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### UFT BRONX LEARNING CENTER

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### UFT BROOKLYN LEARNING CENTER

335 Adams St., 24th floor  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

(718) 722-6961/ (718) 722-6962

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### UFT MANHATTAN LEARNING CENTER

50 Broadway, 2nd floor, New York, NY 10004  
(212) 510-6478/ (212) 510-6479

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### UFT QUEENS LEARNING CENTER

97-77 Queens Blvd., 8th floor, Rego Park, NY 11374  
(718) 830-5711/ (718) 830-5710

Doris Brill, Laura Chin and Ray Taruskin Coordinators

### UFT STATEN ISLAND LEARNING CENTER

4456 Amboy Rd., Staten Island, NY 10312  
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### UFT NASSAU SECTION

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(718) 225-0931

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(732) 873-2214

### UFT SUFFOLK SECTION

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(631) 367-0047

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Frank Pollice, Coordinator  
(845) 356-2033

## HOW TO REGISTER

*All checks/money orders must be made payable  
to UFTWF Retiree Programs.*

**FALL Learning Center classes begin Monday, September 12 and end Wednesday, November 23. INTERSESSION classes begin Monday, January 9 and end Friday, February 10, 2012.**

All registration **must be received BY MAIL ONLY.** UFT retirees will be registered first before spouses, domestic partners, AFT, NYSUT and PSC members. Registration forms **MUST** be mailed to:

UFTWF Retiree Programs  
Si Beagle Learning Centers  
52 Broadway, 17th floor  
New York, NY 10004

Please call the main office at (212) 598-6879 during July and August.

### 1. COURSES

You may register for only **three** courses. However, you may take seminars, NYSUT Defensive Driving, trips, theater and dine-arounds in addition to your courses. There will be a **NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE OF \$5** for each course.

### 2. SEMINARS

You **MUST** register for all seminars to guarantee seating. Seminars have a **NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE OF \$2.** There is no fee for benefits seminars (e.g. annuity workshops, legal plan and health benefits).

### 3. TRIPS

You may register for up to **five** trips. Do not add a registration fee. The price shown is the complete fee for each trip. Refunds are made upon written request up to **four weeks** prior to trip date.

### 4. THEATER EXPERIENCE

There is a **NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE** of \$5. All checks/money orders for theater program must be payable to UFTWF Retiree Programs.

### 5. DINE-AROUNDS

There is a **NON-REFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE** of \$5. All checks/money orders for dine-arounds must be payable to UFTWF Retiree Programs. Refunds are contingent upon policy of the vendor. Details outlined at orientation session.

### 6. TO REGISTER

- Each registrant must fill out a separate registration coupon for Fall 2011 and Intersession 2012 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 check/money order. 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.
- Write one check/money order for **courses**.

- Write one check/money order for **seminars**.
- Write one check/money order for **each trip**.
- Write a separate check/money order for \$30 payable to UFTWF Retiree Programs for NYSUT Defensive Driving.

**NB: View Si Beagle offerings online at [www.uft.org](http://www.uft.org), click chapters/retirees/programs, then scroll to bottom of page to download coupon and mail it in for registration.**

7. Your course selection coupon will be stamped and returned to you by 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, seminar and/or trip you have been admitted. If a red "COURSE FULL-WAIT LIST", "SORRY, TRIP FULL" or "SORRY, SEMINAR FULL" is stamped over a particular course, seminar or trip, you will not be admitted and your name will be put on a wait list.

Refunds will be issued in approximately six weeks. Retirees who are on wait lists will be notified of course openings by the Borough Section Coordinator(s) according to date received.

8. **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 building.

9. All Learning Centers' classes do not meet on the following days:

**Columbus Day:** Monday, October 10.

**Election Day:** Tuesday, November 8.

**Veteran's Day:** Friday, November 11

**Thanksgiving Recess:** Thursday, November 24 and Friday, November 25.

**Martin Luther King, Jr.:** Monday, January 16.

10. We reserve the right to cancel any course that has fewer than 10 students registered by the first session. In such cases, we will notify all registered students and issue full refunds.

New courses, seminars and trips are added periodically in our Learning Centers. These are exempt from the three-course maximum. Look for announcements in the RTC column in each issue of the *New York Teacher*. In the event the UFT must close its facilities due to inclement weather or an unexpected emergency, it is incumbent upon you to verify that we are closed. The closing of the UFT buildings will be announced via the UFT.org website or the UFT hotline at (212) 777-0190.

**SAVE  
THIS ISSUE!**  
After you have sent in your registration, keep this issue as a reminder of the dates of your courses, seminars and trips.

**BRONX**

*Coordinator: Lucille Richards. Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held at the Bronx Learning Center, 2500 Halsey Street. The registration fee for each class is \$5 and includes light refreshments.*

**REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

■ **BASIC DRAWING & WATERCOLOR**

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-2.

Instructor: A. Strinsky

**XI 201** Jan. 10

**XI 202** Jan. 17

**XI 203** Jan. 24

**XI 204** Jan. 31

**XI 205** Feb. 7

■ **EXERCISES AND STRETCHES**

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-12.

Instructor: A. Stern

**XI 206 SEATED EXERCISES** Jan. 10

**XI 207 WEIGHTS AND BANDS** Jan. 17

**XI 208 STRETCHING** Jan. 24

**XI 209 TOTAL BODY WORKOUT** Jan. 31

**XI 210 TOTAL BODY WORKOUT** Feb. 7

■ **INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED BRIDGE**

Supervised practice in playing. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-12.

Instructor: A. Lisle

**XI 211** Jan. 10

**XI 212** Jan. 17

**XI 213** Jan. 24

**XI 214** Jan. 31

**XI 215** Feb. 7

■ **SHORT STORIES**

Stories from twenty writers under the age of forty from the New Yorker. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-12. Instructor: A. Pruzan

**XI 216 THE WARM FUZZIES** by Chris Adrian Jan. 10

**XI 217 HERE WE AREN'T SO QUICKLY** by Jonathan Foer Jan. 17

**XI 218 AN ARRANGED MARRIAGE** by Nell Freudenberger Jan. 24

**XI 219 WHAT YOU DO OUT HERE WHEN YOU'RE ALONE** by Philipp Meyer Jan. 31

**XI 220 DAYWARD** by ZZ Packer Feb. 7

■ **ADVANCED BEGINNERS BRIDGE**

Some knowledge required. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 12:30-2:30.

Instructor: A. Lisle

**XI 221** Jan. 10

**XI 222** Jan. 17

**XI 223** Jan. 24

**XI 224** Jan. 31

**XI 225** Feb. 7

■ **MINI FILM SERIES: DAZZLING DIVAS**

The registration fee is \$12 (each session) and includes biographical insights, light lunch and film. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-3. Instructor: F. McKinnon

**XI 226 LENA HORNE: STORMY WEATHER** Jan. 10

**XI 227 MARY MARTIN: BIRTH OF THE BLUES** Jan. 24

**XI 228 ETHEL WATERS: CABIN IN THE SKY** Feb. 7

■ **MINI FILM SERIES**

The registration fee is \$12 (each session) and includes light refreshments. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10-3. Instructor: L. Sunderland

**XI 301 JOHN WAYNE** Jan. 11

**XI 302 MORGAN FREEMAN** Jan. 25

**XI 303 ROBERT REDFORD** Feb. 8

■ **BEGINNER'S SPANISH**

Learn communication skills and sing songs.

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 12:30-2:30. Instructor: R. Hollingsworth

**XI 304** Jan. 11

**XI 305** Jan. 18

**XI 306** Jan. 25

■ **INTERMEDIATE & ADVANCED MOSAICS**

Bring your own materials. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10-1. Instructor: P. O'Connell

**XI 307** Jan. 11

**XI 308** Jan. 18

**XI 309** Jan. 25

**XI 310** Feb. 1

**XI 311** Feb. 8

■ **QUILTING**

Materials list sent prior to class. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10-2. Instructor: H. Whitaker

**XI 401 BASKETS, BASKETS AND MORE BASKETS** Jan. 12

**XI 402 SNUGGLE UP WITH SNOWBALLS** Jan. 19

**XI 403 GRANDMA'S SCRAP QUILT** Jan. 26

**XI 404 MOSAIC PATCHWORK BONANZA** Feb. 2

**XI 405 UFO** Feb. 9

■ **LET'S DANCE**

Dance to the rhythms of Salsa, Cha Cha, Meringue and Bachata. Classes are held on Thursdays from 12:30-2:30. Instructor: N.DeLaLuz

**XI 406** Jan. 12

**XI 407** Jan. 19

**XI 408** Jan. 26

**XI 409** Feb. 2

**XI 410** Feb. 9

■ **FILM DIRECTORS**

The registration fee is \$12 (each session) and includes a light lunch and film. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10-3. Instructor: D. Hammitt

**XI 411 BLAKE EDWARDS** Brief biographies and film clips. Jan. 12

**XI 412 SYDNEY LUMET** Brief biographies and film clips. Jan. 26

■ **MINI FILM SERIES**

The registration fee is \$12 (each session) and includes light lunch and film. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10-3. Instructor: H. Fritsch

**XI 413 KATHARINE HEPBURN** Jan. 19

**XI 414 ELIZABETH TAYLOR** Feb. 9

**BROOKLYN**

*Coordinator: Florence Caruso. Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held at the Brooklyn Learning Center, 335 Adams Street, 24th Floor. The registration fee for each class is \$5 and includes light refreshments. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.*

■ **DOLLS**

Create a beautiful "topsy-turvy" doll; two dolls in one. Turn her upside down or right side up. Either way she's beautiful. Materials list sent prior to first class. Classes are held on Mondays from 10-2. Instructor: J. Putterman

**KI 101 CUT AND SEW THE BODY** Jan. 9

**KI 102 STUFF THE BODY AND ADD**

**THE ARMS** Jan. 23

**KI 103 CUT AND SEW CLOTHING** Jan. 30

**KI 104 CONTINUE TO SEW CLOTHING AND ASSEMBLE DOLL** Feb. 6

■ **RELAXATION TECHNIQUES**

Let go of stress through relaxation techniques. Classes are held on Mondays from 10-12. Instructor: T. Pratt

**KI 105** Jan. 9

**KI 106** Jan. 23

**KI 107** Jan. 30

**KI 108** Feb. 6

■ **THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT**

Classes are held on Mondays from 10-12. Instructor: D. Isoldi.

**KI 109 DOO WOP MUSIC OVERVIEW & RARE CONCERT FOOTAGE** Jan. 9

**KI 110 CRIME SHOW DRAMAS.** History and episodes of Dragnet, Naked City, Mike Hammer and others. Jan. 23

**KI 111 TELEVISION COMEDIES** History and episode selections of great comedy stars of early television; Jackie Gleason, Lucille Ball and others. Jan. 30

**KI 112 SINATRA IN THE MOVIES**

View the first musical shot on location in NYC - "On the Town." Feb. 6

■ **JAZZERCISE**

Stretching and dancing to Jazz, Rhythm and Blues, Salsa, Cha Cha, Swing, Mambo and Merengue. Classes are held on Mondays from 10-12. Instructor: K. Sanson.

**KI 113** Jan. 9

**KI 114** Jan. 23

**KI 115** Jan. 30

**KI 116** Feb. 6

■ **FAVORITE CLASSIC EPIC SOUNDS AND AWARD WINNING PERFORMANCES**

Classes are held on Mondays from 10:30-2. Instructor: M. Eller.

**KI 117 THE INN OF SIXTH HAPPINESS** Ingrid Bergman Jan. 9

**KI 118 LES MISERABLES** Liam Neeson Jan. 23

**KI 119 ELIZABETH** Cate Blanchett Jan. 30

**KI 120 MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTTS** Vanessa Redgrave Feb. 6

■ **EXERCISE FOR FUN & FITNESS: "SALSASIZE"**

Wear comfortable clothing and sneakers. Optional: Bring a theraband (resistance band) – scarf or ace bandage can be used. Classes are held on Mondays from 1-3. Instructor: B. Sayegh

**KI 121** Jan. 9

**KI 122** Jan. 23

**KI 123** Jan. 30

**KI 124** Feb. 6

■ **ITALIAN CINEMA**

View some of Italy's best films. Each session dedicated to a particular film, the actors and background. Conducted in English. Discussion to follow. All welcome. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10-1. Instructor: J. Worth

**KI 301** Jan. 18

**KI 302** Jan. 25

**KI 303** Feb. 1

**KI 304** Feb. 8

■ **MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE: EGYPTIAN DANCING**

Enjoy sampling dance movements from Egypt. All levels welcome. Classes are

held on Wednesdays from 10-12. Instructor: A. Beeman

**KI 305** Jan. 11

**KI 306** Jan. 18

**KI 307** Jan. 25

**KI 308** Feb. 1

**KI 309** Feb. 8

■ **TAI CHI QI GONG AND TAI CHI QUAN**

**KI 310** Jan. 11

**KI 311** Jan. 18

**KI 312** Jan. 25

**KI 313** Feb. 1

**KI 314** Feb. 8

■ **LINE DANCING**

All are welcome. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10-12. Instructors: N. Cangiano

**KI 315** Jan. 11

**KI 316** Jan. 18

**KI 317** Jan. 25

**KI 318** Feb. 1

**KI 319** Feb. 8

■ **BEGINNERS STAINED GLASS**

Additional materials fee (\$20) collected by instructor at first class. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 9:30-1. Instructor: M. Marcus

**KI 320** Jan. 11

**KI 321** Jan. 18

**KI 322** Jan. 25

**KI 323** Feb. 1

**KI 324** Feb. 8

■ **JEWELRY & BEADING: INTERMEDIATE**

Materials list sent prior to first class. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 12-3. Instructor: J. Schatz

**KI 325** Jan. 11

**KI 326** Jan. 18

**KI 327** Jan. 25

**KI 328** Feb. 1

**KI 329** Feb. 8

■ **YIDDISH LANGUAGE & CULTURE**

Conversation, reading, stories, poems and songs. Some knowledge of Yiddish required. (Classes conducted in Yiddish). Classes are held on Wednesdays from 1-3. Instructor: M. Leberstein

**KI 330** Jan. 11

**KI 331** Jan. 18

**KI 332** Jan. 25

**KI 333** Feb. 1

**KI 334** Feb. 8

■ **P.A.C.E. (PEOPLE WITH ARTHRITIS CAN EXERCISE)**

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 1-3. Instructor: G. Metivier

**KI 340 THE ART OF IMPROVISATION IN JAZZ** A look at the spontaneous creation of music as it is performed. Jan. 11

**KI 341 THE JAZZ SINGERS** Listen to various vocal stylists; the similarities, differences and influences. Jan. 18

**KI 342 WHAT MAKES JAZZ SWING** Listen to unforgettable jazz performances. Jan. 25

■ **JAZZ**

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 1-3. Instructor: G. Metivier

**KI 340 THE ART OF IMPROVISATION IN JAZZ** A look at the spontaneous creation of music as it is performed. Jan. 11

**KI 341 THE JAZZ SINGERS** Listen to various vocal stylists; the similarities, differences and influences. Jan. 18

**KI 342 WHAT MAKES JAZZ SWING** Listen to unforgettable jazz performances. Jan. 25

■ **JAZZ**

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 1-3. Instructor: G. Metivier

**KI 340 THE ART OF IMPROVISATION IN JAZZ** A look at the spontaneous creation of music as it is performed. Jan. 11

**KI 341 THE JAZZ SINGERS** Listen to various vocal stylists; the similarities, differences and influences. Jan. 18

**KI 342 WHAT MAKES JAZZ SWING** Listen to unforgettable jazz performances. Jan. 25

**MANHATTAN**

*Coordinator: Millie Glaberman. Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held at the Manhattan Learning Center, 250 W. 11th Street, 2nd Floor. The registration fee for each class is \$5 and includes light refreshments. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.*

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#### ■ T'AI CHI

Classes are held on Mondays from 10-12. Instructor: J. He.  
**CI 101** Jan. 9  
**CI 102** Jan. 23  
**CI 103** Jan. 30  
**CI 104** Feb. 6

#### ■ MIDDLE EASTERN DANCING

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-12. Instructor: A. Beeman  
**CI 201 KHALYI - DANCE OF THE GULF** Jan. 10  
**CI 202 RAKS ASSAYA - THE EGYPTIAN CANE DANCE** Jan. 17  
**CI 203 EGYPTIAN FILLAHE DANCE** Jan. 24  
**CI 204 TURKISH ROMAN DANCE** Jan. 31  
**CI 205 ANDALUSION DANCE** Feb. 7

#### ■ MIDDLE EASTERN DANCING

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 1-3. Instructor: A. Beeman  
**CI 206 KHALYI - DANCE OF THE GULF** Jan. 10  
**CI 207 RAKS ASSAYA - THE EGYPTIAN CANE DANCE** Jan. 17  
**CI 208 EGYPTIAN FILLAHE DANCE** Jan. 24  
**CI 209 TURKISH ROMAN DANCE** Jan. 31  
**CI 210 ANDALUSION DANCE** Feb. 7

#### ■ OSCAR NOMINEES AND WINNERS

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 1-3:30. Instructor: R. Romer  
**CI 211 ONE FLEW OVER THE CUKOO'S NEST** Jan. 10  
**CI 212 BORN YESTERDAY** Jan. 17  
**CI 213 ALL ABOUT EVE** Jan. 24  
**CI 214 THE APARTMENT** Jan. 31  
**CI 215 ARTHUR** Feb. 7

#### ■ SKETCHING AND DRAWING

Materials needed: 11"x14" Strathmore drawing pad, 2H, HB, 2B pencils, kneaded eraser. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10-12. Instructor: E. Comins  
**CI 216 CONTOUR DRAWING/CONSTRUCTION OF A CYLINDER** Jan. 10  
**CI 217 SHADING/CONSTRUCTION OF A CUP WITH HANDLE** Jan. 17  
**CI 218 DRAWING VARIOUS CONTAINERS/CONSTRUCTION OF A BOX IN PERSPECTIVE** Jan. 24  
**CI 219 OBJECT DRAWING** Jan. 31  
**CI 220 COMPOSITION/STILL LIFE & OTHER OBJECTS IN SPACE** Feb. 7

#### ■ WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

Materials needed: 9"x12" watercolor pad, #6 round brush, 1/2" flat brush, mixing tray, sponge, paper towels. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 1-3. Instructor: E. Comins  
**CI 221 PAINTING FLAT, GRADED, DRY BRUSH, WET ON WET WASHES** Jan. 10  
**CI 222 LAYERING TO SHOW VALUES (LIGHT TO DARK)** Jan. 17  
**CI 223 SIMPLE LANDSCAPES** Jan. 24  
**CI 224 PAINTING EVERYDAY OBJECTS IN NATURE FORMS** Jan. 31  
**CI 225 COMPOSITION: ARRANGING OBJECTS IN SPACE** Feb. 7

#### ■ HOW HOLLYWOOD DEALS WITH POLITICS

Breakfast included. Bring your own lunch. Discussion to follow. Classes are held on

Wednesdays from 10-2. Instructor: N. Spilotro  
**CI 301 UNDER FIRE.** Jan. 11  
**CI 302 IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER** Jan. 18  
**CI 303 CITY HALL** Jan. 25  
**CI 304 COMING HOME** Feb. 1  
**CI 305 SILKWOOD** Feb. 8

#### ■ QUILTING

Design and sew a multicolor "schoolhouse" quilt, tablerunner or placemat that is fun to assemble. Materials list sent prior to first class. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 12-3. Instructor: J. Putterman  
**CI 306 CUT TEMPLATE, SELECT COLORS & START CONSTRUCTION** Jan. 11  
**CI 307 CONTINUE TO ASSEMBLE & SEW** Jan. 18  
**CI 308 APPLY THE WINDOWS & DOORS** Jan. 25  
**CI 309 CONTINUE ASSEMBLING, ADD THE BORDER AND BINDING** Feb. 1

#### ■ BRITISH & AMERICAN MUSICALS

Classes are held on Thursdays from 10-2. Instructor: N. Spilotro  
**CI 401 PIRATES OF PENZANCE** Jan. 12  
**CI 402 PATIENCE** Jan. 19  
**CI 403 IOLANTHE** Jan. 26  
**CI 404 1776** Feb. 2  
**CI 405 PORGY & BESS** Feb. 9

#### ■ ADVANCED BEADING

Classes are held on Thursdays from 10-1. Instructor: J. Shatz  
**CI 406** Jan. 12  
**CI 407** Jan. 19  
**CI 408** Jan. 26  
**CI 409** Feb. 2  
**CI 410** Feb. 9

#### ■ NOT FOR BEGINNERS BRIDGE

Classes are held on Fridays from 10-1. Instructor: B. Cantara  
**CI 501** Jan. 13  
**CI 502** Jan. 20  
**CI 503** Jan. 27  
**CI 504** Feb. 3  
**CI 505** Feb. 10

## QUEENS

*Coordinator: Ray Taruskin. Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held at the Queens Learning Center, 97-77 Queens Boulevard, 8th Floor. The registration fee for each class is \$5 and includes light refreshments. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.*

#### ■ BEGINNING COMPUTER

The registration fee is \$25 for series. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:15 - 12:15. Instructor: A. Cumba  
**QI 201** Jan. 10, Jan. 17, Jan. 24, Jan. 31, and Feb. 7

#### ■ PAINTING IN OILS

Beginners welcome. Materials list to be mailed. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30 - 1:30. Instructor: E. Morozowski  
**QI 202** Jan. 10  
**QI 203** Jan. 17  
**QI 204** Jan. 24  
**QI 205** Jan. 31  
**QI 206** Feb. 7

#### ■ CLASSIC FILMS: DANCE ON FILM

View and discuss films. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 11 - 2. Instructor: P. Levenson  
**QI 207 RED SHOES** Jan. 10  
**QI 208 TURNING POINT** Jan. 17

**QI 209 MAO'S LAST DANCER** Jan. 24  
**QI 210 BLACK SWAN** Jan. 31  
**QI 211 CENTER STAGE** Feb. 7

#### ■ TAI CHI (AM)

Please wear loose fitting clothing and sneakers. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:15 - 12:15. Instructor: J. He  
**QI 212** Jan. 10  
**QI 213** Jan. 17  
**QI 214** Jan. 24  
**QI 215** Jan. 31  
**QI 216** Feb. 7

#### ■ BEGINNERS BRIDGE (AM)

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10 - 12:15. Instructor: B. Cantara  
**QI 217** Jan. 10  
**QI 218** Jan. 17  
**QI 219** Jan. 24  
**QI 220** Jan. 31  
**QI 221** Feb. 7

#### ■ TAI CHI (PM)

Please wear loose fitting clothing and sneakers. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 12:45 - 2:45. Instructor: J. He  
**QI 222** Jan. 10  
**QI 223** Jan. 17  
**QI 224** Jan. 24  
**QI 225** Jan. 31  
**QI 226** Feb. 7

#### ■ BEGINNERS BRIDGE (PM)

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 12:45-3. Instructor: B. Cantara  
**QI 227** Jan. 10  
**QI 228** Jan. 17  
**QI 229** Jan. 24  
**QI 230** Jan. 31  
**QI 231** Feb. 7

#### ■ ITALIAN LITERATURE

Read and discuss Italian literature and poetry. Intermediate & advanced welcome. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10:15 - 12:15. Instructor: S. Agliata-Trojan  
**QI 301** Jan. 11  
**QI 302** Jan. 18  
**QI 303** Jan. 25  
**QI 304** Feb. 1  
**QI 305** Feb. 8

#### ■ DRAWING PASTEL PAINTING

Materials list to be mailed. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10:15-1:15. Instructor: C. Obergfell  
**QI 306** Jan. 11  
**QI 307** Jan. 18  
**QI 308** Jan. 25  
**QI 309** Feb. 1  
**QI 310** Feb. 8

#### ■ MAH JONGG

Bring your own set, if you have one. Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10:15-1:15. Instructor: L. Cohen  
**QI 311** Jan. 11  
**QI 312** Jan. 18  
**QI 313** Jan. 25  
**QI 314** Feb. 1  
**QI 315** Feb. 8

#### ■ DUPLICATE BRIDGE (AM)

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10-12:15. Instructor: B. Cantara  
**QI 316** Jan. 11  
**QI 317** Jan. 18  
**QI 318** Jan. 25  
**QI 319** Feb. 1  
**QI 320** Feb. 8

#### ■ MEDIA THRU THE AGES

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10:15-1:15. Instructor: D. Isoldi  
**QI 321** Jan. 11

**QI 322** Jan. 18  
**QI 323** Jan. 25  
**QI 324** Feb. 1  
**QI 325** Feb. 8

#### ■ EXERCISE & RELAXATION

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 10:15-12:15. Instructor: T. Pratt  
**QI 326** Jan. 11  
**QI 327** Jan. 18  
**QI 328** Jan. 25  
**QI 329** Feb. 1  
**QI 330** Feb. 8

#### ■ DUPLICATE BRIDGE (PM)

Classes are held on Wednesdays from 12:45-3. Instructor: B. Cantara  
**QI 331** Jan. 11  
**QI 332** Jan. 18  
**QI 333** Jan. 25  
**QI 334** Feb. 1  
**QI 335** Feb. 8

#### ■ STAINED GLASS

The registration fee is \$10 for each class. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:15 - 2:15. Instructor: M. Marcus  
**QI 401** Jan. 12  
**QI 402** Jan. 19  
**QI 403** Jan. 26  
**QI 404** Feb. 2  
**QI 405** Feb. 9

#### ■ CREATING GREETING CARDS

Materials provided by instructor for small fee. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:15 - 12:15. Instructor: J. Epstein  
**QI 406** Jan. 12  
**QI 407** Jan. 19  
**QI 408** Jan. 26  
**QI 409** Feb. 2  
**QI 410** Feb. 9

#### ■ SCRABBLE

Bring your scrabble set and timer. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:15 - 12:15. Instructor: I. Shapiro  
**QI 411** Jan. 12  
**QI 412** Jan. 19  
**QI 413** Jan. 26  
**QI 414** Feb. 2  
**QI 415** Feb. 9

#### ■ TEN DAYS THAT UNEXPECTEDLY CHANGED AMERICA

View and discuss ten riveting History Channel documentaries that portray pivotal days in American history. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:15 - 1:15. Instructor: M. Levinson  
**QI 416** Jan. 12  
**QI 417** Jan. 19  
**QI 418** Jan. 26  
**QI 419** Feb. 2  
**QI 420** Feb. 9

#### ■ EPIC FILMS

View and discuss films. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:30 - 2. Instructor: M. Eller  
**QI 421 INN OF SIXTH HAPPINESS** Jan. 12  
**QI 422 LES MISERABLES** Jan. 19  
**QI 423 ELIZABETH** Jan. 26  
**QI 424 MARY QUEEN OF SCOTS** Feb. 2  
**QI 425 EL CID** Feb. 9

#### ■ MEDITATION

Classes are held on Thursdays from 1 - 3. Instructor: T. Pratt  
**QI 426** Jan. 12  
**QI 427** Jan. 19  
**QI 428** Jan. 26  
**QI 429** Feb. 2  
**QI 430** Feb. 9

## STATEN ISLAND

*Coordinator: Louise Colavito. Unless otherwise noted, all sessions will be held at the Staten Island Learning Center, 4456 Amboy Road. The registration fee for each class is \$5 and includes light refreshments. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.*

### ■ ARTS & CRAFTS

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: A. Garcia

**RI 201** Jan. 10

**RI 202** Jan. 17

**RI 203** Jan. 24

**RI 204** Jan. 31

**RI 205** Feb. 7

■ **PHOTOGRAPHY** Bring your camera and learn to see photographically. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: E. Mayer

**RI 206** Jan. 10

**RI 207** Jan. 17

**RI 208** Jan. 24

**RI 209** Jan. 31

**RI 210** Feb. 7

### ■ YESTERDAYS MEMORIES

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: D. Isoldi

### ■ RI 211 FEMALE DOO WOP HISTORY

Performances of female artists. Jan. 10

**RI 212 CRIME SHOW DRAMAS** Private detectives of early TV. Jan. 17

**RI 213 HOW THE WEST WAS WON**

Rare footage of the Lone Ranger, Wagon Train, Annie Oakley. Jan. 24

**RI 214 MYSTERY CLASSICS** Alfred Hitchcock, Outer Limits and Twilight Zone. Jan. 31

**RI 215 OL' BLUE EYES** Rare recordings of Frank Sinatra. Feb. 7

### ■ LITERATURE: SHORT STORIES AND NOVELISTS

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: A. Zuckerberg

**RI 216** Jan. 10

**RI 217** Jan. 17

**RI 218** Jan. 24

**RI 219** Jan. 31

**RI 220** Feb. 7

### ■ CANASTA/MAH JONGG

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: S. Siegel

**RI 221** Jan. 10

**RI 222** Jan. 17

**RI 223** Jan. 24

**RI 224** Jan. 31

**RI 225** Feb. 7

### ■ LINE DANCING

Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1.

Instructor: L. Kalipetes

**RI 226** Jan. 10

**RI 227** Jan. 17

**RI 228** Jan. 24

**RI 229** Jan. 31

**RI 230** Feb. 7

■ **NATIVE PLANTS OF STATEN ISLAND** Learn the diversity and beauty of our Native plants. Classes are held on Tuesdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: R. Lynch

**RI 231 SOUTH AFRICAN AUSTRALOPITHECINES** Jan. 10

**RI 232 THE ERA OF LOUIS LEA KEY** Jan. 17

■ **ENTER HOMO ERECTUS** Complete study of our ancestor. Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: L. Warner

**RI 401** Jan. 12

**RI 402** Jan. 19

**RI 403** Jan. 26

**RI 404** Feb. 2

**RI 405** Feb. 9

### ■ BEADING

Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: N. Keay

**RI 406** Jan. 12

**RI 407** Jan. 19

**RI 408** Jan. 26

**RI 409** Feb. 2

**RI 410** Feb. 9

### ■ TAI CHI

Classes are held on Thursdays from 11-1. Instructor: R. Yuen

**RI 411** Jan. 12

**RI 412** Jan. 19

**RI 413** Jan. 26

**RI 414** Feb. 2

**RI 415** Feb. 9

### ■ GEOLOGY

Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: S. Okulewicz

**RI 416 ICELANDIC VOLCANO** Feb. 2

**RI 417 JAPANESE EARTHQUAKES AND TSUNAMI** Feb. 9

### ■ DAZZLING DIVAS

Classes are held on Thursdays from 10:30-1. Instructor: F. McKinnon

**RI 418 LENA HORNE: STORMY WEATHER** Jan. 12

**RI 419 MARY MARTIN: BIRTH OF THE BLUES** Jan. 19

**RI 420 ESTHER WATERS: CABIN IN THE SKY** Jan. 26

## FLORIDA

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## SEMINARS

*All seminars are held in our conference room. Call the office to register.*

**MEDICAL RECORD KEEPING** Fourth Wednesday of each month, except where noted. 10-12. Dates: Sept. 28, Oct. 26, Nov. 23, Dec. 21.

## TDA WORKSHOPS

*Florida meetings begin at 1 p.m. Speakers: Ken Goodfriend, Rita Josephson and Florence Kassler.*

**BOCA/DELRAY: FF 810** Tuesday, Oct. 11. Temple Anshei Shalom, 7099 W. Atlantic Ave., Delray Beach.

**BROWARD: FF 820** Thursday, Oct. 13. Leonard Weisinger Community Center, 6199 Northwest 10th St., Margate.

**DADE: FF 830** Thursday, Oct. 20. Young Israel of Bal Harbour, 9592 Harding Avenue, Surfside.

**OCALA: TF 801** Tuesday, Oct. 18. Marion County Public Library, 2720 East Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala.

**ORLANDO: OF 801** Wednesday, Oct. 19. Seminole County Public Library, 215 N. Oxford Rd., Casselberry.

**WEST COAST: SF 801** Monday, Oct. 17. Laurel Oak Country Club, 2700 Gary Player Blvd., Sarasota.

**WEST PALM BEACH: FF 840** Wednesday, Oct. 12. The Classic, 6011 Common Circle, W. Palm Beach.

## BOCA/DELRAY

*Coordinator: Florence Fidell (561) 731-4695. Meets at Temple Anshei Shalom, 7099 W. Atlantic Ave., Delray Beach. (Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1 p.m.)*

**FF 811 NEWS FROM THE NORTH** Tuesday, Nov. 22. Speaker: Sandra March.

**FF 812 HEALTH UPDATE** Tuesday, Dec. 13. Speaker: Barbara Shiller.

**FI 811 ANNUAL MEETING** Tuesday, Jan. 10. Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**FI 812 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Tuesday, Feb. 14. Speaker: Sasha

Greene.

## BROWARD

*Coordinator: Rita Josephson (561) 752-8242. Meets at Leonard Weisinger Community Center, 6199 Northwest 10th St., Margate. (Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1 p.m.)*

**FF 821 NEWS FROM THE NORTH** Monday, Nov. 21. Speaker: Sandra March.

**FF822 HEALTH UPDATE** Thursday, Dec. 15. Speaker: Barbara Shiller.

**FI 821 ANNUAL MEETING** Thursday, Jan. 12. Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**FI 822 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Thursday, Feb. 16. Speaker: Sasha Greene.

## DADE

*Coordinator: Leon Brum (305) 864-4318. Meets at The Shul, 9540 Collins Ave., Surfside. (Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1 p.m.)*

**FF 831 NEWS FROM THE NORTH** Monday, Nov. 21. Speaker: Sandra March. (bus provided to Broward)

**FF 832 HEALTH UPDATE** Wednesday, Dec. 14. Speaker: Barbara Shiller.

**FI 831 ANNUAL MEETING** Wednesday, Jan. 11. Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**FI 832 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Wednesday, Feb. 15. Speaker: Sasha Greene.

## OCALA

*Coordinator: Ellen Wolfe (352) 873-0816.*

## ORLANDO

*Coordinator: Donesa Jackson (407) 359-3459.*

**OI 801 ANNUAL MEETING** Saturday, Jan. 7 at the Hilton Orlando/Altamonte Springs, 350 S. Northlake Blvd. Altamonte Springs at 10 a.m. Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**OI 802 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Saturday, Feb. 11 at the Semi-

nole County Public Library, 215 N. Oxford Rd., Casselberry at 10 a.m. Speaker: Sasha Greene.

## WEST PALM BEACH

*Coordinator: Al Guastafeste (954) 255-9161. Meets at Temple Anshei Shalom, 7099 W. Atlantic Ave., Delray Beach. (Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1 p.m.)*

**FF 841 NEWS FROM THE NORTH** Tuesday, Nov. 22. (Bus provided to Boca/Delray). Speaker: Sandra March.

**FF 842 HEALTH UPDATE** Tuesday, Dec. 13. (Bus provided to Boca/Delray). Speaker: Barbara Shiller.

**FI 841 ANNUAL MEETING** Tuesday, Jan. 10. (Bus provided to Boca/Delray). Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**FI 842 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Tuesday, Feb. 14. (Bus provided to Boca/Delray). Speaker: Sasha Greene.

## WEST COAST SECTION

*Coordinator: Paul Bradford (941) 355-7928. Meets at Laurel Oak Country Club, 2700 Gary Player Blvd., Sarasota. (Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1 p.m.)*

**SF 802 NYSUT BENEFITS** Monday, Nov. 14. Speaker: Kim Haefelin.

**SF 803 HEALTH UPDATE** Monday, Dec. 12. Speaker: Barbara Shiller.

**SI 801 ANNUAL MEETING** Monday, Jan. 9. Speakers: Tom Murphy, Gerri Herskowitz and Sandra March.

**SI 802 RETIREE SOCIAL SERVICES UPDATE** Monday, Feb. 13. Speaker: Sasha Greene.

## FLORIDA OFFICE COURSES

*Unless otherwise stated, all courses are \$5.*

### ■ MONDAY

**FF 101 CHOPIN: POET OF THE PIANO** Oct. 17, 24, 31; Nov. 7, 14, 21. 10-12. Instructor: A. Guastafeste.

**FF102 SINATRA: CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD** Nov. 28; Dec. 5, 12, 19; Jan. 9, 30. Instructor: A. Guastafeste.

**FI 101 THE BEATLES & FRIENDS** Feb.

6, 13, 27; Mar. 5, 12, 19. 10-12. Instructor: A. Guastafeste.

### ■ TUESDAY

**FF 201 CONTACT BRIDGE** Dec. 6, 13, 20; Jan. 3, 10. 9:30-11:30. J. Fasman.

**FF 202 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Dec. 6, 13, 20; Jan. 3, 10. 12-2. J. Fasman.

**FI 201 CONTACT BRIDGE** Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7, 14. 9:30-11:30. J. Fasman.

**FI 202 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Jan. 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7, 14. 12-2. J. Fasman.

**FI 203 OPERA** Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31; Feb. 7. 10-12. Instructor: M. Mintzer.

### ■ WEDNESDAY

**FF 301 OPERA** Oct. 12, 19, 26; Nov. 2, 9. 10-12. Instructor: M. Mintzer.

**FF 302 ART HISTORY** Oct. 26; Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30. 10-11:30. Instructor: A. Peartree.

**FF 303 DRAWING** Oct. 26; Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30. 12-2. Instructor: A. Peartree.

**FF 304 DRAWING** Dec. 7, 14, 21; Jan. 4, 11. 10-12. Instructor: A. Peartree.

**FF 305 ART HISTORY** Dec. 7, 14, 21; Jan. 4, 11. 12:30-2. Instructor: A. Peartree.

### ■ THURSDAY

**FF 401 INTERNATIONAL CINEMA** Oct. 6, 13, 20, 27; Nov. 3. 9:30-12:30. Instructor: M. Loman.

**FF 402 INTERNATIONAL CINEMA** Nov. 10, 17; Dec. 1, 8, 15. 9:30-12:30. Instructor: M. Loman.

**FF 403 MAH JONGG** Oct. 20, 27; Nov. 3, 10, 17. 10-12. Instructor: B. Salamon.

**FF 404 MAH JONGG** Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22; Jan. 5. 10-12. Instructor: B. Salamon.

**FI 401 INTERNATIONAL CINEMA** Jan. 19, 26; Feb. 2, 9, 16. 9:30-12:30. Instructor: M. Loman.

**FI 402 MAH JONGG** Jan. 19, 26; Feb. 2, 9, 16. 10-12. Instructor: B. Salamon.

■ **FRIDAY**

**FF 501 CANASTA** Oct. 14, 21; Nov. 4, 18; Dec. 2. 10-12. Instructor: F. Kassler.

**FF 502 HISTORY OF NEW YORK** Nov. 4, 18; Dec. 2. Instructor: D. Schoenfeld.

**FF 503 HISTORY OF NEW YORK** Dec. 9, 16, 23. Instructor: D. Schoenfeld.

**FI 501 CANASTA** Dec. 9, 16; Jan. 6, 13, 20. 10-12. Instructor: F. Kassler.

**FI 502 CANASTA** Jan. 27; Feb. 3, 10, 17; Mar. 2. 10-12. Instructor: F. Kassler.

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