

OLLI and Foxdale Village

Building a Stronger Partnership for Mutual Gain

GOAL: Strengthen the relationship between OLLI and Foxdale in order to: 1) increase on-site program opportunities for residents of Foxdale; 2) increase OLLI membership; 3) gain potential OLLI instructors who are Foxdale residents; 4) increase awareness of and exposure to Foxdale for other seasoned adults in the community.

PROPOSAL: Provide more purposeful programming in partnership with Foxdale.

HOW IT WORKS:

- Foxdale purchases a package of transferable OLLI annual memberships (20 – 29 @ \$37 ea; 30 – 39 @ \$35 ea; 40+ @ \$30 ea) No minimum requirement. (see current fee structure below). Residents would be responsible for paying their own course fees.
- Foxdale staff and residents determine which courses they would be most interested in having at Foxdale. Ideas could come from past OLLI catalogs or new course ideas (and instructors) could be developed by Foxdale residents.
- OLLI's curriculum committee attempts to select courses to be held in Foxdale in accordance to the residents' expressed interests. These courses are listed in OLLI's catalog along with the other courses and are open to all OLLI members.
- Foxdale promotes the OLLI memberships to its residents and promotes the courses and activities available via OLLI catalogs.

BENEFITS TO FOXDALE:

1. Increased in-house program opportunities for residents.
2. Participation in OLLI can be featured as a benefit of being a Foxdale resident.
3. The average age of OLLI members is 69. Most are not currently living in a retirement community but are contemplating such a move. These individuals could be Foxdale's future residents. Participation in OLLI courses held in Foxdale will provide familiarity with the facility and exposure to Foxdale's friendly environment.
4. Membership in OLLI will provide Foxdale residents with additional educational and social opportunities that are outside of Foxdale, allowing them to get away from home periodically and meet new friends in the community.

BENEFITS TO OLLI:

1. Increased membership and course participants.
2. Accomplishment of strategic goal to outreach to seasoned adults living in residential communities.
3. Opportunity to find new OLLI volunteers and perhaps new instructors from among Foxdale residents.

OLLI's CURRENT FEE STRUCTURE:

Annual Membership	\$40
Single-session course	\$10
Two session course	\$20
Three or more session course	\$30
Each Additional multi-session course	half price

Scholarships are available for those with financial need.