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Dear Members.

WOW! Good Luck trying to narrow down your classroom choices. An exciting array of classes with amazing variety of categories. Some science, some crafts, some history, and some music. So many choices—so little time. KUDOS to the curriculum committee, a lot of work done.

As you make your selections, remember the so called experts indicate the basic three needs for health in our senior years are: KEEP MOVING, KEEP THINKING, AND KEEP SOCIALIZING (AKA laughing). Go for it!

Diane Fiscina
President

LLI MISSION STATEMENT
The Lifetime Learning Institute of New Paltz promotes diverse and enriching learning experiences for older adults, provides opportunities for social interaction, and encourages individuals to use their knowledge and skills in creative ways.
(Adopted 3/7/2008)
MEMBERSHIP AND FEES
You must be a member to register for classes. Annual membership is $120 per person. The 2019–2020 membership year runs from July 1 through June 30. Membership fee is non-refundable.

REGISTRATION
This catalog presents classes covering the coming Fall semester. Courses are open to current 2019–2020 LLI members. Non-members may join and register for courses by returning the enclosed form. For courses with size limits, members may be limited to enrolling in one or two classes.

REGISTRATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED ON A SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS IN THE ORDER RECEIVED, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF LOTTERY (L) CLASSES (See below). Registration confirmation letters will be mailed after August 19. Wednesday classes begin September 12. Friday classes begin September 18.

AUGUST 19 IS THE SUGGESTED DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION.

THE LOTTERY SYSTEM

Some classes have a limited size number established by the presenters. It has been decided to implement a lottery system for these classes.

Lottery classes (limited to 10 participants or less) are indicated in the registration form by an L and in the catalog with the word LOTTERY.

The Lottery process will begin on the day after the close of registration and will apply only to classes with limited seats.

The names of all the members who have indicated their interest in the Lottery class will be placed in a hat. Names will be randomly drawn until the class is filled. A waiting list will be created from the remaining names.
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CHESS FOR FUN — FOR BEGINNERS AND BEYOND  
Edward Boden  
SUNY Campus, 9:30-10:45

We will start with the basics, then practice using internet chess. We will cover key ideas of chess openings and middle game with emphasis on tactics. Checkmate patterns and tactics such as fork, skewer, pin, double check and overloaded pieces will be practiced. Main websites used are www.chess.com and lichess.org. A computer in class is not needed, but you will need computer access outside of class.

Edward Boden has played chess for years and now plays regularly via internet. He has taught LLI chess for four years and enjoyed the class interactions and discussion.

COSMOLOGY WITH A TOUCH OF ASTROPHYSICS  
Boyd Herforth  
SUNY Campus, 11:00-12:15

This course will delve into some of the most current topics in cosmology and astrophysics, such as: How are we certain of the existence of dark matter? How does gravity shape space, light and time? What was the nature of the first minutes of our universe; the first thousand years? Being comfortable with high school level math and physics will enhance the enjoyment of the topics to be covered. Most of the central ideas can be grasped with very little math literacy.

"It's time that we began to laugh and cry and cry and laugh about it all again".

Rene Bonné's English curriculum always included at least one song or poem of Leonard Cohen and her Teaching Resource Kit on Cohen was published by the Yiddish Book Center's website.

REBEL, ROMANTIC AND MYSTIC - THE POETRY OF LEONARD COHEN  
Rena Bonné  
SUNY Campus, 11:00-12:15

"Hallelujah" and its many covers may have made Leonard Cohen a household name, but his music and poetry have moved his diverse audience for over fifty years. We will look at Cohen's songs and poems from the sixties through his final work by listening and then discussing together.
Boyd Herforth’s math and physics 45 year teaching career spanned four countries and three languages. He has had an interest in the creation and large scale structure of the universe since high school. This opportunity to share some of the recent discoveries and theories in these fields is most welcome.

DRAW FOR FUN AND FANCY
Connie Noelle
Studio, 2:00-3:15
Class limit 8 LOTTERY

If you think you "can't draw a straight line with a ruler," don’t build a house, build one with fun and fancy. Beginning with fairy figures and monstrous dragons real enough to entice grandchildren and the "young at heart," participants will see their ability to draw figures, animals and settings improve. Departures from the expected will be happily encouraged and possibilities contributed by participants gladly explored. Bring sketchbook or drawing paper, pencils, eraser and whatever colored dry media you prefer such as colored pencils, pastels or even crayons. Bring any inspiration for grins or glee that you can gather between now and class.

Connie Noelle taught art in public and private, preschool to high school for 25 years. She has exhibited paintings and sculpture locally but currently is working on illustrations. She believes everyone can create art. She especially believes the only one you really need to please is yourself. As a teacher she wants to enable, applaud and enjoy the artists as they develop their art form.

GET THE MOST FROM YOUR DNA TEST RESULTS
Marny Janson
SUNY Campus, 12:30-1:45
Class limit 20

If you have taken a DNA test, have your results and want to use them to learn more about your family history, this class is for you! It is for both those whose results are new and those who have been exploring them for a while and want to learn what more they can do. We will explore types of DNA, learning the most from your matches, understanding how to use the tools provided with your results, and contacting new relatives. Students MUST have test results from either Ancestry DNA, Family Tree DNA, 23 and Me, or My Heritage.

Marny Janson has had formal training in DNA testing results and has used her results to add to her family story. She loves to help other people find theirs!

LEAPS, BOUNDS AND STUMBLES - A HISTORY OF BIOLOGY
Bill Tuel
SUNY Campus, 9:30-10:45
Bob Ulrich, a past LLI contributor, has been a guest lecturer at many Lifetime Learning venues in our local area as well as at the Northern New Jersey Revolutionary War Roundtable, the Mohonk Mountain House evening lecture series, the Road Scholar Corporation as well as the Historic Societies of Dutchess County, New Paltz and Wappinger's Falls.

LIVING SUSTAINABLY: NATURE'S WAY

Lyla Yastion Ph.D
SUNY Campus, 9:30-10:45

Recent scientific reports warn that human-induced climate change is accelerating at an alarming rate and that it is just a matter of time before the dire effects are felt by all species, including our own. It is incumbent upon humanity to understand how we participants in Western industrialized culture have disturbed Earth's natural sustainability and how we can remedy the situation by adopting a sustainable life style based in the perception of Earth as a living, nurturing organism worthy of our respect and care. Recommended reading, Homesick: Finding Our Way Back to a Healthy Planet by Lyla Yastion, available through Amazon, Barnes and Noble, and Inquiring Minds bookstore.

Lyla Yastion received a doctorate in anthropology from SUNY Albany and has taught courses in anthropology and religious studies at the college level for 19 years. As recently as 2018 she was part of the adjunct faculty at SUNY New Paltz.
HEALTHY YOU
Roufa Payman, Dr. Benoit Bewley, Dr. Michael Rezak, Dr. Brian Binetti
SUNY Campus, 12:30-1:45

Spend an hour and 15 minutes on improving your health. We will explore the science behind the different parts of the body—from the head to the gut—each week led by a different medical professional. Leave each class feeling empowered to make small changes toward becoming a healthier you.

Weekly topics (in order) are:
Food as Medicine—learn to love food that loves you back.
Matters of the Heart—about the amazing functions of the heart and how surgical innovations keep it pumping.
What's in Your Head—exploring brain and movement disorders.
Digestive Digest—where we "break down" how we break down food.

Roufa Payman is a nutrition counselor at Northern Dutchess Hospital, lifestyle coach with the National Diabetes Prevention Program and a longtime lecturer on nutrition. The Heart Center’s Dr. Benoit Bewley is a general cardiologist on the medical staff of Vassar Brothers Medical Center. Board-certified neurologist, Dr. Michael Rezak, leads Health Quest Medical Practice’s Movement Disorders Program. Dr. Brian Binetti is a general surgeon with Health Quest Medical Practice and is medical director of Northern Dutchess Hospital’s weight-loss surgery program.

WATERCOLORS FOR BEGINNERS
Pattie Eakin
Studio, 2:00-3:15
Class limit 6 LOTTERY

This course demonstrates the basics of watercolor painting: washes, wet on wet, dry brush, rendering trees, skies, water and basic geometrical shapes. Color mixing, an integral part of all painting is taught and demonstrated. Each class will begin with the presenter showing examples of the above. A supply list will be available prior to the first class.

Pattie Eakin owns and operates the Bruynswick Art Studio and Gallery where she exhibits her work as well as that of other artists of the region. She has taught water color and oil painting privately for over 10 years and has conducted classes for LLI. She attended The Art Institute of Pittsburgh and is a graduate of West Chester State University. She was named Best Artist in the Hudson Valley by Hudson Valley Magazine.

WALKING EXPLORATION OF NEW PALTZ ARCHITECTURE
Bill Rhoads
TBA, 2:00-3:15

As we travel through the village of New Paltz, we will discuss the sequence of architectural styles found as well as their changing uses as the community
has developed since the late 1600's. We will study structures on Huguenot Street, Main and Chestnut Streets and SUNY New Paltz campus. The walks take place rain or shine. The first class will meet on the porch of the brick Reformed Church on Huguenot St. Starting points for other classes will be announced. Suggested readings: Images of America: New Paltz and Images of America: New Paltz Revisited by Carol A Johnson & Marion W. Ryan. Ulster County, New York: the Architectural History & Guide by William B. Rhoads; For the Village: The Story of Huguenot Street by Eric J. Roth.

Bill Rhoads is a Professor Emeritus of Art History at SUNY New Paltz and has enjoyed walking the streets of New Paltz since 1970.

AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY
Don Roper
SUNY Campus, 9:30-10:45

The course will discuss the lives and contributions to history of Benjamin Franklin, Frederick Douglas, Mark Twain and Eleanor Roosevelt.

Among the courses Don Roper has offered as a history professor at SUNY New Paltz is a course on American Biography which included these four subjects all of whom continue to attract interest.

COME SWING WITH ME
Richard Sullivan
SUNY Campus, 11:00-12:15

We will study the Big Band Era (also known as Swing Music). We will discuss and YouTube four single artists and four bands - 2 per week. So don't forget to wear those elegant styles to swing in.

Richard Sullivan loves music, is a DJ on the Internet and has taught at LLI for the past 5 years.

If you are a friend or family of someone who has recently been diagnosed with Alzheimer's or another form of dementia, then this course might be for you. Learn answers to questions such as: what does the diagnosis mean; what kind of plans need to be made; what resources are available to help? Other questions that arise in the early stages of the disease will be discussed. Hear from those directly affected and learn from caregivers their experiences of what you need to know, to plan and how you can help at each point along the way.

Wendy Rudder is a social worker with extensive experience working with seniors. She is currently a consultant with the Alzheimer's Assoc. where she provides resources, information and support for individuals coping with Alzheimer's and other dementia. She has been presenting workshops for professional and family caregivers for several years.

LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER'S AND OTHER DEMENTIAS - FOR CAREGIVERS
Wendy Rudder
SUNY Campus, 11:00-12:15

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YOU'VE GOT TO BE CAREFULLY TAUGHT - OSCAR HAMMERSTEIN II AND PREJUDICE
Jessica Rothman
SUNY Campus, 2:00-3:15
Class limit 24

Oscar Hammerstein II had a wonderfully optimistic view of life. Many of his stories dealt with prejudice, its causes and possible remedies. In this class, we will explore his life, his lyrics, his story lines and his attitudes. One session will feature performances by the students in the SUNY New Paltz Musical Theatre class.

Jessica Rothman has been a theatre educator and director of both Shakespeare and Musical Theatre for four decades and has created curriculum guides for Broadway shows. She is a past NYS Director of the International Thespian society and a member of SAG/AFTRA.

REVOLUTION AND COUNTER-REVOLUTION
Lewis Brownstein
SUNY Campus, 11:00-12:15

Revolutions are among the most significant engines of social transformation in the modern world. Despite promises made by their advocates, however, they invariably produce outcomes arguably worse than the regimes they replace. We will examine the causes, consequences and lessons of some of the great revolutions of modern time including: American, French, Russian, Chinese and Cuban and the various attempts to oppose or mitigate their effects.

Lewis Brownstein has taught a number of LLI courses and has fifty years of college teaching experience.

HOW STORIES WORK
Laurence Carr
SUNY Campus, 9:30-10:45

If you enjoy reading fiction on your own or in a book group and want to enhance your appreciation of stories, join author, editor and teacher, Laurence Carr who will discuss the major components of story building: character, structure, dialogue and setting, among others.

Laurence Carr writes poetry, fiction and plays. His writing has been widely published and over 20 of his plays have been produced throughout the U.S. and Europe. His novel, Pancake Hollow Primer, won the Next Generation Indie Book Award for first novel in 2012 and A Slant of Light: Contemporary Women Writers of the Hudson
Valley, co-edited with Jan Zlotnik Schmidt, won the 2013 USA Best Book Award for Fiction Anthology. He has taught creative and dramatic writing at SUNY New Paltz for over twenty years.

WORLD HISTORY THROUGH CITIES
Tom Mounkhall and Joe Britto
SUNY Campus, 2:00-3:15

This course will develop the core understandings of the field of World History through a study of cities. Examples of cities will be selected from many global regions. Attention will also be given to urban areas from Ancient, Medieval, Early Modern and Modern time periods.

Tom Mounkhall is a retired educator and world historian. Joe Britto is an Adjunct professor at SUNY Orange. His area of concentration is Latin America. Both presenters have taught many courses for LLI.

LEARN TO KNIT
Leslie Rosen
SUNY Campus, 12:30-1:45
Class limit 10, LOTTERY
Materials fee: $10+ depending on choice of yarn and supplies.

Get ready to chase away those winter blues...Learn to knit! Have you noticed that everyone is knitting? Perhaps it's because people have discovered that it is a wonderful way to relax and be creative. This is a class for non-knitters, beginners, and those who have not picked up their knitting in years and need a review. Participants will learn to knit, purl, cast on, bind off and decrease to make a hat. Practice yarn and needles will be available at the first class. We will discuss purchasing materials at that time. Be prepared to discover a new obsession!

Leslie Rosen has been an avid knitter since she was 8. She has taught many people to knit over the years including teaching Learn to Knit classes, running a Kids Knitting Club at the Gardiner Library, and giving private lessons.

FRIDAY 8-WEEK COURSES (F-8)
Sep. 20, 27, Oct. 4, 18, 25, Nov. 1, 8, 15 (no class on Oct. 11)

If you always thought it would be fun to tap dance, here is your chance to learn the basics. Tap is a great way to keep in shape and discover your inner Fred Astaire. Tap shoes are not necessary, just wear hard sole shoes. Come ready to try something new. We will cover elementary patterns.
and steps with a little tap history thrown in for good measure.

Anita Jean McMonigle has owned and operated her dance studios in the Hudson Valley since 1966. A choreographer for many local theater groups and the TNT Tappers (a senior citizen performing tap group), she also serves as a National Vice President of a National Dance Organization.

**THE GODDESS IN WORLD RELIGIONS**

Meta Plotnik  
Woodland Pond, 9:05-10:20

The course will explore goddess worship from Neolithic era to the present day and the ideas and values embodied in rituals. Topics include the concept of the Great Mother Goddess, rise of patriarchy, polytheistic systems such as Hindu and Greek with multiple goddesses, feminine aspects of major religions today, and finally the resurgence and variety of goddess worship and the connection to environmental issues. Guest speakers if available. Some research required. Highly recommended: China Galland’s *Longing for Darkness.*

For 35 years at Nassau Community College, Meta Plotnik taught a variety of English and Women Studies courses. Her colleague, Neela Saxena, from India, created the Goddess course which was a fascinating and enriching experience for faculty and students. Prof. Plotnik taught the course three times at Nassau Community College and once at Bard LLI.

**FRIDAY EARLY 4-WEEK COURSES (F-4-E)**

September 20, 27, October 4, 18 (no class on Oct. 11)

**CREATE YOUR OWN AUSTRALIAN ART**

Ellie Anderson  
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 10:50-12:05  
Class limit 12  
Materials Fee $10

The course is suitable for any level student. You will create a painting in the style of Australian Aboriginal desert art by creating your own personal symbols to form your visual language e.g. bird, flower, state shape etc. The painting will be executed on canvas in acrylic using the "dot" style of these artists. Besides having a beautiful painting you will learn something about the Australian Aboriginal culture.

Ellie Anderson was trained as a high school art teacher in Queensland, Australia and George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. She has taught art in both Queensland and Virginia.

The most important function of education at any level is to develop the personality of the individual and the significance of one’s life to self and others.
**INVESTING 101**  
Irene Berner CFP  
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 9:05-10:20

A guide to Investing basics. Learn about different types of investments, definitions, terminology and strategies in order to make better investment decisions.

Irene Berner has worked in the financial industry since 1986. She has the Certified Financial Planner designation, is an Investment Advisor, and is Insurance Licensed. She has been Securities Licensed since 1987 and worked as a Stockbroker on Wall Street in the 1990’s for a major brokerage firm. She has been affiliated with LPL Financial, the largest Independent Broker/Dealer in the country, since 2000.

**CIVILITY**  
Fred Mayo  
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 10:50-12:05

A discussion of civility in political and private discourse and its importance to our personal lives and our culture. We will discuss a range of questions: what is civility and how does it affect us? What models of conversation can we adopt on this cultural milieu? How can we restore civility and decency in our daily lives? How can we change the hateful and violent verbal attacks on minority groups and others? Exploring the history, power and impact of civility in discourse and the elements of positive interpersonal interaction may help.

Dr. Fred Mayo, Professor of Hospitality and Tourism Management at New York University, has been teaching LLI courses for the past several years.

**EXPLORING BETTER COMMUNICATION**  
Kathy Mazzetti  
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 10:50-12:05  
Class Limit 18

Would you like to be a better communicator?  Do you have difficulty communicating with certain people? Has someone in your life told you that you don’t listen—though you know that you do? Do you know that you could communicate better with loved ones? If you answered yes to even one of these questions, come join us for an interactive class where you will learn to use verbal and non-verbal language to improve your communication skills.  
THIS IS A REPEAT CLASS

Kathy Mazzetti is a certified trainer of Neuro-Linguistic Programming and has taught good communication skills to teachers, therapists, guidance counselors and other professionals at SUNY New Paltz and the Hudson River Teacher Center in Yorktown.

Register early. Classes fill quickly!
HAVE FUN PLAYING THE UKULELE
Judy Reichler and Sherrill Silver
Deyo Hall (NP), 10:50-12:05
Class Limit 10

The ukulele is all the rage right now, and for good reason! It’s fun to play and easy to learn the few chords needed for hundreds of songs. In an easy-going setting, we will sing songs you already know and get you ready to continue on your own or play with others. Bring your own uke, or play one that will be available for use during class.

Judy Reichler and Sherrill Silver are NOT accomplished musicians. If they can play the ukulele, you can too. Judy has taught many LLI courses and Sherrill has a background of helping people achieve their goals.

WRITING FOR THE STAGE
Nancy Van Laan
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 10:50-12:05
Class limit 12

This class is open to any and all who wish to enhance their creative writing skills by touching on the basics of writing for the stage. Improvisation can be a wonderful tool for enriching the written word so there will be an opportunity to do a bit of acting as well. The emphasis, though, will be writing monologues, short scenes, working collaboratively and most importantly, having fun doing it.

Nancy Van Laan taught creative writing at Rutgers where she received her MFA in theater as a playwright in 1979. Two of her full-length comedies won regional awards and were produced in New Jersey in 1984.

FRIDAY LATE 4-WEEK COURSES (F-4-L)
Oct. 25, Nov. 1, 8, 15

LOST INDUSTRIES - RAILROADS AND TROLLEYS
Marilou Abramshe
Woodland Pond (WP), 12:45-2:00

Railroads were key in the development of Ulster County and one cannot really appreciate the region if that history is ignored. Discover how railroads such as the Wallkill Valley and the Ulster & Delaware as well as the Kingston City electric Railway and the Highland-New Paltz Trolley brought economic and social changes for almost everyone in Ulster County. Learn about their demise and how the right of ways are used today.

Marilou Abramshe loves history and the researching of it. She has presented various aspects of Ulster County history at local historical societies and service groups and has been a familiar presenter at LLI at SUNY New Paltz.
INTRO TO YOGA
Ariana Basco
Woodland Pond (WP), 2:00-3:45

Welcome to the wonderful world of Yoga! In this four week class we will learn the foundations of yoga and emerge feeling equipped to enter any yoga studio with confidence. We will learn the English and Sanskrit names of basic postures and practice doing them safely. If you never tried yoga or want to get back into it, this is a great way to jump start your practice.

Ariana Basco is a RYT-200 certified yoga instructor. She teaches yin, restorative, prenatal, children and vinyasa flow style classes. She loves to make people feel welcome in the classroom and at home in their bodies.

NEW PALTZ "ANTIQUES ROAD SHOW"
Walter Marquez
St. Joseph’s (SJ), 10:50-12:05

Bring your treasures to be reviewed and appraised. We will review antiques and collectibles along with fakes and reproductions. General information on dating and appraising antiques.

Walter Marquez is the owner/manager of Antiques Barn and Antiques on Main at Water Street Market. He is a past president of Ulster County Antique Dealers Assoc.

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES
Rev. Arlene R. Wilhelm
Woodland Pond (WP), 10:50-12:05
Class limit 15

This class is for those who would like to nurture their spiritual journey. We will explore various practices that are ways that may lead toward transformation and a union with the Divine, however you may define the Divine. After learning about particular spiritual practices, we will do them together during class time. This is a participatory class, open to people of all faiths or no particular faith at all. We will cover such practices as: prayer, sacred reading, fasting and other spiritual disciplines.

The Rev. Arlene R. Wilhelm is an ordained Minister of Word and Sacrament in the Reformed Church in America. She is also a Certified Spiritual Director and a Certified Christian Educator. She has taught many times over her 34 years of ministry for churches and for the School for Christian Living and Serving. In addition, she has practiced yoga and its spiritual disciplines for many years. Currently, she is the Pastor of Visitation at the United Methodist Church of Hyde Park.

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SPECIAL THURSDAY COURSE (STC)
THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 19, OCTOBER 3, OCTOBER 24

BOOK DISCUSSION
Judy Reichler
Woodland Pond (WP), 1:00-2:00
September 19, October 3, 24

We will read three works of fiction depicting the lives of women, from different walks of life, at the turn of the 20th Century. Reaching back almost 100 years, we'll see if things have changed. September 19: *Sister Carrie* by Theodore Drieser; October 3: *The Doll’s House* by Henrik Ibsen; October 24: *All Passion Spent* by Vita Sackville-West.

Judy Reichler has a lifetime interest in reading and dissecting books for both literary and historical content. Her role in the group will be to provide some background and facilitate open discussion.

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Do you have a skill, hobby, or interest you would like to share? Contact the Curriculum Committee for further information at 845-257-2892 or at lifetime@newpaltz.edu

Please register early. There is no actual deadline but August 19th is the suggested return date. Classes fill quickly!
SEASON TICKET:

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

HENRY V

Presenter: Jessica Rothman, SUNY Campus
10/2– Tour 3:30 PM McKenna Lobby;
10/16 Orientation 3:30 PM (room TBD);
10/23 Rehearsal 6:30 PM (location TBD);
11/6 Rehearsal 6:30 PM (location TBD);
11/21 Performance 7:30 PM (location TBD)
$10 student discount ticket to attend the play

Experience the theatre from behind the scenes through performance. Explore production elements of a main stage production at SUNY New Paltz. Guided by a veteran theatre educator, meet with production teams and actors, explore themes and issues, observe the rehearsal process and attend a performance with talk back with the cast afterwards. This will be followed by a post performance discussion on another day.

Jessica Rothman has been a theatre educator and director of both Shakespeare and Musical Theatre for four decades and has created curriculum guides for Broadway shows. She is a past NYS Director of the International Thespian Society and a member of SAG/AFTRA.
ON THE COVER

Hearts and Moon 1
By Joan Barker
FALL 2019 Member:

- Become a member today
- Have fun learning what you love
- Explore new paths of knowledge
- Share your interests with others
- Spend time with old and new friends
- Membership offers student discount for SUNY fine arts events

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