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FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

Just as our Brandeis year is beginning with so many wonderful programs for our growth and enjoyment, so too are our students beginning their 2016-17 scholarly year at Brandeis with a new University President.



Ronald Liebowitz has been named the ninth president of Brandeis University. He is the former president of Middlebury College, in Vermont, and a proven visionary leader. Trustee, Larry Kanarek '76, who led the search committee, said, "From the very beginning, it was clear that Ron met every one of the committee's criteria. He has exceptional, transferable leadership experience and a proven record of advancing academic excellence. He is financially savvy and a superb fundraiser." Robin Feuer Miller, Humanities professor and search committee member said, "He fully understands the special mission of Brandeis as a research university and a liberal-arts college, and has a deep knowledge of the challenges facing higher education today."

In accepting the Presidency, Ron Liebowitz said all that we feel and support, **"The University's founding, based on the premise of offering an education to those who had been excluded from the finest universities, is inspiring. It's commitment to social justice represents a precious compass for an institution of higher education in the 21st century. And its Jewish heritage and roots reflect a learning environment committed not only to critical thinking but to self-criticism as well."**

In 2009, time magazine named Liebowitz one of the 10 best U.S. College Presidents. We welcome him and look forward to him bringing his intellect and energy to Brandeis.

Lastly, as you read this first bulletin of the season, you will note the many interesting programs we have planned. My board and I look ahead to an exciting Brandeis year and having you participate in our exceptional study groups, special events and programs.

Best wishes for a sweet year ahead, L'Shannah Tovah.

Ruth

THE FLORIDA REGION CORNER

Dear BNC chapter members,

Some of you may not have given a second thought to that “layer” above your chapter-- the Florida Region, comprised of nine chapters throughout Florida. Our purpose is to disseminate information we receive from National, located at Brandeis University in Waltham, Massachusetts, and to hold a few events throughout the year. That is the goal of this column: to pass this information on directly to you and provide you any assistance you need. This continues the goal of making Region a better known entity.

SAVE THE DATES: Our first event will be held on December 15. America Now and in the Future will feature speakers on Terrorism, Women’s Health Issues, and Race Relations--all pertinent subjects of tremendous importance to each of us. University on Wheels will be held on January 6th at the South County Civic Center where a Brandeis Professor will present their topic. I have always found them fascinating, enthusiastic, and well versed in their topic. Do save the date for our UOW.

The National Executive Committee (that’s the layer above Region together with the National Office) has determined that there are no longer any associate members. Everyone can be a member of any chapter they want--or several (but you only pay National dues to one chapter which you designate your primary one). If you go up north for any length of time and want to attend a BNC chapter in that area, the National Office (781-716-7588) can let you know the correct contact. If you desire to receive all communications from another chapter (to include newsletters and study guide), that chapter may charge you a small fee to cover printing and postage.

Please support our current Scholarship campaign- we are more than half way towards our two year goal of \$1 million. Brandeis is a very special university and BNC contributes to finding and funding the best and brightest. Check out the website at Brandeis.edu/BNC for more information. If you have any questions call your president and feel free to call me at 561 -965-9071 if you can’t find someone to help you.

Best,

Ronnie Gerstein,
FL Region President

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15
REGION SYMPOSIUM
“AMERICA NOW AND IN THE FUTURE”

TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2017
YIDDISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE
WORDS ALIVE! JOAN RIVERS

MONDAY, JANUARY 30
BREAKFAST WITH BRANDEIS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31
MUSEUM TRIP TO NAPLES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21
WORDS ALIVE!

MONDAY, MARCH 13
BREAKFAST WITH BRANDEIS

SUNDAY, MARCH 19
LOVE LOST AND WHAT I WORE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22
BOOK AND AUTHOR LUNCHEON AT
THE POLO COUNTRY CLUB

THURSDAY, APRIL 6
TRIP TO LITTLE HAVANA, MIAMI

SUNDAY, MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC
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CAPITAL STEPS **ANOTHER ELECTION, ANOTHER SONG**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016 @ 7:30 P.M.
LYNN UNIVERSITY, THE WOLD PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
3601 N. Military Trail (between Spanish River & Potomac)

The famous ex-Senate staffers who create a special brand of parody, satire and song. They are hilarious and this should be a great evening. This election year, imagine the fun they will have.

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PIAF! THE SHOW *starring the French singer, Anne Carrere*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2016 @ 7:30 P.M.
LYNN UNIVERSITY, THE WOLD PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
3601 N. Military Trail (between Spanish River & Potomac)

Anne Carrere captures the soul of France's national chartreuse, Edith Piaf. Her songs define the courage, sorrow and romance of the City of Light.

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SOUTH COUNTY CIVIC CENTER, 16700 JOG ROAD, DELRAY BEACH

Please join us for a special presentation by
Randy Del Lago, Artistic Director of the Delray Beach Playhouse discussing
“The Mizner Brothers”

If you’ve never experienced Randy you will be enlightened, and if you have,
you will be captivated all over again. For information please call Arleen Roberts at 561-392-5031

Also please save additional Breakfast With Brandeis Meeting dates:

Monday, January 30, 2017

A personal story by Dr. Jack Barie and Jacqueline Barie, grandparents of Jazz,
a transgender High School student known for her TV series and Barbara Walters’s interview

And

Monday, March 13, 2017

An insider account of the famous psychological Kitty Genovese Case that rocked the nation by
Robert Sparrow, Attorney, who along with his father, Sydney Sparrow, represented defendant Winston Moseley

COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM ‘WANT TO BECOME A COLLECTOR?’ WELCOME TO CAPS OF LOVE: HELPING THE DISABLED

The goal of our non-profit organization is to help the disabled.

“Caps Of Love” is the only US affiliate with the international charity “Bouchons D’Amour.” By recycling plastic caps, we raise money to buy wheelchairs for disabled children. This also has an environmental benefit as discarded caps are put in our landfills or incinerated and harm the earth if they are not recycled. Plastic caps are a different grade of plastic from the bottles and are valuable in bulk. They can be sold to companies using recycled “post-consumer” plastic to create new products such as plastic shipping pallets, plastic park benches, plastic paint cans and many other items.

Nondiscrimination Policy

“Caps of Love” does not discriminate or support on the basis of race, religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, national origin, or physical or developmental disability.

Have you ever thought about how much you could change things just by not throwing out your plastic caps?

OR

Collect soda tabs for Ronald McDonald House and help sick children and their families. The tabs are what make “Pop Tab Bracelets”. These unusual, fun bracelets sell for \$5.00 to \$15.00 and make a real fashion statement! They are the brainchild of a local teenager, Lexi Masciarella. For more information contact: Arleen Roberts at arlollypops@comcast.net

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17TH ANNUAL BOOK & AUTHOR LUNCHEON

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2017

Book Signing and Coffee Service begins at 9:00 a.m.

The Polo Country Club

Boca Raton, FL

Chris Bohjalian
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Paula McLain
Lisa Unger
Wendy Walker

The Guest Room
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Circling the Sun
Ink and Bone
All is Not Forgotten

\$100 Member Admission & Luncheon
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\$250 Seating with an Author

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*There are no tickets issued. Verification of received checks by e-mail only.

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BOOK THOUGHTS

We are very excited with our March luncheon slate of authors, so I will launch my fall suggestions with one of them.

Chris Bohjalian is an exceptional novelist whose books have been consistent best sellers. His latest, *THE GUEST ROOM*, is no exception. It is one of his most compelling novels. If you go to his website, he explains he decided to write a short story about the novel's main character, Alexandra. Read it. The story is set in the days prior to the narrative. Fascinating why he chose to write it ... he will explain.

In addition, one of my favorites of his early books is *THE DOUBLE BIND*; a spell-binding tale of intrigue that will make you a fan of his forever. *CLOSE YOUR EYES HOLD HANDS* is also an exceptional tale of a school shooting and its aftermath. Unfortunately, this novel and its subject matter is particularly timely. Read them all and enjoy. You will meet him next March.

Helene Barasch

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!

Brandeis National Committee CONCERT SCHEDULE 2016- 2017

Chairman: Pat Knapp 998-7784

**All Performances at Steinway Piano Gallery,
7940 N. Federal Highway, Boca Raton
On East Side of Federal between Yamato and Linton.**

Doors Open at 3:30 PM - Concerts at 4:00 PM

Members - \$20.00 per Concert

Guests and “all at door” \$25.00 per Concert

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| I. | Duo Beaux Arts
Sunday, Nov 6 | Tao Lin, Piano
Catherine Lan, Piano |
| II. | Virtuoso Violin
Sunday, December 18 | Tao Lin, Piano
Aleksandre Zhuk, Violin |
| III. | On Stage
Sunday, Jan 8 | Robert Prester, Piano
Adriana Samargia, Vocal |
| IV. | Special Concert
An Afternoon with Classical Piano
Sunday, Jan 22 | Giorgi Chkhikvadze, Piano
(Sinai Residences) |
| V. | In the Spotlight
Sunday, Feb 12 | Darren Matias, Piano |
| VI. | Piano Personalities
Sunday, Feb 26 | Catherine Lan, Piano
Tao Lin, Piano |
| VII. | In Concert
Sunday, March 12 | Jure Rozman, Piano |
| VIII. | Musical Interludes
Sunday, April 2 | David Pedraza, Viola
Tao Lin, Piano |
| IX. | Flute Fantasy
Sunday, April 9 | Catherine Lan, Piano
Meghan Brachle, Flute |

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!

I. Duo Beaux Arts Sunday, Nov 6

Tao Lin, Piano
Catherine Lan, Piano

Steinway Artist Tao Lin has been a prize winner at the Palm Beach International Competition, William Kapel International Chamber Music Competition, and the Osaka International Chamber Music Competition. He has given recitals at the Kennedy Center, National Gallery, 92nd Street Y., Norway's Grieg Museum, - to name a few. Mr. Lin has collaborated with the St. Petersburg, Miami and Bergonzi Quartets-as well as with colleagues Elmar Oliviera, and Eugenia Zuckerman. He is a prolific recording artist.

Catherine Lan Recognized as a child prodigy, Catherine Lan won her first competition at age 8 and has been the recipient of scholarships, prestigious awards and the winner of many competitions. In 2006, Dr. Lan gave her harpsichord debut with the Bergonzi String Quartet. She received her Masters in music and her Doctoral of Musical Arts Degree in Piano Performance. Currently, Dr. Lan is on the faculty at Palm Beach Atlantic Univ. and Broward College, teaching piano, oboe, and music theory, and serves as staff pianist at Bowdoin International Music Festival.

II. Virtuoso Violin Sunday, December 18:

Tao Lin, Piano
Aleksandre Zhuk, Violin

Born into a celebrated musical family in Moscow, Russia, **Aleksandre Zhuk** began studying violin at age six at the Gnessin Special School for Gifted Children. He has performed throughout Europe the United States, Russia and South America, as a soloist, chamber musician, and concertmaster. During 2001-2004 seasons Mr. Zhuk served as one of the concertmasters of the Miami's New World Symphony, a unique orchestra led by Michael Tilson Thomas consolidating the most talented young musicians from all over the world. Currently he is a member of the Florida Grand Opera Orchestra and the first violin of Sona Strings Quartet in Miami as well as the Russian Virtuosi of Europe. Mr. Zhuk holds a Bachelor's and Master's Degree and a Graduate Performance Diploma.

III. On Stage Sunday, Jan 8

Robert Prester, Piano
Adriana Samargia, Vocal

About Robert and Adriana:

Individually, **Robert and Adriana** are both busy solo musicians performing in a wide variety of classical and jazz venues in Florida, and internationally. Together, they form a tightly knit, highly stylized musical unit of voice and piano, performing an eclectic blend of classic jazz, great American Songbook tunes, and Brazilian jazz. Adriana's angelic voice and highly articulate improvisations, coupled with Robert's tasty harmonic accompaniments and solo virtuosity, create a unique and exciting sound that entertains those of all ages.

Adriana Samargia is a south Florida classical and jazz musician. Along with a busy solo career she has been the Director of Music Ministries at Historic St. Ann Roman Catholic Church of West Palm Beach since 2005, where she directs all masses, funerals, weddings, leads choirs and trains soloists. She founded her vocal ensemble The Parson Brown Singers in 2001 and enjoys a wide array of performances with them including choreographed "flash mobs" advertising international corporations. For recording projects in the early '90's she was honored with Downbeat Magazine's Best Jazz Vocal Soloist award. Adriana's talents have spread to cartoon, television and radio through recorded roles and jingles - even voices inside of toys!

Robert Prester began classical piano studies at the age of 3, later adding jazz to his repertoire. Robert received quarter finals nomination for the 1988 Grammy awards for his first recording, Trillium. His most recent recording Dogtown, presents Robert's newest compositions, featuring his jazz and latin-jazz piano work. Robert has performed solo concert recitals in New York, Maine, Florida, Massachusetts, and Hawaii. His newest classical composition, a solo piano sonata, was recently premiered at the Festival Internacional de San Miguel de Allende in Mexico, and was performed at the National Gallery in Washington DC. He now resides in Florida, teaching, recording, composing, and concertizing.

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- IV. Special Concert** **Giorgi Chkhikvadze, Piano**
An Afternoon with Classical Piano **(Held at Sinai Residences)**
Sunday, Jan 22
Chopin ... 3 Waltzes **Chopin ... Scherzo #2**
Gershwin ... Rhapsody in Blue **Liszt ... B Minor Sonata**

Sinai Residences, 21036 95th Avenue South, Boca Raton, Glades Road to 95th Ave South then south onto JCC Campus to guard house.

Giorgi Chkhikvadze is currently a piano professor at Palm Beach State College. He frequently performs in various concert halls in South Florida including Duncan Hall, Amarnick-Goldstein Concert Hall, Wold Performing Arts Center, New World Center in Miami, and the Miami Steinway Gallery.

Giorgi Chkhikvadze holds a Bachelor's and Master's Degree and received his Professional Performance Certificate. He has studied under the tutelage of Stephen Perry, Lori Sims, Alexander Toradze.

- V. In the Spotlight** **Darren Matias, Piano**
Sunday, Feb 12

Darren Matias started playing the piano at age 14. He is the recipient of several awards and grants has appeared as soloist of the Philippine Philharmonic Orchestra, FilHarmonika, Lynn Philharmonia, and University of Santo Tomas Symphony among others. He also appeared as Mr. Liberace at the Kravis Center. Mr. Matias was a scholar when he earned his Bachelor's of Music. He recently earned his Master's of Music and his Professional Performance Certificate.

- VI. Piano Personalities**
Joint Solo **Tao Lin, Piano**
Sunday, Feb 26 **Catherine Lan, Piano**

See bios from I. Duo Beaux Arts, Sunday, Nov 6

- VII. In Concert** **Jure Rozman, Piano**
Sunday, March 12

Jure Rozman is an Assistant Professor and Music Program Coordinator at Broward College in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. He was born in Slovenia, where he received his first musical instruction and then studied at the prestigious University Mozarteum in Salzburg, Austria. Jure completed his Master's and Doctoral Degrees in the United States. He has won many awards, including first prizes in Slovene National Piano Competition in 1995 and 2001. Jure has made several audio and video recordings for the Slovene National Radio and is also active as a chamber musician, accompanist and vocal coach. Finally, Jure Rozman is a strong advocate and presence in the music program at Broward College.

- VIII. Musical Interludes** **David Pedraza, Viola**
Sunday, April 2 **Tao Lin, Piano**

David Pedraza, violist, was born in Mexico and started his musical studies at 14 under Jose Vazquez. From 2003 to 2005 he was part of the Youth Orchestra of the Americas under Placido Domingo, Carlos Prieto and Gustav Dudamel, David holds a Professional Performance Certificate from Lynn University and recently finished his MA of Music on a full scholarship. He has performed in Mexico, Bahamas, Dominican Republic, Spain and the UK. Currently he is part of the Vitali Quartet, Symphony of the Americas and Miami Symphony.

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IX. Flute Fantasy
Sunday, April 9

Catherine Lan, Piano
Meghan Brachle, Flute

A native of Denver, Colorado, **Meghan Brachle** was awarded a full tuition academic and music scholarship to study at Loyola University New Orleans and completed additional studies at the Univ. of Miami. As a young musician, Ms. Brachle performed in music festivals in Ireland and Italy, as well in Estes Park, Colorado. She has performed with the Naples Philharmonic Orchestra, the New World Symphony, the Boca Sinfonia, and the Symphony of the Americas. She is a co-founder of the Chrysalis Chamber Players, who in their first season earned a grant from the Yale Alumni Foundation.

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All Performances at Steinway Piano Gallery
NOTE: Jan 22 (IV Concert) at Sinai Residences

Circle concerts for which you are registering. Include this form with your check made payable to BNC.

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Fees: Member - \$20 each concert, Guest and "at door"- \$25 each concert

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**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2016 @ 1:30 P.M.**

SUSAN SWETT

5871 Bridleway Circle in Lakes of Sutton at The Polo Club (*Military Trail between Clint Moore and Linton*)

We are fortunate to have Susan again this year to do a lively interactive discussion and food demonstration session for us at her home.

It should be a wonderful afternoon, full of info and delicious treats for the holidays. Susan would like everyone attending to bring their favorite hors d'ourve, dessert or brunch recipe and a sample for all to taste.

The cost of this program is \$20. Space is limited to 15 attendees so don't waste any time in signing up.

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SIMON AND GARFUNKLE - Their Wonderful Music and History

The Pinksip Duo has performed at Delray's Colony Hotel, The Old Key Lime House, Singer Island Marriott, and many other venues in South Florida. We all know and love the music of Simon and Garfunkel. Join us for a wonderful afternoon of their music and learn about their lives and history throughout the years.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2016 @ 11:15 P.M.

DELRAY BEACH GOLF CLUB, 2200 HIGHLAND AVENUE, DELRAY BEACH

From 1-95 take Atlantic Avenue West about 1/2 mile to Homewood.

Turn left and left again onto Highland Avenue and go directly to Delray Beach Golf Club

For only \$43 per person (\$10 of this payment is tax deductible) you will enjoy a full buffet lunch and be entertained by the folk singing duo of Bill and Joan and learn more about this unique form of American music through a wonderful video presentation. You will retrace the steps of these music legends and sing-along with them. You are in for a treat!!!

PINKSLIP - Simon Garfunkle - \$43.00 PER PERSON

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Email Address _____ Community _____
of People _____ Total Enclosed _____
Guest Names (Please Print) _____

Please send attached coupon and check made out to BNC to:

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Proceeds will be allocated to "Sustaining The Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships."

Brandeis National Committee
Florida Region

Annual Symposium
“America Now and in the Future”

Thursday, December 15, 2016 9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

South County Civic Center
16700 Jog Road, Delray Beach

\$33 for BNC members, \$40 for guests
includes Continental Breakfast and Lunch

Guest Speakers

Terrorism: Palm Beach County Emergency Management Center

Women’s Health: Delray Hospital Speakers’ Bureau

Race Relations: Southern Poverty Law Center

Proceeds to benefit the BNC Scholarship Campaign
(Tax deductible amount: \$5 members, \$12 nonmembers/guests)

For more information contact:

Zelda Freedman at (561) 373-9018, email: zmfl@aol.com

To reserve your seat, please call Renee Kahn at (561) 736-1263

BRANDEIS BOOK STORE

Please note that we have officially closed the Brandeis Book Store on Lyons Road in Boca Raton. It is with great appreciation that we thank the many volunteers who over the years devotedly worked in the store, especially, Molly Seiden, store manager, Fern Jacoby, Sophie Alpert, Cele Axelrod, Jewel Handis, Natalie Mandelbatt and Micki Schner, all members of our chapter. We also thank our membership who donated and supported the store.

Please Join Us For A Fabulous Afternoon
RIVA GINSBURG, Scholar And Comedian Presents

A CELEBRATON OF YIDDISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

Thursday, January 17, 2017 @ 11:15 A.M.

BOCAIRE COUNTRY CLUB, Military Trail between Clint Moore and Linton,
across the Polo Club entrance - Valet parking provided

For only **\$44** per person you will enjoy a lavish buffet lunch and be entertained by Riva Ginsburg, a native speaker of Yiddish. You are in for a treat!!! She will give a lively, informative, humorous and interactive presentation on **A CELEBRATON OF YIDDISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE**.

No knowledge of Yiddish is required to enjoy our guest speaker. What fun we will have!

A CELEBRATON OF YIDDISH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE - \$44.00 PER PERSON

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Email Address _____ Community _____
of People _____ Total Enclosed _____
Guest Names (Please Print) _____

Please send attached coupon and check made out to BNC to:

CAROLYN HOLLAND, 1587 Pathway Lane, Boynton Beach, FL 33437 (561) 742-3366

Proceeds will be allocated to "Sustaining The Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships."

THEATRICAL TRIO "WORDS ALIVE!"

PRESENTS

"REMEMBERING JOAN RIVERS: BEHIND THE MASK OF COMEDY"

Tuesday, February 21st, 2017 at 1:30 P.M.

SOUTH COUNTY CIVIC CENTER, 16700 JOG RD, DELRAY BEACH

Till the day she died, Joan Rivers carried the mantle of the funniest and hardest working woman in show business. From her own words and those of her mother and daughter, the Theatrical Trio "WORDS ALIVE" will dramatize the back-story of Joan Rivers.

Fee \$25.00

Join us for this wonderful program and discussion.

THEATRICAL TRIO "WORDS ALIVE" - \$25.00 PER PERSON

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Email Address _____ Community _____
of People _____ Total Enclosed _____
Guest Names (Please Print) _____

Please send attached coupon and check made out to BNC to:

ARLYNE STERNBERG, 7764 Edinborough Lane, Delray Beach, FL 33446 (561) 637-1885

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MEMBERSHIP

Welcome New Members

Gloria Annexstein	Susan Friedman	Lillian Karp
Barbara Berlin	Rochelle Genn	Gail Katz
Judith Chason	Susan Grandt	Joan Rapaport
Joan Diamant	Helene Guller	Jerri Shapas
Ruth Fader	Carol Kaplan	Joan Sherman

NEW MEMBER APPLICATION

Talk to your friends, neighbors and relatives. Tell them about the advantage of membership in BNC. Ask them to fill out a New Membership Application. Make copies if more are needed.

BOCA RATON CHAPTER BRANDEIS NATIONAL COMMITTEE NEW MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Florida Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Email: _____ Community: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Cell Number: _____

Out of State Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Date Arriving FL: ____/____/____ Date Leaving FL: ____/____/____

New Membership Dues For Fiscal Year July 1, 2016, to June 30, 2017:

Please Circle Level of Membership Desired:

Annual: \$60 Couples: \$100 (two people living at same address)

Please write "New Member" on check and make payable to BNC.
Mail to: Joan Schreiber, 10930 Lakemore Lane, Boca Raton, FL 33498.

DUES FOR 2016-2017

Don't be left out of important Brandeis events because your membership has lapsed. Bills were mailed in May, if you did not receive one here is all the information on how to pay your dues for 2016-2017.

BY Mail-BNC, P.O. Box 549110, Mailstop 132, Waltham, MA 02454
To Pay by Credit Card-phone 781-736-4171
or online at <http://giving.brandeis.edu/bncmembership>

BE SURE TO NOTE THE BOCA RATON CHAPTER ON YOUR PAYMENT

If you are not sure of your status, please contact me -
it is no problem for me to check your membership.

Ellie Mero, 4ellie@comcast.net or 561-716-0980

DO WE HAVE YOUR CORRECT E-MAIL ADDRESS?

If you would like to be included in all the latest news and updates from our chapter and are NOT already on our e-mail list, please send me your e-address and I will add you to our e-mail list.

Ellie Mero, 4ellie@comcast.net

ATTENTION: BOCA CHAPTER SNOWBIRD MEMBERS

If you want uninterrupted mailing of the Boca Raton Chapter Bulletin, please complete the coupon below and mail immediately to:

Ellie Mero 22821 Windsor Wood Ct., Boca Raton, FL 33433

E-mail: 4ellie@comcast.net

I am a member of Boca Raton BNC

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Summer Phone # _____

Date leaving Florida ____/____/____ Date Returning ____/____/____

PLEASE NOTIFY US EACH YEAR TO CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS - BOTH ON DEPARTING THE AREA AND RETURNING.

ATTENTION ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

To Members of Other Chapters who receive our mailing our year runs from July 1 thru June 30. Your membership expires on June 30, 2015.

If you wish to continue your mailing uninterrupted, please send your check for \$20.00 payable to BNC to: Ellie Mero

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Florida Address _____ Apt. _____

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Date leaving Florida ____/____/____ Date Returning ____/____/____

I am a member of Chapter name _____

PLEASE NOTIFY US EACH YEAR TO CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS - BOTH ON DEPARTING THE AREA AND RETURNING.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN EXCITING JOURNEY
TO NAPLES WITH VISITS TO

**THE HOLOCAUST MUSEUM
AND THE NAPLES MUSEUM OF ART**

WITH PRIVATELY LED DOCENT TOURS
LUNCH AT JANES ON THE AVENUE
IF TIME PERMITS, BROWSE THE SHOPS AND BOUTIQUES

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31st, 2017

Departure: **8:30 AM** from BOCAIRE COUNTRY CLUB, Military Trail between Clint Moore
and Linton, across the Polo Club entrance. We will return at approximately 6:15 PM.

Your payment of **\$95** includes 2 guided tours and lunch ~including light beverages and gratuities.

Proceeds will be allocated to "Sustaining The Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships."

**NAPLES WITH VISITS TO THE HOLOCAUST MUSEUM
AND THE NAPLES MUSEUM OF ART**

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31st, 2017

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

COMMUNITY _____

PHONE: HOME _____ CELL _____

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CAROLE STEINBERG, 6298 BRAVA WAY, BOCA RATION, FL 33433
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Brandeis University

Dear Members,

Brandeis is a place that was founded on big, bold ambitions and I hope you feel a sense of pride because you continue to be a critical part of our success.

Our Jewish roots remain vital to our everyday operations and our Brandeis community, and our commitment to inclusivity and justice dictate the path of every program and initiative on campus.

I wanted to share a few highlights from Brandeis this past academic year and it is very exciting to think of how far we have come and how bright our future is.

- Brandeis names American Jewish historian Jonathan Sarna '75, MA'75, University Professor, the highest honor for faculty
- Brandeis was ranked first in the U.S. for student engagement in community service by Princeton Review, a recognition of Brandeis' longstanding commitment to social justice and giving back
- The Heller School for Social Policy and Management at Brandeis University was recently ranked in the top 10 schools for social policy
- Brandeis' Schuster Institute for Investigative Journalism, the nation's first investigative reporting center based at a university, helps free another wrongfully convicted man
- Anita Hill was appointed as a University Professor
- The MakerLab in the Farber Library engages faculty and students across the campus. Every day dozens of students complement their classroom learning with 3D printing and it is a space where technology meets learning and innovation to solve real world problems
- Ruth Bader Ginsburg visited the Brandeis campus to speak in celebration of Louis Brandeis' legacy on the 100th anniversary of his nomination to the Supreme Court
- The Crown Center for Middle East Studies celebrates 10 Years
- Our world-class Brandeis scientists continue to make ground-breaking progress on therapeutics for neurological diseases, vaccines against deadly viruses, drug delivery devices, and application of solutions to the world's biggest problems

Most importantly our students give us hope and we are certain our graduates will go on to apply what they learned to shape the future and make the world a better place.

Brandeis continues to appreciate your support in so many ways: as ambassadors, volunteers and leaders in your chapters, mentors, as well as your moral and financial support. Thank you!

Sincerely,

M'Lissa Brennan
Director of Strategy and Development, 781-736-4178

“AN AFTERNOON WITH THE ARTISTS” ALONG THE CALLE OCHO IN MIAMI

THURSDAY, APRIL 6th, 2017

Departure: **8:30 AM** from BOCAIRE COUNTRY CLUB, Military Trail between Clint Moore and Linton, across the Polo Club entrance. We will return at approximately 5:30 PM.

Your payment of **\$115** includes guided tours and lunch at a great restaurant including light beverages and gratuities. Any special food requests, please call me.

This will be a day of exploration of 8th Street - the Calle Ocha. You will learn the history, art, culture and taste the food of the area. It should be interesting and great fun!

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“AN AFTERNOON WITH THE ARTISTS” ALONG THE CALLE OCHO IN MIAMI

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 2017

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STUDY GROUP SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER	Time	Location	DECEMBER	Time	Location
Nov 8 Current Literature	1:30 pm	Villa Costa	Dec 1 Knitting "Kneedles"	1:00 pm	Kane
Nov 15 First Families	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 5 Master Strokes	1:30 pm	Sinai Residences
Nov 16 Curtain Call	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 7 Arab World in Crisis	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
Nov 17 The Reel Thing	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 8 Here's to the Ladies	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
Nov 18 Best Short Stories	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 12 Jewish Confrontation	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
Nov 21 The Great Salons	1:30 pm	Sinai Residences	Dec 13 Current Literature	1:30 pm	Villa Costa
Nov 28 Jewish Confrontation	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 13 First Families	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
Nov 28 1600 Pennsylvania Ave	7:00 pm	So County Civic Center	Dec 14 Curtain Call	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
Nov 29 Smashing the Grass Ceiling	1:30 pm	Sinai Residences	Dec 16 Best Short Stories	1:30 pm	So County Civic Center
			Dec 19 The Great Salons	1:30 pm	Sinai Residences

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