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- **Intersession/Annual Meetings**
 - **New York**
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BOROUGH LEARNING CENTERS

UFT BRONX LEARNING CENTER

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

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

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50 Broadway, 2nd Floor, New York, NY 10004

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97-77 Queens Blvd., 8th 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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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.

* 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: Tuesday, February 13, 2018

Place: Bronx Learning Center,
2500 Halsey St., Bronx, NY

BROOKLYN

Code #: KA 001

Date: Tuesday, March 6, 2018

Place: UFT Headquarters
52 Broadway, 2nd Floor, New York, NY

MANHATTAN

Code #: MA 001

Date: Friday, February 9, 2018

Place: UFT Headquarters,
52 Broadway, 2nd Floor, New York, NY

QUEENS

Code #: QA 001

Date: Wednesday, February 14, 2018

Place: Forest Hills Jewish Center
106-06 Queens Blvd., Forest Hills, NY

STATEN ISLAND

Code #: RA 001

Date: Wednesday, March 7, 2018

Place: Li Greci's Staaten
697 Forest Ave., Staten Island, NY

NASSAU

Code #: NA 001

Date: Tuesday, January 9, 2018

Place: Adelphi University
Ruth S. Harley University Center
Rms. 201-203, South Ave., Garden City

SUFFOLK

Code #: UA 001

Date: Thursday, March 8, 2018

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.-1 p.m.*)

Date: Wednesday, January 10, 2018

Place: Doubletree Hotel
2117 Route 4 East, Fort Lee, NJ

SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY

Code #: JA 002

Date: Thursday, January 11, 2018

Place: Radisson Hotel
50 Gibson Place, Freehold, NJ

WESTCHESTER/ROCKLAND/PUTNAM:

Code #: WA 001

Date: Wednesday, January 31, 2018

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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BOCA/DELRAY

Code #: FI 812 (3 p.m.— 6 p.m.)

Date: Tuesday, January 23, 2018

Place: South County Civic Center
16700 Jog Road, Delray Beach

OCALA

Code #: TI 802 (10:30 a.m.— 1 p.m.)

Date: Friday, January 19, 2018

Place: Marion County Public Library
2720 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala

BROWARD

Code #: FI 822 (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)

Date: Thursday, January 25, 2018

Place: Leonard Weisinger Community Center
6199 NW 10th Street, Margate

ORLANDO

Code #: OI 802 (10 a.m.— 1 p.m.)

Date: Thursday, January 18, 2018

Place: Eastmonte Civic Center
830 Magnolia Dr., Altamonte Springs

DADE

Code #: FI 832 (1 p.m.— 3 p.m.)

Date: Wednesday, January 24, 2018

Place: Surfside Community Center
9301 Collins Avenue, Surfside

WEST PALM BEACH

Code #: FI 842 (3 p.m.— 6 p.m.)

Date: Tuesday, January 23, 2018

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).

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

Code #: SI 802

Date: Monday, January 22, 2018

Place: Laurel Oak Country Club
2700 Gary Player Blvd., Sarasota

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 - RADISSON HOTEL

From the North: Take the Garden State Pkwy to Exit 123 onto Rt. 9S. Travel approx. 15 miles, passing Freehold Racetrack and Freehold Mall. Get into the right "Exit Only" lane at Main St. traffic light. Continue ½ mile, turning right onto Gibson Pl. The hotel is on the right.

From Trenton: Take Rt. 33E to Rt. 537W/Smithburg exit. Yield right at the stop sign onto Wemrock Rd. Turn left onto Rt. 537 E. Continue ½ mile, turning left onto Gibson Pl. The hotel is on the right.

From Atlantic City & Shore Points: Take the Garden State Pkwy to Exit 98. Merge onto Rt. 138W briefly and continue on I-195W. Take Exit 28B for Rt. 9 towards Freehold for 6 miles. Follow signs for Rt. 33W, and merge onto 537W. Continue ½ mile, and then turn right onto Gibson Pl. The hotel is on the right.

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.

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).

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

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— EASTMONTE CIVIC CENTER

From I-4: Take Exit 92 to Altamonte Springs. Turn east onto SR-436 (E. Altamonte Dr). Make a right onto S. Ronald Reagan Blvd. Make a right turn onto Magnolia Dr. The Civic Center is on the left side of the road.

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.

BRONX

Coordinator: Irene Rabinowitz. 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 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.

XI 213 EXERCISE PLUS A blend of exercises designed to tone, strengthen and increase stamina and flexibility. Low impact aerobic and yoga segments are included. Bring light hand weights, bands and sticky floor mats to class. 10-12. D. Dolan.

XI 214 SHORT STORIES Read and discuss short stories from different authors and eras. 10-12. A. Pruzan.

XI 216 QUILTING There is a different theme each week: Paper Piecing; Rooching; Binding, Borders and Other Techniques; Praputo and UFO's (unfinished projects). 10-2. H. Whitaker.

XI 217 BRAIN GAMES Expand your mind and challenge your brain by playing classic word games like Scrabble, Bananagrams, Upwords and more. 12:30-2:30. D. Dolan.

BRONX

WEDNESDAYS

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

XI 312 BEGINNERS TAI CHI Introduction and practice of the basic principles of Tai Chi. Wear comfortable clothing. 10-12. Y. H. Wang.

XI 313 CANASTA Beginners receive instruction on the fundamentals of the Modern American version of this popular game. All levels. 10-12. M. Schuster.

XI 314 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.

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

XI 315 MARTIN SCORCESE: EARLY YEARS Discuss the director’s early life and works. View one full feature film. Jan. 24. 10-3.

XI 316 MARTIN SCORCESE: LATER YEARS Discuss the director’s later life and works. View one full feature film. Feb. 3. 10-3.

XI 317 PIANO FOR NOT JUST BEGINNERS — CLOSED

XI 318 MAH JONGG Supervised play for those familiar with the rules of the game. 12:30-3. M. Schuster.

BROOKLYN

Coordinator: Kathy Giannou. All sessions will be held at the **Brooklyn Learning Center, 335 Adams Street, 24th 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 10, 17, 24, 31 and February 7.

- 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. G. Fishman.
- KI 313 CHAIR YOGA: ALL LEVELS** A gentle form of yoga using a chair for support or sitting in a chair to deepen the flexibility and strengthen the body's awareness at any fitness level. 10-12. A. Beeman.
- KI 314 STRETCH & RELAX** Improve flexibility and balance with gentle exercise. Learn relaxation techniques. Bring a large towel or mat to class. 10-12. T. Pratt.
- KI 315 CHORUS** The types of music and the level of complexity are determined in the class. Music and/or parts may be taught with or without music sheets. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. J. DeRanieri.
- KI 316 QUILTING** Create beautiful works of art sewing quilts, decorative accessories and pillows. All levels. Supply list mailed prior to first class. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. D. Pryor-Holland.
- 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 BELLY DANCE & BOLLYWOOD** Enjoy sampling Belly Dance and Bollywood dance movements. All levels. 1-3. A. Beeman.

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- KI 319 BEGINNER TAI CHI** An introduction to the basic principles and movements. 1 -3. J. He.
- KI 320 THE PLEASURES OF POETRY** Discuss, read and write poems that explore love, aging, friendship and the human condition. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 1 -3. M. Glenn.
- KI 321 POLYMER CLAY: BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE** Learn to condition clay to create pendants, earrings and brooches. **\$25** includes registration and materials. 1 -3. V. Hall.

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- 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 JAZZERCISE** Stretching and dancing to Jazz, Rhythm & Blues, Cha-Cha, Swing, Salsa and Mambo. Enjoy sampling Belly and Bollywood dance movements. 10-12. K. Sanson.
- KI 412 CROCHET: BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE** Learn the basic stitches to make beautiful projects. Bring a skein of solid color worsted weight yarn, “F “ & “H” crochet hooks, measuring tape and a small yarn clipper to class. 10-12. P. Williams.

BROOKLYN

THURSDAYS (continued)

Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 11, 18, 25 and February 1, 8.

- KI 413 HOW TO TAKE DIGITAL PHOTOS & SHARE THEM ONLINE** Learn how to use your digital camera. Explore the qualities of a good photograph. Share your photos online using a computer. Bring your digital camera to class. **\$20** includes registration and supplies. 10-12. J. Griffith.
- KI 414 FRENCH FOR TRAVELERS** Practice your French in a social setting in preparation for that special trip. All levels. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-12. P. Niglio.
- KI 415 INTRODUCTION TO JEWELRY MAKING** Learn the basic techniques of making beaded jewelry: wire wrapping, bead stringing and stitching, crimping, micro-macramé and more. **\$20** includes registration and materials. 12:30-3. S. Zeisel-Friedman.
- KI 416 JAZZ JOURNEY WITH CHARLEY** Take a virtual tour through the world of Jazz in the 1930's. Learn the history, the styles, the stories and the players. 1-3. C. Gerard.
- KI 417 LINE DANCE** Enjoy the pleasure and exercise from line dancing. All levels. 1-3. N. Cangiano.
- KI 418 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 419 PAINTING WITH GEORGE** Explore and use different types of media: acrylics, pastels, oils and more. Bring a sketch pad, pencils, charcoal, eraser (pastels, watercolor & acrylic paint are optional) to class. 1-3. G. Kerasiotis.

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 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.

- CI 216 MICHELANGELO** A survey of the famous artist's sculpture, paintings and architectural designs. 10-12. D. Becker.
- CI 217 CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH: BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE** Learn Spanish similarly to the way you learned your native language naturally and intuitively. **\$13** includes registration and materials. 10-12. L. Toro.
- CI 218 REMEMBERING MARILYN MONROE** View and discuss her most noteworthy films such as *Don't Bother to Knock*; *Some Like It Hot*; *Gentlemen Prefer Blondes*; *Niagara* and *River of No Return*. 10-12:15. P. Harwood.
- CI 219 ZUMBA GOLD FITNESS** Improve stamina, balance and memory while having fun. Dance combined with fitness exercises, stretching and light weights. 12:15-2. B. Sayegh.
- CI 220 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 mailed prior to first class. 12:15-2:15. R. Baumann.
- CI 221 MIDDLE EASTERN DANCE** Learn the Egyptian Saidi and Baladi, Rumba for Veil, Turkish Tsiftetelli and Moroccan 6/8 dances. 12:30-2:30. A. Beeman.
- CI 222 MODERN & CONTEMPORARY ART** A look at photo realism, performance art, happenings, conceptual art, relational aesthetics and modern art. 12:30-2:30. D. Becker.

MANHATTAN

CI 223 WHO DONE IT? View and discuss films based on the works of Alfred Hitchcock including *Vertigo*; *Rear Window*; *Strangers on the Train* and more. 12:30-3. R. Romer.

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CI 314 INTERMEDIATE BRIDGE Instruction and free play. Bring your own cards. 9:45-11:45. E. Lee.

CI 315 FEMME FATALES IN FILM NOIR Watch with pleasure as Barbara Stanwyk, Gloria Graham, Jane Greer and Elizabeth Scott seduce their way to wealth and murder. **\$13** includes registration and materials. 9:45-12:15. W. Wyss.

CI 316 WATERCOLOR & DRAWING Learn watercolor techniques along with the fundamentals of drawing. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 9:45-12:15. M. Rogers.

CI 317 LET'S GET PHYSICAL FIT! Prepare for fun and fitness with stretching, balance and cardio that builds flexibility with dynamic, rhythmic movement. Bring 2 lb. dumbbells and a lacrosse ball to class. 10-12. J. Miglino.

CI 318 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 319 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 mailed prior to first class. **\$15** includes registration and other materials. 10-12. C. Nguyen.

MANHATTAN

- CI 320 RUBBER STAMPING** Create rubber stamped cards with unusual folds and pop-ups for Valentine's Day or any other special occasion. Bring sharp scissors, adhesive, bone folder and colored pencils to class. **\$20** includes registration and other materials. 12:15-2:15. C. Nguyen.
- CI 321 POLITICS IN FILMS** View, analyze and discuss these classic movies: *The Manchurian Candidate*; *Seven Days in May*; *The Man* and more. 12:15-2:45. C. Friedman.
- CI 322 DUPLICATE BRIDGE** Must be an experienced player. 12:15– 2:45. E. Lee.
- CI 323 APPRECIATING SKETCH COMEDY** Analyze and discuss sketch comedy videos including: *The Carol Burnett Show*; *In Living Color*; *Kids in the Hall*; *Saturday Night Live* and more. 12:30-2:30. P. Herzich.
- CI 324 LOVE YOUR APPLE IPAD & APPLE IPHONE — CLOSED**
- CI 325 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 326 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.

THURSDAYS

Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 11, 18, 25 and February 1, 8.

- 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 PAINTING WITH GEORGE** Explore and use different types of media including acrylics, pastels, oils and more. Bring a sketch pad, pencils, charcoal and eraser to class. 10-12 G. Kerasiotis.

MANHATTAN

THURSDAYS *(continued)*

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- CI 417 NYC: ITS HISTORY & CULTURE** Explore how factors such as the Dutch influence, Revolutionary War, later immigrants and our waterways helped build NYC into the “capital of the world.” 10-12 P. Laskowich.
- CI 418 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 419 ADVANCED BEADING** Must be experienced with extremely advanced beading techniques. 10-1. J. Shatz.
- CI 420 RETIREES READ BOOK CLUB** Explore and discuss the significance and style of short stories. Please read *First Confession* and *Guests of the Nation* by Frank O'Connor before first class. 10:15-12:15. C. Lambert.
- CI 421 MINDFULNESS & MEDITATION** Learn simple techniques that help you to live in the flow of life effortlessly. 12:15-2:15. D. Scott.
- CI 422 THE JOY OF COMEDY IN OPERAS** Explore and discuss different European styles of comic operas including Rossini's *L'Italian in Algeri*; Donizetti's *L'Elisir D'Amore*; J. Strauss' *Die Fledermaus* and more. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 12:15-2:45. E. Godfrey.
- CI 423 QUILTING** Create beautiful works of art including pillows, decorative accessories and sew quilts. All levels. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 12:15-2:45. D. Pryor-Holland.
- CI 424 CREATIVE WRITING** Use exercises and source materials to enhance the “creative imperative” within yourself. All levels. **\$12** includes registration and materials. 12:30-2:30. M. Glenn.
- CI 425 TAI CHI — CLOSED**

QUEENS

Coordinator: Margaret-Ann Stahl. All sessions will be held at the **Queens Learning Center, 97-77 Queens Blvd., 8th 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 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.

QI 212 PAINTING WITH CONFIDENCE Create your masterpiece following step-by-step instructions exploring color theory and brush techniques. For beginners. Supply list sent prior to first class. 10-2. R. Cooper.

QI 213 TAI CHI Introduction to basic principles and movements of this ancient Chinese exercise. Wear comfortable shoes and clothing. You may register for only **ONE** Tai Chi class. 10:15-12:15. J. He.

QI 214 CLASSIC FILMS: MATINEE IDOLS — CLOSED

QI 215 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. 11-2. M. Rogers.

QI 216 DUPLICATE BRIDGE For those experienced players who have never played duplicate bridge. 11-3. G. Hudson.

QI 217 EXERCISE & RELAXATION Release stress while becoming stronger and more flexible. 1-3. T. Pratt.

QUEENS

WEDNESDAYS

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

QI 311 ZUMBA — CLOSED

QI 312 CANASTA Introduction to the Modern American version. Work on techniques. Easy to learn, but difficult to master. You may register for only ONE Canasta class. 10-1. J. Kotkin.

QI 313 MAH JONGG Bring your own set and a current card (if you have one). 10:15-1:15. R. Biren.

QI 314 STAINED GLASS — CLOSED

QI 315 CLASSIC FILMS: MATINEE IDOLS See Bette Davis, Leslie Howard and more in classic films from the “Golden Age of Hollywood.” Film list distributed at first class. You may register for only ONE Classic Film class. 11-2. P. Levenson.

QI 316 TAI CHI MODERN INTERPRETATION Learn exercises to build strength, flexibility and coordination for improved health. Wear comfortable clothing and shoes. You may register for only ONE Tai Chi class. 1-3. K. Sullivan.

QUEENS

THURSDAYS

Unless otherwise noted, classes are held on January 11, 18, 25 and February 1, 8.

- QI 411 EVERYDAY MOVES** Aerobic fitness, muscular firming, flexibility, balance and relaxation in an energetic environment. 10-12. A. Tavaras.
- QI 412 IMPRESSIONISTIC OIL** Learn how to paint in the impressionistic style. Supply list mailed prior to first class. 10-2. B. DeCeglie.
- QI 413 MAH JONGG** Bring your own set and current card (if you have one). 10:15-12:15. L. Cohen.
- QI 414 HOW TO USE YOUR APPLE iPHONE** Do you have an Apple iPhone and want to learn how to use it more effectively? Get the most from your iPhone. Class is **NOT** for any other smartphones. 10:30-1:30. R. Cooper.
- QI 415 CANASTA** Introduction to the Modern American version. Work on techniques and skills. You may register for only **ONE** Canasta class. 1-3. L. Cohen.

STATEN ISLAND

*Coordinator: Jeanne Casanovas. All sessions will be held at the **Staten Island Learning Center, 4456 Amboy Road**. 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 9, 16, 23, 30 and February 6.

- RI 213 KNOW YOUR ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES** Explore topics, eras and E-Bay as part of a study on antiques and collectibles. **\$12** includes registration and materials. 10-1. M. Mandel.
- RI 214 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 for a supply list. **\$13** includes registration and a pattern fee. 10:30-1. N. Keay.
- RI 215 MAH JONGG PLAY LAB** For those who wish to gain more experience. 10:30-1. S. Stanley.
- RI 216 LINE DANCING: BEGINNERS** Learn the basics and enjoy this mind and body activity. Wear comfortable shoes. 10:30-1. L. Kalipetes.
- RI 217 FILMS SO BAD, THEY'RE GOOD** View and discuss guilty pleasure cult films that are over the top and become instant "classics." 10:30-1. F. Grieco.
- RI 218 KUNDALINI YOGA/MEDITATION** Kundalini yoga uses breath, movement and meditation to balance the body, increase the energy flow and quiet the mind. Bring a towel and mat to class. Wear loose clothing. All levels. 11-1. C. LaBue.
- RI 219 ZUMBA GOLD & ZUMBA GOLD TONING — CLOSED**

STATEN ISLAND

WEDNESDAYS

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

RI 313 SOUL IN THE CITY Take a musical trip to Detroit, Motown, Memphis, Stax, Philadelphia, Chicago, New York and New Jersey. 10-12. P. Orleman.

RI 314 THE ART & SPREAD OF CRO-MAGNON MAN Study of the Cro-Magnon man's art and statuettes. Emphasis on how it provides clues and insights into the Cro-Magnon society and the way of life. The spread of homo-sapiens also studied. **\$13** includes registration and materials. 10-12:30. L. Warner.

RI 315 CREATE YOUR OWN CARDS 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 will be supplied. **\$15** includes registration and materials. 10-1. B. Smith.

RI 316 YOGA/CHAIR YOGA — CLOSED

RI 317 KNITTING/CROCHETING Beginners will learn the basics to complete a project of their own. Those with experience will receive instruction to further their skills. All levels. Bring an inexpensive, light colored yarn and hooks/needles (according to yarn package) to class. 10:30-1. S. Sukhdeo.

RI 318 AEROBICS & BODY SCULPTING Variety of low impact aerobic and dance movements that work on building cardiovascular endurance. Weights sculpt and strengthen the body and stretching increases flexibility. Sneakers required. Bring a mat and small weights to class. 11-1. F. Kosowski.

RI 319 TAI CHI: BEGINNERS 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 102 SHORT STORY BOOK TALKS Must purchase *The World's Greatest Short Stories* edited by James Dover (Dover Thrift, edition 2006) for use in class. Dec. 4, 11, 18; Jan. 22, 29; Feb. 5, 12. 10-12. A. Zuckerberg.

FI 103 POPULAR PIANO MUSIC Covers the music from 1937 to 1942. Dec. 11, 18; Jan. 8, 22, 29; Feb. 5. 10-12. A. Guastafeste.

TUESDAYS

FI 205 OPERA View a different opera each week followed by a discussion. Jan. 23, 30; Feb. 6, 13, 27. 10-12. M. Minzer.

FI 206 MAH JONGG A short lesson followed by supervised play. Bring a 2017 Mah Jongg card to class. All levels. Jan. 23, 30; Feb. 6, 13, 27. 10-12. B. Salamon.

WEDNESDAYS

FI 303 DOO WOP — CLOSED

THURSDAYS

FI 402 APPLE IPAD/APPLE IPHONE Learn how to use your Apple device(s). Bring your Apple device to class. WiFi provided. Jan. 4, 18, 25; Feb. 1, 15. 10-12. B. Rosenfdorf.

FI 403 INTERNATIONAL FILMS FROM ISRAEL & IRAN — CLOSED

FRIDAYS

FI 503 MORE MUSICAL FILMS: LET THE SUN SHINE IN View a film each week followed by a discussion. Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26; Feb. 2, 9. 10-1. 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 9, 2018* and ends *Thursday, February 8, 2018, unless otherwise noted.* The intersession registration deadline is **Friday, December 8, 2017.**

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, 17th Floor
New York, NY 10004

FLORIDA INTERSESSION begins *Tuesday, January 2, 2018* and ends *Wednesday, February 28, 2018.* **FLORIDA Intersession registration deadline is Friday, December 8, 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 Intersession 2017 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.

- 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.

Retirees who are on wait lists will be notified of course openings by the Intersession Section Coordinator according to date received.

- 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.

- 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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Address: _____

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Phone Number: () - Email: _____

Spouse Name (if attending): _____

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