

## JRLW A

## MEGILLAH

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JOEL L. KRISTAL

### FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

I usually let religious themed columns be written by our wonderful clergy but this month I choose to share a few of my own thoughts regarding our upcoming holidays.

I am reminded of a passage in our Passover Haggadah, "In every generation they have risen against us". With that, comes the thought of our next holiday, Tisha B'Av, the ninth of Av. This year being mourned on August 12-13. I look around and see a world almost totally united against Israel. I see throngs of college educated students shouting "We are Hamas" and "from the River to the Sea" meaning they not only want to see every Jew in Israel murdered but they want to see ALL Jews murdered. Why does this remind me of Tisha B'Av. Today, there is potential for new calamities Here are a few calamities which have befallen our brethren in the past on Tisha B'Av. The list is a very short sample.

The <u>First Temple was burned in 423 BCE and the Second Temple 70 CE</u>. In 133 CE, the Bar Kochba revolt against the Romans ended. Thousands of Jews were butchered and the Temple Mount was

### **AUGUST DATES**

01 Thu – Olney Theater 7:30 pm Beautiful

02 Fri - Shabbat Service CH II 7:30 pm

06 Tue - JRLW Board 7:30 pm

07 Wed - Hadassah Board

08 Thu - Holiday Greeting Card Making CH II 2 pm

10 Sat - Shabbat Service CH II 9:15 am

13 Tue - Tisha B'Av

18 Sun - MEET & GREET CH I 2 pm

19 Mon - Hadassah Study Group CH I 2 pm

21 Wed - Golf Outing 10:30 am

21 Wed - Hadassah Game Day CH I 1 pm

### RELIGIOUS SERVICES FOR AUGUST 2024

On Friday, August 2, 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 Conservative Shabbat Service on Saturday, August 10, in Clubhouse II at 9:15 am. The Torah portion will be Devarim. Cantor Mike Kravitz will conduct these services. There will be a Kiddush afterwards.



#### President's Message

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plowed under. In 1290 Jews were expelled from England and in 1492 from Spain. In more modern times, the Final Solution was decreed the day before Tisha B'Av 1941, and the cattle cars left Warsaw, the largest ghetto with 400,000 Jews, on Tisha B'Av 1942.

What can we do? We need to write our politicians and tell them we expect <u>law breaking protesters</u> to be punished to the full extent of the law. We need to tell our politicians that Israel must have their full support, without conditions. We need to let our alma maters know we expect Jewish students to be safe on campus and not harassed.

Soon, we will be celebrating Rosh Hoshana and Yom Kippur. A time to celebrate the New Year, atone for our sins, and pray to be entered into the Book of Life. A time to pray that all the Hostages will be released. A time for hope! Great nations have come and gone but we, the Jewish people, have survived. We need to put aside our differences, be they religious or political, and remember we are all Jews and we need to support our fellow Jews completely.

As always, a few words from Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sacks:

"Optimism and hope are not the same. Optimism is the belief that the world is changing for the better; hope is the belief that, together, we can make the world better. Optimism is a passive virtue, hope an active one. It needs no courage to be an optimist, but it takes a great deal of courage to hope. The Hebrew Bible is not an optimistic book. It is, however, one of the great literatures of hope."

### JRLW OFFICERS

PRESIDENT – Joel Kristal

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

"If we want to fight antisemitism, let us walk tall and proud as Jews, and let us work with all humanity to banish hatred forever."

"As I go around Israel I see a country that has taken every curse thrown against it and turned it into a blessing, by leading the fight against terror, by becoming world experts in treating post-traumatic stress disorder, by bringing disaster relief wherever it's needed. I see a country and a people that have shown the world what it is to choose life."

Shalom

### COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

Prior to Covid, in our JRLW newsletter, we had a column titled, "COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD."

In this column, we highlight events of local synagogues that would be of interest to our members.

We are restarting that column. If you or your local synagogue would like to post any of their events, please send that information to me at bernicecohen1@amail.com.

Thank you in advance for your synagogue information.

### **GOOD AND WELFARE**

We send wishes for a speedy recovery to Shirley Light. Unfortunately, Shirley fell and broke a hip.

Congratulations to Rhona Bosin for having a photo she took hung in Clubhouse I!



We send healing messages to Bert Crystal

#### **MEGILLAH STAFF**

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

### SAVING CARNEGIE HALL PART 1 OF 2

Bernie Ascher ©

On a honeymoon cruise to Scotland in 1887, Andrew Carnegie and his new wife, Louise, met Walter Damrosch—conductor of the Symphony Society of New York and the Oratorio Society, who was also on his way to Europe. Louise sang with the Oratorio Society. During the voyage, Damrosch asked Carnegie to create a new home for music in New York City.

Construction of the Music Hall, mostly financed personally by Carnegie, took less than one year at a cost of \$1.1 million (about \$34.5 million in today's money). Louise Carnegie cemented the cornerstone at a ceremony on May 13, 1890. The opening program on May 5, 1891 featured famed composer Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, who conducted some of his own works. The Music Hall was renamed Carnegie Hall in 1894.

Louise Carnegie owned Carnegie Hall for six years following her husband's death in 1919. In 1924, New York officially named the Hall "Carnegie." In 1925, she sold it to real estate developer Robert Simon Sr. on the condition that it remain standing until a "more suitable concert hall is built." In 1955, plans surfaced for developing Lincoln Square, including a new concert hall. Thus, Carnegie Hall's future was in jeopardy.

For years, world-renowned musical artists performed at Carnegie Hall. However, in the 1950s, it was deteriorating and real estate companies scheduled it for demolition to make way for a 44-story building. Isaac Stern, the famous violinist was aghast!

Stern made his Carnegie Hall debut in 1943 and performed there more than 200 times, according to New York Jewish Week. He was an immigrant, the son of Solomon and Clara Stern, born on the shifting border between Poland and Ukraine on July 21, 1920 (Kremenets, Poland, now Ukraine). As a 14-month infant, his parents brought him to the U.S., where they settled in San Francisco. He

studied music, loved it, and made it his career.

According to various articles in New York newspapers, particularly the Times and the Herald-Tribune, Stern married three times. His first marriage, in 1948 to ballerina Nora Kaye, ended in divorce after 18 months, but the two of them remained friends. In 1951, he married Vera Lindenblit. They had three children together, including two boys, Michael and David, who both became conductors, and a daughter, Shira, who became one of the first female rabbis in the USA. Stern's second marriage ended in divorce in 1994 after 43 years. In 1996, Stern married his third wife, Linda Reynolds.

He saw the potential loss of Carnegie Hall as a great cultural tragedy for New York City and for the world of music. Was there anything a young violinist could do to save Carnegie Hall?

### JRLW BRUNCHES ARE BACK!

Stanley Feinstein

Our 2024-25 JRLW brunch schedule will kick off in high style on Sunday, September 15, 2024, with a highlight performance by long-time favorite Daryl Davis. His presentation is titled "Oldies but Goodies, with an emphasis on songs written by, made popular by, or produced by Jewish people in the music industry."

Tickets will be available at the Clubhouse I, Lifestyle Office from August 20 through September 9. The brunch, which is open to JRLW members only, costs \$25.00 per person. Please note the change in ticket prices due to the increase in catering costs. Tables may be reserved for up to 10 people. Payment is by check only, made out to JRLW.



### CANTOR'S CORNER

Michael Kravitz



About this time each year, I think back to a meeting I had with a group of people at a private home in the Bannockburn subdivision of Bethesda. The meeting took place

in August, 1968. I didn't know it at the time, but the outcome of that meeting would have a lasting effect on my Jewish activities over the next 56 years. Most of you don't know this story, so I'm going to share it in this month's column.

In the spring of 1968, I was a junior at the American University in Washington, D.C. I was working toward a degree in Government and Public Administration with plans to attend Law School once I graduated. I helped conduct Shabbat and High Holy Days services for the Hillel group on campus, and it was there that I made friends with a graduate student in Sociology. His mentor had a son who attended the Bethesda Chevy-Chase Jewish Community Group Sunday School. The group was not affiliated with any congregation, and it held classes on Sunday mornings at the Hebrew Academy on 16h Street in Northwest Washington. One day this friend mentioned that there was an open position for a 7th grade teacher in the fall, and he thought I would be perfect for the job. I told him that I had no teaching credentials. I was knowledgeable in traditional Jewish services, could sing, could read Torah and Haftarah portions and had a pretty good knowledge of Jewish history, but no teaching certificate of any kind. I had always figured I would be a learned layman at a conservative congregation somewhere but nothing more. He looked at me and said, "Would you at least meet with the Board? What do you have to lose?" The answer, of course, was that I had nothing to lose, so I said that I would call the Sunday School Director and followed through with the meeting.

The meeting went well. I explained my background and then the questions began. The school's Director showed me the textbooks that they used in the seventh grade, and I was given the chance to

look them over. I thought the materials were good and said that I could use them. They asked if I was comfortable with reading Hebrew and could I teach their students to read. I said "yes." They asked if I could teach Jewish history. I again answered "yes." They said that the young man who had been teaching the bar mitzvah students was heading off to college, and they needed someone who could work with bar mitzvah pupils. Could I work with students to prepare them for a bar mitzvah service that would be conducted by a local rabbi? As luck would have it, I was working with a bar mitzvah pupil who had been unsuccessful working with two other teachers. So once again I said "yes." They offered me the job and I accepted. And it was at a salary that was 3 times what I was earning at my other jobs.

The first class met on Sunday, September 8. I prepared for that first class and got to the Hebrew Academy a few minutes early. What happened on that first day will be the topic of my September column.

Be well and stay safe.

### COMMUNUTY BULLETN BOARD

### SHAARE TEFILA SYNAGOGUE SPONSORS HEBREW CONVERSATION GROUP

Shaare Tefila is sponsoring a Hebrew conversation group — **Zoom Chug Ivrit: Conversational Hebrew** — on Sunday mornings. (You don't have to b a member of Shaare Tefila to join.)

From the convenience of your home, on Sunday mornings 10:30 – noon, you can join Shaare Tefilla's Chug Ivrit ("Hebrew Club"). The group is reading short but up to date news, science and human-interest articles under the guidance of a native born Israeli, who not only teaches, but brings a wealth of knowledge and background information about Israel to each session.

For more information about this class, email Adriana at <a href="mailto:sandleraa@gmail.com">sandleraa@gmail.com</a> to receive a sample of the articles being read right now.

### CANTOR WENDY GONZALES

#### Reflecting on Tisha B'Av



As we approach Tisha B'Av (the 9th day of the month "Av") – it has a renewed meaning in our lives this year. This year it will occur on the evening of Monday, August 12th through sundown on Tuesday, August 13th. Tisha B'Av

memorializes what is known as the "five prohibitions" incorporating traditionally a 25 hour fast.

It is a day that remembers not only the loss of the Temples, but also other sad events including the murder of the Ten Martyrs by the Romans, the expulsions of the Jewish people from England, Spain, and other countries, the massacres of the Jewish communities by the Crusaders, and the Holocaust.

This year, in great sorrow, we must add the horrific tragedy that occurred on October 7th by Hamas and the over 1200 murdered by this terrorist "organization" to our "list" of atrocities that we remember on Tisha B'Av. A year ago it would never have been in our thoughts that we would need to add yet another tragic event, but reality has set in that we can never get too comfortable" that these tragedies only occur in the past – but may continue to happen again.

Does this mean that we cannot be hopeful? Absolutely not! It is our charge to remain hopeful and do all we can to stay strong. Please take some time to listen to the many beautiful and somber versions of Ani Ma'amin available on YouTube on Tisha B'Av:

אֲ נִי מַ אֲ מִ ין בָּ אֱ מוּנָה אֲנִי מַאֲמִין בָּאֱמוּנָה שְׁלֵמָה בְּבִיאַת הַמָּשִׁיחַ, וְאַף עַל פִּי שָׁיִּתְמַהְמֵהַּ, עַם כָּל זֶה אַחַכֵּה לּוֹ בָּכֵל יוֹם שַׁיַבוֹא.

Ani ma'amin, b'emunah sh'leimah, b'viat ha mashiach, v'af al pi sh'yitmameah.Im kol zeh achakeh lo behol yom sheyavo.

#### Translation:

I believe with perfect faith in the coming of the Messiah, and, though he tarry, I will wait daily for his coming.

Cantor Wendy Shore Gonzales cantorwendyg@gmail.com

### **HADASSAH NEWS**

Sandy Stein

On Wednesday August 21, the Ruach Chapter of Hadassah will be hosting a Game Day in Club House I at 1 pm. Everyone is invited to join us for an afternoon of fun. Bring your group, or come as individual and play Mah Jongg, Scrabble, Canasta, Rummikub, Bridge, etc.

Healthful snacks (fruits and vegetables) and delicious desserts will be served to make the afternoon more enjoyable. A donation of \$18.00 is requested with all proceeds earmarked for the Gandel Rehabilitation Center.

Until this year, Jerusalem has not had a rehabilitation center, and Hadassah was constructing one on Mount Scopus. This center was scheduled to open in April 2024. However, after October 7, Hadassah realized we had to move very quickly to serve the needs of the soldiers and civilians injured that day and, in the weeks following. The center opened in January 2024 and will eventually be able to serve over 10,000 patients annually. This new center has two hydrotherapy pools, and state-of-the-art rehab equipment. Specialized anti-gravity treadmills are designed for patients who cannot yet support their own weight but can still relearn how to walk.

Send your check, payable to Hadassah, to Sandy Stein, 607 Cannon Road, Silver Spring, MD, 20904, by Monday, August 19. When you send your check, please include the following information: name, email address and what game you or your group will be playing. Please bring your own games. Any questions, call Sandy at 301-384-8739.

Hadassah's Judaic Studies Group will meet on Monday, August 19, at 2 pm (in person) in the Clubhouse I Annapolis Room. The topic will be "What is a ketubah?" Is it simply a binding marriage contract or does it have more implications in Jewish tradition? You are welcome to share a ketubah with the discussion group. The moderator will be Naomi Kline. All are welcome, and we look forward to seeing both old and new friends.

For membership information, you can contact Linda Epstein at 301-847-9650. Hadassah cards for any occasion are available at our program meetings, or you can contact Elaine Schenberg at 301-598-0079.

### MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Susan Klein

We hope that you had a joyous July 4th celebration with family and friends. We are thankful that JRLW was able to provide Reform and Conservative Shabbat Services for our members and their guests during July and we will continue to do so throughout the year.

What an exciting time to be a member of JRLW to enjoy the countless activities that JRLW offers including our brunches, movies, book club and special live events. We hope you will agree that our vibrant, caring JRLW is a Leisure World organization that tries to meet the needs and interests of our Jewish Member community.

A very exciting activity that JRLW is having in August is our Annual "Meet & Greet", which is being held on August 18, 2024, in Clubhouse I from 2:00-4:00 pm.

We've had a lot of new residents moving to Leisure World and some of them may not have had the opportunity to have heard of our wonderful organization. Our "Meet & Greet" will help them learn about JRLW, meet the Board and other residents of Leisure World who participate in the Social/Cultural, Religious and Educational Activities that Membership in JRLW offers to the Jewish community in Leisure World. We will have comedic entertainment. Join us for snacks and prizes! Have you met anyone who might want to become a Member of JRLW? Please serve as an Ambassador and invite them to our "Meet & Greet".

A second exciting event for our members in August is our repeat "JRLW Golf Outing", which is being held on August 21, 2024. The last day to sign up is August 16, 2024. This is a "Members Only" event. Call or email Alan Nelson at 301-922-0410 or Apnelson8@yahoo.com.

We are also encouraging our Members to "Save The Date" for a special presentation: "Citizens Response To Active Shooter Crisis". The Guest Speaker will be Capt. Brian Dillmer. The event will take place on Tuesday, September 17, 2024, 2:00-4:00pm in the Clubhouse I Maryland Room.

As you will see in the pages of the Megillah, JRLW welcomes and encourages suggestions and ideas. We will continue to sponsor interesting activities throughout the year.

All of our countless activities will be published in the Megillah, on our JRLW website, www.jrlwmd.org and on our closed Facebook page. Please remember to introduce yourself to those who you do not know when you are attending our Services and events. Also please encourage those who are not members to join our organization. Have a wonderful August and thank you for being a member of the Jewish Residents of Leisure World.

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### 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.

CORRECTION: Two prayer books, one Reform and one Conservative, were donated by Marguerite Levy in loving memory of Barbara Cronin's sister, Renee 'Ronni' Nelson.



#### **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.

Donation from Ronald Tsimmerman.



### PROGRAM AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Becky Siman

Thank you to those who helped with the Ice Cream Social. These people include Fred Springer, Bonnie Tornheim, Nancy Grossman, and Linda Nelson.

There are several activities planned for August which are highlighted in separate articles:

- August 1 Beautiful at the Olney Theatre Sold out
- August 8 Card making craft
- August 18 Annual Meet and Greet
- August 21 Annual Golf Outing

September brings interesting JRLW opportunities:

- September 8 Winery gathering Sold out
- September 9 Book club
- September 10 JCC Movie Subject TBD -NEW
- September 15 Brunch
- September 17 Active Shooter Training
- September 25 Community Shlichim Panel-NEW

September 25, 7 pm, Clubhouse I Maryland Room

### A Panel of Israeli Community Shlichim in the DMV – Visions and Challenges in Representing Israel

Each year, through a program of The Jewish Agency for Israel and funding from The Jewish Federation, Shlichim (Israeli emissaries) arrive in the Greater Washington area to connect with our community and transform our relationship with Israel.

The community Shlichim have diverse professional and personal backgrounds and are selected from different parts of Israeli society. They serve in the community's congregations and schools, and offer unique programming designed to increase Jewish awareness, knowledge, and pride; bridge the gap between Jews of different backgrounds and the State of Israel; and promote an understanding of Israel and its ideals – both at their "home" institutions and the larger community.

Take advantage of this opportunity to hear from and interact with folks representing Israel during a most challenging time. This program is free, no registration needed.

### 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.

#### TZEDAKAH DONATIONS

Susan and Jonas Weiss wishing our dear friend Shirley Light a speedy recovery.

Oneg donation by Susan M. Klein

Fran and Harvey Berger quelling over the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Max Berger.

Fran and Harvey Berger in memory of Susan Swift.

Yiskor donation by Nola Makofsky.

Donation by Susan M. Klein in memory of Ned Kebatchnik.

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

Yiskor donation by Alvin and Carole Reiss.

Donation by Susan and Jonas Weiss in memory of their dear friend Susan Swift.

Yiskor donation by Jerry Nedelman and by Lois and Richard Falck to Dora Levin and Family in memory husband and father Marc Levin.

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Yiskor donation by Bernice Cohen in memory of beloved son, Kurt Michael Friedman.

Yiskor donation by Janet and Sidney Lazar in memory of Miriam Black and Charlotte Lazar.



### RITUAL COMMITTEE

Ellyn Becker Kaufman

Shalom dear friends,

As we wind down our ridiculously hot summer, we start to think about the fall and the holidays almost upon us. Just a few clarifications first. The donor donation for sponsoring an Oneg is \$75, which may include a cake.

Also, in cleaning out our JRLW cage, we find we have many more siddurim than we are currently using. We also have a plethora of Torah books and mahzorim (siddurs for Rosh Hashanah/Yom Kippur). If you would like to receive a siddur for yourself, or if you know of someone or an organization that might want these books, please contact me and I'll make arrangements for you to get the requested books. Please note - THESE ARE ALL CONSERVATIVE books, not Reform.

This year, all services for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur will be held in Club House I. Reform services will be held in the Crystal Ballroom and Conservative services will be held in the Maryland Room.

We will need people to help in a few areas for R/H and Y/K and Sukkot - such as getting siddurs/ mahzors/tallitot/kippot over to Clubhouse I and being sure they are available to everyone. Also, to help erect and take down the Sukkah - please sign up at the Meet and Greet later in August or contact me directly.

Thanks so much - See you at Meet and Greet!

Kol tuv,

Ellyn Becker Kaufman Chair-Ritual Committee ellynsu@verizon.net

### WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Ronald and Jill Lyons 3100N. Leisure World Blvd., #821 Silver Spring MD 20906

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Linda Cohen 2901 S. Leisure World Blvd., #311 Silver Spring MD 20906

Ruth Cohen 3200 N. Leisure World Blvd., #915 Silver Spring MD 20906

Nancy Caplan 3100 N. Leisure World Blvd., #316 Silver Spring MD 20906

#### **NEW LIFE MEMBERS**

Esta Cooperman 14828 Rocking Spring Drive Rockville, MD 20853

Natalie Pichler 15115 Interlachen Drive, Apt. # 820 Silver Spring, MD 20906-5636

WE HOPE YOU ENJOY EVERYTHING JEWISH RESIDENTS HAS TO OFFER!



### **VOLUNTEER WANTED**

If you would like to volunteer for JRLW, but don't want to make a big time commitment, please consider the following: We need a person to coordinate the advertising in the Megillah. Currently there are about 15 advertisers and the main part of the "job" is to send out a yearly invoice requesting payment and follow-up, if necessary. This is not a time-consuming job, but a very important one.

For more details, please contact Marsha Bernstein at 508-340-0946 or <u>marshabern-stein4@gmail.com</u>.

### RECIPE CORNER

#### PINEAPPLE ANGEL FOOD DUMP CAKE

Ingredients:

- 1 angel food cake mix
- 1 20-oz can of undrained, crushed pineapple



In large bowl, beat dry angel food cake mix and crushed pineapple on low speed 30 seconds; beat on medium speed 1 minute. Pour into ungreased 10-inch tube pan.

Bake 40 to 45 minutes or until deep golden brown. Cool completely upside down as directed on cake mix box, about 2 hours. Run knife around edges; turn cooled cake out onto serving plate. Use serrated knife to cut into slices. Store covered in refrigerator

### ON THE LIGHTER SIDE



THINGS I'M SUPER GOOD AT!

Forgetting someone's name 10 seconds after they tell me.

Leaving laundry in the dryer until it wrinkles. Then turning the dryer on to de-wrinkle. Then forgetting it again.

Calculating how much sleep I'll get if I can just "fall asleep right now."

Digging through the trash for the box because I already forgot the directions.

### WE REMEMBER

Susan Merle Swift.

Mary Nyce.

May their memory be as a blessing.



## JEWISH RESIDENTS OF LEISURE WORLD BOOK GROUP SCHEDULE

#### ISRAEL A SIMPLE GUIDE

September 9 10 am-12 pm

Moderator Steve Cohen Author Noa Tishby Clubhouse I Potomac Room



Through bite-sized chunks of history and deeply personal stories, Tishby chronicles her homeland's evolution, beginning in Biblical times and moving forward to cover everything from WWI to Israel's creation to the disputes dividing the country today. Tackling popular misconceptions with an abundance of facts, Tishby provides critical context around headline-generating controversies and offers a clear, intimate account of the richly cultured country of Israel.

#### ONCE WE WERE HOME

January 6, 2025 10 am-12 pm Moderator: Rebecca Siman

Author: Jennifer Rosner Clubhouse I Potomac Room



Beautifully evocative and tender, filled with both luminosity and anguish, Once We Were Home reveals a little-known history. Based on the true stories of children stolen during wartime, this heart-wrenching novel raises questions of complicity and responsibility, belonging and identity, good intentions and unforeseen consequences, as it confronts what it really means to find home.

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

We are still looking for moderators.

### JEWISH RESIDENTS OF LEISURE WORLD

#### HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES ORDER FORM 2024

ROSH HASHANAH: October 2, 3, and 4, 2024 YOM KIPPUR: October 11 and 12, 2024

### TICKETS MAY BE PURCHASED AT BOTH CLUBHOUSE I OR II BETWEEN AUGUST 6<sup>TH</sup> AND SEPTEMBER 24<sup>TH</sup>

The Conservative Services will be held in the Maryland Room of Clubhouse I
The Reform Services will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Clubhouse I

To purchase a ticket(s), fill out this form and bring it, together with your check, **Payable to JRLW**, to the Lifestyle Office of either Clubhouse

If you are physically unable to get to either Clubhouse to purchase a ticket, please call Ellyn Kaufman at 703-623-9249 or email her at: <a href="mailto:ellynsu@verizon.net">ellynsu@verizon.net</a>

Indicate if you w	ant tickets for the
Conservative Service _	or Reform Service

Ticket prices for Services are: \$150 per ticket for Members and \$175 per ticket for Non-Members.

**DUES** for 2024 (\$25 per person or \$45 per couple) must be paid to get tickets at the membership price.

List names of all ticket holders & 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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	# of Tickets for JRLW Members @ \$150 each: \$		
	# of Tickets for Non-Members @ \$175 each: \$ Total Amount \$		

### ANNUAL BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE YIZKOR MEMORIAL BOOK 2024-2025 / 5785

For the last 11 years, JRLW has provided an opportunity for individuals to honor the memories of beloved relatives and friends who are no longer with us.

This Memorial Book includes names of the donors along with the names of the departed, whom we so poignantly remember. The Memorial Book will be available at the Yom Kippur Yizkor Service. If you contribute and are unable to attend this Service, upon request, the book will be mailed to you.

We ask members to contribute a minimum of \$6.00 for each departed person's name listed below. Donations from non-members are \$8.00 per name.

### This form and your donation need to be received by Wednesday, Sept. 11 to be included in the Yizkor Book

Please complete the information below. The names should be listed in the order you wish them to appear in the Book. Additional names can be added on an attached separate sheet of paper.

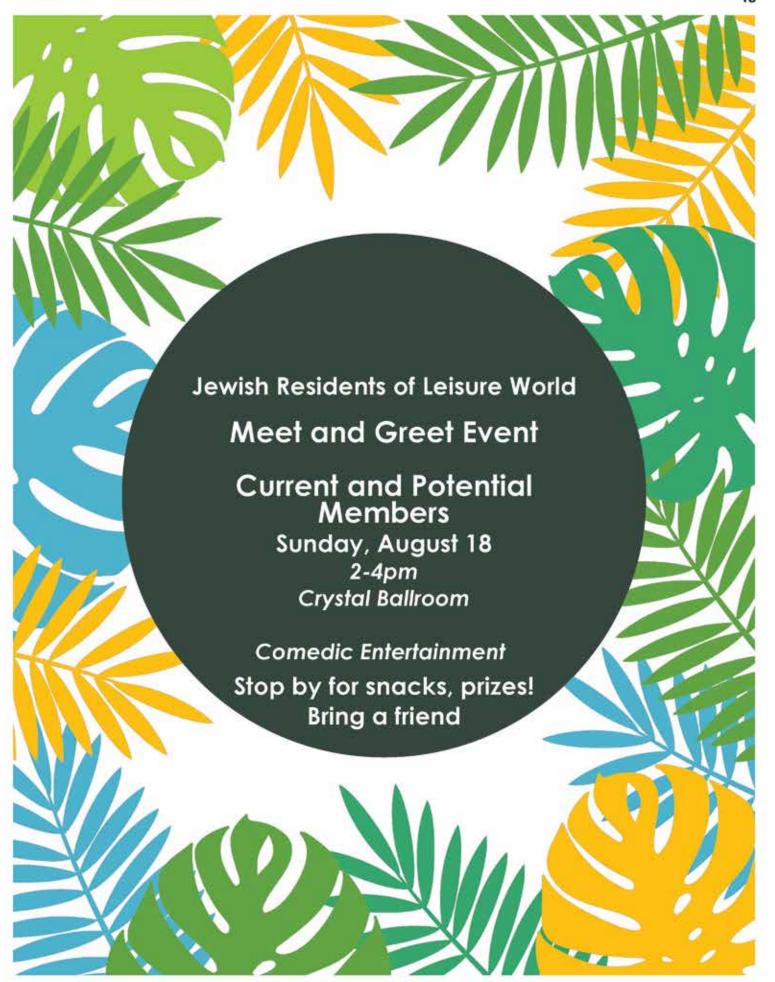
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Silver Spring, MD 20906

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### Wednesday, August 21, 2024

### Jewish Residents of Leisure World Members

### **Annual Golf Outing – Lunch & Prizes**

Leisure World Golf Course Women and Men

10:30 Golf Lounge - meet and greet - snacks 11:00 First Tee

- 9 Hole team best ball
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Registration fee \$30 (includes Angelo's box lunch)

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- ✓ Maximum of only 220 tickets will be sold for this event!!

### Name(s):

### **Phone Number:**

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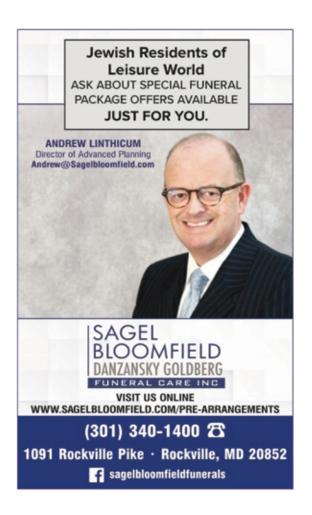
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