

LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE – MANASSAS

SPRING 2020 PROGRAM GUIDE



Learn as if you were to live forever.

-Mahatma Gandhi

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Spring Registration & Social

Wednesday, January 15, 2020 (snow date Friday 17th)
1:00-3:00 p.m.

Hylton Performing Arts Center
10960 George Mason Circle, Manassas

Directions: From Prince William Parkway turn right onto University Blvd. if you're going north, left if you're going south. Take first left and then left at dead end and follow into parking lot.

- Invite prospective members to attend
- Register for classes (cash or checks, no credit cards). Be sure to bring a blank check in case your final dollar amount changes.
- Meet class coordinators
- Learn about LLI's various clubs
- Participate in drawings for door prizes
- Socialize with other members and enjoy light refreshments

Annual Membership and Business Meeting

Wednesday, April 22, Regency Clubhouse
15351 Championship Dr., Haymarket, VA 20169
See page 15 for details and sign-up instructions.

Thank You to LLI Venues

The following offer meeting space free of charge:

Bethel Lutheran Church
Dar al-Noor Islamic Community Center
Hylton Performing Arts Center
Juke Box Diner
Manassas Park Community Center
Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA-Manassas)
Quarry Station Senior Apartments
Trinity Episcopal Church

Volunteer Opportunities

In order to continue to grow and develop, LLI-Manassas needs you to step forward to offer your skills and time in a variety of ways. Please contact any member of the Board of Directors to discuss how you can be of service through any one of the six current committees. You will find the contact information for all members of the board at the back of this program guide.

NOVA Educational Opportunities for Seniors

LLI members are invited to explore educational opportunities offered by Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA) through the Workforce Development & Continuing Education office.

Details are explained in a mailer the college sends to local residents. Additional information is available on NOVA's website:
<https://www.nvcc.edu/admissions/apply/seniors.html>

LLI-Manassas Is Grateful To

Northern Virginia Electric Cooperative (NOVEC) for a grant, which helps pay our technology and website expenses.

At-A-Glance Chart

The At-A-Glance-Chart is on pages 9 and 10. Classes are listed in order by date beginning with registration and going through the final class on May 22. Each date of multi-session classes is listed separately.

About the Lifelong Learning Institute

The Lifelong Learning Institute (LLI-Manassas) is a membership organization managed by and for its members. Our mission is to establish a community of adults, 50 years of age and older, that provides affordable educational and social opportunities in a friendly atmosphere. We are hosted by Northern Virginia Community College (NOVA)-Manassas Campus.

We offer daytime and occasional evening classes. In addition to the classes, trips, speaker forums and clubs scheduled for fall and spring semesters, social activities and special events are offered throughout the year. Classes are held at various locations including NOVA-Parrish Hall, Hylton Performing Arts Center, churches, community centers and senior living facilities. Instructors and presenters, who come from diverse backgrounds, are experts in their fields and leaders in various professions. Some are also LLI members.

LLI provides a relaxed, non-threatening atmosphere to facilitate learning. Mental stimulation is as important as physical exercise in maintaining good health. Making new friends is also an important part of the LLI concept.

Members can attend as many classes and activities as they wish, depending on available space. There will be charges for trips and for some classes and special events. Any person age 50 or older is cordially invited to become a member by completing the online membership application or the form at the back of this program guide.

LLI-Manassas may from time to time award an individual scholarship consisting of a dues-paid membership for either a full or half-year. Requests for a scholarship may be submitted by members on behalf of themselves or another person (prospective member). This request must be in writing and detail the reasons and justification for the award. Submit requests to the secretary, Cathy Walsh.

The Manassas LLI was organized in 2003 and is one of many LLIs located throughout the United States and Canada. Most (including LLI-Manassas) are affiliates of the Elderhostel Institute Network (EIN). Visit their website at www.roadsscholar.org/ein/intro.asp to learn more about other LLIs.

S2020 Dues, Registration & Other Information

Membership dues must be paid before you register for classes. You can pay by three methods: 1. By credit card on the LLI website (preferred); 2. By check with your mailed-in class registration; or 3. By cash or check at the Spring Registration and Social on January 15. Annual renewal dues of \$125 are payable in September and cover both the fall and spring semesters. Members who join in January will pay \$75 for the half year (spring semester).

There are three ways to register for classes:

On-line beginning January 13. Go to LLI's website (lli-manassas.org). Click "LLI Class Registration" at the top of the web page. Login using your Username and Password and follow the directions. **Need help?** See "Using the LLI Website" on page 8.

By mail using the form at the back of this program guide.

In person at the Spring Registration & Social on Wednesday, January 15. Due to security concerns only checks and cash (no credit cards) will be accepted. See page 3.

Sign up for as many forums, classes, trips and clubs as you wish, but plan to attend all of them, since instructors and coordinators prepare for the total number registered. If you are wait-listed for a class, the coordinator will make every effort to get you into the class and will let you know if space is available.

Name tags. LLI provides each new member a one-time complimentary name tag. You are encouraged to wear your name tag at all events. You can order a replacement tag (\$8.50) directly from Weisco Printing in Manassas, 703-368-7810.

Coordinators. An LLI member serves as coordinator for each forum, class or trip. Contact the coordinator if you have questions **or if you are unable to attend a class for which you are registered.** About one week before each forum, class or trip you signed up for starts, you will receive an email reminder from the coordinator.

Venues. Directions to class venues are at the back of this program guide and are included on LLI's website (lli-manassas.org).

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Bring a Guest. Members can bring a guest/potential LLI member to one class meeting each semester (space permitting, and any fees paid). Please notify the class coordinator in advance any time you plan to bring a guest.

Class, event and bus trip fees must be paid with your registration. **You will not be registered unless fees are paid.** If you register online, the fee will not be charged to your credit card if you are wait-listed for a class. If you register by mail or in person and paid by check or cash for a class, event or trip that you are unable to attend because it is full or was cancelled, a refund check will automatically be mailed to you.

Fee Refund Policy: Some fees are non-refundable because they are paid in advance to a vendor or to purchase supplies. Refund procedures for bus trips and classes that require a fee are explained in each bus trip/class write-up.

Class/event fees of \$15 or less will not be refunded unless the class or event is cancelled, in which case refund checks will be automatically mailed to all registered students.

Class/event fees greater than \$15: If you notify the class coordinator of a cancellation by the date stated in the writeup, you can request a refund. If you cancel after the cutoff date, no refund will be issued.

Refund Request Procedure: You can submit a refund request online by going to the Member Area on the LLI website and supplying the necessary information, or you can complete the Request for Refund form at the back of this program guide.

Using the LLI Website

Use the LLI website (lli-manassas.org) to keep up with what's happening in LLI. You can view the calendar of events and the current program guide. You can also register for classes, view your current registrations, and edit your personal information.

Access Your Personal Account

Click on the ***Class Registration*** link at the top of the LLI webpage. Existing members: enter your personal LLI username and password to log into your account. At the next screen, you can renew your membership and register for classes. Click the ***My Account*** tab to view your class registrations and edit your personal information.

Join LLI (New Member)

Click the ***Join/Renew*** link at the top of the LLI webpage. At the next screen, click the ***New User Start Here*** link.

Forgot Your Password?

If you forget your username or password, click the Forget Password link at the top of the Class Registration page. Enter your email address, and an email will immediately be sent to you showing your username and instructions for re-setting a new password. Check your spam/junk folder if you don't find this email in your inbox.

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Mon 1/13 9:00 am	LLI On-Line registration opens	6, 8
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Thu 1/16 10:00 am	S2024 Vietnam War, Cont'd., 1 of 5	33
Tue 1/21 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 1 of 8	26
Thu 1/23 10:00 am	S2024 Vietnam War, Cont'd., 2 of 5	33
Mon 1/27 10:30 am	S2004 New Member Orientation	14
Tue 1/28 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 2 of 8	26
Thu 1/30 10:00 am	S2024 Vietnam War, Cont'd., 3 of 5	33
Tue 2/4 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 3 of 8	26
Wed 2/5 10:00 am	S2010 Understanding Opera, 1 of 2	19
Wed 2/5 1:30 pm	S2007 MJO: Ellington, Basie & Bird, Lecture	16
Thu 2/6 10:00 am	S2024 Vietnam War, Cont'd., 4 of 5	33
Mon 2/10 1:30 pm	S2008 Va. National Ballet: <i>Cinderella</i> , Lecture	17
Tue 2/11 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 4 of 8	26
Wed 2/12 10:00 am	S2001 Light Grows, Life Fades Above Arctic Circle	11
Thu 2/13 10:00 am	S2024 Vietnam War, Cont'd., 5 of 5	33
Fri 2/14 1:30 pm	S2033 Judge Jarvis Returns	42
Mon 2/17 1:30 pm	S2009 MILOŠ: The Voice of the Guitar, Lecture	18
Tue 2/18 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 5 of 8	26
Wed 2/19 10:30 am	S2037 Getting to Know Different Faiths, 1 of 2	46
Thu 2/20 10:00 am	S2038 A Preacher's Stories, 1 of 2	48
Mon 2/24 10:30 am	S2018 Human Trafficking	27
Tue 2/25 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 6 of 8	26
Thu 2/27 10:00 am	S2038 A Preacher's Stories, 2 of 2	48
Fri 2/28 10:00 am	S2011 Songs in the Dark: Film Musicals	20
Fri 2/28 1:30 pm	S2040 To Infinity & Beyond, 1 of 2	50
Mon 3/2 10:30 am	S2019 Tale of the Bluebird	28
Tue 3/3 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 7 of 8	26
Wed 3/4 12:30 pm	S2027 High Tea in The Plains	36
Thu 3/5 10:30 am	S2039 Introduction to Bioethics, 1 of 5	49
Fri 3/6 10:30 am	S2025 Reconstruction, 1 of 4	34
Fri 3/6 1:30 pm	S2040 To Infinity & Beyond, 2 of 2	50
Mon 3/9 10:00 am	S2012 Pottery 101	21
Mon 3/9 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 1 of 8	22
Tue 3/10 10:30 am	S2017 Great Decisions, 8 of 8	26
Wed 3/11 1:30 pm	S2028 Wine & Food Pairing, The Winery at Bull Run	37
Thu 3/12 10:30 am	S2039 Introduction to Bioethics, 2 of 5	49
Fri 3/13 10:30 am	S2025 Reconstruction, 2 of 4	34
Mon 3/16 10:30 am	S2014 Creating Art Through Photography	23
Mon 3/16 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 2 of 8	22
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Wed 3/18 10:00 am	S2010 Understanding Opera, 2 of 2	19
Wed 3/18 1:30 pm	S2029 Traveling by Train in the U.S. & Canada	38
Thu 3/19 10:30 am	S2039 Introduction to Bioethics, 3 of 5	49
Thu 3/19 12:00 pm	S2005 Social Connect Brown Bag Lunch, 1 of 2	15
Fri 3/20 10:30 am	S2025 Reconstruction, 3 of 4	34
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Tue 3/24 10:00 am	S2016 Stephen Sondheim	25
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Thu 3/26 1:30 pm	S2030 Spring Platters for the People	39
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Mon 3/30 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 4 of 8	22
Wed 4/1 10:00 am	S2002 Postwar Relationship: Mosby & Grant	12
Wed 4/1 1:00 pm	S2037 Getting to Know Different Faiths, 2 of 2	46
Thu 4/2 10:30 am	S2039 Introduction to Bioethics, 5 of 5	49
Fri 4/3 1:30 pm	S2041 Smart Phone	51
Mon 4/6 10:30 am	S2031 Cooking Ukrainian – Her Way	40
Mon 4/6 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 5 of 8	22
Tue 4/7 10:30 am	S2042 Giants: The Big Planets	52
Wed 4/8 10:30 am	S2035 Walk at Occoquan Bay NWF	44
Mon 4/13 10:30 am	S2043 Changing the World One Standard at a Time	53
Mon 4/13 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 6 of 8	22
Tue 4/14 10:00 am	S2021 Gentle Yoga Chair Exercise	30
Tue 4/14 12:00 pm	S2005 Social Connect Brown Bag Lunch, 2 of 2	15
Wed 4/15 10:00 am	S2020 Making Space: Decluttering	29
Thu 4/16 8:00 am	S2045 Dumbarton House & Tudor Place	56
Mon 4/20 10:30 am	S2022 Reike: Natural Healing Practice	31
Mon 4/20 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 7 of 8	22
Wed 4/22 11:00 am	S2006 Annual Membership & Business Meeting	15
Fri 4/24 10:30 am	S2026 Two Virginia Secessions: Birth of W. Va.	35
Mon 4/27 1:30 pm	S2013 The Story of Writing Workshop, 8 of 8	22
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Fri 5/1 1:30 pm	S2044 Search for Smallest Things, 1 of 4	54
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Fri 5/22 1:30 pm	S2044 Search for Smallest Things, 4 of 4	54

Speaker Forums (S2001-03)

Forums are open to the public, and LLI members are encouraged to bring friends and neighbors. Refreshments will be served before the presentation.

S2001 Light Grows as Life Fades Above the Arctic Circle

Wednesday, Feb. 12

10:00 a.m. refreshments; 10:30 a.m.-noon speaker

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Speaker: Joyce Johnston

Beyond the Arctic Circle once stretched a shining world--1500 square miles of crystalline air and unpolluted lakes the size of inland seas. Even five years ago, reindeer roamed all summer across the green meadows of three countries, shepherded by Sami on routes their people have known for 5,000 years. Now reindeer find warming seas drowning their migration routes, their calves dying of heat exhaustion and freezing rain blocking their access to food they see but cannot reach. The 8,400 tons of ice now leaving Greenland every second of every year means that sea-level is rising and animals are starving in all the Nordic lands. Even though Finland, Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Iceland have all signed a pact to combat climate change, the key question is: can they possibly succeed?

Joyce Johnston's lifetime of travel as an Army brat has given her a love of unexplored places and a taste for adventure. She has extended her love of diverse cultures into 33 years with her multinational students at George Mason University as well as frequent travel with her husband Craig. The Vanishing Worlds presentation highlights a heavily threatened region dear to her heart: Europe's far north, a territory most outsiders treasure in imagination but will never see. Now political and climactic forces threaten to decimate it, but even if it survives, the culture must change, and the world we enjoyed sharing is slipping away.

**Kathy Marsh, LLI Coordinator.com,
703-789-6502**

S2002 The Postwar Relationship Between John Singleton Mosby and Ulysses S. Grant

Wednesday, Apr. 1

10:00 a.m. refreshments;10:30 a.m.-noon speaker

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Speaker: David M. Goetz

Mr. Goetz's presentation is based on his book, *Hell is Being a Republican in Virginia: The Postwar Relationship Between John Singleton Mosby and Ulysses S. Grant*. He will explore the profound and dynamic post-war relationship between these two former enemies from the War Between the States and how their individual desire for peace and reconciliation between North and South during Reconstruction was the common bond between them, and how over the course of their friendship they helped one another. After Grant's death from throat cancer in 1885, Mosby continued to benefit from his old friend's help for many years, serving as an attorney with the Southern Pacific Railroad, as a land agent for the Interior Department and as an assistant attorney for the Justice Department until his retirement in 1910 and subsequent death from cancer in 1916. Copies of Mr. Goetz's book will be available for purchase.

David Goetz owns Mosby's Confederacy Tours and leads tours in "Mosby's Confederacy," including Virginia counties of Fauquier, Loudoun, Warren and Clarke. Mr. Goetz is descended from the family of Chaplain Father James M. Graves, a Jesuit priest who served with Generals Joe Johnston and Stonewall Jackson in the Army of Virginia in 1861-62. He is a past commander of the Black Horse Camp #780, Sons of Confederate Veterans in Fauquier County, currently serves as vice-president of the Stuart-Mosby Historical Society and is a member of the Fauquier Historical Society board of directors. Mr. Goetz has a professional background in public relations, sales and marketing, primarily with non-profit organizations. He holds an undergraduate degree in English from Bellarmine University in Louisville, Ky., and a master's in community development from the University of Louisville. He is a U.S. Army veteran, received an Honorable Discharge, and lives in Culpeper County.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator
703-309-0914

S2003 A Musical Journey: From Classical to Popular to Jazz

Wednesday, May 6

1:30 p.m. refreshments; 2:00-3:30 p.m. program

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Music has existed since the beginning of time. It was part of creation! Mankind has defined music as pleasingly harmonious vocal or instrumental sounds (or both) combined in such a way as to produce beauty of form, harmony, and expression of emotion. In all ages, across this planet, across the expansion of our nation, humans have made music. It soothes, relaxes, inspires, and provides great enjoyment – all that and much more. Life is music. At this forum you will be offered an interlude of delightful music performed by 17 talented musicians presenting creative arrangements of old and new song favorites that are the legacy of our nation. They blend instrumental sounds with vocals of the music, starting with the classics, the foundation of music in America, and continue with our nation's own history spanning jazz and pop music. Come, recall and enjoy the music of the times of your life.

The Regency Music Makers is a group of 17 talented retirees who have recognized how much they miss the music that was part of their past. Banding together in a club, they soon found that they could create interpretations of the music of their backgrounds in performances that were especially pleasing to neighbors and friends. They have performed programs for the Regency Education Club and to large enthusiastic audiences introducing their wonderful music with stories of the legacy and less-known sides of the performed music. Their ensemble features the piano, guitar, drums, trumpet, clarinet and, of course, voices.

Perley Eaton, LLI Coordinator
703-795-1923

Special Events (S2004-06)

S2004 New Member Orientation: LLI – What’s in It for Me?

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Jan. 27, (snow date Feb. 3)

Trinity Episcopal Church

Facilitators: Linda Whitehead and Dar Miklosovich

This class is designed for members of LLI who would like to know more about the history and operation of the organization. New members are encouraged to attend to learn about what LLI can offer them, including opportunities for socialization, volunteering and, of course, learning. It is hoped that those who have been LLI members for several years will also attend to meet the new members and become informed about current opportunities to contribute for a richer experience in their lifelong learning journey. We will discuss how you can become involved, have fun, and meet new people – all at the same time. Light refreshments will be served.

Karen Waltman, LLI Coordinator
703-830-5710

S2005 Social Connect Brown Bag Lunch

Thursday and Tuesday, Noon-1:00 p.m., Mar. 19 and Apr. 14

Facilitators: Mary Foster and Dar Miklosovich

Bethel Lutheran Church

The Manassas-LLI mission statement includes “social opportunities in a friendly atmosphere.” Therefore, in being true to our mission, we have brown bag lunches for members, new and seasoned, to come together to get to know each other a little better, to chat, to have fun, and to comment or ask questions about LLI. You provide the protein for your lunch and we will supply the carbs with cookies and drinks. Sign up and attend either or both days. We look forward to seeing you.

Karen Waltman, LLI Coordinator

703-830-5710

S2006 Annual Membership and Business Meeting

Wednesday, Apr. 22

Sign-in begins at 11:00 a.m.; meeting 11:30 a.m.; complimentary lunch at 12:00 noon for members only

Regency Clubhouse, 15351 Championship Dr., Haymarket

The annual Membership and Business Meeting is your opportunity to learn about the current “state of LLI,” vote for candidates for the board of directors, and vote for proposed changes in our by-laws. A complimentary luncheon is included in this meeting. Sign up using the same procedure you use to register for classes. Last date for sign-up is April 2. For more information, contact Karla Anzzolin, 703-392-9620. Directions to the Regency Clubhouse are in the venue section at the back of this program guide.

Classes (S2007-46)

LLI-Hylton Performing Arts Center Partnership (S2007-09)

This semester LLI is partnering with the Hylton Performing Arts Center to highlight three performances. You must purchase your own tickets.

S2007 Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra: Ellington, Basie and Bird

Lecture: Wednesday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Feb. 5

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Jim Carrol

Join one of our favorite presenters as we travel back to the swinging Big Band era with the Metropolitan Jazz orchestra as they celebrate the jazz greats of the 20th century. Their performance will feature the music of Charlie (Bird) Parker in honor of the 100th anniversary of his birth, as well as Count Basie and D.C.'s own Duke Ellington.

Professor Jim Carroll's background ranges from tours with Michael Jackson to Woody Herman and The Thundering Herd. He received both his undergraduate and graduate training from Indiana University under the tutelage of David Baker and Eugene Rousseau. He has authored several volumes through Hal Leonard's "Artists Transcriptions" series. Mr. Carroll was a charter member of the Smithsonian Jazz Masterworks Orchestra, in residence at the Smithsonian's Museum of American History. He performed, recorded and toured with the group until 1999, when he assumed the position of Director of Jazz Studies at George Mason University. Mr. Carroll is the founder and artistic director of the Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra and the Jazz Connection.

Performance: Metropolitan Jazz Orchestra: Ellington, Basie and Bird

Saturday, 8:00 p.m., Feb. 8

Tickets: \$46, \$39, \$28; use CODE LLI20 for LLI's 20% discount.

Bob Marsh, LLI Coordinator

703-789-6681

S2008 Virginia National Ballet: *Cinderella*

Lecture: Monday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Feb. 10

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Elysabeth Muscat

Learn about Virginia National Ballet's upcoming performances of *Cinderella* at the Hylton Performing Arts Center. See the dancers perform some excerpts from the ballet, hear a short lecture about the ballet (story, composer, history, previous versions, etc.) Learn more about the daily life of a professional ballet dancer and how a ballet is choreographed and produced. At the end of the lecture, we will hold a Q and A with the directors and dancers.

Elysabeth Muscat is the managing director of Virginia National Ballet and a board member of the Prince William County Arts Council. She was the managing director of Baltimore Ballet for twelve years and is also a former professional opera singer, who sang leading roles at the Zurich Opera, Staatsoper Prague, Koblenz Opera, Vienna Kammeroper, L'Opera Francais and more. She has been teaching voice for over 20 years, including 15 years at the Peabody Institute of Johns Hopkins University, where she was chair of the Preparatory Voice Department and Adjunct Faculty of the Conservatory. She is a native of Northern Virginia, having lived previously in Annandale and McLean. She has also lived in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, and Africa. Artistic director Rafik Hegab is originally from Egypt and was a principal dancer with the Cairo Opera Ballet Company, the largest Middle East ballet company, which toured to Europe, India, Russia, China, and Mexico.

Performance: Virginia National Ballet: *Cinderella*

Saturday, 2:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., Feb. 15

Tickets: Adults \$40. Ask for LLI's 10% discount available only at the ticket office.

Bob Marsh, LLI Coordinator

703-789-6681

S2009 MILOŠ: The Voice of the Guitar

Lecture: Monday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Feb. 17

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Matthew J. Trkula

In this lecture students will be introduced to chart topping, classical guitar phenom Milos, who makes his debut at the Hylton Center in a thrilling concert that charts the guitar's evolution and its impact on music for the past 300 years. With his unsurpassed technical mastery, Miloš Karadaglic performs Spanish classics, cool Latin, Bach chaconnes, Beatles arrangements, and more. His warm and enchanting performance style makes even the largest performance spaces feel personal and intimate. His first three album releases achieved global acclaim and turned him into "classical music's guitar hero" (BBC Music Magazine). Miloš is already being compared to guitar masters such as John Williams and Julian Bream.

Matt Trkula is a Washington, D.C. based classical guitarist and teacher. He received a bachelor's degree in classical guitar performance from College Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati and master's degrees in classical guitar performance and music education from George Mason University. He is a former student of Clare Callahan and Larry Snitzler, both students of Andres Segovia. Mr. Trkula showed exceptional ability on the guitar at an early age and began his performing career at age 12. He has since performed across the country both as a soloist and with chamber groups. He joined the guitar ensemble faculty at GMU in 2015 after serving as the guitar ensemble graduate assistant to Professor Larry Snitzler for two years. He began teaching applied classical guitar in fall 2016. In addition to his work at GMU, Mr. Trkula teaches guitar for Fairfax County Public Schools at South Lakes High School and maintains an active private studio in Northern Virginia specializing in teaching classical guitar to young students.

Performance: MILOŠ: The Voice of the Guitar

Sunday, 4:00 p.m., Mar. 8

Tickets: \$48, \$41, \$29; use CODE LLI20 for LLI's 20% discount.

Bob Marsh, LLI Coordinator

703-789-6681

Arts & Literature (S2010-16)

S2010 Understanding Opera: A Guide for the Passionate and the Puzzled

Wednesdays , 10:00 a.m.-noon, Feb. 5, Mar. 18

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Dr. Glenn Winters

These classes introduce students to the third and fourth productions of Virginia Opera's 2019-2020 season: Rossini's zany comedy, *Cinderella* and Verdi's monumental tragedy of ancient Egypt, *Aida*. The classes will provide comprehensive musical and dramatic analysis illustrated with audio and video excerpts. The classes are recommended for beginners and aficionados alike.

Glenn “Doc Opera” Winters is in his 16th season as Virginia Opera's community outreach musical director, imparting his knowledge and love of opera to thousands of Virginians. Dr. Winters is the composer of ten operas successfully performed by Virginia Opera, Piedmont Opera, Cimarron Opera and others. He is the author of *The Opera Zoo: Singers, Composers and Other Primates*, available from Kendall Hunt Publishing.

Ann Cain, LLI Coordinator

757-270-7152

S2011 Songs in the Dark: Film Musicals from the 1950s to Now

Friday, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Feb. 28

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Dan Sherman

Although film musicals go back to the 1920s, some of the very best came in the 1950s and later. Dan Sherman will continue the exploration of these musicals he began in an October LLI class to cover films from *Singin' in the Rain* through *La La Land*. The class will highlight how some films (though not all) successfully use this medium to present an experience very different from stage. The class will include clips from many favorite movies that will enhance participants' enjoyment of the movie musical.

Dan Sherman is a recently retired economist who earned his doctorate at Cornell University. He has taught more than 25 courses to lifelong learning groups in the Washington area, mostly on topics related to musical theatre. He gave his first LLI-Manassas class in April 2018, on "Hamilton: The Man and The Musical." Since then he has given us classes on Frank Lloyd Wright, Oscar Hammerstein, George Gershwin, and early movie musicals.

Nancy Arrington, LLI Coordinator

703-408-7446

S2012 Pottery 101

Monday, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Mar. 9

Maximum class size: 20

Manassas Clay, 9122 Center St., Manassas

Instructor: Jane Cullum

For thousands of years pots have been integral to our way of life both as utensils and as pieces of art. During this class you will learn about the history of ceramics, the archeology of materials, and the different ways to make pots. While you may simply desire a greater appreciation of pottery, with practice and time, you can also become a potter. You will see how a pot moves from a lump of clay to be decorated, trimmed, fired, glazed and ready for your table or shelf. You will watch a live demonstration of “throwing” pots and have a chance to touch clay to form your own basic pot. During a tour of the facility, you will visit the classroom, glaze area and kiln room, followed by time to browse in the gallery. LLI member and potter Lynn Grizzard will introduce the instructor.

Jane Cullum is a potter, teacher and business co-owner. She has a bachelor’s degree in nursing. A neighbor who was a potter introduced her to the pot-making process, and for the last 45 years Jane has been making pots. Twenty-three years ago, Jane and Fran Newquist opened Manassas Clay, a mainstay shop in old town Manassas.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator

703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

**S2013 The Story of _____ (Insert Your Name):
A Writing Workshop**

Mondays, 1:30-3:30 p.m., Mar. 9, 16, 23, 30, Apr. 6, 13, 20, 27

Quarry Station Senior Apartments

Facilitator: Mary Winsky

The Story of Arthur Truluv by Elizabeth Berg will be our model as we dig with our pens, pencils and keyboards for our own stories. “A small, mighty novel” of richly complex characters and clear prose, it will provide us with lessons of kindness and devotion. As we read a section for each class, we will look at how Berg writes, discussing technique and craft in the art of her storytelling. Her profound observations about life are bound to inspire our own. Please purchase your own paperback copy to highlight and underline for class discussions and read to the bottom of page 22 for the March 9th class.

Mary Winsky will facilitate as she has learned to do from writers of all ages and stages in all her collaborative years as teacher and fellow writer.

Elizabeth Crawford, LLI Coordinator

703-594-0049

S2014 Creating Art Through Photography

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Mar. 16

Maximum class size: 80

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Christine Grubbs

The art of photography involves creating an image to tell a story that invokes a response from its viewers. At its best it prompts viewers to recall a past life experience or draws them closer, wanting to know more. In this class Christine Grubbs will talk about the process she follows to create a piece of art through photography. She will also provide handouts of the software programs she uses for both the cell phone and the computer. She will give tips on the composition of a photo and the best way to present it in a frame or on a canvas. Christine's photographs convey a history, a story and an awareness of the world around all of us. She will bring some of her photo art to show the class, but the scope of her work can also be viewed by joining her Facebook page, Redfox Creations, or at Knock on Wood in Old Town Manassas. You may also visit her tent at the Summer Farmer's Market in Manassas.

Christine Grubbs' passion for photography began with a Kodak Instamatic camera, which she used to document her place in the world in which she lived. She now cherishes her family photos including pictures of herself and her sister with Christine holding her camera. She uses history as the driving force behind most of her work. It is important to her to know the background of a scene or object in order to tell the story of the image she creates and makes come alive. Christine enjoys framing an image in her mind and then using the camera to capture it. She then adds depth and dimension through the use of various software applications to produce a photograph that is uniquely hers.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator

703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

S2015 Poems that Tickle Your Fancy

Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Mar. 17

Bethel Lutheran Church

Instructor: Conrad (Connie) Geller

This one-session presentation is intended as punishment and corrective for those who think they dislike poetry. It's a survey of light and nonsensical verse from Alexander Pope to Calvin Trillin, including poems by Ogden Nash, Dorothy Parker and Lewis Carroll. There will, of course, be limericks and maybe a clerihew or two.

Conrad Geller studied English literature at Harvard and ever since has been a passionate though still inexpert reader and writer of poetry. His poems have appeared in many obscure publications, and he has won prizes from, among others, the Poetry Society of Virginia. He is also a veteran of teaching classes for George Mason University's OLLI, having given courses about Chaucer, Swift and Poe in Sterling and Reston.

Karen Waltman, LLI Coordinator

703-830-5710

S2016 Stephen Sondheim: Celebrating Genius at 90 years

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Mar. 24

Hylton Performing Arts Cener

Instructor: Dan Sherman

Stephen Sondheim began his career as a protégé of Oscar Hammerstein and eventually became one of Broadway's most celebrated lyricists and composers. In writing a wide range of "adult musicals" over nearly 40 years, Sondheim covered a huge range of subjects with songs that deeply explore human emotions, happy or otherwise. In honor of Sondheim's 90th birthday, Dan Sherman will present many selections that review Sondheim's work and show his contributions to American theatre.

Dan Sherman's bio is on page 20.

Nancy Arrington, LLI Coordinator

703-408-7446

Current Events (S2017-18)

S2017 Great Decisions

**Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Jan. 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25,
Mar. 3, 10**

Bethel Lutheran Church

Class fee: Briefing Book \$32 (see Note below)

Instructor: Dan Leahy

Great Decisions is America's largest discussion program on world affairs. The program model involves reading the Great Decisions Briefing Book, watching the DVD and meeting in a discussion group to consider the most critical global issues facing America today. The 2020 program will discuss the following topics: Climate Change and the Global Order; India and Pakistan; Red Sea Security; Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking; U.S. Relations with the Northern Triangle; China's Road into Latin America; The Philippines and the U.S.; and Artificial Intelligence and Data.

Note: The briefing book can be purchased directly from the Foreign Policy Association at www.fpa.org.

Dan Leahy is a retired federal government employee with over 30 years of public service in the area of international trade. Dan is a longtime member of LLI and taught the Current Events Discussions and Great Decisions classes for several years. He is a past president of LLI and currently is a member of the program committee.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator
703-309-0914

S2018 Human Trafficking: The Hidden Crime

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Feb. 24

Maximum class size: 80

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Lisa Johnson-Firth, Esq.

Many will remember Lisa Johnson-Firth, Esq. from the class she gave us on Immigration in Prince William County. Now she returns to inform us about human trafficking. Many of us may be surprised at how the trade of humans for the purpose of forced labor, sexual slavery, or commercial sexual exploitation for the trafficker or others can exist in our midst without our knowledge. Police records, however, include a number of cases in PWC. This class provides an opportunity to become better informed about this crime and what we can do to help those caught up in it.

Lisa Johnson-Firth, Esq. is the founder and managing partner of Immigrants First, PLLC, an immigration and human rights law firm. She serves on the board of BEACON, an ESL program run by the Benedictine Sisters in Bristow, and the Centreville Labor Resource Center. She has been an adjunct professor of law at Georgetown University Law Center, George Mason University, and Randolph Macon College. She lectures frequently on immigration and human rights issues. Ms. Johnson-Firth has her J.D. from Northeastern University, her Bachelor of Laws from the University of Sheffield School of Law, and a Bachelor of Arts from Allegheny College.

Bob Marsh, LLI Coordinator
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Experience Buffet (S2019-20)

In this popular series of classes, LLI members share their work experiences, hobbies, travels and special interests. Please consider presenting your own story next semester. Contact a program committee member if you need technical help (PowerPoint, etc.) with your presentation.

S2019 Tale of the Bluebird: Virginia Bluebird Society

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Mar. 2

Maximum class size: 65

Bethel Lutheran Church

Presenter: Valerie Gaffney

This Virginia Bluebird Society presentation may just lead to a bluebird nest box in your backyard and a plastic shoebox of live mealworms tucked among the fresh produce in your refrigerator.

Valerie Gaffney retired in 2018 after a 25-year career with *The Washington Post*. She is currently serving as president of the Virginia Bluebird Society. Valerie is a Master Gardener, a member of two garden clubs and treasurer of the Prince William Wildflower Society. She is an LLI member and serves on the program committee.

Nancy Arrington, LLI Coordinator
703-408-7446

S2020 Making Space: The Art of Decluttering

Wednesday, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Apr. 15

Maximum class size: 80

Trinity Episcopal Church

Presenter: Sharon Race

Organizing and decluttering can reduce stress and give you more time for the important things in life. Would you like to stop spending time looking for your glasses, car keys, or TV remote? Come and learn tips on how to make your life run more smoothly! In this class the instructor will help you set up an action plan and teach you to tackle small areas such as rearranging kitchen cabinets first and then proceed to larger projects such as clearing an entire house.

Sharon Race was born and raised in Staunton, Va. She came to Manassas with IBM in 1986 as a proposal coordinator and is now a self-employed professional organizer. She has always been a community volunteer and currently volunteers as an ESOL teacher, arranges displays for the hospital thrift shop and is an election officer. While working on the 4-H staff of Virginia Cooperative Extension, she used her management and organizational skills to revise and implement several programs. Several years ago, she became interested in the issue of "decluttering," realizing that many people need help in this area. It seemed like a perfect fit to combine her organizational skills and her love of working with others with her knowledge of decluttering. Currently she works individually with people on an array of tasks and has begun offering workshops to interested groups.

Jo Anne Renton, LLI Coordinator

703-675-2976

Health & Fitness (S2021-23)

S2021 Gentle Yoga Chair Exercise

Tuesday, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Apr. 14

Manassas Park Community Center

Instructor: Tara McAuley

Gentle Yoga is based on Hatha Yoga, which is appropriate for those who want a softer slow-paced, well supported, and relaxing yoga practice. Among the benefits of gentle yoga are improved circulation, lower blood pressure, increased muscle tone, stress reduction, and enhanced strength and balance. You will be introduced to well-measured stretches and orchestrated movements.

Tara McAuley has been teaching several types of yoga for over ten years. She has been able to modify poses so anyone can do yoga, which is a personal goal that she has been working on for years. Tara truly believes everyone can and should do yoga on a regular basis because the long-term benefits can be life changing. Having worked with folks who have had a variety of medical and physical challenges, Tara has witnessed many positive changes first-hand as her students continue to practice yoga.

Kathy Pechauer, LLI Coordinator

703-975-5049

S2022 Reiki: A Natural Healing Practice for Mind, Body and Soul

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Apr. 20

Maximum class size 30

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Cindy Waldman

Reiki is a natural holistic healing practice that originated in Japan. Utilizing a gentle touch, the Reiki practitioner works with the recipient's energy field and assists the body to release energy imbalances caused by stress, trauma, emotional problems, pain, and physical ailments. The use of Reiki techniques aids in returning the body to a healthy balance while reducing pain. In this class the certified practitioner will discuss Reiki, its origins, how it works and its numerous benefits. You will learn to identify life force energy with some fun exercises, and then you will experience a Reiki-guided meditation during which Ms. Waldman will give brief Reiki sample sessions to those attending. At the end of the meditation the class members will be invited to share their experiences with the group.

Cindy Waldman is a certified Reiki master, teacher and practitioner. Over 25 years ago she began working with alternative stress reduction and deep relaxation techniques in Venezuela using sound and light technology. After returning to the U.S., she took her first level Usui Reiki I class. Since then she has completed Reiki II and the Reiki III Master level, thus enabling her to teach and pass attunements. In 2016 she deepened her knowledge by completing the Holy Fire II Karuna Reiki training at the International Center for Reiki Training and in February of 2019 advanced to Holy Fire III. With her advanced training and through her Reiki practice of Dance of Light Healing, she hopes to help people take control of their health, to inspire new Reiki healers and to contribute in some small way to improving the health of our world.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator
703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

S2023 The Aging Eye

Wednesday, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Apr. 29

Maximum class size 80

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Dr. Richard Katz

This presentation will address various issues of the eye that can affect all of us as we age. Dr. Katz will provide strategies on how to cope with and how to determine the best course of action for a variety of eye diseases.

Dr. Richard Katz graduated from Towson State University with a bachelor's degree in biology. He earned his OD (Doctor of Optometry) from Penn College of Optometry. Since 1984, he has worked in Burke, Virginia, currently at My Eye Doctor.

Jo Anne Renton, LLI Coordinator

703-675-2976

History (S2024-26)

S2024 The Vietnam War, Cont'd.

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Jan. 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13

Bethel Lutheran Church

Facilitators: Dan Leahy and Ann Cain

Ken Burns and Lynn Novick's ten-part, 18-hour documentary series, *The Vietnam War*, tells the epic story of one of the most consequential, divisive, and controversial events in American history as it has never before been told on film. Visceral and immersive, the series explores the human dimensions of the war through revelatory testimony of nearly 80 witnesses from all sides – Americans who fought in the war and others who opposed it, as well as combatants and civilians from North and South Vietnam. In the Fall 2019 semester we watched the first five parts of the series. This semester we will start with January 1968 Tet Offensive and continue to the conclusion of the series.

Ann Cain spent 39 years teaching American history and government to high school and community college students in several states including Virginia. She received her undergraduate degree in history from Duke University and her master's degree in history from the University of Tulsa. She is a James Madison Foundation Fellow with a special interest in the creation of the United States and the U.S. Constitution. Ann is a member of the LLI program committee.

Dan Leahy's bio is on page 26.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator
703-309-0914

S2025 Reconstruction: America After the Civil War

Fridays, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Maximum class size 65

Bethel Lutheran Church

Instructor: Ann Cain

This class is based on the PBS series of the same name. It explores the transformative years (1865-1877) following the Civil War when the nation struggled to rebuild itself in the face of devastating loss, massive destruction, and revolutionary social change. Millions of former slaves and free black people sought to find their rightful place in American democracy. Although short-lived, this bold democratic experiment gave African Americans, in the words of W.E.B. Du Bois, a “brief moment in the sun.”

Ann Cain’s bio is on the previous page.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator

703-309-0914

S2026 Two Virginia Secessions and a Bitter Divorce: The Birth of West Virginia

Friday 10:30 a.m.-noon, Apr. 24

Maximum class size 75

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructors: Jack W. Lewis and Carol Lewis

Many Virginians choose to know very little about how our neighbor state of West Virginia was born. And perhaps for good reason, since its violent birth resulted in the loss of over a third of Virginia's territory and brought disgrace on the head of Robert E. Lee when he failed to hold the northwestern Virginia counties for the Confederacy. Not to mention that the birth of West Virginia was likely illegitimate and is still being debated by legal minds today! In this class, the instructor will take a detailed look at the complicated, audacious, and fascinating story behind West Virginia's secession from Virginia and the Confederacy and the people who brought it about. He'll reveal some little-known facts about the War in the process that will likely send you back to your textbooks in disbelief. For instance, did you know that the first land battle of the War was fought in the little town of Philippi, Virginia (now West Virginia)?

Jack W. Lewis has had varied careers as a U.S. Coast Guard officer and icebreaker designer, marine engineer, corporate CEO, textbook author, software and robotics developer, horse breeder/trainer, and, late in life, a registered nurse, volunteer paramedic, and washtub bass player in an old-time string band. Educated as an engineer at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy and MIT, he founded two successful marine engineering companies, but as an amateur historian he tried never to live too far from a Civil War battlefield. When he discovered that one of his great-grandfathers from Pennsylvania joined the first Virginia Cavalry in 1861, he was intrigued. His further discovery that it was the *Union* First Virginia Cavalry led to his award-winning novel, *Storm Coming: Historical Novel of the Civil War in Western Virginia*. Jack lives with his wife Carol in the middle of Jefferson National Forest in rural western Virginia in a county that almost made the cut into West Virginia.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator

703-586-7835

Lifestyle (S2027-32)

S2027 High Tea in The Plains

Wednesday, 12:30-2:30 p.m., Mar. 4

Maximum class size 28

Class fee \$27 (include with registration)

Facilitator: Sally (Salvatrice) DeLuca

Enjoy High Tea in the charming town of The Plains, about 20 miles from the center of Manassas. The Crest Hill Antiques and Tea Room is on Main Street, and the cozy tea room offers a traditional English Afternoon Tea—assorted finger sandwiches, gourmet tea cookies, pastries (scones, cakes, tarts, etc.) and your choice of beverage (tea, coffee, cocoa, lemonade, apple cider, iced tea). Crest Hill Antiques and Tea Room has been selling antiques and serving British-style afternoon tea for 13 years in The Plains.

Note: Please carpool if possible. Directions will be emailed two weeks before the Tea.

Karen Waltman, LLI Coordinator
703-830-5710

S2028 Wine & Food Pairing at The Winery at Bull Run

Wednesday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Mar. 11

Minimum class size 15, maximum 60

Class fee \$30 (include with registration)

The Winery at Bull Run, 15950 Lee Hwy., Centreville

Enjoy a wine and food pairing, with each wine accompanied by a specifically compatible small plate. The wines, all made in Virginia, will be chosen from these varietals: Chardonnay, Viognier, Vidal Blanc, Riesling, Pinot Gris, Cabernet Sauvignon, Norton, Pinot Noir, Petit Verdot and Merlot. The Winery at Bull Run lies on 225 acres adjacent to Manassas National Battlefield Park and next door to an equestrian farm.

Note: The last day to register for this class is Feb 26. After that date, the fee is non-refundable unless you find a replacement or if there is a wait list.

Jerry Fisher, LLI Coordinator

703-403-4300

S2029 Traveling by Train in the U.S. and Canada

Wednesday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Mar. 18

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Bill Forster

In this class Bill Forster will share some travel tips to assist LLI members who consider traveling on the Northeast corridor, on regional trains, or across the long-distance network. You probably know that Amtrak is the nation's rail passenger provider, but there is much more to learn: for example, how to use the Amtrak home page, details about Amtrak's Long Distance train service, what routes the trains follow, the best time to purchase a ticket, and the types of sleeper car accommodations. He will also discuss VIA Rail Canada, where it goes, and what it offers.

Bill Forster, formerly an employee of CONRAIL (a major freight railroad), worked in a variety of line and staff positions. He and his wife have traveled throughout the U.S. and Canada on long distance trains using both Amtrak and VIA. An advocate for passenger rail, Bill was active in promoting this service, including visiting congressional members "On the Hill" to support this mode of transportation. He also served in specific elected capacities for national and state railroad groups.

Kathy Pechauer, LLI Coordinator

703-975-5049

S2030 Spring Platters for the People – How to Style a Seasonal Grazing Table

Thursday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Mar. 26

Minimum class size 15, maximum 32

Class fee \$15 (include with registration)

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Lynn Hoffman

Members who attended last semester's class saw how a grazing table is a great entertaining strategy that is magically efficient and truly fun! We will continue the fun with new ideas for a table with crowd-pleasing ingredients arranged artfully to elevate your "EQ" (Entertaining Quotient). The centerpiece will be an epic Shrimp Cocktail Charcuterie Board, surrounded by a Caprese Crostini Board, an Olive, Meat & Cheese Board, a Fruit Stand Platter and delicious Red Velvet Cupcakes with decadent Cream Cheese Frosting. Plus, there will be a drawing for a table grazing essential, and as always, a foodie quiz.

Lynn Hoffman earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Connecticut and a master's from Fairfield University. She was director of marketing communications for several high-tech companies including Hyperion Software, now Oracle. Lynn has enjoyed cooking and entertaining family and friends since at age five she pulled her first cake out of her Easy-Bake oven. Lynn is on LLI's board of directors and is a member of the program committee. She has taught several cooking classes for LLI.

Lynn Hoffman, LLI Coordinator
703-405-2718

S2031 Cooking Ukrainian – Her Way

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Apr. 6

Minimum class size 15, maximum 30

Class fee \$15 (include with registration)

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: Dar Miklosovich

Back by popular demand – a morning of learning how to cook Ukrainian and then sampling the results for a small lunch. Dar will show us how she prepares her favorite hearty Ukrainian dishes while telling us stories of being brought up in America by immigrant parents. Ukrainian dishes are reflective of the very rich soil found in that part of the world. According to Wikipedia Ukrainian cuisine is the collection of the various cooking traditions of the Ukrainian people accumulated over the years and often has many components. Borscht is one of the most popular dishes but there are others. Come to class to see which ones Dar is going to prepare. Long-time LLI members will remember that Dar gave one of our first cooking classes.

Dar Miklosovich was born in Germany of displaced Ukrainian parents and came to the United States when she was 5 years old. Her parents insisted that she attend classes to learn about the Ukrainian language, history and culture. She says she can still speak and write Ukrainian but not as well as when she was younger. She studied liberal arts at DePaul University in Chicago, where she lived until she married. She received her degrees at George Mason University and now enjoys teaching immigrants through Beacon. She and her husband Steve teach outdoor science at Silver Lake and are constantly learning new things from the children. They have been members of LLI for about seven years, and Dar serves on the membership committee.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator

703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

S2032 Intergenerational Financial Planning

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Apr. 28

Bethel Lutheran Church

Instructors: Gary Howard, CFP, JD and Reid Howard, CFA,MBA

As life expectancies increase and families span multiple generations, intergenerational financial planning is critical for those who wish to remain financially independent, while also assisting with the financial goals and needs of children, grandchildren and charities. This class will offer an overview of the benefits of such planning, including: sustaining your own lifestyle – involving finances and health; maintaining control, access and protection of wealth assets; and the tax efficient transfer of wealth according to your wishes. In more detail, you will learn about gifting strategies, use and funding of 529 accounts and Roth IRAs, Inherited IRA rules and options, and the importance of account ownerships and beneficiary designations – both the benefits and the pitfalls. Intergenerational financial planning usually starts with the parents, but requires sharing of values and information with children and grandchildren as appropriate. Invest the time to attend this class – knowledge is empowering.

Gary & Reid Howard (father and son) are Certified Financial Planner (CFP) professionals, managing a comprehensive financial planning and wealth management practice in Gainesville. With over 30 years of experience in the financial services profession, Gary and Reid have been presenters for numerous classes with LLI, most recently relating to Identity Theft. Gary graduated with a bachelor's degree in political science from Binghamton University and received his law degree (JD) from the College of William and Mary. He is a member of the Financial Planning Association and the Virginia State Bar. Reid has a bachelor's degree from Virginia Tech with a concentration in personal financial planning and earned his master's at the University of Manchester in England. Reid is also a member of the Financial Planning Association.

Kathy Pechauer, LLI Coordinator

703-975-5049

Our Neighborhood (S2033-37)

S2033 Judge Jarvis Returns: What We Need to Know When We Encounter the Police

Friday, 1:30-3:30 p.m., Feb. 14

Maximum class size 125

Prince William County Courthouse, 9311 Lee Ave., Manassas

Instructor: Honorable William E. Jarvis

Judge Jarvis returns, by popular demand, to continue talking about our legal rights in court and on the street. He plans to be joined again by a member of the defense bar and a representative from the Commonwealth Attorney's Office. All who attended his earlier classes enjoyed his presentations and the questions that followed. In this session, Judge Jarvis will continue with police/citizen encounters and add a discussion on the ethical obligations of defense lawyers versus prosecutors.

Honorable William E. Jarvis graduated from Old Dominion University in 1985 with bachelor's degrees in philosophy and criminal justice. After doing graduate work at the University of Virginia, he attended George Mason University School of Law and graduated in 1991. He served as a prosecutor in Pittsylvania County, Virginia, from 1992 to 1998 and in Marion County, Florida from 1998 to 2002. Upon his return to Virginia in 2002, he prosecuted in Prince William County until 2012, when he was appointed to the PWC General District Court Bench. Judge Jarvis has taught search and seizure as well as right to counsel legal updates to police, attorneys and judges throughout his legal career.

Bob Marsh, LLI Coordinator

703-789-6681

S2034 A or B Tour the FAA Air Traffic Control System Command Center

S2034 A. Monday, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Mar. 23

S2034 B. Monday, 10:00-11:30 a.m., Mar. 30

Maximum class size 20

Air Traffic Control System Command Center

3701 MacIntosh Dr., Warrenton

The Air Traffic Control System Command Center (ATCSCC) balances air traffic demand with system capacity in the National Airspace System. When encountering bad weather when flying, the ATCSCC enables you to make the flight safely by routing air traffic around congestion between cities. The ATCSCC coordinates with Air Route Traffic Control Centers, Terminal Radar Facilities, Control Towers, and airlines to ensure that nationwide air traffic flow is balanced with respect to weather, equipment outages, runway closures, and national emergencies. It was the ATCSCC that directed all aircraft to land on 9/11. Every day, the system services tens of thousands of aircraft across the country. Come see how it is done.

Note: Sessions A (Mar. 23) and B (Mar. 30) are identical. Sign up for only one. Please carpool if possible since parking space is limited. Attendees must have a government-issued ID such as a driver's license.

David Pace, LLI Coordinator

703-490-6894

S2035 Walk at Occoquan Bay National Wildlife Refuge (Repeat)

Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Apr. 8

Occoquan Bay National Wildlife Refuge

13950 Dawson Beach Rd., Woodbridge

Leader: Bill Willis

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Refuge System is a network of lands and waters managed specifically for the protection of wildlife and wildlife habitat. Bill Willis will lead a one- or two- or three-mile walk (you choose which one you want) at Occoquan Bay National Wildlife Refuge. Sightings will include the huge eagle nest that was monitored by the refuge staff in the spring, the beautiful Occoquan Bay, Painted Turtle Pond, a bird banding station, man-made meadows and freshwater tidal marshes. The trails are flat and wide.

Note: This walk is a repeat of the November 4, 2019 walk. If you attended that walk, please do not sign up for this one.

Bill Willis spent 21 years in the Army and is a Vietnam veteran. He taught different math classes in the Prince William County School system for 20 years and was chosen the 2005-2006 PWCS Outstanding Teacher of the Year. In 2007 he was selected Outstanding Physics Teacher in Virginia as well as the Virginia Teacher of the Year for Education Region IV. Bill is a Master Gardener and has been a volunteer for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service since 2013.

Karen Waltman, LLI Coordinator

703-830-5710

S2036 The Portners and Annaburg Manor

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, May 11

Maximum class size 40

Manassas Museum, 9101 Prince William St., Manassas

Instructor: Mary Helen Dellinger

In 1895, Alexandria beer baron Robert Portner moved his large family into their newly built, 35-room summer home in Manassas. Soon his 2,000-acre estate stretched from Main Street to the Fairfax County line at Bull Run and included a deer park and hunting lodge, two ponds, a dairy farm (Liberia), a 40-acre vineyard, a greenhouse and a swimming pool. After Portner's death in 1906, his wife and various family members lived off and on at Annaburg until the late 1920s. The house sat empty and unlocked until a developer bought the property in 1947. In the 1960s it was turned into a nursing home. In this class will learn about the impact Manassas' first millionaire had on this small town and the city's current plans for Annaburg and its surrounding 3.65 acres.

Note: This class is rescheduled from Fall 2019. It does not include a tour of Annaburg Manor, which is closed awaiting renovation.

Mary Helen Dellinger is a native of Manassas Park, Virginia. She attended public schools there before going to Mary Washington College, where she graduated with a bachelor's degree in American history. She also holds a master's degree in history from George Mason University. From 1990 to 2011 she worked as the curator of the Fredericksburg Area Museum and Cultural Center. In 2012 she was named curator of the Manassas Museum System, the position she still holds today. Dellinger is responsible for the care of the Museum's extensive collection of objects on area history, managing the exhibition program, working with student interns and volunteers, and overseeing the care of six other historic properties owned by the City of Manassas.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator
703-309-0914

Religion & Philosophy (S2037-39)

S2037 Getting to Know the Different Faiths in Our Community

Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m., Feb. 19, Apr. 1

This class is a two-year series, and we will visit two places of worship each semester. The instructors for each faith will cover their history, their concept of God, the texts that they use, their worship service, their mission in the community, the role of women, and their religious holidays. A guided tour of each facility will follow.

Wed., 10:30 a.m.-noon, Feb. 19
Manassas Church of the Brethren
10047 Nokesville Rd., Manassas.

Rev. Mandy North is the pastor of Manassas Church of the Brethren. Previously she served as the pastor of Faith Formation. Prior to ministry, she worked as a math teacher in Prince William County Public Schools. She's a mother of twins and an active member of the Prince William Mothers of Multiples Club.

Wed. 1:00-2:30 p.m., Apr. 1
Dar al-Noor Islamic Community Center
5404 Hoadly Rd., Manassas

Please arrive on time at the Center because we will receive instructions on what we will be observing in the prayer service. Proper dress for men and women will be detailed when class reminders are emailed to you.

Imam Cemal Gumus, a graduate of Madinah Islamic University of Saudi Arabia, has been the Imam of Dar al-Noor Islamic Community Center since 2008. He has forged relationships with the local faith-based neighbors and participated in many interfaith events. He was born and raised in Turkey and has resided in the United States since 2000. He is married and has five daughters.

Taalibah Hassan serves on the Board of Directors of the Muslim Association of Virginia and currently is the vice president. She oversees the daily Jumaah and Eid prayers, Qur'an classes and scouting troops. She has a graduate certificate in Muslim-Christian

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Studies from Washington Theological Consortium. She is a retired biology teacher and resides in Dale City with her husband. They have two adult children.

Jo Anne Renton and Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinators

702-675-2976

703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

S2038 A Preacher's Stories

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.-noon, Feb. 20, 27

Maximum class size 80

Trinity Episcopal Church

Instructor: The. Rev. James Hughes

Many famous preachers, Jesus among them, used stories to illuminate a point. In this class, the preacher will tell stories connected to biblical passages. Some stories are funny, some poignant, but all have the aim of making clear a point of view not readily apparent. We all have our stories so members of the class will be given the opportunity to tell a story that illustrates a lesson.

The Rev. James Hughes was ordained as a priest in the Roman Catholic Church in 1982. More recently he studied at the Virginia Theological Seminary, which led to being received as an Episcopal priest in December 2016. Currently he serves as an associate priest at Trinity Episcopal Church in Manassas. Rev. Hughes holds bachelor's degrees in philosophy and the classics and a master's in biblical studies and systematic theology from Catholic University in Washington, D.C. He taught two classes for LLI on The Library of Congress, where he worked for 23 years in the Visitor Services Office, and four classes on The Book of Job. Father Hughes taught two sessions on General Biblical Issues including Inspiration, Inerrancy and Canonicity in the fall 2019 semester.

Nancy Osborne, LLI Coordinator

703-361-6633, 703-586-7835

S2039 Introduction to Bioethics

Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Mar, 5, 12, 19, 26, Apr. 2

Bethel Lutheran Church

Instructor: James Fletcher, Ph.D.

Hippocrates in the 5th century BCE famously instructed physicians to “First. Do no harm.” In the time since, until the middle of the 20th century, the focus of medical ethics had been on the qualities and duties of health care professionals. Developments in biology and medicine have refocused the ethics of health care on the patient. One recent approach bases ethical considerations in health care on four principles: Autonomy, Nonmaleficence, Beneficence, and Justice. The instructor will briefly examine this approach to bioethics. Further, moral rights and obligations are tied to personhood, and many of the most vexing challenges facing society today involve conflicting claims about who or what has the status of a person. We will look at some common attempts to provide a definition of “person.” Finally, we will look at some issues that have shaped contemporary bioethics, namely, physician assisted dying and research involving human subjects.

Note: This class is rescheduled from fall 2019.

James J. Fletcher received his bachelor’s degree from Iona College, his master’s from Marquette University and his Ph.D. from Indiana University. He is professor emeritus of philosophy at George Mason University. He joined the George Mason faculty in 1972 serving in a variety of teaching and administrative capacities, including fifteen years in the Office of the Provost as associate provost and dean for undergraduate studies. He specialized in courses in general ethics, bioethics and the ethics of health care. His research interests in bioethics included organizational ethics for health care providers, end of life issues and community health needs. In addition, he has written and presented extensively on higher education issues relating to faculty roles and rewards.

Janet Wheatcraft, LLI Coordinator

703-475-4222

Science & Technology (S2040-44)

S2040 To Infinity and Beyond

Fridays, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Feb. 28, Mar. 6

Maximum Class Size: 54

NOVA-Manassas, Parrish Hall

Instructor: Frank Gregorio

Infinity is an impossible idea to grasp. What would a physically infinite universe really be like? How could a finite universe have a beginning? Where did it come from? What did scientists and philosophers from the past think about infinity, the universe? Join Frank Gregorio for a two-class mind-expanding, video-rich journey into the concept of infinity.

Week 1. What is infinity? What are the mathematics and paradoxes of infinity? Learn the complex history of infinity, from Plato to Zeno to today.

Week 2. Explore the physical universe of infinity. How big is the universe? How do we measure it? Could our universe be infinite or finite? Could it come from an even bigger infinite “Multiverse”?

Frank Gregorio is a retired earth sciences and biology teacher for Prince William County Schools. With degrees in earth sciences and biology, and over 40 years as a practicing scientist, CEO of an international biotechnology corporation, vice president of regulatory affairs for a major medical device company, senior investigator with the FDA, and 20 years of experience as an award-winning science teacher for PWC, Frank is well qualified to bring the universe to life. He operates a very popular educational YouTube channel, on which over 70 million children have seen his exciting videos in their classrooms.

E. Perley Eaton, LLI Coordinator

703-795-1923

S2041 Are You Smarter than Your Smart Phone?

Friday, 1:30-3:00 p.m., Apr. 3

Maximum class size 54

NOVA-Manassas, Parrish Hall

Instructors: Dr. Dahlia Henry-Tett and NOVA Honors Student Club

This class has been repeated over several semesters, but each year Smart Phone manufacturers add more effective and helpful functions to their products, so users often need an update to keep abreast of these improvements. In this class, instructors will guide users to become competent in the latest functional operations on their devices. Further, instructors will introduce applications available to help users function more effectively in daily life tasks such as selecting groceries and wine; finding new locations and amenities as they travel; communicating in real time in various foreign languages; or planning a healthier lifestyle. Students will have an opportunity to request help with any concerns they may have dealing with their smartphones.

Dr. Dahlia Henry-Tett holds an Ed.D. from Teachers College, Columbia University and has over 20 years of experience in higher education. She joined the NOVA Manassas Campus family as a faculty member and program administrator in Fall 2008. During her tenure at NOVA, Dahlia has received several professional awards for leadership, innovation, teaching and service. For Spring 2019 she was the recipient of the Dr. Wilfred Howsmon Manassas Campus Community Builder Award. For the 2019-2020 academic year, Dahlia serves as the Campus Honors Program Leader, Collegewide Chair of the Physical Education and Health Faculty Discipline Group, and professor in the Health and Physical Education Department.

E. Perley Eaton, LLI Coordinator
703-795-1923

S2042 Giants: The Big Planets of the Outer Solar System

Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Apr. 7

Hylton Performing Arts Center

Instructor: Dr. James Zimbleman

Our solar system is separated into two types of planets, the inner “rocky” terrestrial planets and the outer “gas giant” planets, with the asteroid belt in between these groups. This lecture will discuss the four giant planets, all of which are much larger than the Earth. The innermost two giants are Jupiter, the largest planet, and Saturn, distinct because of its lovely ring system; these planets are called gas giants because both are comprised primarily of hydrogen and helium, much like the bulk composition of our sun. The outermost giants are Uranus, rotating on its side, and methane-rich Neptune; these planets are called “ice giants” because the interiors of both include zones comprised of materials that would form ice if not inside of these planets. Each of the four is unique, but together they tell us much about what the majority of the recently discovered “exoplanets,” those orbiting other stars, may be like.

Dr. James R. Zimbleman is a planetary geologist in the Center for Earth and Planetary Studies at the Smithsonian Institution’s National Air and Space Museum. He has been at the Smithsonian since 1988, conducting research on analysis of spacecraft imaging data of the planets, geologic mapping of Mars and Venus, and investigations of lava flows and sand dunes on planetary surfaces. Dr. Zimbleman is a lecturer on cruises organized by the Smithsonian Journey program and on commercial cruise lines for which the Smithsonian provides lecturers. He has presented several classes for LLI-Manassas.

Nancy Arrington, LLI Coordinator
703-408-7446

S2043 Changing the World One Standard at a Time

Monday, 10:30 a.m.-noon, Apr. 13

Maximum class size 100

Manassas Park Community Center

Instructor: Dr. Charles H. Romine

Home to five Nobel prize winners, the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) has an incredibly broad portfolio of responsibilities. As America's laboratory for advancing innovation, it does everything from building the world's best atomic clocks to developing standing for robots in manufacturing, to helping fire fighters predict the behavior of wildfires. With programs focused on national priorities from advanced manufacturing and the digital economy to precision meteorology, quantum science, and biosciences, NIST's overall mission is to promote U.S. innovation and industrial competitiveness by advancing measurement science, standards, and technology in ways that enhance economic security and improve our quality of life. In this class, Dr. Romine will illustrate the many ways that standards and measurement have improved the quality of life and strengthened our economy.

Dr. Charles H. Romine is director of the Information Technology Laboratory (ITL). ITL, one of six research laboratories within NIST, has an annual budget of \$160 million, nearly 400 employees, and approximately 300 guest researchers from industry, universities, and foreign laboratories. Dr. Romine oversees a research program that cultivates trust in information technology and meteorology by developing and disseminating standards, measurements, and testing for interoperability, security, usability, and reliability of information systems, including cybersecurity standards and guidelines for federal agencies and U.S. industry, supporting these and measurement science at NIST through fundamental and applied research in computer science, mathematics, and statistics. Dr. Romine has bachelor's (mathematics) and doctorate (applied mathematics) degrees from the University of Virginia.

Dan Leahy, LLI Coordinator
703-309-0914

S2044 The Search for the Smallest Things, Pt. 1

Fridays, 1:30-3:00 p.m., May 1, 8, 15, 22

Maximum class size 54

NOVA-Manassas, Parrish Hall

Instructor: Mark Dodge

For thousands of years, people have wondered what the Universe is made of and if there is a “smallest thing” from which everything else is made (they have also asked, if there is a smallest thing, what is it made of?). Knowing this might lead to the ability to do things heretofore impossible, magical, and fantastic. This class will explore the history of the search for the smallest thing, beginning with the ideas of the Greek philosophers. We will take a side tour into the fundamentals of electricity and magnetism, because these phenomena offer tantalizing clues for our search (by the way, where did the word electricity come from? The answer might surprise you). In ancient and medieval times the search became entangled in the realm of magic as scholars attempted to find the Philosopher’s Stone, the Elixir of Life, and the way to transmute lead into gold. These were hopeless tasks, but on the way the alchemists made major discoveries, which would slowly lead to order out of chaos.

Mark Dodge earned a bachelor’s degree in physics from the University of California Berkeley and a master’s in engineering physics from the University of Virginia. He worked at IBM as an engineering scientist for 12 years and as a high school physics teacher for 24 years. He has been fascinated by astronomy ever since he gazed through his first telescope when he was in seventh grade. Mr. Dodge is also fascinated by ancient cultures and how they still influence us today. This class is a compilation of several of his most popular presentations from his high school teaching.

E. Perley Eaton, LLI Coordinator
703-795-1923

Bus Trips (S2045-46)

The following policies apply to all LLI-sponsored bus trips:

1. To participate in an LLI bus trip activity, you must be registered for the trip and ride on the bus. (For contractual and liability reasons, you cannot travel independently and then join the group at the destination).
2. After the specified date in the program guide, the bus trip fee is non-refundable unless a wait-listed person registers in your place, or if you find a replacement.
3. In addition to trip registration and fee, each person must complete an **Acknowledgement, Release and Waiver Form, with the Emergency Contact Information**. Your registration is not complete unless this form is submitted, using one of the methods below:
 - a. By mail: Fill out the Acknowledgement, Release and Waiver form found at the back of this program guide and include it with your registration form and check for fees.
 - b. Online: On the LLI website, go to the Member Area and click the Trip Acknowledgement and Waiver form from the left column. Fill in the information for the trip, and then click “Submit” at the bottom. The form will be sent directly to the Trip Coordinator.

S2045 Dumbarton House and Tudor Place

Tuesday, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Apr. 16

Minimum trip size 30, maximum 38

Trip cost \$80 (include with registration and waiver)

Join us as we explore two historic houses in Georgetown. Both Dumbarton House and Tudor Place are built in the Federal style and have been placed on the National Register of Historic Places. After our morning tour of Dumbarton House, built in 1799, we will have a boxed lunch before traveling to Tudor Place, completed in 1816. Enjoy the beauty of Georgetown in the spring and learn more about the early history of our country. With any luck, the cherry trees will still be in bloom. Included in the trip fee are bus transportation, admissions, lunch, and gratuities.

Note: The last day to register for this trip is March 31, 2020. After that date, the fee is nonrefundable unless you find a replacement or if there is a wait list. You will receive a detailed itinerary prior to departure.

Jo Anne Renton, LLI Coordinator

703-675-2976

S2046 Wilson’s Presidential Library and The Frontier Culture Museum

Thursday, 6:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m., May 14

Minimum trip size 30, maximum 58

Trip cost \$90 (include with registration and waiver)

In the morning we will visit Wilson’s Presidential Library in Staunton, Virginia, where we will see his restored 1919 Pierce-Arrow Limousine, learn about the life of WW I soldiers in trench warfare, and view authentic weapons and uniforms of the unforgettable doughboys.

Lunch is at Mrs. Rowe’s (save room for pie). After lunch we will visit the Frontier Culture Museum of Virginia, where we will experience the story of the thousands of people who migrated to colonial America and of the way of life they created here for themselves and their descendants. Included in the trip fee are bus transportation, admissions, lunch, and gratuities.

Note: The last day to register for this trip is April 24, 2020. After that date, the fee is nonrefundable unless you find a replacement or if there is a wait list. You will receive a detailed itinerary prior to departure.

Jo Anne Renton, LLI Coordinator

703-675-2976

Clubs (S2047-50)

The following clubs are open to all LLI members. Please list them on your registration form. New participants are welcome to join at any time and must be LLI members.

S2047 Book Club

Wednesdays (last of each month), 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Bethel Lutheran Church

Facilitator: Barbara Deegan, 703-670-9969

Books, both fiction and non-fiction, are selected by the members, usually one or two months in advance. The discussions are fun for all, including those who may not have finished reading the current book. Members are encouraged to lead discussions.

S2048 Bridge Club

Thursdays, 1:00-4:00 p.m.

Venue: Check with facilitator

Facilitator: Alan Hemer, 703-743-9296

Join us every Thursday afternoon, or whenever you can, for enjoyable games of Contract Bridge. An intermediate level of bidding and playing is required, and familiarity with the following books is necessary: *The American Contract Bridge League Series: Vol. 1 Bidding in the 21st Century*, *Vol. 2 Play of the Hand in the 21st Century*, and *Vol. 3 Defense in the 21st Century*. A one-volume learning guide is *Bridge for Dummies*, based on the same basics as the ACBL series.

S2049 Lunch Club

Fridays, 11:30 a.m., Jan. 3, Feb. 7, Mar. 6, Apr. 3, May 1, June 5, July 3

Juke Box Diner, 8637 Sudley Rd., Canterbury Village Shopping Center, Manassas

Facilitators: Mary Foster and Nancy Osborne

The Lunch Club meets on the first Friday of each month at the Juke Box Diner. The purpose of the club is for LLI members to enjoy a meal together and become better acquainted with fellow members. There will not be a planned program or topic – we will just chat about anything that comes to mind. Participants will pay for their own meals.

S2050 Mah Jongg Club

Tuesdays, 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Juke Box Diner, 8637 Sudley Rd., Canterbury Village Shopping Center, Manassas

Facilitator: Kathy Fowler, 703-368-7315

Every Tuesday, 1:30-3:30 p.m., we meet for fun, laughter and a good time. All levels of experience are welcome from beginners through master players. Instruction will be provided for those who need it and competitive games will be provided for those who wish them. New cards are ordered annually at the end of March at a cost of \$9 each.

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LLI-Manassas Membership Application

Membership dues are as follows:

- \$125 if joining or renewing in September. This covers participation for two consecutive semesters (Fall and Spring).
- \$75 if joining in January. This covers the Spring semester only. Must renew (\$125) in September.

First Name _____ MI _____

Last Name _____

Preferred LLI Badge Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

- Your personal information will not be shared or sold to anyone outside the LLI-Manassas organization.
- Photographs: By becoming a member of LLI and participating in classes and other activities, you may be photographed and your picture may appear in our publications or on our website.
- See Class Registration Form (next page) for payment and LLI mailing address information.

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Registration Form Spring 2020

Use a SEPARATE FORM for each member

Name (last, first) _____

Email _____

Check the box next to each item you are registering for. Add the fees and enter total on next page.

	Membership, Join Spring 2020	\$75
	Forum, Event, Class, Trip, Club	Fee
	S2001 Light Grows as Life Fades	
	S2002 Postwar: Mosby and Grant	
	S2003 A Musical Journey	
	S2004 New Member Orientation	
	S2005 Social Connect Bag Lunch	
	S2006 Membership & Business Meeting	
	S2007 MJO: Ellington, Basie and Bird	
	S2008 Va. National Ballet: <i>Cinderella</i>	
	S2009 MILOŠ: Voice of the Guitar	
	S2010 Understanding Opera	
	S2011 Songs in the Dark: Film Musicals	
	S2012 Pottery 101	
	S2013 Story of ___ A Writing Workshop	
	S2014 Art Through Photography	
	S2015 Poems that Tickle Your Fancy	
	S2016 Stephen Sondheim: Genius at 90	
	S2017 Great Decisions	
	S2018 Human Trafficking	
	S2019 Tale of the Bluebird	
	S2020 The Art of Decluttering	
	S2021 Gentle Yoga Chair Exercise	
	S2022 Reike: Natural Healing	
	S2023 The Aging Eye	
	S2024 The Vietnam War	
	S2025 Reconstruction	
	S2026 Va. Secession: Birth of W. Va.	

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	S2027 High Tea in The Plains	\$27
	S2028 Wine/Food at Winery at Bull Run	\$30
	S2029 Traveling by Train	
	S2030 Spring Platters: Grazing Table	\$15
	S2031 Ukrainian Cooking	\$15
	S2032 Financial Planning	
	S2033 Judge Jarvis Returns	
	S2034 A Tour ATCSCC (Mar. 23)	
	S2034 B Tour ATCSCC (Mar. 30)	
	S2035 Walk at Occoquan Bay NWR	
	S2036 Portners and Annaburg Manor	
	S2037 Getting to Know Different Faiths	
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	S2042 Giants: The Big Planets	
	S2043 Changing the World	
	S2044 Search for Smallest Things	
	Bus Trips	
	S2045 Dumbarton & Tudor Place	\$80
	S2046 Wilson Library & Frontier Cult.	\$90
	Clubs	
	S2047 Book Club	
	S2048 Bridge Club	
	S2049 Lunch Club	
	S2050 Mah Jongg Club	

Total balance due \$ _____

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Enclose a check payable to LLI-Manassas for total balance due. You will not be registered unless membership dues and class fees are paid.

Are you registering for the bus trip? If so, you must include the Acknowledgement, Release and Waiver form, along with Emergency Contact Information, (next page).

**Mail all forms and check to:
LLI-Manassas
PO Box 284
Haymarket, VA 20168**

For Office Use Only

Date Registration Received _____

- Account Created/Verified**
- Membership Entered; Dues Paid**
- Registered for Classes**
- Payment Received**

Acknowledgment, Release and Waiver

**Dumbarton House and Tudor Place, Apr. 6, 2020
Wilson’s Presidential Library and the Frontier Culture Museum,
May 14**

Complete and return with registration.

The undersigned:

Acknowledges that he/she plans to participate in the Dumbarton House and Tudor Place and/or the Wilson’s Library and Frontier Culture Museum trip(s) trip.

Hereby waives and releases LLI-Manassas from any and all claims for injury or damage sustained by, through or as a result of such trip.

Holds LLI-Manassas harmless for any claims resulting therefrom.

Signature

Print Name

Your Cell Phone Number

Today’s Date

Emergency Contact Information

Name of Contact

Contact’s Phone Number

Request for Refund

Date _____

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Class/Event Title & Number _____

Date of Class/Event _____

Date of Cancellation Notice to Coordinator _____

Refund Amount \$ _____

Payment Method: Check or Credit Card (circle one)

Mail this form to:

LLI Treasurer

P.O. Box 284

Haymarket, VA 20168

Office Use

Check Number _____

Date _____

Venues

Location and/or directions for each venue are given below. You can also check Google Maps or MapQuest for up to date maps and directions.

Bethel Lutheran Church, 8712 Plantation Ln., Manassas 20110, 703-368-3943, is located at the intersection of Plantation Ln. and Sudley Rd. near the main post office and across Sudley Rd. from Java Rock and Manassas Baptist Church.

Dar al-Noor Islamic Community Center, 5404 Hoadly Rd., Manassas 20112, 703-580-0808. From the intersection of Liberia Ave., Wellington Rd. and Prince William Parkway/Rt. 294, follow Prince William Parkway/Rt. 294 east for 7 mi. Turn right onto Hoadly Rd. and drive 0.7 mi., and the community center is on your right. From Woodbridge and Lake Ridge, take Prince William Parkway/Rt. 294 west. Turn left onto Hoadly Rd. and drive 0.7 mi. and the community center is on your right. From the south on Dumfries Rd./Rt. 234, Spriggs Rd. and Dale Blvd. follow these directions north to Hoadly Rd.

Grace Life Community Church, 9560 Linton Hall Rd., Bristow 20136, 571-229-1700. From Rt. 29 South, turn left onto Linton Hall Rd.; church will be 4.5 miles on the right. From Rt. 28 South, turn right onto Linton Hall Rd.; church will be about 1 mile on the left. Church is across Linton Hall Rd. from the Benedictine Monastery. Parking lot is in front of the church.

Hylton Performing Arts Center, 10960 George Mason Circle, Manassas 20110. From Prince William Parkway turn right onto University Blvd. if you're going north, left if you're going south. Take the first left onto the George Mason Campus and then left at dead end and follow to parking lot. From Manassas take Godwin Dr. South and turn right on University Blvd. Go about one mile and turn right onto the George Mason Campus and follow above directions.

Manassas Park Community Center, 99 Adams St., Manassas Park, VA 20111, 703-335-8872. From Manassas, take Rt. 28 (Centreville Rd.) toward Centreville. Get in the left lane and go through the traffic light at Manassas Dr. At the next traffic light, make a U turn and then take the first right onto Old Centreville Rd. Follow to the Manassas Park Post Office. Then take a left just past the post office onto Spruce

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St. and follow a short distance to Adams St. Take a left onto Adams and follow around to the front of the community center.

NOVA-Manassas, Parrish Hall, 9601 Sudley Rd., Manassas 20190. From points east and south, get on Sudley Rd. north. After crossing under 1-66, go straight at the traffic light at Battleview Pkwy, then turn right at the campus marquee (Campus Dr.). From points west, take 1-66 east to Exit 47B; use two left lanes to turn sharply left onto Sudley Rd. northbound and follow above directions. After turning into campus, proceed to the traffic circle, go three-quarters of the way around the circle to continue on Campus Dr. After exiting the circle, Parrish Hall will be on your right. Turn right and park in lot B2.

Quarry Station Senior Apartments, 8750 Quarry Rd., Manassas 20110, 703-393-7788. From points north and west, take Prince William Parkway to Sudley Manor Dr. North and follow it to Sudley Rd. Turn right on Sudley Rd. (Rt. 234) and follow it toward Manassas. Sudley Rd. becomes Prescott Ave. at its intersection with Rt. 28. At 4-way stop on Prescott, turn left onto Quarry Rd. and follow to apartments on left. From points south and east, take Prince William Parkway to its intersection with Liberia Ave. and continue straight on Wellington Rd. Turn right on Fairview Ave., right on Center St. which becomes Prescott Ave. Continue as above.

Regency Clubhouse, 15351 Championship Dr., Haymarket, 20169, 571-261-3335. Take the Rt. 15 North Exit off 1-66. After approximately 1.5 mi., turn left onto Dominion Valley Dr. Go straight at the first traffic light and turn right on Regency Club Dr. Stop at the gatehouse (names will be provided for access). Turn left onto Championship Dr. and then left into the club parking lot (adjacent to the gatehouse).

Trinity Episcopal Church, 9325 West St., Manassas, 20110, 703-368-4231, is located on Church St. near the corner of West St. in Old Town Manassas. Park in the church's parking lot directly behind the downtown post office. Use the church's West St. entrance (double glass doors). **Parking is limited so please carpool if possible.**

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