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The mission of the Columbus Metropolitan Club is to connect people and ideas through community conversation.

THIS WEEK AT CMC CMC SPECIAL!

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 11:30AM-1:15PM

## The Royal Shakespeare Company and The Ohio State University:

The Unique Alignment of Two World-Class Institutions

Panelists: Karen Bell, Associate Vice President for Arts Initiatives, The Ohio State University; Michael Boyd, Artistic Director, the Royal Shakespeare Company; Jacqui O'Hanlon, Director of Education, the Royal Shakespeare Company

With support from the Royal Shakespeare Company of America

THURSDAY, MAY 13, 5:30PM-7:00PM

## At the Community Gardens at Franklin Park Conservatory

Hosted by Bill Dawson, Program Coordinator

Followed by Cocktails at the Conservatory until 11:00 p.m.

#### **Previews of Upcoming CMC Events**

All CMC forums are held at the Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 East Broad Street unless otherwise noted. Registration begins at 11:30AM, with lunch served promptly at noon and closing at 1:15PM.

Thursday, May 20, 11:30am-1:15pm

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## Solving the Education Equation

Eric Fingerhut, Chancellor, Ohio Board of Regents

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26, 11:30AM-1:15PM

### **Taking on Wall Street**

Featuring Richard Cordray, Ohio Attorney General Ohio Attorney General Cordray takes on Wall St. suing big names. "Some Wall Street corporations seem to act with complete and total disregard for the work of regular Ohioans," he says, "My central goal and the goal of this office is to protect those hardworking Ohioans."

Tuesday, June 1, 5:30pm-8:00pm

#### Founders Fundraiser, "We Believe in CMC"

With special guest New York Times Best Selling author and Columbus native, Bob Greene

Hosted at GBQ suite in the Arena District, 230 West Street

Wednesday, June 2, 11:30am-1:15pm

### **Bob Greene's Late Edition -**A Love Story Revealed

New York Times Best Selling Author and Columbus native will discuss his latest book Late Edition, A Love Story reminiscing about the early days of his career as a reporter for the Columbus Citizen Journal.

Wednesday, June 9, 11:30am-1:15pm CMC and Bricker & Eckler Present

## **Leadership Legacies**

Daughters Pam Farber and Wendy Thomas

on their dad: Dave Thomas

CMC Leadership Legacies visits with Pam Farber & Wendy Thomas daughter of Wendy's founder Dave Thomas about their father, his vision, his business his leadership and the story behind the successful Wendy's restaurants. They tell the Wendy's story. With support from Sequent, Nationwide and Huntington

## WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16, 11:30AM-1:15PM

## Ohio Growth: Brown Fields, Green Fields, New Fields

Lisa Patt-McDaniels, Director, Ohio Department of Development

Ohio Development Director Lisa Patt-McDaniels discusses Ohio growth reclaiming brown fields and other blighted and forgotten areas; developing green technologies, manufacturing and jobs; and exploring new fields - emerging technology and jobs.



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THURSDAY, MAY 20\_

# **Solving the Education Equation**

In March 2008, Chancellor Fingerhut delivered Ohio's 10-year Strategic Plan for Higher Education to the governor and Ohio General Assembly, with an overall goal to raise the educational attainment of the state of Ohio.

Since its release, he has worked closely with the administration, Ohio General Assembly, businesses, colleges and universities, and other state agencies to implement strategies to make higher education more efficient while expanding low-cost pathways and educational opportunities to students, and to reframe the relationship between business and higher education to create new jobs and a highly skilled, globally competitive workforce that will ultimately lead the state to economic prosperity.

Two years into the plan, Fingerhut will update CMC on the progress of the strategic plan.

"Over the past two years, we have made college more affordable and accessible to Ohioans in every part of our state. Now, more students can receive the quality education and training that will prepare them for growing career fields here in Ohio," said Governor Strickland. "Our colleges, universities, and adult career centers are not only sources of opportunity for our students, they are engines for our economy and future prosperity. The collaboration between our institutions and the forward-looking work of Chancellor Fingerhut has positioned our higher education system as a leader in the country."

Fingerhut was appointed the seventh chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents on March 14, 2007. He was the first to be appointed by the Governor of the State of Ohio as a member of his cabinet, and is charged with building a system of higher



Eric Fingerhut, Chancellor, Ohio **Board of Regents** 

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educationfrom the GED to Ph.D. designed prepare Ohioans for the 21st century and rival the nation in accountability and innovation.



Tuesday, June 1, 5:30 – 8:00

## **Founders Fundraiser** "We Believe in CMC"

June is our Annual CMC Founders Fund Campaign

Special Guest - New York Times Best Selling author, (and son of CMC Founder Phyllis Greene), Bob Greene will be our honored guest. He is celebrating the success of his most recent release Late Edition: A Love Story Save the date for an evening of fun and fellowship! Hosted by GBQ in their picturesque Arena District Suite overlooking the city

JUNE 2 - ENCORE

Featuring Author Bob Greene

## **Late Edition: A Love Story Revealed**

Homegrown-author, Bob Greene shares stories of his early years in Columbus as a reporter for the Citizen Journal and his journey through his career as a successful author.



**Bob Greene** 



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CMC forums shape political candidates, attitudes and important issues that effect us all. You choose - do you care about our community? Do you want to hear what's happening from those who make it happen, or prevent it from happening?

Join today and help support the continuing conversation and the community tradition that is the Columbus Metropolitan Club. When you visit www.columbusmetroclub.org and join for \$165 you will receive your first luncheon forum free! Those under 30 years old or over 70 can support Metro Club with membership for just \$100 per year.

RECAP - MAY 5\_

## **Headlines From the Breadlines: Evolution in Human Services**

Featuring Chuck Gehring, President and CEO of Lifecare Alliance and a panel to be announced



Seated, speaker Chuck Gehring and moderator Charlene Brown. Standing, CMC Board member Bill LaFayette, and from sponsor Nationwide Karen Blickley and Lynn Greenstein.





Matt Habash, Charlene Brown and Janet Jackson.

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