Second Sunday is Live (and on Zoom)

Second Sunday With SAGE in September is meeting in person in the form of an Open House -- you can also participate on Zoom.

And that's not all ... SAGE is celebrating its 25th Anniversary! Come to the Open House on Sunday September 11. Drop in any time between 2 and 4 pm, either online or in person. Starting at 2:30, we’ll have an informal discussion where people can share their memories of SAGE over the years. If you'd rather write your memories down, there will be cards for that. We’d also like to hear your ideas about how to celebrate 25 years. We envision marking this milestone in a number of ways this Fall through next Spring.

There will be snacks and beverages at the Open House and plenty of time for socializing. No need to bring anything but a few conversation topics, a few smiles, and a few ideas.

If you have photos and would be willing to share them, please contact us. You can email digital photos to kdill@sageupstate.org, or let us borrow your pictures so we can scan them. A slideshow of photos over the years will be a part of the Open House and other events.

We ask that participants be fully vaccinated. Masks are recommended but not required. Masks and hand sanitizer will be available.

Lunch & Learn 9/27, 11:30: Medicare Annual Enrollment

Medicare Open Enrollment is coming up in October. This month’s Lunch & Learn gives us tools and information to enroll. Taylor Frawley, Aging Specialist at the Ondondaga County Department of Long Term Care Services, will discuss Medicare in general, what’s new for 2022, choosing the right plan, and more to get you ready for enrollment. Join us Thursday, September 27 at 11:30 am in the SAGE Upstate Center. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP (deadline Friday, 9/23) to Trish, including any dietary restrictions. Email to tjohnson@sageupstate.org or call/text to 315-282-5428.

Socials in Oswego & Utica

The Utica Social has moved to the First Saturday at 2:00 pm, and people are still gathering at the UU at 10 Higby Rd.

The Oswego Social is still looking for a permanent space. This month, folks will be meeting at Rudy's on Friday, September 9 at 10:30 am.
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**COVID Notifications:** When a program participant tests positive for COVID, SAGE will post the info on the SAGE Upstate Website. (NO NAMES – those who report will be completely anonymous) To access the info: visit sageupstate.org and on the home page, click on the button that says "check on COVID notifications here." Find more info at the CDC: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/if-you-were-exposed.html

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Dining OUT with your SAGE Friends

SAGE friends meet 3 times per month at local restaurants-- once for dinner, once for breakfast, and once for lunch. Would you like to receive emails about these events? Contact Kim at 315-478-1923 or kdill@sageupstate.org. Your info will be passed on to Ron, who leads these groups. Here are this month's locations:

9/1 Dinner, 6:00 pm, Wolf’s Den (617 Wolf St.) at 6 pm.
9/14: Breakfast, 9:30 am, Market Diner (2100 Park)
9/21: Lunch, 12:30 pm, Olive Garden (3147 Erie Blvd East)

To arrange for your seat at the table, RSVP to Ron or contact Kim at 315-478-1923 or kdill@sageupstate.org.

Want to go to a play with SAGE friends?

SAGE at the Theater: Discount tickets, local theater, and SAGE friends-- what’s not to like?

At Syracuse Stage, it’s How To Dance In Ohio" on Wednesday, September 28, 2:00 pm. The show will be followed by a lecture about the play. The group discount is $30 per ticket, but an anonymous benefactor will take care of $10 of your costs. You can reserve your seat for just $20.

At Redhouse Arts Center, it’s a performance of Angels in America on October on 15 or 22. The group cost is $35, but our benefactor will take $15 off. You can reserve your seat for $20.

If even after the discounts, the price is too much, let us know and we can help. To sign up: kdill@sageupstate.org or 315-478-1923.

Unclobber:
Rethinking our misuse of the Bible on homosexuality

Interested in a conversation about how the Bible has been misused in relation to homosexuality? All participants receive a copy of the book to read and explore during this 8-week discussion program, which starts October 4 at 7 pm, and will be held at the Oneida Public Library, 459 Main St, Oneida. RSVP to Trish at tjjohnson@sageupstate.org. Space is limited.
Can we recognize your gift in SAGE Upstate publications?  Yes  No