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### Vocal Study Group?

Are you interested in participating in a vocal study group in a future semester? Are you a retired choir director who would be willing to lead a study group? Or do you know a retired choir director? If so, please contact the [office by email](#) or call 202-895-4860.

### July Fun Schedule

Members have begun organizing events to take place at OLLI during the month of July. So far, the offerings include film viewing, Origami, poetry workshop, German conversation, competitive Scrabble, and mysteries discussions. More activities are in the works. Members are welcome to schedule gatherings to share interests. Just [email](#) or call the office (202-895-4860) with the day(s) and time you want to meet, which we will add to the calendar.

The calendar is on the [OLLI website](#). Be sure to click on the forward arrow above the calendar to go from the June to July.

### Second Annual OLLI Bloomsday Celebration

The 2017 OLLI Bloomsday Celebration Reading will take place Friday, June 9, and Friday, June 16, at 11:45 am in Room A (Lecture Hall), 4801 Mass. Ave. NW.

On June 9, Part I, the Cyclops reading (of passages 1-10) will be preceded by the reading of the Proteus episode of *Ulysses* (Episode 3) by Robert Aubry Davis.

#### Register on Eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2017-olli-bloomsday-celebration-part-1-june-9-tickets-35076645190>

On June 12 the Cyclops reading (of passages 11-22) will be followed by the reading of the first part of the Ithaca episode and last part of the Penelope episode of *Ulysses* (Episode 18, otherwise known as "Molly Bloom's Soliloquy") (time permitting).

**Register on Eventbrite:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2017-olli-bloomsday-celebration-part-2-june-16-tickets-35076702361>

Please direct questions to event organizer [Bob Kolodney](#).

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## Tour of Echoes of the Great War: American Experiences of World War I

Join a tour of this major exhibition at the Library of Congress on Wednesday, July 12, at 11:30 am. The tour will be led by Library docent and OLLI member Chuck Edson.

This tour examines American experiences in World War I, including the debate over American involvement in war, changes on the home front, personal reflections from the battlefield, and the war's lasting effects. The exhibition offers highlights from the Library's extensive collections on World War I, including newly digitized archival film footage, iconic posters, manuscripts from the Woodrow Wilson papers, and letters and diaries from the war front.

The tour is limited to 15 attendees. Use the Eventbrite link below to register. Members must get to the Library of Congress on their own.

**Register on Eventbrite:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tour-of-american-experience-in-world-war-i-exhibit-at-library-of-congress-tickets-35080965111>

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## Off the Beaten Path in DC

On May 26, participants from both the fall and spring semesters of "Off the Beaten Path in DC" and Study Group Leader Ralph Buglass were treated to a tour of the Indonesian Embassy. It is one of the most elegant former "Gilded Age" mansions in the Dupont Circle area, one of the areas covered in the study group.



## Anderson House Tours

We have one space left on the first Anderson House Tour on Saturday, June 17, at 11:00 am.

**Register on Eventbrite:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/olli-anderson-house-tour-tickets-34752678196>

We have 13 spots open on the second Anderson House Tour on Saturday, June 17, at 12:00 noon.

**Register on Eventbrite:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/olli-second-anderson-house-tour-at-noon-tickets-34866229832>

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