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THE ADULT SCHOOL OF MONTCLAIR/GLENFIELD SATELLITE PROGRAM

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THE ADULT SCHOOL OF MONTCLAIR ANNOUNCES NEW SOUTH END BRANCH: GLENFIELD SATELLITE PROGRAM!

The Adult School of Montclair is pleased to introduce the Glenfield Satellite Program—a brand new partnership between the Adult School of Montclair and education leaders Deborah Maher and Howard Weinrib at Glenfield Middle School. Beginning with a dozen exciting course offerings this spring in keeping with our Retool, Recharge, and Relax programming, GSP opens April 10th, serving the community on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Located in the South End to reach out to more township residents, the new branch of the Adult School of Montclair responds to requests for additional evenings, and brings renewed energy and excitement to the South End.

GSP’s Director of Curriculum and Instruction Deb Maher feels that the timing is perfect “for an exciting new addition to our eclectic community. Expanding adult education opportunities throughout the township with a second location and additional evenings will attract more students, further securing ASM’s financial future. We are starting with a rich menu of course offerings taught by Glenfield teachers and alumni, entrepreneurial business leaders, and community people. We’ve built technology classes geared for beginners and advanced users, for business and practical applications, as well as art, literature, and exercise courses. We’ve included a book club for adults, and a mini-course on how to develop personalized parent-child book discussion groups, an innovative concept for parents and children who want explore emerging issues within the safe forum of peers and friends, from elementary school right on up through middle and high school.”
As Glenfield is the district’s vibrant Visual and Performing Arts magnet, the stage is set for success with an amazing dance and yoga studio, inspiring art classrooms, and, as GSP’s Director of Technology and Chief Academic officer, Howard Weinrib boasts, “we house the district’s impressive Classroom of the Future at Glenfield, a state of the art technology lab—fully equipped to accommodate students of all ages and levels of expertise, and we look forward to bringing this experience to the adult community.”

ASM, Maher and Weinrib welcome community feedback as they begin to plan for next semester. Their vision includes a celebration series featuring local filmmakers, authors, visual and performing artists, scholars, entrepreneurs, and public figures, while primarily focusing on the needs of working adults and families. Courses on getting back into the work force, financial planning, retirement planning and small business start-ups are in the planning stages.

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The Adult School of Montclair is dedicated to the belief that learning should never stop. The Adult School of Montclair offers more than 500 live and online courses on business, education, computers, test preparation, writing, languages, fitness, personal growth, crafts, cooking, gardening, dance and the arts. ASM is also a vibrant forum for innovative ideas and critical issues.

For course details and registration information visit: http://adultschool.org/newsletters/GlenfieldSatellite.html, or visit www.adultschool.org where you can browse the full catalog of ASM and GSP programs for the current spring semester. The Adult School office is located at 100 Chestnut Street inside the Montclair High School. Staff and volunteer help can be reached Monday through Thursday from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm at 973-746-6636 or by email to info@adultschool.org.

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