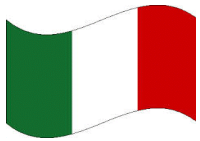
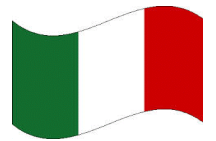


# Chapter of the Year!



## BNC's Phoenix Chapter Invites You to *An Evening Under the Stars*



**WHERE:** At the beautiful home of Sheila and Larry Landau  
(Tatum near Doubletree)

**WHEN:** Saturday, September 20<sup>th</sup>      **TIME:** 6:30 pm

**An Italian evening with appetizers, full dinner, desserts and soft drinks (BYOB!)**

**Entertainment provided by Mary M. Segall**

**COST:** \$30 per person until September 10<sup>th</sup>

\$35 per person from September 11 - 17<sup>th</sup> – No reservations after September 17<sup>th</sup>

It will be an evening of fun and friendship. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Valet Service provided

## *An Evening Under the Stars*

RSVP NOW with your check made out to BNC and mail to: Phyllis Becker, 9199 N. 107<sup>th</sup> Street,  
Scottsdale, AZ 85258

I have enclosed my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Names(s) for name tag: \_\_\_\_\_

Names(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Menu: Appetizer (Bruschetta and others), Garden Salad, Garlic Knots and Italian Bread,  
Chicken Marsala, Pasta, Desserts, Coffee, Tea and Soft Drinks (BYOB)

Cost is \$30 per person until Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>      \$35 per person from Sept. 11 - 17<sup>th</sup>

**NO RESERVATIONS AFTER SEPTEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>**

Questions? Contact Phyllis Becker, 480-838-1210 / [psb830@gmail.com](mailto:psb830@gmail.com)

*For income tax purposes, the tax deductible portion of the ticket price is \$10 per ticket. Proceeds go to BNC's Sustaining the Mind Campaign, funding research to help find a cure for neurodegenerative diseases, such as Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) and autism, and to endow science scholarships.*



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow BNC Phoenix Chapter Members,

Last month, I shared with you my reflections on how my role as your president is to be the chief fundraising officer for our Chapter. Today, I would like to address what being part of a National organization means for all of us.

In my 30+ years as a fundraising professional, I worked for several nonprofits that had a National organization/Chapters structure similar to BNC. My most vivid memory is working for the Miami Chapter of the American Red Cross during and after Hurricane Andrew. My condo building on Biscayne Bay was in the evacuation zone, so I rode out the night of the storm at Red Cross Disaster

Headquarters - and what a night it was! The National Headquarters knew our Chapter was in the storm's path, and assured us they would be there for us. What we didn't know is that the trucks with staff and supplies were already rolling from adjoining states even as the storm still raged. Within hours after we were able to step outside and take in the devastated landscape, a veritable field army moved in to help. For the first time, we truly understood the impact of the dollars our Chapter had raised and sent to National Headquarters. As a Chapter, we finally understood the 'two-way street' that is the essential relationship in such an organizational structure.

Now, I know you're probably thinking that nothing so dramatic pertains to our relationship with BNC! But what if the dollars that we raise for the Sustaining the Mind result in a breakthrough cure for Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, ALS or autism? What about the thousands of Brandeis graduates since 1948 who have gone on to be leaders in every aspect of both the business and nonprofit sectors, and who benefitted from the resources of the Brandeis University libraries? Those libraries would not even exist without the contributions of people like you and me over the years - more than \$100 million dollars and still counting!

But, like I said, it's a two-way street, and we get so much in return for our philanthropic efforts on behalf of the university. We have the chance to participate in a marvelous range of Learning Opportunities - see <http://www.brandeis.edu/bnc/learning/index.html> for a complete description of the opportunities the university offers to Chapters. We learn and play with old friends and make new ones as we participate in these groups. We conduct our philanthropy for the university in the context of fun, social activities like this month's Evening Under the Stars and our Autumn Luncheon on October 31st. I look forward to continued fundraising- and fun - with each and every one of you as we support Brandeis University through our Phoenix Chapter.

All the best,

Carol Abrams,  
President, BNC Phoenix Chapter

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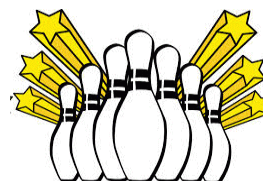
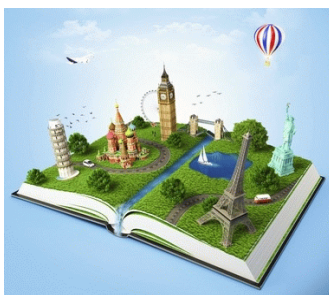
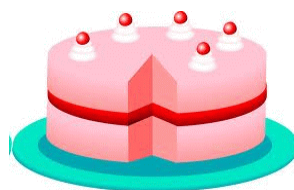
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# Learning Opportunities News

It's finally here - the BNC Learning Opportunities 2014 - 2015 season! On August 7<sup>th</sup>, the new Guide went 'live' - so you may already know that many of your favorite activities have returned, plus 17 brand new offerings, for a total of 45 groups. We believe you will enjoy this wonderful array of activities to choose from - there is something fun and interesting for every BNC Phoenix member.

## Here are the choices this year:



**ART:** Continuing this year are **Studio Art & Bistro Lunch** and **Artist Studio Tours** plus two brand-new groups: **Gallery Girls** will visit various galleries around town and **Painting & Sipping** will show you how to paint a picture while you sip your favorite spirits.

**THE ARTS:** **Arizona Author Speaker Series** and **Concerts and Conversations** are returning, along with **At the Ballet** and **Opera**.

**BOOKS:** Brandeis members love to read and there are two brand-new groups. Joining the returning **Jewish Book Group** and **Friday Afternoon Book Group** are the new **Non-Fiction Book Group** and **Books for the Armchair Traveler**. Using Brandeis-authored and other materials, **Study with the Best** will feature two book discussions this year.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** BNC Phoenix continues to give back to the community as **Knit a Mitzvah** returns to knit scarves for a variety of organizations that are in need of warming up children and adults.

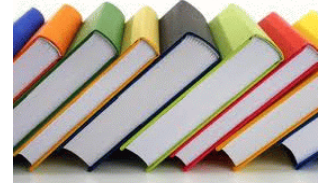
**FITNESS:** Stay fit with BNC friends as **Just Hiking - Intermediate** (new name), **Play Golf** and **Yoga** return for your health and enjoyment. Joining them are **Bowling for Fun** and **Guys and Girls on the Green**, a new co-ed golf group.

**FOOD:** Our ever-popular **Lunch Bunch** and **Neighborhood Haunts** groups are back, complemented by the brand new **Just Desserts!** If you like going to the movies, followed by lunch and a discussion, you have two choices (do one or both!): **Camelview Review and Lunch**, and **Friday Matinee Movies and Lunch**.

**GAMES:** Seasoned gamers or eager beginners - we have a group for you! **Bridging It!** returns for intermediate bridge players. The beginning and intermediate **Mah-Jongg** groups are both returning.

**INTELLECTUAL PURSUITS:** There are two new groups with a historical framework: **Understanding the American Elections Process** and **Jews in 20th Century America**. If current events are to your liking, two **Contemporary Issues** groups return.

# Learning Opportunities News – continued



**MEN'S GROUPS:** While most of our groups welcome both men and women, we also offer some that are geared more for the guys. The popular and active **Men of Brandeis** group returns along with two new groups: **Not Your Grandpa's Bridge** and **The Good, the Bad and the Tasty**. For those who want to be more active, there is a **Men's Bowling** group this year, along with a co-ed golf group, **Guys and Girls on the Green**. This just in! A brand new couples' movie group will start in October - details to follow.

**SPECIAL INTEREST:** We have some new special interest groups: **Antique Gatherings**, **Conversational Hebrew** and **Learn How to Sell On eBay**.

**VALLEY ADVENTURES:** Calling all explorers! **Boomers**, **Cultural Sites in AZ**, **Girls' Night Out** and **Sun Lakes Potpourri** are all back! Joining these groups are **Evening Potpourri** and **Phoenicians of BNC**.

**In the Guide, you will find detailed descriptions of all the groups.**

**It is available on our website:** [www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html](http://www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html)

You will find a link to the Registration Form there, and there is also one on the next page. If you are not a member yet but would like to join the fun, a Membership Form can be downloaded from the same website page and there is also a form at the end of this bulletin.

**The new season begins in October and groups are beginning to fill up, so sign up soon!**

## Registration and Membership

**Registration:** The cost of each group remains \$21, with a \$3 early bird discount if you sign up by September 12<sup>th</sup>, so plan to sign up early! If you've joined our groups before, then you already know how wonderful they are. If you're a new member, please look through the Learning Opportunities Guide, join all the groups that interest you - and tell your friends!

**Membership:** Brandeis Learning Opportunities are for the benefit of all BNC members, whether returning or brand new. Contact Irene Lubin at 480-948-3773 or [irlubin1@cox.net](mailto:irlubin1@cox.net) for membership information or to pay your dues by credit card.

**We look forward to learning with you this 2014-2015 BNC year!**

Learning Opportunities Vice-Presidents:  
Merrill Kalman, Sara Leopold and Ronee Siegel [bncphxlo@gmail.com](mailto:bncphxlo@gmail.com)



# 2014 - 2015 Learning Opportunities Registration

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY - This is how your facilitators will contact you.)

**Mark your selection(s) – All groups are \$21**

**\*\* Deduct \$3 per Group if registration is mailed before September 12, 2014**

**A downloadable copy of this page and the Learning Opportunities Guide are available on the chapter website: [www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html](http://www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html)**

## VARIOUS

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Boomers
2. **FULL Cultural Sites in AZ**
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Potpourri **\*NEW\***
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Men of Brandeis (M.O.B.)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Phoenicians of BNC **\*NEW\***
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Study With The Best - Book Discussions

## MONDAY

7. **FULL How to Sell on eBay \*NEW\***
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Guys and Girls on the Green **\*NEW\***
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Antique Gatherings **\*NEW\***
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Concerts and Conversations
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Arizona Authors Speaker Series
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Opera

## TUESDAY

13. \_\_\_\_\_ Mah-Jongg for Beginners
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Yoga
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Understanding the American Election Process **\*NEW\***
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Not Your Grandpa's Bridge **\*NEW\***
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Second Tuesday Lunch Bunch
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Camelview Review and Lunch
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Bridging It!
20. **FULL Artist Studio Tours**
21. **FULL Jews in 20<sup>th</sup> Century America \*NEW\***

## WEDNESDAY

22. \_\_\_\_\_ Just Desserts **\*NEW\***
23. **FULL Conversational Hebrew \*NEW\***
24. \_\_\_\_\_ Painting and Sipping **\*NEW\***
25. \_\_\_\_\_ Play Golf
26. \_\_\_\_\_ Fourth Wednesday Lunch Bunch

27. \_\_\_\_\_ Knit A Mitzvah
28. \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Fiction Book Group **\*NEW\***

## THURSDAY

29. \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate Mah-Jongg
30. \_\_\_\_\_ Neighborhood Haunts
31. \_\_\_\_\_ Jewish Book Group
32. \_\_\_\_\_ Just Hiking - Intermediate (New Name)
33. \_\_\_\_\_ Sun Lakes Potpourri
34. \_\_\_\_\_ Bowling for Fun **\*NEW\***
35. \_\_\_\_\_ The Good, the Bad & the Tasty **\*NEW\***
36. **FULL Books for the Armchair Traveler \*NEW\***
37. \_\_\_\_\_ Men's Bowling **\*NEW\***
38. \_\_\_\_\_ Contemporary Issues Discussion Group #1
39. **FULL Contemporary Issues Discussion Group #3**

## FRIDAY

40. **FULL Gallery Girls \*NEW\***
41. \_\_\_\_\_ Friday Matinee Movie and Lunch
42. \_\_\_\_\_ Friday Afternoon Book Discussion Group
43. \_\_\_\_\_ Studio Art and Bistro Lunch

## SATURDAY

44. \_\_\_\_\_ At The Ballet
45. \_\_\_\_\_ Girls' Night Out

\_\_\_\_\_ Groups @ \$21 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* Early Bird Discount (Sept 12, 2014)**

Deduct \$3 per group \$(\_\_\_\_\_)

TOTAL Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Mark your selection(s) and mail Registration Form and check payable to BNC, to:  
Merrill Kalman, 8240 E. Tether Trail, Scottsdale, AZ 85255**

**[mskbfo@aol.com](mailto:mskbfo@aol.com)**

**DO NOT include dues payments here. See Membership Form on page 3 of the Learning Opportunities Guide.**

**KEEP A COPY OF THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS**

# Join the M.O.B.

## WATCH THIS SPACE FOR M.O.B. HAPPENINGS DURING THE SEASON!

The BNC M.O.B. (Men of Brandeis) meets monthly, alternating between lectures on contemporary issues and field trips.

The events planned for the coming season include the Police and Fire Academy in Glendale, Amazon



Fulfillment Center, and a lecture on Biomedical Science.

Make sure to sign up for this group! For details, check the Learning Opportunities Guide you received by email in August and also available on our website,

[www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html](http://www.brandeisphoenix.com/LearningOpps.html)

**Attention Men of Brandeis . . . Save the Date. . . First meeting of the year!**

**Wednesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> - Dr. Jonathan Lifshitz, Ph.D.**

**Director, Translational Neurotrauma Research, Barrow Neurological Institute**

He will lead a discussion on biomedical research and its impact on clinical care.

For more information contact facilitators: Leith Baletin [lbaletin@att.net](mailto:lbaletin@att.net) or

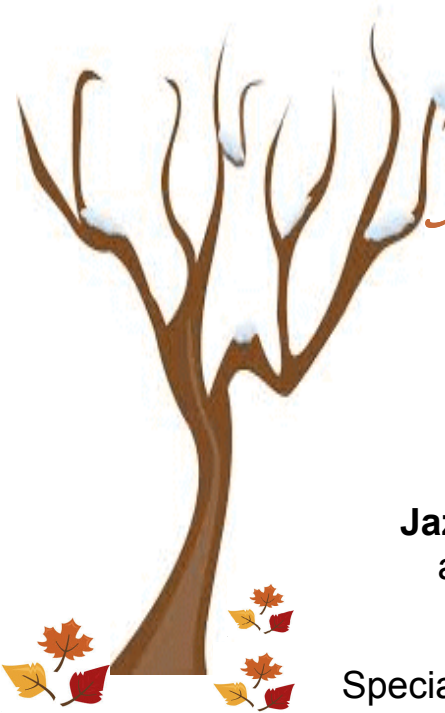
Sam Summer [samsummeraz@yahoo.com](mailto:samsummeraz@yahoo.com) 480-488-1540

## **BNC Phoenix Participates in East Valley Jewish Expo**



Our BNC Chapter will sponsor a table at this event. On Sunday, September 7, 2014 from 1:00 - 4:00 pm, the Jewish Community Association of Greater Phoenix will be hosting the East Valley Jewish Expo at the Tempe Center for the Arts, 700 W. Rio Salado Pkwy, Tempe.

Over 40 organizations from throughout the valley will be onsite to showcase opportunities for involvement in Jewish life in the East Valley and throughout Greater Phoenix. There is no cost to participate in this free community event, however, we do request you bring nonperishable food items to support several food banks in our community when you attend. Other highlights of the day will include a Phoenix Board of Rabbis-sponsored "Ask the Rabbis" booth where people can stop and talk with a local Rabbi(s), a food drive for area food banks, and the Childsplay Theater Production "*Charlotte's Web*" ([www.childsplayaz.org](http://www.childsplayaz.org)) will begin at the TCA at 4:00 pm that day for those who would like to combine the two activities.



The BNC Phoenix Chapter  
proudly invites you to our

## Autumn Leaves Luncheon



**WHERE:** Montelucia Resort,  
Paradise Valley

**WHEN:** October 31<sup>st</sup>



Music performed by :  
**Jazz Alive** - featuring singer **Delphine Cortez**  
accompanied by **Joel Robin** on keyboard

**VENDORS:**

Special silent auction featuring treats and adventures



## Volunteer Opportunities

A wonderful way to get involved with our local BNC Chapter is to share your expertise with us. It's a win-win! You'll get to meet some of the other members, keep up your skills and learn new ones, and the Chapter benefits from your experience.

**The current skill sets needed are:**

**Social Media, Website,  
Marketing, Publicity**

If you would like to volunteer in any other area, please let us know.

Contact Kathleen Witkin  
[witkinbnc@gmail.com](mailto:witkinbnc@gmail.com)



## Children's Book Collection

We continue to collect new and gently used children's books for local elementary schools.

For more information, please contact Dorry Sunenshine  
[dsunenshine@gmail.com](mailto:dsunenshine@gmail.com).

Co-chairs:

Dorry Sunenshine and Carol Baine



## Holocaust Study Challenges Stereotype of the “Ungrateful Jew”



When I began researching the history of those who rescued Jews in wartime Poland, I quickly realized that this is not a closed chapter: this history has had a deep impact, for a long time after the end of the Holocaust, on the lives of

individuals and families of both rescuers and survivors.

My work on rescuers also aims to debunk some skewed popular myths pertaining to the memory of the Holocaust that crystallized in the early postwar period, such as the theme of the “ignoble ungrateful Jew.” My research shows that the myth of ungrateful Jew was rooted in prejudice rather than in reality. The early postwar letters of Jewish survivors reveal that in some cases, ironically the best form of gratitude for wartime deeds was for the Jewish survivors to pretend to cut off contact with the rescuers in the early postwar period so these Poles would not be exposed to their neighbors’ disapproval of their wartime rescue activities, expressed in robbery and violence.

I belong to a generation of scholars, who have free access to major archives in post-communist Poland and therefore can analyze previously inaccessible primary sources, including personal testimonies and letters of Polish rescuers and Jewish survivors that throw a new light on the nature of rescue. My role, as I see it, is to revisit, reevaluate and reinterpret the history of Polish rescuers and the relationship between rescuers and their Jewish charges written during the communist period (1945-1989). During that period, the subject was a highly emotional and politicized topic presented in a biased and superficial manner in both the historiography and public memory. Many aspects of the relationship between rescuers and

Jewish survivors during and after the Holocaust eluded close treatment by historians, as had a detailed typology of rescuers and the analysis of the status of rescuers and attitudes and behavior towards them within their own communities.

My research on this topic first started while working on a book on Jewish child survivors. I studied personal accounts of child survivors and rescuers from the early and late postwar periods and official records. There is no doubt that to write a comprehensive and nuanced history of the rescue of Jews in Poland today one has to approach the subject anew. I argue that studies of rescue should steer away from analyzing the topic from one point of view. They require a solid empirical, theoretical, and comparative approach that would result in placing it in the broader historical context of rescue in the entire Nazi-occupied Europe — which should lead to the demystification of it in and for Polish history. It is important for scholars to develop analytical tools and new intellectual approaches that would allow them to write a history of rescue in which all types of rescuers will be discussed from multiple perspectives.

In my work I insist that the history of rescuers who were dedicated to saving their Jewish charges without any intention of benefiting from their actions, has to be retold because of the ongoing manipulation of these rescuers by right-wing Conservative politicians, historians, clergy, and pundits in post-communist Poland. In rewriting their history, one not only has to examine the socio-economic background, gender, and religiosity of these rescuers, but also investigate the more subjective factors such as family practices, the individual system of beliefs, emotions, and parental and sexual desires of married, widowed and single male and female rescuers.

In my own research I focus on the

“dedicated rescuers” who went above and beyond their sense of duty to save Jewish life, and the ways they were perceived and treated by the local environment. I am particularly interested in the stigmatization of dedicated rescuers within their local environment. I argue that during the war and in the immediate postwar period, “dedicated” rescuers feared being insulted and robbed, but this fear cannot be understood without cultural underpinning. People who robbed and ransacked rescuers’ properties did not do so solely for economic reasons, though they may have stolen in the belief that rescuers had acquired Jewish wealth. Economic reasons and benefits were important, but the rationale and motivation was to stigmatize, ridicule, and punish rescuers for saving Jews.

The pre-1939 ethno-nationalistic intention in labeling an individual a ‘Jewish saviour’ was to make him or her stand out from the collective for betraying Polish social and cultural norms. Prewar symbolic stigmatization of Poles who spoke out against anti-Semitism, in the form of verbal abuse, took on much more violent and aggressive forms under German occupation with its genocidal policies against Jews and punitive measures against rescuers of Jewish fugitives. Verbal violence easily turned into brutal deeds against dedicated rescuers. This situation continued in the early postwar period, when Jewish survivors began to come out of their shelters and leave their rescuers.

*Dr. Joanna Beata Michlic is the Director of the HBI Project on Families, Children, and the Holocaust. She is currently a Senior Fulbright Scholar at the Strochlitz Institute for Holocaust Research and the Weiss-Livnat International M.A. in Holocaust Studies, University of Haifa. She is a member of the department of Historical Studies, Bristol University. She is the co-editor of Bringing the Dark Past to Light: The Reception of the Holocaust in Postcommunist Europe.*



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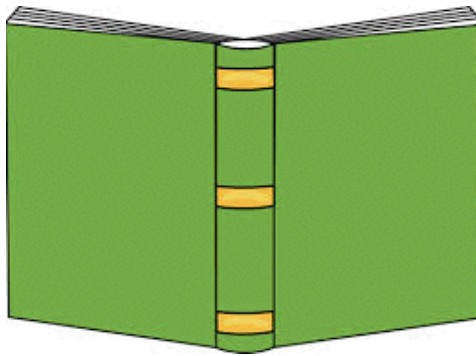
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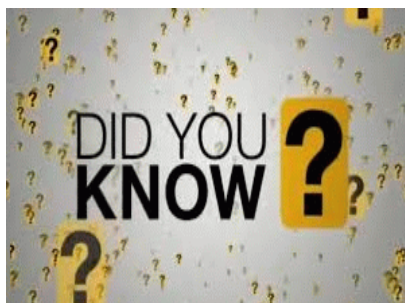
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| Lori & Steven Roth     | Dorry & Harry Sunenshine | Congratulations on the birth of your granddaughter, Charlotte Eden |
| Iris Wigal             | Karen Bycer              | Wishing you a speedy recovery                                      |
| Carol & Charles Abrams | Lori & Steven Roth       | Congratulations on the birth of your grandson, Rafi                |
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| Lori & Steven Roth     | Marianne Silberman       | Wishing you a speedy recovery                                      |
| Marcy Strauss          | Marianne Silberman       | Wishing you a speedy recovery                                      |
| Joyce Gordon           | Mickey Wenokur           | Wishing you a speedy recovery                                      |
| Joyce Gordon           | Sandi Zucker             | Wishing you a speedy recovery                                      |
| Joyce Gordon           | Sue Rollins & Paul Garry | Congratulations on the marriage of your daughter, Leslie           |



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Suzie Black at 602-799-3861 or [siblack1@centurylink.net](mailto:siblack1@centurylink.net)

## Membership

### Member News

We wish a speedy and complete recovery to Howard Cohen.  
Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Linda Slater.  
Our very sincere condolences to the family of Ruth Pearson on the loss of our Life Member.  
Our condolences to the family of Suzanne Hyman who was a Life Member.

### New Members

Alissa Berman, Gail Bress, Janice Downie, Paul Garry, Susan Goldberg,  
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Most of our members find out about the BNC because they are invited to an event by a friend. With so many exciting programs and events coming up in our Chapter, why not invite a friend to join you?

#### Share Brandeis, invite your friend to:

- ✘ Sample a learning opportunity
- ✘ Meet and listen to a Brandeis professor at a UoW
  - ✘ Experience a cultural event
- ✘ Participate in a community service event

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**Remember!**

## Save the Date !

**Saturday, September 20, 2014**  
Evening Under the Stars

**Friday, October 31, 2014**  
Autumn Leaves Luncheon - Montelucia Resort, Scottsdale

**Sunday, November 9, 2014**  
Women's Symposium at the JCC

**Saturday, December 13, 2014**  
Theatre Party at the Theatre Artists Studio

**Friday, January 9, 2015**  
University on Wheels

**Sunday, March 15, 2015**  
Book and Author Event:  
Bookmark Cocktail Reception

**Monday, March 16, 2015**  
Book and Author Event - The Phoenician, Scottsdale

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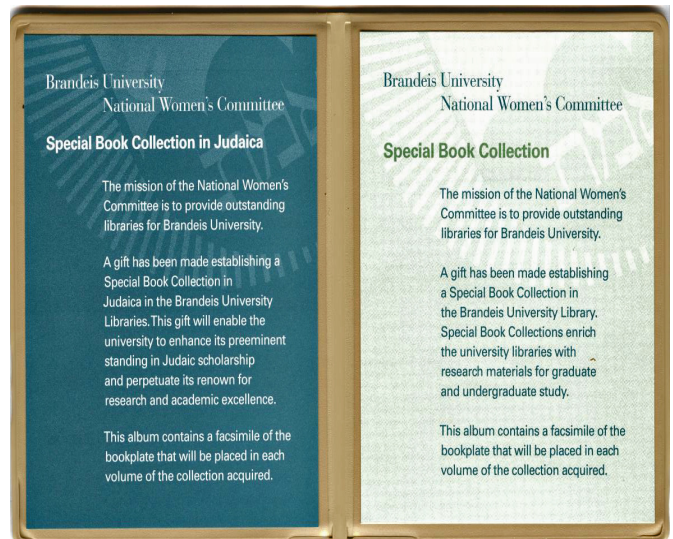
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