

Policies



Cancellation

When appropriate, Golden Slipper Gems will issue a credit, not a refund.

Attendance

The **Winter** Semester runs on a 3-4 week basis. You can purchase the full Semester package that includes all 7 courses at an incredible **25% discount** or choose individual courses which spark your interest. **Please note that each individual course is sold only on a 3-4 week basis.**

Guests

For out-of-town guests you can purchase a class for \$5. Guest passes cannot be purchased in lieu of registration. Courses are not pro-rated if any classes are missed.

Credit

Credit will not be given after the first day of classes except in the event of illness or injury. Written documentation from a physician is required.



GOLDEN SLIPPER *Gems*

On the Main Line

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PROGRAM GUIDE

JANUARY 2019



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Welcome

to Golden Slipper Gems on the Main Line.
We hope you'll take part in our enrichment programs for older adults.

See our Five New and Exciting Courses!

It's a great place to connect with friends and meet new people. Our diverse speakers will stimulate your passion for learning and you'll keep returning to sample all that we have to offer.

Class Location

Adath Israel
250 N. Highland Avenue
Merion Station, PA

Please see **class policies** on the back panel. There is **no membership cost** to participate in Golden Slipper programs, only an **annual registration fee** of \$18. (registration fee is waived for the first year for new participants only.)

For more information, visit GoldenSlipperGems.org.

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MONDAYS



3 WEEKS JANUARY 7-28 (NO CLASS ON JANUARY 21)

Speakers Forum

▶ 10:00 – 11:00AM | COURSE FEE: \$24

Each week we bring you an exceptional variety of topics and speakers. Our January line-up of guests includes (in order of appearance): Sam Katz, founder of History Making Productions and former Republican nominee for Mayor of Philadelphia, *My Philadelphia - Stories and Films*; Barbara Cohen, President of Schuylkill Heritage Center, *William Penn's Legacy - Architecture, History and Religion in the Philadelphia Area*; Roger Allen, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of Arabic Language and Literature, University of Pennsylvania, *ISIS and Islam: History and the Present*.



3 WEEKS JANUARY 7-28 (NO CLASS ON JANUARY 21)

Secrets from the Sands of Antiquity

▶ 11:15 – 12:15PM | COURSE FEE \$24

Instructor: Stephen Phillips, Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania, Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology



This class will explore aspects of daily life in ancient Egypt. The first class explores the diet of ancient Egypt, theirs was a diet far more varied than you might think, and its influence spread throughout the ancient world. The second class illuminates ancient Egypt's medical world, the role of folklore and magic in their medicine, and examines several actual cases from recent excavations in the cemeteries behind the Great Pyramids. The third class explores the history of Western culture's attitudes towards ancient Egyptian mortuary practices. We examine closely the history behind why ancient Egypt's mummies hold such a fascination in popular culture, how the mummies were actually made, and what these mummies meant to those who created them.

TUESDAYS



4 WEEKS JANUARY 8-29

Art in the First Person

▶ 10:00 – 11:00AM | COURSE FEE \$32

Instructor: Jaan Ingle Troltenier, B.A. Spanish & Latin, former Latin instructor

Explore history through art. Come learn about history from someone who was 'there.' Each week the instructor will re-enact a different artist who showcases the historical and social context of Renaissance Germany, Edo-period Japan, early 20th century Paris, and 20th century Mexico. Your virtual time travel will be reinforced by the instructor's period-appropriate costumes and accents. Each class features a different artist, and so is independent of the others. No background in history or art history necessary.



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Curious and Ethical Issues in Medicine

▶ 11:15 – 12:15PM | COURSE FEE \$32

Instructor: Dr. Bernard Kaplan, Professor of Pediatrics at the University of Pennsylvania

The course will have a range of topics from the case of mercury as a medical treatment and its curse; will continue into the fascinating world of nephrology and disease and with that as background, the course will broach the ethical issues around kidney transplantation with time for audience discussion. Should everyone need a kidney transplant receive one? Last, Dr. Kaplan will talk about forgiveness... should physicians ask patients for forgiveness when they make a mistake? This promises to be very interesting.



WEDNESDAYS

4 WEEKS | JANUARY 9-30



Lovely and Amazing: The Work of Nicole Holofcener

10:00 - 12:15AM | COURSE FEE \$44

Instructor: David Greenberg, Writer and Director, Instructor of Screenwriting Temple University, BA Temple University

Nicole Holofcener has been called a “female Woody Allen” by many. While there are similar themes in their work, Holofcener has her own unique voice and vision so there are also differences. Curiously, as the step-daughter of producer Charles Joffe, Holofcener literally grew up on the sets of many Woody Allen films, appearing as an extra and eventually landing her first professional jobs in the business there. Now an acclaimed writer-director in her own right, an examination of her work is timely, should be fascinating material for discussion, is sure to provide some laughs and provoke some thought. Screenings will include: *Walking And Talking*; *Lovely And Amazing*; *Please Give*; and *Enough Said*.

THURSDAYS

3 WEEKS | JANUARY 10-24

One Book, One Jewish Community

10:00 - 11:00AM | COURSE FEE \$24

Instructor: Rabbi Eric Yanoff, Rabbi of Adath Israel Synagogue, MA Jewish Education, Jewish Theological Seminary

Be a part of the discussion of this year’s selection, **The Last Watchman of Old Cairo** by *Michael David Lukas*. This poignant and moving novel is a tightly-woven multigenerational novel centered around the Ibn Ezra Synagogue in Cairo. The story of the protagonist Joseph’s family is entwined with that of the British twin sisters who in 1897 rescued texts that have begun to disappear from the synagogue and opened a whole new world of Jewish history that was hidden for centuries.

4 WEEKS | JANUARY 10-31

Thursdays with Dr. Bill Rosenberg

11:15 - 12:15PM | COURSE FEE \$32

Instructor: William Rosenberg, Author and Media Commentator; Ph.D. Professor of Political Science, Drexel University

Join us as one of our most respected speakers discusses four distinct topics that are sure to stir your interest. This course will discuss: What happened in the 2018 Elections and what does it mean?; Why do the Courts and Congress appear to not act with regard to Trump?; What is role of #MeToo and #BlackLivesMatter in US Politics?; and What is the future of the Democratic and Republic Parties in the US?

Afternoon Programs

Slipper Book Club – Calling All Book Lovers!

THURSDAYS (ONCE A MONTH) 1:00 - 2:00PM

Facilitator: Roberta Green, Temple University, English and History Teacher

Love reading a great book, relish the opportunity to discuss it and weigh in on your opinion with friends or other voracious readers? The Slipper Book Club is an informal way to meet new friends and enjoy the camaraderie of sharing your passion for reading.

Main Line Slipper Book Club is free and open to all

WEDNESDAYS

4 WEEKS | JANUARY 9-30

Tai Chi

12:30 - 1:30PM | COURSE FEE \$32

Instructor: Anthony Saguto, Certified Tai Chi Instructor

Tai Chi, the ancient Chinese exercise, is one of the most effective exercises for health of mind and body. This is an art with great depth of knowledge and skill, yet it can be easy to learn and quickly delivers its health benefits. For many, it continues as a lifelong journey. This is an opportunity to learn and practice this art that fits all ages and skills.

THURSDAY

JANUARY 31

Things Remembered – The Art Journal - Art Workshop

1:00-3:00PM | COURSE FEE \$20

Instructor: Dressler Smith, artist and teacher

If you were to describe your life and your best times, you might create an art journal. Enjoy this day of reflection describing your inner self through the use of writing prompts and artistic materials such as myriad of colors, patterns and shapes. Reflecting on things that you love may provide you with a new philosophy.



MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

January Passport 2019 Registration



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Golden Slipper Gems on the Main Line
257 E. Lancaster Avenue, Suite 200
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Questions?

Call Moriah SimonHazani
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INDIVIDUAL COURSE SELECTION ONLY

(Do not check off morning courses below if you have chosen the Full Package)

Monday

- Speakers Forum \$24
- Secrets from the Sands of Antiquity \$24

Tuesday

- Art in the First Person \$32
- Curious and Ethical Issues in Medicine \$32

Wednesday

- Film Course \$44

Thursday

- One Book, One Jewish Community \$32
- Current Affairs \$32

Afternoon programs:

- Thursday Slipper Book Club Free
- Tai Chi \$32
- Things Remembered - Art Workshop \$20

PAYMENT (Total Amount Enclosed)

\$



Register and pay for courses
via credit card on-line.



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