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Luncheon Meeting - Tuesday, April 17, 2007 @ 11:30 AM  
Evergreen Retirement Community  
230 West Galbraith Road, Cincinnati, Ohio (Hartwell)  
(West of Drake Hospital, past Williamsburg on the right in the Dining Room)

## PIANOS, GREAT AND SMALL

The April 17<sup>th</sup> RESC program will feature two people, Jill Hersman, wife of RESC member Fred Hersman, and RESC member Bob Siegfried.

Jill will start the program by playing the same three pieces on both a large and small piano so the audience can here the difference between the pianos. Selections will be: *Polly* by Zamecnik, *Prelude # 20* by Chopin and *Poupee Valsamte* by Poldini.

Bob will cover the mechanical compromises inherent in the piano-forte instrument. He will discuss string length vs. rigidity of steel, sound board size and stiffness, crossover stringing and pin clearance, length and straightness, feel and back-checking, and octaves, thirds, fourths and fifths in tuning.

So be ready with any differences you can detect and question Bob about this.

Jill has been playing the piano since the first grade. In high school she accompanied the chorus, played for Somerset Presbyterian Church, and as valedictorian of the class of 1927, played the piano instead of giving a speech.

Bob started piano lessons in 1971 while working on P&G's Pringles in Jackson, Tennessee. In 1985 he joined the Piano Technicians Guild as an associate member.

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Please call in the event of illness or circumstances you or another member may encounter.  
Call Bob Haas @ 859-331-2579 If you forgot to mail your luncheon check by the deadline,  
please call the Treasurer. We will try to fit you in.

### APRIL 17, 2007 LUNCHEON/DUES PAYMENT FORM FOR RESERVATIONS: MAIL FOR RECEIPT BY APRIL 12

Member Name \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Prospective Member \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12.00 \* \_\_\_\_\_

Guest \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$12.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Dues \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Golf Dues \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$5.00 \_\_\_\_\_

• no charge when attending first meeting  
Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Member e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to RESC R.Haas (859-331-2579)  
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Menu:

Lemon Pepper Scrod

Baked macaroni & cheese  
gratinee

Stewed tomatoes

Rye rolls

Fresh fruit cobbler

Mail to:

**ROBERT W. HAAS**  
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## 72<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL RECOGNITION and AWARDS BANQUET

*Monday, April 30, 2007*

Myers Alumni Center, University of Cincinnati

**Time:** 5:30 P.M. – Social/Cocktails  
6:30 P.M. – Dinner - Myers Alumni Center  
7:30 P.M. – Program

**Cost:** \$40.00

Come and share experiences with other professionals, make new friends, enjoy good food and meet this year's award recipients.

**Reservations** Phone or e-mail: Jean DeLorenzo (513) 272-8300  
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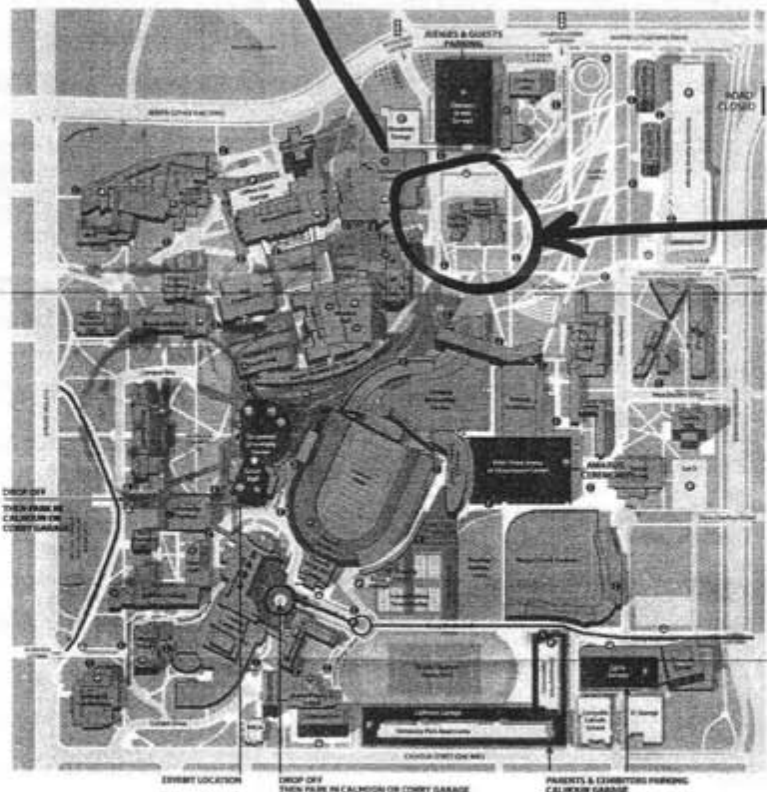
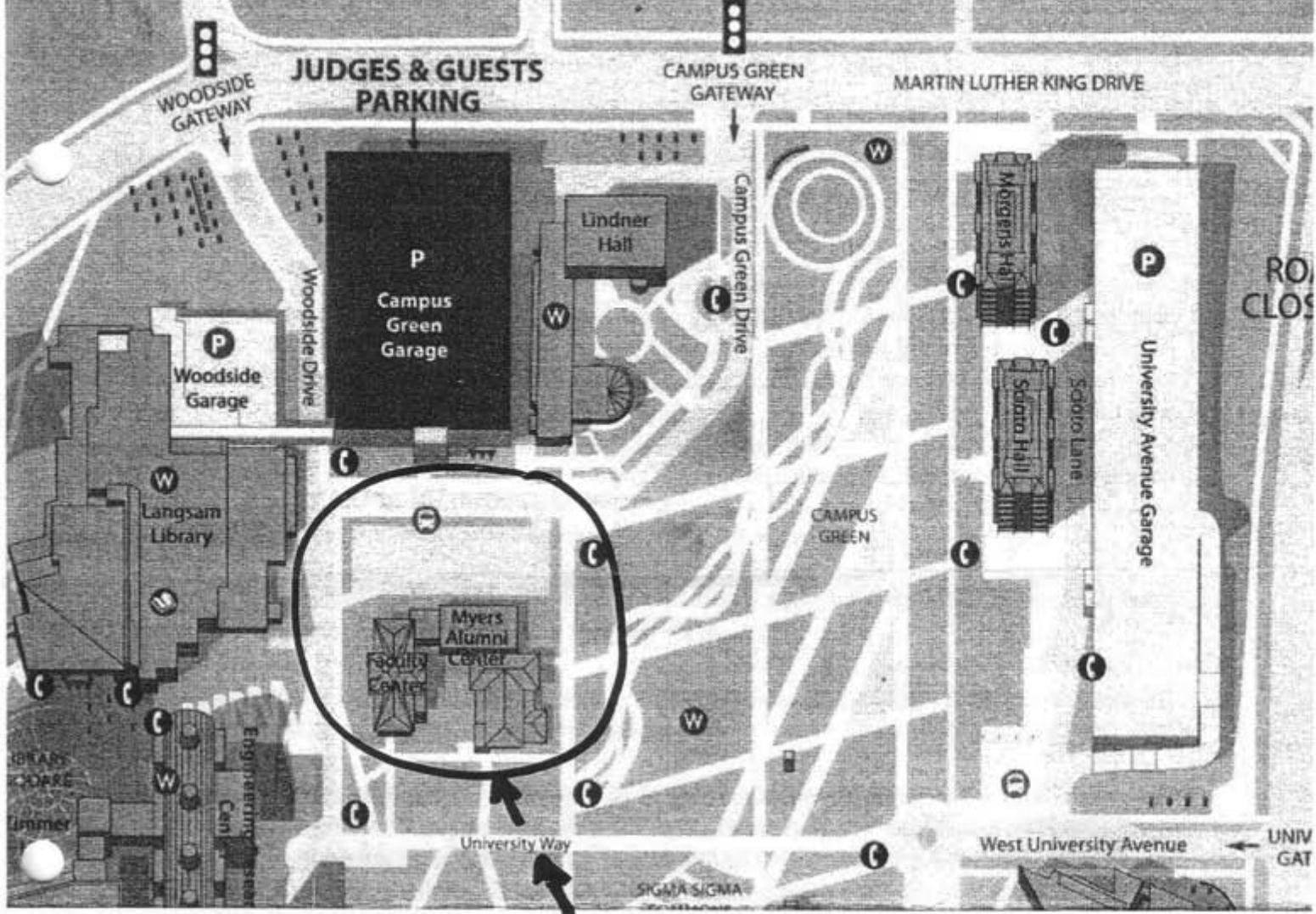
Reservations must be made by April 20, 2007. You will need to provide names for nametags. A buffet dinner will be served with several choices, including a vegetarian entrée. Cancellations will need to be received prior to April 23, 2007 to avoid being charged for the evening.

**Payment:** Payable to **ESC** at the registration table with either cash or check.

**Speakers:** Jim LeFeld (Duke Energy) - "Alternative Energy Sources for the Future" for Utilities & Darlene Radcliffe (Duke) - "Alternative Energy Sources for the Future" for Individual Households

**Entertainment:** UC College Conservatory of Music

**Questions:** If you have questions or need additional information, feel free to contact Stephen James at 513.476.8267 or [sloan93@mac.com](mailto:sloan93@mac.com).



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## PIANOS

Both Jill and Bob come from different educational backgrounds; Jill studied chemical engineering at the University of Cincinnati and Bob is a graduate in Mechanical Engineering from Cornell University. What they have in common is the piano - knowledge of the mechanics involved in creating its sound and sharing its beautiful music with others.

So be ready with any differences you can detect between the two pianos and question Bob about these. Bob and Jill will gladly answer any questions you may have about pianos.

## IN REMEMBRANCE

William B. Backer

Be sure and use the RESC website for information on meetings. The site is:  
[WWW.RESC.ORG](http://WWW.RESC.ORG)

The 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Engineers and Scientists of Cincinnati Recognition and Awards Banquet will be held at the Myers Alumni Center on the University of Cincinnati Clifton Campus on Monday, April 30, 2007. RESC's Bob Haas is to receive an award for a Lifetime of Service to the Engineering and Scientific Professions. Information on this event is included in this Newsletter.

## IMPORTANT

We need a few volunteers to fill some positions which will be vacant on RESC Board for the 2007 - 2008 year. Call or e-mail:

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