

January Afternoon Appetizer Potluck

The next WCPCA potluck will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:00pm, January 21st, at the home of Patty MacAfee, <u>5210</u> <u>Overbrook Lane, Eugene</u>. Ian Yau will speak about his PC experience in Sénégal (2013-2015). He was an agroforestry extension volunteer who worked with farmers, health workers and youth. His swearing-in ceremony coincided with the 50th anniversary of Peace Corps Sénégal and featured a three-band show headlined by <u>Baaba Maal</u>. Please bring an appetizer to share.



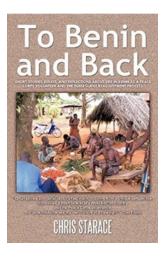


UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1/7 BOARD MEETING 6 pm (New Day Bakery)
- 1/11 BOOK CLUB 6:30 pm (Patty MacAfee's)
- 1/21 POTLUCK 2 pm (Patty MacAfee's)
- 1/22 FOOD FOR LANE COUNTY 6pm (770 Bailey Hill)
- 1/23 PUB NIGHT 6 pm (Coldfire Brewing in Eugene)

BOOK CLUB

January 11, 6:30 Patty MacAfee's House



ALL ARE WELCOME!

Come share your stories and enjoy those of others. Bring a small snack to share. Email Ginny (<u>vmdonohue@gmail.com</u>) for more information.



WCPCA was recognized by HIV Alliance on World AIDS Day for the HIV education work of Peace Corps volunteers.

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FLASHBACK Felicia Kenney Benin RPCV 2003-2004



HELP (really) **NEEDED**

Membership Chair: Manage the membership spreadsheet and process renewals with help in January. Newsletter Editor: Compile and send out a monthly newsletter.
Technology Transition Hero: Help others move WCPCA from a HTMI

Help others move WCPCA from a HTML website to a Wordpress blog

Ideas for the newsletter? Questions? Contact juliaannamarieharvey@gmail.com



GET YOUR 2018 PEACE CORPS CALENDAR

Contact Gary Cornelius (South Africa 12-13) at <u>garycorn@quixnet.net</u> to reserve your today. There are a few left.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

And Happy 50th Anniversary Peace Corps Benin.

Please be patient with us as we do construction on our website and membership database. We are hoping to simplify the process. If you did not receive your 2018 WCPCA Membership letter, please contact me at juliaannamarieharvey@gmail.com

Hope to see you soon!