**Music at the Movies**

*Le Concert—The Concert*

November 3 • 2–5 pm

(1st Thursdays)

Thirty years ago the renown conductor of the Bolshoi Orchestra was known for hiring, Jewish musicians. Now a janitor at the Bolshoi, he gathers his former musicians to perform in what would be the last public concert before the war. Hosted buy music enthusiast Annis Scott. No registration.

**Spanish Offerings**

*Intermediate Conversational Every Wednesday • 10:30 am—Noon*

Informal chat session using various books, flashcards, etc. Some weeks may feature a half-hour episode of the Destinos DVD series, followed by discussion in Spanish. No instructor. No registration.

All Spanish classes below are taught by Alina Lowen, a native speaker who has taught for 30 years. Class sizes are limited. Please call the instructor directly with questions about which class level to join, at 480-488-2286. Registration required 2 days prior to class start: 480-488-2286. Cost: $45 for each 5-week series.

**Spanish Level 1**

Wednesdays, Nov 9 – Dec 7 • 9:30–10:30 am

No knowledge necessary, or take this class as a refresher. Oral skills will be emphasized; students learn basic grammatical structures to communicate on everyday topics.

**Spanish Level 2**

Wednesdays, Nov 9 – Dec 7 • 10:40–11:40 am

An informal discussion of books, film and theater, led by a facilitator. No requirements to read or see any particular book, film or play. Everyone is invited to share ideas and reflections on the selected theme. November theme: *Unintended Consequences*. We’ll focus on their use as a plot device, and muse about works that hinge on the unexpected outcome of intentional acts. No registration.

**The Happy Hookers**

November 28 • 1–3 pm (4th Mondays)

Do you knit, crochet, or practice another needle or table craft? Join the Happy Hookers monthly for companionship and conversation! No registration.

**Spanish Level 3**

Wednesdays, Nov 9 – Dec 7 • 11:50 am–12:50 pm

**Spanish Level 4**

Tuesdays, Nov 8 – Dec 6 • 10:40 –11:40 am

**Spanish Level 5**

Tuesdays, Nov 8 – Dec 6 • 11:30 am–12:30 pm

**Estate Planning**

*Don’t Make Your Family Fill in the Blanks*

Thursday, November 17 • 3–4 pm

Nicole Pavlik of Pavlik Law Firm, PLC will host a free Estate Planning Workshop, providing a small group setting for participants to learn the essentials of developing an estate plan. A solid plan is essential to make sure your family is not left filling in the blanks. Participants will learn:

- Powers of Attorney - why they are important and what you should have in them
- Trusts - what they are and how they differ from a Last Will and Testament
- Taxes - who has estate or inheritance tax
- Beneficiary designations — why these need to be updated

Participants have the opportunity to actively learn, plan, and ask questions in a supportive and engaging environment.

Register: 480-488-2286.

**Music Appreciation at the Library**

Friday, November 4 • 4–5:30 pm

Fran Rosenthal, Music Enthusiast, will educate and entertain, as she takes us on a tour of music throughout our history. Topic: "Romero and Juliet": The Many Versions of the Shakespeare Love Story portrayed in Musical forms...Six composers portray the Lovers’ Story: Tchaikovsky, Prokofiev, Gounod, Bernstein and Rota. It’s all about Love!

Register: 480-488-2286.

**Library Book Club**

November 8 • 10 am–Noon (2nd Thursdays)

Discussion of *The Civil Wars of Julia Ward* by Elaine Showalter.

Everyone is welcome!

**Learning from Antiques**

Wednesday, November 16 • 2–3 pm

Local collector Greg Hoffman will focus on 20 selected pieces from his collection of American antiques and folk art. We will examine the many ways in which the form and function of antiques can reveal a wealth of knowledge about history and the lives of our ancestors.

Register: 480-488-2286.

**Library Card Club**

November 10 • 10 am–Noon (2nd Thursdays)

An informal discussion of books, film and theater, led by a facilitator. No requirements to read or see any particular book, film or play. Everyone is invited to share ideas and reflections on the selected theme. November theme: *Unintended Consequences*. We’ll focus on their use as a plot device, and muse about works that hinge on the unexpected outcome of intentional acts. No registration.

**Monthly Support Groups**

*Led by Hospice of the West facilitators. No registration.*

**Caring for the Caregiver**

Monday, November 7 • 11:30–12:30 pm (1st Mondays)

Taking care of yourself is essential in being able to take care of your loved one. Join us for this opportunity to fellowship with other caregivers.

**"The Healing Pathway**

*After the Loss of a Spouse or Partner*

November 14 & 28 • 9:00 am–Noon (2nd & 4th Mondays)

Join us on this Journey that will guide you to find a "NEW NORMAL" as you process through your personal grief journey.

**Happy Hookers**

November 28 • 1–3 pm (4th Mondays)

Join the Happy Hookers monthly for companionship and conversation! No registration.

**Looking for a Movie**

Tuesday Movies @ the Library

Mondays, 3–5 pm

New releases with a Foreign Film once each month! Check our website www.dfla.org for titles.
TRAVELING TO ITALY—see the Hidden Tuscany
Wednesday, November 2 • 3:30 pm
Join Roberta Kritzia, tour designer and professional artist, as she conducts a lively slide lecture showing the “Hidden Treasures” of Tuscany, Italy. Enjoy Brunello Wine Tasting in a vineyard and explore a fortress in the Medieval Hill Town of Montalcino, Italy. Visit the stunning Hill Town of Pienza known as the Renaissance village of the Val d’Orcia. Join Roberta in an Italian Cuisine Cooking Class in a villa just outside of Florence. Shop with her in and around the Ponte Vecchio, Florence. Also, Roberta will show her most recent mixed media paintings done in Europe during her 31 years of designing for her Small Group Tours to Europe. This promises to be a most interesting presentation and it may inspire you to explore and/or sketch with Roberta on location, in Italy, 2017. Register: 480-488-2286. Cost: $10 cash only; pay to Roberta Kritzia at program event.

CRAFTY CARD MAKING
Saturday, November 19 • 10:30 am–12:30 pm
We’ll make cards for every season, every reason! Join in the fun with Card Maker Melissa Sunde, who will have all the supplies cut and ready, and will help guide you in making 3 greeting cards. You’ll learn new stamping techniques and how to use all kinds of new supplies. Don’t worry if you feel you are not creative – it’s a class for everyone. You’ll use double-sided adhesive tape, or purchase at the class for $3. Register Required by: Wednesday, November 15 to allow time for preparing class supplies: 480-488-2286. Cost: $15.00.

FOR WRITERS
Writers Connection Harness the Internet for Sales over $25,000 Per Year—I’ve done it and so can you!
November 23 • 10 am (1st Fridays)
BookBub bestselling author Barbara Hinkle shares her inside scoop on how to take advantage of Internet marketing resources to become a “midlist” author. (A self-published writer whose works sell steadily and rack up more than $25,000 annually). An attorney by day and writer by night, Barbara learned to become an expert in efficient and successful Internet self-promotion and will explain how you can become one too. Register: 480-488-2286.

Digital Library
So many options to choose from! All you need is a free Desert Foothills Library Card to get started. Visit our Digital Library at desertyourlibrary.org and check out a series of events caused by one man’s real-life experience with a blood clot trauma.

Services
• Extensive calendar of children, teen and adult programs
• Patios for quiet outdoor reading or evening gatherings
• More than 50,000 books, 5,000 e-books & movies
• Botanic garden with the Desert Foothills Land Trust
• Meeting/study rooms available at reasonable rates
• Free Wi-Fi and high-speed internet

ADDITIONAL LIBRARY SERVICES
Please visit us at www.dfla.org for details.

COMPUTER/TABLET CLASSES
Registration required all classes: 480-488-2286
(No classes November 10 or 14)