

Callahan Learning & Cultural Programs December 2018

For adults age 55 and older

Please call the Callahan Center to register: 508-532-5980



HOLIDAY HARMONY HISTORIES

Tuesday, December 11, 2-3 p.m.

Presented by: Frank King

Sponsored by: Friends of Callahan

Learn the surprising backstories of many popular Christmas and Chanukah songs, including: "Jingle Bells," "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," "The 12 Days of Christmas," "Dreidel," and more. Frank King holds a

Masters in Broadcasting from Boston University and a BA from Princeton. A lifelong devotee of recorded music, he formerly hosted music programs on WBUR radio.

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE

GOLDEN TONES CHORUS

Tuesday, December 18, 2 p.m.

Come for a musical performance by the Golden Tones chorus featuring themes that are close to our hearts: songs about singing, dancing, friendship, and feeling good. The program will also include holiday melodies and songs about winter.



SPECIAL HOLIDAY HISTORY PROGRAM:

THE CHRISTMAS TRUCE

Thursday, December 20, 2 p.m.

Presented by: John Horrigan

Sponsored by: Friends of Callahan

On Christmas Eve 1914, all along the Western Front the guns fell silent as the enemy combatants held an unofficial ceasefire to celebrate Christmas. Germans came out of their trenches and greeted their French, British and

Canadian enemies. Join five-time New England Emmy Award-Winning Folklorist John Horrigan to learn more about the remarkable Christmas Truce.