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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - A series of four special half-hour programs over WYSU-FM (88.5), Youngstown State University's fine arts radio station, will explore the renaissance in Jewish music in the 1960s, '70s and '80s in America.

"One People, Many Voices: American-Jewish Music Comes of Age," will be aired at 10:30 a.m. Sept. 29-Oct. 2.

The National Public Radio program is narrated by actor/folksinger Theodore Bikel and produced by the National Foundation for Jewish Culture. It was written by Robert L. Cohen, who created and produced the New York-based radio series, "Yedid Nefesh."

One segment of "One People, Many Voices," examines the evolution and development of American-Jewish musical forms and includes a wide variety of styles, embracing klezmer, folk-liturg, folk-rock, and modern American-style choral music.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - For adults who want to learn to put their funny ideas into pictures, "Cartoon Art," will be offered by Youngstown State University's Office of Continuing Education.

The seven-week course will focus on the fundamentals of cartooning with special attention on humor strips or comics, and plenty of in-class drawing and projects.

Classes will be held on the campus from 5:40-7:30 p.m. on Mondays, Oct. 6-Nov. 17.

David Schwartz, a freelance artist who is art director for WKBN-TV, will be instructor.

The fee is \$75, not including materials. A materials list will be provided at the first class session.

To register for "Cartoon Art," or to receive a complete listing of YSU Fall non-credit programs, call the YSU Office of Continuing Education at (216) 742-3358.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - The Office of Continuing Education at Youngstown State University is offering two photography courses on a non-credit basis.

"Beginning Photography" will acquaint the beginning photographer with the mechanics of the 35mm camera, types of film and the resulting images. It will be geared toward problem solving, rather than straight lecture.

Classes will meet from 5:40-7:30 p.m. on Thursdays, Oct. 9-Nov. 13.

Dennis Ryan, staff photographer for the Midwest Ballet Company, will be the instructor.

"Advanced Photography" participants will be involved with hands-on practice of photographic methods using black and white and color photography, portraiture, lighting, slides, filtration and composition. Participants should have had "Beginning Photography" or previous experience.

Classes will meet from 5:40-7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays, Oct. 7-Nov. 18.

Daniel Pressly, owner of Pressly Photographic, will be the instructor.

The fee for each course is \$75.

For more information and to receive a complete listing of YSU non-credit programs, call the Office of Continuing Education at (216) 742-3358.

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