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"The beautiful thing about learning is nobody can take it away from you."

B.B. King

"There is nothing more notable in Socrates than that he found time, when he was an old man, to learn music and dancing, and thought it time well spent."

Michel de Montaigne,

"The education of a man is never completed until he dies."

Robert E. Lee

**KAMLOOPS ADULT
LEARNERS SOCIETY**

**OFFICE IN NORTH
HILLS MALL
SENIORS CENTRE**

**OFFICE HOURS
Mon 10-1pm
Thurs 12-3 pm
(starting mid Aug)**

FALL PROGRAM planning is underway and interesting program suggestions are welcomed by our hardworking program committee volunteers. The challenge is finding volunteers to offer their time and knowledge to lead a course.

In a recent survey the three top interest areas from a list of 24 subjects were **ancient history, travel and social issues**. The top 10 areas include **comparative religions; current affairs; justice; philosophy; politics; world affairs; arts/drama/music**.

If you know someone who has background knowledge in these or other areas, **talk to them about volunteering** to lead a class, or send me their info and we will follow up. The greatest challenge to proving you with a varied and stimulating program is finding people willing to lead. Your contacts would be greatly valued as the fall program is finalized over the next month. Volunteer instructors are offered a free course and course coordinators do not pay for the course they host.

Dorian Lemon has been our Program Committee Chair for two years. Her leadership of the 8 member committee resulted in over 50 different classes offered to you in the past year. Our sincere thanks to all of them for a stimulating year.

MEMBERS IN THE NEWS – Join me in congratulating **Ellen Faraday** who received KALS highest Volunteer Award at the Spring Tea. Ellen was recognized for her 10 years of support to KALS in a variety of roles. Her current job is our Office Coordinator and Board Member. She is an outstanding volunteer who not only supervises our clerk but ensures our admin systems are reliable and effective.

FREE FOR KALS MUSICIANS who would love to play music in a supportive camp environment.

The Kamloops Interior Summer School of Music (KISSM) invites KALS members to participate in the 2015 camp (July 6-24th) as mentors and volunteers. Funded by New Horizons Canada, the project is designed to give younger students the opportunity to explore new music opportunities and for seniors the chance to share your experience and learn something new. With over 40 different classes offered there is something for everyone who loves music. Call Kim at the KISSM office **250-574-5437** to take part or email info@kissm.ca.

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