



LECTURES & LEARNING SERIES

The Pelican Bay Foundation and FGCU's Renaissance Academy are pleased to announce a new partnership whereby lifelong lectures and programs will be offered exclusively to Pelican Bay residents at the Pelican Bay Community Center beginning January 2017.

We would like to extend an enthusiastic welcome to those with intellectual curiosity and vigor to be a part of this rich, vibrant and varied program offered exclusively to our residents. Due to seating capacities for these events, preferential registration will be allotted to Foundation members only; **accompanying guests may be permitted based on availability 3 days before the event.** The winter 2017 lectures will include the following six programs:

Russian Sleeper Spies: The Illegals Program – January 12 at 1:30pm – 3pm – \$25

Enter the world of international espionage. In 2010, the FBI arrested 10 long-term Russian spies. They had posed as Americans for years developing intelligence sources. They attended U.S. universities, had children, homes, and jobs. One such spy was the “glamorous” Anna Chapman. Within days, these spies pled guilty and were swapped for Western assets held in Russian prisons. We will examine what they did, how they were caught, and the prisoner exchange. Most Americans only read the headlines, but we will discuss the fascinating details. *Instructor: Thomas Eastwood*

Louis Comfort Tiffany: Tiffany Treasures – January 31 at 1:30pm – 3pm – \$25

Louis Comfort Tiffany – best known for his innovative and beautiful colored glass lamps and stained glass windows – has been called “the man who could do everything.” A painter, potter, glass artist, architect, and interior designer, Tiffany was on a lifelong quest to bring beauty into American lives and homes. His own spectacular summer home, Laurelton Hall on Long Island, brought this dream to life. Join us as we explore the life, works, and treasures of this remarkable artist. *Instructor: Carol Jonson*

Robert Morris: Financier of the American Revolution – February 7 at 1:30pm – 3pm – \$25

Robert Morris was a signer of the Declaration of Independence, the Articles of Confederation, and the United States Constitution. He has been referred to as the “Financier of the American Revolution” for almost single handedly underwriting the cost of the Revolutionary War and founding the first commercial bank in the U.S., now called Wells Fargo. He founded the North American Land Company, one of the first publically traded real estate companies, and because Morris could not pay off the debts attributed to the land company he went to debtors’ prison, and died shortly thereafter, a pauper. Our speaker, James Reis, has an extensive collection of deeds, documents, and letters signed by or related to this great American patriot which he will share and discuss in class. Join us for this “rags to riches” story and fascinating piece of American history. *Instructor: James Reis*

iPad/iPhone Apps: Calendar, Mail & Safari in the New iOS 10 – February 22 at 1:30pm – 3:30pm – \$35

So many have Apple iPhones and iPads and yet do not understand how to use the three most important applications on their devices. This program will dive into the detailed workings of the Calendar, Email, and Safari apps on your iPad/iPhone. Throw away your calendar/date book! In the Calendar app, learn how to keep your entire schedule easily and efficiently, reschedule items, and set reminders so you never miss an appointment. Learn how to add new contacts in email, work with attachments, organize email into folders, eliminate unwanted junk mail, and much more. Learn how to surf the net using Safari, read articles without ads, instantly translate foreign language pages, save photos, and add bookmarks/favorites. This is not a class for Android users and assumes you are familiar with using an iPad/iPhone. *Instructor: John Guerra*

The Ultimate Real Estate Deal: The Louisiana Purchase/Lewis and Clark – March 7 at 1:30pm – 3pm – \$25

Jefferson had a vision to explore the Louisiana territory. He wound up buying this land in, arguably, the greatest land investment in U.S. history that virtually doubled the size of the country. Simultaneously, he convinced Congress to fund a scientific and commercially based expedition of this area under the leadership of Meriwether Lewis and William Clark. What were Jefferson's and Napoleon's motives in this transaction? Why were Lewis and Clark chosen for this effort? What were their successes and failures, and what role did Sacagawea play during this 28-month journey? *Instructor: Dr. Richard Hertzberg*

iPad/iPhone Apps: Camera & Photos in the New iOS 10 – March 23 at 1:30pm – 3:30pm – \$35

iPads/iPhones have two cameras for taking still photographs and HD video. We will learn all the features of the cameras and how to use them. We will also discuss how to get photos from your digital camera onto your device, and how to edit, organize, manage, email, and share them. Turn your iPad/iPhone into a digital photo library of your most important photographic memories and learn how to use your iPad as a digital picture frame. This is not a class for Android users and assumes you are familiar with using an iPad/iPhone. *Instructor: John Guerra*

REGISTRATION & PRE-PAYMENT ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND! For further information or to register for the programs above, please contact the Pelican Bay Community Center at 239-260-8998.