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Offerings
5-Great Books
10-When Republicans were Progressive
11-Fall Movie--Soufra
12-TRIP--“SimpleGifts with Billy McLaughlin” at the Ives Auditorium
13-Turkey: Partner in Crisis
13-Trade & U.S. Foreign Policy
16-Rwanda--Is Past Prologue?
17-ROAM: An Author’s Journey to Giving the Homeless Community a Face
17-Minnesota’s Wild & Woolly Prohibition Days
19-Vaccinations: Public Health Triumph, Public Relations Tragedy
19-Minnesota’s Headline Murders 1900-1910
20-LIFE Book Group
23-JFK’s Assassination: The Mystery & Legend
24-Making Sense of the World
24-Global Volunteers
25-How to Scam the Scammer
26-Japanese Domestic Politics: Why Would Anyone Want to Take This On?
26-Japanese Foreign Policy: We’re Still Here!
27-Ojibwe Seasonal Life
27-Basswood & Flax Cordage
30-Generals Patton & MacArthur: World War I, II & After
30-Flat Earth!...Wait, what!? 

LIFE : Mental and Emotional Support

How fortunate we are to attend LIFE classes! Many studies have proven that individuals who participate in cognitive activities are much less likely to develop any form of dementia! Life long learning not only helps keep individuals mentally sharp, it is also critical to our emotional health as we age. Plus going back to ‘school’ introduces us to interesting tidbits, not to mention provides opportunities to make friends among our classmates.

Classes this fall offer so many opportunities to learn. There will be engaging book groups and two Minnesota authors plan to share their craft as writers. A variety of individuals from the Rochester community will join us. Former US Ambassador to Turkey, Ross Wilson, will certainly be a highlight.

Please remember there are scholarships available if needed. Just call our office at 507-280-3157, no questions asked!

We are so fortunate to belong to LIFE. Join us for one or all of these engaging LIFE opportunities!

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Teacher Feature...

Ambassador Ross Wilson is a distinguished senior fellow at the Atlantic Council and visiting lecturer in international affairs at George Washington University. Over the course of a thirty-year career in the U.S. Foreign Service, he served as American ambassador to Turkey in 2005-08 and to Azerbaijan in 2000-03. Elsewhere overseas, he held assignments at the U.S. embassies in Moscow and Prague and consulate general in Melbourne, Australia. In Washington, Ambassador Wilson was principal deputy to the ambassador-at-large and special advisor to the Secretary of State for the new independent states of the former Soviet Union in 1997-2000. He also served as deputy executive secretary of the State Department for Secretaries Baker, Eagleburger, and Christopher; chief of staff to Deputy Secretary of State Robert Zoellick; chief U.S. negotiator for the Free Trade Area of the Americas; and in the State Department’s offices dealing with the USSR and Egypt. He is a recipient of the president’s Meritorious Service Award, as well as numerous Department of State awards and honors.

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Ambassador Ross Wilson will present two programs on Sep. 13

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