

SUNDAY LECTURE SERIES

2:00 - 3:30

(143 Union unless otherwise indicated - see map)

The Sunday Lecture Series features guest speakers who share their knowledge and areas of expertise with participants. Each lecture is followed by a question period.
For information please contact: **Beth Dougan 613-549-1910**

September 10

Back to the Future of Books
Merilyn Simonds, Author, Kingston

September 17

The Protestant Reformation in Germany
James M. Stayer, Professor Emeritus of History, Queen's University

September 24

Lessons Learned From the Adventure of Designing and Creating a Simple Country Home
Peri McQuay, Writer, Kingston

October 1

The Vimy Trap: Or, How We Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Great War
Jamie Swift, Author, Social Justice Advocate, Lecturer, Smith School of Business

October 8

Thanksgiving - No Lecture

October 15

Kingston's Own: The Fort Henry Guard 1938-2017
Steve Mecredy, Vice Principal, LDSB (Retired), Former Curator and Guard Commander, Fort Henry National Historic Site

October 22

Out of Syria – The Road From Damascus
Jamal Saeed, Syrian Writer and Refugee, Kingston

October 29

West Indian Slaves and English Gentlewoman: Susanna Moodie and Two Slave Narratives
Sandra Campbell, Professor (Retired), Pauline Jewett Institute of Women's and Gender Studies, Carleton University

November 5

Celebrating Geo-Heritage: Mistaken Point, Canada's Newest UNESCO World Heritage Site
Guy Narbonne, Professor and Queen's Research Chair, Department of Geological Sciences and Geological Engineering, Queen's University

November 12

The Role of the American Civil War in Canada's Confederation
Paul Van Nest, Secretary, Civil War Round Table of Greater Kingston

November 19

Nature: A Personal Exploration
Paul Fritz, Professor Emeritus, Department of History, McMaster University

November 26

Brain Cancer and Its Treatment: The Canadian Story and Kingston Link
Chris O'Callaghan, Senior Investigator, Canadian Cancer Trials Group, Queen's University

December 3

The Quakers of Monteverde,, Or How I Spent My Winter Vacation
Glenn Torrie, Professor Emeritus, Department of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, Royal Military College, Kingston

TUESDAY TALKS

1:30-3:30

(Royal Kingston Curling Club - see map)

Individual participants speak on their special areas of interest and invite discussion (as listed below) . For further information contact **Bill Reid: 613-542-8590**

September 12

What Did You Read This Summer?
Group Discussion

September 19

The Noble Tree: An Underrated Sentinel of Civilization and the Environment
Group Discussion

September 26

Death Is Simply the Coming to the End of Doing, or So a Sage Once Said
Group Discussion

October 3

Universities: Oracles of Knowledge or Elevated Trade Schools of Global Consumerism?
Group Discussion

October 10

Thanksgiving- No Meeting

October 17

Has "Community Become an Abstract Term in the Internet Age?"
Group Discussion

October 24

Are Smart Phones the New Teen Drug?.
Group Discussion

October 31

Cult of Apologies Raises Issues
Group Discussion

November 7

Could Donald Trump Happen in Canada?
Group Discussion

November 14

How Do We Define Progress? Is It Confused with Change?
Group Discussion

November 21

What Makes Us (You, that is) Tick?
Group Discussion

November 28

Sharpen Your Critical Thinking!
Group Discussion

December 5

It's Impossible Not to Have an Attitude
Group Discussion