

THE HIGHLANDS AT PITTSFORD



Cultural and Educational Program Calendar

April 2019



Monday, April 1st:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

1:00pm – Euchre Group. Social Room

12:45pm- 1:30pm – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

* 1:00pm – Computer Class: Microsoft Word- *Creating Cards* with IT Technician Crystal Rothfuss.
Media Center

2:00pm – University of Rochester Presentation: *Promoting Self-Care for Family Members Caring for a Loved One with Dementia* with Kathi Heffner, Associate Professor of Nursing, Medicine, and Psychiatry. This presentation will review some of what we know about caregivers' health outcomes, and how we can help caregivers engage in self-care to live a healthy life. Please see Page 14 for additional information. Community Center

**Tuesday, April 2nd:**

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required.

* 10:00am – Monthly Kitchen Tour. Tour is approx. 30 minutes long. Please sign up in the Program Book. Meet outside Lilac Shop

10:30am- 12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

* 11:30am – Depart for the Rochester Public Library Spring “Books Sandwiched In” Book Review: *Dopesick: Dealers, Doctors, and The Drug Company that Addicted America* by Beth Macy. Beth has written the only book that comprehensively charts America’s opioid crisis, providing portraits of families and first responders influenced across geographic and class lines. No fee to attend. Return approx. 1:30pm

1:15pm – Bible Study with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:00pm – Presentation: *Susan B. Anthony—2020 Vision with Deborah Hughes*, President & CEO of the National Susan B. Anthony Museum & House. This talk will cover some of the events that are coming up in 2020 as we celebrate Susan B. Anthony's 200th birthday and the centennial of the passing of the 19th Amendment. Please see page 14 for additional information. Community Center



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Wednesday, April 3rd:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

***11:30am – Depart for Live from Hochstein Concert. The Eastman Saxophone Project will perform music of Chabrier, Piazzolla, and Grieg. No fee to attend, brown bag lunches are welcome. Return approx. 1:30pm**

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

2:00pm – Pittsford Highlands Chorus practice. All are welcome to participate. Music Room

2:30pm – Crosswords with Larry Shearer. Laurelwood Activities Room

3:30pm – Catholic Communion with St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activities Room

4:00pm-6:00pm – Happy Hour: drink specials and appetizers. Highlands' Pub

Thursday, April 4th:

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required.

10:30am-12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

1:00pm –Gentle Chair Yoga with Eva Kane. Fitness Room

2:00pm – Presentation: *Seneca Park Zoo's Zoomobile*. Learn about how the Seneca Park Zoo inspires their community to connect, care for and conserve wildlife and wild places along with seeing up close some exotic and unusual animals. Community Center

***4:00pm – “UR” In Tune Lecture Titled: *The Artist/Entertainer with Mark Davis Scatterday, D.M.A Conductor of the Eastman Wind Ensemble and Eastman Wind Orchestra*. Please see page 15 for lecture information. Community Center**

***6:15pm – Depart for the Eastman Theatre performance of the *Opera Don Giovanni (1787)*. Please note that transportation and tickets were purchased in advance. Return approx. 10:00pm**



Residents Celebrating St. Patrick's Day!!

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Friday, April 5th:

- 9:00am – Walking tall, Balance & Strength Class with Mark Strivings. Fitness Room
- 9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club
- 10:15am- 11:00am– Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room
- 11:00am – Tech Time with facilitator Crystal Rothfuss, IT Technician. Share ideas, information and questions about technology. Topic: *Grocery Delivery, Restaurant Delivery and more to your door services.* Music Room
- 12:00pm- 1:00pm –Aquatic Exercise Class with Students from Nazareth College. Pool
- 1:00pm – Catholic Mass with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Community Center
- 1:00pm-2:00pm – Open Swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool
- * 1:00pm – Computer Class: Microsoft Word- *Creating Cards.* Media Center
- 1:15pm – Pause for Peace with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Music Room
- 2:30pm – **Music Mixer, live entertainment with Brad Batz Duo. Community Center**
- *3:00pm – **iMac/MacBook Class: *Let's have fun with Garage band, PhotoBooth and more.* Media Center**



Saturday, April 6th:

- 10:30am – Tai Chi Class with Dr. Kathy Gill. Fitness Room
- 1:30pm – Visit with the guide dogs from “Guiding Eyes for the Blind”. Laurelwood Activities Room
- 2:30pm – Saturday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center

Sunday, April 7th:

- 8:30am- 11:30am – Depart to local area churches. Please call the Hospitality Desk for complete church list, departure time, and to sign up for a ride.
- 10:30am – Communion Service with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activities Room
- 2:30pm – Sunday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center



Iris Dancers performing from the Young School of Irish Dance.

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Monday, April 8th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am- 11:00am – Fitness Video. Fitness Room


*11:00am – iMac/MacBook Class: Topic: *Using the Calendar*. Media Center

11:15am – Cultural Programming Meeting. All are Welcome. Music Room

No Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher today.

1:00pm – Euchre Group. Social Room

*1:00pm – Computer Class: Microsoft Word- *Inserting Photos*. Media Center



2:00pm – University of Rochester Presentation: *Isabella Beecher Hooker: Family and Friendship, Suffrage and Gossip* with Autumn Haag, Special Collections Librarian/ Archivist for Research and Collections. Discuss the Beecher family, Isabella's work in the suffrage movement, and her relationships with Susan B. Anthony and other suffrage leaders.
Community Center

3:15pm – Book Discussion Group. All are welcome to join. Book Title: *Age of Innocence* by Edith Wharton. 2nd floor Activities Room

7:00pm – Evening Music: Woodwind Quintet, Music from American Landscapes. Community Center

Tuesday, April 9th:

No Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher today.

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required.


9:00am-9:50am – Fit Living Class with Mark Strivings. Exercise Room

10:30am- 12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

*11:30am ~ Depart for the Tuesday Pipes Concert at Christ Church. No fee to Attend. Return approx.
1:30pm


No Knitting Group today

1:15pm – Bible Study with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery



2:00pm – The New Horizons Concert Band. This band is affiliated with the Eastman Community Music School, and was established in 1991 by Dr. Roy Ernst, Professor Emeritus at the Eastman School of Music. Their concert will include show tunes, light classics and marches, including Stars and Stripes Forever. Community Center

*6:15pm – Depart to the Eastman Theatre for *The United States Army Field Band & Soldiers' Chorus*. No fee to attend. Return Approx. 10:00pm



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Wednesday, April 10th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

10:30am – Shopping and lunch in Pittsford! Stops include A Different Point of View and The Bird House. Enjoy lunch at Monroe’s Restaurant. Menu options include soups, salads, burgers, and wraps. Return approx. 3:00pm

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

1:00pm – Alzheimer’s Support Group for caregivers facilitated by Alzheimer’s Association staff and volunteers. The group provides updated information, emotional support, and problem solving as related to the challenges of giving care to those living with Alzheimer’s disease or other dementia. Honeoye Dining Room

2:00pm - Pittsford Highlands Chorus practice. All are welcome to participate. Music Room

2:30pm – Catholic Communion with St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activities Room

4:00pm-6:00pm – Sing-a-long Happy Hour: drink specials and appetizers. Highlands’ Pub

Thursday, April 11th

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required.

***11:30am – Depart for the Eastman at Washington Square Concert: *Hope-Jones Organ Showcase*. Rejoice with the sound of the First Universalist Church’s organ as organist David Peckham showcases this important and beautiful instrument. No fee to attend, brown bag lunches are welcome. Return approx. 1:30pm**

1:00pm-1:45pm – Pilates Class with Therese Bason. Fitness Room

2:30pm – Travelogue: Springtime in Holland by Christy Simons. Laurelwood Activities Room

6:30pm – Depart for a Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra Concert: *Michael Francis Conducts Rachmaninoff*. Please note tickets and transportation arrangements were made in advance. Return Approx. 10:00pm



Staff having fun at a luau.

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Friday, April 12th:

9:00am– Walking tall, Balance & Strength Class with Mark Strivings. Fitness Room

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

12:00pm- 1:00pm – Aquatic Exercise Class with Students from Nazareth College. Pool

11:00am – **iPhone/iPad Class with Crystal Rothfuss, IT Technician. Topic: *Exploring Apps*. Please bring your devices with you. Music Room**

*1:00pm – Computer Class: Microsoft Word- *Inserting Photos* with IT Technician Crystal Rothfuss. Media Center

1:15pm – Palm Sunday Service with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

2:30pm –**Music Mixer, live entertainment with Geoff Clough featuring keyboard. Laurelwood Gallery**

3:30pm – Current Events Club. Are you interested in discussing current issues, expressing your opinions, and listening to the ideas of your fellow residents? Discussion Topic: *Climate Change and the Green New Deal*. Music Room

**Saturday, April 13th:**

9:00am-11:00am~ **Saturday Breakfast, Guest Day. Dining Room**

10:30am – Tai Chi Class with Dr. Kathy Gill. Fitness Room

*11:00am – **Pathway to Pittsford Errand Bus departs to Pittsford Plaza, Pittsford Cinema and Pittsford Community Library. The bus departs from the Highlands at 11:00am, 12:00pm and 1:00pm.**

2:30pm – Saturday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center

**Sunday, April 14th**

8:30am-11:30am – Depart to local area churches. Please call the Hospitality Desk for complete church list, departure times, and to sign up for a ride.

10:30am – Communion Service with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activity Room

2:30pm – Sunday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center



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Monday, April 15th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

12:45pm- 1:30pm – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

1:00pm – Euchre Group. Social Room

* 1:00pm – Computer Class: Topic: *Editing Photos* with IT Technician Crystal Rothfuss. Media Room

***2:00pm – The Highlands at Pittsford Putting Contest. Prizes for the winners, Spectators welcome! Please sign up in the Program Book if you are participating. Community Center**

3:00pm – iPhone/iPad Class with Crystal Rothfuss, IT Technician. Topic: *Editing Photos*. Please bring your devices with you. Music Room

*7:00pm – Depart for Flower City Jazz Society Concert: *Bar-room Buzzards Plus Two*. Tickets are \$9.00 each, pay upon arrival. Return approx. 10:00pm

**Tuesday, April 16th:**

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required

9:00am-9:50am – Fit Living Class with Mark Strivings. Exercise Room

10:30am- 12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

***12:40pm – Monthly Men’s Group: Gather with your neighbors, Chaplain Steve Petrovich, and enjoy dessert and conversation! Laurelwood Gallery**

1:15pm – Worship Service with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:00pm – University of Rochester Course: *Contending Visions of the Middle East* with Sevinc Turkkan, Ph.D., Department of Religion and Classics at The University of Rochester. Please see page 15 for course information. Community Center

7:00pm – Evening Music, live entertainment with Laura Dubin, featuring instrumental jazz. Community Center



Residents listening to the children from Park Road Elementary School.

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Wednesday, April 17th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

1:00pm – Depart for Geva Theatre: *Native Gardens*. Please note tickets and transportation were arranged in advance. Return approx. 5:00pm

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

No Pittsford Highlands Chorus practice today

3:30pm – Catholic Communion with St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activities Room

4:00pm-6:00pm – Happy Hour: drink specials and appetizers. Highlands' Pub



Thursday, April 18th:

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required

***10:00am-12:30pm – Watch battery replacements with Joe Dellaria. Replacement fee is \$5.00 per watch. Please sign up for a time in the Program Book. Please meet outside the Lilac Shop.**

10:00am-1:00pm – Parkinson Café: *Wellness through creativity! A program designed to provide social, cultural, and intellectual interaction for people with Parkinson's disease and their care partners. A light lunch will be provided at no cost. A donation of at least \$2 per person is requested, as this is being provided by both The Highlands and National Parkinson's Foundation. Please request transportation. Hahnemann Club

10:30am-12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

11:00am – Pray the Rosary with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Music Room

1:00pm-2:00pm – Gentle Chair Yoga with Eva Kane. Fitness Room

2:00pm – University of Rochester Presentation: *When Classical Music was Popular Music* with Joan Rubin, Dexter Perkins Professor in the Department of History at the University of Rochester. Please see page 15 for presenter information. Community Center



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Friday April 19th: Good Friday/ Passover Begins at sundown

9:00am-9:50am – Walking tall, Balance & Strength Class with Mark Strivings. Fitness Room

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Video. Fitness Room

No Technology related classes today.

No Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool is open you just need a buddy.

1:15pm – Good Friday Service with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:30pm – **Music Mixer, live entertainment with Tom Cometa featuring vocals and piano.**

Community Center

**Saturday, April 20th:**

10:30am – Tai Chi Class with Dr. Kathy Gill. Fitness Room

11:00am – Trivia: All Kinds. Laurelwood Hearth Room

2:30pm – Saturday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center

Sunday, April 21st: Easter

8:30am-11:30am – Depart to local area churches. Please call the Hospitality Desk for complete church list, departure times, and to sign up for a ride.

10:30am – Communion Service with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activity Room

11:00am-1:00pm – **Easter Eggstravaganza: Enjoy a Brunch Buffet, Easter Egg Hunt, Arts and Crafts, and a picture with the Easter Bunny. There will be two-meal seatings, 11:00am and 1:00pm. Please choose one seating time. Reservations must be made in advance. Please call the reservation line at 641- 6374. Main Dining Room**

4:00pm – Sunday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center



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Monday, April 22nd: Earth Day

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

12:45-1:30pm – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

1:00pm – Euchre Group. Social Room

1:00pm – Celebrate Earth Day with a walk around the Highlands Campus. Weather permitted. Meet at Hospitality Desk

No Technology related classes today.

2:00pm – Presentation: *Rochester Mobilizes for the Great War* with American Historian Dan Cody.

In 1914, the world was thrown into the Great War. Learn how Rochester participated in the war economy and prepared for eventual entry into the war. Community Center

3:30pm – Passover celebration with Susan Krasner, vocals and keyboard. Laurelwood Gallery

7:00pm – Monday Night Movie: The Movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center

Tuesday, April 23rd:

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required.

9:00am-9:50am – Fit Living Class with Mark Strivings. Exercise Room

10:30am-12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

1:15pm – Bible Study with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:00pm – University of Rochester Course: *Contending Visions of the Middle East* with Sevinc Turkkan, Ph.D., Department of Religion and Classics at The University of Rochester. Please see page 15 for course information. Community Center

2:30pm – Presentation: Music & Life of John Denver (Part 1) with Larry Shearer. Laurelwood Activities Room

7:00pm – UR Live with Eastman: Scio Saxophone Quartet. Community Center



Residents at the Winter Picnic!

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Wednesday, April 24th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

***1:00pm – Depart for St. Michaels Church in Rochester, NY for a tour and lecture. One of Rochester's finest Cathedrals. Return approx. 4:00pm**

2:00pm – Pittsford Highlands Chorus practice. All are welcome to participate. Music Room

4:00pm-6:00pm – Happy Hour: drink specials and appetizers. Highlands' Pub

6:30pm – Evening Music: Harmony Duet featuring guitar and keyboard. Laurelwood Gallery

**Thursday, April 25th:**

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required

10:30am-12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

***11:30am – Depart for the Eastman at Washington Square Concert: *Trésors Français*, Cellist Noémie Raymond-Friset and pianist Peter Klimo will share treasures of the French cello repertoire crowned by Poulenc's Sonata for Cello and Piano. No fee to attend, brown bag lunches are welcome. Return approx. 1:30pm**

1:00pm-1:45pm – Pilates Class with Therese Barone. Fitness Room

Friday, April 26th:

9:00am– Walking tall, Balance & Strength Class with Mark Strivings. Fitness Room

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

1:00pm-2:00pm – Open swim with Robin Gallagher. Pool

1:15pm – Hymn Study with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:30pm – Music Mixer, *An old fashion sing-a-long* with John Dady, featuring Guitar and ukulele. Laurelwood Gallery

3:30pm – Current Events Club. Are you interested in discussing current issues, expressing your opinions, and listening to the ideas of your fellow residents? Discussion topic: *Climate change drawdown*. Music Room



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Saturday, April 27th:

10:30am - Tai Chi Class with Dr. Kathy Gill today

*11:00am – Pathway to Pittsford Errand Bus departs to Pittsford Plaza, Pittsford Cinema and Pittsford Community Library. The bus departs from the Highlands at 11:00am, 12:00pm and 1:00pm.

2:30pm – Saturday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Music Room

Sunday, April 28th:

8:30am-11:30am – Depart to local area churches. Please call the Hospitality Desk for complete church list, departure times, and to sign up for a ride.

10:30am – Communion Service with volunteers from St. Louis Church. Laurelwood Activity Room

2:30pm – Sunday Movie Matinee: The movie title will be announced in advance on the digital sign and Resident Portal. Community Center



Monday, April 29th:

9:00am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Hahnemann Club

10:15am – Fitness Class with Robin Gallagher. Fitness Room

The Cultural Programming planning meeting was changed to Monday, April 8th.

1:00pm – Euchre Group. Social Room

2:00pm – Monthly Resident Meeting. Community Center

3:00pm- Afternoon Social: Join your friends for conversation and refreshments. Outside Music Room

Committees and Task Force Groups

The Highlands' has a variety of committees for residents to play an active role in the community. If you find a committee that interests you, please contact Ann Julien 641-6388 for more information.

Committees: Bistro and Fine Dining Committees, Community Outreach Committee, Cultural Programming Planning Group, Friendship Committee, Go Green Committee, Health Affairs Committee, Landscape Committee, and Library Committee.

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Tuesday, April 30th:

9:00am – Water Fitness with Robin Gallagher. Pool

9:00am & 10:00am – Depart for shopping and banking at Country Club Plaza. No sign up required

9:00am-9:50am – Fit Living Class with Mark Strivings. Exercise Room

10:30am-12:00pm – Circuit Training. Exercise Room

10:30am – Presentation: *The Power of Kindness* with Chet Fery known as the Bread Man. Chet will share his bread time stories and provide a bread making demonstration. Join us as we walk down memory lane recalling our memories of “hot bread from the oven” and learn how we can make the world a better place “one loaf of bread at a time, one act of kindness at a time. Community Center

1:15pm – Bible Study with Chaplain Steve Petrovich. Laurelwood Gallery

2:00pm – University of Rochester Course: *Contending Visions of the Middle East* with Sevinc Turkkan, Ph.D., Department of Religion and Classics at The University of Rochester. Please see page 13 for course information. Community Center

University of Rochester Course Description

Promoting Self-Care for Family Members Caring for a Loved One with Dementia
Monday, April 1st 2019

Dr. Heffner is an Associate Professor of Nursing, Medicine, and Psychiatry at the University of Rochester Medical Center, and Associate Chief of Research in the Division of Geriatrics and Aging in the Department of Medicine. Her research focuses on understanding how stress affects immune function and well-being in older adults, and how we can intervene on stress to improve healthy aging among older adults. Dr. Heffner’s scientific contributions fall into three areas: implications of stress, including older family caregivers' stress, for healthy immune aging, the influence of sleep and insomnia on stress physiology and inflammation, and the role of social relationships in older adults' stress and stress resilience.

Susan B. Anthony - 2020 Vision
Tuesday, April 2nd 2019

Deborah L. Hughes is President & CEO of the National Susan B. Anthony Museum & House, holding this position since 2007. During her tenure as president, the Anthony Museum has completed a major phase of restoration to the National Historic Landmark, secured its Absolute Charter as a Museum, and dramatically grown attendance while staying true to its mission and vision. Deborah holds a Bachelor of Science in world religion and church history from the University of Oregon, Eugene, and a Masters of Divinity from Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School, Rochester.

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Contending Visions of the Middle East
Tuesdays, April 16th – May 21st

This new series will explore East-West historical, political, and cultural relations to help the audience understand how the Middle East and Islam have been perceived, understood, studied, and depicted by the West, i.e. Europe and the U.S.

Dr. Sevinç Türkkan is a faculty member of the Department of Religion and Classics at the University of Rochester where she teaches courses in modern Turkish history, literature, and culture. She specializes in modern Turkish Studies, Translation Studies, and Comparative Cultural Studies. She is an award-winning translator of Turkish, German, and Bulgarian languages. Her translation of *The Stone Building and Other Places* by the journalist and human rights activist Aslı Erdoğan is a finalist for the 2019 PEN Translation Prize.

When Classical Music was Popular Music
Thursday, April 18th 2019

Joan Shelley Rubin is the Dexter Perkins Professor of History and the Ani and Mark Gabrellian Director of the Humanities Center at the University of Rochester. She holds a bachelor's degree in American History and Literature from Harvard and a Ph.D. in American Studies from Yale. Her primary interest in American cultural history since 1865 has led her to explore such topics as the relationships between “high” art and popular entertainment, the history of books and reading practices, and the intersection of print and musical cultures. She is the author, among many other works, of *The Making of Middlebrow Culture* (1992) and *Songs of Ourselves: The Uses of Poetry in America* (2007). She is a Guggenheim Fellow and a member of the Society of American Historians.

“UR” In Tune Lecture Series

The Artist/Entertainer
Thursday, April 4th at 4:00pm

What is Artistry? What is Entertainment? Can the both exist simultaneously? Should They? What are the challenges for the 21st -century instrumental musician as it relates to communicating, inspiring, educating, and entertaining? This lecture will explore finding creative ways to connect and communicate through sound.

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