Spring Showcase and Membership Luncheon

Presents

Jodie Langel

Broadway Actress, Author and Renowned Teacher and Coach

Join the multi-talented Jodie Langel for a magical, musical morning! Jodie has performed on Broadway, in Broadway National Tours, regional theater and throughout Florida. Her credits include, Cats, Les Miserable, Martin Guerre, Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, Evita and numerous other productions. Miami audiences were amazed at her award-winning performance as Dinah in the critically acclaimed production of Next to Normal at the Actors’ Playhouse. Jodie co-authored the book, Making it on Broadway: Actors’ Tales of Climbing to the Top, with a forward by Jason Alexander. Jodie is a teacher at the University School at the Arts Institute at Nova University and the Rose Miniaci Education Center at the Broward Center. She is also the founder of the acclaimed educational program “Making it on Broadway”. As a soloist, Jodie performs in her own cabaret show. We are indeed fortunate to have her exclusive performance for our Brandeis members and friends!

Tuesday, January 20, 2015
Temple Judea on US1 and Granada Boulevard
Coffee & Conversation at 10:15 a.m.
The Spring Showcase 2015 program will be followed by a superb luncheon catered by Michael’s Catering.

All proceeds go to the Sustaining the Mind program at Brandeis University

NOTE: Please complete and return the reservation card inserted in this Bulletin. Your reservation and payment must be received by Tuesday, January 13, 2015.
MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The fall semester was a resounding success! The spring semester will once again prove how hard working, diligent and creative our chapter is. You are certain to find events that appeal to your varied interests.

The funds raised this year are earmarked for the “Sustaining the Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships” program. This project fosters research into brain disorders including Alzheimer’s, Parkinson’s, ALS and autism, and also establishes scholarships for students in the neurosciences.

You are encouraged to become an active participant. Our chapter is a wonderful cadre of people who work hard on our various committees, and we welcome your participation in planning and developing our activities. Board meetings and all committee meetings are open to the entire chapter.

I want to wish you and your loved ones a very happy and healthy new year.

Lois Kahn
President
South Miami-Dade Chapter

ANNUAL DUES

There are three levels of annual dues:
Annual, $60.00; Gold, $80.00; and Platinum, $125.00 payable to Brandeis National Committee on July 1 of each year.

Brandeis National Committee
IN SUPPORT OF BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY

MISSION STATEMENT

Brandeis National Committee is dedicated to providing
Philanthropic support to Brandeis University,
a distinguished liberal arts and research university
founded by the American Jewish community.
Its membership is connected to the University through fundraising
and through activities that reflect the values
on which the University was founded:
academic excellence, social justice, nonsectarianism,
and service to the community.
MAGGIE EVANS SILVERSTEIN

DOUBLE TAKE: PORTRAITS OVER TIME

Wednesday, March 4, 2015, at 11:00 a.m.
Temple Beth Am
5950 S.W. 88 Street, Pinecrest, Florida

Maggie Evans Silverstein has been a well-known Miami portrait photographer for over forty years. She is a former editor and columnist for “Tropic”, the Miami Herald’s Sunday magazine. Her photographs have appeared in national publications, in local art galleries and on the book jackets of bestselling authors.

In magnificent black and white images of children and families, Maggie chronicles the swift passage of time in her new book, Double Take: Portraits Over Time. Each of the fifty photo sets, taken years apart, is accompanied by a short, personal vignette. While presenting a stunning montage of her work, Maggie will discuss the universal themes revealed in the photographs and explore their connections to the ways in which we all live, love and find meaning in our lives.

RSVP no later than Wednesday, February 25, 2015.
Make checks payable to BNC.

Mail checks to: Sharon Rothberg
6469 Sunset Drive
Miami, FL 33143

Questions: 305-793-7754

All profits go to Sustaining the Mind at Brandeis University

Choose a category of donation:
☐ Supporter: $45 ($10 deductible)
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COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS
REWARDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU

THE LISTENER’S PROGRAM
The goal of the Listener is to join the student's world without judgment and listen carefully to what is said. The Listener's role is to help build self esteem and empower the student to develop effective problem-solving skills. To become a Listener, you are required to participate in a training session, attend monthly in-service workshops, and spend 45 minutes a week listening to a child. Be a Listener—Make a Difference in a Child’s Life.
Rene Brodsky (305) 665-5842 renebea4@gmail.com

UNITED WAY’S VOLUNTEER READER’S PROGRAM
United Way encourages all adults to read to young children and encourage a lifetime love for learning. To learn more about United Way’s Volunteer Reader Program or for tips on how to read to children, please join us at a school and read to a group of young children. ENRICH THEIR LIVES AND OPEN UP THEIR IMAGINATION WITH STORY READING.
Judy Palgon (305) 595-8363 judithep2003@yahoo.com

CELLPHONE RECYCLING
Barbara Raduns is collecting old cell phones. She delivers them to the North Kendall Police Station where they are reprogrammed to alert “911” for the use and protection of battered women.
Barbara Raduns (305) 598-9538

CONTRIBUTE TO BOOK FUND

“Books are the carriers of civilization. Without books, history is silent, literature dumb, science crippled, thought and speculation at a standstill.”
—Barbara Tuchman

Honor the important people in your life and help Brandeis purchase books and journals for its libraries.

$55  Learned Research Journal Folio for Medical Research
$35  Learned Research Journal
$18  Tribute Card—Louis Brandeis
$10  Tribute Card
$  5  Tribute Card

To make a gift contact Debbie Rosenkranz at (305) 663-1549, 5901 S.W. 97th Street, Miami, FL 33156 or schmebo@aol.com
Brandeis University has its reasons for being proud: The university boasts as its alumni three Pulitzer Prize winners, a Nobel laureate and several Emmy Award-winning actors, broadcasters and producers.

- Rod MacKinnon, a Brandeis Graduate of the Class of 1978 won the 2003 Nobel Prize in Chemistry.

- Brandeis graduates are accepted in professional schools at a rate far higher than the national average. Current acceptance rates, followed by the national average, are: medicine 75/45 percent, dental 75/45 percent, and law 99/80 percent.

- Data on the Brandeis neuroscience program consistently places it among the top university research programs in the United States.

- Brandeis is one of the nation's most global institutions, rated by U.S. News & World Report in the top 20 for percent of international students. The study abroad program has 350 destinations in 70 countries.


- The International Center for Ethics, Justice, and Public Life sponsors the world's only regular institute for judges who serve on international courts and tribunals.

- David Crane '79 and Marta Kauffman '78 were co-creators of the sitcom *Friends*.

- Loretta Devine, MFA '76, is an Emmy Award-winning actor (*Dreamgirls*, *Grey's Anatomy*).

- Tony Goldwyn '82, film director and screenwriter (*Winter's Bone, Down to the Bone*).

- Debra Messing '90 is an Emmy Award-winning actor (*Will & Grace*, *Smash, Outside Mullingar*).
The Sustaining the Mind campaign was created at the request of many of our members who asked that we focus on neurodegenerative research since Brandeis has one of the top neuroscience programs in the country. Your support and leadership are appreciated and will be critical as we help fund research to find solutions to some of society’s most challenging health care issues including Alzheimer’s, Parkinson’s, ALS and autism.

BNC has always achieved our campaign goals since the very beginning, and with your help, we will do it again with Sustaining the Mind!

- We raised $2.5 million to fund a University Librarian Chair.
- We raised special funds to put the millionth book on the shelf.
- BNC helped create a neurodegenerative disease research laboratory in the Carl J. Shapiro Science Center and a $1 Million Endowed Medical Science Journal Fund.
- BNC has contributed over $120 Million to Brandeis University.
Say the words “Jewish Comedy” and Jack Benny, Alan King, Billy Crystal and Jerry Seinfeld are just a few men who come to mind. However, from Sophie Tucker to Gilda Radner and Joan Rivers, many Jewish women also used comedy as a tool to satirize, make a point or just portray family life. Many of these women, like “Domestic Goddess” Roseanne Barr or Sara Silverman, gave performances that were more outspoken than their male counterparts. Joyce Antler, the visiting Brandeis Professor of American Jewish History, Culture and Women’s Gender Studies, will speak about these comedians and others in the University on Wheels presentation, “One Clove Away From a Pomander Ball: The Subversive Tradition of Jewish Women’s Comedy.” This should be a provocative and interesting morning.

Date: Thursday, January 8, 2015
Time: 10:30 a.m.
Place: Temple Beth Am
5950 North Kendall Drive, Miami
Fee: $15.00

Send check to:
Myra Silverstein
100 Andalusia Avenue, Apt. 410
Coral Gables, FL 33134.

Questions: 305-443-0170
CALLING ALL BOOKS!! It’s time to gather new and gently used books for our March 2015 Annual Brandeis Book Sale. Please tell your family and friends to contact us to arrange delivery/pickup.

Rene Brodsky 305-665-5842 renebee4@gmail.com
Linda Zahler 305-661-3245
Myrna Wheatman 305-595-1008 myrnaw2@aol.com

THIRD ANNUAL JEWELRY EVENT

EMPTY YOUR JEWELRY BOXES
FILL YOUR POCKETS!

During the entire month of March 2015, you may bring gold and other jewelry into Jae’s Jewelers. Bruce Hornik will pay top dollar to Brandeis members. Be sure to let him know that you are a member! In addition, he will give a percentage of his sales to Brandeis. Although not mandatory, it’s best to call ahead to make an appointment.

Date: Month of March 2015
Place: Jae’s Jewelers
238 Miracle Mile
Coral Gables, FL
Phone: 305-443-7724

If you have any questions, please call Beverly Lefcourt at (305) 596-3864 or e-mail Beverly at blefcourt@bellsouth.net.

Save the Date!
Wednesday, May 8, 2015
INSTALLATION LUNCHEON
Once again we are offering an opportunity to purchase tickets to several exciting and special performances.

A SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE MUST BE SENT WITH YOUR CHECK MADE OUT TO BNC FOR EACH SHOW PURCHASED.

BROWARD CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

MOTOWN, THE MUSICAL

It began as one man’s story and became everyone’s music. MOTOWN THE MUSICAL is the true American dream story of Motown founder Berry Gordy’s journey from featherweight boxer to the heavyweight music mogul who launched the careers of Diana Ross, Michael Jackson, Smokey Robinson and so many more. Upper Orchestra seats, rows GG to LL, for the Saturday matinee on March 7, 2015 are $70.00 per ticket. Checks must be received by February 1, 2015.

PIPPIN

From the composer of Wicked comes the story of a young man who will do anything to be extraordinary. PIPPIN is back after it thrilled audiences 40 years ago. It is a 2014 Tony Award winner for Best Musical Revival. PIPPIN tells the story of a young prince on a death-defying journey to find meaning in his existence. Will he choose a happy but simple life? Or will he risk everything for a singular flash of glory? Upper Orchestra seats, Rows HH to KK, for the Wednesday matinee on April 8, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. are $70.00 per ticket. Checks must be received by February 1, 2015.

Payment for each Broadway show is to be sent to:
Lois Kahn
90 Edgewater Drive #406
Coral Gables, FL 33133

Checks, accompanied by a self-addressed stamped envelope for each show, must be made out to BNC. Please include your name, e-mail address and home phone number with the envelope.

Questions? 305-661-7366 or loiskahn@bellsouth.net
SOUTH MIAMI-DADE CULTURAL CENTER

THE KINSEY SICKS

AMERICA'S NEXT TOP BACHELOR HOUSEWIFE
CELEBRITY HOARDER MAKEOVER STAR GONE WILD!

For over 40 years, America's Favorite Dragapella Beautyshop Quartet has served up a feast of music and comedy to audiences in over 40 states. Don't miss their latest over-the-top musical, America's Next Top Bachelor Housewife Celebrity Hoarder Makeover Star Gone Wild. The show boasts some of the group's best music—wicked parodies and objectionable originals—plus brilliant new songs about the ethics of stardom. Join us for this very original and fun show.

Date: Saturday, April 18, 2015
Time: 8:00 p.m.
Place: South Miami-Dade Cultural Center
10950 SW 211 Street, Cutler Bay
FREE PARKING

Fee: $40.00 per person
Liaison: Bev Lefcourt 305-596-3864 or blefcourt@bellsouth.net

Please send your check made payable to BNC to:
Beverly Lefcourt
8601 SW 84 Avenue
Miami, FL 33143

along with a stamped, self-addressed envelope before January 30, 2015. Include your name, e-mail address and home phone number with the envelope.
#1. LIVING AND LEAVING YOUR LEGACY

Merle F. Saferstein, author of Room 732 and formerly the Director of Educational Outreach at the Holocaust Documentation and Education Center, will explore the meaning of legacy in our lives. As featured in the Miami Herald, Ms. Saferstein will discuss questions such as what gives life meaning, what do you want to pass along, what life lessons have you learned and what do you want people to remember about you? Join us to ponder these important topics.

Date: Thursday, February 5, 2015  
Time: 10:30 a.m.  
Place: Temple Beth Am, 5950 N. Kendall Drive, Miami  
Fee: $15.00  
Liaison: Joan Wolf 305-253-9088 or wolfmomma9@gmail.com

#2 THE ART OF THE SHORT STORY

Join us for the very popular short story series. The Art of the Short Story, edited by Dana Gioia and R.S. Gwynn, presents each story followed by the author’s perspective, making the writer’s own words a good place to begin our always interesting and informative discussions. A paperback edition 2005 or 2006 is available. Limited to 28 participants.

Dates: Thursday, February 12, 2015 “A Company of Laughing Faces” by Nadine Gordimer  
Tuesday, March 17, 2015 “Cathedral” by Raymond Carver  
Thursday, April 23, 2015 “How I Met My Husband” by Alice Munro  
Time: 10:00 a.m.  
Place: Temple Beth Am Chapel, 5950 North Kendall Drive, Miami  
Fee: 3 sessions for $40.00 or $15.00 per session  
Liaison: Judie Brown 305-235-7760 or judieb35@gmail.com
#3 COMING ATTRACTIONS
We are privileged once again to have Rich Kramer, Ph.D., film expert extraordinaire, lead us through three movie sessions. Rich will help us analyze each film using a unique approach to learning. He uses cinematic enlightenment, which assists in the creation of interactive, rather than passive, spectators. This is always a very popular study group. Limited to 25.

Dates:  
- Friday, February 13, 2015.............Rob the Mob
- Friday, March 13, 2015.............The Intouchables
- Friday, April 17, 2015.............The German Doctor

Fee: Three sessions for $40.00 or $15.00 per session

Liaison: Beverly Lefcourt 305-596-3864 blefcourt@bellsouth.net

Place: Home of Rich Kramer, 8505 SW 80 Place, Miami

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

#4 THE FBI WANTS TO TALK TO YOU
Listen up members! Heading into its second century of service, the Miami Division of the FBI continues its work protecting Americans from domestic and international terrorism, espionage, cyber crime and public corruption that undermine the safety and security of the nation. Hear Jeff Green, Community Outreach Specialist, divulge emerging crime and security threats to Miami and what the FBI can do with us and for us to stay safe in Miami.

Date: Tuesday, February 17, 2015

Time: 10:30 a.m.

Place: Home of Marilyn Milstein, 7815 SW 102 Place, Miami (Kendalltown)

Fee: $15.00

Liaison: Marilyn Milstein 305-279-8838 or msmarmils@aol.com

#5 GAMES PEOPLE PLAY
One crack, two bam, three canasta and more! Join us for Game Day! Bring your games and friends and be a player. When signing up, please let us know what game you would like to play. Coming alone? Please let us know when registering, and we'll do the rest. A continental breakfast and lunch are all part of the study group fee. Limited to 40 participants.

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2015

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: Palace Suites at Kendall, 11377 SW 84 Street, Miami

Fee: $15.00

Liaison: Judy Judkowitz 305-975-7907 or judyjud218@aol.com

#6 THE SUPERACHIEVERS
The vastly disproportionate number of Jewish Nobel Prize winners in the sciences highlights the remarkable achievements of the Jewish people. Ron Gerstl's multicultural and multilingual background and experience as head of an international executive talent consulting firm inspired his recently published book The Superachievers. He
will offer his theories explaining this phenomenon, the American experience in
overcoming long-standing obstacles to achieve success in science and medicine, and the
outlook for Jewish accomplishments in the future.

Date: Thursday, February 26, 2015
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: Home of Betty Graff, 10680 SW 92 Ave., Miami
Fee: $15.00
Liaison: Fran Gross 786-238-7132 or flgmia@aol.com

#7 FUN WITH YIDDISH
Many of you will say that you first heard Yiddish at home when your parents spoke it
so you wouldn't know what they were saying. Let's get together and have some fun
with what we remember of our mamaloshen (mother tongue). Lorraine Feuer has
generously opened her home to us in addition to facilitating our fun morning.
Lorraine facilitates a "Fun with Yiddish" group at the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
(OLLI) at the University of Miami.

Date: Thursday, March 5, 2015
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: Home of Lorraine Feuer, 8721 SW 86 Court (Kendall Point), Miami
Fee: $15.00
Liaison: Beverly Lefcourt 305-596-3864 or belfcourt@bellsouth.net

#8 LIBRARIES ARE MORE THAN JUST BOOKS!
Ellen Book, the service area manager of the Pinecrest Library, will
be giving us an overview of some of the digital resources avail-
able to Miami-Dade Public Library System library card holders. We'll learn how to use
programs to download 15,000 e-books and audio books, digital music, and 225
magazine titles from computer websites. There are also databases for legal forms,
auto repair, language courses and many other subjects. The library, always an
important resource, is now indispensable. And just think, this is all free! A library card
is needed to use these services.

Date: Wednesday, March 11, 2015
Time: 10:30 a.m.
Place: Pinecrest Library, 5835 SW 111 Street, Miami
Fee: $15.00
Liaison: Judie Brown 305-235-7760 or judieb35@gmail.com

#9 A POETRY SOIRÉE - REVISITED
Barbara Davis will provide the setting for us as we celebrate all things poetic with Tere
Starr, a published poet and member of our chapter. Bring your favorite poems to
share as we explore poetry's power. We'll discuss what poetry has meant through
the ages and how it enhances our lives. A poet has a way of seeing through the layers
of the world. Through discussion and writing exercises, we will gain insight into that
world. Tere is the president of Miami's chapter of the Florida State Poets Association.
She is also the founding member of the Poets Soirée at the Pinecrest Library, a monthly meeting for poets and all who love the written word.

Date: Thursday, March 12, 2015  
Time: 10:15 a.m.  
Place: Home of Barbara Davis, 8055 SW 92 Street, Miami  
Fee: $15.00  
Liaison: Barbara Davis 305-279-0251 or barbara@davises.us

#10 YOUNGARTS AT THE FRANK GEHRY DESIGNED GALLERY
YoungArts identifies and supports the next generation of artists, and contributes to the cultural vitality of the nation by investing in the artistic development of talented young artists in the visual, literary, design and performing arts. A guided tour of the Bacardi Building includes the Southeast Alumni Art Exhibition on the YoungArts campus in the Frank Gehry designed gallery. This tour will be limited to 30 people.

Date: Wednesday, March 18, 2015  
Time: 10:30 a.m.  
Place: YoungArts Campus, 2100 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami  
Fee: $15.00  
Liaison: Gail Tescher 305-442-6493

#11 LET US BEE YOUR HONEY
Bees have long had a bad reputation, but they deserve a better buzz. According to a local beekeeper, as quoted in the Miami Herald, “bees are critical to the human food chain, and a third of the food we eat would be gone today if we did not have them to pollinate.” Rolf Nettlesheim, a master chef at The Palace in Kendall, was drawn to the nutritional benefits of honey and began beekeeping in his own backyard. Honey is now a staple in his kitchen at The Palace. Chef Rolf will demonstrate the use of honey in his Passover recipes, just in time for our holiday baking. He will also explain the art of beekeeping and other uses for honey. You won’t want to miss out on this delectable morning at the Palace Sweets.

Date: Tuesday, March 24, 2015  
Time: 10:30 a.m.  
Place: The Palace Suites Kendall, 11377 SW 84 Street, Miami  
Fee: $15.00  
Liaison: Susan Davis 305-232-0267 or susanstras@aol.com

#12 ENEMY OF THE REICH: A MOVIE
During the tumultuous times of Europe in the 1930’s, as Hitler’s Third Reich terrorized its way toward domination, a young Muslim woman living in Paris found her calling. This movie, starring Helen Mirren, is the story of Noor Inayat Khan and her experiences during World War II. Having grown up in a home that fostered faith and hope, Khan overcame her quiet nature and joined Winston Churchill’s covert operation. This is an intense look into that time period in history.
Date: Wednesday, March 25, 2015
Time: 7:30 p.m.
Fee: $15.00
Place: Temple Beth Am Auditorium, 5950 North Kendall Drive, Miami
Liaison: Joan Rosenberg Rogers 305-271-1803 or joanrogers33@gmail.com

#13 OLA MEXICO IN FT. LAUDERDALE
There’s little argument that Frida Kahlo and Diego Rivera are two of the most significant artists of the 20th century, their art and their lives firmly planted in history. More than 30 works from the Jacques and Natasha Gelman Collection in Mexico City will be combined with the Mexican art collection of the Museum of Art Ft. Lauderdale to form this wonderful exhibit. We will have a docent lead our tour, after which we are free to roam the museum and other points of interest. Lunch will be on your own.

Date: Tuesday, March 31, 2015
Time: 11:00 a.m.
Place: Museum of Art Fort Lauderdale
1 East Las Olas Boulevard, Fort Lauderdale, FL
Fee: $20.00
Liaison: Iris Salzberg 305-233-6377 or iris1956@comcast.net

#14 TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME
...and buy me some peanuts and Cracker Jacks. Join us for opening day of the Miami Marlins’ 2015 season. Seats are in the second tier near the first baseline. The festivities begin at 5:00 p.m. in the west plaza before the 7:00 p.m. opening pitch is thrown. Don’t strike out—LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE—and must be purchased by March 1st. Information regarding the parking garage will be given at a later date.

Date: Monday, April 6, 2015
Time: 5:00 p.m. for opening day festivities
7:00 p.m. for opening pitch
Place: Miami Marlins Stadium, 501 Marlins Way, Miami
Fee: $40.00 for admission
Liaison: Lois Kahn 305-661-7366 or loiskahn@bellsouth.net
Susan Price 305-596-7340 or mayziesue@gmail.com

#15 GLASS IN THE GARDEN
Art at Fairchild is back again. This time it includes a garden exhibition by renowned American artist Dale Chihuly, who previously exhibited his art at Fairchild to wide acclaim. Best known for his colorful blown glass sculptures, Chihuly will debut works that have never been seen before. His art will be placed throughout the garden exhibits, including the Palm Collection, Rainforest, and the new Wings of the Tropics exhibit. Chihuly is said to have revolutionized the studio glass movement within fine art. His work is included in more than 200 museum collections worldwide. Your visit will include a 45 minute narrated tram tour.
#16 NEAPOLITAN FLAVOR
Hop on the bus and leave the driving to us for a taste of new and Old Naples. Your trip will include door-to-door transportation, lunch at the Toast Cafe, docent-accompanied tour of the Naples Museum of Art, check-in at the Hampton Inn Bonita Springs, cheese and wine reception, dinner and show “Seven Brides for Seven Brothers” at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theater in Ft. Myers, full hot breakfast buffet, narrated tour of Naples, shopping on 5th Avenue (lunch on your own) and return to Miami. Spouses and significant others are welcome to come along. Reservations and payment must be received by March 15, 2015.

Date: Friday, April 24 - Saturday, April 25, 2015
Departure Time: 9:00 a.m.
Meeting Place: TBA
Cost: $160.00 per person (double occupancy); $25.00 single supplement.
Liaison: Fran Gross 786-238-7132 or flgmia@aol.com

#17 A VOICE FROM THE PAST
An entire country watched transfixed as a poised, beautiful African-American woman in a blue dress sat before a Senate committee of 14 white men and with a clear, unwavering voice recounted the repeated acts of sexual harassment she had endured while working with U.S. Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas. At that time Anita Hill was a law professor from Oklahoma; and she is now a senior advisor to the provost and professor of Social policy, Law and Women’s Gender and Sexuality at Brandeis. Ms. Hill was thrust upon the world stage and instantly became a celebrated, hated, venerated and divisive figure. This acclaimed documentary, Anita Hill, Speaking Truth to Power, talks about her experience in October 1991, reminding us of the societal and social mores of the time.

Date: April 28, 2015
Time: 7:30 p.m.
Place: Temple Beth Am Auditorium
5950 North Kendall Drive, Miami
Fee: $15
Liaison: Susan Price 305-596-7340 or mayzie sue@gmail.com

#18 ART GLASS BRACELET WORKSHOP
Pat Tobolowsky, glassblower, bead maker and nature photographer, will instruct us in creating our own art glass bracelets. Pat provides the materials and you bring your willing hands and love of beautiful colors to make an heirloom for the future.
teacher has a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in glassblowing from FIU. In addition
to making beads and sculpture from hot glass, she combines nature photography with
digital painting. No worries! Pat is leaving her torch in the studio. Come for the fun.

Date: Wednesday, April 29, 2015
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: Temple Bet Breira Samuel Or Olom
       Tabor Hall, 9400 SW 87 Ave., Miami
Fee: $20.00 includes materials
Liaison: Joan Wolf 305-253-9088 or wolfmomma9@gmail.com

#19 ACTORS’ PLAYHOUSE: THE BOOK CLUB PLAY

THE BOOK CLUB PLAY is a delightful new comedy about books and the people who love them. When the members of a devoted book club become the subjects of a documentary filmmaker, their intimate discussions of life and literature take on a new meaning with the camera rolling. Add in the unexpected arrival of a provocative new member and the sudden infusion of some questionable titles, and then the long-standing group dynamics take a hilarious turn. This engaging new play is sprinkled with wit, joy and novels galore. If you ever belonged to a book club or love to read, you won’t want to miss THE BOOK CLUB PLAY.

Date: Wednesday, May 20, 2015
Time: 2:00 p.m.
Place: Actors’ Playhouse at the Miracle Theatre
       280 Miracle Mile, Coral Gables
Fee: $36.00 per ticket
Liaison: Susan Price 305-596-7340 or mayziesue@gmail.com

Tickets will be distributed the afternoon of the performance.

#20 BRANDEIS BOOK CLUB 2.0

The original and long-running book club has been so successful that we had to close registration in order that all members could participate. Selections for the Spring semester will include the following: The Story Hour; The Invention of Wings, All the Light We Cannot See, We Are All Completely Beside Ourselves, The Group and We Are Not Ourselves.

#21 BRANDEIS BOOK CLUB 2.1

Our newest book club formed within the past year has also been so successful that we had to close registration in order that all members could participate. Selections for the Spring semester will include the following: All the Light We Cannot See, by Anthony Doerr; Americanah, by Chimamanda Adichie; The House Gun, by Nadine Gordimer; The Orphan Master’s Son, by Adam Johnson, and The Paris Architect, by Charles Belfoure.

Our chapter supports two book clubs, each of which is at capacity. If you wish to form a third club, please contact Iris Salzberg, 305-233-6377 or iris1956@comcast.net. If there is enough interest and a leader for the club, we can put you on the schedule.
IMPORTANT INFORMATION!!!

In order for you to understand the registration policies regarding study groups, you are encouraged to read the following:

1. Refunds will NOT be given if you cannot attend a class. However, if the class is cancelled, you may elect to receive a refund or a credit.
2. If you notify the study group liaison a minimum of two weeks prior to the study group, you will receive a credit. This credit must be used within one year of the issue date. If you cancel less than two weeks prior to the study group, you will NOT receive a credit.
3. If you cannot attend a study group, it is imperative that you notify the liaison listed for that particular study group in the bulletin. You may NOT give your place to a friend. Do NOT contact the registrar—only the liaison.
4. A non-member may attend one study group (space permitting) as a paying guest. To take additional classes, they must join the Brandeis National Committee.
5. All study groups will begin promptly at designated times.
6. All credits for study groups will be sent to you via e-mail. Make sure you open the e-mail and print it; otherwise, you will lose it.
7. You may not use your study group credit for a ticketed event.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT

Study group registration and membership are two different procedures. Separate checks must be made out for each. Please include telephone number and purpose of each check.

Checks for Study Groups are to be made out to BNC and mailed to:
Brandeis National Committee
P.O. Box 560218
Miami, FL 33156

NEW MEMBER checks are to be sent to:
Judie Brown, 7925 SW 135th Street, Miami, FL 33156

IDEAS & SUGGESTIONS ARE WELCOMED

The Study Group committee wants your ideas and suggestions. Please contact a member of the committee.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY...

In a hurricane or other community-wide disaster, the policy of the South Miami-Dade chapter of BNC will be to reschedule activities and study groups when the public schools have canceled classes (BNC activities will not be held and will be rescheduled).

Thank you...

For your continued support of our outstanding Study Groups.
Your support is vital to the success of our chapter.
TO HELP ME REMEMBER

I SIGNED UP FOR THESE STUDY GROUPS

☐ 1. Living and Leaving Your Legacy, 2/5/15
☐ 2. The Art of the Short Story, 2/12/15; 3/17/15; 4/23/15
☐ 4. The FBI Wants to Talk to You, 2/17/15
☐ 5. Games People Play, 2/24/15
☐ 6. The Superachievers, 2/26/15
☐ 7. Fun With Yiddish, 3/5/15
☐ 8. Libraries are More than Just Books!, 3/11/15
☐ 9. A Poetry Soirée-Revisited, 3/12/15
☐ 10. YoungArts at the Frank Gehry Designed Gallery, 3/18/15
☐ 11. Let Us Bee Your Honey, 3/24/15
☐ 13. Ola Mexico in Ft. Lauderdale, 3/31/15
☐ 14. Take Me Out to the Ballgame, 4/6/15
☐ 15. Glass in the Garden, 4/13/15
☐ 17. A Voice from the Past, 4/28/15
☐ 18. Art Glass Bracelet Workshop, 4/29/15
☐ 19. Actors’ Playhouse: The Book Club Play, 5/20/15
☐ 20. Brandeis Book Club-Original 2.0
☐ 21. Brandeis Book Club-Second Group 2.1
### STUDY GROUP REGISTRATION FORM
#### SPRING 2014

| 1. | $15.00                  |
| 2. | $40 for three sessions or $15.00 per session |
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|12. | $15.00 (Evening Event) |
|13. | $20.00                  |
|14. | $40.00 (Evening Event)  |
|15. | $25.00 (No Lunch)       |
|16. | $160.00 per person double occupancy; $25.00 single supplement |
|17. | $15.00                  |
|18. | $20.00 (includes materials) |
|19. | $36.00 (per ticket)     |
|20. | $120 for entire year    |
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Please Note: These are non-refundable unless class is cancelled.

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2003-2004  Edith Einspruch, Leslie Genauer, Marianna Green
& Shelley Hornik
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