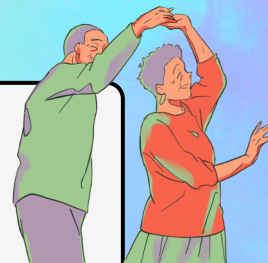




NEW KNOWLEDGE ADVENTURES



BACK-TO-CLASSES NEWSLETTER

September 2026

<https://cetrain.isu.edu/nka>

Gearing Up for a Great Semester, Together!

As summer fun winds down, the excitement of a new semester with NKA begins for seniors in our community.

Welcome to our special back-to-classes newsletter.

This newsletter contains some
important need-to-know information
verses sending several emails to our NKA membership.

Liberty Hall Classes

-First Floor Classes-

In August, Liberty Hall repaved their parking lot. It was paved to a level lower than the height of the door to allow for the correction of the step going into the building from the parking lot. Until the new door arrives and the step is removed, please

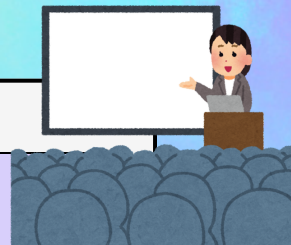
**use the north-side Benton Street door
to enter and leave the building.**

-Second Floor Classes-

After the parking lot door is installed and the step is removed, please **continue to use the north-side Benton Street door** to enter and leave the building when there is a class scheduled at the same time on the first floor.

Visit @nkapocatello Facebook page
to find out more about NKA.





Class Fees Due This Month

If you've been confirmed for the following classes, please ensure you secure your spot by sending the class fee payment by the due date as identified in the Fall 2026 NKA Class Catalog.

- Sep. 4 - Progressive Kayaking (Pages 11-12)
- Sep. 13 - Zentangle; first 9/14 class (Page 6)
- Sep. 17 - Fused Glass Turkey (Page 6)
- Sep. 17 - Stained Glass Circular Landscape, Section 1 (Page 9)
- Sep. 18 - Book and a Glass (Page 30)
- Sep. 18 - Wine Pairing at the Yellowstone (Page 14)
- Sep. 25 - Wine Tasting Cafe Tuscano (Page 14)
- Sep. 27 - Zentangle; second 9/28 class (Page 6)

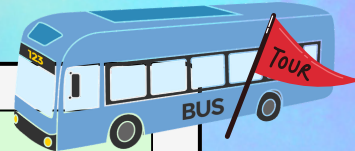
Please **notify the facilitator** if for some reason you can't make it to the class. This may allow others to attend.

Save the Dates

- Sep. 3 - Snake River New Horizons Band (SRNHB) Practice*
5:30 p.m., Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
- Sep. 16 - AARP Chapter 288 Monthly Meeting
11:30 a.m., Senior Activity Center
- Sep. 26 - Triangle Neighborhood Lasting Legacy Festival
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., Purce Park
- Oct. 2 - SRNHB Performance at First Friday Art Walk
5:00 p.m., Chief Parking Lot
- Oct. 7 - Ginny Thomas Healthy Aging Symposium
2:00 - 5:00 p.m., Idaho State University (ISU)
- Oct. 10 - ISU Homecoming Parade
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., Center Street
- Nov. 19 - ISU Festival of Trees through Nov. 21
<https://www.isu.edu/cob/festival/schedule/>

*The SRNHB welcomes anyone who would like to join them at their practice on Sep. 3. The band recently received a grant from the Idaho Community Foundation for new equipment.





Spring 2027 Class Information Forms

The Class Information Forms for the Spring 2027 semester are due September 30, 2026.

Membership Fee Breakdown

Some of our members have been asking "If we're a non-profit organization, where do membership fees go?" Below is a breakdown of the \$65 that each of our members paid for the Spring 2026 semester.

- Over \$23 went to Rent. Our class venues include Liberty Hall, the Senior Activities Center, the Elks Club, and two other small venues.
- About \$21 went to Administration Fees. This was paid to ISU Continuing Education/Workforce Training (CEWT) for use of their online membership payment and class registration system, along with the support we receive from the CEWT office staff, which includes processing paper registrations, preparing attendance rosters, answering many telephone calls, sending emails to members, making copies, etc.
- Over \$14 went to Catalogs. This covered entering all the information from the Class Information Forms into a database, arranging the page layouts, proofreading, printing and binding the catalogs, affixing name and address labels, and preparation for mailing of catalogs not picked up.
- About \$5 went to All Other Expenses. This included insurance, supplies, postage and other miscellaneous expenses.
- Less than \$2 was unspent this semester. After the Spring 2026 semester, this went towards the purchase of equipment for improvements to make future Zoom experiences better for members who attend classes online.

Note: We don't have any employees and don't pay anything to the speakers, facilitators, zoom techs, committee members, officers or board members.

The mission of NKA is to expand knowledge, stay vital, and explore new ideas in an informal, non-competitive environment.

