Megan Marsden, Longtime University of Utah Women’s Gymnastics Coach, will Speak at Our March Luncheon

Megan Marsden is one of the most iconic names in the history of collegiate gymnastics. She has been a member of the UTES gymnastics coaching staff since 1985, and while she has recently retired, she plans to continue her involvement with Utah athletics as an ambassador for the department.

No coach in NCAA gymnastics history can boast the combined gymnastics and coaching accomplishments of Megan Marsden. She has left a legacy as a member of four national championship teams in 1981-84 where she, as a gymnast, received 3 individual NCAA titles, and 12 first-team All America awards. As a coach for the Red Rocks she added another six national titles for the Utes. In fact, Utah never missed competing for a national championship in Marsden’s thirty-nine years in the program.

Marsden claimed the 1984 Broderick Award, recognizing her as the country’s top collegiate woman gymnast. In 1996 she became the first gymnast ever inducted into the Utah’s Crimson Club Hall of Fame. In 2003, she was inducted into the Utah Sports Hall of Fame. In 2020, she and her husband, Greg Marsden, were honored at the University of Utah’s Founder Day with the Distinguished Service Awards.

We are fortunate to have her as our guest speaker on March 10th. Please join us and hear Megan share the story of her career with the University of Utah gymnastics program from the beginning through her retirement.

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**Luncheon Menu**

**Tuesday, March 10, 12:15 p.m. Union Building, Saltair Room**

Reservations should arrive by mail or online by March 3

Online with credit card at: [https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club](https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club)

By mail to Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City, UT 84103

See page 5 for a reservation form

[Fifty-cent charge for credit card payment; this is less than the price of a first-class stamp]

- Apple-Cranberry Salad on Greens
- Roasted Pork Loin with Sautéed Apples and Garlic-Onion Gravy
- Roasted Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetable
- Cheesecake with Berry Compote

**Vegetarian Option:** Cheese Ravioli with Wild Mushrooms & Cream Sauce

**Fruit Plate Option**
Emeriti Club members now have a new helpful parking benefit: **If there are no parking spaces in any of the three kiosk pay lots* located near the Student Union, you may park in the A lots.** If you get a parking ticket, email the ticket number to any Board member (listed in every newsletter) and we will have the ticket cancelled.

- You may not park in any reserved spaces.
- This benefit is available only for our luncheons, not for parking on campus on other occasions.

* For more information about the three kiosk pay lots and a map showing their locations, please see: [http://bit.ly/2SLyAQ3](http://bit.ly/2SLyAQ3). You can also google Utah and Emeriti Club, then click on “Emeriti Newsletters” in the black box at the upper right of the screen, and then click on October 2019.

### Summer Trips with the Emeriti Hiking Group

We have **two summer trips planned**. The first is to the **City of Rocks** in southern Idaho where there is a choice of motel or campsite. The dates are **June 15-19**, and it is about 200 miles north of here. The other is a group campsite in **Grand Teton National Park** at the Gros Ventre Campground (**August 20-23**), arranged and reserved by John Veranth. The unobstructed view from this small and unique group campsite is superb. If you are interested in either trip, please contact suzanne.stensaas@hsc.utah.edu. If you are on the mailing list for our weekly Friday hikes, you will have the details.
**Excellent News!** We now have our needed 15 travelers to guarantee departure for our exciting tour to England—Mayflower-themed for the 400th anniversary, but also full of delightful extras from country houses to academic walkabouts. This means that, if you have been meditating on whether to join us, you now have until March 15 to sign up! To all our adventurers, do share your excitement at the prospect of seeing such wonderful sights as St. George’s Chapel Windsor (above left) and Chavenage House, which “played” Trenwith in Poldark (above right), with those who desire to learn and explore, so they, too, might join us. Then sit back & enjoy the anticipation of traveling with your colleagues! Full & final payment due: At time of sign up.

**Land cost:** $3399 per person double occ. (for 15-19; cost decreases at 20!)  
**Single Supplement:** $765 (limited!)  
**London Extension:** 1 night, $142 ppdo; or 3 nights, $458 ppdo; breakfast(s) incl. Single rates: $274/$890

**Questions? Need an Itinerary? Contact:** Monica at Thomas Travel, 801-266-2775 (she’s great!)

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**At the Leonardo ~ April 23, 2020**

Come explore The Leonardo’s current exhibition of over 150 Pompeii artifacts from the Naples National Archaeological Museum with multimedia recreations of market, temple, theatre and baths revealing what life was like in the Roman Empire during the first century of the Common Era!

With our group discount and a further Club subsidy, **YOU may attend this fascinating exhibition for only $15!** You might also then enjoy **lunch at the Salt Bistro**, located inside The Leonardo, after seeing the exhibition. (For the Bistro menu of sandwiches, salads, & small plates & snacks, see [https://theleonardo.org/salt-bistro](https://theleonardo.org/salt-bistro).) We can relax and talk about what we have just seen!

We have tickets reserved for **Thursday, April 23, 2020, at 10:00am**, just as The Leonardo (209 E 500 S) opens its doors, so we will be ahead of the crowd. **For parking,** see: [https://theleonardo.org/directions-parking](https://theleonardo.org/directions-parking). We ask that you **please pay by check**, via mail or at the luncheon. See a reservation form on page 5. The **tickets will be distributed** at the April luncheon; or mailed to you if you are not able to attend. **See you in the First Century!**

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**Select Campus Event**

**Tanner Humanities Center**  
**World Leaders Lecture Forum with Reshma Saujani. Friday, March 6, 2020, 11am – 12pm. Kingsbury Hall. Free Event.**

In celebration of International Women’s Day, Reshma Saujani (founder of Girls Who Code and author of Brave, Not Perfect) will present the 2019-20 World Leaders Lecture. Saujani is dedicated to closing the gender gap in technology and changing the image of what a computer programmer looks like and does. With her international nonprofit, bestselling books Brave, Not Perfect and Girls Who Code: Learn to Code and Change the World, TED Talk, and award-winning podcast, she has sparked a worldwide conversation about women and technology and how we're raising our girls.

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**Wish to Serve? Consider This:**

More than 1,000 U alumni have signed up for ALUMNIFIRE, a grass roots mentoring program for current U students and alumni looking for career guidance from a trusted source. As a valued part of the U community, members of the Professors Emeriti Club are invited to join this exciting networking platform.

It’s free, and you can determine how much time and interaction you can offer—from résumé advice to informational interviews to developing full mentor relationships. **For more information, visit uofu.alumnifire.com.**

For questions email membership@alumni.utah.edu.
Interested in Joining the Emeriti Club Board?

We will have two open positions on our board beginning with the 2020-2021 year. Jerilyn McIntyre will become our President, so we will need a President-elect who will serve for three years, one year in that position, one year as President, and one year as Past President. Linda Keiter is “retiring” after three years, so we will also need a Newsletter Editor. We are also considering creating a Member-at-Large position. We will include more information about it in a future newsletter.

Please contact Linda and Jerilyn for questions about their specific positions. You may also contact Anne Decker for more general questions about our board. Please let Anne know if you would like to be considered for either of these exciting leadership opportunities or if there are other positions that might interest you in the future. Board Contact information is listed on page 5.

Emeriti Club Members are entitled to a pair of FREE preview tickets. You may collect them in person from the PMT box office with your emeritus UCard.

Ticket Pickup (T/P) and Preview (P) Dates

Please Note: PTC Preview performances are on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

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National Newspapers’ Digital Editions Academic Rates

Academic rate information for The New York Times ($1.88/week) is available at: https://nyti.ms/2SqOlf1

Academic rate information for The Washington Post (as low as $5.00/month) is at: https://wapo.st/39lnyY3
LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM

Tuesday, March 10, 12:15 noon, Union Saltair Room ~ see page 1

[To pay by credit card, go to: https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club/]

Name ____________________________ Pork Loin _______ Veggie Plate _______ Fruit Plate _______
Partner ____________________________ Pork Loin _______ Veggie Plate _______ Fruit Plate _______
Guest(s) ____________________________ Pork Loin _______ Veggie Plate _______ Fruit Plate _______
Number attending @ $18.00 each _______ Luncheon $ _______

Voluntary dues for 2019/20 - $12.00 Single, $24.00 Couple*

Dues $ _______

☐ Please check here if this is your first luncheon as a new member

Total $ _______

*PLEASE NOTE: You may use either this paper form or the online credit card reservation site at any time to PAY YOUR DUES, even if you are unable to attend the luncheon.

Make check payable to PROFESSORS EMERITI CLUB. Payment should arrive by March 3.
Send payment to: Carol Stenger, 573 L St., Salt Lake City UT 84103