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## **BOROUGH LEARNING CENTERS**

### **UFT BRONX LEARNING CENTER**

2500 Halsey Street, Bronx, NY 10461

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335 Adams St., 24<sup>th</sup> Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11201

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50 Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10004

(212) 510-6478/(212) 510-6479

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97-77 Queens Blvd., 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Rego Park, NY 11374

(718) 830-5711/(718) 830-5710

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4456 Amboy Road; Staten Island, NY 10312

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<b>FLORIDA OFFICE:</b>		941-561-4929

# **ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS**

**Speakers:** Tom Murphy, UFT/RTC Chapter Leader; Gerri Herskowitz, Director, UFTWF Retiree Programs; Debra Penny, UFT Liaison to the RTC; Irene Lospenuso, Director, S.H.I.P.; Christopher Chin, LMSW, Director, UFTWF Retiree Social Services and a UFTWF Health Consultant.

\* YOU **MUST** REGISTER FOR THE MEETING YOU WANT TO ATTEND \*  
Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., with coffee available at 9:45 a.m.

You can register online at <http://uft.org/RTCAnnualMeetings> or mail the registration coupon to: UFTWF Retiree Programs, 52 Broadway, 17th Floor, New York, NY 10004.

## **BRONX**

**Code #:** XA 001  
**Date:** Thursday, January 10, 2019  
**Place:** Bronx Learning Center,  
2500 Halsey St., Bronx, NY

## **BROOKLYN**

**Code #:** KA 001  
**Date:** Tuesday, February 12, 2019  
**Place:** UFT Headquarters,  
52 Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, New York, NY

## **MANHATTAN**

**Code #:** MA 001  
**Date:** Friday, January 11, 2019  
**Place:** UFT Headquarters,  
52 Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, New York, NY

## **QUEENS**

**Code #:** QA 001  
**Date:** Thursday, January 31, 2019  
**Place:** Forest Hills Jewish Center  
106-06 Queens Blvd., Forest Hills, NY

## **STATEN ISLAND**

**Code #:** RA 001  
**Date:** Wednesday, March 6, 2019  
**Place:** Li Greci's Staaten  
697 Forest Ave., Staten Island, NY

## **NASSAU**

**Code #:** NA 001  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 8, 2019  
**Place:** Adelphi University  
Ruth S. Harley University Center  
Rms. 201-203, South Ave., Garden City

## **SUFFOLK**

**Code #:** UA 001  
**Date:** Thursday, March 7, 2019  
**Place:** Suffolk County Community College  
Michael J. Grant Campus  
Health, Sports & Education Center  
Lecture Hall  
Crooked Hill Rd., Brentwood, NY

## **NORTHERN NEW JERSEY**

**Code #:** JA 001 (*New time: 11 a.m.-2 p.m.*)  
**Date:** Thursday, February 14, 2019  
**Place:** Doubletree Hotel  
2117 Route 4 East, Fort Lee, NJ

## **SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY**

**Code #:** JA 002  
**Date:** Friday, February 1, 2019  
**Place:** Our House Restaurant & Banquet Facility  
420 Adelphia Road, Farmingdale, NJ

## **WESTCHESTER/ROCKLAND/PUTNAM:**

**Code #:** WA 001  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 30, 2019  
**Place:** Congregation Sons of Israel  
300 North Broadway, Upper Nyack, NY

# FLORIDA ANNUAL MEETINGS

**Speakers:** Tom Murphy, UFT/RTC Chapter Leader; Gerri Herskowitz, Director, UFTWF Retiree Programs; Debra Penny, UFT Liaison to the RTC.

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UFT-RTC Florida Office, 3200 No. Military Trail, Suite 100, Boca Raton, FL 33431.

## BOCA/DELRAY

**Code #:** FI 812 (12 p.m.— 2 p.m.)  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 15, 2019  
**Place:** South County Civic Center  
16700 Jog Road, Delray Beach

## OCALA

**Code #:** TI 802 (10:30 a.m.— 12:30 p.m.)  
**Date:** Thursday, January 24, 2019  
**Place:** Marion County Public Library  
2720 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala

## BROWARD

**Code #:** FI 822 (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)  
**Date:** Thursday, January 17, 2019  
**Place:** Leonard Weisinger Community Center  
6199 NW 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Margate

## ORLANDO

**Code #:** OI 802 (10 a.m.— 1 p.m.)  
**Date:** Friday, January 25, 2019  
**Place:** Orange County Classroom Teachers Assoc.  
1020 Webster Ave., Orlando

## DADE

**Code #:** FI 832 (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 16, 2019  
**Place:** Surfside Community Center  
9301 Collins Avenue, Surfside

## TAMPA BAY

**Code #:** BI 802 (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 23, 2019  
**Place:** Pinellas Park Station  
5851 Park Blvd. No., Pinellas Park

## WEST COAST (SARASOTA) (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)

**Code #:** SI 802  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 22, 2019  
**Place:** Laurel Oak Country Club  
2700 Gary Player Blvd., Sarasota

## WEST PALM BEACH

**Code #:** FI 842 (12 p.m.— 2 p.m.)  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 15, 2019  
**Place:** South County Civic Center  
16700 Jog Road, Delray Beach  
(Call the office at 1-561-994-4929 for details and to reserve a seat on the bus).

## NY & NJ DIRECTIONS

### NORTHERN NEW JERSEY MEETING - DOUBLETREE HOTEL

**From NY:** Take the upper level of George Washington Bridge. Merge onto Rte. 4W. Take Jones Rd. exit. Turn left onto Jones Rd. Merge onto Route 4E (via ramp). Hotel is on the right.

**Rte. 80 East:** I-80E to I-95N (local lanes). Take Exit 71 (Broad Ave.). Turn right at the end of exit ramp and follow Broad Ave. 3/10 mile. Turn right immediately before Rte. 4 overpass (sign for GWB); follow ramp up the hill and bear left onto Rte. 4E. Proceed a mile. Hotel is on the right.

**Rte. 46 East:** Rte. 46E to Fort Lee, take Palisades Pkwy. Exit (last exit in NJ). Follow signs to Rte. 4W. Take Rte. 4W approx. 1½ miles. Take Jones Rd. exit. Turn left onto Jones Rd. and another left onto Rte. 4E. Hotel is ¼ mile on right.

### SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY MEETING - OUR HOUSE RESTAURANT & BANQUET FACILITY

**From NY:** Take the Garden State Pkwy to Exit 123. Merge onto U.S. 9S toward Sayerville/Old Bridge and use left lane to merge onto NJ-18S. Take Exit 22A for Country Rd. 537E towards Colts Neck. Merge onto Country Rd. 537W. Turn right onto Five Points Rd. Turn left onto NJ-33 Business E. Turn right onto Fairfield Rd. Turn left onto Adelpia Rd./Adelpia-Farmingdale Rd. The restaurant is on the left.

**From Freehold:** Merge onto NJ-33E. Take the Fairfield Rd. exit toward Brickyard Rd. Turn right onto Fairfield Rd. Turn left onto Adelpia Rd./Adelpia-Farmingdale Rd. The restaurant is on the left.

**From Trenton:** Take NJ-29S to I-195E. Take Exit 28B. Merge onto U.S. 9N toward Freehold. Turn right onto Georgia Tavern Rd. (make slight left to stay on Rd.). Turn right onto Casino Dr. then a left onto Ketchum Rd. Turn right onto Adelpia Rd./Adelpia-Farmingdale Rd. The restaurant is on the left.

## NY & NJ DIRECTIONS

### NASSAU COUNTY MEETING - ADELPHI UNIVERSITY

#### **Northern State Parkway**

**Traveling East** - Take the Northern State Pkwy to Exit 26S (New Hyde Park Rd). At first traffic light, turn right onto New Hyde Park Rd. Turn left onto Stewart Ave.; then turn right onto Nassau Blvd. Turn left onto South Ave. (immediately after crossing railroad tracks). Adelphi is on the right.

**Traveling West** - Take the Northern State Pkwy to Exit 31S (Glen Cove Rd). Continue south on Glen Cove Rd. (turns into Guinea Woods Rd. & Clinton Rd.). Turn right onto Stewart Ave. until road ends; make a left onto Hilton Ave. Turn right onto Sixth St. (just over railroad tracks). Continue on South Ave. Adelphi is on the left (after golf course).

**Southern State Pkwy.:** Take the Southern State Pkwy to Exit 17N (Hempstead Ave.). Continue on Hempstead Ave. traveling north. Turn left at the second traffic light (Nassau Blvd.). Continue north to the ninth traffic light. Turn right onto South Ave. (immediately before crossing railroad tracks). Adelphi is on the right.

#### **Long Island Expressway (Rte. 495)**

**Traveling East** - Take the L.I.E. to Exit 34S (New Hyde Park Rd.). At the first traffic light, turn right onto New Hyde Park Rd. Continue south on New Hyde Park Rd. Turn left onto Stewart Ave.; then turn right onto Nassau Blvd. Turn left onto South Ave. (immediately after crossing railroad tracks). Adelphi is on the right.

**Traveling West** - Take the L.I.E. to Exit 39S (Glen Cove Rd.). Continue south on Glen Cove Rd. (turns into Guinea Woods Rd. & Clinton Rd). Turn right onto Stewart Ave. until road ends. Turn left onto Hilton Ave. Turn right onto Sixth St. (just over railroad tracks). Continue on South Ave. Adelphi is on the left (after golf course).

**By Train:** The LIRR runs on a frequent schedule (travel time from NYC is 45 min.). Take the Hempstead Line from Pennsylvania Station in Manhattan, Flatbush Ave. in Brooklyn or Jamaica Station in Queens to the Nassau Blvd. Station. Adelphi is a short walk east on South Ave.

## NY & NJ DIRECTIONS

### SUFFOLK COUNTY MEETING—SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Take the L.I.E. (I-495) to Exit 53 (Sagtikos Pkwy/Wicks Rd). Follow signs to Wicks Rd. Go south for ½ mile on Wicks Rd. The campus entrance is on your right. Enter and follow the signs to the Health, Sports & Education Center Lecture Hall.

**By Train:** The LIRR stops at Brentwood. The college is North and West of the train stop. The Deer Park Station of the LIRR is equidistant from the college, just further West. The college is North and East of that train stop.

### WESTCHESTER/ROCKLAND/PUTNAM MEETING - CONGREGATION SONS OF ISRAEL

**George Washington Bridge:** Take the Palisades Pkwy. to Exit 9E. Take the NY State Thruway to Exit 11. Turn left onto Rte. 59 (which becomes Main St). Continue one mile to Broadway (4th light). Turn left on Broadway. Synagogue is on the left (about ½ mile).

**Tappan Zee Bridge:** Take the NY State Thruway over bridge to Exit 11. Continue on High Ave. Turn right on Highland. Turn left at first traffic light on Main St. Turn left on Broadway. Synagogue is on the left (about ½ mile).

**From NJ:** Take the Garden State Pkwy. North to the NY State Thruway South to Exit 11. Turn left onto Rte. 59 (which becomes Main St). Continue one mile to Broadway (4th light). Turn left on Broadway. Synagogue is on the left (about ½ mile).



## **FLORIDA DIRECTIONS**

### **BOCA/DELRAY & WEST PALM BEACH MEETING — SOUTH COUNTY CIVIC CENTER**

**From I-95 (North or South):** Exit at Linton Blvd. Travel west to Jog Rd. Turn south on Jog Rd. Turn left into the Civic Center parking lot. Before you get to the traffic light at Morakami Park Rd.

**From Florida Turnpike (South):** Exit at Atlantic Ave. Go east to Jog Rd., then south.

**From Florida Turnpike (North):** Exit at Glades Rd. Go east to Jog Rd. Travel north on Jog Rd. to the Civic Center, just past Morakami Park Rd.

**From State Road 441 (South):** Turn left on Atlantic Ave. Travel east on Atlantic Ave. to Jog Rd. Turn right onto Jog Rd. and travel south to Civic Center.

**From State Road 441 (North):** Turn east onto Clint Moore Road. Travel on Clint Moore Road to Jog Road. Turn left and travel north to the Civic Center.

### **BROWARD MEETING — LEONARD WEISINGER COMMUNITY CENTER**

**From South of Atlantic Blvd.:** Take State Rd. 7 (US 441) north to Margate Blvd. Turn left onto Margate Blvd. Turn left onto NW 58th Ave. At the end of the street, turn left on Park Dr. and an immediate right onto NW 10th St. Drive along NW 10th St. The building is the last one on the right.

**From North of Atlantic Blvd.:** Take State Rd. 7 (US 441) south to Margate Blvd. Turn right onto Margate Blvd. Turn left onto NW 58th Ave. At the end of the street, turn left on Park Dr. and an immediate right onto NW 10th St. Drive along NW 10th St. The building is the last one on the right.

### **OCALA MEETING — MARION COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

5.5 miles East of Exit 352 on I-75, then Route 40

## FLORIDA DIRECTIONS

### DADE MEETING — SURFSIDE COMMUNITY CENTER

**From I-95:** Take I-95 to the 125th St./Bal Harbour exit. Take 125th St. (Rte. 922) east to the Broad Causeway (toll). After the Causeway, continue on 96th St. to Harding Ave. Make a right turn onto Harding Ave. Turn left at 93rd St. The Community Center is directly ahead. Note: There are parking lots on 93rd Street.

**From Collins Ave./A1A (from South Beach & Miami Beach):** Take Collins Ave./A1A North to 93rd St. Community Center is on your right. Note: There are parking lots on 93rd Street.

**From Collins Ave./A1A (from Sunny Isles & Hallandale):** Take Collins Ave. South (Collins Ave. becomes Harding Ave.). Turn left turn at 93rd St. Community Center is directly ahead. Note: There are parking lots on 93rd Street.

### ORLANDO MEETING—ORANGE COUNTY CLASSROOM TEACHERS ASSOC.

**From I-4:** Take Exit 88 (Lee Rd/FL-423) and turn west onto Lee Rd. In 1/2 mile, turn Left onto Adanon St. In 3/4 mile turn right onto W. Fairbanks Ave. (FL-426). In 1/4 mile, turn Left onto Edgewater Dr. (FL-424). In 3/4 mile, turn right onto Webster Ave. Building is on your left.

### FL. WEST COAST MEETING — LAUREL OAK COUNTRY CLUB

**From I-75:** Take to Exit 207 – Bee Ridge Road. Head east on Bee Ridge Road for approximately 3 miles (you will go through a few stop lights). At the stop light on Gary Player Blvd., you will see a large sign for Laurel Oak Country Club on your left. Turn in and head straight to the gatehouse. The guard will ask for your name and reason for arrival. From the gatehouse, follow signs for the clubhouse (it will lead you straight on Gary Player Blvd.). When you reach clubhouse, entrance is on the right.

### TAMPA BAY — PINELLAS PARK STATION

**From I-275:** Take Exit 28 West (Gandy Blvd.). After a short distance Gandy Blvd. becomes Park Blvd. N (Rt. 694). After about 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> miles make a right turn onto 59<sup>th</sup> St. No. There will be a parking lot on your left and the Pinellas Park Station is on the right.

## **BRONX**

**Coordinator: Cheryl Bing-Howard.** All sessions will be held at the **Bronx Learning Center, 2500 Halsey Street.** Unless otherwise noted, the registration fee is **\$10.00** for the course (which is non-refundable and non-transferable).

### **TUESDAYS**

*Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 8, 15, 22, 29 and February 5.*

#### **XI 214 EXERCISE PLUS —CLOSED**

**XI 215 CANASTA** Beginners receive instruction on the fundamentals of the Modern American version of this popular game. All levels. 10-12. M. Schuster.

#### **XI 216 QUILTING —CLOSED**

**XI 217 BRAIN GAMES** Research shows that learning new skills create new neural networks that can delay the onset of Alzheimer's. Expand your mind and challenge your brain by playing classic word games like Scrabble, Bananagrams, Upwords and more. 12:30-2:30. D. Dolan.

**XI 218 MAH JONGG** Supervised play for those already familiar with the rules of the game. 12:30-3. M. Schuster.

# BRONX

## WEDNESDAYS

*Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.*

**XI 313 BEGINNERS TAI CHI – CLOSED**

**XI 314 PIANO FOR NOT JUST BEGINNERS** Learn to play simple classical, jazz or pop tunes. Bring a small portable keyboard to class. Inexpensive keyboards available at Sam Ash Music stores. 10-12. N. Zamcheck.

**XI 315 INTERMEDIATE & ADVANCED BRIDGE** Continuation of techniques in bidding, declarer play and defense. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12:15. G. Hudson.

**XI 316 INTERMEDIATE & ADVANCED MOSAICS** Continue “on going” projects or begin “new advanced level” projects. Bring your own tools and materials. NOT for beginners. 10-1:30. P. O'Connell.

**XI 317 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Learn the basics including scoring and how to compete while improving your success in this fascinating game. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 12:30-2:45. G. Hudson.

**MINI FILM SERIES:** The registration fee is **\$18** for the session and includes a light lunch. D. Hammitt.

**XI 318 MILOS FORMEN** Discuss the film director’s early life and works. View one full feature film. Jan. 9. 10-3.

**XI 319 JOHN FRANKENHEIMER** Discuss the film director’s life and works. View one full feature film. Feb. 6. 10-3.

## **BROOKLYN**

**Coordinator: Kathy Giannou.** All sessions will be held at the **Brooklyn Learning Center, 335 Adams Street, 24<sup>th</sup> Floor.** Unless otherwise noted, the registration fee is **\$10.00** for the course (which is non-refundable and non-transferable).

### **WEDNESDAYS**

*Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.*

- KI 312 STAINED GLASS** Work on projects using a glass cutter, soldering iron and glass grinder. All levels. Safety goggles mandatory. **\$35** includes registration and materials. You may register for only ONE Stained Glass course. 9:30-12:30. G. Fishman.
- KI 313 CHAIR YOGA: ALL LEVELS —CLOSED**
- KI 314 HAND EMBROIDERY** Learn new stitches to use in the design of your projects. Discuss the history of embroidery styles. Specialized tools and techniques are demonstrated. Bring 12 ct. Aida cloth, floss, scissors and embroidery needles to first class. **\$12** includes registration and some materials.10-12. K. Kotary.
- KI 315 READING & ENJOYMENT OF SHORT STORIES** Purchase the book of short stories, *Runaway* by Alice Munro. Read the first and second stories, *Runaway* and *Chance* for first class. 10-12. S. Rauschenbusch.
- KI 316 CHORUS** The types of music and the level of complexity are determined in class. Music and/or parts may be taught with or without music sheets. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. J. DeRanieri.
- KI 317 CREATIVE WRITING** Learn techniques and receive support in preparing and polishing your writings such as fiction and memoirs. 12:30-3. M. Eller.
- KI 318 BOLLYWOOD & BELLYDANCING** Enjoy sampling Belly Dance and Bollywood dance movements. All levels. 1-3. A. Beeman.

## **BROOKLYN**

**KI 319 POLYMER CLAY: BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE** —CLOSED

**KI 320 YOGA** Learn a set of mental and physical exercises using breath, movement and meditation. Bring a yoga mat and towel to class. 1-3. C. LaBue.

**KI 321 QUILTING** Create beautiful works of art: hand-sewn quilts, pillows and decorative accessories. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 1-3. J. Griffith.

### ***THURSDAYS***

*Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 10, 17, 24, 31 and February 7.*

**KI 410 STAINED GLASS** Work on projects using a glass cutter, soldering iron and glass grinder. All levels. Safety goggles mandatory. **\$35** includes registration and materials. **You may register for only ONE Stained Glass course.** 9:30 –12:30. D. Johnson.

**KI 411 PHOTOGRAPHY USING THE APPLE IPAD, APPLE IPHONE OR ANDROID MOBILE DEVICES** Learn to take better photos with your devices and transfer them to a computer to make a photo book. Bring your device(s) to first class. **\$25** includes registration and supplies. 10-12. J. Griffith.

**KI 412 JAZZERCISE** Stretching and dancing to Jazz, Rhythm & Blues, Cha-Cha, Swing, Salsa and Mambo. 10-12. K. Sanson.

**KI 413 MEDITATION** Learn the art of meditation and deep breathing. Bring a yoga mat and towel to class. 10-12. C. LaBue.

**KI 414 CROCHET** —CLOSED

## **BROOKLYN**

### ***THURSDAYS (continued)***

- KI 415 DOLL MAKING** Learn how to make dolls and stuffed animals. Supply list mailed prior to first class. **\$15** includes registration and some materials. 12:30-3. K. Kotary.
- KI 416 INTRODUCTION TO JEWELRY MAKING: BEGINNERS ONLY —CLOSED**
- KI 417 TAI CHI & QI GONG EXERCISES** Principles and movements of Tai Chi and Qi Gong. All levels. 1-3. J. He.
- KI 418 SKETCHING & PAINTING WITH GEORGE** Explore and use different types of media including acrylics, pastels, oils and more. Bring a sketch pad, pencils, charcoal, eraser (pastels, watercolor & acrylic paint are optional) to class. 1-3. G. Kerasiotis.
- KI 419 JAZZ JOURNEY: GREAT AMERICAN SONGBOOK OF THE 20'S & 30'S** Learn about and listen to the musical works of Gershwin, Berlin, Ellington and more. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 1-3. C. Gerard.

## MANHATTAN

**Coordinator: Jo-Ann Hauptman.** All sessions will be held at the **Manhattan Learning Center, 50 Broadway, 2nd Floor.** Unless otherwise noted, the registration fee is **\$10.00** for the course (which is non-refundable and non-transferable).

### **TUESDAYS**

Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 8, 15, 22, 29 and February 5.

- CI 214 BEADWEAVING: BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE** Learn the basic to intermediate skills of bead weaving to create jewelry. Supply list sent prior to first class. 9:45-12:15. E. Esses.
- CI 215 ART OF JOHANNES VERMEER & REMBRANDT VAN RIJN —CLOSED**
- CI 216 TRAVEL THROUGH HISTORY** Take a virtual tour through different parts of the world by learning the history, culture and landscapes of each destination. 10-12. J. Rossi.
- CI 217 DRAWING** Learn the basics of drawing to create volume. Develop the illusion of three dimensional form. Gain an understanding of the cube, contour, sphere and gesture in the process. Supply list sent prior to first class. 10-12. R. Baumann.
- CI 218 NYC: ITS HISTORY & CULTURE** Explore how the Dutch influence, Revolutionary War, later immigrants and our waterways helped build NYC into the “capital of the world.” 10-12. P. Laskowich.
- CI 219 ZUMBA GOLD FITNESS —CLOSED**
- CI 220 ACADEMY AWARD WINNING FILMS** View and analyze these films: *It Happened One Night; Rebecca; Going My Way and All about Eve.* 12:15-2:45. R. Romer.
- CI 221 ITALIAN CINEMA —CLOSED**
- CI 222 VERY CONTEMPORARY ART —CLOSED**
- CI 223 MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE —CLOSED**
- CI 224 TAI CHI —CLOSED**



# MANHATTAN

## WEDNESDAYS

*Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.*

- CI 314 SHORT STORY INTO FILM** Read and analyze short stories by Tennessee Williams that inspired his iconic plays and watch the movies that were inspired by them. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 9:45-12:15. W. Wyss.
- CI 315 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Must be an experience player. 9:45-12:15. E. Lee.
- CI 316 JERRY SEINFELD & LARRY DAVID: BRILLIANT COMEDIANS WHO LEFT NO STONE UNTURNED** View and discuss segments from both *Seinfeld* and *Curb Your Enthusiasm* as well as excerpts from their stand-up comedy performances. 10-12. P. Herzich.
- CI 317 CALLIGRAPHY: FLORALS & FLOURISHES** Quickly review basic letter forms and move into alternate forms and variations. Experiment with flourishes and floral design. Pre-requisite: **MUST** be familiar with the pointed pen. Supply list sent prior to first class. **\$15** includes registration and other materials. 10-12. C. Nguyen.
- CI 318 CANASTA** Learn to play the Modern American version of this popular game considered easy to play, but difficult to master. 10-12:30. J. Kotkin.
- CI 319 RUBBER STAMPING : VALENTINES & OTHER SPECIAL OCCASIONS** Create rubber stamped cards with unusual folds and pop-ups for special occasions. Bring sharp scissors, adhesive, bone folder and colored pencils to first class. **\$20** includes registration and other materials. 12:15-2:15. C. Nguyen.
- CI 320 MAH JONGG** Learn the game and brush up on prior skills. Bring a current National Mah Jongg League card to class. All levels. 12:30-2:30. J. Somerville.

## MANHATTAN

### **WEDNESDAYS (continued)**

- CI 321 ITALIAN: INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED** Review grammar and practice the language in conversation. Required textbook: *Grammatica Italiana per Stranieri, in Italiano*. (Edizioni Guerra-Perugia). 12:30-2:30. A. DeGennaro.
- CI 322 POLITICS IN FILM** View, analyze and discuss these classic films: *Fail Safe; Inherit the Wind; The Last King of Scotland* and more. 12:30-3. C. Friedman.
- CI 323 LOVE YOUR APPLE IPAD & APPLE IPHONE —CLOSED**
- CI 324 INTERMEDIATE BRIDGE** Instruction and free play. Bring your own cards. 12:45-2:45. E. Lee.
- CI 325 KNITTING & CROCHETING** Learn the basics and beyond. Bring your own projects, #8 knitting needles, “J” crochet hook and worsted weight yarn to first class. **\$12** includes registration and some patterns. 12:45-2:45. J. Kotkin.

### **THURSDAYS**

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- CI 414 CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH** Learn Spanish similarly to the way you learned your native language, naturally and intuitively. **\$13** includes registration and materials. 10-12. L. Toro.
- CI 415 YOGA** Gentle stretching and relaxation practices that bring a feeling of peace and well-being in the mind, body and spirit. 10-12. D. Scott.
- CI 416 DRAWING & WATERCOLOR** Learn watercolor techniques and the fundamentals of drawing. Supply list sent prior to first class. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. M. Rogers.

## MANHATTAN

### *THURSDAYS (continued)*

- CI 417 ADVANCED BEADING** Must be experienced with extremely advanced beading techniques. 10-1. J. Schatz.
- CI 418 LET'S LATIN DANCE CI 224 TAI CHI —CLOSED**
- CI 419 RETIREES READ BOOK CLUB** Explore and discuss the significance and style of short stories. Purchase *American Short Story Masterpieces* (ed. Raymond Carver and Tom Jenks). Read *The Misfits* by Arthur Miller and *Sonny's Blues* by James Baldwin before first class. 10:15-12:15. C. Lambert.
- CI 420 MINDFULNESS & MEDITATION** Learn simple techniques that help you to live in the flow of life effortlessly. 12:15-2:15. D. Scott.
- CI 421 JOY OF OPERA** Explore and discuss the differences in opera, operetta and musical theatre including Gershwin's *Porgy & Bess*; Brecht/Weill's *Rise and Fall of the City of Mahagonny*; two Bernstein's theatre works: the operetta, *Candide* and the musical, *West Side Story*. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 12:15-2:45. E. Godfrey.
- CI 422 CREATIVE WRITING** Use exercises and source materials to enhance the "creative imperative" within yourself. **\$12** includes registration and materials. 12:30-2:30. M. Glenn.
- CI 423 QUILTING** Create quilts, pillows and decorative accessories. Work on existing projects or start a new one. Bring cotton fabric, thread, needles, pins and scissors to class. **\$15** includes registration and other materials. 12:30-2:30. R. Sonsino.
- CI 424 IMPROVISATIONAL THEATRE** Create group situations, scenes and plays using your imagination. No experience required. **\$13** includes registration and materials. 12:45-2:45. K. Solway.

## QUEENS

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### **TUESDAYS**

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- QI 212 DRAWING & SKETCHING** Capture what we see and put your own spin on it! Study shapes, light contrast and composition. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 10-1. M. Rogers.
- QI 213 PAINTING WITH CONFIDENCE** Create your masterpiece following step-by-step instructions exploring color theory and brush techniques. For beginners. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 10-2. R. Cooper.
- QI 214 YOGA** Learn how to release stress while becoming stronger and more flexible. For beginners to experienced yogis. 10:15-12:15. M. Mancini.
- QI 215 CANASTA** Introduction to the Modern American version. Enjoy playing while working on techniques and skills. 10:15-12:15. L. Cohen.
- QI 216 CLASSIC FILMS: CRIME DOESN'T PAY** View and discuss Noir influenced caper films. 11-2. P. Levenson.
- QI 217 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** For those experienced players who have never played duplicate bridge. 11-3. G. Hudson.
- QI 218 MAH JONGG** Bring your own set and a current card (if you have one). Beginners enjoy learning and experienced players gain expertise. 12:45-2:45. L. Cohen.

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### **WEDNESDAYS**

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**QI 310 GOLDEN SNEAKERS CI 224 TAI CHI —CLOSED**

**QI 311 HOW TO USE THE APPLE IPHONE** Get the most from your Apple iPhone and use it more effectively. **NOT** for any other smartphones. 10-1. R. Cooper.

**QI 312 IMPRESSIONISTIC OIL** Learn how to paint in the impressionistic style. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 10-12. B. DeCeglie.

**QI 313 STAINED GLASS—CLOSED**

**QI 314 ACRYLIC PAINTING** Application and technique with emphasis on individual expression, the study of color, composition and design. Supply list sent prior to first class. 11-3. C. Murrell.

**QI 315 ZUMBA — CLOSED**

## STATEN ISLAND

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### **TUESDAYS**

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**RI 211 AEROBICS I —CLOSED**

**RI 212 THE HISTORY OF BALLET** A study of ballet as a genre. From the Renaissance and French Baroque Court Dance to mid-19th century Romantic Ballet and Tchaikovsky & Stravinsky's classical and modern ballets. 10-12:30. E. Migirov.

**RI 213 LINE DANCING: BEGINNERS** Learn the basics and enjoy this mind and body activity. Wear comfortable shoes. 10:30-12:30. L. Kalipetes.

**RI 214 KUNDALINI YOGA —CLOSED**

**RI 215 MAH JONGG PLAY LAB —CLOSED**

**RI 216 BEGINNERS JEWELRY DESIGN** For the beginner and those who want a better understanding of the fundamentals of jewelry design and beading. Learn to make a necklace with a clasp and earrings to match. Bring your own materials. Contact [jcasanovas@uft.org](mailto:jcasanovas@uft.org) for a supply list prior to first class. \$13 includes registration and a pattern fee. 10:30-1. N. Keay.

**RI 217 AEROBICS II —CLOSED**

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#### **RI 314 CHAIR YOGA I —CLOSED**

**RI 315 ZUMBA GOLD PLUS TONING I** Modified Zumba program for the active adult to achieve fitness success. Sneakers required. You may register for only ONE Zumba Gold Plus Toning class. 9:45-10:45. L. DeRosa.

**RI 316 KNOW YOUR ANTIQUES** Explore the history of objects, eras and learn eBay. **\$12** includes registration and materials. 9:45-12:45. M. Mandel.

#### **RI 317 BEGINNERS WATERCOLORS —CLOSED**

**RI 318 SPREAD OF HOMO-SAPIENS OVER THE EARTH & MESOLITHIC AGE** Study the spread of our species into Asia, Australia and America and life after the Ice Age before farming. **\$14** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. L. Warner.

**RI 319 CARD MAKING** Create unique greeting cards using card stock, stickers, buttons and more. Bring a scissor, ruler and pencil with an eraser to class. All other materials are supplied. **\$25** includes registration and materials. 10-1. B. Smith.

**RI 320 ZUMBA GOLD PLUS TONING II** Modified Zumba program for the active adult to achieve fitness success. Sneakers required. You may register for only ONE Zumba Gold Plus Toning class. 11-12. L. DeRosa.

#### **RI 321 CHAIR YOGA II —CLOSED**

**RI 322 TAI CHI: BEGINNER** Learn the basic principles of Tai Chi. 11-1. R. Yuen.

## FLORIDA

*Coordinator: Ken Goodfriend. All sessions will be held at the Florida Office, 3200 No. Military Trail, Suite 100, Boca Raton, FL 33434. Unless otherwise noted, the registration fee is \$10.00 for the course (which is non-refundable and non-transferable).*

### **MONDAYS**

**FI 105 SHORT STORY DISCUSSIONS** Read a short story for each class followed by a class discussion. Jan. 28; Feb. 4, 25; Mar. 4. 10-12. *Instructor: A. Zuckerberg*

### **TUESDAYS**

**FI 205 CANASTA** Learn and improve your skills. Brief lesson followed by supervised play. Jan. 15, 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12. 10-12. *S. Goldstein.*

**FI 206 OPERA** A different opera each week followed by a brief discussion. Jan. 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12; Mar. 5. 10-12. *Instructor: M. Minzer*

### **WEDNESDAYS**

**FI 303 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Learn the techniques and strategies involved in playing duplicate bridge. Brief lesson followed by supervised play. Dec. 12, 19; Jan. 2, 9, 16. 10-12. *Instructor: L. Sachs*

**FI 304 DOO WOP: EAST COAST** From Massachusetts to New Jersey. You may register for **FI 304** or **FI 306**, but not both. Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30. 10-1. *Instructor: H. Bloch*

**FI 305 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Learn the techniques and strategies involved in playing duplicate bridge. Brief lesson followed by supervised play. Jan. 23, 30; Feb. 6, 13, 27. 10-12. *Instructor: L. Sachs*

**FI 306 DOO WOP** From Massachusetts to New Jersey. You may register for **FI 304** or **FI 306**, but not both. Feb. 6, 13, 27; Mar. 6, 13. 10-1. *Instructor: H. Bloch*



# FLORIDA

## **THURSDAYS**

**FI 404 FILM SERIES: ISRAELI FILMS** —CLOSED

**FI 405 APPLE IPAD/APPLE IPHONE FOR BEGINNERS** Learn how to use your personal iPhone/iPad. Bring your Apple device(s) to class. WiFi provided. Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7. 10-12. *Instructor:* B. Rosendorf

## **FRIDAYS**

**FI 505 CANASTA** Brief lesson followed by supervised play. Jan. 11, 18, 25; Feb. 8, 15. 10-12. *Instructor:* F. Kassler

**FI 506 FILM SERIES: MUSICALS OF THE 70'S & BEYOND** View a different film each week followed by a Q & A. Jan. 18, 25; Feb. 1, 8, 15. 10-1. *Instructor:* R. Presser

## HOW TO REGISTER

All checks/money orders must be made payable to *UFTWF Retiree Programs*.  
(**NO CASH ACCEPTED**).

**INTERSESSION 2018** classes begin Tuesday, January 8, 2019 and ends Thursday, February 8, 2019, unless otherwise noted. The Intercession registration deadline is **Friday, December 14, 2018**.

All registration must be received BY MAIL ONLY. UFT retirees will be registered first before spouses, domestic partners, AFT, NYSUT and PSC members. NY & NJ annual membership meetings and course registration forms **MUST** be mailed to:

**UFTWF Retiree Programs**  
**Si Beagle Learning Centers**  
**52 Broadway, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor**  
**New York, NY 10004**

**FLORIDA INTERSESSION** begins Tuesday, January 2, 2019 and ends Wednesday, March 13, 2019. **FLORIDA Intercession registration deadline is Friday, December 14, 2018**.

**Florida annual meetings and course registration forms must be mailed to :**

**UFT-RTC Florida Office**  
**3200 No. Military Trail, Suite 100**  
**Boca Raton, FL 33431**

### 1. TO REGISTER

- Each registrant must complete a **separate registration coupon** for Intercession 2019 with name and last four digits of social security number. Spouses are wait listed

and therefore checks/money orders are not required.

- Each registrant **must** pay with his/her own checks/money orders. **MEMBERS CANNOT PAY FOR OTHER MEMBERS**. Make checks/money orders payable to **UFTWF RETIREE PROGRAMS** and enclose payment with the registration form. Include on the checks/money orders the course number exactly as it appears in the course description section.
2. Your course selection coupon will be stamped and returned to you in the mail. You must remember to bring the coupon to every session your course meets. It will serve as your admission card.
    - If a green "ENTERED" is stamped over a particular course, you have been admitted. If a red "COURSE FULL-WAIT LIST" is stamped over a particular course, you will not be admitted and your name will be put on a wait list. Refunds will be issued in approximately six weeks.
  3. **Queens and Manhattan retirees:** UFT ID cards will be mailed with registration confirmation. You must sign these ID cards and present them to enter the buildings.
  4. We reserve the right to cancel any course that has fewer than 15 students registered by the registration deadline. In such cases, we will notify all registered students and issue full refunds. If you registered online for an annual meeting, use this coupon for course registration **only**.

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