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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

“Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have welcomed angels without knowing it.”

To my Brandeis friends and members:

When our lovable friend and devoted member Eve Weinstein passed away on September 3rd, Naomi Fischer shared this anecdote about the first time she came to a Sampler and walked into a room with sixty strangers. A lovely woman approached and said, “Hi, my name is Eve. Welcome to Brandeis.” That encouraged Naomi to join and become a Board member as publicity chairperson. Eve understood the words of the Torah, “It is not good for people to be alone. I will make a fitting helper for them.”

How important it is for us to welcome new members; to invite them to upcoming events; to offer a ride when necessary; to gather a group for a movie and perhaps dinner afterwards; to attend a concert together. Reach out to new members, connect with them. Invite them to play Mah Jongg, Bridge or Canasta with your group. Sit with them at a luncheon.

Marie Liporace, Vice President for Membership, successfully held a “Come Together” afternoon for new members who got to know each other – especially those who live nearby. We have also introduced a Buddy program so that Board members can reach out to new members.

When I saw the Mister Rogers documentary, I couldn’t help but smile, for these words are my philosophy:

“Let’s make the most of this wonderful day
Since we’re together we might as well say
Would you be mine? Could you be mine?
Please won’t you be my neighbor!”

I encourage all to reach out to each other.

Wishing all my new and old friends a joyous New Year and a delightful Spring filled with wondrous Brandeis adventures, I remain

Most sincerely yours,

Ileen Gottesfeld
President
MEMBERSHIP

We welcome the following new members:

Cherie Aviv          Susan Gugick          Dana Liebman
Harriet Bonfeld      Sharyn Hoffman       Carol Ries
Regina Bryce         Nancy Kaufmann        Sara Shroot
Joanna Cohlan        Sue Lesnick

Invite the men in your life to join our chapter and share in the male comradery of the MOB – MEN of BRANDEIS - a new program for men. Couples membership is discounted at $100 for two.

MAKE YOUR MEMBERSHIP MEANINGFUL

- ADD A LITTLE EXCITEMENT AND INTEREST TO YOUR DAILY LIFE
- INCREASE YOUR CIRCLE OF FRIENDS
- ATTEND INFORMATIVE LECTURES
- PARTICIPATE IN INTERESTING TRIPS
- SHARE WONDERFUL LUNCHEONS

ALL WHILE FUNDING NEUROLOGICAL RESEARCH, AWARDING SCHOLARSHIPS TO PROMISING BRANDEIS SCHOLARS, AND HELPING TO MAINTAIN THE BRANDEIS LIBRARIES

BECOME ACTIVE IN BRANDEIS!

Please mail this form and your $60 or $100 membership check payable to BNC to:
Marie Liporace    720 Tuckahoe Road Apt. 1N, Yonkers, NY 10710    Tel: 914-361-1328

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NEW MEMBER APPLICATION – New Members ONLY

Last Name_______________________________   First Name________________________________
Address____________________________________ City____________________ State___________
Zip Code_____________ Telephone_____________________  Best time to call_________________
E-mail Address______________________ Spouse’s Name________________________________
Alternative Address (Indicate Dates)   _________________________________________
How did you hear about us?  __________________________________________________________

Please check the areas in which you are interested in participating:

Programs    Publicity    Internet/Computer
Fundraising Projects    Photography    Bookkeeping
Membership Team    Newsletters    Mailing
Special Events    Bulletin    Hospitality

Do you have special abilities/talents you would like to share with us?

_________________________________________________________________________

In what capacity have you served in other organizations?
_________________________________________________________________________
CENTRAL WESTCHESTER CHAPTER

SPRING SAMPLER
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
FRIDAY APRIL 12, 2019 9:30 AM

LOCATION: Scarsdale Synagogue Temples Tremont & Emanu-El
2 Ogden Road
Scarsdale, NY
914-725-5175

TOPIC: WOMEN AND HEART DISEASE

GUEST SPEAKER: DR. AMANDA GANEM
We continue our series on women’s health issues with Dr. Amanda Ganem, who is a Board Certified Cardiologist with the Westmed Medical Group. (She is the daughter of BNC member, Melie Ganem.) Her special interest is cardiovascular disease in women, as well as non-invasive imaging. She was born and raised in Westchester, and graduated cum laude from the University of Pennsylvania. She received her medical degree from New York Medical College in Valhalla, and did her Internship and Residency at L.I. Jewish Medical Center. She completed a Cardiology Fellowship at North Shore University Hospital where she served as Chief Fellow within the Fellowship program. She has received research awards, written textbook chapters and presented publications at national conferences.

SPRING CALENDAR
STUDY GROUP REGISTRATION
NEW MEMBER ENROLLMENT
SIGN UP FOR SPECIAL EVENTS

GUESTS WELCOME
BRING A FRIEND

Information: Carol Gross, Chair
Tel: 914-723-5165

Carpooling suggested
ATTENTION ALL
BALLET AFFICIANADOS

Our chapter is planning to once again attend a performance of the American Ballet Theater at Lincoln Center. We will see *Le Corsaire*, (the Pirate) which follows the escapades of a dashing pirate who journeys across the high seas to save a beautiful harem girl. While you may not know the ballet, many of its excerpts are very familiar.

Before the performance, join us for lunch, at your own expense, at *P.J. Clarke’s* (across the street from Lincoln Center).

FEE: $65.00 per ticket - Dress Circle ($10.00 is a Charitable Contribution)

DATE: Wednesday, June 12, 2019

TIME: Lunch 11:30 AM (*P.J. Clarke’s – 44 West 63rd Street*)
Performance at 2:00 PM

PLACE: Metropolitan Opera at Lincoln Center
7 Lincoln Center Plaza (Broadway and 63rd St. NYC)

INFORMATION: Carol Gross
Tele: 914-723-5165  Cell: 914-433-3091

Reservations must be PAID by MARCH 15, 2019

Please detach and mail with your check for $65.00 per ticket payable to BNC to:
Carol Gross, 3 Vista Lane, Scarsdale, NY 10583

NAME:_________________________ADDRESS:_________________________
TEL:___________________CELL:________________EMAIL:___________________

_____# of TICKETS @ $65.00 TOTAL AMT. ENCLOSED $_____

_____I will ___I will not join the group for Lunch

*Proceeds to Benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign*
Greetings to all BNC cinephiles and enthusiasts! Do you love watching films and want a group with which to talk about them? Our Film Club will continue this Spring, and we are anxious to expand our membership.

The film club requires participants to view a current film in theaters at their own convenience and then meet in the Leader’s home for some in-depth discussion. We will inform you, in advance, of the film to be discussed.

We talk about the theme, the plot, the director and those memorable characters. What did you like about this film? Would you recommend this film to others?

Film is the universal language that draws us into the human condition and, let’s face it, we love that emotional impact we get when we see a great film. It’s writers and stars like Woody Allen, Meryl Streep, James Cameron, Helen Mirren and Quentin Tarantino that make watching films magical, mesmerizing and beautiful.

We have scheduled meetings for the morning, where we have our discussions over a lovely continental breakfast. We have had very interesting and dynamic exchanges and lively discussions. The more people who participate, the better the discussions. Come join us!

FEE: $12 - one session  ($30 - three sessions) (The full amount is a charitable donation)

DATES: Thursday, April 25, Wednesday, May 15, and Tuesday, June 11, 2019

TIME: 10:00 AM until Noon

PLACE: Home of Eileen W. Cohen  19 Stratton Rd. Scarsdale, NY

FACILITATORS: Eileen Cohen and Marlene Weinstein

INFORMATION: Eileen Cohen
Tel: 914-725-1680  Cell: 914-843-6655

Please detach & mail with your check payable to BNC to: Eileen Cohen, 19 Stratton Rd., Scarsdale, NY 10583

NAME:________________________________________________________________________ ADDRESS:______________________________________________________________

TEL:__________________  E-MAIL:______________________  AMOUNT ENCL: $______

Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
THE SYMPHONY OF WESTCHESTER

Join us for an all-Mozart program performed by the Symphony of Westchester at Iona College.

Award-winning pianist, Alon Goldstein, will be the featured soloist in Mozart’s Piano Concerto no. 17 in G Major. Critics have called Alon one of the most original and sensitive artists of his generation, known for his musical intelligence and dynamic personality.

Other featured works are Eine Kleine Nachtmusik (Serenade, K.525) and the Symphony no. 29 in A Major.

This is an opportunity to hear great classical music by a great composer without travelling very far from home. Plan to meet for dinner with Brandeis friends before the concert and share a memorable evening.

FEE: $35.00 ($10.00 is a Charitable Contribution)
DATE: Saturday, April 27, 2019
TIME: 8:00 PM
PLACE: Iona College
Christopher J. Murphy Auditorium
New Rochelle, NY

INFORMATION: Melie Ganem
Tel: 914-723-7668 Email: meliemax@aol.com

Please detach and mail with your check payable to BNC, AFTER APRIL 1st, to:
Melie Ganem, 7 Platt Place, White Plains, NY 10605
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NAME:________________________ ADDRESS:_________________________
TEL:_______________ # OF TICKETS____ AMT. ENCLOSED $_____

Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
Our “Let’s Do Lunch” program is planning something different this Spring. Instead of merely having lunch, we will also see a show.

We have reserved a group of tickets for a matinee performance of *On Your Feet*, the Gloria Estefan musical, at the Westchester Broadway Theater in Elmsford. A delicious three course lunch will be served at your seat before the performance.

*On Your Feet* was nominated for several Broadway awards including a Tony Award nomination for Best Choreography. It is a lively and engaging musical based on the lives and music of the Grammy Award winning husband and wife team of Gloria and Emilio Estefan.

We are limited to 20 tickets which must be paid by April 10th. Please join us for what promises to be a wonderful afternoon, close to home.

**FEE:** $65 per ticket – includes Lunch  ($10 is a charitable contribution)

**MUST BE PAID BY APRIL 10, 2019**

**DATE:** Wednesday, June 5, 2019

**TIME:** 11:00 AM (Performance at 2:00 PM)

**PLACE:** Westchester Broadway Theater
1 Broadway Plaza
Elmsford, NY 10523
(There is ample on-site parking)

**INFORMATION:** Lois Morgenstern  Diane Levy
Tel: 914-235-7022  Tel: 914-967-7749
E-mail: lsm3636@verizon.net  E-mail: dianel113@aol.com
Cell: 914-924-0631

*Please detach and mail by April 10th with your check payable to BNC, to:*
Lois Morgenstern, 36 Chatham Road, New Rochelle, NY10804

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**NAME:** _____________________  **ADDRESS:** _____________________  **TEL:** _____________________

**CELL:** ___________  **E-MAIL:** ___________  **# of TICKETS:** ___________  **AMT. ENC. $___________**

Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
Abigail Kirsch at Tappan Hill
81 Highland Avenue
Tarrytown, NY

Silent Auction      Table favor
Guests Welcome

GUEST SPEAKER:
JUDGE
FREDERICK BLOCK

Frederick Block is the distinguished Federal Court Judge for the Eastern District. After practicing law for 34 years, he was appointed to this esteemed position by President Bill Clinton. During his career he dealt with cases, such as Kitty Genovese, Peter Gotti and the Crown Heights Riots, which captivated the nation.

In addition to achieving success in the area of law, Judge Block has demonstrated his creativity by writing the music and lyrics for his Off-Broadway show, Professionally Speaking. He has written many Country music songs as well. He is the author of two books, Disrobed, a memoir, and Race to Judgement, a novel.

We look forward to hearing Judge Block’s perspectives on many of today’s legal issues, and his behind-the-scenes look at many pivotal court cases.
The proceeds of this year’s Luncheon will benefit:

*Magnify the Mind*

a Brandeis University Fund-Raising Campaign to enable the purchase of a high speed two-photon electron microscope, which permits scientists to see brain activity in real time. This microscope will be an invaluable tool for scientists at Brandeis who are conducting cutting-edge research into the causes and treatment of neuro-degenerative diseases such as Alzheimer’s, Parkinson’s, Multiple Sclerosis and Autism.

Your support will help in this worthy cause.

*Please become a Supporter by making a donation:*

- **Angel**  
  more than $200.00
- **Benefactor**  
  $200.00
- **Sponsor**  
  $150.00
- **Donor**  
  $100.00
- **Friend**  
  Any Amount

*Contributors of $150.00 or more will be our Guests for Lunch*

Your contribution at any level is greatly appreciated.

*Donations received by March 1, 2019 will be listed on the Luncheon Invitation.*

**FEE:**  
$95.00 (Lunch)  
(Any amount above $75.00 is a charitable contribution)

SEND DONATION CHECK  
PAYABLE TO BNC TO:  
Joan Richman  
3801 Hudson River Terrace  
Apt. 1C  
Bronx, NY 10463

**INFORMATION:**  
Joan Richman  
718-549-7724

Robin Rosen  
347-784-4414

**INVITATION TO FOLLOW**
LUNCHEON CARDS AND GAMES

PLAY GAMES WITH FRIENDS AND HAVE LUNCH, TOO

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2019  12 NOON

MAH JONGG  CANASTA  SCRABBLE  BRIDGE

Bonnie Briar Country Club
808 Weaver Street
Larchmont, New York

Enjoy a delicious lunch followed by desserts, drinks and snacks as you play Mah Jongg, Bridge, Canasta or Scrabble with your own group or with one we will arrange for you. Spend a lovely afternoon at the Country Club.

GUESTS WELCOME

FEE: $48.00  ($10.00 is a Charitable Contribution)

INFORMATION: Gloria Staple
Tel: 914-632-6189

RSVP BY: June 12, 2019

Please detach and mail with your check for $48.00 payable to BNC to:
Gloria Staple  730 Pelham Road Apt.3C, New Rochelle, NY 10805

NAME:______________________ TEL:_______________ EMAIL:__________

AMT. ENC $__________ I will be playing with_______________________________

I wish to be included in a game of______________________________

Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
JOIN US AS WE SPEND A LOVELY DAY IN THE AREA OF LITCHFIELD, CONNECTICUT.

WE WILL START WITH A DOCENT-LED TOUR OF THE BELLAMY - FERRIDAY HOUSE AND GARDENS IN BETHLEHEM, CONNECTICUT. THIS HOUSE WAS FIRST BUILT IN 1754 AND THEN RENOVATED AND RESTORED IN 1912 BY HENRY FERRIDAY. WHEN HENRY DIED, CAROLINE FERRIDAY, A YOUNG NEW YORK SOCIALITE, AND HER MOTHER, INHERITED THE PROPERTY, AND IT WAS HERE THAT CAROLINE BROUGHT "THE LILAC GIRLS," SURVIVORS OF NAZI EXPERIMENTS, TO RECUPERATE FROM THEIR INJURIES. (THEIR NAME COMES FROM THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS GROWING IN THE GARDENS AT THE HOME.) TO LEARN OF THEIR REMARKABLE STORY, WE SUGGEST YOU READ THE NOVEL, THE LILAC GIRLS, BY MARTHA HALL KELLY, BEFORE THE TOUR, AND ATTEND THE DISCUSSION IN ILEEN GOTTESFELD’S BOOK GROUP ON MAY 13TH. BUT EVEN IF YOU HAVE NOT READ THE BOOK, THE PROPERTY IS WORTH THE VISIT.

FOLLOWING OUR TOUR, WE WILL HAVE A DELICIOUS THREE-COURSE LUNCH AT CURTIS HOUSE, AN OLD INN IN THE NEARBY VILLAGE OF WOODBURY, CONNECTICUT.

FEE: $110 ALL INCLUSIVE (LUXURY BUS, GOURMET LUNCH, ADMISSION, GUIDED TOUR AND GRATUITIES) ($20 IS TAX-DEDUCTIBLE)

DATE: TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 2019

TIME: BUS WILL LEAVE AT 9:00 A.M. PROMPTLY

MEET: GREENVILLE SHOPPING CENTER (PARK CARS BEHIND STAPLES)
CENTRAL PARK AVENUE AT ARDSLEY ROAD, SCARSDALE, NY

INFO: HARriet FINKELSTEIN TEL: 914-686-9652 CELL: 914-980-6417

Please detach & mail with your check payable to BNC to:
Harriet Finkelstein, 50 E. Hartsdale Ave. Apt. 5M, Hartsdale, NY 10530

NAME: __________________________________________ ADDRESS: __________________________________________

TEL: ________________ CELL: ________________ AMOUNT ENCLOSED: __________

LUNCH: ___STEAK  ___TURKEY  ___SALMON

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Once again, our BNC Chapter will enjoy the special opportunity of having a member of the Brandeis staff come to our community to lecture and inform us on a topic in his field of expertise. This Spring, we are pleased to welcome Rajesh Sampath, Associate Professor of the Philosophy of Justice Rights and Social Change.

**TOPIC:** OVERCOMING ANTI-SEMITISM IN A DIVERSE 21ST CENTURY AMERICA

After the unfathomable tragedy in Pittsburgh, it is important to reflect upon the historical, theological and philosophical roots of anti-Semitism in the west, and to offer new perspectives for hope and perseverance.

Professor Sampath will lead us in a discussion to explore the multi-faceted and multi-dimensional nature of anti-Semitism in American society in recent years. By contrasting with its long history, he will argue that anti-Semitism has manifested in new ways in an increasingly racially and ethnically diverse America.

**SPEAKER:** PROFESSOR RAJ SAMPATH

Raj Sampath is Associate Professor of the Philosophy of Justice Rights and Social Change, and Associate Director of Graduate Programs in Sustainable International Development at the Heller School for Social Policy and Management. He received his B.A. from the University of California, Berkley, and his Ph.D. from the University of California, Irvine.

He teaches courses such as: “Democracy and Development,” “Comparative Approaches to Global Injustice and Social Inequality” and “Ethics, Rights and Development.”

He is the recipient of the 2016 Heller School Teaching Award.

**FEE:** $15.00 (Payable to BNC) (Use registration form on back cover)

**DATE:** Wednesday, May 29, 2019

**TIME:** 1:00 PM

**PLACE:** Kol Ami Synagogue - Chapel in the Woods
252 Soundview Avenue, White Plains, NY

**INFO:** Evelyn Partalis 914-923-3148

Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES / STUDY GROUPS

GENERAL INFORMATION

1) Learning Opportunities and Museum Trips are open to PAID UP MEMBERS ONLY. While participation in fund-raising events is open to guests, MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED for attendance at Learning Opportunity events and Museum Trips.

However, in an effort to expose more people to Learning Opportunities, you may, just once, bring and pay for a guest, who we hope will eventually join the BNC. (This includes spouses.)

Please use the New Membership Form provided if you wish to join. Please note, we are encouraging men to become involved in our chapter. We offer Couples Membership for $100, which means a spouse can now join for an additional $40.

Please be sure to register for study groups in advance, so that we know the number of participants expected and can notify you of any change in time or venue.

2) Mail Registration Form (on back cover of bulletin) or a copy thereof, along with your check payable to BNC, to:

Carol Gross
3 Vista Lane
Scarsdale, NY 10583
914-723-5165                                Please fill out form completely and clearly.

3) Study Group payments are considered DONATIONS and WILL NOT BE REFUNDED. However, if a session is cancelled, you will receive a credit which may be applied to a future session you wish to attend.

If you are unable to attend a session for which you have paid, you may send someone in your place, or you may request a credit for a future session.

4) Please Note:

A) With the wide variety of sessions offered, it is sometimes impossible to avoid date conflicts.

B) Please keep the Bulletin as your reference for dates and locations, since no other information will be sent.

C) Please pay strict attention to the starting hour of each session, since starting times may vary.

D) Many courses have limited enrollment and will be filled on a first-come first-served basis. REGISTER EARLY!

5) Please be on time for museum trips. A docent is hired for a specific time period and cannot stay later. All tours will start promptly.

6) If you know of someone who might be interested in joining the Brandeis National Committee, please send the name, address and phone number to our Membership Chairperson: Marie Liporace 720 Tuckahoe Rd., Apt. 1N, Yonkers, NY 10710

   Tel: 914-361-1328

   PLEASE CALL IN ADVANCE IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND A SESSION FOR WHICH YOU HAVE REGISTERED
1. The Color of the Moon: Lunar Painting in American Art at the Hudson River Museum
Leader: Museum Docent
The Hudson River Museum presents a stunning exhibit devoted to the allure of the moon. It features American painters, showing 50 works of art from 1820-1960. Included artists are Norman Rockwell, George Inness, Albert Bierstadt and Jamie Wyeth. Come and enjoy the moon in all its glory!

Fee: $20.00
Date: Thursday, May 9, 2019
Time: 10:45 AM
Meet: Hudson River Museum, 511 Warburton Ave., Yonkers, NY
Information: Barbara Kaufmann 914-472-4096

2. The Silk Road: Caravans of Commerce and Culture at the Bruce Museum
Leader: Museum Docent
This unique exhibit celebrates the achievements of Chinese artists of the Han and Tang dynasties, whose culture was advanced by Silk Road merchants. Featured is an extraordinary collection of Chinese tomb art, objects and antiquities. Exquisite and exotic - you will enjoy this wonderful exhibit. And don’t miss the work of the fabulous modern painter Milton Avery, also on view at the Bruce.

Fee: $20.00
Date: Thursday, May 16, 2019
Time: 10:45 AM
Meet: Bruce Museum, Museum Drive, Greenwich, CT
Information: Barbara Kaufmann 914-472-4096 Marlene Weinstein 914-470-1096

3. Madison Square Old and New
Leader: Art Historian, Sylvia Laudien-Meo
Historic Madison Square is the sparkling centerpiece of one of Manhattan’s trendiest neighborhoods. Explore this indoor/outdoor museum of civic sculpture and buildings. Included are such masterpieces as the Met-Life Building, the Appellate Court House and the Flatiron Building.

Fee: $30.00
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2019
Time: 10:45 AM promptly
Meet: Outside Flatiron Building – Broadway at 23rd Street, NYC
Information: Nancy Kaufmann 917-567-6021
4) *Jerome Kern: He Keeps on Rolling Along*

Leader: Lulu Gmoser - Active lecturer on the subject of Broadway musicals and winner of the Cab Calloway Lifetime Achievement Award, as well as mentor for the ensemble "Three for the Show"

Ms. Gmoser will highlight *Show Boat* and will feature songs from other Kern shows and films including *All the Things You Are, Smoke Gets in Your Eyes* and *The Way You Look Tonight*.

Fee: $12  
Date: Wednesday, April 24, 2019  
Time: 1:00 PM  
Location: Will Library Projection Room - Mezzanine  
1500 Central Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY  
Information: Vivian Sheff  337-1439

5) *South Africa: The View from Her, from There*

Leader: Gillian Lynn Katz, B.S. in Communications, M.A. in Literature, M.A. in Writing, Author of *Witness to the Birth and Death of My Country*

Fair-skinned, blue eyed and Jewish, Gillian Katz does not look like most people's idea of an African American, but that that is exactly what she is. Through her collection of autobiographical poetry, fiction and essays, we will listen to her story as she grapples with the loss of her homeland, and the indignity of the system that has given her a sense of shame which she carries with her. She uses her experiences to describe aspects of life for blacks and whites in both America and South Africa.

Fee: $12  
Date: Monday, April 29, 2019  
Time: 1:00 PM  
Location: Congregation Kol Ami, Chapel in the Woods  
252 Soundview Avenue, White Plains, NY  
Information: Ruth Goldberg  949-6542
6) **Irving Berlin:**

*The Greatest Composer and Song Writer of Our Time*

Leader: Marty Schneit, Historian, Licensed New York City Tour Guide and noted Lecturer

Irving Berlin was an American composer and lyricist, widely considered one of the greatest songwriters in American history. His music forms a large part of the Great American Songbook. With humor, video and song (yes, will get a chance to sing), Marty will take us through the story of Berlin’s life as an immigrant from Russia at the age of five, to the wonderful gifts of music he was able to give America, the country that he so loved.

**Fee:** $12  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 30, 2019  
**Time:** 1:00 PM  
**Location:** Congregation Kol Ami, Chapel in the Woods  
252 Soundview Avenue, White Plains, NY  
**Information:** Ruth Goldberg, 949-6542

7) **Rosalind Franklin and the Discovery of DNA**

Leader: Diane Steinfink, Board member of the Westchester Jewish Humanists, member of the New Rochelle Council of the Arts

The discovery of the structure of DNA was one of the most important scientific achievements of human history. The now famous double helix is almost synonymous with Watson and Crick, two of the scientists who won the Nobel prize for figuring it out. But there is another name you do not know about: Rosalind Franklin, the unsung hero behind this great discovery.

**Fee:** $12  
**Date:** Wednesday, May 1, 2019  
**Time:** 1:00 PM  
**Location:** Congregation Kol Ami, Chapel in the Woods  
252 Soundview Avenue, White Plains, NY  
**Information:** Ruth Goldberg 949-6542
8) Architecture and New York: The Beautiful and the Quirky

Leader: Michael Molinelli, AIA, ACARA, LEED

Award winning architect, Michael Molinelli, takes us on a meandering romp around New York State (occasionally sleeping outdoors) to visit all sorts of architecture that you might think you have seen or may never have noticed. Mr. Molinelli has lectured on various topics of architecture in local venues and on the radio. Often we will see a wry subtext to each building not apparent to the casual observer. Join us and enjoy expanding your horizons with new ways to see and observe your surroundings.

Fee: $12
Date: Tuesday, May 7, 2019
Time: 10:30 AM
Location: Congregation Kol Ami, Chapel in the Woods
          252 Soundview Avenue, White Plains, NY
Information: Ruth Goldberg 949-6542

9) Book Discussion: “The Lilac Girls” by Martha Hall Kelly

Leader: Ileen Gottesfeld: Former High School teacher and lover of good literature

The author says "the inhumane behavior carried out in Ravensbruck, the only female concentration camp in Nazi Germany, represents the darkest side of the human animal!" This unforgettable novel deals with Kasia, one of the "Rabbits," who endured operations and Sulfa experiments on their legs, and Caroline Ferriday, a New York socialite who brought these women to the United States to be treated by our doctors. Kelly wanted the world to know this story - the darkness, and yet the beauty of someone who reached out and helped bring wrong to right. Come join us in the discussion and then plan, if you choose, to visit the home of Caroline Ferriday in Connecticut on our bus trip planned for Tuesday, June 18, 2019.

Fee: $12
Date: Monday, May 13, 2019
Time: 1:00 PM
Location: Will Library, Projection Room - Mezzanine
          1500 Central Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY
Information: Evelyn Partalis 923-3148
10) Legal &Financial Planning for Alzheimer's Disease

Leader: Jody Addeo, Community Engagement Manager for Westchester & Rockland Alzheimer's Association Hudson Valley Chapter

The diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease makes planning more important than ever. This two-part program will offer information about legal and financial issues to consider, how to put plans in place and how to access legal and financial resources near you. Topics covered include making legal plans that fit your needs, legal documents you will need, how to find legal and financial assistance, practical strategies for making a long-term plan of care and government programs that can help pay for care.

Fee: $12
Date: Wednesday, May 22, 2019
Time: 1:00 PM
Location: Will Library, Projection Room - Mezzanine
1500 Central Park Avenue, Yonkers, NY
Information: Laurel Woolf 631-4865

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BRANDEIS GOES TO THE MOVIES

Disturbing the Peace

Guest Speaker: Stephen Apkon, Director & Producer of this award-winning film and founder of the Jacob Burns Film Center

Disturbing the Peace follows a group of former enemy combatants – Israeli soldiers from the most elite units, and Palestinian fighters, many of whom served years in prison – who have come together to challenge the status quo and bring about change. The film traces their transformational journeys from soldiers committed to armed battle to non-violent peace activists leading to the creation of Combatants for Peace (CFP).

Although these warriors face difficult challenges in their quest for a peaceful end to the conflict - many in their own societies call them traitors - they deliver a message of hope, something we need at this moment.

Fee: $12 (The total amount is a charitable contribution)
Date: Monday, April 15, 2019
Time: 1:00 PM
Place: Scarsdale Synagogue Temples Tremont and Emanu-el
2 Ogden Road, Scarsdale, NY
Information: Judy Gruenberger 682-9350 Susan Lippmann 472-0419

REFRESHMENTS GUESTS AND WALK-INS WELCOME

Detach & mail After April 9th with check payable to BNC to: Susan Lippmann,
176 Clayton Road, Scarsdale, NY 10583

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Proceeds to benefit the Magnify the Mind campaign
**Brandeis Northern Westchester Book Group**

The Brandeis Northern Westchester Book Group (formerly the Atria Book Group) meets on the 3rd Tuesday of every month. This is a Community Service Project and is free to all members.

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**Time:** 10:00 AM  
**Place:** Copley Court Club Room  
333 North State Road  
Briarcliff Manor, New York  

**Information:** Ann Schilero  914-762-3851  
Cell  914-643-3038
IN MEMORIAM

Eve Weinstein

Our Chapter mourns the loss of our friend and long-time member, Eve Weinstein, on September 3, 2018. Eve was an active and enthusiastic member of the Central Westchester Chapter and held many positions throughout the years. Most recently she was co-chair of the Silent Auction Committee for our Annual Luncheon, co-chair of the Nominating Committee and chair of the Long Range Planning Committee. We will miss her warm outgoing personality, and her welcoming smile.

IN MEMORIAM

Raymond Breakstone

Our Chapter mourns the loss of Raymond Breakstone on October 25, 2018. Ray was the beloved husband of Barbara Breakstone, who has been a dedicated and effective leader of our Chapter for many, many years. Ray was a truly supportive husband, and shared his time, his talents and his efforts with our organization throughout the years. He will be missed.

BOOK FUND DONATIONS

A contribution to the Book Fund or the Magnify the Mind campaign is a meaningful way to express condolences, commemorate a special occasion or wish good health while supporting Brandeis.

Your donation will be acknowledged to the recipient with an attractive Card: $11.00, $19.00 or $26.00; or with a leather folio for a Learned Research Journal: $36.00, $56.00 or $101.00 (All prices include postage.)

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Helen Kaufman’s 100th Birthday by Leona Green, Barbara Breakstone

Wishing Barbara Breakstone much happiness in her new home by Florence Glazer
SHARE YOUR TIME AND TALENTS

Getting involved in our Chapter is a great way to meet people and make friends. Even if you have been a member for many years, joining a committee or helping out with a program will be rewarding and gratifying. And our chapter needs people with new ideas and energy!

Please take a moment to fill out and return the form below so that we can take advantage of your talents and interests and match you with our needs.

Please check all that apply:

I have

___ ideas of topics to discuss in future Study Groups
___ interest in helping to plan Study Groups
___ ideas of places to visit
___ computer skills Word, Excel, Publisher or Web Design
___ social media and communication skills such as Facebook
___ organizational skills – e.g. I could receive participant names & checks for an event
___ organizational skills – e.g. I could maintain and update BNC membership lists
___ accounting skills and interest in helping out the BNC treasurer
___ interest in helping plan an event like Book and Author or Annual Luncheon
___ willingness to assist with registration at events
___ willingness to make phone calls when needed
___ willingness to help out when needed
___ other skills or comments: ______________________________________________________

Please mail this completed form to Ileen Gottesfeld  31 Shadow Lane, Larchmont, NY 10538

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