



Harvard Club of Northeast Ohio

Mark Your Calendar for
Harvard Club 2015
Events!

Mitchell's Ice Cream Tour

Saturday, October 10

Annual Fall Dinner

Wednesday, October 28

Harvard/Yale Game

Saturday, November 21

Holiday Gathering

Monday, December 21

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Harvard Board of Overseers President Karen Nelson Moore '70 HLS '73 to speak at the Fall Dinner

Wednesday, October 28, 6:00-9:00 pm
The Cleveland Skating Club
2500 Kemper Road, Shaker Heights

If you want the inside scoop about what's happening at Harvard, beyond the 12 members of the Harvard Corporation, the Board of Overseers is the most tuned in group. At this year's Fall Dinner, we have the great honor of hearing from the current president of the overseers, our own Karen Nelson Moore. Don't miss it!

Karen's bio is the kind we lesser mortals dream of. President of her senior class at Radcliffe in 1970, she graduated Phi Beta Kappa and Magna Cum Laude. Three years later she graduated Magna Cum Laude from Harvard Law School, where she was an editor of the Harvard Law Review.

After working as a Jones Day lawyer in Cleveland, she became a professor at the Case Western University School of Law in 1977.



In 1995 President Bill Clinton nominated her and the U.S. Senate quickly confirmed her to be a federal appeals court judge for the Sixth Circuit in Cincinnati. This year is her 20th on the bench. We hope you can join us for this special presentation.

Tour of Mitchell's Ice Cream Cleveland

Saturday, October 10, 5:30-6:30
1867 West 25th, Cleveland

Where did you get your ice cream fix at Harvard? In my day, we could choose from Chocolate Moose, Steve's, Farrell's, or Haagen Dazs. How did they make it so delicious? On Saturday, October 10th, you can find out how Mitchell's makes their scrumptious ice cream using natural and local ingredients during a tour of the new production facility on 1867 West 25th. The Mitchell Brothers, Pete and Mike, started this local ice cream business in 1999, and it has been growing ever since. The newest addition to the Mitchell's family, the

Ohio City Kitchen and Shop, was once an old movie theatre and is now the hub for all things Mitchell's.

After the tour, why not plan to have dinner at one of the many fabulous restaurants in the neighborhood? All proceeds from the tour fund scholarships for students graduating from Cleveland Metropolitan School District high schools, so bring a friend! See next page for registration details.

FUTURE EVENTS

Winter:

- December tour of Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens
- Scavenger Hunt at the Western Reserve Historical Society/Crawford Auto Museum
- Orchid Mania

Spring:

- Zoo Outing
- Think Box event at Case Western Reserve University
- April Spring Dinner with a speaker from Harvard
- May Talk and Tour of Cleveland

GET INVOLVED

Stay in Touch: Join the Club, and give us your updated contact information so we can keep you informed. Also, please let us know about alumni who are new to the area. Contact: Julie Agar at djulieagar@gmail.com

Join the Board: We have a great core but need more help and fresh ideas. Contact: Julie Agar at djulieagar@gmail.com

Interview Applicants: Join the splendid group of volunteers who interview prospective Harvard students. Contacts: Jared Levin (jaredlevin@yahoo.com, Cleveland), Lora Levin (lora_levin@yahoo.com, Cleveland), Jim Griffin (jamjmg@windstream@net, Akron), Dennis Lewis (DBLewis@DBLewis.com, Youngstown)

Host an Event: We know the local Harvard community is full of talented people involved in a wide range of activities. If you have an idea for an event, let us know! Contact: Mary Ann Lasch at mary.ann.lasch@aecom.com

Tour of Mitchell's Ice Cream Cleveland

Saturday, October 10, 5:30-6:30 pm
1867 West 25th, Cleveland

The perfect event for ice cream lovers as we will tour Mitchell's Ohio City Kitchen. Enjoy a late afternoon tour with fellow ice cream aficionados.

We'll meet in the upstairs mezzanine for a brief tour that begins at 5:30 pm. Limited to 50 members. Parking can be found on the street or in the very big parking lot that extends behind the store and the West Side Market.



Questions? Contact Mary Ann Lasch (mary.ann.lasch@aecom.com).

\$5 kids 3-12 and \$10 adults

Fall Dinner: Reflections on Harvard from the Perspective of the President of the Board of Overseers

Wednesday, October 28, 6:00-9:00 pm
The Cleveland Skating Club
2500 Kemper Road, Shaker Heights

Reunite with old and new Harvard friends at this year's Fall Dinner. Enjoy a talk about Harvard today.

Cash bar from 6 pm. Dinner at 7 pm. \$45 Harvard Club members and guests, \$65 non-members, \$10 dessert only and talk (arrive at 7:45 for dessert only option)

The Game: Harvard vs. Yale

Saturday, November 21, 12:00-3:00 pm
Shula's Restaurant (located inside the Double Tree Independence Hotel)
6200 Quarry Lane (Rockside and I-77), Independence

This year, Yale is hosting. Wear your crimson and cheer for Harvard at this fun, annual tradition. This is a great opportunity to renew your acquaintances with Harvard and Yale alumni.

No cost to attend. Cash bar and food service. RSVP requested.

Annual Holiday Gathering

Monday, December 21, 2015, 11:30-2:00
The City Club of Cleveland
850 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland



Share holiday cheer with Harvard friends and early admits, and hear from current undergraduates about Harvard today. Our featured speaker will be an area Alum with strong ties to both Harvard and the Cleveland/Akron area.

\$30 Harvard Club members and their guests \$45 non-members.

Welcome from our Club President

I am excited and honored to be serving as the Harvard Club of Northeast Ohio's president again this year. Last year, we met our enrollment goal of 150 members, and this year the board hopes to meet a new goal of 175. I hope you'll join us-not just for our engaging events, but as Club Members. Your membership is vital to the Club's continuing strength and growth. Every year, we host many social events and programs involving education and college awareness. The combination of our events and member dues enable us to pursue the philanthropic pursuits that benefit our region.

Our community outreach continues apace:

- HCNEO donations provided support to the following Cleveland Municipal School District graduates:

Ayat Tawil, Garrett Morgan H.S.-Cleveland State University;

Faith Norris, Whitney Young H.S.-Cleveland State University;

Nichola McDowell, John Hay Science & Medicine H.S.-Case Western Reserve University

- HCNEO represents our region in the Harvard Book Prize (now in its 105th year!), recognizing promising Northeast Ohio high-school juniors.
- Our Early College Awareness Program is entering the 5th year of an essay contest, providing scholarship support to high school seniors. Cleveland Goes 2 College reaches out to area at-risk middle-school students to encourage their setting going to college as a personal achievable goal.

Please also consider joining our Schools and Scholarships Committee. They interview hundreds of area applicants, helping to link the best of Northeast Ohio's talent to Harvard.

As you know, we also serve our many members through a wide array of engaging events, including talks by Harvard faculty, behind-the-scenes tours, exclusive talks by local experts (typically fellow alumni), and presentations on topical events. Beyond such intellectual stimulation, we offer a way for alumni to socialize and connect.

We are proud of our service to the community. Our many planned events for this year will be rewarding and I hope to see you at them- as well as to see your name on our membership roster. Take pride in your Harvard Club and join us!

Julie Agar '88



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Annual Events

Harvard Book Prize

This year is the 105th anniversary of the Harvard Book Prize, given by Harvard alumni worldwide to outstanding high school juniors. Thousands of Book Prizes are awarded annually, and HCNEO carries on this tradition in Northeast Ohio. Our Club gives nearly 50 books each year, including schools in the Cleveland Metropolitan School District and several Cleveland suburbs. Our awards recognize the students' achievements and motivate them to strive high with college applications. Please consider a donation of \$30 with your membership to continue this important effort. Contact: Charlie Braun at cbraun@customrubbercorp.com.

Scholarship Essay Contest

Now starting its 4th year, the HCNEO Scholarship Essay Contest allows for three \$500 scholarships to be given to students who are high school seniors during 2015-2016, who were recipients of the Harvard Book Prize in their junior year, and who will start college in Fall, 2016. To many, \$500 may not seem like much, but to these young people, it can be the difference in going to college or not going at all. Please consider a donation of \$25 or more when you send in your dues. For more information, contact Audrey Putsch Sims at audreysims_r@msn.com or (216)374-5282.

Cleveland Goes 2 College

Cleveland Goes 2 College (CG2C), founded eight years ago in our Harvard Club, makes one-hour early college awareness presentations in Cleveland public schools every school year. We now comprise 75+ volunteers from 15+ local

college alumni clubs, and we visit 12 schools every year—six K-8 and six high schools. Cleveland public school students are greatly disadvantaged by going to school in the nation's poorest big city, where property taxes bring in way too little money but make up almost 60% of the district's budget. Suburban schools spend much more per student. Partly as a result, only a small percentage of Cleveland Municipal School District's 9th graders each year ever graduate from college. But in one hour, we tell them what they need to do to get into college and how to get scholarships to pay for it. Typically at the end of a CG2C program, three quarters of students say they are planning to go to college. That's great! However, because there are over 100 Cleveland Schools and CG2C currently visits only 12, we need more volunteers to help reach all the kids! If you are interested in volunteering, please contact John Miller at johnmiller@nasw.org or (216)397-9709.

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Rebecca Jarvis	Revere High School
Alison Jin	Hawken School
Christine Kerner	Beaumont School
Trevor Levin	Western Reserve Academy
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Narayan Sundararajan	Shaker Heights High School
Caitlin Weigel	Hudson High School

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Goes 2 College

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