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Hillsdale College Hosts Reception in Branson

College President Larry P. Arnn will speak on education and American politics

HILLSDALE, Mich. — Hillsdale College President Larry P. Arnn hosted a reception at the Chateau on the Lake Resort Spa & Convention Center in Branson, Missouri, on Tuesday, Oct. 25, 2022. Guests were invited to attend a gift and estate planning seminar, an admissions presentation, and a featured talk by Dr. Arnn on "Preserving Our Country."

"Churchill had written that it is at once the safeguard and the glory of mankind to be easy to lead and hard to drive. He put his faith in that, and so did Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln," Arnn said. "Our function is to recover that ancient faith and to teach it to anyone who is willing to learn. That is how we preserve our country."

Dr. Arnn addressed the state of the college and what it expects in the coming year. Guests watched a video about campus life and what a Hillsdale College education entails.

"Socrates is the first man to ask, 'what is the good for a human being?' What is this specifically human good?" asked Arnn. "You can see why knowing that would be handy in education. We are helping our students to learn to pursue that good and lead a fully human life."

Guests also had the opportunity to attend a gift and estate planning session with Carolyn Kley-Fanning CPA, an estate and gift planning counselor for Hillsdale College.

"The gathering of so many friends and supporters of Hillsdale College at these receptions is a good reminder that the public is still very interested in classical liberal education," said Kley-Fanning. "I am always honored to represent a college that upholds such a tradition, and thankful for the many supporters who help make that happen."

The Branson reception is one of many that Hillsdale College hosts annually across the country. Each reception gives those interested the opportunity to learn more about the giving process and to meet Dr. Arnn.

More gift and estate planning information and resources can be found <u>here</u>.

For a high-resolution copy of the Hillsdale College clocktower logo, click <u>here</u>.

About Hillsdale College

Hillsdale College is an independent, nonsectarian, Christian liberal arts college located in southern Michigan. Founded in 1844, the College has built a national reputation through its classical liberal arts core curriculum and its principled refusal to accept federal or state taxpayer subsidies, even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. It also conducts an outreach effort promoting civil and religious liberty, including a free monthly speech digest, Imprimis, with a circulation of more than 6.3 million. For more information, visit hillsdale.edu.

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