

# The Illinois Club

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## 2016-2017 Events

### Spring Luncheon

May 4, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

### Spring Tour

May 24, 4:00 p.m.

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## State Farm Center Tour

Wednesday, May 24

**State Farm Center,**  
1800 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St., Champaign  
Tour begins at 4:00 p.m.

**Houlihan's Restaurant**  
1900 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St, Champaign  
Dinner approximately 5:30 p.m.

**Tour the State Farm Center.** Join us at 4:00 pm on Wednesday, May 24 for a behind-the-scenes tour of the newly renovated State Farm Center (<http://www.statefarmcenter.com/>). Learn fun facts about the history of the building and its unique architecture, see areas of the venue not usually accessible to the public, and learn about the many upgrades made during the recent three-year, \$170 million renovation project. There will be a fair amount of walking on this tour, but elevators are close to the stairs.

**Optional dinner.** Stay with us for the optional dinner at Houlihan's Restaurant where you will order from the menu and pay on your own. If the weather is nice we will eat outside. We will meet at Houlihans at approximately 5:30 PM. The menu is available on <http://www.houlihans.com/eats-and-drinks/menu/dinner/champaign>

**Tour is free** but space is limited to 25.

**Registration.** Do either or both, but **you must register by May 17.** Since space is limited for the tour, guests are limited to one at the State Farm Center. We will keep a waiting list; we will notify you if there is space for additional guests after the reservation deadline. There is no limit for number of guests at the restaurant.

**Sign up** by emailing Sheila at [tours@theillinoisclub.org](mailto:tours@theillinoisclub.org) with the name(s) attending, phone number, and whether you are registering for the State Farm Center tour, Houlihan's for dinner, or both, For those who do not have access to email, reservations may be made via phone or voicemail (217-398-8124) by May 5th. After May 5, reservations are only accepted by email.

*Information on parking and other details will be given closer to the date. Watch the weekly E-News.*

Archived copies of our weekly e-news containing announcements, news, and events are available on our website at [http://www.theillinoisclub.org/e\\_news.php](http://www.theillinoisclub.org/e_news.php). Be sure to like us on Facebook to see photos of our events and members.



# Spring Luncheon

Urbana Country Club, Banquet Room  
100 E. Country Club Rd, Urbana  
Thursday, May 4, 2017, 11:30 AM-1:30 PM

Please join The Illinois Club for our 2017 Spring Luncheon on Thursday, May 4 at the Urbana Country Club.

**Program:** We are pleased to welcome Dr. Julie Gunn—Director of Lyric Theatre Studies at the University of Illinois School of Music—as our special guest speaker. Dr. Gunn is a pianist, music director, vocal coach, and song arranger who has inspired students and professionals worldwide. Plan to join us for an entertaining and informational presentation. You won't want to miss this terrific event.

**Location:** Banquet Room, Urbana Country Club, 100 E. Country Club Road, Urbana - 217-367-8449  
Please enter from the **west** doorway for registration. The west doorway is wheelchair accessible.

**Menu:** Luncheon buffet consisting of your choice of  
Sandwiches: Roast beef, turkey, ham, and cheese with lettuce, tomatoes, and condiments  
Salads: mixed greens and coleslaw  
Desserts: Home-baked cookies  
Beverages: Coffee, hot tea, iced tea, water

**Cost:** \$18.00/member; \$23.00/guest (PayPal adds \$1)  
Reservation and refund deadline: April 24, 2017

Mail reservation form with check payable to the Illinois Club or Reserve with PayPal online: [http://theillinoisclub.org/pay\\_pal](http://theillinoisclub.org/pay_pal)  
**PayPal adds \$1 to each ticket.**  
Contact: [reservations@theillinoisclub.org](mailto:reservations@theillinoisclub.org)



## LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM BY MAIL

Member(s) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Guests \_\_\_\_\_

#Member Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$18      #Guest Tickets \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$23

**Final registration deadline: Monday, April 24, 2017**

**Refund deadline: Monday, April 24, 2017**

**Mail to:** Marcy Joncich, 705 W. Illinois St, Urbana IL 61801  
Make checks payable to: **The Illinois Club**

# The Illinois Club Membership Form for 2017 – 2018 Club Year: July 1 – June 30

Member 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Member 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Home Street \_\_\_\_\_

City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Home Dates \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Membership 1</b>	<b>Membership 2</b>
<b>Are you affiliated with the University?</b> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse/Member 2 <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Are you affiliated with the University?</b> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse/Member 1 <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/>
Department _____	Department _____
<b>Age:</b> Under 40 <input type="checkbox"/> 40-69 <input type="checkbox"/> 70+ <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Age:</b> Under 40 <input type="checkbox"/> 40-69 <input type="checkbox"/> 70+ <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Membership:</b> New <input type="checkbox"/> Renewing <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Membership:</b> New <input type="checkbox"/> Renewing <input type="checkbox"/>
Year Joined? _____	Year Joined? _____
**Email: _____	Email: _____

- \*\*Please provide an email address to receive weekly and quarterly club communications.

- Dues\*:**  Individual – \$25  
 Couple – \$40  
 Golden (50-year member) or Associate (Grad Students) – \$15  
 Golden Couple – \$30

\*Those who participate as a couple in interest groups must belong to the Club as a couple. Thank you.

Please make checks payable to: **“The Illinois Club”**

Mail to: Membership, The Illinois Club, P.O. Box 2782, Champaign, IL 61825

To renew (only) via PayPal: [http://www.theillinoisclub.org/pay\\_pal/](http://www.theillinoisclub.org/pay_pal/)

## Please consider contributing to The Illinois Club Scholarship Fund

Since 1917, the Club has provided financial support to worthy University of Illinois students. I have included a contribution, made payable to **UIF – The Illinois Club**, in addition to my dues:

Your Choice \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Honor Roll (\$50)  Dean’s List (\$100)  Bronze Tablet (\$200)

**(Optional)** My gift is (please check one)  in honor  in memory of \_\_\_\_\_

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## The Illinois Club Board 2017 – 2018

### Elected Positions

President ..... Kathy Valdés  
Vice President..... [open]  
Newcomers Chair ..... Linda Lopez  
Assistant Newcomers Chair ..... Teal Ashworth  
Interest Groups Chair ..... Julia Schmidt  
Asst. Interest Groups Chair ..... Peggy Huson  
Recording Secretary ..... Cathy Jackson  
Corresponding Secretary ..... Alice Taylor  
Treasurer ..... Marita Romine  
Assistant Treasurer ..... Allan Penwell  
Budget Chair..... Jenny Kokini  
Meeting Manager..... Kathy Marshak  
Membership Chair/Directory..... Patty Gropp  
Assistant Membership Chair ..... Judith Robinson  
Communications Chair ..... Libby Johnston  
Assistant Communications Chair ..... [open]  
Scholarship Chair ..... Sandy Camargo  
Assistant Scholarship Chair..... Jenny Kim

### Sustaining Member

Past President ..... Ann Campbell

### Appointed Positions

Historian..... Paula Carns  
Reservations Manager..... Marcy Joncich  
Tours ..... Annette Buckmaster and Sheila Krein  
Webmaster ..... Mike Haney

