University of Southern Indiana Retirees' Newsletter

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Events	The Steamboat's a'Comin'!
August 23 Retirees' Reception University Home 4 p.m.	
Early November Wakefield-Scearce Day Trip	
November 8 Belle of Cincinnati Dinner Cruise 7 p.m.	
February 11 Retirees' Luncheon 11 a.m.	
In Memoriam	
Jack Barnes d. July 2011	

Our President Writes

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Welcome to the first issue of our newsletter for and about USI retirees. Here we hope to inform you with news from members of the University community, update you on what your friends and former colleagues do with their leisure time, and encourage you to become actively involved in programs designed for us retirees.

A fter last A ugust's survey during a reception at the University Home and our February gathering at the Kennel Club, an eager group of volunteers formed an as-yet-unnamed organization to provide a contact point for us retirees so we can remain engaged with one another and the greater University community. Elsewhere in this issue you will find information about day trips, a dinner cruise, and groups interested in genealogy, bridge, other events.

In the *Events* column, we'll keep you apprised of activities--please join us for any and all. And please send your notices for our newsletter to smstandl@usi.edu or sdarrell@usi.edu.

Don Pitzer's New Harmony

Don Pitzer reports that he started research on *New Harmony: Then and Now* in 2009, eager to work with his co-author, Darryl Jones, a first-rate photographer with many New Harmony photos to his credit. Moreover, this new book, written during so-called retirement, allowed Don to update all my 40 years of research on New Harmony. The book comes out this fall from IU Press.

This book is the first to incorporate full-

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A Name, A Name, My Kingdom for a Name

Will you help us name this organization of USI retirees? For example, are we the Organization of USI Retirees—*OUR*, the Emancipated A cademic Workers—*EAW*, the Sage, but Poor Folk —*SPF*?

And then will you help us name this newsletter? *Re-Tired Stories*? *Old News*? *Emancipated Proclamations*?

Help!

Please email suggestions to Sherrianne Standley (smstandl@usi.edu) or Sherry Darrell (sdarrell@usi.edu).

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