

Know Your Chicago

Know Your Chicago is a program designed to educate men and women for civic leadership. For its sixteenth annual series, the program will present five topics chosen for their national importance and considered in the light of their impact upon the civic and cultural growth of the Chicago Community. These lectures and field trips will study the problems and progress that characterize some of the major

CHALLENGES FACING CHICAGO

LECTURES

Sept. 16 • TRANSPORTATION: CHICAGO ON THE GO

GEORGE W. BARTON—Barton-Aschman Associates, Inc.
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Sept. 30 • PROBLEMS OF PREJUDICE

CHARLES SUMNER STONE—Editor-in-Chief, *Chicago Defender*

Oct. 14 • POLITICS IN PROGRESS

EMMETT DEDMON—Executive Editor, *Chicago Sun-Times*

Oct. 28 • POPULATION PRESSURES

PHILIP M. HAUSER—Professor and Chairman, Department of Sociology
The University of Chicago

Nov. 11 • CHICAGO'S THEATER: OUR CHANGING STAGE

PETER P. JACOBI—Theater Critic, *Christian Science Monitor*

Wednesdays, 11:00 A.M.—12:30 P.M.

Lecture Series Admission, \$7.50

Fullerton Hall, The Art Institute of Chicago
Michigan Avenue and Adams Street

Single Lectures, \$2.00
(available only at the door)

FIELD TRIPS

The field trips are designed to complement a particular lecture and are held in the week following that lecture. Registration is limited by the capacity of the places to be visited, which by special arrangement provide tours not available to the general public. Tickets for field trips are sold only to lecture-series subscribers, who may purchase one ticket to each of the five tours. The price of each tour is \$5.00. Luncheon is provided and the cost of the lunch, tax, and gratuity is included in the tour price. The field trips are offered on a Tuesday or a Wednesday schedule (except *Tour Four*; for this tour, Tuesday subscribers will receive tickets valid the following Thursday, November 5). Subscribers do not have the option of mixing or combining these schedules: ticket orders should indicate the weekday preferred, and all tours must be taken on the weekday for which the ticket is issued. However, since the demand for tickets always exceeds the supply available, and since each year some tours sell out before others, it is important to show on the order blank whether the alternate date is acceptable if the weekday you prefer is sold out. Also, to the extent possible, a Tuesday subscriber will be assisted in exchanging his tour ticket with a Wednesday subscriber at the time of the lecture preceding that tour. There are no refunds on field trip tickets, and no other ticket exchanges can be handled. All tours will depart from and return to the Downtown Center, 64 East Lake Street. Field trips operate on closely co-ordinated time schedules, and the departure of busses cannot be delayed for late-comers.

Tour One

Tuesday Sept. 22 Assemble punctually at 8:30 A.M. The main offices of the Chicago Transit Authority will be visited, including the central control operations. The group will then board a train made up especially for this tour by the Chicago & North Western, for a trip to the railway's Proviso Yards to view the "hump" system of making up trains and the "piggy-back" system of freight handling. Coffee and rolls will be served on the train. After luncheon at the Desplains Oasis, the tour will continue to the home offices of United Air Lines, where the impact of the air carrier industry on Chicago will be explained and visits made to United's management and stewardess schools. Return at approximately 4:00 P.M.

Tour Two

Tuesday Oct. 6 Assemble at 8:45 A.M. The morning portion of the tour will include visits and discussions of both a well-established inter-racial community (Hyde Park-Kenwood) and Trumbull Park, scene of the nation's worst race riot in 1953, where problems of integration still exist in a racially tense area. Luncheon at the First Presbyterian Church, which is inter-racial and whose Woodlawn location is now in the center of a Negro ghetto. In the afternoon the tour will end with visits in small groups to Negro homes, arranged by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, in the communities of Chatham, Marynook, and Hyde Park-Kenwood. The busses will return between 3:30 and 4:00 P.M.

Tour Three

Tuesday Oct. 20 Assemble at 8:45 A.M. For this tour the group will go first to the Board of Election Commissioners at City Hall, for a special briefing on election procedure and to view a brief film on judging elections. This will be followed by visits to the Central Committee Headquarters of the Republican party and that of the Democratic party. Luncheon will be served at the Morrison Hotel. The tour will then proceed with visits to party headquarters in representative wards, to observe their operations in the fortnight before the state and national elections. Return at approximately 3:30 P.M.

Tour Four

Wednesday Nov. 4 Assemble at 8:45 A.M. to visit the Cook County Hospital, where guided tours will include the obstetrics and gynecology sections of the main hospital, the abandoned "boarder babies" in the children's hospital, and the Fantus Clinic. Leaving the hospital, the busses will proceed through the newly developed University of Illinois area to observe conflicts between population pressures and educational needs. The group will then be divided into two parts, one to visit the 63rd Street Planned Parenthood Clinic and the other the Woodlawn Mental Health Clinic. Luncheon will be at International House, followed by a tour of the Robert Taylor Homes, to view the public aid, housing, and other facilities provided. Return at approximately 3:30 P.M. (Please note that this tour is not given on Tuesday, Election Day.)

Tour Five

Tuesday Nov. 17 Assemble at 8:45 A.M. For an example of recent developments in community drama, the group will go to Hull House Theater. The tour will then proceed to the Goodman Memorial Theater to observe techniques of lighting and costuming, with a visit backstage and to a class for student actors conducted by Eugenie Leontovich, internationally famous actress and Goodman School of Drama visiting professor. Luncheon will be served at Second City, followed by an analysis of acting techniques and a demonstration of improvisational theater by members of the Second City cast. The tour will end at approximately 3:30 P.M.

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