

# Community Education & Lifelong Learning

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The following classes may or may not be transferable nor do they necessarily fulfill a specific degree requirement. Students are encouraged to discuss course selections with their advisor to ensure courses will meet the student's intended goal. Please call the Student Development Center at 527.4262 for referral to an appropriate advisor.

Visit our website at <http://www.wwcc.edu>

Telephone Registration Hours: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon.-Fri., 509.527.4443

**REGISTER EARLY!** Registration for a Community Education class should be completed a week before the start of the class in order to determine whether the class will meet the minimum enrollment and be a "go."

## Special Interest Tours, Seminars, & Training

### The Weekender

2525 & 2526/CUL 090

Come out and enjoy the finer points of learning with experiences in food, wine, and the arts. Multiple workshops and seminars from which to choose will be offered, all followed by a wine and cheese social from 5-6 p.m. Expect the following topics to be offered as workshops: tapas; chocolates; calligraphy; wine sauces; a virtual tour of public art; song writing; wine and food pairing; the life of a vintner; hand made cheeses, Creole cuisine, trends in wine making; wine and your health. Call 527-4443 the first week of January to request a flyer be sent to you.

Sa, Feb. 24

Enology/Viticulture Bldg.

\$70 (#2525 includes social)

\$59 (#2526 without social)

1:00-6:00 pm

Multiple Instructors

### US Figure Skating

#### Championships

3090/CS 009

For the very first time, the US Figure Skating Championships are going to be close to home in Spokane where you can witness them live, on the ice, without the distraction of television ads. Tickets have been purchased for the Championship Pairs Figure Skating event on Friday at 12:50 pm. The bus will leave from the WWCC parking lot at 8 a.m., arrive in Spokane in time for lunch, and have you back at WWCC by approximately 7 p.m. Don't miss this chance to see the best skaters in the United States up close and personal.

F, Jan. 26

\$125

8am-7pm (return time approx.)

The bus will board near the flagpole in the WWCC parking lot

### Tour to San Francisco & Napa Valley

3050/CS 009

Some say that Walla Walla is on its way to becoming the next Napa Valley. Take this opportunity to discover what the comparison actually is in this Smithsonian Journey to San Francisco and the Napa Valley. Local expert speakers will make the difference between simply seeing and truly understanding the sites visited. Highlights include the Golden Gate Bridge, Chinatown, Asian Art Museum, Napa Valley, Silverado Vineyards, Rutherford Hill Winery, and the Culinary Institute of America. Eight meals are included in the seven day tour. Roundtrip airfare is out of the Tri-Cities. Tour is from July 19-25; deposit due by Feb. 16 with final payment due by May 20. Full cost of trip with eight meals and double room occupancy is \$2369; single \$2969; triple \$2339. Request a complete itinerary by calling 527-4561.

F, Feb. 16 (deposit deadline)

\$220

### eBay I: The Basics of Selling

3012 & 3016/CS 013

Don't throw it away---sell it on eBay! Turn your "stuff" into cash from the comfort of your home by learning how to set up a Buyer and Seller eBay account, create successful eBay auction listings, take and upload pictures, and accept credit card payments online with Paypal. Learn buying and selling strategies, what to do once your item sells, where to get FREE supplies and your best shipping options. A book is included in the fee and optional workbooks are available for purchase during the class. *Note: For success in this class you need a fundamental working knowledge of the computer, and an understanding of a basic Internet search is recommended.*

Sa, Mar. 10

Conf Center 185A

\$69 (#3012 text included)

\$49 (#3016 spouse rate)

9 am-12:30 pm

Kevin Boyd

## eBay II: Beyond the Basics of Selling

3013 & 3017/CS 013

Take your eBay selling to the next level by learning the steps to start and/or grow an eBay based business. Learn about the required business licenses and certificates, tips and best practices for creating compelling listings that will draw the most bids and beat your competition, and how to best market and manage your eBay business. Learn how to get your business organized and discover the available automation tools that can eliminate time consuming eBay product research methods and mundane tasks, such as leaving feedback, in order to streamline your eBay business.

A book is included in the fee and an optional workbook is available for purchase during the class. *Prerequisite: Completion of eBay I or the equivalent.*

Sa, Mar. 10 1:30-5:00 pm

Conf. Center 185A Kevin Boyd

\$69 (#3013 text included)

\$49 (#3017 spouse rate)

## eBay I & II Series Discount

3152 & 3153/CS 013

Sign up for both sessions and take advantage of all the information you can about building an eBay business. Save a little \$\$\$ too!

Sa, Mar. 10 9 am-5 pm

Conf. Center 185A Kevin Boyd

\$130 (#3152 text included)

\$90 (#3153 spouse rate)

## Real Estate Fundamentals

3899/BA 075

This online course is an in-depth study of the main areas of concern in the real estate industry, including the real estate career, real property ownership, contract law, agency law, listing, selling valuation, finance, escrow, state license law, Fair Housing, and real estate math. You will be ready to take the state license exam after completion of the 60-hours of pre-license training. Books are available in the WWCC Bookstore. After registering for the class, call 527-4561 or come by office #56 at WWCC for set-up information.

**Open entry; six months allowed for completion, \$299.**

## Washington

### Real Estate Practices Online

3898/BA 076

This is a practical course for new agents. It offers guidelines in areas such as listing agreements, purchase and sale agreements, pricing property, qualifying the purchase, agency relationships, financing, and other information pertinent to the new salesperson. All new salespersons are required by the State to take this course before your first renewal. It also satisfies the 30-hour elective requirement for broker's license applicants. After registering for the class, call 527-4561 or come by office #56 at WWCC for set-up information.

**Open entry; three months allowed for completion, \$175.**

## Washington

### Real Estate Law Online

3897/BA 077

This 30-hour online course offers an overview of the legal aspects of real estate and discusses the laws governing the ownership and sale of real estate in Washington. It examines common problems in real estate transactions and provides examples from actual court cases. Topics covered include: the distinction between real and personal property; methods of land description, easements, liens and other interests in real estate; forms of co-ownership; contracts; deeds and titles; zoning; taxation; fair housing; landlord/tenant law. After registering for the class, call 527-4561 or come by office #56 at WWCC for set-up information.

**Open entry; three months allowed for completion, \$175.**

## Language & Culture

### American Sign Language I

3300/CS 030

This introduction to American Sign Language includes study of the language and Deaf Culture, communication, proper grammar, facial expressions, and the tone of voice you create through specific motions. Depending on the needs of the students, attention will be given to signing to babies also.

T, Jan. 9-Mar. 13

Tech Center 1107

\$99

6-8 pm

Diana Clark

**American Sign Language II**

3301/CS 030

Continue your study of ASL with further acquisition of language skills and learning about Deaf Culture, communication, proper grammar, facial expressions, and the tone of voice you create through specific motions.

W, Jan. 10-Mar. 14

6-8 pm

Tech Center 1107

Diana Clark

\$99

**Basic Spanish II**

3213/SPAN 048

Continue your study of practical Spanish and further develop your ability to understand and speak the language.

Reading and writing in Spanish is included. This is the second class of a three-quarter study progression.

W, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

5:30-8:30 pm

Tech Center 1107A

Courtney VanSlyke

\$246.90 (three credits)

**Spanish Special Topics**

2511/SPAN 298

This class is a review of material presented during the first year of Spanish. It is intended as an intermediate step between the 100 and 200 Spanish series. You will expand your knowledge of Spanish through a wide variety of topics. The book *Dos Mundos* will be used and is available in the WWCC Bookstore.

*Prerequisite: A year of Spanish study or the instructor's permission.*

T, Jan. 2-Mar. 13

4:30-7:30 pm

WWCC Room 209

Carol Franklin

\$246.90 (three credits)

**Beginning Chinese I**

2504/CHIN 047

This beginner's course is for those with no previous knowledge of Mandarin Chinese. The basic skills of understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Chinese will be introduced.

This study is recommended if you are planning on traveling to China either as a tourist or for business.

TTh, Jan. 2-Mar. 13

7-8:30 pm

Tech Center 1107A

Connie Cochran

\$246.90 (three credits)

**Beginning Chinese III**

2506/CHIN 049

Continue a formal introduction to Mandarin Chinese as you continue to acquire the basic language skills of understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Chinese. This study is recommended if you are planning on traveling to China either as a tourist or for business.

TTh, Jan. 2-Mar. 13

5:30-7 pm

Tech Center 1107A

Connie Cochran

\$246.90 (three credits)

**Photography****Beginning Photography**

2500/PHOT 024

A good working knowledge of the camera and related accessories will be acquired. You'll learn lighting techniques and composition and other details of good photography. Despite the popularity of digital photography, the basics of taking good pictures are still the same and should be learned and practiced, no matter what camera you use. You will prepare a project each week and submit it for critique.

Th, Jan. 4-Mar. 15

6:30-9:30 pm

WWCC Room 242

Charly Bloomquist

\$246.90 (three credits)

**Digital Imaging with Photoshop**

3192/CS 010

Adobe Photoshop will be introduced for use in image acquisition, editing and output. Most concepts taught are applicable to other image editing programs as well. Read your owner's manual and bring your camera to class along with the cords that attach it to the computer. Basic computer skills are essential for success in this class.

W, Jan. 10-Feb. 14

7-9 pm

Tech Center 1204A

Larry Goodhew

\$65

**Home & Garden****Country Cajun Cooking****3400 & 3401/CS 012**

"New Orleans food is as delicious as the less criminal forms of sin," said Mark Twain in 1884, and neither time nor the weather have changed the food's reputation. The basics will be tried here: red beans 'n rice, jambalaya, gumbo and shrimp Creole, as well as the seasoning and stocks that are the hallmarks of this marvelous, hearty, cuisine.

**M, Jan. 22-Feb. 12 (#3400)****6:30-9:00 pm****T, Jan. 23-Feb. 13 (#3401)****Greg Schnorr****Enology Kitchen****\$79****Coffee! From the****Farmer to the Cup****3430 & 3431/CS 012**

Coffee beans at each stage of their existence, from the trees in South America and around the world, to their roasting, preparation, and finally as the java in your cup, will all be described. Through the coffee tasting you will be able to learn about and judge varieties from different parts of the globe. Caffeine a problem in the afternoon? You won't need to swallow, just taste.

**T, Jan. 9-16 (#3430)****T, Feb. 13-20 (#3431)****5-7 pm****WW Roastery, 290 A St. (WW Airport)****Jesse Philo****\$25****Buying & Selling Antiques****3140/CS 011**

Is that precious item you inherited an actual antique, or a reproduction or fake? How to tell the difference, how to place a value on your possessions, and how to be a wiser buyer of antiques will be taught.

An overview of metals (silver, copper, and brass) and wooden ware (furniture and small treen) will be given and the process of buying and selling antiques, including the use of eBay, will be covered.

**W, Jan. 17-Feb. 21****7-9 pm****WWCC Room 103****Michael Wall****\$69****The Arts****Fashion Trends & Design Basics****2550/FCS 075**

The basics of draping and pattern making will be taught and the latest fashion trends explored. Sessions include attention to specific apparel such as skirts, tops, collards, sleeves, pants, and knits. Basic sewing skills are a prerequisite and you will need to bring a sewing machine and basic sewing supplies to class. A supply list with other necessary supplies will be sent to you when you register for the class.

**TTh, Jan. 11-Feb. 22****6-8 pm****Conf. Center 185A****Giancarlo Solimano****\$164.60 (two credits)****Jewelry Fabrication****3130/CS 010**

Continue working with skills you acquired fall quarter or come into this class as a beginner and take up a new hobby. You will be able to make silver pendants with matching earrings and a ring as you gain experience with metal working techniques using hand tools, torches, flex shafts, polishers, rolling mills and more. Through close-up demos you'll learn how to layout, drill, pierce, file, form, solder, and polish metal. The instructor has 30 years experience in diamond cutting, jewelry design and manufacturing. Metal supplies--including precious metals--can be purchased as needed from the instructor. Beginners will order tool packages (approx. \$85) or individual tools, from the instructor after the first class.

**M, Jan. 8-Feb. 26****7-9:30 pm****Tech Center 1108****Ron Kreml****\$79****Beginning Watercolors****3104/CS 010**

This beginner's class will teach you how to use color and washes and achieve distance in landscapes. A supply list will be given to you the first night of class. Come and discover the artist you can become.

**W, Jan. 10-Feb. 14****7-9 pm****Tech Center 1108****Joyce Anderson****\$59**

**Intermediate Watercolors****3105/CS 010**

Continue your experience with watercolors and your study of color, composition principles, and the basic elements of art. This class is for you if you have studied beginning watercolors and want to continue to upgrade your skills.

**T, Jan. 9-Feb. 27**  
**Tech Center 1108**  
**\$79**

**7-10 pm**  
**Joyce Anderson**

**Picture Matting****3109/CS 010**

The color concepts in choosing the right mat, how to measure the artwork, how to cut it, and other basics of matting will be taught. You will recover the cost of this class the first time you cut and mat your art. Learn how easy it is to do a professional looking job with the right mat cutter. No supplies necessary the first night.

**M, Feb. 5-12**  
**WWCC Dining Room**  
**\$35**

**7-9 pm**  
**Roy Anderson**

**Relief Wood Carving****3100/CS 002**

This quarter your block of wood will become a landscape as you practice the relief carving techniques. The wood is furnished but you need to bring your own file glove and carving tools to class.

**Th, Jan. 11-Mar. 1**  
**Auto Tech 1403**  
**\$52**

**1:30-4:30 pm**  
**Mel Wheatley**

**Music & Dance****The Successful Singer****3290/CS 015**

Whether you feel 'vocally challenged' or you want the chance to exercise your already trained singing voice, this class is for you. Techniques will be given to help you get the most from your vocal chords and to help you find your unsung voice.

**Th, Jan. 11-Mar. 1**  
**WWCC Dining Room**  
**\$54**

**7-8:30 pm**  
**Julie Jones**

**Instant Piano****for****Hopelessly Busy People****3490/CS 015**

Some music teachers may not want you to know this, but you don't need years of lessons to learn how to play the piano. In just a



few hours, you can learn enough to give yourself personal musical enjoyment. While the traditional approach is to teach note reading, professional pianists use the technique of playing chords that can be learned and implemented easily to play many songs. You'll be able to continue your practice at home using the practice CD and workbook included with the class. If you already know your way around the piano keyboard, you know enough to enroll in this workshop. If not, request a free pamphlet that explains the basics. *Prerequisite: Ability to read the treble clef.*

**Th, Feb. 8**  
**Music Bldg. 303**  
**\$59**

**6-9:30 pm**  
**Gladys Wentland**

**How to Play the Piano by Ear****3491/CS 015**

Contrary to popular belief, anyone can learn to play the piano by ear. This workshop shows you the inside secrets professional piano players use (but seldom reveal!). You'll learn how to pick tunes right out of your head, learn how to get songs off the radio, and you'll even learn how to transpose. This workshop goes beyond mere "ear training"; you'll get information found nowhere else and you'll be picking out tunes by ear — with both hands — from the very first session. This is open to all musicians, not just piano players, who have a basic understanding of chord theory. *Prerequisite: Beginning players should take Instant Piano first.*

**Th, Feb. 22**  
**Music Bldg. 303**  
**\$59**

**6-9:30 pm**  
**Gladys Wentland**

## Classes for Seniors

The following classes are intended for students over 60-years of age and are held at the Senior Center, 720 Sprague, unless otherwise stated. Registration for classes to be held at the Senior Center is taken at the Center prior to classes starting. Registration for How to Publish Your Book, Computer Concepts, Yoga, Yoga for the Rusty, and Pilates is at the WWCC Office of Admissions and Records or by calling Telephone Registration, 527-4443, and using your VISA or MasterCard.

### How to Publish Your Book

2990/CT 091

Attention aspiring authors! If you want to publish your work and share it with your children and grandchildren, start here. You'll get all the necessary skills and software to format manuscripts and covers and learn how to send computer files to an online, print-on-demand printer. If you have it, bring your manuscript on a disk or CD to work with in class. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

*Note: Don't let the technology scare you. If you have beginning computer skills, you'll be able to handle this.*

T, Jan. 9-Feb. 13  
Cosmetology Bldg. 320  
\$44.20

3-5 pm  
Gene Steffanson

### Computer Concepts

2902/CT 070

You will get a fundamental understanding of the computer hardware, operating system, and word processing in this beginning computer class. You may use the WWCC computer lab outside of class time. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14  
WWCC Room 101  
\$126.60

1:30-3:30 pm  
Carolyn Hansen

### Word Processing

2903/CT 072

Continue to learn the breadth of what the computer can do for you...if only you press the right keys! Increase your familiarity with MS Word and learn how to make columns, headers, tables, labels, envelopes and many other functions. E-mail and further use of the Internet will also be covered. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

TTh, Jan. 9-Mar.15  
WWCC Tech Center 1204A  
\$126.60

1:30-3:30 pm  
Carolyn Hansen

### Writing Fundamentals

2751/WRIT 089

Use your own life story as the basis for writing and learning the fundamentals of the craft. If you have finished a work you are proud of and would like to share with your children and grandchildren, consider taking the How to Publish Your Book class shown above.

M, Jan. 8-Mar. 12  
Senior Center  
\$58

1-3 pm  
Shirley Waite

### Beginning Oil Painting

2755/ART 020

Continue your use of oils as you paint or take up a new hobby for the first time. You'll practice the basics of this artistic medium and turn out art work that you can hang in your home.

W, Jan. 3-Mar. 7  
Senior Center  
\$58

1-4 pm  
Bette Rollins



**Basic Watercolors**

2750/ART 019

The use of color and composition and distance in landscapes will be taught and practiced. The class is designed for the beginning and intermediate student.

F, Jan. 5-Mar. 9

1-4 pm

Senior Center

Joyce Anderson

\$58

**Yoga for the Rusty**

2552/HPER 098A

Are you feeling your age...or worse?

Practice the dynamic techniques of Yoga and develop a strength and range of motion you didn't know you could. Class is especially designed for the 50+ student and is conducted at the ACE of Clubs, 610 W. Tietan Street. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

10-11 am

ACE of Clubs

Karen Johnson

\$28.50

**Yoga**

2551/ HPER 098B

This class is for you if you have already been taking Yoga and are acquainted with the poses and can handle the more advanced physical demands. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

11-Noon

ACE of Clubs

Karen Johnson

\$28.50

**Tai Chi**

2554/HPER 016

Slow, controlled movements will be practiced to increase your strength and range of motion.

TTh, Jan. 9-Mar. 15

1:30-2:30 pm

Senior Center

Ron Johnson

\$29.50

**Pilates**

2553/ HPER 091

Pilates (pi-law-tees) is designed to strengthen each muscle group in the body while providing additional stamina and stability to the core muscles in the abdomen and lower back. It is a complete exercise and fitness workout that helps develop concentration, increase control and flexibility of movement and balance, and strengthen the cardio-respiratory system. This class is geared to the senior student. *Register for this class at WWCC.*

TTh, Jan. 9-Mar. 15

4-5 pm

Many Waters Wellness Center

John Kerwin

\$28.50

**Aerobics**

These aerobics classes all give you a full-body workout with an emphasis on stretching, full range of motion, and cardiovascular fitness.

**Aerobics A**

2557/HPER 011A

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

9:00-9:50 am

Senior Center

Sylvia Bushman

\$29.50

**Aerobics B**

2558/HPER 011B

TTh, Jan. 9-Mar. 15

9:00-9:50 am

Senior Center

Sylvia Bushman

\$29.50



**Forensic Psychology**

2630/CJ 050

Law and psychology will intersect as you learn the role psychologists play within the legal system. Guest speakers in practice in the community will present different topics. Among them: the four roles psychologists play in the law; criminology and corrections, the mentally ill in prison, psychological autopsies, hypnosis, lie detection, recovered and repressed memories; dispute resolution; psychology in the courtroom, including the use of consultants and expert witnesses, the insanity plea, victim rights and accused rights; violence as a public health concern.

T, Jan. 9-Feb. 6  
 WWCC Room 109  
 \$38.50

1:30-3:30 pm  
 Cindy Godard-Gross

**Quest** is a membership driven institute for active learners 50+ years of age that encourages learning, socializing, and active participation. It is one of over 260 college-sponsored institutes for learning in retirement in the U.S. and Canada that is affiliated with the Elderhostel Institute Network.

**Quest Winter Social**

Be our guest at the winter quarter Social on **Monday, Jan. 8, 3:00 - 5:00 pm, in the WWCC Dining area.** Enjoy hors d'oeuvres and beverages as you visit with Quest members and guests. Introductions of the instructors and the classes they are planning to teach begins at 3:30. **First timers to Quest are invited to attend for free!**

**Membership**

Join Quest by the quarter for \$25 (item #3003). With membership you can take **Quest** classes, attend the social events, and get a **Quest** ID card that entitles you to the following benefits: free attendance at all WWCC plays, limited free attendance to The Little Theater and the Walla Walla Symphony "Symphony Series," and reduced price on haircuts from the WWCC Cosmetology Department.

**90+ Quest Membership**

3004/CS 032

If you are 90+ years old, you may get a Quest membership for free and have the full privileges of other dues-paying Quest members. Congratulations!

**Mythology Old & New**

2625/LIT 089

What is a myth and what role does it play in culture? The role of myth in our lives today will be explored and you will come to a clearer understanding of what myths have done in different cultures. Stories of important myths will be introduced from the ancient Near East and Egypt, American Indians, and the more famous Greek myths, including a look at some contemporary mythologies.

T, Jan. 9-Feb. 6  
 WWCC Room 102  
 \$38.50

2:30-4:30 pm  
 John Jamison

**Fundamental Foods**

2520/CUL 199

Find comfort in knowing how to prepare fundamental food well. Soups, breads, and desserts will be the featured foods that you will prepare and enjoy afterwards. Along with the menu preparation, lots of helpful information on the basics of cooking will be provided by this professional chef.

TW, Jan. 9-17  
 Enology Kitchen  
 \$38.50

6:30-9:00 pm  
 Greg Schnorr

**Use your Visa or MasterCard to register and call between 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.**

- Numbers to call for:
- Registration .....527-4443
  - More Information.....527-4561
  - A Quest flyer .....527-4443

## American Presidents: The Best and Worst of Them

2640/HIST 072

American Presidents from George Washington to George Bush will be discussed with the intention of ranking those that might be judged the best in contrast to those judged the worst. More than just a parlor game, this will be an investigation of the circumstances, qualities, and capabilities that lead to presidential success (or failure), and the standards voters must have in mind.

W, Jan. 10-Feb. 7

1:30-3:30 pm

WWCC Room 102

Jonathan Webster

\$38.50

## Shakespeare's Kings: Theater, History, & Politics

2627/LIT 074

Watching film scenes from Shakespeare's history plays, you'll explore the extent to which these plays are historically accurate, and if not, why Shakespeare may have taken liberty with his picture of the past. Concepts of leadership, legitimacy, and honor as reflected in both kings and in their subjects, and the quality of patriotism, will be discussed. Mary Hanna's knowledge of politics and Walt Weingart's background in English history will reflect different perspectives with this topic.

Th, Jan. 11-Feb. 8

1:30-3:30 pm

WWCC Room 102

Mary Hanna

\$38.50

Walt Weingart

## Conversational Spanish II

2691/SPAN 048

Continue your acquisition of this important second language with further study of Spanish with emphasis on verbal communication and comprehension.

Acquired skills will be useful for communicating with Hispanics in this area, for travel or business, or for the pure enrichment and enjoyment of learning another language. *Note: Class is for those with at least one quarter of Spanish study and is a progression from fall quarter. For a more advanced class, look under Spanish in the WWCC schedule.*

F, Jan. 12-Mar. 16

2-4 pm

WWCC Room 102

Carlos Jaque

\$67

## Professional Figure Skating: See What the Judges See

2599/HPER 020

A professional ice skater and former US Championship skating competitor will teach you what you should expect to see and how to recognize the moves that you'll see skaters perform on the ice at the US Figure Skating Championships in Spokane. The instructor will have you engaged in a "dry lab" and actually walk through various skating maneuvers that should make them more meaningful when witnessed during actual performances. Don't miss this chance for a no-risk ice skating lesson!

F, Jan. 12-19

1:30-3:30 pm

Conf. Center 185A

Joyce Alden

\$21.40

## US Figure Skating Championships

3090/CS 009

For the very first time, the US Figure Skating Championships are going to be close to home in Spokane where you can witness them live, on the ice, without the distraction of television ads. Tickets have been purchased for the Championship Pairs Figure Skating event on Friday at 12:50 pm. The bus will leave from the WWCC parking lot at 8 a.m., arrive in Spokane in time for lunch, and have you back at WWCC by approximately 7 p.m. Don't miss this chance to see the best skaters in the United States up close and personal.

F, Jan. 26

8am-7pm (return time approx.)

\$125

The bus will board near the flagpole in the WWCC parking lot

## The Everyday Writer

2624/WRIT 094

Modge podge, crayons, photographs, magazines...all will be used to help banish writers block and to help you further develop your creative work. Free writing exercises will be used to explore a specific element of fiction writing using a variety of narrative forms.

M, Jan. 22-Feb. 26

1:30-3:30 pm

WWCC Room 102

Catherine Broyles

\$38.50

**From Gourd to Gorgeous**

2910/ART 024

Starting with a cleaned gourd, you will learn how to turn it into a beautiful pot using techniques of sponge painting and other artistic mediums. For a look at the gorgeous possibilities that are in store for you, take a look at [www.afamilyjournal.com](http://www.afamilyjournal.com). A supply fee has been included in the cost of the class.

T, Feb. 13-Mar. 13

Tech Center 1108

\$44.25

1:30-3:30 pm

Dar Beck

**History of Walla Walla**

2770/HIST 089

The history of Walla Walla from 1800 to the present is rich, diverse, and very interesting. This overview of the local history will include a look at the impact of Lewis and Clark, the fur trade and missionary period, homeland tribes, the Oregon trail, the growth of the local community, and conclude with the perspective of where we go from here.

T, Feb. 13-Mar. 13

WWCC Room 105

\$38.50

2:30-4:30 pm

Paul Franzmann

**Masterpieces of the****American Short Story**

2621/LIT 075

American short story writers have made a major contribution to world literature. Masters of the American short story from the 19<sup>th</sup> century to the present will be studied including: Nathaniel Hawthorne, Henry James, Stephen Crane, Kate Chopin, F. Scott Fitzgerald, William Faulkner, Flannery O'Connor, Eudora Welty, Alice Walker, Andre Dubus, John Cheever and Louise Erdrich.

Each class will focus on three or four stories representing specific authors as the course proceeds chronologically to the present day. The book for this class, *Masterpieces of the American Short Story*, is available in the WWCC Bookstore.

T, Feb. 13-Mar. 13

WWCC Room 102

\$38.50

2:30-4:30 pm

John Desmond

**"They All Became Viggystarians"**

2626/LIT 094

This course focuses on three books, two fiction and one non-fiction, that have had a profound and widespread influence on actions and attitudes in American life: *Uncle Tom's Cabin*, *The Jungle*, and *Silent Spring*. You will examine the literary merits as you consider the political, social, and cultural impacts of these works. The question of each artist's responsibility to the public will also be examined.

W, Feb. 14-Mar. 14

WWCC Room 109

\$38.50

2:30-4:30 pm

Bill Krieger

**Computer Concepts**

2902/CT 070

Explanations of the computer hardware, operating system, and word processing will give you a solid understanding of the computer from the machine to its functions in this beginning computer class. You may use the WWCC computer lab outside of class time.

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

WWCC Room 101

\$126.60

1:30-3:30 pm

Carolyn Hansen

**Word Processing**

2903/CT 072

Continue to learn the breadth of what the computer can do for you...if only you press the right keys! Increase your familiarity with MS Word and learn how to make columns, headers, tables, labels, envelopes and many other functions. E-mail and further use of the Internet will also be covered.

TTh, Jan. 2-Mar. 8

Tech Center 1204A

\$126.60

1:30-3:30 pm

Carolyn Hansen

**PowerPoint Basics & Beyond**

2904/CT 050

The basics of what you need to know to make a presentation using text and photographs will be taught. There are other uses for PowerPoint besides using it for a presentation, however. You will learn how to make an electronic scrapbook out of photographs or slides that you can then e-mail to children and grandchildren to enjoy.

Th, Feb. 15-Mar. 15

Cosmetology Bldg 320

\$38.50

1:30-3:30 pm

Sara Rees



## Yoga for the Rusty

2552/HPER 098A

Are you feeling your age...or worse?

Practice the dynamic techniques of Yoga and develop a strength and range of motion you didn't know you could. Class is especially designed for the 50+ beginning Yoga student and is conducted at the ACE of Clubs, 610 W. Tietan Street.

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

10-11 am

ACE of Clubs

Karen Johnson

\$28.50

## Yoga

2551/HPER 098B

This intermediate class is for you if you have been taking Yoga and are acquainted with the poses and can handle more advanced physical demands. ACE of Clubs, 610 W. Tietan Street.

MW, Jan. 3-Mar. 14

11-Noon

ACE of Clubs

Karen Johnson

\$28.50

## Pilates

2553/HPER 091

Pilates (pi-law-tees) is designed to strengthen each muscle group in the body while providing additional stamina and stability to the core muscles in the abdomen and lower back. It is a complete exercise and fitness workout that helps develop concentration, increase control and flexibility of movement and balance, and strengthen the cardio-respiratory system. This class is geared to the senior student.

TTh, Jan. 2-Mar. 8

4-5 pm

Many Waters Wellness Center

John Kerwin

\$28.50

## Walking Walla Walla

2559/HPER 075

Meet at the ACE of Clubs and walk out from there for an hour of fun and fitness to such destinations as the golf course, fair grounds, and Fort Walla Walla. You will measure your walking with a pedometer and practice the 10,000 Steps for Fitness program. In the case of inclement weather, you will walk indoors on the Ace of Clubs track. Wear sturdy walking shoes and be prepared to have a good time!

TTh, Jan. 9-Mar. 15

10-11 am

ACE of Clubs

Karen Johnson

\$28.50

Veva Hepler

## Sandhill Crane Festival

3070/CS 009

If they have read their internal calendars correctly thousands of Sandhill Cranes should be at Othello feeding and waiting for you to witness them on their migration to Alaska for the nesting season. A host of workshops to choose from will take place on Saturday followed by an evening viewing opportunity and a dinner. Though the event does not take place until the end of March, it is necessary to get reservations in by the end of January. A copy of the Festival schedule will be available on line at [www.othellosandhillcranefestival.org](http://www.othellosandhillcranefestival.org) in January. Price includes RT

transportation from WWCC to Othello, entry to the festival, an evening visit to the crane's feeding site, banquet dinner, speaker and silent auction, and lodging at Best Western Lincoln Inn. Only 20 slots reserved; sign up early!

SaSu, Mar. 24-25

8am Sat - 2pm Sun

Othello High School

(return time approx.)

\$157 (double occupancy #3070)

\$195 (single occupancy #3071)

Bus will board near the flagpole in the WWCC parking lot