

THE Woodlands AT FURMAN

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Woodlands at Furman Welcomes 2010 Institutes for Learning in Retirement

GREENVILLE, S.C. – The Woodlands at Furman is pleased to welcome members of the 2010 Southern Regional Conference for Institutes for Learning in Retirement to the Upstate next week.

The Woodlands at Furman will host tours of the 22-acre life care retirement community as well as serve lunch to about 140 attendees from the conference on July 22.

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Furman is host of the conference, with co-sponsors OLLI at Clemson University and The College for Seniors at the North Carolina Center for Creative Retirement at the University of North Carolina-Asheville.

The keynote speaker will be Abigail Trafford, an author, columnist and former health editor at The Washington Post. The theme of the conference, “Engage!,” is taken from Furman’s campus-wide approach to learning. Goals are for conference participants to explore new program opportunities, network with other Learning in Retirement institutes, grow programs that add value, address issues impacting their LIRs, generate ideas for the future and expand their audience.

The Woodlands at Furman is a non-profit, mission driven life care retirement community owned and operated by a local board of directors and managed professionally by Greystone Communities. The 22-acre campus, adjacent to Furman University, opened in March 2009 and consists of 132 apartment homes in addition to The Arboretum, a separate, but attached section of the Woodlands, opened in June 2009. The Arboretum includes 32 assisted living apartments, 16 memory support suites and 30 skilled nursing suites. Residents enjoy a wide range of amenities - enabling them to continue an active and engaged lifestyle. For more information, please visit www.thewoodlandsatfurman.org or call 864-371-3100.