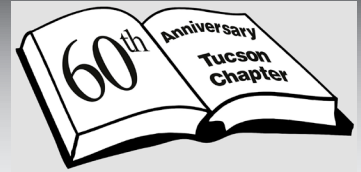




16th Annual Book & Author Events

February 29 & March 1, 2012

Brandeis National Committee, Tucson Chapter



Net Proceeds From the Book & Author Events Benefit

Sustaining the Mind, a Brandeis National Committee Fund Supporting Neuroscience Research and Endowed Scholarships for Science Students at Brandeis University.

Evening Soirée

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2012

**AT THE HOME OF RUTHANN POZEZ
5110 EAST OAKMONT DRIVE**

6:00 P.M.

**LIMITED SEATING: PREFERENCE TO
LUNCHEON TICKET HOLDERS**

**DINE WITH THE AUTHORS
AND ENJOY A MUSICAL PROGRAM**

COMPLIMENTARY VALET PARKING

Book & Author Day

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2012

SKYLINE COUNTRY CLUB

**9:30 A.M. BOOK SIGNING
BARNES & NOBLE
ON-SITE STORE
BOUTIQUES
[CASH/CHECK ONLY]**

**10:15 A.M. PROGRAM BEGINS
NOON BUFFET LUNCHEON
BOOK SALES/SIGNING CONTINUE**

**1:00 P.M. PROGRAM RESUMES
2:30 P.M. PROGRAM CONCLUDES**

**FOLLOWED BY BOOK SIGNING AND
MORE BARNES & NOBLE BOOK SALES**



PULITZER PRIZE _____ AT \$1000 \$ _____

4 tickets to Soirée and Luncheon, seating with an author,
4 autographed books, listing in program

PUBLISHER _____ AT \$500 \$ _____

3 tickets to Soirée and Luncheon, seating with an author,
3 autographed books, listing in program

EDITOR _____ AT \$350 \$ _____

2 tickets to Soirée and Luncheon, seating with an author,
and listing in program

BOOKMARK-TABLE FOR 10 _____ AT \$700 \$ _____

2 tickets to Soirée and 10 tickets to Luncheon

SCRIBE _____ AT \$175 \$ _____

1 ticket to Soirée & Luncheon, 1 seat with an author

DAY-LUNCHEON _____ AT \$70/\$80 \$ _____

1 ticket to Luncheon. Member \$70. Nonmember \$80

EVENING SOIRÉE ONLY _____ AT \$75/\$85 \$ _____

Member \$75. Non-member \$85; Limited Reservations

TOTAL FOR ONE OR BOTH EVENTS \$ _____

MasterCard/Visa/AmEx _____

Expiration Date _____

Signature _____

Print Name _____

Address _____

Phone/E-mail _____

Please make checks payable to **BNC**.

Return this reservation form by February 19, 2012, with check or credit card information to:

Soralé Fortman, 5844 East 15th Street, Tucson, Arizona 85711.

Luncheon table seats 10. Please list your table companions on a separate piece of paper.

For purposes of Federal tax deductions, Tucson Chapter has provided you with goods and services in the amount of \$30 for the Soirée and \$40 for the Luncheon

Our Terrific Book & Author Event Authors

Our exciting 16th annual **Book & Author Events** are coming up soon with the amazing *Soirée* on Wednesday evening, February 29, and the **Book & Author Day** events on Thursday, March 1. They are part of the continuing celebration of the chapter's 60th anniversary. Here is wonderful information about our fabulous authors:



Jean M. Auel for 30 years has held millions enthralled by her creation of the prehistoric world of Ayla. Her Earth's Children series has sold more than forty-five million copies worldwide and includes *The Clan of the Cave Bear*, *The Valley of Horses*, *The Mammoth Hunters*, *The Plains of Passage*, *The Shelters of Stone*, and *The Land of Painted Caves*. Mrs. Auel's extensive research has earned her the worldwide respect of archaeologists and anthropologists. She has honorary degrees from four universities and was named an Officer in the Order of Arts and Letters by the French government's Ministry of Culture.



Peter Likins has had a long and distinguished academic career, serving as professor, dean, provost, and president at UCLA and Columbia and Lehigh Universities, culminating in a nine-year tenure as president of the University of Arizona. His personal accomplishments, however, are the crux of his book, *A New American Family: A Love Story*, in which he has written about his wife Patricia and the six "unadoptable" children they adopted in the 1960s. In this empowering memoir, Likins tells of how his family confronted the issues of interracial adoption, mental illness, drug addiction, unwed pregnancy, and homosexuality.



David Liss is the author of seven novels, most recently *The Twelfth Enchantment* (not the genre you might think). His first, the bestselling *A Conspiracy of Paper*, winner of the 2000 Edgar Award for Best First Novel, was recently read by the BNC Book Group. In 2008, at the United Nations Convention Against Corruption in Bali, Indonesia, he was named an Artist for Integrity by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime. He claimed, "No one is really sure why I should receive this honor or what it means, but it very possibly makes [me] the Bono of historical fiction." Despite his humility, his novels deservedly have been translated into more than two dozen languages.



Gayle Lynds' career began at the *The Arizona Republic*, where her investigative reporting led to changes in state legislation. Moving on, she became an editor with Top Secret security clearance at a government think tank, where "shadowy figures" inspired her to turn to the creation of stories that ultimately would earn her the label of "The Queen of Espionage." On her own, she has written award-winners and best-sellers such as *Masquerade* and *The Last Spymaster*. With Robert Ludlum, she created the Covert-One series. Ms Lynds is a member of the Association for Intelligence Officers. In 2004, she and David Morrell founded the International Thriller Writers group.

We are privileged to have **Rabbi Thomas A. Louchheim** of Tucson's Congregation Or Chadash return for his eighth year as our **Book & Author** Moderator. In addition to his fifteen years of work with his congregation, he has served as Jewish chaplain and bereavement and volunteer coordinator of Handmaker's Hospice program. He is also a published author: His sweet potato latke recipe (with caviar!) was published in *Southern Arizona Gourmet*. He has written a chapter in a book about making decisions together with one's aging parents and is working on a book on storytelling.



This is another year of Book & Author Events not to miss. Space at the *Soirée* is limited, so get your reservations for that event and the next day's events in early. You will find an RSVP form on page 2 of this bulletin. **B**

Watch for our 60th anniversary events