



BEACON HILL VILLAGE

# JANUARY 2018 CALENDAR



A reservation is required for all programs unless otherwise noted. 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 and we are unable to fill your spot.

## Thursday, January 4

10 a.m. at Charles/MGH; 10:30 a.m. at Museum

### MIT Museum

Among the most beloved features of the MIT Museum are Arthur Ganson's kinetic sculptures. Press a pedal or turn a crank and you'll put Ganson's machines into motion. His



Big Bang Data

sculptures, created from found or fabricated objects, explore the nature of oiled surfaces, object manipulation, and slow explosions. Also on display during our visit is *Big Bang Data*, conceived by the Centre de Cultura Contemporània de Barcelona, which explores the intersections of culture, technology and society in the digital age; and the photographs of György Kepes, a Hungarian-born painter, photographer, designer, educator, and art theorist. We'll tour the Museum on our own before walking a couple of blocks to Amuse Restaurant in Le Meridien for lunch. *Meet at the turnstiles at the Charles/MGH Station at 10 a.m. or at the MIT Museum, 265 Massachusetts Avenue, at 10:30 a.m. If you are meeting at the Museum, take the Red Line to Central Square and walk 4/10 mile down Massachusetts Avenue towards the river. BHV members, their guests and prospective members: \$5. Lunch is pay individually.*

## Wednesday, January 10 11 a.m. tour

### Boston in Miniature



On display at the Boston Planning and Development Agency is a meticulously crafted 1:40-scale replica of downtown Boston and parts of Beacon Hill, North End, Charlestown, Back Bay, and the South Boston waterfront. Highlights include a miniature City Hall, Customs House, and Boston

Common. First constructed in the 80s, the basswood model is regularly updated as new structures are erected. After

our 30-minute tour, folks may want to walk over to the Boston Public Market for lunch or to shop. *Meet at the 9th floor reception desk at Boston City Hall, 1 City Hall Square, at 10:45 a.m. Enter through either Cambridge Street (main entrance, 3rd level) or Congress Street (back entrance, 1st level). BHV members and their guests.*

## Thursday, January 11 12:30 p.m.

### Lunch Group: Eastern Standard

A modern French Brasserie that's also a neighborhood restaurant in the heart of Kenmore Square. Always a favorite. *Meet at 528 Commonwealth Avenue, near Kenmore Station. BHV members and their guests. Pay individually.*

## Wednesday, January 17 5:30 - 7 p.m.

### Music Salon

We are delighted to announce the second in our series of "salon style" classical concerts performed by graduate students at the Boston Conservatory in the homes of BHV members. Thanks to Steve and Barbara Roop for hosting this cello and piano concert in their Beacon Hill home and to Jean Pilcher for connecting BHV with the Conservatory. *Space is limited. BHV members only.*

## Thursday, January 18 5 - 6:30 p.m.

### Travel Group: Bergen to Montréal



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Harry Fisher and Joan Doucette traveled on the cruise ship Viking sky from Bergen to Montréal, with a glimpse of Greenland and the Faro Islands in the North Atlantic. Experience their trip through Joan's photos. *Meet at Joan's and Harry's home, 72 Mt. Vernon Street. BHV members only. Free.*

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| SUNDAY   | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY   |
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| <p><b>NEW IN 2018!</b></p> <p><b>KING'S CHAPEL GUIDED MEDITATION</b><br/>A 10-20 minute guided meditation developed from spiritual practices of early Christianity led by Rev. Amelia Nugent, Thursdays at noon. King's Chapel Parish House, 64 Beacon Street. Contact Amelia (assistant.minister@kings-chapel.org) to let her know you plan to attend and for additional information</p>  | <p><b>New Year's Day</b><br/><b>BHV Office Closed</b></p> <p>Meditation and Fitness cancelled</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>1</b></p>  | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (10-11)</p> <p>Calendar Mailing (10:30)</p> <p>Terrific Tuesdays (4:00)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>2</b></p> | <p>Trader Joe's (10:00)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p>Market Basket (noon)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>3</b></p>                                       | <p>Meditation (8:30)</p> <p><b>MIT Museum (10:00 at Charles/MGH; 10:30 at Museum)</b></p> <p>Men's First Drink (4:00)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>4</b></p> | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (11:45-12:45)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>5</b></p>                                | <p><b>BOOK GROUP</b><br/>BHV members meet on the third Tuesday of each month from 2-3:15 p.m. at 74 Joy Street, first floor conference room, to discuss a book previously selected by the group. Members take turns facilitating the discussion.<br/>Contact Reese Berman (reeseberman@verizon.net) if interested in joining this group.</p> <p><b>KNIT &amp; STITCH</b><br/>BHV members generally meet twice a month to knit, crochet, embroider or do other stitch work. Contact Diana Crane (dscrane565@comcast.net) if interested and to be added to Diana's email distribution list. The group will meet on January 10 and 24 from 3-5 p.m. at the home of Joan Doucette on Beacon Hill.</p> <p><b>MEDITATION</b><br/>Meets every Monday at 8:45 a.m. and Thursday at 8:30 a.m., except as otherwise indicated, at the Beacon Hill home of BHV member Susan Cox. Contact Susan (ssn.cox@gmail.com) for more information.</p> <p><b>MEN'S FIRST DRINK</b><br/>Join the men of Beacon Hill Village for a late afternoon drink as they continue their exploration of Boston's watering holes. Men's First Drink generally meets on the first Thursday of each month at 4 p.m. Contact BHV member Roger Cox (rhcox1@comcast.net) for the location and to be added to Roger's email distribution list. BHV members and their guests.</p> |
|  | <p>Meditation (8:45)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>8</b></p>  | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (10-11)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>9</b></p>   | <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p><b>Boston in Miniature (11:00 tour; meet at 10:45)</b></p> <p>Knit &amp; Stitch (3-5)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>10</b></p> | <p>Meditation (8:30)</p> <p><b>Lunch Group: Eastern Standard (12:30)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>11</b></p>   | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Taxi Coupons (11-noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (11:45-12:45)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>12</b></p> |  |
|  | <p><b>MLK Day</b><br/><b>BHV Office Open</b></p> <p>Meditation (8:45)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill cancelled</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>15</b></p>  | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (10-11)</p> <p>Book Group (2-3:15)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>16</b></p>                                     | <p>Trader Joe's (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p><b>Music Salon (5:30-7)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>17</b></p>                         | <p>Meditation (8:30)</p> <p><b>Travel Group: Bergen to Montréal (5-6:30)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>18</b></p>   | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (11:45-12:45)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>19</b></p>                               |  |
|  | <p>Meditation (8:45)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p><b>Milk Street Cooking School Tour (noon tour; meet at 11:45)</b></p> <p><b>Wine &amp; Cheese Tasting: Boston Public Market (5:00)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>22</b></p> | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (10-11)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>23</b></p>  | <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p>Knit &amp; Stitch (3-5)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>24</b></p>   | <p>Meditation (8:30)</p> <p><b>Peabody Essex Museum: Georgia O'Keeffe (9:30-2:15)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>25</b></p>                                | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (11:45-12:45)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>26</b></p>                               |  |
|  | <p>Meditation (8:45)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p><b>Conversations with ... Dan O'Brien (5:30-7)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>29</b></p>   | <p>Grocery Shop (10 and noon)</p> <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Back Bay (10-11)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>30</b></p>  | <p>Total Fitness w/Cindy – Beacon Hill (11-noon)</p> <p><b>BHV Singalong (2:30-4)</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>31</b></p>   | Notes  |   |  |

**GROCERY SHOPPING TRIPS** Door-to-door transportation to Stop & Shop in Somerville every Tuesday at 10 a.m. and noon and Friday at 10 a.m. and to Stop & Shop in Brigham Circle every Friday at noon. A driver will help carry your groceries. BHV members only: \$10

**TAXI COUPONS** Come to the BHV office on Friday, January 12, 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.

**TERRIFIC TUESDAYS** Terrific Tuesdays generally meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 4 p.m. at 75 Chestnut Street to discuss and plan outings related to the arts. The

group often stays for dinner after the meeting. Contact Roberta Meyers (bonmarchebabes12000@yahoo.com) for more information and to be added to Roberta's email distribution list.

**TRIP TO MARKET BASKET** Door-to-door transportation to Market Basket in Chelsea on Wednesday, January 3, at noon. A driver will help carry your groceries. Space is limited. BHV members only: \$10.

**TRIPS TO TRADER JOE'S** Door-to-door transportation to the new Trader Joe's in Assembly Row in Somerville on Wednesday, January 3, at 10 a.m. and Wednesday, January 17, at 10 a.m. and noon. A driver will help carry your groceries. Space is limited. BHV members only: \$10.

**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 & Fri. at 8:15)

Muscle (Wed. at 9:15 & Thurs. at 8:30)

Stretching (Thurs. at 9:30)

Rejuvenating Yoga (Tues. & Thurs. at noon)

Restorative Yoga (Wed. at noon)

Gentle Yoga (Fri. at 9:15)

*Beacon Hill, 3 Hancock Street*  
Senior Conditioning (Mon. & Thurs. at 10)

**Total Fitness w/Cindy Sullivan – Beacon Hill:** Beacon House, 19 Myrtle Street, Mon. & Wed., 11 a.m. – noon. \$5 for BHV members

**Total Fitness w/Cindy Sullivan – Back Bay:** First Church Boston, 66 Marlborough Street (at the corner of Berkeley). Tues., 10-11 and Fri., 11:45-12:45. \$5 for BHV members.

**Tai Chi w/Joshua Grant:** Beacon House, 19 Myrtle Street, noon-1. \$200 for BHV members for 10-session class. Individual classes: \$25/class. Contact Joshua (gulong16@gmail.com) for more information.

**Happy  
New  
Year!**





Milk Street Cooking School Tour

**Monday, January 22 noon tour**

### **Milk Street Cooking School Tour**

Join us for a behind-the-scenes look at Christopher Kimball's Milk Street Kitchen during a free 30-minute public tour that includes a small cooking lesson and sample of a Milk Street recipe. Milk Street is Kimball's new multi-media venture, started after he left America's Test Kitchen. *Meet at 177 Milk Street at 11:45 a.m. for the noon tour. BHV members only. Free.*

**Monday, January 22 5 p.m.**

### **Wine & Cheese Tasting at the Boston Public Market**

Three wines, three cheeses. Join us for a private one-hour interactive class for wine lovers who want to get a good grounding in how to taste local wine, understand wine in general, and be more confident in purchasing. The wine expert from Massachusetts Wine Shop will discuss the different local vineyards in New England and share tips for buying, ordering or serving local wine. Each wine will be paired with a local cheese from Appleton Farms Cheese Shop. A minimum of 20 people required for this event, so please feel free to invite guests to join us. *Meet in the KITCHEN at the Boston Public Market (corner of Sudbury and Congress Streets) at 5 p.m. BHV members, their guests and prospective members: \$30.*



Wine & Cheese Tasting at the Boston Public Market

**Thursday, January 25 9:30 a.m. - 2:15 p.m.**

### **Peabody Essex Museum: Georgia O'Keeffe**

*Georgia O'Keeffe: Art, Image, Style* is the first exhibition to explore the art, image and personal style of one of America's most iconic artists. O'Keeffe's understated and carefully designed garments, many never before exhibited, are presented alongside photographs and her paintings, illuminating O'Keeffe's unified modernist aesthetic and distinctive self-styling. Lunch afterwards (pay individually) at either the Atrium Café in the Museum or at the Tavern at the Hawthorne Hotel. *Van departs Café Tatte, 70 Charles Street, at 9:30 a.m., and Starbucks, 165 Newbury Street, at 9:35 a.m. BHV members: \$55 (PEM members, \$40). Guests of BHV members and prospective members: \$65 (PEM members, \$50). Trip price includes transportation, Museum admission and private tour.*



Peabody Essex Museum: Georgia O'Keeffe

**Monday, January 29 5:30 - 7 p.m.**

### **Conversations with ... Dan O'Brien**

By now, most of us have heard about Boston 311, the initiative launched by Mayor Walsh two years ago to make it easier for residents to report non-emergency issues such as potholes, missed trash collection and graffiti by simply dialing 311. Dan O'Brien, Assistant Professor of Public Policy and Urban Affairs and Criminology and Criminal Justice at Northeastern University and co-director of the Boston Area Research Initiative, will talk about what we can learn from the many reports the City receives and archives. He's done a considerable amount of work leveraging these reports as "the eyes and ears of the city," tracking physical disorder (i.e., "broken windows") across space and time; and looking at the ways in which community members express custodianship for the urban commons, by voluntarily attending to street light outages, potholes, and other issues that are everyone's problem but no one's responsibility. *Meet at King's Chapel Parish House, 64 Beacon Street, at 5:30 p.m. for light hors d'oeuvres and wine; program begins at 6 p.m. BHV/BHS members: Free. Guests of members and prospective members: \$20.*



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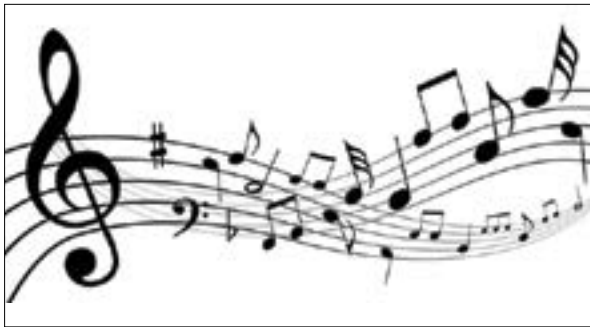
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Wednesday, January 31 2:30 - 4 p.m.

### **BHV Singalong**

Please join BHV member Sandy Righter and professional musician Watson Reid for an afternoon singalong of old favorites. Watson, who retired from medicine after 29 years to pursue his love of music full time and started his own 9-piece band *Americana*, will accompany us on his guitar. Words and music will be provided! Thanks to Sandy for bringing back this popular event. Cider and cookies will be served. *Meet at Beacon House, 19 Myrtle Street, Community Room. BHV members and their guests and prospective members. Free.*

**Boston Ballet:**

*Discounted Group Tickets*

## **CLASSIC BALANCHINE**

Thursday, May 31 Boston Opera House, 539 Washington Street

Experience the master George Balanchine anew with three iconic works: *Chaconne*, a composition of transcendent beauty and lyrical, flowing dance that shows life and love enduring; *Prodigal Son*, one of Balanchine's first story ballets that weaves together movements from gymnastics, the circus and classical ballet; and *Stravinsky Violin Concerto*, an intricately designed composition that includes two of Balanchine's most distinctive and imaginative *pas de deux*. Seats are in the first two rows of the mezzanine and rear orchestra, both on the side. Tickets are \$55, a 40% discount. **Call the office or register online now!**



Scene from *Prodigal Son*