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Featured Spring Programs

History Lectures

SAUL SILAS FATHI

Thursday, May 30, 1:00pm

Sponsored by Rita Palley

Free Masons and U.S. Presidents

Freemasonry is a fraternal organization that arose from obscure origins in the late 16th to early 17th century, with a membership estimated at around six million, including two million in the United States. George Washington as the first Grand Master in the U.S. Fourteen U.S. presidents were Free Masons. Candidates for Freemasonry are required to declare a belief in a Supreme Being. U.S. Membership includes: nine of the fifty-six signers of the Declaration of Independence and thirteen of the forty signers of the Constitution.

Coffee & Cake donated by Walls' Bakery.

SAUL SILAS FATHI

Thursday, June 20, 1:00pm

Artificial Intelligence (AI)

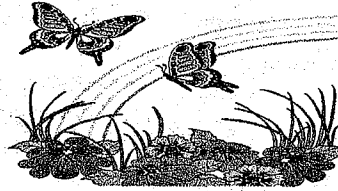
AI is the intelligence exhibited by machines (robots) or software, and the branch of computer science that develops machines and software with intelligence. It is predicted that computers will have the same processing power as human brains by the year 2029. Space exploration will be performed mostly by robots. Humans and machines will merge in the future into Cyborgs that are more capable and powerful than either. Within the next century, it will be difficult to differentiate between a human and robot.

LIZ ROPERS

Tuesday, May 14, 1:00pm

Munich and the Mossad

In 1972, eleven members of the Israeli Olympic team were killed by Palestinian terrorists. Hear the facts behind the attack and the true story of the retaliation plan, which lasted over twenty years.



LIZ ROPERS

Tuesday, June 18, 1:00pm

Danny Kaye

Singer, Actor, Dancer and Comedian

Kaye made over seventeen movies and starred in his own TV series. Beyond that it was his decades of humanitarian work that endeared him to the world. Learn even more about him at this informative and entertaining talk.

JOSEPH MARGOLIN

Tuesday, May 29, 1:00pm

NASA and the Voyage to Mars

Are we preparing for mankind's greatest adventure or its greatest folly? Human history is the story of man reaching out to learn and answer questions regarding the unknown. Large amounts of our resources are being directed towards the exploration of space. Is this truly man's destiny?

MARK GREENBERG

Tuesday, June 11, 1:00pm

The Art of War

Why was creativity not stifled in spite of oppression, death, and chaos during World War II?
Cookies & Coffee & Tea

JOSEPH MARGOLIN

Thursday, June 27, 1:00pm • Friends & Family Day

Ethnocentrism, Diversity and Nationalism

Are there characteristics and qualities that highlight and emphasize differences between individuals and groups? As such, they are often criticized for being divisive. However, the social norms, mores and traits developed by such individual groups have resulted in significant accomplishments. It may be possible to learn from others and that could foster social change!
(Ex: Is there a lesson to learn from a "Tiger Mom"?)

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More Spring Featured Programs

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Show Biz Lectures

JOHN KENRICK

Thursday, June 13, 1:00pm

The Sound of Music at 60: Still A World Favorite

Sixty years since it opened on Broadway, and fifty-one years since it reached the screen, Rodgers and Hammerstein's musical about the real-life Trapp Family is loved worldwide. A fun multimedia examination of how this classic was created, and how it has been celebrated in countless productions. Sponsored by Seawane Club

Concerts

GEORGE FRIEDMAN

Thursday, May 16, 1:00pm

Opera, Broadway, & Rat Pack

MARK EISMAN

Duet

Thursday, May 9, 1:00pm

Great Crooners Through the Years

Sponsored by Seawane Club

SQUEAKY CLEAN BAND

Thursday, May 23, 1:00pm

Oldies but Goodies

Sponsored by Inwood Charities Fund

PAUL JOSEPH

Composer

Tuesday, June 4, 1:00pm

Richard Rogers Jazz

An enjoyable afternoon of the music of Richard Rodgers will be presented by composer/pianist Paul Joseph. You'll hear inspiring instrumental jazz renditions of classics such as "If I Loved You," "Bewitched," "My Funny Valentine," and many others.

Sponsored by Inwood Charities Fund

STUART MARKUS

Singer-songwriter

Tuesday, June 25, 1:00pm • Friends & Family Day

Gathering Time: Welcoming Summer

Sponsored by Members' Birthdays

Coffee and Cake

Health, Nutrition & Well-Being

ADAM SCHWARTZ

Lynbrook Restorative

Monday, June 17, 1:00pm

Lecture: Pulmonary Health Program

Smart snacking and nutrition

New Entertainment & Program

JOHN CLANCY - Concert

Tuesday, May 21, 1:00pm

30's & 40's Song Book- Let's Reminisce

Clancy started taking piano lessons at age six, and started playing professionally at age eighteen. He played for Long Island piano bars and catering halls for twenty-five years, then eight years in Fort Lauderdale playing on cruise ships, an interactive show with song everyone knows from the past. The best songs for waltz, polka, etc., even the twist. Fun is coming!

Book Club

CLAIRE GANZFRIED

(Books here at CALE for pick up approximately one month prior to date reviewed, complements of Woodmere Hewlett Library. Must be signed out and returned on review date. Thank you!)

Monday, May 20, 12:00pm (Brown Bag Lunch)

Bel Canto by Ann Patchett

Story balances themes of love and crisis as two people learn that the music is their common language.

Monday, June 24, 12:00pm (Brown Bag Lunch)

Hillbilly Elegy by J.D. Vance

A passionate and personal analysis of a culture crisis – that of white, working-class Americans.

Special Sunday Class/Program

IRIS GORENBERG

Art & Painting

Sunday, May 5, 1:00-3:00pm

RSVP with Iris by Tuesday, April 30 • See Flyer
Members Free • Non-Members \$5 • Coffee/Tea

Sunday, June 23, 1:00-3:00pm

RSVP with Iris by Tuesday, June 8 • See Flyer
Members Free • Non-Members \$5 • Coffee/Tea

CALE Important Meetings

Advisory Council Meeting

(Committee Gala Review)

Thursday, May 2, 1:00pm

Sponsored by the DIME GIVES BACK • Coffee & Bag

DR. RALPH MARINO, Superintendent

Round Table Community Talk (Budget Q&A)

Tuesday, May 7, 11:00am

Thursday, June 6th, 11:00am

General Membership Meeting

Thursday, June 6, 1:00pm

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