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JOEL L. KRISTAL

FROM THE DESK OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Joel Kristal

JRLW can use your help! We are an organization of volunteers and, in several cases, only one person deep. If you can help with any of the committees described below, please send your name to our volunteer chairperson: Al Davis at Apgd@juno.com and he can direct you to the committee chairperson.

Shiva Committee: They respond to calls to bring Shiva prayer books to those in Leisure World sitting Shiva. We also need a few people who can lead a Shiva minyan. These calls are infrequent and happen only a few times a year. Books are stored in Clubhouse II. We are currently only one deep and can use a backup or two.

Membership Committee: If you enjoy meeting new people, this committee is for you. As JRLW identifies lantzmen, we ask that you contact them and welcome them to join JRLW or attend our services and events. If you see an unfamiliar face at services, invite them to the Oneg or Kiddush. Offer to share our schedule of events. Provide our brochure that has the application in it.

Advertising Committee: Someone with basic

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MARCH DATES 2023

- 01 Wed – Hadassah Board Meeting 7 pm on Zoom
- 01 Wed – JWV Meeting on Zoom
- 03 Fri – Shabbat Service CH II 7:30 pm
- 05 Sun – Sunflower Bakery Order Pickup 10:30 to 11:30 am
- 07 Tue – Purim Service CH II 10 am
- 07 Tue – JRLW Board Meeting 7:30 pm
- 11 Sat – SHABBAT Service CH II 9:15 am
- 13 Mon – JRLW Book Club, CH I 11 am
- 14 Tue – JRLW/JCC Movie
- 15 Wed – Hadassah Program, “Decluttering.”
- 19 Sun – JRLW Brunch CH I 10 am
- 20 Mon – Hadassah Study Group 1:30 pm on Zoom

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

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Silver Spring MD 20906



Vice President's Message

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computer skills to keep track of our advertisers, billings, payments and contract due dates. Ideally someone willing to seek new advertisers, but it does not have to be the same person.

Programming: The Chairperson, Becky Siman, can always use a few extra people to help her with the many JRLW programs. She also needs one person who can help her coordinate with the JCC.

We are always in need of technical support people. If you have knowledge of computer set up and taping of events, please let Al Davis know about it.

Sunday Brunch: We need people to help with the Sunday brunch. If you are interested in helping, contact Lyle Wolinsky.

General Help: We always need people to help set up for events.

Last, but not least: It is time again to start elections for the JRLW officers. The elected positions are President, Administrative Vice President, Recording Secretary,

Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer. If you are interested, please let Lyle Wolinsky know.

Be sure to check our schedule of upcoming events. As an aside, the Chabad of Olney is sponsoring a Purim Carnival. For details visit: Purim at the Circus - JewishOlney.com.

As has been my habit, I'd like to share a few words from Rabbi Sachs, of blessed memory. I've taken the liberty to truncate the portion and hope his words remind you someone.

"...today, despite brain-scans and neuroscience, we are still not able to predict what people will do. Often, they take us by surprise."

"The reason is that we are free. We choose, we make mistakes, we learn, we change, we grow. The failure at school becomes the winner of a Nobel Prize. Some of the most successful people I

ever met were written off by their teachers at school and told they would never amount to anything. We constantly defy predictions. This is something science has not yet explained and perhaps never will. Some believe freedom is an illusion. But it isn't. It's what makes us human."

Shalom

MEMBERSHIP

WHY YOU BELONG TO JRLW!

You belong to Jewish Residents of Leisure World because you will belong to an organization of more than 700 members, one of the largest organizations in Leisure World. You belong to JRLW because you can attend religious services right here in Leisure World. You belong to JRLW because you can attend our fabulous brunches, complete with entertainment and speakers. You belong to JRLW because you can take part in educational programs presented by JRLW/JCC. You belong to JRLW because you can meet other Jewish people living here in Leisure World. You belong to JRLW because you can join our JRLW book club. You belong to JRLW because you will be part of a support group for all Jewish people living here in Leisure World.

By being a member of JRLW, you may be asked to join a committee. You may be asked to be part of a shiva minyan, if needed. You may be asked to take part in our religious services.

Help us make Jewish Residents of Leisure World a bit more wonderful! Remember to introduce yourself to those who you do not know when you are attending our services and other events. Please encourage your Jewish friends, who are not members, to join our organization.

Thank you

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**NOTICE: THE DEADLINE FOR THE
APRIL MEGILLAH IS MARCH 10.
ARTICLES SUBMITTED AFTER THAT
DATE WILL APPEAR IN THE MAY 2023
MEGILLAH.**

MEGILLAH STAFF

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POLIO VACCINES

Part 3 of 4

Bernie Ascher©

Cooperation on health and science between the United States and the Soviet Union took place during the height of the Cold War. In early 1956, the U.S. State Department allowed Soviet immunologists to visit Salk's lab in Pittsburgh and Sabin's lab in Cincinnati to see and discuss progress made in developing a polio vaccine.

"This cooperation had the blessing of both the FBI and the State Department, despite warnings from the Department of Defense that the materials and research involved could be used in making biological weapons," according to the National Library of Medicine (NLM). The United States did not always grant scientists' requests for foreign travel. As NLM reported, "600 passport applications were rejected on political grounds in the 1950s up until 1958... Sabin's relative freedom in travelling, therefore, was not entirely typical of his time."

Sabin visited the Soviet Union in June 1956. He needed a field test of his vaccine outside the U.S., partly because the U.S. conducted extensive tests for Salk's vaccine, before its approval in 1955. A subsequent manufacturing mishap at Cutter Laboratories had caused numerous deaths of American children.

Sabin found that he worked well with the Russian scientists (particularly Mikhail Chumakov and Anatoly Alexandrovich Smorodintsev). By the end of 1959, the Soviets had administered tests by medicine drops or wrapped candy to 15 million people. By July 1960, the USSR vaccinated 77 million people (ages 2 months to 20 years), according to the British Medical Journal.

In 1961, the United States approved Sabin's weakened (attenuated) live vaccine, which then replaced the Salk vaccine. Sabin contended that the oral vaccine was easier and cheaper to administer and was longer lasting than Salk's injected vaccine. Other Communist countries adopted and administered the vaccine. Cuba inoculated the entire population of children in one day to avoid refrigeration problems.

Sabin continued to work internationally on eradication of polio, largely in the Western Hemisphere with the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) and particularly with Brazil. He served as President of the Weizmann Institute in Israel from 1970 to 1972, one of the world's leading multidisciplinary basic research institutions in science, located in Rehovot, Israel, south of Tel Aviv. Sabin stepped down before the end of his 5-year term because he needed open-heart surgery.

In 1983, he was working on a spray vaccine for measles and experienced paralysis---ironic for a scientist who developed a polio vaccine to prevent pain and paralysis. It was a case of polyneuritis, which gave him great pain and made him unable to walk for about two years.

Sabin, who became a naturalized US citizen in 1930, married his first wife, Sylvia, in 1935. They had two daughters. After Sylvia died in 1966, he married Jane Warner in 1967, divorced her in 1971, and at age 66, in 1972, he married Brazilian-born Heloisa Dunshee de Abranches, who gave him solid support in his work and helped to found the Sabin Vaccine Institute in Washington, DC in 1991.

Series concludes in Part 4.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES FOR MARCH

On Friday, March 3, we will have evening Shabbat Services in Clubhouse II at 7:30 pm. These services will be conducted by Rabbi Gary Fink. Cantor Wendy Gonzales and our Shir Delight will perform. There will be an Oneg following Services.

We will have a very special Purim Service on Tuesday, March 7, at 10 am, in Clubhouse I. There will be a Purim Spiel by our Shir Delight. Have your costume ready.

There will be a Conservative Shabbat Service on Saturday, March 11, in Clubhouse II at 9:15 am. Cantor Mike Kravitz will conduct these services. There will be a Kiddush following services.

MASKS ARE STRONGLY REQUESTED AT ALL SERVICES.

PURIM IS COMING!

Cantor Michael Kravitz

If you've looked at your Jewish calendar, you know that the Fast of Esther and the reading of the Megillah will take place on March 6. Purim is one of our most joyous holidays, and there are lots of songs for Purim that are worth knowing. Three of my favorites, one in Hebrew, one in Yiddish and one in English, are CHAG PURIM, HOP MEINE HAMENTASCHEN and A WICKED, WICKED MAN. If you would like to refresh your memories of these songs so that you can sing them with your grandchildren/great-grandchildren, there are some wonderful versions readily available to you on the Internet. For those whose Yiddish is challenged, there is a wonderful version by Joanie Calem of HOP MEINE HAMENTASCHEN that is sung mostly in English and has a commentary in English that makes the story line easy to understand.

But there is a fourth song, in Hebrew, that I learned in Hebrew school decades ago. I thought of it earlier this year, and I didn't remember that it was a song for Purim. It is, but its message goes far beyond the boundaries of Purim. It is really a song about survival and dealing with enemies who have sought to destroy us. The song is called UTSU EITZAH V'TUFAR. It's a Chassidic song with very few words and a very catchy melody. You can find some nice versions of this song on the Internet as well. UTSU EITZAH V'TUFAR. DABRU DAVAR V'LO YAKUM, KI IMANU EIL. The words loosely translate to "They have devised schemes, but they have been foiled; they have made declarations (against us), but they will not be fulfilled because God is with us."

The words were certainly true centuries ago in Shushan, but the schemes are not limited to ancient times. As I am writing this column, recent news stories in this area have dealt with desecration of synagogues and a Jewish man viciously attacked at a GIANT food store in Gaithersburg. We are no longer dealing with long ago and far away.

We have been reminded regularly in the JRLW MEGILLAH that if any of us sees anything of an anti-Semitic nature, we need to report it immediately. Perhaps this year, that message is more acute than ever. So, CHAG SAMEACH to everyone and let's

remember that all of us need to do our part to foil the schemes of those who would try to destroy us.

Be well. Stay safe.

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.

KIDDUSH

Kiddush donation by Inge Guttman in memory of her dear relatives.

TZEDAKAH

Joan and Harvey Berman with thanks to JRLW for winning the January Brunch Raffle.

Susan and Jonas Weiss congratulate Rabbi Moshe Samber on his recent milestone birthday.

Irma Lazaroff in memory of her beloved husband, Howard Herzig.

Shirley Light in memory of Howard Herzig.

Ellis Schlossenberg in memory of his mother, Mildred Schlossenberg.

Ellis Schlossenberg in memory of his wife, Anne Schlossenberg.

Ellis Schlossenberg and Robin Lange to Rabbi Gary Fink in memory of his father, Leon Harold Fink.

Fred Firnbacher in memory of his father, Maier Firnbacher's yahrzeit.

Jo Ann Cadeaux in memory of Elaine Doces.



WE REMEMBER

Helen Solomon.

May Their Memory Be As A Blessing.

HADASSAH NEWS

Barbara Eisen

Everyone is welcome to attend our "Accessory and White Elephant Sale" to be held on March 15 in Clubhouse I. Note that the sale starts at 1:30 pm for shopping. Downsizing and decluttering are on everyone's to do list, but who can resist that special piece of jewelry, a new handbag or that special item for a family member. There is a \$5 entrance fee payable at the door by cash or a check payable to Hadassah. The \$5 fee can be credited to any purchase. All monies raised go directly to Hadassah medical research.

The program with the speaker will start at 2 pm, leaving plenty of time after the program to continue shopping. Our speaker, Corliss Wood, is a professional organizer and the owner of Clutter Corrections. She works with seniors who want to age in place. She also helps those that find it necessary to move. She has developed methods to tackle the most challenging decluttering projects. For questions, call Sandy Stein at 301-384-8739. Refreshments will be served.

On Monday afternoon, March 20, at 1:30 pm, on Zoom, Judaic Studies will continue the celebration of Israel's 75th anniversary year with a discussion of articles from "Hadassah Magazine." Please read in the November/December issue: "Sight for Sore Eyes: Hadassah's Cornea Clinic" and January/February "Together in Israel" and "Powerful Women." Participants are encouraged to comment on articles that they find of special interest. Shari Goldstein and Naomi Kline will moderate this session. This program is free. The presentation will be via Zoom. Hadassah members will receive an emailed notice with a link to access the program. Others may send an email to [Marilyn Jordan at mjordan2262@comcast.net](mailto:Marilyn.Jordan@mjordan2262@comcast.net) to get the link.

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.

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.



PURIM – or – How Do You Build a Holiday Around Social Action??

Cantor Wendy Gonzales
cantorwendyg@gmail.com



Purim will be celebrated this year at sundown on Monday, March 6, through sundown on Tuesday, March 7, 2023. Rabbi Fink, Shir Delight and I hope you will attend the JRLW Purim Service which will be held in the CRYSTAL BALLROOM in CLUBHOUSE I on Tuesday morning, March 7, at 10:00 am. (I know we are used to services being held in the Activities Room in Clubhouse II – but this is a change from the usual location for Purim!) We are hoping to see all of you – ideally in costume with grogger in hand – ready for the reading of the megillah and our very delightful and entertaining Motown Purim Shpiel!!

As we look forward to Purim, I am proud of how our religion uses both history and analysis(es) that encourages (in this case) how to stand up for ourselves and others to bring forth positive change. It takes courage and “a village” to come to action and value ourselves enough to stand up for your beliefs AND survival. The main characters in Purim are characters that we can compare to many real-life situations to this day – both the “villains” and the heroes – or antagonists/protagonists. The heroes require the strength of the many to successfully bring forth necessary change. They also build awareness of their cause and hope they can motivate others to see beyond the typical everyday routine to allow an opportunity to better the world for all.

Vashti, in the modern assessment, would not compromise her beliefs to be used as a shallow figure who was there to please King Ahasuerus and took a personal stand. Esther knew that she could not keep her religion a secret. She felt that she, as well, would not clandestinely acknowledge her Judaism – and therefore helped the King to “evolve” into having a community that accepts (in this case) the Jewish people and punishes those that espouse hate as Haman and his followers did.

We can literally look through history, both Judaic and in the greater picture, and see this story and the heroes/heroines who inspired others to look at their biased views and open their minds and hearts to embracing necessary change and appreciating

differences that enhance our world rather than profess the disturbing views that could harm it. (That was a long sentence – but I hope you can follow the thought...) So, “I truly love Purim,” is not just a look back at what happened but also an inspiration for us, when we think that times are so troubled that it won’t improve, and realize that we can all be a part of positive change and should never give up on your ideals! Utsu etza v’tu-far, dab-ru da-va v’lo ya-kum –ki Emanuel! One may scheme and plot against us, but to no avail, for G-d is with us!

I hope to see you at our next Erev Shabbat service, on Friday evening, March 3, 2023, at 7:30 pm, in the Activities Room in Clubhouse II (our usual meeting place for Erev Shabbat) – we will be getting everyone in the mood for Purim and may even have a little “tease” for the Motown Purim Shpiel for your enjoyment!!

JEWISH WAR VETERANS

KRIEGER-LOUBE POST 567

Jerome “Jerry” Cohen

The next members’ monthly business meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 1, 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.

March birthday wishes to Post members Dottie Chanil and Jeffrey Greenhut.

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 Jerry Cohen at 301-442-4942 or 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.



PROGRAM AND EDUCATION

Program and Education Happenings for March

Becky Siman

A big Todah Rabah to Debbi Gann for arranging for Marvin Kalb to speak via Zoom and to Judi Broida for arranging for Dr. Berverley Eddy to speak about the Ritchie Boys. I hope you took advantage of the opportunity to these speakers.

March 5, Sunflower Bakery Purim Goodies Pick Up, in front of Clubhouse II 10:30 – 11:30 am.

You don't have to bake this Purim, order from Sunflower Bakery. JRLW has once again arranged with Sunflower Bakery to have Purim hamantaschen, cookies, and challah orders delivered to Clubhouse II. On line ordering details are included in each email, or you can go to <https://www.sunflowerbakery.org/shop/purim/>. However, if you cannot order on line, call them at 240 361-3698 to place an order. The deadline for ordering is February 27, at noon. Copies of the menu are available in the JRLW slot in the Clubhouse I LifeStyle Office.

If you purchase on line, at the "Check Out Page," be sure to select "Purim Pickup Locations" and look for March 5, and click on Leisure World. It is a mitzvah to order from Sunflower Bakery as they are dedicated to providing skilled job training and employment opportunities in the baking and hospitality industries for adults over 18 with learning differences. Sunflower Bakery is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. All proceeds go to Sunflower for the good work they are doing in the community. Best of all the bakery items taste great.

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to the movie to see how this turns out for women. This documentary film is 75 minutes, in Hebrew with English subtitles. Tickets will be available at Clubhouse II LifeStyle Office on Tuesday, Feb 21 – Monday, March 13. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Both by check only made out to JRLW.

RITUAL COMMITTEE

Ellyn Kaufman

Shalom Friends and welcome to the happiest month of the year!

The holiday of Purim is this month (Adar 15 this year correlates to March 6 and 7th, 2023). My favorite holiday - what's not to love? We dress up in costumes, eat lots of Hamantaschen, give out goody bags to friends, we are encouraged to drink "adult drinks" and we party!

We remember this Jewish holiday as a time that commemorates the saving of the Jewish people from (boo) Haman. Queen Vashti, perhaps one of the first free-thinking woman of her time, refused to attend the King's drunken festivities in her birthday suit and she was banished from the Persian kingdom. Esther, a Jewish beautiful lady, was chosen to be the new Queen to King Ahashverus. Her Uncle Mordechai was watching out for her and helped her realize that (boo) Haman was attempting to annihilate the Jews. For the rest of the story, please join us as we celebrate Purim with Cantor Wendy Gonzales and Rabbi Gary Fink in Clubhouse I at 10:00 am March 7.

Come in costume or Come as You Are! (No birthday suits, please!) What is your favorite filling for hamantaschen? Mine is "mun" (poppyseed with raisins, nuts and jelly mixture), the kind my Bubby Zelda used to make. Have you made your hamantaschen yet this year?

Happy Purim to you and your family!

Ellyn Becker Kaufman
Ritual Chair, JRLW

OH MY! A Purim Spiel

In the spirit of fun on Purim, I present the following article of real/maybe real/fake news.

On Friday, the Washington Post printed an article on the front page stating, "For the first time scientists have grown an embryo that is part-pig, part-human." (This part is real.) Now, when the science academia publishes a new undertaking for lay persons like us, you can be sure that the theory has become fact.

This means that in the future, it will be theoretically possible to produce an actual pig-person! **Oh My!** This raises several questions in my view.

First, if an adult pig-person wants to marry a Jewish person, would he/she be accepted into the family? **Oh My!** Or would the pig-person be shunned as being traif?

How would this affect our time-honored tradition of eating Chinese on Christmas day? Much Chinese

food has some pork in it. Would eating this food chance eating a relative of a pig-person? Would this be a form of cannibalism? **Oh My!**

Suppose this pig-person grows up to be an airline pilot? This would give new meaning to that old saying, "When pigs fly!" **Oh My!**

When you admonish your grandchild that her room looks like a pig sty, is it now a relative compliment? **Oh My!**

Shall we add a fifth question at the Passover Seder: "Why is this person different from all other persons?" **Oh My!**

And, finally, take a good look at all of your friends. Does one of them have a snooty appearance, thinking himself better, smarter than everyone else? Better look for other pig-like features. That friend may be a pig-person! **Oh My!**

RECIPE CORNER

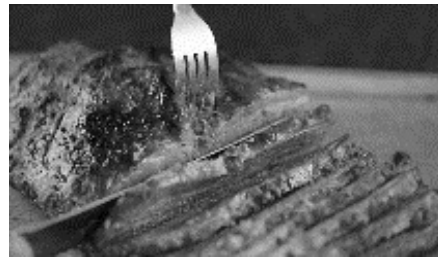
BRISKET

Sandy Marcus

Ingredients:

- 1 3-lb. brisket
- 1 packet Lipton onion soup mix
- 1 can vegetarian vegetable soup

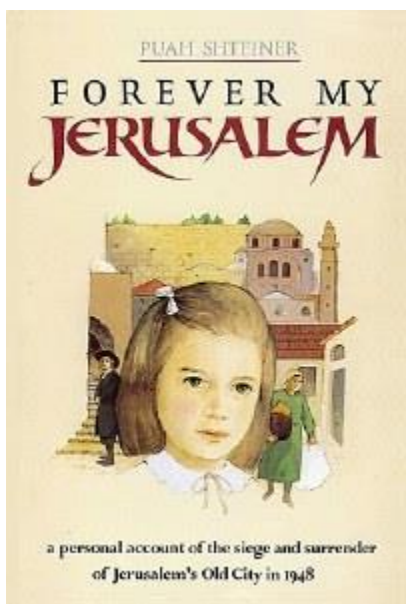
Place brisket in pan. Add onion soup mix across top of meat. Add the can of vegetable soup. Add a little water. Cover with aluminum foil. Place in 350° oven. Cook for 1 ½ hour or until tender. Remove from oven and allow to cool. When completely cool, slice the meat. Place back in oven. Spoon the liquid over the brisket. Cover with foil and bake for ½ to 1 hour. Serve warm.



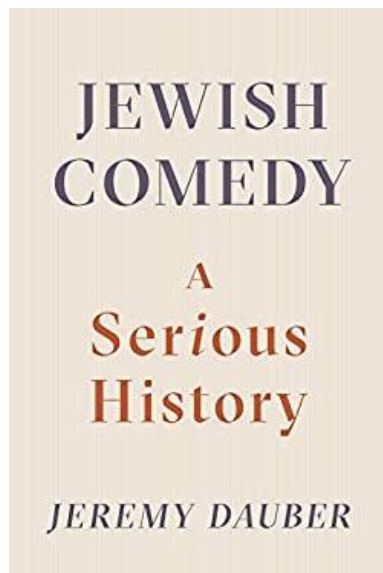
JEWISH RESIDENTS OF LEISURE WORLD BOOK GROUP
by Steve Cohen

On January 16, 2023 the JRLW held its first book club meeting. There was lively discussion about the selected book, *The Jewish Pirates of the Caribbean*. The discussion was led by Steve Cohen. The meeting was well-attended and we are building on this success.

I have scheduled another book club meeting on **March 13 at 11 am** in the Potomac Room in Clubhouse I. I am looking for a moderator for future dates. Please Contact Steve Cohen at 301-667-3099 or stevecohenjd@gmail.com if you are interested in presenting your favorite book.



Shelley Cohen has agreed to be the moderator on **March 13**. The selected book is "**FOREVER MY JERUSALEM**" by Puah Shtainer, which describes the dramatic personal account of the siege and surrender of Jerusalem's Old City in 1948. **Meeting is 11 a.m. in the Potomac Room.**



On May 8 Dr. Naomi Platt will moderate the book, "**JEWISH COMEDY- -A SERIOUS HISTORY**" by Jeremy Dauber. We will learn what Jewish comedy is, how it developed, and how its various strands weave together in conversation with the Jewish story. **Meeting is 11 a.m. in the Potomac Room.**



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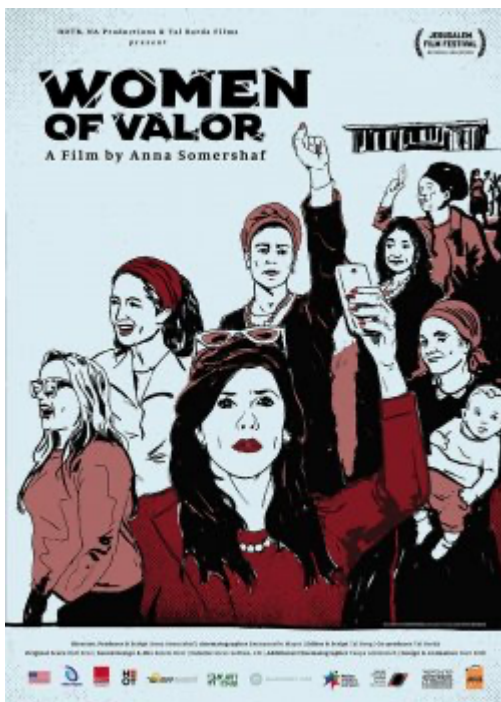


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JRLW Sunday Brunch

March 19 at 10:00am

Combating Antisemitism in the DMV

Speaker: Ron Haber

Executive Director JCRC of Greater Washington

Crystal Ballroom, Clubhouse 1

Includes full Sunday food buffet:

Member's price is \$21.00 per person.

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Pay by check only at E&R Lifestyle office:

Tickets are available for purchase.

February 21 to March 13 at Club House I.

We will place you at a reserved seat. If there are members with whom you would like to sit (tables of ten), please list them. All seats must be paid at the time of purchase to reserve a table or partial table. Only checks accepted for payment. No refunds on tickets.

My name is:

My phone number is:

Email address:

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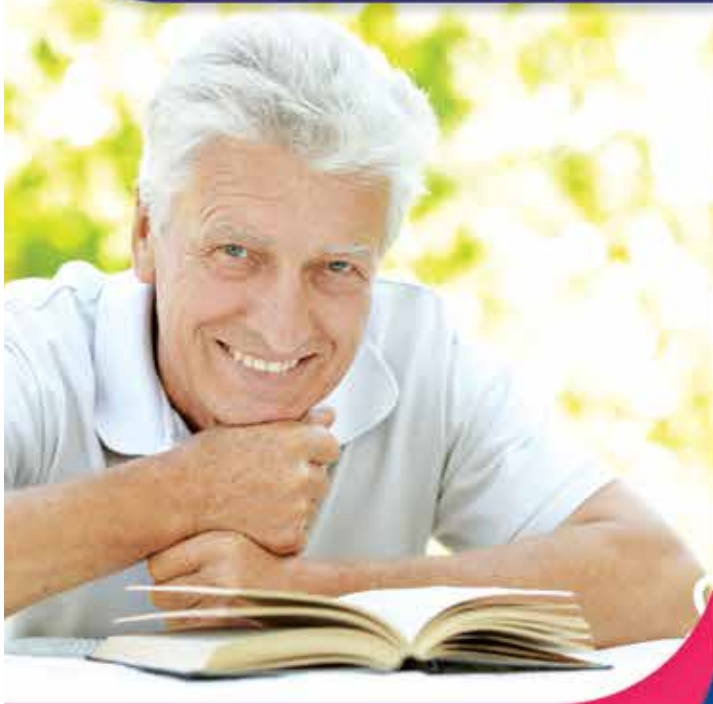
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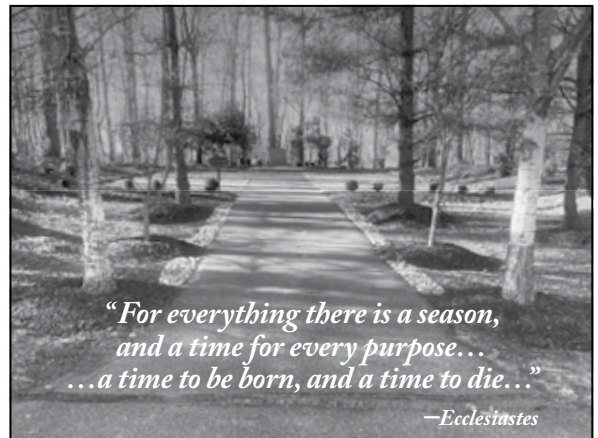
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