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Ivy Singles Embassy Reception

Friday, June 12 6:30-8:30 pm

Embassy of Slovenia
2410 California Street, NW
Washington, DC

Join Ivy Singles and Bruce McBarnette of the Princeton Club for the Summer Embassy Art Reception at the Embassy of Slovenia. Enjoy wine, hors d'oeuvre, the work of local artists, a raffle, a presentation about Slovenia, and meet diplomats. You can also experience a relaxing energy practice from Japan. Thirty percent of all art sales will benefit Charlie's Place, a homeless service center in Washington, DC.

The Republic of Slovenia, formerly part of Yugoslavia, lies at the heart of Europe, where the Alps face the Pannonian plains and the Mediterranean meets the Karst area, which is famous for its caves and natural springs. Slovenia borders Austria to the north, Hungary to the east, Croatia to the south, and Italy to the west. The embassy is one of the more modern embassies in Washington, DC and was built in 2007 by Monarc Construction, the most famous embassy builder in the country. Dress is coat and tie for men, business attire for women.

Admission is \$35, if paid by June 11, and \$50 at the door.
Register online at <http://cornellclubdc.org/event-1932188>.

For questions contact Bruce McBarnette at bruce@mcbarnette.com or 800-777-7680.

DC Book Club Discussion

Sunday, June 14 5 pm

Silver Spring, Md

The book group will meet at the home of Jennifer Presley and Andy Kolstad to discuss the novel about Frank Lloyd Wright, *Loving Frank*. Titles for future discussions will be available at the time of that meeting. For general information about the book group, email jenniferbpresley@gmail.com.

Summer Solstice Rooftop Soiree**Friday, June 19 6-8 pm**1730 Pennsylvania Ave. NW
Washington, DC

Enjoy the latest sunset of the year on a private rooftop taking in one of the most exquisite views anywhere in Washington: an unobstructed southern panoramic view encompassing the Jefferson and Washington Memorials, White House and the Capital. Relax with people who remember when you had to go to the movies to see a movie!

Regular registration is \$25 until June 14th. Late registration will then be available for \$30 until June 18th. Email reservations, same day registrations, and walk-ins (if available) will be \$40. Includes light dinner buffet of sandwiches and salads, and a cash bar. Minimum age is 21.

The venue is three blocks south of the Farragut North and West metro stops. A separate room is available in case of inclement weather. Street parking is tight, but the building has paid parking. Last year we sold out.

For more information and to sign up online go to: <http://www.uchicagodc.org/boomerstobusters> and follow the links.

If you have questions, contact us at boomerstobusters@gmail.com.

Boomers to Busters is sponsored by the University of Chicago Club of DC. It is targeted for undergraduate and graduate alumni of Chicago and other schools who were undergraduates from the 1970s to 1990s, and their spouses, partners, and guests.

Schools advertising Boomers to Busters events include Amherst, Barnard, Brown, Bryn Mawr, Carleton, Case Western Reserve, Carnegie Mellon, Chicago, Columbia, Emory, Georgia Tech, Haverford, Johns Hopkins, Kenyon, Michigan, MIT, Mount Holyoke, Northwestern, Penn State, Pennsylvania, Pomona, Princeton, Smith, Stanford, Swarthmore, Tulane, Wellesley, Williams and the Capital Alumni Network. All others are welcome.

Stanford at the Ballpark: Washington Nationals vs Pittsburgh Pirates**Sunday, June 21 1:35 pm game time**Washington Nationals Stadium
1500 South Capitol St SE
Washington, DC

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME!
FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT

This FOURTH annual WDCSA outing to see the Washington Nationals has become one of our most popular Club events, and we will once again host a pre-game "Meet and Greet" with former Stanford pitcher Drew Storen in a private meeting room.* Once the game starts, we will be seated in the shade in the outfield - Section 231. The ticket price includes entrance to the reception and the game. Children under 2 will not need tickets. This is a great way to spend Father's Day!

Tickets are \$35 for WDCSA members and \$38 for non-members, and can be purchased here: https://alumni.stanford.edu/get/page/events/details?event_id=18059.

Further details on ticket pick-up and location of the reception will be sent to those who register. The cut-off date for ticket purchases is June 12, or when we sell out.

Questions?

Contact Chris Shinkman at 301-229-4427 or c.shinkman@verizon.net.

*Due to the unpredictable nature of players' schedules on game days, Drew Storen's meeting with us is tentative.

EVENT SPOTLIGHT: STANFORD PARENTS CONNECTION SPRING SOCIAL



The Stanford Parents Connection held its Spring Social on May 9th at Chris Shinkman's home. There were 27 in attendance, including 14 incoming Freshman students and parents, and four students from Stanford in Washington.

**7th Annual WDCSA Happy Hour Cruise
Thursday, July 23 7-9:30 pm**

Washington Harbour, Georgetown
Washington, DC
(31st and K streets NW)

Join us for a sunset cruise past the monuments!
We've rented a beautiful boat for the exclusive use of
DC Stanford alumni. Mix and mingle with your fellow
alums, enjoying happy hour food and a premium open
bar.

Tickets are: \$45 for WDCSA members, young alums
(11-'15), and their guests; and \$60 for non-members
and their guests.

Reserve your ticket at: [https://alumni.stanford.edu/
get/page/events/details?event_id=18060](https://alumni.stanford.edu/get/page/events/details?event_id=18060).

Washington Harbour is located in Georgetown at
31st and K Streets, NW, across from the Riverside
Grille on the dock. Please arrive promptly at 7:00 to
check in and mingle with friends/other alumni.
The boat will start boarding at 7:15 and will leave
promptly thereafter with or without ticket holders.

Refunds will not be granted to those who arrive late
- no exceptions. In the event of postponement for
bad weather, we will notify ticket holders and attempt
to reschedule for a later date. If you have any
questions, please contact Avery Weidman
at averyweidman@gmail.com.

If you are not a WDCSA member, this is the perfect
time to sign up and become one. You'll get your
money's worth for future events! [http://
www.stanfordclubs.org/dc/membership_form.html](http://www.stanfordclubs.org/dc/membership_form.html).

**Baltimore Book Club Discussion and
Summer Barbeque**

Saturday, July 25 5 pm
3512 Newland Road
Baltimore, Md

Bring your family and friends to our Baltimore
summer barbecue and book discussion. The July
selection is *Mr. Mercedes* by Stephen King. This
#1 New York Times bestseller won the 2015 Edgar
Award for Best Novel from the Mystery Writers of
America. This crime fiction is the first of a trilogy,
and will be turned into a TV series with Mr. King
himself as the executive producer. The September
selection is *Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World
That Can't Stop Talking* by Susan Cain.

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2015 Citi Open

Saturday, August 1 - Sunday, August 9
16th & Kennedy, NW
Washington, DC

The 2015 Citi Open is an ATP World Tour 500
tournament, making it one of the top 20 men's
tournaments in the world. We have the same six
platinum box seats to all sessions as in previous years
(Aisle 36, Section 3). The seats are at the end of the
court and very close to the court. We also have the
same four upper level seats (Section 7, Row G) as last
year. All of our seats provide access to the Emirates
Garden Club restaurant. The featured matches are
generally held in the main court where seating is
reserved with the remainder in the outside courts
where seating is open. Tickets also include the
women's WTA International Level Event to be held at
the same facility during this week.

The price to us of our box seats increased over 10%,
and our upper level seats by 27%, so we have had to
increase prices to break even. However, Andy Murray
(#3 in world) and Ken Nishikori (#5 in world) have
committed to play in the tournament.

Please email bill@billpegram.com or call
703-486-0952 indicating the number and type of
tickets desired, the session, and parking passes
desired. Bill will process requests in the order they
are received and confirm availability by return email
and provide instructions for payment. We have two
parking passes available for each session at \$16/pass.

Sat 8/1 (qualifying) 10am - \$10 box (sold out), \$8
upper - 1 parking pass left
Sunday 8/2 10am - \$18 box, \$11 upper
Mon 8/3 2pm \$42 box, \$18 upper (2 left)
Tue 8/4 2pm \$50 box, \$23 upper (2 left)
Wed 8/5 2pm \$56 box (1 left), \$27 upper - 1 parking
pass left
Thurs 8/6 2pm \$61 box, \$33 upper
Friday 8/7 1pm (quarterfinals) \$55 box (sold out),
\$27 upper - 1 parking pass left
Friday 8/7 7pm (quarterfinals) \$76 box (2 left), \$36
upper - 1 parking pass left
Sat 8/8 (semifinals) noon \$72 box (3 left), \$33 upper
Sat 8/8 (semifinals) - 7pm \$91 box (3 left), \$39 upper
Sun 8/9 (finals) 12pm \$99 box (4 left), \$39 upper - 1
parking pass left

<http://www.stanfordclubs.org/dc/>

Stanford at DC United**Saturday, August 22****4:30 pm**

RFK Stadium
2400 E Capitol St NE
Washington, DC

Join your fellow Stanford alumni to cheer on DC United against San Jose Quakes! We will have a potluck tailgate prior to the game as a way to mingle and enjoy the great company. Game time is 7pm and we'll start tailgating at 4:30pm by the tailgating tents in the RFK Parking lot. Look for the Stanford banner. And if you can't find us, call Nina at 305-803-1783.

The cost is \$25 for WDCSA members and \$28 for non-members.

Tickets can be picked up at the tailgate up until 30 minutes prior to the start of the game. There are a limited number of tickets available so sign up on the Stanford Alumni page:

https://alumni.stanford.edu/get/page/events/details?event_id=18057

Questions? Email Nina Rodriguez at ninamariarodriguez@gmail.com

Stanford at the Opera**Fall 2015****CARMEN - Fall 2015**

This sizzling production of Bizet's final opera shifts the classic story to a Latin American setting smoldering with sensuality and danger, using the original version of the score. The music pulses with erotic power - from Carmen's rousing "Habanera" aria and uninhibited dancing in a smokey tavern to the famous "Toreador Song" - all culminating in a spectacular finale at a bullfight.

This one is a winner and ...
we'll be there with a before opera "meet-up."

See our July newsletter for information on the cost and dates. For more information, contact bettybyrne@stanfordalumni.org or 202.483.4048.

Stanford In the News

- Stanford geophysicists developed a technique that transforms the tiny tremors generated by the everyday hustle and bustle of city life into a tool for probing the subsurface of the Earth.

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