays. Hostess: Peggy Grant, 5807 S. Dorchester Ave., Apt. 11E, 493-7921. Chair: <i>Sara Anastaplo, 363-4825.</i>
<b>MUSIC</b> February 22	The Music Group will meet at 1:30 on Wednesday, <b>February 22</b> , at the home of Christiane Ronneberg, 5508 S. Kenwood. Program: Page de Camara, violin. Music by Chausson, Sarasate. Co-hostesses include Doris Nitecki. Price of admission is one guest. Chair: <i>Charlotte Johnston.288-8970; charlottejohnston@sbcglobal.net.</i>
<b>NEWCOMERS</b>	Please direct any newcomers to call <i>the Chair Susan Kossiakoff, 548-5534.</i>
<b>PUBLIC AFFAIRS</b> February 23	The Public Affairs group will meet Thursday, <b>February 23</b> at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Melinda Burger, 5458 S. Hyde Park Blvd, 3N, to discuss the Right to Privacy. All League members and guests are invited. RSVP to the hostess at 752-5608. Chair: <i>Marianne Smigelskis 557-5839. thalictrum@mac.com</i>
<b>SPANISH</b> Thursdays	The Spanish Group meets every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. New members are welcome. For information about meeting place and topic of discussion, contact one of the <i>Chairs: Gabriele Correa da Silva, 241-6092 (gbcs4@sbcglobal.net) or Agnes Zellner, 643-6992.</i>
<b>TRAVEL</b>	Contact the Chair <i>Patricia Jobe, 538-2785 or Co-chair Norah Erickson 752-8072.</i>
<b>PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES</b>	Mary Rogel continues to hold non-impact Qi-gong sessions Tuesdays (3:30-4:30 p.m.) and Thursdays (9:30-10:30 a.m.). 705 Hyde Park Bank Building. \$5/session. Contact: <i>Mary R. Shaughnessy 493-2950.</i>

Please report any changes of address or telephone numbers to *Mary Rose Shaughnessy, Corresponding Secretary, 493-2950 (m-shaughnessy@csu.edu)*, to *Marilyn Helmholtz, Associate Treasurer, 493-0420 (mph5757@aol.com)*; or to *Virginia Meeker, Associate Corresponding Secretary, 493-8033 (ginny.meeker@onebox.com)* .

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