

All lectures are in Chautauqua Hall, except the 1:30 p.m. Wednesday lecture, which is in Orchestra Hall.

Week 11 Chautauqua Lecture Series: Aug. 28-31 Lakeside University

10:30 a.m., Monday: The Function of the U.S. Intelligence Community with James Schnell, PhD (Chautauqua Hall)

This lecture will describe the beginnings of the U.S. intelligence system during the 1940s, the growth of the system and variables impacting that growth to present day. Attendees will learn about central themes, which have served to create and maintain a U.S. intelligence system that has global reach, global response and global ramifications. The concept of intelligence will be defined, the reasons for having an intelligence capability will be stressed, and the three domains within national intelligence (foreign, domestic and homeland security) will be clarified. This foundation will be followed by a focus on the seven phases of the intelligence process: setting requirements, collection, processing and exploitation, analysis and production, dissemination, consumption and feedback.



James Schnell earned his bachelor's degree in political science from Capital University, his master's degree in human communication theory from SUNY Plattsburgh, and his PhD in human communication theory from Ohio University. Schnell is Professor Emeritus of Ohio Dominican University, retiring after 28 years of teaching in the social and behavioral sciences division. He is currently a Senior Lecturer for the National Security & Intelligence Program at The Ohio State University. Schnell's military career includes serving as an Assistant Air Force Attache to Beijing, China for 14 years until he retired from the U.S. Air Force Reserves at the rank of colonel. Schnell has published and presented extensively on the subject of intelligence.

1:30 p.m., Monday: Bringing Conservation to Cities with John Hartig (Chautauqua Hall)

Bringing Conservation to Cities is the story of how innovative public-private partnerships are making nature part of everyday urban life in the automobile capitals of the U.S. and Canada in an effort to inspire and develop the next generation of conservationists in urban areas, because that is where 80% of U.S. and Canadian citizens live. The percentage of people living in urban areas is on the rise and is projected to increase to 60% by 2030. *Bringing Conservation to Cities* is a timely and informative exposé of what it takes to foster a conservation ethic in a major urban area, complete with critical lessons learned, and to simultaneously inspire and develop the next generation of conservationists that must be developed with increasing frequency in urban areas.

John Hartig is an accomplished Great Lakes scientist whose life journey has led him to become a creative nonfiction writer focused on inspiring the next generation of conservationists. Hartig has received a number of awards for his work, including the 2015 Conservationist of the Year Award from the Michigan League of Conservation Voters. Hartig has also authored or co-authored more than 100 publications on the environment. His most recent book, titled *Bringing Conservation to Cities*, won a Gold Medal from the Nonfiction Authors Association in the "Sustainable Living" category in 2015 and was a finalist in the "Science/Nature/Environment" category of the Next Generation Indie Book Awards in 2016.



10:30 a.m., Tuesday: Wellness Unwrapped with Carolyn Pytlik, MEd, CRNA, RN (Chautauqua Hall)

Wellness can best be defined as a personalized, self-directed and evolving process of achieving full potential. Holistic and multidimensional, it encompasses mental, emotional and spiritual well-being, as well as community and environment. Wellness is a conscious lifestyle process including the individual's relationship between the internal and external environments. Just like Lakeside Chautauqua where programming is built on four pillars of religion, education, arts and recreation, a complete wellness program is built on four pillars of mind, body, spirit and community. With so much information presented constantly from so many sources, how does one discern what is true, accurate, safe and helpful? Participants will explore ways to navigate this seemingly overwhelming universe of knowledge to find those things contributing to total wellness.

Carolyn Pytlik, MEd, CRNA, RN, is a Health Care Consultant and Wellness Coach. She is a graduate of Youngstown State University and Penn State University with a master's degree in health education. As a Major and Nurse Anesthetist in the U.S. Army Reserve, she developed and coordinated the first wellness program for the U.S. Air Force Vienna Air Base. As a Legal Nurse Consultant, she has worked on several high profile legal cases, both civil and criminal, and has co-authored "Surgical and Anesthesia Case Evaluation," Legal Nurse Consulting Practices, Third Edition. While practicing as a nurse anesthetist for many years, she recognized that the general health of patients coming for surgery was steadily declining and she sought to learn why. In response to requests from Lakeside guests to learn more about healthy cooking and eating, she and her husband, Lorenzo, created and Lorenzo's Culinary School in Lakeside in 2002, which still teaches students of all ages how easy it is to eat healthier.

1:30 p.m., Tuesday: Negro Spirituals with Jeanine Donaldson (Chautauqua Hall)

This lecture will examine the socio-emotional history of the Negro Spiritual in the context of the religion and daily life of the enslaved persons who created them. Jeanine Donaldson and her accompanist will perform examples of the music. Central to the discussion will be the story of the Fisk Jubilee Singers. On October 6, 1871, 11 emancipated slaves set out to secure, by their singing, the fabulous sum of \$20,000 for the impoverished and unknown school in which they were students. The school was Fisk College in Nashville, and their mission was to concertize throughout the North, singing their unique style of sacred music known as spirituals. Donaldson's passion for Negro Spirituals began in elementary school and continues until this day. About the music she says, "It is difficult to conceive that a people that has been in bondage for generations and for whom it was illegal to learn to read or write, could create songs that demonstrate such an abiding faith and a critical knowledge of scriptures."

Donaldson is a native of Sandusky, who currently resides in Lorain. She is a graduate of the Oberlin Conservatory of Music where she studied voice.



10:30 a.m., Wednesday: Our Living Legacy: American Trees with Cheryl Harner (Chautauqua Hall)

Enjoy a rollicking trip across the eastern U.S. to "hug" some of the most significant trees in America. These survivors of westward expansion, timbering, industrial growth, pests, drought and disease have much to teach us. We'll celebrate the aesthetic and ecological benefits provided by trees in both Old-Growth Forests and public parks. Let us discover their hard-won lessons before we plant trees we expect to live into the next century.

Cheryl Harner is interested in all forms of flora and fauna and is fascinated by the connections between botany and wildlife. She is an avid gardener, tree hugger, life-long wildflower, and bird and butterfly enthusiast. Co-founder of Flora-Quest, her work includes long-time leadership in Ohio Ornithological Society, Audubon and Ohio Natural Areas and Preserves. Harner currently serves on two land trust boards and promotes conservation as an environmental educator and advocate for nature. She resides in the Mansfield area, but she can be found with binoculars and camera throughout the state, ready to bird, butterfly or botanize.



1:30 p.m., Wednesday: Keep Your Airspeed Up: The Story of a Tuskegee Airman with Harold Brown & Marsha Bordner (Orchestra Hall)



Keep Your Airspeed Up: The Story of a Tuskegee Airman, the biography of Harold Brown, written by his wife, Marsha Bordner, is the result of Bordner's love of language and her love for her husband. Those two passions aroused an idea and birthed a book. An underlying theme in Bordner's book touches on the distinction between black and white airmen in World War II and the disparity between the assignments given to African-American soldiers in the war – like Brown and his brother. The book showcases the historical significance of the Tuskegee Airmen. It is also a narrative that tells of Brown's personal experiences as a pilot. The book has both historical and personal aspects to it, making it very unique.

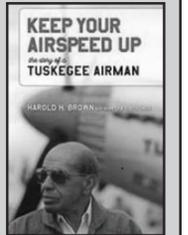
Brown grew up in Minneapolis and went through flight training at Tuskegee Institute in the early 1940s. He became part of the group now known as the Tuskegee Airmen. The persistence and courage of these men in flight led to the desegregation of the military—a necessary first step in our country's move to integration in the country's laws and society. Brown came home from World War II and served in the Strategic Air Command before earning his PhD and serving as an administrator at what is now Columbus State Community College in Ohio.

Bordner has always felt a passion for language—from earning a PhD in English from The Ohio State University and serving as a faculty member at Clark State Community College in Springfield, Ohio, to becoming a college president at Terra State Community College. Most recently, she has put those skills to work in writing her husband's story. *Keep Your Air Speed Up* is published by the University of Alabama Press.

Harold Brown & Marsha Bordner Book Signing

A book signing with Brown and Bordner will be held in Chautauqua Hall following the 1:30 p.m. lecture.

Copies of the book will be available for purchase at the book signing.



10:30 a.m., Thursday: End-of-Life Care, Music & the Harp with Jane Linville (Chautauqua Hall)

Drawing upon her professional career as a hospice/palliative care social worker for 30+ years, Jane Linville will share how her work experiences and her love of music led her to develop an interest in therapeutic music as a tool for providing relief of suffering and pain. She will educate participants on the science of music therapy and its use in the medical field, as well as provide a demonstration of the art on her Celtic harp.

Linville lives with her husband, Greg, in North Canton. She has just retired from her nearly 40-year career as a medical social worker, primarily working in hospice and palliative care, a challenging and deeply rewarding field. She holds a bachelor's degree in social work from University of Akron and a master's degree in social work from the University of Pittsburgh, and is licensed in the State of Ohio, with supervision credentials. She has loved singing in choral choirs from high school and college to the present and plays piano and the Celtic harp for her own enjoyment. Linville and her husband are Lakeside Campground residents.

1:30 p.m., Thursday: Bob Hope: Thanks for the Memories with Bob Hope (Chautauqua Hall)

Born in England and raised in Cleveland, performer Bob Hope was an entertainer and comedic actor of radio, television and film. After a successful career in radio, his first major film role was in "The Big Broadcast of 1938," where he first sang "Thanks for the Memory," which became his signature tune. He teamed up with stars such as Bing Crosby, Dorothy Lamour and Lucille Ball, making more than 50 feature films in his career.

During World War II, Hope began to regularly tour with the USO, entertaining U.S. soldiers abroad. He continued his work with the USO for more than 50 years and was honored in 1997 when the U.S. Congress passed a measure to make him an honorary veteran of the U.S. military for his goodwill work on behalf of American soldiers. Additional honors include more than 50 honorary university degrees, five honorary Academy Awards, a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Kennedy Center in 1985, a Medal of the Arts from President Bill Clinton in 1995 and an honorary British knighthood in 1998.

During this program, the great-nephew of Bob Hope, also named Bob Hope, will speak about memories of his great uncle and show some of the memorabilia that was passed down to him, which now fills his Chagrin Falls home.

