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JRLW

MEGILLAH

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JOEL L. KRISTAL

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

Joel Kristal

I would like to acknowledge our volunteers who made the Health & Wellness Fair and the Jersey Tenors programs magnificent successes. Thank you: Rebecca Siman, Marsha Bernstein, Anita Sperling, Leah Weisman, Bonnie Tornheim, Linda Nelson, Adele Ewing, Nancy Grossman and Alan Nelson. Thanks to all the other volunteers who help JRLW remain a vibrant organization.

Now for my appeal: Many of these volunteers wear many hats and could use some help. Elsewhere in the Megillah you will find "Need Ads" describing how JRLW could use a few more volunteers who can give a few hours a month to help us. Because of a new volunteer, JRLW expects to begin bus trips again; details will follow in future Megillahs and emails. This shows the difference even one more volunteer can make. So, again, please consider helping JRLW and expect to see future "Need Ads." Yes, I do not mean "want ads." We "need" people to keep JRLW vibrant and to be able to continue to

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JULY DATES 2023

- 05 Wed – JWV Meeting
- 05 Wed – Hadassah Board
- 07 Fri – Shabbat Services 7:30 pm
- 08 Sat – Shabbat Services 9:15 am
- 10 Mon – JRLW Book Club 1:30 pm
- 11 Tue – JRLW BOARD 7:30 pm
- 17 Mon – Hadassah Study Group 1:30 pm
- 18 Tue – JRLW/JCC Movie 1:30 pm
- 30 Sun – JRLW Social Club with Pizza and Bingo

GOOD AND WELFARE

Al and Ruth Temin are delighted to announce the marriage of their grandson, Yaniv Block Temin to Noa Sommer Cohen, on May 12, in Israel. Yaniv is the Program Director for Tel Aviv University's

Center for Innovation. Noa is a Community Organizer for the Tel Aviv Municipality and on the side does set design for movies and plays.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to our June Grandparents Qvelling! Our next time for Grandparents Qvelling will be in December. Save your good thoughts about your wonderful grandchildren until then.

We welcome Betty Hecht as the newest member of our Megillah staff.

We wish Marcia Sirulnik a speedy recovery.



President's Message

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add new programs and event. My plan is, by next month's Megillah, to include a list of the volunteers and the services they provide.

Right now, we have an urgent need for a new Treasurer. We need someone, preferably more than one person, to take over the functions of Treasurer. If you can help, please contact Marsha at marshaberstein4@gmail.com for more details.

The functions include:

1) Someone who could enter all the checks into Quickbooks and deposit them into the bank.

We have a scanner that can be attached to a computer and all the checks go through that directly into the bank. No one needs to physically go to the bank to deposit checks. That person also needs to write checks to pay people and/or use Zelle to pay people.

2) Someone to manage the membership list for JRLW. This requires a minimal knowledge of Quickbooks.

3) Someone to pick up checks at the clubhouses when we have events like the monthly movies, and make a list on Excel.

In getting ready, mentally, for the High Holidays, a few words from Rabbi Sacks, of blessed memory, concerning The Courage to Admit Mistakes:

" In Tabernacle and Temple times, it was the day when the holiest man in Israel, the High Priest, made atonement, first for his own sins, then for the sins of his "house," then for the sins of all Israel. From the day the Temple was destroyed, we have had no High Priest nor the rites he performed, but we still have the day, and the ability to confess and pray for forgiveness. It is so much easier to admit your sins, failings and mistakes when other people are doing likewise. If a High Priest, or the other

members of our congregation, can admit to sins, so can we."

HADASSAH NEWS

Barbara Eisen

The Hadassah Judaic Studies Group is taking its summer break in June. It will resume its discussions on the third Monday in July, at 1:30 pm, via Zoom.

The Hadassah organization in Leisure World will take its summer break in July. It will resume its monthly meetings on the third Wednesday in August, at 2:00 pm, in Clubhouse I.

Elaine Schenberg and Jan Bloom sell Hadassah greeting cards. The price of cards is \$3 each for one to three cards and \$2.50 each for four or more cards. Call Elaine at 301-598-0079 or Jan at 301-593-7720 to buy cards. They will even send them for you, if you add postage costs to the regular fees.

Beverly Weinstein is chair of Hadassah's Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk project, which is currently accepting Ukrainian children into their youth villages in Israel. Consider a donation to this worthwhile project. Those who would like to contribute can send a check, payable to Hadassah, to Beverly Weinstein at 12524 Eastbourne Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20904. For questions, call her at 301-622-1613.

Hadassah encourages women of any faith to join as an annual or life member. Special associate memberships are available to men. If interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact Linda Epstein at 301-847-9650.



NOTICE: THE DEADLINE FOR THE AUGUST MEGILLAH IS JULY 10. ARTICLES SUBMITTED AFTER THAT DATE WILL APPEAR IN THE SEPTEMBER MEGILLAH.

MEGILLAH STAFF

Bernice Cohen – Editor
 Barbara Cronin
 Roz Rosenthal
 Sharon Freedman
 Betty Hecht
 Marcia Crystal – Food Editor
 Fred Shapiro- Business Mgr.

JRLW NEEDS

Oneg Kiddush Helper

1. Help set up the Oneg and/or Kiddush room once a month.
2. Help clean up after the Oneg and/or Kiddush once a month.
3. Every so often help with the purchase of Oneg/Kiddush supplies.
4. Contact Joel Kristal at Photospbj@gmail.com

Brunch Coordinator The process is:

Coordinator function: Tell Toby how many tables to set in the room, plus any audio visual and extra tables needed and tell Julia how many for food preparation the Tuesday before the event. The rest of the Brunch is handled as follows:

1. Joni and Karen contact and select the speaker for the dates.
2. Reserve the third Sunday of the month with Toby in Clubhouse I for the entire year except June, July and August.
3. Create the flyer or story for the Megillah and email to Bernice, Becky, Steve, Jonas, Marsha, Alan, Paul, Laura, Ray, Toby and Yovanka.
4. Yovanka will create the tickets.
5. Toby sells the tickets up to 200. She sends an Excel file to Coordinator and Steve Cohen.
6. Steve Cohen assigns seats.
7. Laura and helper give people seat assignments at the event.
8. Contact Lyle at lwolinsky@ymail.com for details.

Bender JCC Coordinator for Coming of Age

1. Be the contact person for Frieda Enoch and Lindsay Frankel, who manage the Coming of Age programs they bring to Leisure World.
2. Write the description of the movies they bring from September– June and get them to Jonas Weiss for the LW News and to the email coordinator.
3. Book the room based on the event time with the Lifestyle Office.
4. Create an article and/or flyer for the Megillah.
5. Arrange to have tickets printed for the movie and drop them off at the Lifestyle Office Clubhouse II.

6. On the day of the movie, be there to collect tickets and make any JRLW announcements.
7. If there are other events, such as an Ice Cream Social from the JCC, coordinate with Lifestyle about the location.
8. Be the point of contact for any other program that the Coming of Age brings to Leisure World, including the Health and Wellness Expo.
9. Contact Rebecca Siman at rmrsiman@gmail.com for details.

Webmaster

JRLW has a web page located at <http://www.jrlwmd.org/>. It holds a variety of JRLW information, such as newsletters, prayer books, officers, etc. It also has copies of activities flyers. Paul Eisenhour manages the page for JRLW. The JRLW Webmaster sends the flyers and changes to Paul. It is the responsibility of the Webmaster to monthly make sure the flyers and information are up to date. Committees with items to post are to send the information to the Webmaster, including updated board lists, digital Megillah copies and whatever else needs to be posted. If you wish to volunteer to become our Webmaster, contact Joel Kristal at Photospbj@gmail.com.

Program And Education Chair

1. Research speakers to create entertaining and educational programming.
2. Book the talent.
3. Check date availability with Bernice Cohen who keeps the calendar of all Leisure World Jewish organization events.
4. Secure a room with Lifestyle to hold the event.
5. Create articles for Megillah and LW News.
6. Create a flyer for the event and send to Webmaster for posting on the web and to the Facebook coordinator to post on Facebook.
7. Create the process for selling tickets, including price, printing , selling and collecting tickets.
8. Inform email coordinator about the event.
9. Keep a list of all scheduled events, contacts, room location etc.
10. Contact Rebecca Siman at rmrsiman@gmail.com for details.

CANTOR'S CORNER

Michael Kravitz



Okay, JEOPARDY! fans, I haven't started a column this year with a JEOPARDY! category, so I'm going to do that this month. The category is MOVIE ACTORS OF THE 1970s. Here's the answer. You come up with the question.

This singer, activist and actor portrayed a black Jewish angel-wannabe named Alexander Levine in the film adaptation of Bernard Malamud's short story "ANGEL LEVINE."

And the question – Who was HARRY BELAFONTE?

Yes, THAT Harry Belafonte.

Belafonte was no stranger to film acting. He had acted in "ISLAND IN THE SUN" in 1957 and "ODDS AGAINST TOMORROW" in 1959. But, he'd been away from film acting for about 10 years, and not only did Belafonte act in the film "THE ANGEL LEVINE," he also produced it.

Belafonte had some strong help in the cast. The protagonist, Manischewitz in Malamud's original short story, was now Morris Mishkin and was played by Zero Mostel. Mishkin's long-suffering wife Fanny was played by longtime stage actress Ida Kaminska. The family doctor was played by Milo O'Shea, and two minor roles, the delicatessen clerk and a customer in the store, were played by Eli Wallach and Anne Jackson, then husband and wife. The film made its theatrical debut on July 28, 1970, making it 53-years-old this month. It would not surprise me if some of you saw it in the theaters when it was first run. I had not. But I had read the Malamud short story. The story had first appeared in COMMENTARY magazine in 1955 and was later published in a collection of Malamud short stories called "THE MAGIC BARREL" that came out in 1958. That collection has been part of my library for decades.

The short story and film adaptation center around a Jewish couple, Manischewitz/Mishkin and his wife Fanny. The husband, a once-prosperous tailor, and his wife have fallen upon hard times. They live in a downtrodden part of New York City and are having trouble meeting their financial obligations. Fanny is very sick and her husband has back problems that keep him from working more than an hour or two

a day. Things seem hopeless, but in both the short story and movie, the angel-wannabe, Alexander Levine, appears, unannounced, in their apartment. Levine says he needs to produce a miracle within 24 hours in order to get his wings, and both the short story and movie take off from there. I recently watched the movie. It's very different than the short story, but if Malamud had had any objections to the big-screen adaptation, he never publicly voiced them. The short story and the movie are both readily available on the internet. Let me urge you to read the short story and watch the full movie, available on Youtube, and share your thoughts with me.

Be well and stay safe.

PROGRAM AND EDUCATION

Becky Siman

Wednesday, July 12, 1:30 pm – Clubhouse II Auditorium-Special Screening of the Documentary Film ALLIANCE and discussion with the director.

From the clutch of a tyrannical czar in 1882, to the sandy soils of southern New Jersey, forty-three Russian Jewish families escaped persecution to partake in a first-time social experiment—to form a cooperative agricultural-based community.

The documentary, ALLIANCE, tells this unique true story of family, immigration, connection and growth. This film looks at the foundational history of the Alliance Colony, the first successful Jewish farming community in the United States.

The program is free. Q&A afterwards in the Auditorium with Susan Kehnemui Donnelly, the Alliance Film Producer/Director and great-great granddaughter of one of the original settlers. The program will be followed by a reception with light refreshments in the Norbeck Room.

WE REMEMBER

Rose Soodak.

Ray Unger.

Dorothy E. Adelman.

Thelma Shuster.

Lian Port Arrow.



May Their Memory Be As A Blessing.

GLASS HALF FULL



Cantor Wendy Gonzales

Everyday life can be a challenge – some days good, some days not. Some days are filled with both! I often wonder what the motivation is when we focus on the negative. Are we unhappy and then trying to bring the feelings to others so we are not alone? OR are we happy and want to share the joy so all can elevate their feelings simultaneously?

I truly believe that no one intends to bring others to a negative place, but somehow we all know people who either inadvertently or possibly deliberately do that. I think about the beautiful marriage of lyric and song written by Burt Bacharach and Hal David, "What the World Needs Now." This song creates a sense of joy with the uplifting music that makes the lyrics build a sense of happiness. The reason the world needs love is because *"it's the only thing that we have too little of."* Are we responsible for contributing to bringing this joy to the world? Of course we are, if not us, then who?

I was observing the amazing Davening and Deli service we held in June. The volunteers were literally working like slaves to ensure we had a wonderful evening of prayer and community. They did a superb job! I wonder how many attendees personally went up to these amazing volunteers to thank them for their effort versus how many went up to them to complain. The glass half full contingent might say, "This evening was a long time coming, after a long pandemic and the challenges associated with the logistics. I need to let these volunteers know that I truly appreciate their effort in bringing us all together." The glass half empty contingent might suggest that the seating and catering could have been better and that various other logistics should have been considered. Only a handful of people volunteered to do the preparation, set up and clean up.

On a perfect day, nothing is perfect, but I strongly believe that we should appreciate all that we have and if we feel it could be better, then we are responsible for contributing to making it better. I can say that I deeply appreciate the effort for all the events JRLW and their amazing volunteers offer its community and as the lyric says:

*What the world needs now is love, sweet love
It's the only thing that there's just too little of
What the world needs now is love, sweet love
No, not just for some, oh, but just for every, every,
everyone!*

JEWISH WAR VETERANS

KRIEGER-LOUBE POST 567

Jerome Cohen

The Post's Memorial Day weekend poppy-flower sale fundraiser was a great success! Close to \$2,000.00 was collected. The proceeds will be distributed to organizations that help or house Veterans in need. Thank you to all the volunteers and members who pitched in and staffed the collection shifts.

No monthly meeting will be held in July. The next members' monthly business meeting will be on Wednesday, August 2, 2023, at 11 am via Zoom video and telephone conferencing. Former, current, and prospective members are invited to participate in these friendly and welcoming meetings. Zoom instructions will be provided separately to all members a day or two prior to the meeting.

Happy July birthday wishes to Post members Colin Alter, Louis Apple, Larry Barshay, Philip Goldberg, Steve Kline, Gerald Lake and Lawrence Marcus.

Jewish men and women who served honorably during war or peacetime in any branch of the U.S. Military, on active or reserve duty, as national guardsmen, or in the PHSCC or NOAA Corps are eligible to join the Post. All other men and women may apply for Patron membership.

For those who want additional information, have questions about membership, or wish to receive the Post's e-newsletter, contact Post Commander Jerome Cohen at 301-442-4942 or email at jeromeacohen67@outlook.com.

Donations to the Post are appreciated and may be made payable to "JWV 567" and mailed to Dottie Chanil, 3829 Glen Eagles Drive, Silver Spring, MD 20906.



HEBREW HEAVEN

Bernie Ascher ©

When the second wave of German Jewish immigrants arrived in the 1870s, Cincinnati was booming. It was the eighth largest city in the country with a population of 216,000, nearly double its population in the first wave.

During the first wave in the 1850s, Germans fled to the United States to escape economic hardship and political unrest, including the revolution in 1848. More than five million Germans came to the United States in the 1800s, the largest foreign language group at the time, according to the Library of Congress .

“[O]nly forty thousand Jews lived west of the Appalachian Mountains by 1850 and only 150,000 Jews lived in the entire United States by 1870, according to (ohiohistorycentral.org).

German farmers settled in the Midwest to work the land. Many of the Jewish immigrants worked as peddlers until they earned enough to open stores. By the 1850s, Jews owned the majority of clothing stores in Cincinnati, gaining the title of “the ready-made clothing capital of the West.”

In the early 1800s, the city received the nickname “Porkopolis” as it became the leading meat-processing center in the United States. Pigs marched through the streets on the way to the slaughterhouse. Germans later built 50 breweries and many saloons, mostly near the Miami-Erie Canal (a section known as “Over the Rhine”). Together, the breweries and saloons employed 30-40,000 locally.

Cincinnati is the birthplace of Reform Judaism in the United States. Rabbi Isaac Mayer Wise, who arrived from Bohemia in 1846, was instrumental in establishing Reform Judaism, including the Hebrew Union College (1875). It is the oldest existing Jewish seminary in the Americas. Over the years, the college opened additional branches in New York, Los Angeles and Jerusalem.

Due to declining enrollment and revenue, last year the college’s board of directors decided to close the Cincinnati campus by 2026. New York and Los Angeles will be the main seminaries for training rabbis, cantors, educators and communal workers in Reform Judaism.

Cincinnati immigrants also established a Jewish hospital and medical school in 1847-50, numerous charities, and the first association of American synagogues, the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, in 1873.

In 1885, Rabbi Dov Behr Abramson arrived from Lithuania. He changed his name to Dov Behr Manischewitz and founded the company that revolutionized the matzo business with mass production in 1888. His block-long factory was large enough to spell out his full last name in bold letters.

The 2019 Cincinnati Jewish Community Study estimated that there are approximately 48,200 Jewish adults and children living there. During its heyday, historian Henry Howe called Cincinnati “a sort of paradise for the Hebrews.”

JRLW WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS

Diane Chais Huserau
15000 Pennfield Circle, #407
Silver Spring MD 20906

Marilyn Silberglied
3200 N. Leisure World Blvd., #807
Silver Spring MD 20906

Jodi and Glenn Kessler
3310 N. Leisure World Blvd., #422
Silver Spring MD 20906

Judith Blate
15107 Interlachen Drive, #305
Silver Spring MD 20906



NEW LIFE MEMBERS

Maxine Lewack
3210 N. Leisure World Blvd., #409
Silver Spring MD 20906

Charlotte Lass
3310 N Leisure World Blvd, #726
Silver Spring MD 20906

We hope you enjoy everything that Jewish Residents of Leisure World has to offer!

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Suzy Klein

We hope you are having a delightful start to your summer, full of fun and lasting memories with family and friends. We are thankful that we have been able to provide Reform and Conservative services for our members and their guests during the last month and will continue to do so throughout the summer. As the High Holidays are approaching, please watch the Megillah for information on acquiring tickets for our members and their guests.

As a benefit to our members, we have a closed Facebook page. Additionally, we have a website available to all at www.jrlwmd.org. These communication vehicles, in addition to our monthly newsletter, the Megillah, serve as outstanding ways to be kept current on the countless events and programs that JRLW offers its members, perspective members and their guests.

Please do remember to introduce yourself to those whom you do not know when you are attending our services and other events. Also, please encourage those who are not members to join our organization. Have a wonderful July, keep safe and thank you for being a member of the Jewish Residents of Leisure World.

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Linda Nelson - lpnelson3@comcast.net - 301-922-1793

JRLW OFFICERS FOR 2023 – 2024

President - Joel Kristal

Administrative Vice President - Al Godley Davis

Ritual Vice President – Elyn Kaufman

Recording Secretary - Adele Ewing

Corresponding Secretary - Jonas Weiss

Treasurer - Marsha Bernstein

JRLW BOOK CLUB

Steve Cohen

The JRLW Book Club is happy to announce that we have a moderator for our July meeting. The club meets in the Clubhouse I Potomac Room. Here is the schedule:

JULY 10 1:30 pm-3:30 pm

GATEWAY TO THE MOON, by Mary Morris

MODERATOR: Catherine Thompson

NOTE NEW TIME FOR THE JULY MEETING



From award-winning novelist Mary Morris comes the remarkable story of a remote New Mexican town coming to grips with a dark history it never imagined.

SEPTEMBER 11 10:00 am-12 Noon

BUT HE WAS GOOD TO HIS MOTHER, by Robert Rockaway

MODERATOR: Joel Kristal

The lives and crimes of Jewish gangsters.



NOVEMBER 13 10:00 am – 12 Noon

LAST KINGS OF SHANGHAI, by Jonathan Kaufman

MODERATOR: Florence Kasden

The Last Kings of Shanghai is a history of the Sassoons and Kadoories, two powerful Jewish families who helped shape China.



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT STEVE COHEN AT 301-667-3099 OR STEVESCOHENJD@GMAIL.COM

TORAH and PRAYER BOOK FUNDS

Individuals can be honored and loved ones memorialized with a contribution to the JRLW Torah or Prayer Book Fund for a minimum donation of \$25.00.

PRAYER BOOK FUND

If you would like to make a donation in honor of or in memory of someone in a Reform prayer book, Conservative Prayer book or a Chumash (Bible), please stipulate which one in your request. Please send your requests to donate prayer books to Florence Kasden, 3100 Leisure World Boulevard, #610, Silver Spring MD 20906. Her phone number is 410-251-9382.



TORAH FUND

For contributions to the Torah Maintenance Fund, send your check, made out to JRLW, to Carol Wendkos, 14805 Pennfield Circle, #212, Silver Spring, MD 20906.



TZEDAKAH, KIDDUSH AND ONEG DONATIONS

For information about Tzedakah, Oneg or Kiddush donations, please call Susan Weiss at 301-460-6030. Checks should be made out to JRLW and mailed to Susan Weiss, 3739 Glen Eagles Drive, Silver Spring MD 20906.

Sandy and Stan Feinstein to Judy Lessin in memory of her husband, Larry Lessin.

Bernice Cohen in memory of her beloved son, Kurt Michael Friedman.

Yiskor donation by Miriam Dubner.

Yiskor donation by Bernice Cohen.

Yiskor donation by Jean and Harvey Berman in memory of their parents.

JULY 4th – INDEPENDENCE DAY FOR THE USA!

Ellyn Kaufman

Shalom dear friends,

As we celebrate America's birthday, we have so much to be grateful for living in Leisure World among friends and relatives. I am so grateful that many of my extended family live here (mother-in-law, two sisters-in-law, aunt-in-law and more!). I truly feel like life here, on "campus," has so many advantages that I told a friend over the weekend it's more like camp all year round for adults!

Last month, we celebrated with Davening and Deli for 120 people at Clubhouse II and what a fun evening it was! Our clergy, Rabbi Fink and Cantor Wendy, were at the top of their game and of course Shir Delight were full of "ruach" (spirit) as they welcomed Shabbat. I especially want to thank Marsha Bernstein (can Jews be a saint?), Ruth Ploff, Marty Kaufman, Anita Sperling, Jim and Sherri Lieberman, Alan and Linda Nelson, Susan Herzig and all the others who helped make this happen.

As with every month, Shabbat services will be held in the Activities Room of Clubhouse II the first Friday (July 7) and the second Saturday (July 8) this month. If you are able to assist with the onegs after services, please let me know - Anita Sperling needs help.

It's a great time to appreciate this beautiful landscape, Mother Nature and all that our surroundings offer. Wishing you a wonderful month ahead!

Kol tuv,

Ellyn Kaufman

RELIGIOUS SERVICES FOR JULY

On Friday, JULY 7, we will have Reform Shabbat Services, in Clubhouse II at 7:30 pm. The services will be conducted by Rabbi Gary Fink and Cantor Wendy Gonzales. Our Shir Delight Choir will perform. There will be an Oneg following Services.

There will be a Shabbat Service on Saturday, July 8, in Clubhouse II at 9:15 am. Cantor Mike Kravitz will conduct these services. There will be a Kiddush following services.



JRLW PIZZA BINGO PARTY

Fred Singer

The newly formed JRLW Social Activities Committee would like to announce its first group activity that will be open to ALL JRLW members. Our initial event is a Pizza & Bingo Party that will be held on Sunday, July 30, beginning at 5:30 pm in the Clubhouse II Activity Room. In addition to pizza and multiple games of bingo, we will also be including wine & beer, soft drinks & water, snack packs, veggies and dessert. All of this for the bargain price of only \$16 per person. Plus, we'll be holding a 50/50 raffle with one lucky winner. Please see the flyer in this Megillah for additional details and registration instructions.

We hope to see you at this fun event where you will be able to socialize with your fellow JRLW members, while simultaneously competing against them for "valuable" prizes.

The committee currently has a dozen people who are actively planning this event. We are just getting started. In the future, we plan to create other shared experiences and worthwhile connections for JRLW members. To do this, we need others to suggest future events and to volunteer to see these events through to fruition.

Many of you have planned or helped plan such events either as part of your mutual's activities or throughout your life experiences. Join us! To join, please contact Fred Springer via text at 301-213-5482. Provide your name and contact information.



DAVENING AND DELI

A SUCCESS!

On Friday, June 2, we gathered together for an evening of prayer, food and fun. More than 120 people attended our Davening and Deli event. This wonderful tradition was the brainchild of the late Phyllis Rand, assisted by Sharon Freedman. This special evening had been on hiatus for several years due to the Covid restrictions.

This year Davening and Deli was revived. Many thanks to Ellyn Kaufman and her helpers. Rabbi Fink led the prayers and a fun question and answer game. Cantor Wendy and our Shir Delight choir provided the music for the evening. Everyone who attended agreed that this was a very special celebration.

We look forward to having Davening and Deli again next year. See you there?



ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Subject: Oy Vey!

For several years, a man was having an affair with a Jewish woman. One night, she confided in him that she was pregnant. Not wanting to ruin his reputation or his marriage, he said he would pay her a large sum of money if she would go to Israel to secretly have the child.

If she stayed in Israel to raise the child, he would also provide child support until the child turned 18.

She agreed, but asked how he would know when the baby was born. To keep it discreet, he told her to simply mail him a post card, and write 'Lokshen' on the back. He would then arrange for the child support to begin.

One day, about 9 months later, he came home to his confused wife. "Honey", she said, "you received a very strange post card today." "Oh, just give it to me and I'll explain it later," he said. The wife obeyed and watched as her husband read the card, turned white, and fainted.

On the card was written: Lokshen, Lokshen, Lokshen One with kneidlach, two without. Send extra soup.

JRLW MEMBERSHIP

It's time to join OR renew your membership for **Fiscal Year May 1, 2023 – April 30, 2024**. Please fill out the form below so we can make sure your information is correct. Make your check payable to JRLW and mail it to:

MARSHA BERNSTEIN - JRLW
3210 N. Leisure World Blvd, # 921
Silver Spring, MD 20906-7605

_____ Individual (\$25) _____ Couples (\$45) _____ Life* _____ New Member

Name: _____

If all the information below is the same as last year, just put SAME

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

We ask for your email address so we can send you important and time-sensitive messages

If you have any questions or suggestions, or *if you would like to volunteer to help JRLW*, please contact Marsha Bernstein at 301-288-4678.

*LIFE MEMBER

You may also want to consider becoming a Life Member. Life Membership is a way of showing support and commitment to JRLW. It also means you do not have to pay your annual dues in the future. The chart below, based on age, shows the cost of Life Membership, **per person**.

<u>AGE</u>	<u>COST (per person)</u>
64 and under.....	\$375
65-69	\$300
70-74	\$285
75-79	\$225
80-84	\$175
85+	\$100

RECIPE CORNER

OVEN-BAKED HAWAIIAN CHICKEN

Marcia Crystal

1 8-oz can crushed pineapple in unsweetened juice

1/3 cup chili sauce

1/4 cup apricot preserves

2 tablespoons brown sugar

2 tablespoons soy sauce

1 teaspoon cornstarch

1 cut up whole chicken (about 3 1/2 pounds, skin removed or chicken thighs)

Preheat oven to 400° F. In a small bowl combine crushed pineapple with its juice, chili sauce, apricot preserves, brown sugar, soy sauce and cornstarch. Mix well.

Arrange chicken in roasting pan lined with foil. Spoon pineapple mixture over chicken. Bake 50 to 60 minutes, basting occasionally.



JEWISH RESIDENTS OF LEISURE WORLD

HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES ORDER FORM 2023

ROSH HASHANAH: September 15, 16 and 17, 2023

YOM KIPPUR: September 24 and 25, 2023

TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED AT CLUBHOUSE II **BETWEEN JULY 11 AND SEPTEMBER 8TH**

The Conservative Services will take place in the Auditorium of Clubhouse II

The Reform Services will take place in the Activities Room of Clubhouse II

*To purchase a ticket(s), fill out this form and bring it, together with your check,
payable to JRLW, to Clubhouse II Lifestyle Office.*

**If you are physically unable to get to Clubhouse II, please call
Ellyn Kaufman at 703-623-9249 or email her at: ellynsu@verizon.net**

**Indicate if you want tickets for the
Conservative Service _____ or Reform Service _____**

**Ticket prices for Services are: \$145 per ticket for Members
and \$165 per ticket for Non-Members.**

*List names of all ticket holders and indicate if they are a Member (M) or non-member (NM).
Include the phone number of the main person ordering tickets. If you have additional names,
write them on the back of this form.*

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JRLW

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When: Sunday, July 30, 2023; 5:30-8:00PM

Where: Clubhouse II Activities Room

Menu: Pizza, Wine & Beer, Soda & Water

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Cost: \$15 Per Person

Please RSVP by No Later Than July 19th

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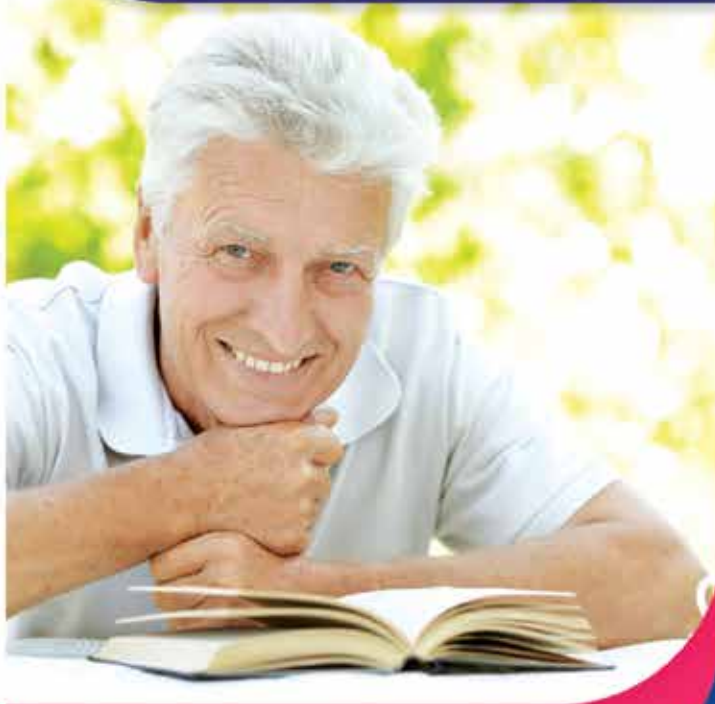


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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
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