

# Beacon Hill Village

## JANUARY 2016 CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

A reservation is required for all programs unless otherwise noted in the program description. Prices listed are per person and must be paid at time of reservation. Space is limited; BHV members have priority. Refunds will be made for cancellations received at least one week prior to an event unless tickets have been pre-purchased or non-refundable payments have been made. In that case we can make a refund only if we are able to fill your spot.

### Thursday, January 7 9:30 a.m. - 2:15 p.m. Fuller Craft Museum

We're returning to an old favorite, the Fuller Craft Museum in Brockton. During our visit, three special exhibitions will be on display: *Art as Quilt: Transitions in Contemporary Textile Media*; *Nordic Currents*, the first U.S. solo exhibition of Danish fiber artist



Grethe Wittrock; and *Toothpick World: From Sliver to Skyline*, Stan Munro's reproductions of architectural masterworks and world-renowned structures. After our private tour, we'll have a light box lunch at the Museum. Meet at Café Vanille, 70 Charles Street, at 9:30 a.m., or Starbucks, 165 Newbury Street (between Dartmouth & Exeter),

at 9:35 a.m. BHV members: \$45 Non-members: \$65. Price includes van transportation, tour of and admission to the Museum, and a box lunch.

### Saturday, January 9 noon Brunch at Mela

An Indian restaurant in the South End, Mela is known for its reasonably priced (\$12.95) brunch buffet. Meet at 578 Tremont Street (take the #43 bus). BHV members and their guests. Pay individually.

### Tuesday, January 12 9 - noon Free Tech Help - Apple Devices!

BHV member Stan Berman will hold 45-minute one-on-one tutorials with BHV members to help them become more proficient with their portable Apple devices. Call the office to sign up for your private session. Plan your questions in advance to make the most of your time with Stan. Tutorials are at 74 Joy Street. BHV members only. Free.

### Wednesday, January 13 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Design and Innovation Tour: Continuum



A global design and innovation consulting firm, Continuum helps organizations drive business innovation through the design of products, services and experiences that become a part of people's lives. We'll tour the company's 65,000 square foot space in West Newton, which houses a wet lab, hospital room, life-sized barrel of monkeys and tricked out model shop. Afterwards, we'll have a light lunch at (and courtesy of) Continuum, with an opportunity to hear about some of their design projects. Meet at Café Tatte, 70 Charles Street, at 10:30 a.m., or Starbucks, 165 Newbury Street (between Dartmouth & Exeter), at 10:35 a.m. BHV members: \$20. Non-members: \$30. Price covers van transportation and a light lunch hosted by Continuum.

### Thursday, January 14 5 - 6:30 p.m. Travel Group: Cuba

Karen and Dan Taylor traveled to Cuba in January 2014 with 20 other BHV members, on a trip led by BHV member Nancy Coolidge. Based in Havana, the group explored the city's many sites and learned of Cuba's economic and political struggles since 1959. Visiting the countryside, the group learned about Cuba's sugar history, Che Guevara, and revolutionary war sites. Come learn what they learned and see Cuba as it was before its opening earlier this year to inevitable change. Old car aficionados will be treated to pictures of Cuba's cars of the '50s still going strong and clogging the streets of Havana. Meet at 72 Mt. Vernon Street. BHV members only. Free.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
<p><b>TRIP TO MARKET BASKET</b> Door-to-door transportation to Market Basket in Somerville on Wednesday, January 6, at 10 a.m. and noon. A driver will help carry your groceries! Space is limited. BHV members only: \$10.</p> <p><b>TRIP TO TRADER JOE'S</b> Door-to-door transportation to Trader Joe's in Cambridge on Wednesday, January 20, at noon and 2 p.m. A driver will help carry your groceries! Space is limited. BHV members only: \$10.</p>				<p>BHV Office Closes Early Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30)</p>		<p>New Year's Day BHV Office Closed See December 31 for Grocery Shop Tai Chi cancelled</p>	Notes
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<p><b>TERRIFIC TUESDAYS</b> BHV members meet on Tuesday, January 5 at 4 p.m. at 75 Chestnut Street to discuss and plan outings related to the arts. All BHV members welcome! Registration not required.</p> <p><b>MEN'S FIRST DRINK</b> The men of Beacon Hill Village continue their once-a-month exploration of Boston's watering holes on Thursday, January 7, at 4 p.m. Location TBD.</p> <p><b>MAIDENS &amp; MARTINIS</b> Join the women of Beacon Hill Village for a drink on Thursday, January 14, at 4:30 p.m. Location TBD.</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Calendar Mailing (10:30) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon)</p> <p>4</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Terrific Tuesdays (4:00)</p> <p>5</p>	<p>Market Basket (10 &amp; noon) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon)</p> <p>6</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Fuller Craft Museum (9:30-2:15) Men's First Drink (4:00)</p> <p>7</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Taxi Coupons (11-noon) Tai Chi (11:45-12:45)</p> <p>8</p>	Brunch at Mela (noon)	
	<p>Meditation (8:45) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon)</p> <p>11</p>	<p>Tech Help (9-12) Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30)</p> <p>12</p>	<p>Design &amp; Innovation Tour: Continuum (10:30-1) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon)</p> <p>13</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Maidens &amp; Martinis (4:30) Travel Group: Cuba (5-6:30)</p> <p>14</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Tai Chi (11:45-12:45)</p> <p>15</p>	Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art (8:45-4:15)	
	<p>MLK Day BHV Office Open Meditation (8:45) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon) (may be cancelled)</p> <p>18</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Bowling with Joan (10:45-1)</p> <p>19</p>	<p>Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon) Trader Joe's (noon &amp; 2) Your Next Step, Your Encore Career: Volunteer Opportunities (1-2:30)</p> <p>20</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) ICA: Black Mountain College Exhibit (11 tour)</p> <p>21</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Tai Chi (11:45-12:45)</p> <p>22</p>	<p><b>MEDITATION</b> Meets every Monday &amp; Thursday at 8:45 a.m. (except as otherwise noted on the calendar) at the Beacon Hill home of BHV member Susan Cox. BHV members only.</p> <p><b>TAXI COUPONS</b> Come to the BHV office on Friday, January 8, between 11 and noon, to pick up your taxi coupons at this monthly distribution. Pay \$5 for a \$10 coupon book; maximum of two books per person, per month. BHV members only. 74 Joy Street, third floor.</p>	
<p>Rummikub with Tina &amp; Joan (3-5)</p> <p>24</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon) Conversations with... Patrick Gabridge (5:30-7)</p> <p>25</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Lunch Group: Eastern Standard (12:30)</p> <p>26</p>	<p>Total Fitness w/Cindy (11-noon)</p> <p>27</p>	<p>Meditation (8:45) Skin Care Presentation (2:00) Jordan Hall: Prokofiev Piano Sonatas (dinner 6; concert 7:30)</p> <p>28</p>	<p>Grocery Shop (9:30 &amp; 11:30) Tai Chi (11:45-12:45)</p> <p>29</p>		

**HEALTH & WELLNESS:**

**Beacon Hill Athletic Club (\$5/class)**

North Station, 261 Friend Street: Aerial Conditioning (Fri at 8:30)

North End, 85 Atlantic Avenue: Total Body Strength (Mon at 8:30 and Fri at 8:15); Muscle (Wed, Thurs at 8:30); Stretching (Wed, Thurs at 9:30); Yoga (Fri at 9:15)

Beacon Hill, 3 Hancock Street: Senior Conditioning (Tues, Thurs at 10)

**Total Fitness w/Cindy**

BHV's Monday and Wednesday exercise class at Beacon House, 19 Myrtle Street, 11:00-noon.

**Tai Chi**

Beacon House, 19 Myrtle Street  
Call BHV for more information and fee for this class.





Tony Canicola, The New York Times

Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art

**Saturday, January 16 8:45 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.**

**Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art**

In September 2015 the Hartford Wadsworth Atheneum completed a five-year, \$33 million renovation, renewing 32 galleries and 15 public spaces. Our private tour will take us to the newly restored historic Beaux-Arts Morgan Memorial Building, which houses the Museum's European art collection, and *Guise and Dolls*, an exhibition of works by Warhol and Mapplethorpe. *Meet at Café Tatte, 70 Charles Street, at 8:45 a.m., or Starbucks, 165 Newbury Street (between Dartmouth & Exeter), at 8:50 a.m. BHV members: \$80. Non-members: \$95. Price covers van transportation, admission to and tour of the Museum, and lunch.*

**Tuesday, January 19 10:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

**Bowling with Joan**

Join Joan Doucette for candlepin bowling at Sacco's Bowl Haven in Davis Square, Somerville. You don't need to lift weights to enjoy candlepin bowling; the balls are much smaller and lighter than in 10-pin bowling. Afterwards, the group will have lunch at the Flatbread Company at the bowling alley, which serves a variety of flatbreads and salads. Total cost for bowling, including shoe rental, is approximately \$10 per person. *Meet at Charles/ MGH Station at 10:45 a.m. for the short train ride to Davis Square.*



Bowling with Joan

**Wednesday, January 20 1 - 2:30 p.m.**

**Your Next Step, Your Encore Career: Volunteer Opportunities**

ReServe Greater Boston Executive Director Judy Willett (BHV's former Executive Director) and representatives from Boston RSVP, the City's volunteer program for those 55+, will talk about opportunities to give back in a flexible and meaningful way. BHV will join the panel to talk about volunteer opportunities at the Village. Open to the community, so please feel free to invite a friend. Homemade cookies and warm drinks will be served! *Meet at ReServe Greater Boston, 174 Portland Street, 4th floor. Free, but registration required.*



Liza Voll

ICA: Black Mountain College Exhibit

**Thursday, January 21 11 a.m. tour**

**ICA: Black Mountain College Exhibit**

Founded in 1933, Black Mountain College was a new kind of college in the United States in which the study of art was seen as central to a liberal arts education, and in which John Dewey's principles of education played a major role. Many of the school's students and faculty (Josef and Anni Albers, John Cage, Merce Cunningham, Willem de Kooning, and Walter Gropius, to name a few) were influential in the arts or other fields, or went on to become influential. Discover the legacy of Black Mountain College on our private tour of the Institute of Contemporary Art's outstanding exhibit *Leap Before You Look: Black Mountain College 1933-1957*. Lunch at the Museum's Water Café after our tour. *Meet at the Charles/MGH Station at 10:15 a.m. or at the Museum at 10:50 a.m. BHV members: \$12 (\$3 for members of the ICA). Non-BHV members: \$20 (\$5 for members of the ICA). Lunch is pay individually.*

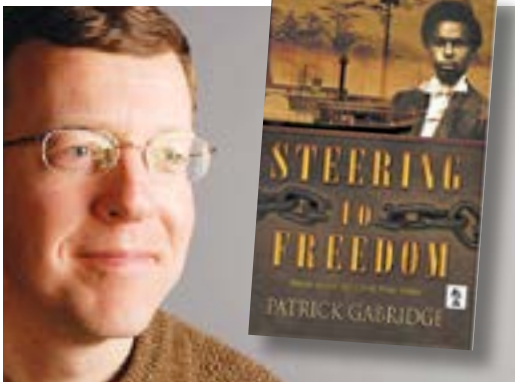


Rummikub with Tina & Joan

**Sunday, January 24 3 - 5 p.m.**

**Rummikub with Tina & Joan**

Join BHV members Joan Doucette and Tina DiMaggio for an afternoon of Rummikub at Tina's home on the flat of the Hill. *BHV members only.*



Conversations with...Patrick Gabridge

**Monday, January 25 5:30 - 7 p.m.**

**Conversations with... Patrick Gabridge**

Based on a true story, Patrick Gabridge's recently published novel *Steering to Freedom* tells the story of a young man who becomes the first black captain of a US military ship while struggling to navigate a path to freedom for himself, his family and his people. After risking his life to escape slavery, Robert Smalls faces the challenge of convincing Abraham Lincoln to enlist black troops. Patrick Gabridge is an award-winning playwright, novelist and screenwriter. Copies of *Steering to Freedom* will be available for sale at the

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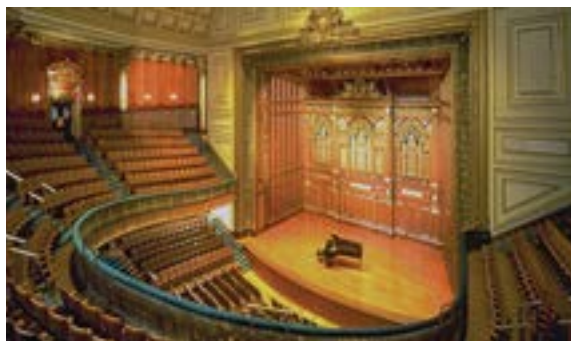


# BHV offers exciting new events for January of the new year!



Lunch Group: Eastern Standard

## SKIN CARE



Jordan Hall: Prokofiev Piano Sonatas

program. Light hors d'oeuvres and beverages at 5:30 p.m.; program at 6 p.m. *Meet at King's Chapel Parish House, 64 Beacon Street. BHV/BHS members: Free. Non-members: \$20.*

**Tuesday, January 26 12:30 p.m.**

### **Lunch Group: Eastern Standard**

A modern French Brasserie in the heart of Kenmore Square that bills itself as a neighborhood restaurant. *Meet at 528 Commonwealth Avenue, near the Kenmore Station. BHV members and their guests. Pay individually.*

**Thursday, January 28 2 p.m.**

### **Skin Care Presentation**

In our ongoing series of presentations on health related topics, Kate Sciacca, RN, will talk about *Skin Care: Common Misconceptions & Seasonal Solutions to Care for Your Skin*. After her presentation, Kate will be available to meet one-on-one with members who would like to have their blood pressure checked or discuss any health related topic or ailment (wellness clinic). *Meet at 74 Joy Street, first floor conference room. BHV members only. Free.*

**Thursday, January 28 7:30 p.m. (concert); dinner at 6 p.m.**

### **Jordan Hall: Prokofiev Piano Sonatas**

New England Conservatory piano students will celebrate Prokofiev's 125th anniversary with performances of all nine sonatas on January 28 (and also February 1). *Take the Green "E" Line to Symphony Hall stop. Optional dinner (pay individually) at Pho & I, 267 Huntington Avenue, at 6 p.m. For concert only, meet inside Jordan Hall, 30 Gainsborough Street, and look for the group. BHV members and their guests. Free.*