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THIS EVENT HAS BEEN CANCELLED

- **CONTACT:** Donna Schepers, Jasper Community Arts, Education Coordinator
- **SUBJECT:** **Food for Thought Seminar**, part of the
“Crossroads: Change in Rural America” Series
- **TODAY’S DATE:** Jasper, Ind. (February 24, 2020)

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Food for Thought – There and Gone and Back Again! Join this free and open to the public seminar and stirring conversation sparked by the culinary arts. Author/journalist, David Hoppe, will explore themes of how food creative entrepreneurs are using Indiana food and agricultural heritage to spark new life in smaller communities, to attract new residents and to revitalize their sense of place. Food for Thought will take place on Wednesday, April 1, 6:30 p.m. at the Parklands Pavilion, 800 W 15th St., Jasper, IN.

Mr. Hoppe’s book, “Food for Thought: An Indiana Harvest,” is about the food renaissance in Indiana. The book features local and regional food entrepreneurs, Alan Hanselman of the Schnitzelbank Restaurant, Dave Fischer of Fischer Farms, and the Sisters of Saint Benedict’s Simply Divine Bakery. Several copies of the book will be available on a first come, first serve basis for attendees to take home. Reserve Seats by visiting jasperarts.corsizio.com, or by calling the Jasper Arts Center at 812-482-3070. Reservations are not required, but appreciated.

Jasper Community Arts, in collaboration with the Jasper Public Library and Dubois County Museum, is hosting this program as part of “Crossroads: Change in Rural America.” It will be the fourth of five events to take place in our community as part the Crossroads and Main Street initiatives being sponsored by Indiana Humanities and the Smithsonian. These events are part of a grant program encouraging

Hoosiers to spark conversations about our futures, and to explore how we relate to each other across urban, suburban and rural lines.

Indiana Humanities connects people, opens minds and enriches lives by creating and facilitating programs that encourage Hoosiers to think, read and talk. Learn more at www.indianahumanities.org.

To learn more about “Crossroads” visit www.museumonmainstreet.org.

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