

Fall 2023 Class Descriptions

Acrylic Painting – Join this fun all-levels class that will teach you how to mix colors and express yourself on canvas. *Supply list available in the Class Office.*

Advanced/Intermediate Canasta – It is perfect for anyone who just learned how to play, is returning to the game after learning years ago or anyone who enjoys practicing with instructional supervision. In a hand-on, active series of classes, you will play Canasta, improve your game skills, get faster, more strategic and learn signaling communication. This class is for players who know the basics.

Beginners Bridge - Learn and practice the basics of bridge with instructor Masha Blutman.

Beginning Conversational Hebrew – A beginning Hebrew conversation class focusing on comprehension of basic two-word sentences and progressing systematically to the understanding and usage of complex sentences.

Brush Up On Your Bridge – Haven't played bridge in a while? Classes on reminding you of what you used to know and adding onto what you would want to know about bridge conventions and play of the hands.

Canasta For Beginners - Learn the basic techniques of playing the skilled game of Canasta. You will learn how to count points, keep score, and the play of the hand. Singles and couples welcome. ***PLEASE NOTE: 4 decks of cards (2 of each color) and a Canasta tray is required for class.***

Ceramics & Clay – Learn, create, and enjoy endless opportunities of making a beautiful piece of your very own.

Chinese And Watercolor Painting With Roberta – playing with fun materials...Loose acrylics, waxes, salt, exotic collage papers and more. Using bamboo brushes from China, we explore the simple strokes of "The Four Gentlemen". People, Landscapes, Plants and Birds are painted quickly and expressively. Best Friends are always made in Roberta's wild classes. Most supplies are provided by Roberta.

Exercise Your Brain Through Games – Get to know your neighbors while enjoying some friendly competition! Join us for fun and interactive small group games selected to challenge your mind and boost your mood. Games will include music, trivia, problem solving, communication skills and more.

Floor Cloth Painting – Create a one-of-a-kind piece of art using canvas that you could put on the floor with a non-slip backing, hang on the wall, or even use as a table covering. The class is for open-minded painters to create any style, any format, using many painting techniques, i.e., stencil, sponge, free form.

Keep Your Hebrew Alive – Using the Hebrew language that you know, you will not want to lose it. A class for reading short moral stories, short conversations, and dialog after. Every story will probably bring new vocabulary. It is a fun conversation class.

Mind Odyssey – Geoff Kashdan is a retired educator, college instructor and school administrator. After decades of perfecting the art of classroom lecturing, he has created a series of counter-intuitive historical PowerPoint presentations aimed directly at educated adult life-long learners. Your body sits while your mind goes on a fascinating trip.

Mostly Acrylic & Texture – Celebrate your creative self, using acrylic and texture works of art with Patti McCully. Artists often combine different mediums to create unique works of art. Using acrylic paints along with various other mediums and techniques, you will create free-flowing, 3-D and/or textured abstracts. You don't need any experience in art, just a willingness to have fun.

Savvy Senior Tech With Anne Goldberg – The Savvy Senior – Learn to use smart phones. Phone basics explained: Gestures, Wi-fi; Declutter your digital life, best apps for seniors; Everything about texts, facebook messenger and WhatsApp; Stop the noise! Learn about notifications, sounds and display settings; Protect yourself online; and How to take and save pictures and videos, download from text and email.

Soft Pastels – This soft pastel class is designed to help students of all levels expand their artistic knowledge. Each student will get personalized instructions with the purpose to reach new technical and creative levels.

Supervised Bridge With Masha - The class is a supervised play class, where the instructor will assist you while you play the game.

Tarot Cards I – Beginners – Alleged to be of Kabalistic ancient origins, today, Tarot cards are enjoying a huge revival, and are fast becoming a cultural phenomenon. Each week, you will study the symbolism of 3-4 cards, and by the end of the six weeks, you will have learned how to do readings. Come, let's take the journey together.

Tarot Cards II – Intermediate – Learn to Read the Minor Arcana. Whether you have taken the Major Arcana class, or are familiar with the Major Arcana, unlocking the code of the 56 Minor Arcana cards will be illuminating and growth-enhancing.

Tarot Cards III – Advanced – Integrating Major and Minor Arcana Cards. Unlocking the code of the 78 Arcana cards will be illuminating and growth-enhancing.

Tarot Cards IV – Tarot Card Expansion - This new comprehensive program is designed to take your understanding of Tarot cards to new heights, empowering you to harness their wisdom for an expansive array of purposes. Delve into advanced card interpretations, intricate spreads, and the art of intuitive reading. Gain profound insights into relationships, personal growth, career choices, and spiritual guidance. This class is meant for those who already have extensive knowledge of Tarot Cards.

The Meditation Circle – Our focus in this class is to deepen each participant's internal journey toward peace and fulfillment. There will be very little speaking in this class to emphasize the meditative time and experience. Join us in our journey toward the "Light".

Under The Stars – This class in Basic Astrology will give you an understanding and insight into the everyday world of Astrology. More than informative, this class will provide both learning and fun! Come and learn about yourself, your friend, your place in the universe (life).