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Fall Meeting

June Calendar

Saturday, June 15, 11:30am - AN ASSEMBLY SUCH AS THIS, A NOVEL OF FITZWILLIAM DARCY, GENTLEMAN by Pamela Aidan with the Ventura Reading Group

Please join the Ventura reading group as they discuss the first of the Fitzwilliam Darcy, Gentleman Trilogy. This series looks at the events as they unfold through the eyes

Strategies and Choices: What Would Jane Do?

Dr. Chwe talks about Jane Austen's remarkable insights into strategic thinking, with examples taken from the her novels.

Pasadena Public Library, Date TBD in September
Look for more details in July's news blast.



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of Mr. Darcy. The group meets at the E.P. Foster Library, 651 E. Main Street, Ventura, CA 93001. Call for more information, (805)648-2715.

Saturday, June 22 at 1:30pm - A MEMOIR OF JANE AUSTEN by James Austen-Leigh with the Long Beach Reading Group.

Please join the Long Beach Reading Group to discuss the memories of his most beloved Aunt, Jane Austen. For more information, please email Gerda Kilgore at gskmuc@verizon.net or call her at (562) 496-4452.

West Los Angeles Reading Group Update: This group is at capacity and can't accept new members. JASNA SW is currently organizing a new Reading Group in the West LA area. Please click [here](#) to email Nancy Gallagher if you are interested in becoming a charter member of the new group, or call her at 626-449-2984 . The West Los Angeles group meets every two months and has a professional leader, Dr. Charles Lynn Batten. Every other meeting the group discusses an Austen title. For information on upcoming meetings, current members may call Clara Browda at 310-278-8759 or please click [here](#) to email her.

Registration opens soon for JASNA AGM in Minneapolis

JASNA's 2013 AGM, Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*...Timeless opens on June 12.

Join your fellow Janeites in Minneapolis for a wonderful celebration of *Pride and Prejudice*. You can learn more about the General Meeting [here](#). Registration opens at noon Central time (10:00am Pacific time). You can visit the following link to register for the AGM, <http://www.jasna.org/agms/minneapolis/registration.html>.

Winter Meeting: Pride and Prejudice: Characters We Love To Hate

JASNA-SW rounds out the *Pride and Prejudice* 200th anniversary year

with P&P themed talks for the Winter meeting. Join local Janeites with this fun examination of Austen's characters we all love to hate! Susan Forgue will address the scoundrel in her talk, Where's Wickham? and Lynda Hall will speak about Charlotte Lucas. The Winter meeting will be held on December 7, 2013 with the location to be determined. Look for updates coming early fall.

The Summer of Jane!

Jane Austen class at UCLA's Summer Session. English 91C: Introduction to Fiction: the Novels of Jane Austen is open to anyone who would like to enroll - you need not be a UCLA student. The class runs from August 5-September 13 and is taught entirely online. You may view the full course syllabus, which contains some descriptive information or find more information, a short biography for Professor Mellor, and a video demo clip [here](#). For more information or to enroll, please visit [UCLA online class page](#).

Celebrate the 200th Anniversary of 'Pride & Prejudice'



JASNA - Greater Louisville Region will be celebrating Pride and Prejudice in their summer Jane Austen Festival July 20th and 21st. Registration now open! Visit their [website](#) for more information.