

Adult Programming

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Art Classes

Mixed Media: Intermediate & Advanced

Mondays | Noon - 3 pm

Learn how to mix colors in all mediums (oil, acrylics, watercolor, pastels, etc.) to render brilliant works of art. Experiment with different techniques and develop your own unique style. Instructor works one-on-one with students and illustrates concepts with demonstrations. *Min. 6/Max. Maz 12*

Session 1: Oct. 7 - Nov. 25 | 8 weeks

Code: AC028A | *Register by October 1st*

Instructor: Joe Consalvo

M: \$75 **NM:** \$90

New! Beading Class

Crotchet Beading

Thursday, October 31 | 6:30 - 9:00 pm

M: \$40 | **NM:** \$50 | **Code:** AC026

**includes supplies*

Instructor: Sharon Friendly

Beading Class

Thursday, December 5 | 1:00 - 3:30 pm

M: \$40 | **NM:** \$50 | **Code:** SC027

**includes supplies*

Instructor: Sharon Friendly

Sit & Knit

Monthly, 1st & 3rd Tuesday | 1 - 3 pm

Share the pleasure of knitting as well as helping each other with a project or a pattern. All skill levels welcome. If you want to learn to knit, we will teach you how to do that too! Do a mitzvah – make a cap for those in need!

Free. Drop in at the J.



Film Series

Half the Kingdom (58 min)

Thursday, October 17 | 7:00 pm

In this provocative, award-winning documentary seven remarkable women from Canada, Israel, and the United States strive to find common ground between religious and cultural tradition and contemporary feminist principles.

Code: AEM1

Living for Tomorrow (53 min)

Thursday, December 12 | 7:00 pm

Director Dekel's grandmother, along with other young idealists from Eastern Europe, immigrated to Palestine in the 1920s resolved to build the kibbutz movement. Now in their 80s and 90s, these women offer candid evaluations of the their youth.

Code: AEM2

Mamadrama (73 min)

Thursday, January 23 | 7:00 pm

A funny, penetrating look at how the loving and affectionate portrayals in early Yiddish and Hollywood silent movies developed into the Jewish Mother of modern Hollywood and, conversely, the more flesh and blood characterizations in contemporary Israeli cinema.

Code: AEM3

\$10 per film or \$25 for the Series
Series Code: AEMS



Card Games at the J

Canasta Lessons

Mondays | 10 am - Noon

Canasta? What's Canasta? Always wanted to learn how to play this fun game? Now it's your chance to learn and make new friends at the same time! *Min. 4/Max 12.*

Session 1 | Oct. 14 - Nov. 4 | 4 weeks

Code: AC105 | *Register by October 8.*

Session 2 | Nov. 11 - Dec. 2 | 4 weeks

Code: AC105A | *Register by November 1.*

Instructor: Cheryl Senkfor

M: \$45 **NM:** \$65

Mah Jongg: Beginner Classes

Thursdays | 10 am - Noon

Mah Jongg is the fastest growing game for adults of all ages. It is a great way to meet new friends! This class is for those who have never played or need a refresher course. Mah Jongg Cards are available for purchase. *Min. 8./Max 12.*

Session 1 | Oct. 3 - Nov. 7 | 6 weeks

Code: AC075 | *Register by September 30*

Session 2 | Nov. 14 - Dec. 19 | 5 weeks

Code: AC075A | *Register by November 7*

No class Nov. 28.

Instructor: Vicki Errigo Hunt

Session 1: M: \$60 **NM:** \$80

Session 2: M: \$55 **NM:** \$75

Intermediate Classes

Wednesdays | 10 am - Noon

Session 1: Oct. 2 - Nov. 6 | 6 weeks

Session 2: Nov. 13 - Dec. 18 | 5 weeks

Session 1: M: \$60 **NM:** \$80

Code: AC076 | *Register by September 30*

Session 2: M: \$55 **NM:** \$75

Code: AC076A | *Register by November 7*



Bridge - Beginners Class

Tuesdays | 9:30 - 11:30 am

October 15 - December 3 | 8 weeks

Learn to play the world's greatest card game, exercise your mind, and have fun. No experience necessary. This class is for people who have never played before or those who would like to learn the American Standard system of Bridge. *Min. 8./Max 12. Register by September 24.*

Instructor: Farol Sax

M: \$75 **NM:** \$90 **Code:** AC101

Intermediate Classes

Tuesdays | 9:30 - 11:30 am

October 1 - November 19 | 8 weeks

For people who play bridge but are not familiar with the modern conventions. We will cover Stayman, Jacoby Transfers, Weak Two Bids, Strong 2 Club Openers, Limit Raises, Negative Doubles and Take-out Doubles.

Min. 8. Max 12. Register by September 24

Instructor: Richard Jacobson

M: \$75 **NM:** \$90 **Code:** AC102

Supervised Play

Tuesdays | 12:30 - 4:00 pm | Oct. 1 - Dec. 17

Mini Lesson: Noon - 12:30 pm

Weekly Drop In Rate: \$10/week

The instructor will assist each player in the many facets of the game to include: planning, strategy, play of the hand, bidding, leads and defensive signals. This class is most appropriate for those who have played before and want to increase their knowledge.

Instructor: Richard Jacobson/Farol Sacks

Code: AC103

OPEN PLAY – The card tables in Room 215-216 are open on a first come basis from 9:30am – 3:00pm when classes are not in session.



JCC Book Club

Monthly | 3rd Wednesday | 1 - 2:30 pm

Read fascinating books then share your thoughts with others in the group.

Sept. 18 | *The Storyteller* By Jodie Picoult

Oct. 16 | *The Orchardist* By Amanda Coplin

Nov. 20 | *The Burgess Boys* By Elizabeth Strout

Dec. 18 | TBA

Free. No Reservations required

Active Adult Programming

Let's Talk: A Current Events Discussion Group with Lee K

1st Wednesday | Monthly | 2:00 - 3:30 pm

Join Lee as he facilitates a stimulating discussion of the events of the month.

Free. Open to the community.

Mature Mavens Dinners

3rd Thursday | Monthly | 5:00 pm

Make new friends as we meet for dinner and socialize on the 3rd Thursday of every month. Dinner will be on separate checks. Reservations are required to the JCC.

Aug. 15 | Goldman's Deli | Code: ACS1

Sept. 19 | No Dinner - Sukkot

Oct. 17 | Mimi's Cafe (90th & Shea) | Code: ACS3

Nov. 21 | Abe's Deli | Code: ACS4

Art All Around Us

Monthly | 3rd Monday | 11 am - Noon

Meet at the JCC and join the Phoenix Art Museum Docents for a visual presentation of their latest exhibits.

Sept. 16 | Oct. 21 | Nov. 18 | Dec. 16

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Women of Talmud: An Educational Series

Co-Sponsored by Hadassah, VOSJCC, & The Women's Jewish Learning Center

Torah and Chutzpah: The Life of Bruria
October 2 | 7pm-8:30pm | Code: AET1

A Force of Nature: Stories about Yalta
December 8 | 10:00 - 11:30 am | Code: AET2

Rabbi Judah's Housekeeper: Wisdom in Unlikely Places
January 8 | 7pm-8:30pm | Code: AET3

Imma Shalom: Mother of Peace
March 2 | 10:00 - 11:30 am | Code: AET4

Price per Session: JCC/Hadassah/WJLC:
M: \$20/Session **NM:** \$25/Session

Series Price: JCC/Hadassah/WJLC:
M: \$50 **NM:** \$65

Series Code: AETS

Active Adult Brunch

August 11 | 10:00 - 11:00am
(followed by the Jewish Community Fair)

FREE with RSVP
(\$5 at the door with no RSVP)

Please call the Welcome Desk at 480.483.7121 ext. 1230

RSVP deadline: August 7

Code: AE1