Welcome to the Spring 2021 Virtual Semester of the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at Stony Brook University.

Whether you are a seasoned Zoomer returning for another virtual semester of the OLLI at SBU program or brand new and just getting your feet wet, I hope you are excited and ready to enjoy this one of a kind experience!

As you embark on the first day of the semester, I encourage you to meet members whom you may not know yet, use the chat box and share what you did this weekend; or if you’re like me, what you binge watched on TV. Use the reaction buttons and share support for your workshop leader or fellow member after they speak in a workshop. Social engagement in a virtual world can be challenging but today is the first day of a new chapter in your OLLI story. You have the fresh new page, sparkly new pen & can write anything you’d like!

To all of the members, workshop leaders, advisory board members, committee members and volunteers; THANK YOU for supporting this program through unprecedented times and for continuing to be the best part of OLLI at SBU!

I look forward to seeing you on Zoom this semester!

Breanne Delligatti, Program Director
SPRING SEMESTER: IMPORTANT DATES!

Tuesday, 1/19/21 - Monday, May 17, 2021

Spring Break: Mon, 3/15/21- Fri, 3/19/21

UPCOMING EVENTS

These are some of the exciting virtual events that we will be offering during the Spring Semester at OLLI at SBU. We hope that you will participate and/or join us!

- **The Art Exhibit & Reception**: members exhibit their visual art in the form of drawings, paintings, three-dimensional art including ceramics & jewelry

- **The Literary Tea**: members read their original stories, poems, memoirs etc. and the works are compiled and printed

- **Lecture Series Events**: features engaging guest speakers who share their insights and experiences with the OLLI membership

- **Virtual Special Event Trips**: a variety of enriching social, cultural and educational trips, tours, exhibits and activities

- **End of Semester Celebration**: type of event to be determined

  We will send out more information via email as the event dates get closer.

OLLI NEWS

The OLLI at SBU Magazine (formerly The Chronicles) will be back in publication soon!

The OLLI at SBU magazine will inform, illuminate, inspire and invite OLLI members to participate more fully in all aspects of the program by showcasing their many talents. The magazine will feature articles by, about, and of interest to our members including:

- writings (fiction, poetry, non-fiction)
- interviews
- letters to the editor
- editorials
- visuals (art, cartoons, photography)
- reviews (books, movies, OLLI and campus events) and more!

HELP US BY VOTING FOR YOUR FAVORITE MAGAZINE TITLE!

**Deadline- February 2, 2021**

We received numerous suggestions for the title of the OLLI at SBU Magazine. We've narrowed it down to the Top 5 titles.

You can participate by voting for your favorite OLLI at SBU Magazine title below:
MEMBER MOMENTS

SHARE OLLI WITH YOUR FRIENDS!
You can send them the link below so they can join our mailing list to start receiving OLLI information and updates.

https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/olli/membership/mailing_list.php

COMMITTEE UPDATES

Upcoming Committee Meetings

Tues, 1/19/21 at 3:30pm
Advisory Board Meeting
Meeting ID: 963 6231 5890
Passcode: 851463

Thurs, 1/26/21 at 9:00am
Arts Council Meeting
Meeting ID: 926 4793 7441
Passcode: 165978

Tues, 1/26/21 at 3:30pm
Special Events Committee Meeting
Meeting ID: 950 5157 7424
Passcode: 394430

Fri, 1/29/21 at 2:00pm
Chronicles Meeting
Meeting ID: 993 8117 0195
Passcode: 751157

All committee meetings are open to All OLLI members and we welcome you to join us and get involved in all that OLLI has to offer!

SBU NEWS

Find Out What's Going on at Stony Brook University

Click IMAGE to access SBU News

OLLI RESOURCES

TECH SUPPORT
If you need immediate help, please send us an email:

ZOOM TRAINING VIDEOS
Click IMAGE to access the recordings:
Calling the main office will result in a delayed response time. We recommend you email us for a faster response!

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