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# Programs for Active Adults Around Town

**MARCH – APRIL 2020**

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Jewish Residents  
of Leisure World



## Overnight Excursion to New York City Tuesday-Wednesday | March 31-April 1

**Come with us to NYC** on this two-day, fun and memorable trip. Past participants say,

***“ Great trip! Delicious food!  
A wonderful experience! ”***

- Depart Bender JCC 8:00 AM | Leisure World 8:30 AM
- Broadway Musical: *Caroline, or Change* (Orchestra Seating)
- United Nations: Docent-Led Tour and Briefing
- Lunch at the exclusive UN Delegates Dining Room
- The High Line (weather-permitting)
- Boxed Lunch, Dinner, Breakfast, Lunch, Snacks included
- Overnight: Wyndham New Yorker (Mid-Manhattan)
- Luxury Motor Coach
- Return Leisure World 8:00 PM | Bender JCC 8:30 PM

**Notes:**

- Significant standing (UN Security Line) and walking (UN Tour).
- We do not match roommates.
- We reserve the right to make changes and substitutions, if needed.

**\$595 Per person, double occupancy**

**\$695 Single supplement**

**RSVP: February 11, based on availability**

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Register and learn more at [benderjccgw.org/coa](https://benderjccgw.org/coa)

**PROGRAMS AT THE  
BENDER JCC**

6125 MONTROSE ROAD  
ROCKVILLE, MD 20852

Contact Marcie Blackman 301-348-3808

Featured Classes: **Adult Games**

**Intermediate Mah Jongg Class**

**Tuesdays, March 3 – 24 | 10:00AM - 12:00 PM**

\$65 Member/\$85 General Public

**Beginner Bridge Class**

**Tuesdays & Thursdays, March 10 – 26 | 10:00AM - 12:00 PM**

\$110 Member/\$130 General Public

**Beginner Canasta Class**

**Tuesdays & Thursdays, April 21 – 30 | 1:00 - 3:00 PM**

\$65 Member/\$85 General Public

Featured Program: **Gen Tech: Smartphones and  
Tablet Help**

**Tuesday, February 23, March 8, 22 | 1:00 - 2:30 PM**

Free, Reservations required: Marcie Blackman, 301-348-3808

Polinger Artists of Excellence Presents:  
**Exquisite Classical Music**

**All performances Sundays | 7:30 PM**

**Cost: \$45 (seniors)**

**March 1:** Angela Hewitt

Piano: Bach

**March 29:** Gryphon Trio

Piano Trio: Beethoven, Shostakovich, Brahms

**May 3:** Benjamin Grosvenor

Piano: Rameau, Beethoven, Liszt

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## PROGRAMS AT LEISURE WORLD

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**CLUBHOUSE II AUDITORIUM | DISCUSSION TO FOLLOW**  
**3300 N. LEISURE WORLD BLVD, SILVER SPRING, MD 20906**

Movie Matinee: ***Love In Suspenders***

*2019 | 99 minutes | Hebrew with English subtitles | Comedy and Romance*

This is a sentimental romantic comedy between Tami, a widow in her 60s and Beno, a widower in his 70s—two people with different personalities. Love, however, has its own rules. Notwithstanding their differences in lifestyle and personality, interfering offspring and neighbors, they eventually fall in love.

**Monday, March 16 | 1:30 - 3:30 PM | \$8/\$10 Day Of**

Movie Matinee: ***The Invisibles***

*2016 | 110 minutes | German with English subtitles | Docudrama*

While Nazi propaganda minister Josef Goebbels infamously declared Berlin "free of Jews" in 1943, 1,700 managed to survive in the Nazi capital. Claus Räfle's gripping docudrama traces the stories of four real-life survivors who learned to hide in plain sight. *The Invisibles* is a testament to the resourcefulness, willpower and sheer chance needed to survive against incredible odds.

**Wednesday, April 22 | 1:30 - 3:30 PM | \$8/\$10 Day Of**

### CLUBHOUSE I

**3700 ROSSMOOR BLVD, SILVER SPRING, MD 20906**

Lecture: ***The Jews of Ireland*, led by Ambassador Daniel Mulhall, Embassy of Ireland**

Ambassador Mulhall will speak about the fascinating history of the Jews of Ireland. He will discuss the many parallels between the Irish and Jewish peoples, as well as relations between Ireland and Israel.

**Thursday, April 30 | 1:30 - 3:30 PM | \$8/\$10 Day Of**

**Lecture: A Fresh Approach to Passover: From the White House to Your House**

Chef and food writer Susan Barocas will share behind-the-scenes stories from three years as the guest chef for President and Mrs. Obama's White House Seders, along with recipes served there for the holiday. Like the White House Seder menu, we will draw on the Passover flavors of Jewish cuisines from around the world. Special tasting included! Refreshments served.

**Wednesday, March 25 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM | \$8/\$10 Day Of**

**Lecture: Jewish Justices**

From Justices Brandeis to Kagan, there have been eight Jewish Supreme Court Justices – thus far. David Epstein, a Harvard Law School graduate, will share the stories and influences of all eight Jewish justices. Refreshments served.

**Tuesday, April 28 | 1:30 - 3:00 PM | \$8/\$10 Day Of**

**Food 'n Fun Luncheon: El Mariachi Restaurant  
765 Rockville Pike (Ritchie Center), Rockville, MD**

Indulge in savory dishes at El Mariachi restaurant, a hidden gem and long-time local favorite. This bustling eatery offers an eclectic menu dominated by non-spicy Peruvian and Tex-Mex dishes. Enjoy great food, followed by a great game.

**Wednesday, March 11 | 12:30 - 3:00 PM  
\$30 (Lunch & Program)**

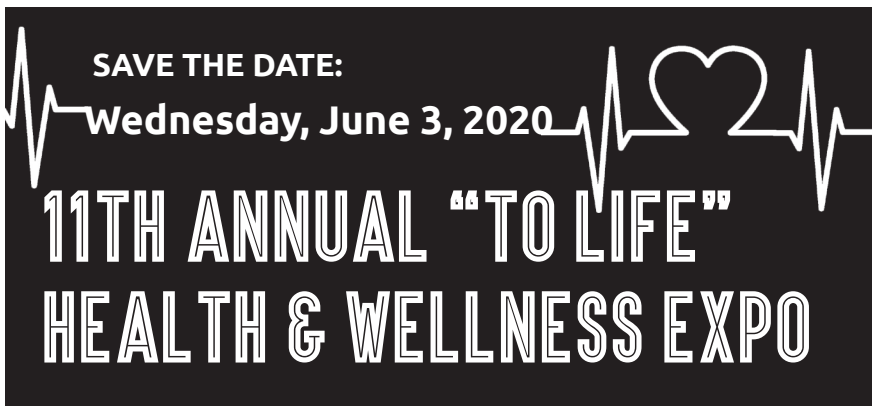
**SAVE THE DATE: PIPPIN**

**Excursion: The Olney Theatre, Olney, MD  
Wednesday, June 24 | 8:00 PM**

This classic musical tells the story of Pippin, a young prince on his search for meaning and significance, featuring some of music-theater's best-loved songs and most theatrical moments.

## POLICIES

- Please register at [www.benderjccgw.org/coa](http://www.benderjccgw.org/coa) or complete and mail the attached registration form.
- Please include all participants' names and contact information if using paper registration form.
- Programs are filled in order of receipt of payment.
- Programs may sell-out before the RSVP date.
- Refunds will not be available after the RSVP date.
- For additional program information, to discuss accommodations for special needs, or to be removed from these mailings, please contact **Frieda Enoch, Bender JCC**, at 301-348-3832 or [fenoeh@benderjccgw.org](mailto:fenoeh@benderjccgw.org).



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*Chag Pesach Samech*

Wishing you and your loved ones a joyous Passover

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# REGISTRATION

REGISTER AT BENDERJCCGW.ORG/COA OR COMPLETE AND SUBMIT THIS FORM TO BENDER JCC, ATTN: COA, 6125 MONTROSE RD, ROCKVILLE, MD 20852

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Overnight Excursion: NYC! Tues-Wed, March 31-April 1** RSVP 2/11  
\$595/pp/Double Room; \$695/pp/Single Room Due \$\_\_\_\_  
Name of roommate [if sharing]: \_\_\_\_\_

**Food 'n Fun: El Mariachi, Wed, Mar 11** RSVP 2/26  
\$30/Lunch & Program Due \$\_\_\_\_

**Leisure World: Film: *Love in Suspenders*, Mon, Mar 16** RSVP 3/9  
\$8/\$10 Day Of Due \$\_\_\_\_

**Shaare Tefila: Lecture: Passover, Wed, Mar 25** RSVP 3/16  
\$8/\$10 Day Of Due \$\_\_\_\_

**Leisure World: Film: *The Invisibles*, Wed, Apr 22** RSVP 4/15  
\$8/\$10 Day Of Due \$\_\_\_\_

**Shaare Tefila: Lecture: Jewish Justices, Tues, Apr 28** RSVP 4/21  
\$8/\$10 Day Of Due \$\_\_\_\_

**Leisure World: Lecture: Jews of Ireland, Thurs, Apr 30** RSVP 4/23  
\$8/\$10 Day Of Due \$\_\_\_\_

## Yes, I want to support these great programs year-round!

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\$18  \$36  \$50  \$100  \$\_\_\_\_\_

## Method of Payment

VISA  MasterCard  AmEx  Discover

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*Note: Please do not send cash.*



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Rockville, MD 20852  
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## **NYC Overnight Trip – Spots Filling Quickly March 31–April 1**

*Highlights Include:  
Caroline, or Change (Orchestra seats)  
United Nations Tour and Lunch  
High Line (weather permitting)*

**Register Today!**

*Details inside on page 2*

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