

ADVENTURES IN LEARNING – Winter 2020

Programs & Education

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#1 IGNITING THE SPARK FOR SOCIAL CHANGE AN ORIGINAL TOUR DESIGNED BY DOCENT, JOANNE PLATT AT Mia

Thursday, February 6, 2020 **Fee: \$10.00**
TWO TOURS

Choose your preferred time: **10:30 am or 1:00 pm**
Register quickly to secure your space!
Each tour limited to 15 participants
Guests are welcome, stools available

This little doll in Mary Griggs Burke's 12-room dollhouse sparked a big conversation about race and representation at Mia in 2018.

We know that this is an intense time as we grapple with how to live together in a diverse democratic society. Joanne Platt and BOND invite you to join them in an artistic, cultural discourse that will surely stimulate thought for new and challenging ideas.

Describing the tour, Joanne remarks "...many artists are deeply committed to creating works of art which not only address pressing social issues, but also change the way we perceive the world. Powerful and persuasive art can challenge our understanding of the world in which we live and how we operate within it. Socially-engaged art can ignite outrage and demands for change, or provide a platform for reflection, community building, and collaboration."

On our tour today, we will explore artworks that comment on the need for change, and that perhaps will ignite the spark for change that is present in us all.



Doll in Mary Griggs Burke's Dollhouse

Location: Minneapolis Institute of Art
2400 Third Avenue South, Minneapolis
Meet in Mia's upper Lobby by the
Cafe and Store

Coordinators: Saralee Mogilner 952.935.2156
Marlene Goldberg 612.743.9120

#2 LET'S BAKE CHALLAH WITH FRUMA GOLDFARB TWO DATES

Choose your preferred date:

Thursday, February 20 11:00 am - 1:30 pm
Thursday, March 5 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

FEE: \$15.00. Includes lunch provided by Fruma!
Register quickly to reserve a space....if the event is full,
there will be a wait-list.
Each limited to 8 participants



Challah making with Fruma

First, we mix the dough -

two options: bread machine or mixer

Next, we let it rise

(We will have lunch while that is happening.)

Then we braid the Challah.

You will learn to do a 6-strand braid

Then you take it home and bake it in your oven.

Your house will be filled with the aroma of fresh baked bread.

You will need to bring a cookie sheet (small is fine) and a clean dish towel.

Everything else will be available

Location: Fruma Goldfarb's Apartment
6400 Barrie Road, Apt. 1503
Edina, MN 55435

Coordinators: Fruma Goldfarb 612.930.9409
Saralee Mogilner 952.935.2156

#3 DEMYSTIFYING THE LANGUAGE OF FINANCE

Tuesday, March 31

10:30 am Refreshments

11:00 am Program

Guests are welcome

Fee: \$10.00

Our guest speaker, Judy Mares, will lead us in an educational forum focused on *Demystifying the Language of Finance*. We will learn about the basics of important financial statements, the balance sheet and the income statement (assets and liabilities). She will explain a Fiduciary and the roles of financial advisors. An understanding of the language and construction of these terms will help in the navigation of our personal financial positions, planning for life transitions and provide us with a better understanding of investment terms and strategies.



Judy's experience as a Chief Investment Officer of corporate retirement plans spanned almost 5 decades across several Fortune 500 corporations. Judy's bonus career was working for the Obama Administration as Deputy Assistant Secretary for the Employee Benefits Security Administration and the Department of Labor.

Do not miss this powerful program with a dynamic and accomplished master in the consulting and strategic planning arena! There will be ample time for comments and questions after the presentation.

Location: Lurie, LLP, 2501 Wayzata Blvd. -
West Entrance
Minneapolis. I-394 to Penn Exit
West on South Frontage Road

PLEASE NOTE: Because of tax season at Lurie's, please try to carpool or use curbside parking to leave space for Lurie tax clients.

Coordinators: Marlene Goldberg 612.743.9120
Saralee Mogilner 952.935.2156

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Many of our event participants ask us why we limit some groups to 15 or 20. We limit certain groups because a guide has told us to do that, but most importantly, we limit numbers in order to create a positive learning experience for attendees.

In some cases, we can and will increase the number of registrants by adding another tour or event guide. This may increase the commitment and cost which we always have to cover.

Greater numbers of events and participants can only occur if you register promptly. We then can watch the size of an event and act accordingly to add additional experienced leaders. We cannot commit or plan an event if we cannot cover its costs.

Thank you for your understanding
Saralee and Marlene

FUN AND GAMES WITH BOND

DINING OUT WITH FRIENDS

Chairs: Eva Broude 952.544.5948
Judy Serrell 952.929.3830 or
612.812.5170

If you would like to be added to either of these groups to be notified by email or phone, please let us know as all are welcome, including guests.

DINNER WINNERS

We meet the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm. An email is sent to all members stating restaurant and location. Please RSVP so we can make reservations.

- Jan 8** Monte Carlo, Downtown
219 3rd Ave, Mpls
612.333.5900
- Feb 12** McCormick & Schmicks
Westin Galleria Hotel, Edina 55435
952.920.1142 E
- March 11** Robert's Craft Kitchen & Bar
Medina Ctr 500 Hwy 55, Medina 55340
763.478.6661
- April 8** Cancelled 1st day of Passover

LUNCH GROUP

We meet the 4th Wednesday of the month at 11:30 am. An email is sent to all members stating restaurant and location. Ethnic or a new restaurant. Please RSVP so we can make reservations.

- Jan 22** Emily's Lebanese Deli
641 University Ave NE, Mpls 55413
612.379.4069
- Feb 26** Wok in the Park Asian
3005 Utah Ave S, St Louis Park 55426
952.657.5754
- March 25** Biaggi's Ristorante Italiano
12051 Elm Creek Blvd, Maple Grove
763.416.2225
- April 22** Big Marina Mediterranean
4755 Central Ave NE, Columbia Hts 55421
763.571.0222

BOND BRIDGE & QWIRKLE

(Qwirkle is similar to Scrabble only using shapes and colors). We will teach you how to play. Bond Branching out in Bridge and games meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 11:30 am for lunch at McCoy's followed by games. We welcome you to join us. Please RSVP each month if you can attend to: Millie Segal 763.486.8512

EARLY CHILDHOOD PROJECTS

Contact Rhoda Redleaf if you are interested in participating in these programs.

Rhoda Redleaf 651.905.9606 or rredleaf@comcast.net

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Our study groups are a unique way to enrich our lives, to connect with others as well as earning funds for our well deserving charities. Each year those of us who participate discover new friends and renew old acquaintances, while BOND becomes a stronger organization in the process.

- When you register for an event, your money stays in the Twin Cities to help us meet our goals.
- A non-member may enroll one session per year.
- Unless notified due to a cancellation, our Registrar has enrolled you for the event that you paid for.
- There will be no refunds unless the Program is cancelled or you call the Registrar and see if there is a wait list that would have someone to take your place.
- Your check is your reservation. Since many events have limited attendance, please register as soon as possible to guarantee your space.

Linda Gilfix, Registrar 952.807.7296
lrgilfix@gmail.com

Make check payable to BOND and mail to:
Bond c/o Linda Gilfix
4730 Park Commons Dr. Unit 429
St. Louis Park, MN 55416-5221

WE LOVE TO READ, DO YOU?

Short Story Group

We meet at Ridge Pointe West Library, 12800 Marion Lane, Minnetonka, on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Coffee, & etc. at 9:30 am, discussion begins at 10:00 am

Our book is "Shaking Eve's Tree", short stories of Jewish women edited by Sharon Niederman.

We take turns being hostess and facilitator. The facilitator includes a brief biography of the author and leads the discussion.

Contact Lorraine Diamond 952.935.6627 to RSVP or with any questions.

Donation of \$1 is payable at the door.

- January 8** ***A Gift for Languages***
by Sharon Niederman
Hostess: Barbara Bearmon
763.559.2627
Facilitator: Millie Segal
- February 12** ***Dream Vision***
by Tillie Olson
Hostess: Lorraine Diamond
952.935.6627
Facilitator: Fruma Goldfarb
- March 11** ***A State of Emergency***
by Nikki Stiller
Hostess: Millie Segal 763.377.5638
Facilitator: Marian Altowitz
- April 15** Date changed due to Passover.
A Leak in the Heart
by Faye Moskowitz
Hostess: Sharon Stulberg 952.540.6428
Facilitator: Sharon Zweigbaum
- May 13** ***The Life You Gave Me***
by Bette Howland
Hostess: Judy Cooperman 952.935.2087
Facilitator: Barb Ritzen
- June 10** ***The Dancers***
by E.M. Broner
Hostess: Fruma Goldfarb 612.930.9409
Facilitator: Sharon Zweigbaum
- July 8th** ***Taking the Bus***
by Libbi Miriam
Hostess & Facilitator:
Margie Lifson 952.593.0576

3rd FRIDAY BOOK CLUB

Co-Chairs: Marilyn Wert 952.545.3260

Joyce Martin 952.544.1101

The Facilitator gives a brief biography of the author, quotes from articles, and guides the discussion.

Please call the hostess if you plan to attend.

Coffee at 9:30 am and Discussion at 10 am.

Donation: \$2 per session collected at the door.

As a courtesy to our Hosts, please RSVP so they know how many people to plan for.

NOTE: We meet 11 months (except July) at Adath Jeshurun Congregation Adult Lounge, 10500 Hillside Lane W, Minnetonka 55305. Everyone is Welcome!

- January 17** ***The Impossible Girl***
by Lydia Kang
Facilitator: Sharon Levine
952.470.7826
- February 21** ***It Can't Happen Here***
by Sinclair Lewis
Facilitators: Wally and Roger Conhaim
612.374.9455
- March 20** ***Beneath a Scarlet Sky***
by Mark Sullivan
Facilitator: Sharon Posnansky
763.478.9258
- April 17** ***Where the Crawdads Sing***
by Delia Owens
Facilitator: Joyce Martin 952.544.1101
- May 15** ***The Vacationers***
by Emma Steraub
Facilitator: TBA
- June 19** ***The House Made of Dawn***
by M. Scott Momaday
Facilitator: Marilyn Wert 952.545.3260