

A community of friends enjoying enriched, vibrant and independent lives together

## Dear I'On At Home Members,

While this week's Halloween and Day of the Dead are enjoyably scary, this is definitely a horrifying time for the world. It's good to know that we have each other and can find joy in being together.

Here are a few events to share with your friends, starting with our Ecco Adopt A Family Drive.

## Make a Needy Child's Christmas Bright!

Last year many I'On At Home members volunteered to play Santa for a child in need. Thanks to ECCO's Adopt a Family program and our members' overwhelming generosity, 41 children were adopted. These children would not have received any holiday gifts without our support.



Last year one mother's words summed it up:

"It takes a special kind of person with a loving heart to share from their bounty with others. What a testament to the truth that kindness is still alive in this upside-down world. Thank you for making Christmas possible when it otherwise would not have been."

Once again, we will be joining forces with East Cooper Community Outreach (ECCO). Annually, ECCO organizes a program to assist Mt. Pleasant community families who cannot afford holiday gifts for their children.



On November 6<sup>th</sup>, we will select the families IAH will adopt. Families will provide a detailed wish list for each child. Unwrapped gifts will be dropped off at an IAH member's home the first week in December.

Questions? Please contact Kathy Coffman, Dale Brokaw or Mary Wilbur.

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to register for our Adopt-a-Family event. Only one member of a household should register. Post a message in the comment section indicating the number of children for whom you would like to purchase gifts.

To learn more about ECCO, please visit their website: eccocharleston.org

# And here are a few of the great events that your program committee has arranged for you in the next several weeks.



Fourth Age of Life Presentation







Carolina Yacht Club Art Tour



Happy Hour at Community Table



QiGong Demonstration and Practice



Nativity Creches at Mepkin Abbey Tour



Gibbs Museum Private Tour



No Explanation Needed



IAH Thanksgiving Together

Below find a sample of upcoming activities that are available to you.

Click on the **Blue Bar** at the bottom of this Weekly Update for event details and sign up information.

We look forward to seeing you.

OCTOBER 2023



FREE

#### **BOCCE AND BOOZE**

SUN 10 / 29 / 2023 AT 2:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

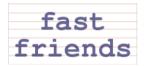
Sunday 29

### **NOVEMBER 2023**



WEEKLY IAH BIKING GROUP THURSDAYS - NOV 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

THU 11 / 02 / 2023 AT 8:00 AM Interest Group Members only (login required) No RSVP required Thursday 02



**FAST FRIENDS!** 

THU 11 / 02 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Thursday 02



**ECCO ADOPT A FAMILY** 

FRI 11 / 03 / 2023 AT 11:30 AM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Friday 03



FREE



MOVIE/ BOOK CLUB SPECIAL JOINT EVENT WITH CHARLESTON LITERARY FESTIVAL: FOREIGN BODIES: PANDEMICS, VACCINES AND THE HEALTH OF NATIONS

SAT 11 / 04 / 2023 AT 6:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

RSVP required

Saturday 04

25.00 PLUS DINNER



**SUNDAY AFTERNOON CROQUET & COCKTAILS (BYOB)** 

SUN 11 / 05 / 2023 AT 3:30 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

FREE

Sunday 05



# GREAT DECISIONS DISCUSSION GROUP - IRAN AT A CROSSROADS

MON 11 / 06 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Monday 06



#### A MARITIME HISTORY OF CHARLESTON HARBOR FROM 1718 - 1888 TOLD THROUGH THE ART OF THE CAROLINA YACHT CLUB BY THEIR HISTORIAN

TUE 11 / 07 / 2023 AT 5:30 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required Tuesday **07** 



#### HAPPY HOUR AT COMMUNITY TABLE

WED 11 / 08 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Wednesday 08



#### **DRIVEWAY DRINKS**

THU 11 / 09 / 2023 AT 5:00 PM I'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Thursday 09



## A CHOICES EVENT - COME JOIN US TO LEARN A NEW FORM OF EXERCISE -QIGONG!

FRI 11 / 10 / 2023 AT 2:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required)

Friday 10

FREE



## POP UP OFFER: FREE TICKETS TO CHARLESTON LITERARY FESTIVAL: PAUL MULDOON: WAY WITH WORDS

FRI 11 / 10 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

**RSVP** required

FREE

Friday 10



\$25 PLUS LUNCH

# MOVIE/ BOOK CLUB SPECIAL JOINT EVENT WITH CHARLESTON LITERARY FESTIVAL: ALL THE BEAUTY IN THE WORLD: THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART AND

SAT 11 / 11 / 2023 AT 12:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required



FREE

#### **MEN'S BOCCE**

MON 11 / 13 / 2023 AT 3:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Monday 13

Saturday

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A CHOICES EVENT - SHOULDAWOULDACOULDA: TEN WAYS WE FORSAKE OURSELVES IN THE FOURTH AGE OF LIFE

TUE 11 / 14 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Tuesday

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LET'S VISIT MEPKIN ABBEY AND VIEW THE WONDERFUL **CRECHES!** 

WED 11 / 15 / 2023 AT 10:00 AM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Wednesday

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PRIVATE TOUR OF SPECIAL EXHIBITION SOMETHING TERRIBLE MAY HAPPEN: THE WORKS OF AUBREY BEARDSLEY AND EDWARD "NED" I.R. JENNINGS

THU 11 / 16 / 2023 AT 10:45 AM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

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Thursday



#### **ALL ABOARD FOR AFTERNOON GAMES!**

THU 11 / 16 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Thursday 16



#### **BOARD MEETING**

TUE 11 / 21 / 2023 AT 3:00 PM Board or Committee Meeting Members only (login required) RSVP required

Tuesday 21



#### **BROS N' BREWS AT COMMUNITY TABLE**

WED 11 / 22 / 2023 AT 4:30 PM l'On At Home Event Volunteers only (login required) RSVP required

Wednesday 22



#### THANKSGIVING TOGETHER

THU 11 / 23 / 2023 AT 2:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Thursday 23



## NAPOLEON HAS INVADED THE THEATERS! JOIN THE BOOK / FILM CLUB TO SEE THIS SPECTACULAR FILM

MON 11 / 27 / 2023 AT 11:30 AM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required Monday 27

### DECEMBER 2023



# GREAT DECISIONS DISCUSSION GROUP - CLIMATE CHANGE AND MIGRATION

MON 12 / 04 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required Monday 04



## WEEKLY IAH BIKING GROUP THURSDAYS - DEC. 7, 14, 21 &

THU 12 / 07 / 2023 AT 8:00 AM Interest Group Members only (login required) No RSVP required Thursday **07** 



# YOU'RE INVITED TO MINGLE AND JINGLE! IAH'S ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY

FRI 12 / 08 / 2023 AT 6:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required Friday 08



#### **BAKING SPIRITS BRIGHT!**

MON 12 / 11 / 2023 AT 4:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required

Monday 11



## CSO'S STRING QUARTET LED BY YURIY BEKKER RINGS IN THE SEASON

TUE 12 / 12 / 2023 AT 2:00 PM l'On At Home Event Members only (login required) RSVP required Tuesday 12



#### **BROS N' BREWS AT COMMUNITY TABLE**

WED 12 / 13 / 2023 AT 4:30 PM

I'On At Home Event

Volunteers only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Wednesday 13



FREE- BRING 2 BOOKS AN...

## BOOK SWAP: LEARN ABOUT PEOPLES FAVORITE BOOKS FROM THE YEAR AND AND OF ALL TIME

SUN 12 / 17 / 2023 AT 11:30 AM

I'On At Home Event

Open to all

**RSVP** required

Sunday 17



#### **COCKTAILS AND CAROLING**

MON 12 / 18 / 2023 AT 5:00 PM

I'On At Home Event

Members only (login required)

**RSVP** required

Monday 18



#### **BOARD MEETING**

TUE 12 / 19 / 2023 AT 3:00 PM Board or Committee Meeting Members only (login required) RSVP required

Tuesday 19



CLICK HERE to see the latest information on upcoming IAH events and programs.