# Calendar of Events

## September (See pages 8 - 9 for details)

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<td>Brandeis Lunch/General Meeting – <em>Feminism Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow</em></td>
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<td>Thursday 12</td>
<td>Brandeis Broadway Matinee Group</td>
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<td>His &amp; Hers: Walking Tour of the Hudson Yards</td>
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<td>Monday 23</td>
<td>Hippies, Discos, and Dogs - Oh My! A Walking Tour of the northern end of the theater district and lunch</td>
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<td>Tour of Seneca Village and Lunch</td>
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<td>Tuesday 22</td>
<td>Chelsea Art Tour and lunch</td>
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<td>His &amp; Hers: Movie and Discussion - <em>Welcome in Vienna - Part 3, Where To and Back</em></td>
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BNC 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.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As we look forward to another year of new and renewed friendships, enlightening study groups, interesting and fun activities, we invite you to join and meet new friends.

While we enjoy our many social and educational events, we hope to fulfill our commitment to support Brandeis University’s science and neuroscience research, its extensive library, and without doubt, scholarships for students to pursue their dreams.

Visit Brandeis, feel connected and see firsthand how special the campus is and why our support is so vital.

Join us and other vibrant men and women. Enjoy another season of greatness with Brandeis Gotham.

Lee Liss

AN INVITATION TO ALL GOTHAM CHAPTER MEMBERS

Our General Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month and are open to all BNC members. This is a wonderful way to meet people and become more familiar with our chapter. Please come!

We also need volunteers to help the Board plan and run our study groups and fundraising events and to host our other events. To volunteer, contact our president or a member of the executive committee.

ARE YOU GETTING OUR EMAILS?

The Gotham Chapter sends out frequent emails updating its members on upcoming events. These updates come to your computer from ‘Brandeis Gotham’ and are not junk mail. Please set your computers to accept all emails from brandeisgotham@gmail.com
GOTHAM CHAPTER

Annual Dues - $60 - basic membership, $100 for couples residing in the same household

New Members:
To join, send a check payable to BNC to Pat Glickman, 301 East 48th Street, #15F, New York, NY 10017 along with the completed New Member Application on Page 18.
You can also join online at http://www.brandeis.edu/bnc/join or by calling (888) 862-8692.
   If you join online, please advise Pat Glickman, melapath@aol.com, or 212 486-3976, to ensure that your name is added to the Gotham Chapter mailing list

Annual Renewals:
Send checks payable to BNC to Brandeis National Committee, PO Box 549110, Mailstop 132, Waltham, MA 02454-9110.
You can also renew your membership online at http://www.brandeis.edu/bnc/renew or by credit card by calling (888) 862-8692. Brandeis accepts MasterCard, Visa, and American Express.

Umbrella Fee – A voluntary annual $15 contribution offsets chapter expenses and helps us meet our financial goals. Send checks payable to BNC to Gloria Lazarus, 36 Sutton Place South, #6D, New York 10022.

General Meetings are held at 11:00 a.m. on the first Wednesday of each month, October through May, in the Barbizon, 140 East 63rd Street and are open to all BNC members.
We meet in the Club Salon on the third floor. All members are welcome to attend.

Study groups are open to Brandeis members only. Payment of a single $40 fee will allow you to attend the eight regular study groups in the afternoon following our General Meetings, October to May.
These will be held on the first Wednesday of each month at 1:00 p.m. in the Barbizon, 140 East 63rd Street. We meet in the Club Salon on the third floor.
When you arrive, tell the doorman you are going to the Brandeis meeting, and he will key you in.
Refreshments will not be provided at our study groups because no food is allowed in the Club Salon.
Send checks for $40 payable to BNC to Shelley Greene, 165 East 72nd Street #2K, New York 10021.
   In the current calendar we also offer 2 additional study groups:
   Brandeis Book Club – $25 for 4 sessions, in addition to study group fee.
   Send checks payable to BNC to Phyllis Chasin, 345 East 56th Street, #12G, New York 10022.
   Magazine articles discussion study group – $25 for 4 sessions, in addition to study group fee.
   Send checks payable to Tammy Weintraub, 445 East 80th Street, #10B, New York 10075.

Refunds
If you sign up for an event and find you cannot attend, please let us know in advance and as soon as possible and consider your check a donation. As there is always a waiting list, do not ask a friend to attend in your place. We will use the first available person on waiting list to fill the event to capacity.

Bulletins and Calendar
** Our bulletin and calendar are available online at http://blogs.brandeis.edu/bncgotham/ **
Members of other chapters can request to be sent our Bulletin.

Deis Flix
The movies selected for the His and Hers movie viewings and discussions are from Deis Flix, a lending library of DVD’s assembled by the Brandeis National Committee in collaboration with the National Center for Jewish Film (NCJF) on the Brandeis campus. The collection includes both the work of modern independent filmmakers and archival materials. Together they represent a visual record of the Jewish people in all their vibrancy and diversity. NCJF is a nonprofit motion-picture archive, distributor and resource center, housing the largest collection of Jewish-theme film and video in the world outside of Israel. The mission of NCJF is to collect, preserve and exhibit films with artistic and educational value relevant to the Jewish experience.
## OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

### PRESIDENT
Lee Liss

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Phyllis Gates, Pat Glickman, Rhoda Greif, Cora Sue Kaufman, Francoise Marcus, Lydia Rentel, Tammy Weintraub, Gloria Lazarus

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- Karen Busch (2)
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- Gloria Pilot (1)
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- Ronnie Lachterman
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ANNUAL BOOK AND AUTHOR LUNCHEON
MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2019 at 11:30 A.M.
The Yale Club
50 Vanderbilt Avenue

Ruth Reichl
Fiona Davis
Greer Macallister

Ruth Reichl is an American chef, food writer and beloved food critic for the New York Times, co-producer of PBS’s Gourmet’s Diary of a Foodie, and the last Editor-in-Chief of the now shuttered Gourmet Magazine. She has been honored by receiving six James Beard awards for food writing. Ruth started writing about food in 1972 when she published MMMMM: A Feastiary. Since then she has authored many acclaimed best-selling memoirs - Tender at the Bone, Garlic and Sapphires, and For You, Mom, Finally. She published her first novel, Delicious! in 2014. In her latest memoir, New York Times best seller Save Me the Plums, she chronicles her groundbreaking tenure as Editor-in-Chief of Gourmet Magazine for its last ten years. She currently has a column in Town and Country Magazine, is working on two new books, and will be doing a project with Netflix soon based on another early memoir of hers, Comfort Me with Apples.

Fiona Davis is a USA Today best-selling author of historical fiction set in iconic New York City buildings. She first came to New York City as an actress working on and off Broadway but fell in love with writing after getting a master’s degree at Colombia Journalism School. The Dollhouse, her debut novel, is set in the Barbizon Hotel for Women, the building where our Brandeis Gotham chapter meets today. The hotel was a residence for young single women. Her second novel, The Address, is the story of two women a century apart whose tumultuous lives become part of the Dakota’s sometimes unhappy history. Her next novel, The Masterpiece, takes readers into the glamorous lost art school within Grand Central Terminal. Fiona’s latest novel The Chelsea Girls uses the famous Chelsea Hotel as a backdrop. The novel delves into the world of theater in the McCarthy era and with the complicated bonds of female friendship over a twenty-year period.

Greer Macallister is a novelist, poet, short story writer, and playwright who earned her MFA in Creative Writing from American University. Her debut novel The Magician’s Lie was a USA Today bestseller, an Indie Next pick and a Target Book Club selection. It tells the story of a female illusionist who is accused of murdering her husband. It has been optioned for film by Jessica Chastain’s Freckle Films. Her novel Girl in Disguise, which is about America’s first female private detective, is also an Indie Next pick. It received a starred review from Publishers Weekly. Her latest book Women 99 was inspired by reporter Nellie Bly’s undercover investigation into an 1880’s insane asylum. It is a vivid historical thriller about a young woman whose quest to free her sister from an infamous insane asylum risks her sanity, her safety and her life.

Event proceeds will go to our new campaign.
Invitations will be sent out at the end of the summer.
Questions? Call Gloria Pilot 646-351-6407
Meet and Greet
Wednesday, September 11
12 Noon – Arte Cafe – 106 West 73rd Street (West of Columbus Avenue)
$25 per member –
Free for prospective members

Come to our opening Membership Lunch! Invite someone who may be interested in joining the Gotham chapter; this will be a perfect introduction to our programs. If your guest joins BNC by October 1st, 2019, you will be entitled to a FREE full year (8 sessions) of Study groups.

Chat with your Brandeis friends while eating delicious food and hearing about the amazing Brandeis National Committee’s history and the exciting events and study groups planned for the fall. We promise you fun and excitement.

Our keynote speaker this year is

LETTY COTTIN POGREBIN, author, activist, and national lecturer
"Feminism Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow"

A founding editor and writer for Ms. Magazine, Pogrebin is also the author of eleven books, including her latest novel, Single Jewish Male Seeking Soul Mate, and the acclaimed guidebook, How to Be a Friend to a Friend Who's Sick. Among her other publications are two memoirs – Getting Over Getting Older, and Deborah, Golda, and Me: Being Female and Jewish in America – her first novel, Three Daughters, and the pre-feminist classic, How to Make it in a Man's World.

A leader in many social justice causes, Pogrebin has served two terms as President of The Authors Guild, a national organization dedicated to the protection of writers’ copyright and contract rights; and two terms as Chair of the Board of Americans for Peace Now, an advocacy organization working to promote a negotiated solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. In May 2018, she was inducted into the Manhattan Jewish Hall of Fame.

Letty Cottin Pogrebin is a graduate of Brandeis University. She lives in New York.

Make your reservation now by sending your $25 check, payable to BNC, to Pat Glickman, 301 East 48th Street, #15F, New York, NY 10017.
For further information, call Pat 212-486-3976 or Francoise 212-787-0811
Please act promptly; attendance is limited.
**SEPTEMBER**

**Monday, September 9 - Brandeis Book Club – $25 (annual fee for four sessions)**

**Mondays: December 9, March 9 and May 11** (Open to Study Group members only)

The $25 fee covers all four sessions in September, December, March and May. 11:00 a.m. - Venue to be announced to all Book Club members prior to meeting.

If you like to read and enjoy spirited discussions with interesting people, we invite you to join the Brandeis Book Club.

The book selected for our first meeting is the critically acclaimed *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens. This beautifully written story centers on a young girl abandoned in early childhood and her journey of survival into an intelligent and sensitive woman. Set in the marshes on the North Carolina coast, the author’s description of the area’s flora and fauna is exquisite in its detail.

For more information contact Shari Lessing, 212-410-0054, or Phyllis Chasin, 212-421-3962.

Send checks payable to BNC to Phyllis Chasin, 345 East 56th Street, #12G, New York, NY, 10022.

**Wednesday, September 11 – Brandeis and You – Lunch Celebration and General Meeting - $25**

See previous page for details.

Send checks payable to BNC to Pat Glickman, 301 East 48th Street, #15F, New York, NY, 10017.

**Thursday, September 12 - Brandeis Broadway Matinee Group - $25 annual fee (BNC members only)**

Attend discounted Broadway matinees with other theatre lovers. All seats are in the orchestra and additional fees are never charged. We usually meet for lunch before the performance.

Last year we purchased tickets to CHER, KING KONG, GARY, TOOTSIE, AIN’T TOO PROUD, BURN THIS, NETWORK, MOULIN ROUGE and TINA. Time and place of the first meeting will be announced shortly.

We will be meeting to discuss the upcoming Broadway season.

Leader: Roberta Kurland; For more information, contact Roberta at tia804@aol.com or 718-636-8039.

Please send checks payable to BNC to Roberta Kurland, 121 8th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11215.

**Tuesday, September 17 – His & Hers Walking Tour of the Hudson Yards - $35 (25 members)**

10:45 a.m. Meet at the corner of 34th Street and Hudson Boulevard, which is between 10th and 11th Avenues. It is most easily accessible via the 34th Street crosstown bus and the last stop on the #7 subway.

A brand-new city is rising in Midtown, the Hudson Yards. It covers 28 acres, between 30th and 33rd Street, and from 10th Avenue to West Street and the Hudson River. Hudson Yards is a mix of 21st century architecture accessorized with a large interactive sculpture and a touch of gently curved landscaping. Soaring over deep rail yards, this high-end corporate and residential development includes seven stories of retail shopping and restaurants.

Our tour will be led by Historian Joyce Gold and will begin at 11:00 a.m. She will be describing what was on the site before the Yards, what’s happening in each building, the point of the Vessel, and how the Shed is different from other venues. The part that opened a couple weeks ago is less than half the complete package, which she will explain as well as the plantings and ecology of the district, and the effect it will have on the surrounding blocks. The tour will be 2 hours, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

At the conclusion of the tour we will have a Dutch-Treat lunch at a place to be determined. After lunch and for those who wish, we will have free tickets to climb to the top of the Vessel.

Call Steven Hill on the day of the event (or for more information) at 516-984-5522.

Send checks payable to BNC Gotham to Vicki Sipkin, 16-14 215th Street, Bayside, New York, NY 11360.
**SEPTEMBER**

**Monday September 23** - Hippies, Discos, and Dogs – Oh My!
A Walking Tour of the northern end of the theater district and lunch – **$65 members** $75 non-members

11:00 a.m. Meet outside the Ethel Barrymore Theater (West 47th Street between Broadway and 8th Avenue). Please be prompt! The beautiful theaters in this area are nearly identical to the days when they were first built. As we weave among the original facades, we will hear about Broadway's first million-dollar show, about the introduction of rock music, and about some of the longest running shows like Annie, Hair, and Wicked. Our guide will highlight the backstage quirks and secrets rarely heard. The past and present will merge before your eyes. Our walking tour is 1 1/2 hours and 1/2 mile in length. Lunch will follow at the lovely Turkish restaurant Turkuaz, 310 West 53rd Street. Questions can be directed to Cora Sue, 646-414-7828 (day of trip only - 646-645-7828).

**Tuesday, September 24** – Ladies Who Lunch - **$15 (BNC members only)**
**Friday October 25, Tuesday November 19, Friday December 20, and Tuesday January 14**
Current members must re-register for the Fall sessions
Willingness to volunteer to be "Hostess of the Month“ is a prerequisite for joining this group

Leader: Lee Liss
**Ladies Who** Lunch is a program organized by its members. Lunches take place once a month on a Tuesday or Friday that doesn’t conflict with other Gotham chapter events.
Lunch is at your own expense.
Seating will be randomly assigned by drawing a table number.
This is your chance to make new friends and get to know different neighborhoods in Manhattan.
Group members will be contacted by email/phone as to the date and location of each month’s restaurant. It is imperative that you RSVP. For further details contact Lee at LeeLiss@icloud.com or 212-772-7556.

**Thursday September 26** - Secret Staten Island Highlights featuring bus tour, Tibetan Museum and lunch - **$85 (Limited to 30 members.)**
We meet 10:30 a.m. at the Union Square, George Washington Statue, on the 14th Street side.
Ibrahima is the fun guide who will entertain us during our scenic bus ride to Staten Island. The ride will include many historic sites of Richmond County. We will tour the home, gardens and private collection of Jacques Machias’ Tibetan Art and Himalayan artifacts. This stone house is situated high on Lighthouse Hill offering magnificent views of the surrounding area. We will be dining at the waterfront at the Marina Café, with waterside views of Brooklyn.
For more information contact Linda Schain at lmschain@gmail.com 646-964-4786. (day of the event only 914-263-2515 – please).

Send checks payable to BNC to Linda Schain 124 West 60th Street, #20E, New York, NY, 10023.

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Please mention you are a member of the Gotham chapter.
OCTOBER

**Wednesday, October 2 - General Meeting/Study Group – Joseph Amiel – author, attorney, and new Spanish citizen.**

Where: Barbizon, 140 East 63rd Street, in Club Salon, 3rd floor  
11:00 a.m. General Meeting (Open to all BNC members)  
(Tell the doorman you are going to a Brandeis Meeting and he will key you in.)  
1:00 p.m. Study Group (Open to Study Group Members only)  
Joseph Amiel is the internationally best-selling author of the novels Birthright, Deeds, A Question of Proof, Stalking the Sky, Star Time, and a recently issued short story collection Death Can Delight: A Trio of Mysteries which has been garnering 5-star reviews.  
All are available on Amazon for kindle and in paperback.
He will speak to us about his fascinating, nearly three-year odyssey to validate his Spanish heritage, master the country’s language and its laws and customs, as well as demonstrate a long held affinity for Spain in order to obtain Spanish citizenship, which has recently been offered to descendants of Jews expelled from Spain in 1492. His purpose for seeking this dual nationality was to honor the sacrifices of his exiled forebears and the asylum offered by his beloved homeland, America.
Joe is a graduate of the Ethical Culture Fieldston School, Amherst College, and Yale Law School.  
Come and hear this interesting story told by a master storyteller!

**Thursday, October 3 - Tour of Seneca Village and lunch - $53 (Limited to 25 people.)**

10:30a.m.  Tour begins promptly.  Meet inside Central Park entrance at 85th Street and Central Park West.  

From 1825 to 1857, in part of what is now Central Park, there existed a small settlement founded by free black people, the first such community in New York City, known as Seneca Village.  
Joining them later were German and Irish immigrants and probably Native Americans. The settlement, of only 5 acres, consisted at its peak of a little more than 350 people. This small community, however, included several churches, schools and 3 cemeteries. It lasted until 1857 when it had to be torn down for the construction of Central Park. Vestiges of Seneca Village, including burial plots, have been found over the years.  
Join us for a fascinating story of New York City history not known to many people.  
Lunch will be at Bodrum restaurant at 584 Amsterdam Ave, between 88th and 89th Streets.
For more information contact Marian at 212-879-5909 or marian.rjordan@gmail.com.  
Day of tour only, 917-923-5711.  
Rain Date Thursday October 10, 2019.

**Thursday, October 17 – His & Hers Walking Tour of the Brooklyn Navy Yard: Past, Present & Future - $40 (Limited to 30 members.)**

Dutch-Treat Lunch at the Navy Yard Food Court at 12:00; Tour begins at 1:30 p.m. and ends at 3:30 p.m.  
We will meet on the street directly outside of the York Street station of the F train at 11:25 a.m. to catch a ride on the yard’s 11:40 a.m. shuttle bus.  
The bus will return us to the subway after the end of the tour. Call Steven Hill (516-984-5522) for questions about the directions.  
For 165 years, the Brooklyn Navy Yard was a leading naval shipyard, building some of America’s most famous fighting Naval ships, including the USS Maine, USS Arizona, and USS Missouri. Today the Yard is a city-owned industrial park and a center of manufacturing, technology, and craft, home to over 400 industrial and creative businesses, creating thousands of jobs for New Yorkers.
This guided tour offers an overview of the vast 300-acre property and its history, from its founding in 1801, through major political and technological eras – including the Civil War, World War II, and its transition to a civilian industrial park – that are still visible in the Yard’s historic landscape. This tour offers opportunities to take a closer look at the Yard’s most intriguing sites, including a dry dock that’s been used continuously for ship repair since 1851, several historic buildings that are being adaptively reused for modern industry, and development projects that will more than double the Yard's workforce in the near future.
Send Checks payable to BNC to Lela Somma, 45 Sutton Pl. South, #2G, New York, NY, 10022.  
Day of event contact Lela Somma at 917-929-8167 or Steven Hill at 516-984-5522.
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Tuesday, October 22 - Chelsea Art Tour and lunch - $65 (members) - $75 (non-members)
10:45 a.m. - We will meet at 526 West 26th Street.
It's important that you arrive on time as Rafael will start the tour promptly at 11:00 a.m.
For those who have been on our prior tours, Rafael's ability to select the best exhibits and then make them come alive is what makes us keep coming back for more.
With a doctorate in art, Rafael was formerly a college professor and art critic for the New York Blade. Upon retirement he started leading art tours in Chelsea and elsewhere and now is known not only as a Chelsea tour guide but is a highly respected art tour guide of Chelsea.
After our tour we will leave the world of art and enter the world of music at our restaurant, Don Giovanni (214 10th Avenue), named after Mozart's opera and filled with opera memorabilia.
For additional information contact Phyllis Gates, gphylruth@aol.com (or the day of the event only 646-599-7130)
Send checks payable to BNC to Phyllis Gates, 101 West 81st Street, #208, New York, NY, 10024.

Thursday, October 24 - His & Hers: Movie and Discussion - Cost $25 (30 members)
12:00 p.m. Dutch treat lunch (optional), Barbaresco Restaurant, 843 Lexington Avenue
1:30 p.m. The movie will be shown at the Barbizon 140 East 63rd Street.
Movie: Welcome in Vienna Part 3. Where To and Back; Austria, 1986, 126 minutes, B&W,
German with English Subtitles, Directed by Axel Corti, Written by Georg Stefan Troller
Alfred “Freddy” Wolff (Gabriel Barylli), a young Viennese Jew who had escaped to New York several years before, and Adler, a left-wing intellectual from Berlin, return to Europe as American soldiers in 1944 as part of a team of translators and prisoner interrogators led by Lt. Binder, an anti-semitic German American who admires the Germans army’s “efficiency.” When The team captures Treschensky, a German deserter, Freddy recognizes him as a Nazi who worked as his high school’s janitor. The war in Europe ends and Freddy and Adler are posted in Vienna, which has adopted an air of amnesia about Nazi crimes in an effort to “move on.” The advent of Cold War compromises and pervasive anti-Semitism shatter the idealism of both men as Freddy falls in love with the daughter of a Nazi, and Adler, disillusioned with Communism, falls in with Treschensky, now a powerful black marketeer.
Send checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin 303 East 83rd Street, #12D, New York, NY, 10028
Please send a separate check for each movie you are going to attend.

Monday, October 28 – Annual Book and Author Luncheon – Brandeis Major Fund Raiser
11:30 a.m. - The Yale Club, 50 Vanderbilt Avenue
See page 6 for details. Invitations will be sent out at the end of the summer.

Tuesday, October 29 - Special Study Group: Magazine Articles Discussion - $25 (4 sessions)
Current members must re-register for the fall sessions.
Also meet on November 26th, December 24th and January 28th, 2020.
(Open to people signed for Study Groups who pay this additional fee – see page 3 for more details)
Willingness to volunteer to be a facilitator (involving choosing an article and leading the discussion) is a prerequisite for joining the group.
Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. - Tammy Weintraub's home, 445 East 80th Street #10B.
Each session of the Magazine Articles group will have a volunteer facilitator from the group who will select an interesting article to discuss. About two weeks before the session, we will email each participant the link to the article so that they can read the article on the computer and come ready to discuss it. Our past discussions have been very stimulating, and we look forward to this continuing.
Please call Tammy at 212-794-1588 if you have any more questions.
Send checks payable to BNC to Tammy Weintraub, 445 East 80 Street, #10B, New York, NY, 10075.

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NOVEMBER

Wednesday, November 6 – General Meeting/Study Group –
Maryanne Gerbauckas -National Park Service Ranger and Supervisor
Where: Barbizon, 140 East 63 Street, in Club Salon, 3rd floor
(Tell the doorman you are going to a Brandeis Meeting and he will key you in.)
11:00 a.m. General Meeting (Open to all BNC members).
1:00 p.m. Study Group (Open to Study Group Members only)
Maryanne Gerbauckas is a native New Yorker who spent her career working for the National Park Service. Her journey began at the Statue of Liberty and continued through a variety of parks, culminating in a final assignment as Regional Director for Parks in the Northeast United States. She will tell us a little about how the National Park Service came into being, about problems it faces today and about some of her most memorable experiences. Where else could you get this behind the scenes look?

Tuesday, November 12 - New York Philharmonic Archives and lunch - $42 (members only)
2 groups (15 people each)
10:30 a.m. or 2:30 p.m. (including 11:45 a.m. lunch for both groups at Empire Szechuan restaurant). This is a rare opportunity to explore, in two small groups, Leonard Bernstein’s legacy at the New York Philharmonic with the Director of Archives and Exhibitions, Gabryel Smith.
Each session is at Lincoln Center in the Samuel B. & David Rose Building, 165 West 65th Street, 4th Floor. Elevator or escalator from street level to plaza level, located on the north side of West 65th Street near Amsterdam Avenue.
The NY Philharmonic has the largest collection of Leonard Bernstein memorabilia including scores with Bernstein’s hand-written notations, video clips including Young People concerts, batons, programs, recordings, contracts, and so much more history. This is an intimate opportunity to explore Bernstein’s 47-year association with the Philharmonic and 11 years as Music Director.
We will all enjoy a family style lunch together at Empire Szechuan, 193 Columbus (68-69th St) at 11:45 am.
For more information, contact Maxine Schweitzer at 212-369-9641 or mjrs141@gmail.com.
(Day of event only 917-841-9171).
Please indicate your time preference for 10:30 a.m. or 2:30 p.m. session and include your email and phone contact information.
Send checks payable to BNC to Maxine Schweitzer, 141 East 88th Street, #8H, New York, NY, 10128.

Thursday, November 21 - His & Hers: Movie and Discussion - Cost $25 - (30 members)
12:00 p.m. Dutch treat lunch (optional), Barbaresco Restaurant, 843 Lexington Avenue
1:30 p.m. The movie will be shown at the Barbizon 140 East 63rd Street.
Movie: The Dybbuk; Poland, 1937, 123 minutes, B&W, Yiddish with new English subtitles.
Directed by Michal Waszynski; Based on the play by S. Ansky.
The most ambitious Yiddish movie of its day. In fact, The Dybbuk is a time capsule... Drama intensifies a given moment, film freezes it. The Dybbuk is a Yiddish film classic based on the celebrated play of the same name by S. Ansky, written during the turbulent years of 1912-1917. The idea for the play came to Ansky as he led a Jewish folklore expedition through small towns of Eastern Europe, which was cut short by the outbreak of World War I. The Dybbuk reflects Ansky's deep perception of the shtetl's religious and cultural mores, as well as his insightful appreciation of its hidden spiritual resources. Plans to produce the play in Russian by Stanislavsky's Moscow Art Theater in 1920 were aborted by the Bolshevik Revolution. Ansky, who died in 1920 never lived to see his play produced. The play, however, was destined to become one of the most widely produced in the history of Jewish theater. Its rich ethnographic tapestry, mystical themes, star-crossed lovers and haunting melodies were designed to bridge the historical abyss.
Send checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin 303 East 83rd Street, #12D, New York, NY, 10028.
Please send a separate check for each movie you are going to attend.
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Monday, November 25 - His & Hers - Book Discussion – *Bad Blood, Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Startup* by John Carreyrou - $20 (Limited to 15 people)
12:00 p.m. Optional Dutch treat lunch at noon. Barbaresco Restaurant. 843 Lexington Avenue
1:30 p.m. - Home of Helen and Irwin Winter, 140 East 63rd Street. #8D
Discussion Leader: Irv Winter
Elizabeth Holmes and her start-up, Theranos perpetrated one of the biggest scams in the history of Silicon Valley, raising millions for a medical device that never really existed.
The NY Times described this best seller as a saga packed with lies, greed, secret romance, literal blood, metaphorical blood, power, secrecy and money.
It has been the subject of an HBO Documentary as well as a report on *60 Minutes*.
Send checks payable to BNC to Irv Winter, 140 East 63rd Street, Apt 8D, New York, NY, 10065.

ROUNDABOUT THEATER SUBSCRIPTIONS

It will soon be time to renew your subscription to Roundabout Theater matinee season. Our subscribers enjoy preferred seating and a liberal ticket exchange policy. Your ticket includes a donation to Brandeis which is tax deductible. All profits will be donated to the BNC Sustaining the Mind fund.
Here is your great opportunity to enjoy theater and help pay for this worthwhile cause.

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Gloria Lazarus  glazarus@nyc.rr.com

DID YOU KNOW........

Hey Siri, where did the concept for Siri originate? If you have ever asked Siri for assistance you have co-developer Adam Cheyer ’88 to thank. The idea for Siri found nascence in Brandeis Professor Timothy Hickey’s Logic Programming class.

If you spread Smart Balance on your bagel this morning, you were starting your day with a Brandeis creation. The patented Smart Balance spread, which increases good cholesterol and improves the ratio of good-to-bad cholesterol, was developed at Brandeis by Professor K.C. Hayes and his research team. Members of the Brandeis family affectionately refer to it as “Brandeis Butter”.

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DECEMBER

**Wednesday, December 4** – General Meeting/Study Group: Jason Houston – About the history of the Training Movement and Learning some Exercises
Where: Barbizon, 140 East 63rd Street, Club Salon, 3rd Floor
(Tell the doorman you are going to a Brandeis Meeting and he will key you in.)
11:00 a.m. General Meeting (Open to all BNC members).
1:00 p.m. Study Group (Open to Study Group Members only)
Speaker: Jason Houston, a professional trainer for over 15 years, will speak to us about the growth of the trainer movement (few of us were doing this kind of exercising 20 years ago!) and will teach us a few simple exercises to improve balance and strength. He gave a Study Group to us about one year ago, which was a great success and we have asked him to be with us again, but to also give us a little history of this amazing phenomenon. Join us to increase your knowledge and your agility.

**Thursday, December 5** – New York Public Library Tour and lunch - $60 (limited to 25 members)
11:30 a.m. - New York Public Library, Information desk in Astor Hall, 1st floor (enter on the side of West 42nd Street and Fifth Avenue for an accessible entrance)
Our tour starts promptly at 12:00 noon.
The Stephen A. Schwarzman Library is an iconic landmark that many New Yorkers pass by but have never visited. For lovers of architecture, it is a museum of massive art works, special exhibits, murals, ornate detailing and outstanding research collections. The upper floors contain lofty ceilings and high skylights worthy of any cathedral. You will be led by a docent that will share interesting information and experiences.
After the tour, we will have a three-course lunch at the elegant brasserie, Un Deux Trois, located at 123 West 44th Street, between 6th and 7th Avenues.
For further information contact Lydia Rentel, 917-348-4777.
Send checks payable to BNC to Lydia Rentel, 1725 York Avenue, #4A, New York, NY, 10128.

**Thursday, December 12** - His & Hers: Movie and Discussion – $25 (30 members)
12:00 p.m. Dutch treat lunch (optional), Barbaresco Restaurant, 843 Lexington Avenue
1:30 p.m. The movie will be shown at the Barbizon 140 East 63rd Street.
Movie: *American Matchmaker*, Amerikaner Shadkhn, USA, 1940, 87 minutes, B&W, Yiddish with English subtitles; Directed by Edgar G. Ulmer.
Leo Fuchs, known on Second Avenue as “the Yiddish Fred Astaire,” plays an elegant and eligible bachelor who can never seem to close the marriage deal. Edgar G. Ulmer’s last Yiddish movie was also his most modern, an art deco romantic comedy about male ambivalence and Jewish assimilation. With its urbane, neurotic hero, American Matchmaker looks ahead to the films of Woody Allen.

Critical Acclaim:
“As in the best Yiddish theater traditions, there is a successful combination of humor and schmaltz with the sentimentality at the end well-earned by the comic insights along the way... None is more charming than American Matchmaker”.

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Please send a separate check for each movie you are going to attend.
**Wednesday, January 8 - General Meeting/Study Group – Barbara Seidenberg, On getting to know all about a new movie**

Where: Barbizon, 140 East 63rd Street, Club Salon, 3rd floor  
(Tell the doorman you are going to the Brandeis Meeting and he will key you in.)
11:00 a.m. General Meeting (Open to all BNC members)  
1 p.m. Study Group (Open to Study Group Members only)
Barbara Seidenberg, our very knowledgeable in-house movie fan, will discuss a new movie, presently in the theaters, in depth. Barbara will tell us all about who wrote and directed and acts in the movie and then lead us in a discussion of our reactions to the film. You will come away with the feeling you have been "behind the scenes"! Because she has to see what is still available in the theaters closer to our gathering time, Barbara will tell us which movie we will be discussing about two weeks before so you can see it before coming to the meeting. We will email that information to members of the Study Group as soon as we have it.

**Monday, January 13 - The Rubin Museum and lunch - $55 (Limited to 30 people)  
$65 – non-members**

11:15 a.m. Tour of the Rubin Museum 150 West 17th Street (between 7th and 8th Avenues).

The tour starts promptly at 11:30 a.m.  
The Rubin Museum houses one of the world’s preeminent collection of Himalayan art including over 3,800 objects spanning more than one thousand years up to the present day. There are works from the Tibetan plateau, with examples from related surrounding regions which share similar artistic traditions from their broad cultural, geographic, historical styles. Some of these regions represented include Nepal, Bhutan, Tibet, India, Kashmir, Pakistan, Afghanistan, China and Mongolia.

We will learn from our guide the common visual language of Himalayan Art, the materials and techniques used in creating these works, and the principal purposes for producing them.

We will also be introduced to the basic tenets of Hinduism and Buddhism.

1:00 p.m. Lunch at Lasagna Restaurant, 196 8th Avenue at 20th Street.

For more information, contact Michele Jarrett at: 718-344-1541 or michelepapers@gmail.com
Day of the tour you can call Michele’s cell: 718-344-1541
Send checks payable to BNC to Michele Jarrett, 860 UN Plaza, # 11B, New York, NY, 10017.

**Thursday, January 16 – Book Discussion - Finding My Voice: My Journey to the West Wing and the Path Forward, Valerie Jarrett - $20 (Limited to 15 people.)**

1:30 p.m. - Home of Barbara Ross, 185 East 85th Street, #17M  

Discussion Leaders: Barbara Ross and Elinor Lubin  
In this insightful insider memoir, Jarrett recounts her journey to the White House. She describes her remarkable family and unusual childhood.  
She spends the first five years of her life in Iran. She then focuses on her efforts to create a suitable career and household. Both fronts proved difficult: graduating from Stanford and the University of Michigan Law School, and originally choosing a career in private practice.

After leaving private practice, Valerie Jarrett devoted her life working in government, starting in Chicago. She describes the extraordinary events that started with her introduction to first Michelle and then Barack Obama and led her to work in the White House for eight years.

Send Checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin, 303 East 83rd Street, #12D, New York, NY, 10028.
GOTHAM CHAPTER KEEPS EXPANDING

We extend a warm welcome to our newest annual members:

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NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Annual dues apply through June 30, 2020 and payments are tax deductible.
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$60.00 – Regular
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Email:_____________________________________________________

Send checks payable to BNC along with the above information to:
Pat Glickman, 301 East 48th Street, #15F, New York 10017

Dues can also be paid by credit card by calling (888) 862-8692. Brandeis accepts MasterCard, Visa and American Express. Please also inform Pat Glickman, melapatb@aol.com or 212 486-3976, so we can add you to our Gotham chapter mailing list.

Privacy Policy: The University’s policy, and therefore our policy, is to respect the privacy of our members and their contact information. Our members’ contact information is solely for official Brandeis use and is not to be shared with any third party.

REASONS TO JOIN

BNC members:
1) Enjoy social gatherings, make new friends and meet individuals with shared interests.
2) Attend intellectually stimulating lectures.
3) Immerse themselves in lifelong learning with study groups, Brandeis faculty-authored guides and des film.
4) Meet our chapter’s student liaisons and learn about campus life.
5) Receive Brandeis Magazine, a publication especially for the Brandeis community.
6) Join a network of 25,000 individuals who value Brandeis University, founded on the principle of social justice.
**GOTHAM CALENDAR AT A GLANCE**

**Monday, September 9** – Brandeis Book Club (1st of 4 sessions) - $25 annual fee for 4 sessions  
*December 9, March 9 and May 11.*  
Open to study group members only.  
Send checks payable to BNC to Phyllis Chasin, 345 East 56th Street, #12G, New York, NY 10022.

**Wednesday, September 11** – Brandeis and You – Lunch Celebration and General Meeting – $25  
Speaker: *Letty Cottin Pogrebin* - author, activist, and national lecturer  
Reservations required.  
Send checks payable to BNC to Pat Glickman, 301 East 48th Street, #15F, New York, NY 10017.

**Thursday, September 12** – Brandeis Broadway Matinee Group - $25 annual fee (BNC members only)  
Please send checks payable to BNC to Roberta Kurland, 121 8th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, 11215.

**Tuesday, September 17** – His & Hers Walking Tour of the Hudson Yards - $35  
Send checks payable to BNC to Vicki Sipkin, 15-14 215th Street, Bayside, New York, NY 11360.

**Monday, September 23** – Hippies, Discos, and Dogs - Oh My!  
A Walking Tour of the northern end of the theater district and lunch  
Send checks payable to BNC to Cora Sue Kaufman 315 8th Avenue, #13B, New York, NY, 10001.

**Tuesday, September 24** – Ladies Who Lunch - $15 (BNC members only)  
**Friday October 25, Tuesday November 19, Friday December 20, and Tuesday January 14**  
Current members must re-register for fall sessions.  
Send checks payable to BNC to Lee Liss, 425 East 79th Street, #3B, New York, NY 10075.

**Thursday September 26** - Secret Staten Island Highlights – Bus Tour, Tibetan Museum & lunch - $85  
Send checks, payable to BNC, to Linda Schain 124 West 60th Street, #20E, New York, NY, 10023.

**Wednesday, October 2** - General Meeting/Study Group – Joseph Amiel – author, attorney, and new Spanish citizen.

**Thursday, October 3** – Tour of Seneca Village and Lunch - $53  
Send checks, payable to BNC, to Marian Jordan, 215 East 80th Street, #9G, New York, NY 10075.

**Thursday, October 17** – His & Hers Walking Tour of the Brooklyn Navy Yard: Past, Present & Future - $40  
Send Checks payable to BNC to Lela Somma, 45 Sutton Place South, #2G, New York, NY, 10022.

**Tuesday, October 22** - Chelsea Art Tour and lunch - $65 (members) - $75 (non-members)  
Send checks payable to BNC to Phyllis Gates 101 West 81st Street, #208, New York, NY, 10024.

**Thursday, October 24** - His & Hers: Movie and Discussion - $25 – *Welcome in Vienna Part 3, Where To and Back*  
Send checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin 303 East 83rd Street, #12D, New York, NY, 10028.

**Monday, October 28** – Annual Book and Author Luncheon at the Yale Club (see page 6 for details)  
Invitation and reservation details to be mailed at the end of the summer.

**Tuesday, October 29** – Special Study Group: Magazine Articles Discussion Group - $25 (4 sessions)  
*Also, November 26, December 24, and January 28*  
Current members must re-register for fall calendar sessions.  
Send checks payable to BNC to Tammy Weintraub, 445 East 80th Street, #10B, New York, NY, 10075.
GOTHAM CALENDAR AT A GLANCE, CONTINUED

**Wednesday, November 6** – General Meeting/Study Group – Maryanne Gerbauckas, National Park Service Ranger and Supervisor

**Tuesday, November 12** - New York Philharmonic Archives and Lunch - $42 (members only) 10:30 a.m. or 2:30 p.m. groups. Please indicate which group. Send checks payable to BNC to Maxine Schweitzer, 141 East 88th Street, #8H, New York, NY, 10128.

**Thursday, November 21** - His & Hers: Movie and Discussion - $25 - *The Dybbuk* Send checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin 303 East 83rd Street, #12D, New York, NY, 10028.

**Monday, November 25** - His & Hers - Book Discussion – $20 *Bad Blood, Secrets and Lies in a Silicon Valley Start-up* Send checks payable to BNC to Irv Winter, 140 East 63rd Street, Apt 8D, New York, NY, 10065.

**Wednesday, December 4** – General Meeting/Study Group: Jason Houston: It’s never too late to start improving your strength and balance

**Thursday, December 5** – NY Public Library Tour and Lunch - $60 Send checks payable to BNC to Lydia Rentel, 1725 York Avenue, #4A, New York, NY, 10128.

**Monday, December 9** - Special Study Group: Brandeis Book Club (2nd of 4 sessions)

**Thursday, December 12** – His & Hers: Movie and discussion - $25 (Limited to 30 members.) *American Matchmaker* Send checks payable to BNC to Elinor Lubin 303 East 83rd St., #12D, New York, NY, 10028.

**Wednesday, January 8** – General Meeting/Study Group – Barbara Seidenberg, *Annual Movie Discussion*

**Monday, January 13** - The Rubin Museum and lunch - $55 (Limited to 30 people.) $65 non-members Send checks payable to BNC to Michele Jarrett, 860 UN Plaza, # 11B, New York, NY, 10017.

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