Our program for July 2 is Dr. Dan O’Keefe, Southwest District Extension Educator for Sea Grant Michigan. Dan works with coastal communities and businesses in southwest Michigan to apply science-based knowledge to address Great Lakes and southern Lake Michigan issues. The southwest district serves Mason, Oceana, Muskegon, Ottawa, Allegan, Van Buren and Berrien counties.

Dr. O’Keefe assists Great Lakes charter boat, recreational, and commercial fishing industries in adapting to changing environmental, economic, and sociopolitical conditions. He promotes understanding of connections between watersheds, rivers, drowned river mouth lakes, and Lake Michigan to highlight impacts of inland communities on Great Lakes fisheries. He also works toward development of emerging fisheries, fishing methods and seafood products.

Dan has considerable professional experience in Mississippi involving research projects assessing game fish populations following Hurricane Katrina. He also has done research in Alabama and Michigan with seven years of on-the-water experience working for universities and consultants sampling fish populations using gill nets, trap nets and electro fishing. He will speak to us about fish native to our waters. “Good” species planted in our lakes and rivers to promote the recreational and commercial fishing and their interaction with “bad” invasive fish like Asian Carp, Lamprey, Zebra Mussels, etc. In addition to ecological issues there will be some discussion of water levels in the Great Lakes.

Dr. O’Keefe earned his B.S. Degree from Michigan State University, his M.S. Degree from Central Michigan University and his PhD from Mississippi State University.

PLEASE NOTE: The August monthly meeting will be held at Christ Memorial Church!

MONTHLY MEETING PARKING: Lot Z – behind Anderson-Werkman building is reserved for HASP members (marked with orange cones), there are some available spaces in Lot U (for Haworth guests, behind the Kepple House by Dykstra Hall), Pillar Church parking lot (which you CAN park in the spots labeled “Pillar Church only”), street parking where available, and the lot behind New Holland Brewery and 84 East where available. The newer downtown parking ramp is also a great option! If you live at Freedom Village, please consider taking their bus over.
MEMBERSHIP

HASP Annual Dues notices and renewal forms will be sent to you via mail in July. Our yearly membership fee will again be $100.00 per member for the 2013-2014 fiscal year. Please DO NOT send payments prior to receiving your notice and renewal paperwork in the mail.

Sympathy...
Our sympathy is expressed to the friends and family of Elin Moerland. Elin died on May 28, 2013, and was a member of HASP since October 2000 following a career as a homemaker and a co-owner of a farm and farm market.

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of Delores Johnson, who died on June 6, 2013. Delores was a retired teacher and joined HASP in 2003.

We welcome the following new members:

BETTE ANN FORSBerg
Profession: Teacher
Education: University of Northern Colorado; Western Michigan University
Hobbies: Reading, walking, tennis, biking, travel, Bible studies, bridge
Mentor: Judy Rouse

GEORGE L. FORSBerg
Profession: Teacher
Education: Northern Michigan University; Western Michigan University
Hobbies: Reading, travel, hunting, fishing, biking, hiking, bridge and other card games
Mentor: Larry Rouse

JOSEPH A. GALLagher
Profession: Business Executive
Education: American Institute of Baking; University of Akron; Wittenberg
Hobbies: Golf, reading, bridge, chess, and Evergreen Commons
Mentor: Charles Wilde

DIANNE GARONE
Profession: Marketing Program Manager/Retail
Education: Western Michigan University; University of Northern Colorado
Hobbies: The arts—symphony, opera, ballet, theater, travel, reading, music history, good friends, family, grandchildren
Mentor: Marilyn Norman

ALAN GIBSON
Profession: Teacher
Education: Cornell University; Eastern Michigan University; Eastern Michigan University
Hobbies: Biking, hiking, kayaking, travel, stocks, physics
Mentor: Jerry Van Wyngarden

JOSEPHINE H. GRIEVE
Profession: Clinical Psychologist
Education: University of Michigan; Western Michigan University
Hobbies: Music, opera, symphony, jazz, musical theatre, genealogy, nature, hiking, gardening, reading, antiques
Mentor: Bill Andresen
AL HOKSBERGEN
Profession: Clergy
Education: Calvin College; Calvin Seminary; Free University of Amsterdam
Mentor: Jerry Van Wyngarden

ROBERT McCaleb
Profession: Engineer
Education: University of Michigan
Hobbies: Skiing, reading, gardening
Mentor: Navyne Kline

DIANA NELSON
Profession: Educator
Education: University of Wisconsin
Hobbies: Politics, travel, sailing, reading, antiques, golf, cooking

JANICE NELSON
Profession: Speech Therapist
Education: Western Michigan University; Ball State University
Hobbies: Gardening, reading, traveling, Tai Chi, tap dance
Mentor: Sandy Buller

RICHARD SMIT
Profession: Technology Educator
Education: Chicago State University
Hobbies: Fishing, golf, time with family
Mentors: Bob and Jane Smit

JUDI SMIT
Profession: Spiritual Director
Education: Morton Junior College; Dominican Center at Marywood; College of Du Page
Hobbies: Painting, writing, dance, singing with choir, family time, reading and book club
Mentors: Bob and Jane Smit

Reinstated:

TONY WELLER
Profession: Engineering and Inventor
Education: University of Michigan
Hobbies: Music, computers, investments, gardening, and inventions

COMMUNICATIONS
The 2013 HASP Review was available at the June 4 Annual HASP Business Luncheon. If you have not picked up your copy, copies are now available through August 31 in the HASP office. Thank you to so many writers, artists, and editors for helping to create this year’s HASP Review. What a wealth of memories, essays, short stories, poetry, photographs, and art work are all in this 2013 issue! Enjoy!

Now we are starting to gather material for the 2014 HASP Review. What memories would you share? What issues, local or larger, concern you? What short stories, poems, pictures, and/or drawings could you contribute? We have so many wonderful HASP members, all of whom have lived interesting lives and have so much to say. Write about any aspect of your life—from your childhood to this summer’s adventure. Create short stories or a poem or two or three. We look forward to your contributions.

CURRICULUM
Courses
Please note that the entire summer curriculum calendar and course descriptions are available on our website for your reference: www.hope.edu/hasp
July Courses:
Laura VerPlank Film Series – Mondays, July 1, 8, 15, 29 @ 9:30 AM – noon
Encounters with History – Wednesday, July 3 @ 9:30 AM
Books & Writers – Tuesday, July 9 @ 9:30 AM
iPhone Photography – Wednesday, July 10 @ 9:30-11AM, 1-3:00PM
Poetry of Mina Loy – Thursday, July 11 @ 9:30 AM
Great Conversations – Thursday, July 11, 18, 25 @ 1:00PM
Theism and Science of Evolution – Tuesday, July 16, 23, 30 @ 9:30AM
All Shook Up – Tuesday, July 16 @ 1:00PM
Aging and Retirement – Wednesday, July 17 @ 9:30AM
These Shining Lives - Wednesday, July 17, 24 @ 1:00PM
Amish and Mennonites – Thursday, July 18 @ 9:30AM
Computer Experiences – Tuesday, July 23 @ 1:00 PM
Lakeshore Habitat for Humanity – Monday, July 29 @ 9:30AM

Additional Course Offered: “All Shook Up” on Tuesday, July 16, 1:00 PM
Take Shakespeare’s comedy Twelfth Night, put it in a 1950’s setting, and tell the tale using music by popular
by Elvis Presley. How does all that work? That’s what we hope to discover in this pre-show class on the Hope
Summer Repertory Theatre’s production of All Shook Up! This class is in collaboration with HASP’s Special
Events Committee and their dinner/theatre evening scheduled for July 30th. A synopsis of the show will be
presented as well as insights into the music and staging. This course was not in the Summer Course booklet, so
please call the office 395.7919 or email hasp@hope.edu if you would like to register. Cost for the course is $3,
1:00PM in the HASP classroom on July 16th.

Presenter: Kerry Daab was a music educator for 37 years. He retired from Holland Public Schools where he
served as high school choir director for 31 years. Kerry is now employed by Faith Reformed Church in
Zeeland and serves as assistant director to the Evergreen Chorale.

Correction:
There was a misprint on the registration form. The course “Conflict Between Theism and Science or
Evolution” is on Tuesdays not Wednesdays as listed on the form. Course dates are Tuesdays July 16, 23, &
30.

Closed Courses:
The following courses are closed due to enrollment being filled:
iPhone Photography
The Amish and Mennonites
If you have enrolled for these courses and have not heard from the office personally, assume that you are in the
class.

Have an Idea for a HASP Course? Want to Evaluate a HASP Course?
The HASP Curriculum committee has updated the forms for suggesting a topic for a HASP course and for
evaluating a HASP course. Look for the green ‘Suggestion for a HASP Course’ forms and the white ‘HASP
Course Evaluation’ forms on the shelf in the hallway between the refreshment area and classroom.
After completing either form, put it into the nearby cardboard box. Kim and Amy will make sure the
appropriate people receive copies of the completed forms. Your responses will help to improve the variety and
quality of HASP courses.
———Judy Parr, HASP Curriculum committee chairperson
HASP Classroom Art Display for July:
The work of HASP member Jan Gebben will be on display for the month of July for your enjoyment in the classroom.
Note: Any HASP artist/photographer who wishes to show their work during August, please contact the HASP office or Mary Porter, 335.2904 or m.porter95@yahoo.com.

SERVICE

The following are HASP Members, Victor and Isla Ver Meulen’s, impressions of an academic program at Glerum Elementary School that has been brilliantly successful.

“If you believe reading proficiency is essential to academic progress, there is good news right here in Western Michigan. Melinda Mendels, the academic coach at Glerum Elementary School, began a reading program that has in one year helped raise reading scores in all grades to the highest level in Glerum's history. The program is called "Baggie Books". Every day each student goes home with a book and a reading assignment. They are expected to read with a family member who signs off that the reading has taken place. Kindergarten students also have flash cards with common words to review daily. The following day volunteers read with each student and discuss the content of their reading. One volunteer works with each class each day.

The facts are in. The system works! There must be a negative, right? The program is volunteer intensive! To succeed volunteers are needed to spend about 2 hours once a week listening to students read. The work is fun and the rewards great. Next year is a new "Baggy Books" effort. If you wish to volunteer for this noble effort, please contact Melinda Mendels at mendelsm@westottawa.net. You will not regret the time spent and the children at Glerum will become proficient readers.”

SPECIAL EVENTS

REGISTRATION FORMS FOR THESE EVENTS ARE ON THE LAST PAGE!
(Please send in separate checks if registering for more than one event)

July - Hope Summer Repertory Theatre, “All Shook Up”, Tuesday, July 30, 2013, 6:00pm
A light dinner and dessert will be catered in the MAAS Conference room for your convenience as the play will be at the DeWitt Theater. We have reserved 50 tickets for the play. Tickets and dinner are $30.00 per person. Punch bowl will begin at 6:00 p.m., dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m., and the play begins at 8:00 p.m. “All Shook Up” is a musical comedy built around a number of songs made famous by Elvis Presley. It’s NOT a biographical revue. It takes place in 1955, somewhere in Middle America where one girl’s dream and a surprise visit from a mysterious leather-jacketed, guitar-playing stranger help a small town to discover the magic of romance and the power of rock & roll. Featured in the score are classics like “Heartbreak Hotel”, “Love Me Tender,” “Don’t Be Cruel,” “Can’t Help Falling in Love,” and of course the title tune. Reservations must be made by July 15th.

August – Purple Rose Theatre & Charming Chelsea, Michigan: Wednesday August 14, 2013, 7:30 am-8:00 pm
Following a 7:30 AM departure from the Smallenberg Park, we will enjoy a bus ride to the Jiffy Mix Plant in Chelsea, MI, for a tour of their interesting facility, complete with free samples. Lunch will follow at the outstanding Common Grill in downtown Chelsea with many delicious menu items to select from upon arrival. There will be time to stroll downtown Chelsea before gathering at Jeff Daniels’ Purple Rose Theatre for a matinee performance of the play “Miles & Ellie”. Our bus will stop for fast food on the way home so our arrival home should be in the neighborhood of 8:00 PM. Cost for the trip, including everything except the fast food, is $65.00 per person. Reservations are due by July 29th.
NOTE: We understand that the play “Miles & Ellie” contains adult language and content.
Shakespeare…
Special Events will not be sponsoring the Shakespeare Festival trip this year, but we wanted to give the Shakespeare lovers a “heads-up” to plays in the area:
* Hope Summer Repertory Theatre will be presenting “Romeo & Juliet”.  [www.hope.edu/hsrt](http://www.hope.edu/hsrt)
* The Pigeon Creek Shakespeare Company will be performing “Measure for Measure” on July 6th.  [www.pcshakespeare.com](http://www.pcshakespeare.com)

HASP Office News

Office Hours:
Summer hours for the HASP office are 9 a.m. (one half hour before classes begin) until NOON Monday-Thursday, later when there are afternoon classes. It is fine if you want to arrive early and wait, but we cannot guarantee coffee will be ready earlier than 9 a.m.
Please feel free to slide mail/correspondence under the office door if you miss us.
Reminder: We request at least 3-5 business days for copy requests.
Thank you for your cooperation.

Did you miss the HASP Annual Meeting and 25 Year Anniversary Luncheon on June 4th?
If so please stop by the office to pick up your commemorative HASP Review, HASP 25 year history, and a HASP lanyard (for your nametag) - all gifts for you from the meeting!

Special thanks to the 25 year anniversary committee: Elton Bruins, Jack Hyde, Jerry Redeker, Jan VerHelst, and Trudy VanderHaar for their dedicated service to this event! Special thanks also to Louise Peppel for penning our anniversary song and Kerry Daab for sharing playing the piano for us! Thank you!

Minutes from the annual meeting and luncheon will be in your August bulletin.
Hope Summer Repertory Theatre and Dinner
Tuesday, July 30, 2013
$30.00 per person

Name(s): ________________________________________________________________

Amount enclosed: ________________

Dinner selection (please initial):

Smoked Turkey, Harvarti, and Bacon Salad: Crispy applewood bacon crumbled over spring mix greens with julienne smoked turkey, sliced havarti, egg, tomatoes, shredded carrot and tomato basil vinaigrette

Thai Chicken and Citrus Salad: Mixed greens, grapefruit, pineapple, cucumber, fresh cilantro and mint are tossed together then topped with sliced Cajun-seasoned, char-grilled chicken, cashews, sesame seeds and lime-infused Asian-chili dressing

Special Dietary Requests: _________________________________________________________

(Salads include drink, rolls and cookies)

Purple Rose Theatre & Charming Chelsea Michigan
Wednesday, August 14, 2013
$65.00 per person

Yes, I/we will attend (please indicate # attending): ____________________

Name(s): ________________________________________________________________

Total Enclosed: $_______________________

Special Dietary Requests: ______________________________________________________

Emergency Contact (name and number): ___________________________________________