MARK YOUR CALENDAR

*Thursday, December 1, 2016
WOMEN OF DISTINCTION at Kol Ami

*Sunday, January 8, 2017
UNIVERSITY ON WHEELS in Sarasota

*Thursday, February 2, 2017
OPEN BOARD MEETING
Guest Speaker Golda Brunhild

*Tuesday, March 21, 2017
BOOK AND AUTHOR
Guest Author Karen Lynch
From the President...

This year’s theme for programming is innovation. Our ongoing Study Groups generate thought provoking discussions while our Special Events provide new experiences. For our first Special Event, we were thrilled to welcome 2008 Brandeis graduate Michal Waldman, who is now a podiatrist in Tampa. In her interesting presentation she gave us practical suggestions to maintain foot health.

We are planning another Open Board Meeting in February when our own Golda Brunhild, a prolific author, will share her writing talent by discussing her many books.

We are looking forward to our annual Book and Author Event. Adele McCollum has engaged a publisher and author of a children’s series. For the first time, we will follow the process of creating a book from conception through publication to arranging sales.

Our holiday event will also be a first time experience as Annice Burak, our “Woman of Distinction” this year, has invited us to her home to create a holiday craft. Releasing (or finding) our artistic expression is a perfect way to celebrate.

Our trip to Sarasota for University on Wheels was so successful last year that we will again join our BNC colleagues for “Music of Hollywood Movies: Focus on Aaron Copland”. I eagerly anticipate seeing you all at this exciting event and all the innovative programming to come this year.

Jill Hekkanen

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, non-sectarianism and service to the community.
TAMPA JEWISH FEDERATION

invites you to celebrate and honor the dedicated women of our community organizations at

The 2016 Women of Distinction Program

Tampa Bay Chapter honors
Annice Burak
A Past President of our Chapter

Thursday, December 1, 2016
Seven o’clock in the evening
Followed by a dessert reception
at
Congregation Kol Ami
Moran Road

RSVP to Loni Lindsey
at 813-769-2802
BOOK FUND

LIGHT OF REASON
Gloria Barr and Stanley Bush Speedy Recovery
Margery, Boris Stern
Terrill, Al Hameroff Golda Brunhild 8 Over 80
Terrill, Al Hameroff Rina, Manny Donchin 8 Over 80
Adele McCollum Rabbi Jason Rosenberg InFather’sMemory
Adele McCollum Joanne Duran In Husband’s Memory

LEARNED RESEARCH JOURNAL
Shirley Balter Annice Burak
Gloria Barr
Sheila, Stanley Bush
Lori, Sig Brody
Renee, Jules Deutsch Woman of Distinction
Rhoda Givarz
Terrill, Al Hameroff
Charlotte Heitlinger
Jill Hekkanen
Bobbie, David Rivkin
Margery, Boris Stern

$5 Brandeis Blue Card
$10 Light of Reason Card
$18 Louis Brandeis Card
$25 Sustaining the Mind Card
$35 Learned Research Journal
$55 Learned Research Journal Folio for Medical Research

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LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

LITERATI
Date: Thursday, December 15
Time: 10:00 AM
Place: JCC
Book: “Tess of the D’Urbervilles”, Thomas Hardy
Contact: Lori Brody
885-9558

ETHICAL PUZZLERS
Date: Tuesday, December 6
Time: 10:00 AM
Place: Aston Gardens
Contact: Jill Hekkanen
961-2061

HOLIDAY CRAFT SESSION
Date: Wednesday, December 7
Time: 10:00 AM
Place: Annice Burak’s home
Contact: 961-2246

Let’s get together for a Holiday Craft Session at Annice Burak’s. Her address is 14029 Wolcott Drive and the session begins around 10 AM on December 7th. Annice will have all the supplies, offer creative suggestions and treat the attendees with a Light Brunch.

Sounds like a lot of fun and the products will turn out to be great. RSVP to her at 961-2246. See You There!!

This Bulletin is produced eleven months of the year to keep members abreast of Tampa Bay Chapter activities. The Editor, Terrill Hameroff (908-0702) will happily accept any information you have to offer.
Ronald Liebowitz is now the ninth president of Brandeis University as of his inauguration on November 3, 2016.

Liebowitz succeeds Lisa Lynch who has served as Brandeis’ interim president since July 2015. At the end of June, she returned to her previous role as provost and chief academic officer.

“I am deeply honored to have this opportunity to lead Brandeis, said Liebowitz after the Board of Trustees voted to appoint him to the presidency. “The university’s founding, based on the premise of offering an education to those who had been excluded from the finest universities, is inspiring. Its commitment to social justice, as espoused by its namesake, represents a precious compass for an institution of higher education in the 21st century. And its Jewish heritage and roots reflect a learning environment committed not only to critical thinking but to self-criticism as well.”

Liebowitz was on sabbatical this past academic year, working on a research project with his wife, Jessica. Their research focuses on the future of doctoral education, assessing both its far-reaching impact on education at all levels and its illumination of the deepest challenges facing higher education today.
Shirley & Bill Balter
Gloria Barr
Lori & Sig Brody
Shirley & Herman Brownstein
Golda Brunhild
Annice Burak
Sheila & Stanley Bush
Bunny Deems
Renee & Jules Deutsch
Rina & Manny Donchin
Vera Ellmann
Dr. Madeline Foust
Roz Gordon
Maxine Gourse
Judy & Marty Greengrass
Terrill & Al Hameroff
Abbie Harsh
Charlotte Heitlinger
Jill Hekkanen
Lili & Barry Kaufman
Shirley Lewenthal
Joanne Luciani
Dr. Adele McCollum
Ruth Rogg
Racquel Salka
Margie & Boris Stern
Dr. Judith Szentivanyi
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