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Silver Spring, Maryland

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JRLW President's Message

JRLW – WE ARE A VILLAGE

JRLW is many things to our members.

We are not a social club, but lasting friendships have been made at our activities. When we get together with other Jewish people, there is a special feeling of belonging.

We are not a synagogue. But judging from the number of people who attend our Friday evening and Saturday morning services, where we come together in prayer, we serve as a house of worship.

We are not a learning center, but through the educational courses and speakers we have had here, we have learned about many Jewish-themed topics.

Our main purpose is not to entertain. But, we have been entertained by dancers, singers and films. Our programs have been well received.

Whether you are a member of JRLW for social, religious or cultural purposes, you can find your niche. If you are not yet a member, we invite you to join us. Come to our services, attend some of our many

learning, cultural and entertaining events. Most of all, come join us and be among other Jewish people here in Leisure World. You will like the feeling of belonging.

Shalom,

Dolly Solomon

Upcoming August Events

- 3rd Wed. Hadassah Board
- 5th Fri. Reform Services 8:00 PM
- 8th Mon. DEADLINE FOR SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER
- 9^h Tue. Tisha B'Av
- 13th Sat. JRLW Conservative Services 9:15 AM
- 15th Mon. Hadassah Bible Study 1:30
- 16th Tue. Na'Amat Board Mtg. 10:00 AM
- 17th Wed. Hadassah Game Day
- 17th Wed. School Supplies Collection
- 24th Wed. Na'Amat Program

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Religious Services Snapshot

Friday evening Aug. 5, Reform Shabbat Services 8:00 PM at Interfaith Chapel. Services will be led by Rabbi Gary Fink. Ed Laskin will lead the Choir. Services will be sponsored by JRLW.

Saturday Aug. 13th morning Conservative Services will be at 9:15 in Clubhouse II. Services will be led by Cantor Kravitz. Preliminary Service will be led by Justin Kramer. The Haftorah will be chanted by Hymie Rosenberg and Bernice Blumenthal will deliver the Dvar Torah

Religious Committee

The Religious Committee is working on a number of tasks in preparation for the High Holidays.

After several meetings of a committee consisting of Fred Shapiro, Egon Guttman and Abe Hamburg, with the exceptional assistance of Rabbi Fink and Cantor Kravitz we are almost ready with our new schedule of services to conform to our new Conservative Machzor.

We have a subcommittee consisting of Matty Feldman, Janet Lazar and Elinor Prisman ready to go to work on assigning honors as soon as we get the requests for High Holiday tickets.

Elsewhere in this Newsletter there is a form for requesting High Holiday tickets. Please send the form to Millie White as soon as you can and be sure to indicate whether you are a Kohen or Levi and whether you would like an honor or an Aliya.

We have also arranged with John Hayden and his wife to serve as ushers for Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur. They will be checking to ensure that only ticket holders

are able to attend the services, except for Yiskor services when everyone will be welcome.

Neal Ross and our President, Dolly Solomon, are still working to put the final touches on our new Ark and we hope to have it ready for use in our High Holiday services this year.

Aside from the High Holidays, during the year-round Sabbath services our Prayer books (printed before the existence of the State of Israel) do not contain a prayer for Israel, although we have some with an insert on the end-page. Elaine Schenberg has kindly volunteered to reprint the prayer for the State of Israel and to ensure that all of our Prayer books will have the appropriate prayer on the end-page. Our thanks go to Elaine for her wonderful effort.

Allan Firestone
301-598-7311

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NOTICE FOR MEMBERSHIP DUES

(June 1, 2011 – May 31, 2012)

Dear JRLW Member:

Just a short reminder that it is that time again for dues payment. A thank you will come to you via email.

If you have already paid your dues, thank you for your payment. We do appreciate your continued support.

And... as we are anxious to increase our membership, if you know of others moving into Leisure World, we'll be glad to welcome them as members of JRLW and give them membership information..

Sincerely,

Sue A. Rudo

Membership Chair, JRLW

301-598-1153 or suearudo@verizon.net

Membership Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Silver Spring, MD 20906

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Check One: _____ One Person - \$18.00 _____ Couple - \$36.00

Check should be made out to : **JRLW**. Please include this form with your payment and send it to:

Sue A. Rudo, 2901 S Leisure World Blvd, #520, Silver Spring, MD 20906

FUNERAL INFORMATION

If you are a member of JRLW you are entitled to a considerable discount when you have to deal with a funeral parlor or a cemetery. JRLW has an agreement with Sagal and Danzansky Funeral Homes for a discount. We also have an agreement with Judean Gardens for burial arrangements. If you have any questions, please call Harvey Chidel at 301-438-1151.

A SHIVA MINYAN

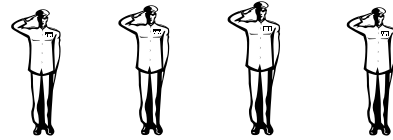
We have had several cases recently where, unfortunately, there was a need for a shiva minyan for one of our members here in Leisure World. If you hear of such a need in your building, it is a mitzvah and the 'menshlich' thing to do to attend the shiva minyan for at least one or two nights. In many of our multi-unit buildings – especially the high-rises – there are probably enough people to form a minyan without needing anyone outside of the building. An evening minyan will take ½ hour or less of your time, But to the grieving family, your attendance may mean the difference of being able to say their prayers or not. Please help out if you can.

WE'RE GOING TO ANNAPOLIS!!

Trip to the Jewish Chapel at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland.

On Friday, October 21, 2011, JRLW members will attend Shabbat Services at the Jewish Chapel USNA. Your trip will include an introduction to the Chapel prior to the Services, an Oneg and bus transportation. There will be limited seating, so seats will be reserved on a first-come basis.

If you are interested, mail your check today for \$29.00, payable to JRLW (include your phone number), to Theda Rosenblum, 3330 N. Leisure World Blvd., Apt. 117., Silver Spring, MD 20906.



Welcome New Members

We welcome the following new members to our organization:

Jennie and Morton Koff 15115 Interlachen

Coleman Leifer 3310 N. LWB

Marlene Berman 3330 N. LWB

Howard and Aline Herzig 3310 N. LWB

Allan and Elaine Pechner 3310 N. LWB

Sharon Glickman 3164 Adderley Court



JRLW SINGLES MEMBERSHIP

If you are a member of JRLW (our parent organization) and you are single, why not join our membership for the year May 1, 2011 to April 30, 2012. Send a \$10.00 check made out to JRLW Singles and mail to: Theda Rosenblum, 3330 N. Leisure World Blvd., #117, Silver Spring MD 20906.

INTERAGES

Those members of JRLW who have been volunteering in the local area with Interages, were pleased to learn that this organization has merged with and will come under the umbrella of the Jewish Council for the Aging (JCA).

Many of us seniors have been working with this group, reading, tutoring and mentoring on a one-to-one basis. From reading with preschoolers and 2nd grade students, to mentoring middle school immigrant youth, to providing guidance and a listening ear for high school students, Interages – now part of the Jewish Council for the Aging -- has given us a chance to “give back” to our community.

As always, more volunteers are needed. If you are interested becoming a part of this organization, you can call the main number, 301-949-3551, for more information.

JRLW SINGLES

The Singles committee has been working very hard planning activities for the rest of the year.

Our first meeting following the summer will be held on Wednesday, September 14, at 3:00 pm, in Clubhouse I. Following the meeting we are going to the Terrace Room for dinner. All are welcome to join us.

MEMBERSHIP

To all of you who paid your dues on time, JRLW appreciates your continued support and commitment. Our organization is based on its members. Our membership is around 1150.

To those who have not paid your dues, we would appreciate your doing so. A committee was formed and reminder telephone calls made to all of those whose dues had not yet been paid. Your name will go on an inactive list, if we do not receive your dues by August 10, and you received a

reminder phone call and/or a statement in the mail.

If someone new moves into the area, please let me know so I can give them information on JRLW and we can welcome them to our organization.

And to those of you who are new members, JRLW will host a new member reception in the fall. A letter will be mailed to you at least three weeks in advance of the date.

Thanks again to all who support JRLW.

Sue A. Rudo, Membership Chair

Volunteers Needed

The Senior Connection needs volunteers to help our home-bound Leisure World neighbors live as independently as possible by providing escorted transportation to scheduled medical appointments, helping with grocery shopping and paying a friendly visit or making a phone call to share companionship. Trips are typically scheduled during non-rush hour. A volunteer driver usually provides one trip a week or every two weeks for one person. Volunteers receive training, recognition and are covered by the organization's liability insurance when on assignments. Your time commitment and schedule will be flexible.

Volunteers feel a great satisfaction knowing that they are giving an important service to their neighbors. Currently, there are 57 Leisure World residents who receive the services from The Senior Connection, and there are only a handful of residents who volunteer. Please consider joining this dedicated team of volunteers. To learn more please visit the website, www.seniorconnectionmc.org. For questions or to request a volunteer application, call The Senior Connection at 301-962-0820 or e-mail Marcia.custer@seniorconnectionmc.org.



Recipe Corner

FRUIT COBLER

Bobbye Hertz

Fruit mixture:

4-5 cups fresh, canned or frozen fruit**
 2/3 cup sugar
 2 TBSP flour
 1/2 tsp cinnamon OR cardamom**

Dough:

1 cup flour (may use 1/3 white and 2/3 whole wheat)
 2 TBSP sugar
 1 1/2 tsp baking powder
 1/2 tsp salt
 1/2 cup canola oil
 3 TBSP milk or fruit juice
 1 egg

Directions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

To prepare fruit mixture, put sliced fruit on the bottom of a 9" x 5" rectangular pan. Sprinkle with the next three ingredients.

** favorites are blueberries or blackberries with peaches -- use cardamom

apples, pears and peaches -- use cinnamon

For the dough, mix flour, sugar, baking powder and salt in a bowl. Add oil and blend. Add liquid and egg, stir with a fork until blended.

Spoon dough on top of the fruit mixture. Bake for 35 to 40 minutes until the top is lightly browned.

Be creative, this is a very easy recipe that I have been making almost since I have been married.

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**LADIES, A
 REMINDER !!**

At Synagogue Services, when our holy Torah is carried around through the Congregation, it is our pleasure and honor to kiss the Torah cover. The proper way to do this is to touch the cover with our tallit, prayer book or fingers, **then** touch our tallit, prayer book or fingers to our lips. This way, there is no chance of accidentally getting lipstick or makeup on the Torah cover. Please help us keep our beautiful Torah covers beautiful.

GOOD AND WELFARE

We are happy to see Matty Feldman up and about now that his back is better.

Many of our grandchildren have been to Israel this summer on a special program. We hope they enjoy this wonderful opportunity and hope to see them come home safely.

A big “thank you” to Rabbi Fink for the lovely services he conducted both Friday evening and Saturday morning in July. His talks at both services gave us all something to think about and discuss. Yasheh Koach!

Joanne Sternberg is recovering from foot surgery.

Sheila Chodorov had to have her hip surgery postponed. We hope that by the time you read this, she will have undergone the surgery and is recuperating. Our best wishes to Sheila for a speedy recovery.

Congratulations to Shaare Tefila on the completion of their new building.

Joy Podolsky is currently in Collingswood Nursing and Rehab Center following knee replacement surgery. We wish her well.

Mazel Tov to Evelyn Perlmutter on the upcoming Bat Mitzvah of her granddaughter, Alexa Peerlmutter.

If the “Good and Welfare” column is to continue, we need members to tell us about the good and not-so-good things happening to people in their Mutuals. Please call me at 301-598—0192 if you know some news that should be printed here.

TZEDAKAH & ONEG/KIDDUSH DONATIONS

Madeline and Fred Shapiro in honor of the birth of Emily May Weiss, granddaughter of Susan and Jerry Weiss.

Etta and Allan Doris for Yiskor.

Carol and Jack Lerner for Yiskor in memory of parents, brother and sister.

Beatrice and George Jacobs wishing a speedy recovery to Lewis Gevantman.

Semi Feuer in honor of his Aliyah at Yiskor.

Jane Hause welcomes her dear friend Bella Friedman home after a long stay at the Hebrew Home.

Bernice Cohen in memory of her loved ones.

Bernice Cohen to thank all her JRLW friends for their good wishes following her surgery.

Bernice Cohen in honor of the birth of Emily May Weiss, granddaughter of Susan and Jerry Weiss.

Joyce Tanenbaum in honor of Sonya Korenblit’s continued recovery.

Carole Jason wishing a speedy recovery to Rita Shapiro.

Carole Jason wishing a speedy recovery to Sandy Rosenblatt.

Phyllis and Richard Rothstein in honor of their 45th wedding anniversary.

For information about Tzedakah, Oneg and Kiddush contributions, please contact Susan Weiss at 301-460-6030.

TORAH MAINTENANCE AND PRAYER BOOK FUND

Individuals can be honored and loved ones memorialized with a contribution to the JRLW Torah Fund or Prayer Book Fund for a minimum donation of \$ 25.00. Contact Ellen Zweig at 301 598 2144 between 9:00 am and 9:00 pm. No calls on Shabbat, please.

Torah Fund Donations

Beatrice & George Jacobs - in honor of K. Neil Ross for his tireless dedication and outstanding achievements in his many years of service to JRLW.

Joanne & Nate Sternberg - in honor of Marilyn Kessler's Bat Mitzvah Anniversary.

Prayer Book Donations

Helen & Josh Bass - two Prayer Books in honor of the birth of Macky Dubin's two great-granddaughters, Bailey and Isabella.

Florence Snyder - two Prayer Books in memory of my dear husband Harold Snyder.

Helen Rosenblum & Jerry Gillman - a Prayer Book in honor of Charlotte Passo's 80th Birthday.

CONDOLENCES

We offer our deepest sympathy to the family of Dorothy Leventhal.

We also offer our deepest sympathy to the family of Lawrence Cohen

May their memory be a blessing.

RBZ NA'AMAT NEWS

The next Na'Amat Board meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 16, 2011. There will be no open Na'Amat meeting in August.

Since August is a time when the summer is winding down, NA'AMAT RBZ is planning a very special evening to perk things up. On Wednesday, August 24, at 5:30 pm in Clubhouse I Ballroom, we will have an extraordinary evening. First, a delicious buffet dinner featuring eggplant parmesan, pasta primavera and crusted talapia, salad bar and tiramisu for dessert. This will be followed by a performance by Helen Hedman (theater and TV actress) portraying Edith Piaf. She will be accompanied by a pianist Alfred Palupa. Ms. Hedman and Mr. Palupa appeared together at the Olney Playhouse in "Piaf". Everyone is welcome to attend. The cost is \$25.00 per person. Contact Helen Fried (301) 438-3325.

The Na'Amat open meeting on Wednesday, September 7, at 12:30 pm in Clubhouse I, will feature as a guest speaker Mr. Irv Elenberg. Mr. Elenberg is the regional director of the American Technion Society. The topic of his talk will be Israel: A Success Story. Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

**Wednesday, August 27
Clubhouse I**

The school supplies collection, sponsored by the Interfaith Committee for the Homeless and Working Poor, will take place on Wednesday, August 17.

There will be a curbside drop-off in front of Clubhouse I from 8:30 – 11:30 am, and collection in the Baltimore Room from 9:00 am until noon. Supplies that are needed (all donations should be new) include: notebook paper, composition books, #2 pencils, glue sticks, markers, erasers, crayons, two-pocket folders, tissues, spiral notebooks, liquid hand-sanitizers and Clorox/Lysol wipes. Cash or checks made payable to the Inter-Faith Chapel will be gratefully accepted.

Thank you for your support of our children in need.

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 1 Av	2 2 Av	3 3 Av Hadassah Board Mtg	4 4 Av	5 5 Av Candle lighting 7:58PM Reform Services 8:00PM	6 6 Av
7 7 Av	8 8 Av Deadline for September Issue	9 9 Av Tish'a B'Av	10 10 Av	11 11 Av	8 12 Av Candle lighting 7:50PM	13 13 Av JRLW Conservative SvcS 9:15AM
14 14 Av	15 15 Av Hadassah Bible Study 1:30PM	16 16 Av Na'Amat Board Mtg 10:00AM	17 17 Av Hadassah Game Day 1:00PM School Supplies Collection	18 18 Av	15 19 Av Candle lighting 7:41PM	20 20 Av
21 21 Av	22 22 Av	23 23 Av	24 24 Av Na'Amat Program 5:30PM	25 25 Av	22 26 Av Candle lighting 7:31PM	27 27 Av
28 28 Av	29 29 Av	30 30 Av	31 1 Elul			

Mt. Scopus Hadassah

Mt. Scopus will hold its annual Game Day and Dessert Buffet on Wednesday, August 17 at 1pm in the Crystal Ballroom in Clubhouse I. The cost is \$8. Please invite your friends to make up tables for bridge, mah-jongg, Scrabble or any other games. The desserts will be homemade. To make a reservation please send an \$8 check payable to Hadassah to Esther Gold, 15310 Beaverbrook Ct. #3H, Silver Spring, MD 20906. Everyone is welcome to attend. Payments will be taken at the door if there is space available.

Rosh Hashanah cards may be purchased from Miriam Gilbert. Call her at 301-438-3998.

The Greater Washington Area Chapter of Hadassah is selling jars of honey with a card from the sender wishing "A Sweet, Happy New Year" as Rosh Hashanah gifts. Each jar is only \$10 including shipping. For more information, contact Karen Yoches (301-365-7972). The absolute deadline for all honey orders is August 19.

The Bible Study Group will meet on August 15 at 1:30 pm in Clubhouse I. New participants are encouraged to join the group.

Esther Diamond has volunteered to sell and prepare Hadassah certificates. Call her (301-598-6788) if you want to purchase a certificate of up to \$36. She has a variety of certificates available.

As part of our mitzvah project, Theda Rosenblum gathers toiletries for Sophia House, a women's shelter in Rockville. If you go on a summer vacation, be sure to pick up toiletries from your hotel or motel. To donate items, call Theda (301-598-9105) or bring them to a Mt. Scopus meeting.

Hadassah sponsors many activities to further the worthwhile projects it supports in

medical, educational, and social programs in Israel and in the USA. Please contact the following to contribute: **Hadassah Medical Organization (HMO):** Temporarily, Barbara Eisen (301-598-8658), **IMA/Youth Aliyah:** Larelda Gruber (301-598-5922), **Hadassah cards:** Miriam Gilbert (301-438-3998), **Hadassah certificates:** Esther Diamond (301-598-6788) or Chapter Office (301-881-8203), **JNF trees and water certificates:** Natalie Lewis (301-598-4798).

HAR TZEON-AGUDATH ACHIM AUGUST PROGRAMS

Thursday mornings – 10:00 am

Tai Chi with Leonard Gross

Thursday morning programs -11:00am

Exercise with Mim Parizer.

or

Current Events with Judge Marvin Roth and Ed Morgenstern.

Afternoon programs – 1:00 pm

Yiddish Class with Marcia Levinsohn

Thursday, August 4 - Roberta Boss, Ph.D.:
"Philosophy All Around Us"

Thursday, August 11, Cantor Cal Chizever:
"Jews in the Civil War"

Thursday, August 18, Rachele Jennings;
Conflict Resolution Center of Montgomery
County

Thursday, August 25 Victor Dyni:
"An Afternoon of Beautiful Music"

SHAARE TEFILA GETS A NEW HOME!

Debra Letow

We are happy to announce that Shaare Tefila is moving into its new building at 16620 Georgia Avenue, Olney, Maryland.

Evening minyans will now be held in the chapel of our new building. All JRLW members are invited to attend services there. Morning minyans will be at 8:00 am Monday and Thursday and at 8:45 am on Sunday. Evening minyans will be held Sunday through Thursday at 7:30 pm.

We are planning many activities to dedicate our new building. There will be a Shabbat Dedication Celebration on September 2 and 3, 2011. We will also be celebrating on Sunday, September 18, at 1:30. There will be an open house on Sunday, October 16, in the early afternoon. There will also be a gala fundraiser on Sunday evening, October 23. Members of JRLW are invited to all of our activities. Please call our office at 301-593-3410 if you have any questions.



PHYLLYS HUTT'S CORNER

TALK ABOUT PET PEEVES!!

Next to greed, jealousy, bigotry, pestilence and war, I hate showers the most! Not the kind that makes you clean, or even the baby kind, but the bridal kind. Couldn't we just bridle the showers?

I remember my own surprise shower. If I had been given the choice, I would not have attended. The weeks before a wedding are stressful, and, does the bride need the stress? So sue me. I hate them. The intent is to literally shower the bride with gifts. It could also mean, "Let's all get together and ignore the groom". Even before the thank-you notes are received for your engagement gift, the shower invitation

arrives. Then, of course, there is the wedding invitation and don't forget the baby shower soon to follow!

Years ago, people used to be invited to a shower, but not to the wedding. Thank goodness that has changed. The last shower I attended was out in the boonies for the daughter of one of my Mah Jongg players. I had to pick up three passengers and as it was scheduled for 1:00 p.m. I figured I would grab some finger food at the festivities. Guess again! Fingers were just about all there was to chew on. A bowl of chips here, a glass of punch there and.....shoyn fartek, that's all, ladies! The bride and all her friends looked anorexic. I hesitated to take more than two of anything. In fact, there was not much more than two of everything anyway.

Along with the traditional gag presents (a rolling pin to hit hubby when he acts naughty or a black lace nightie for when the bride acts naughty, etc.) , ,there were hushed whispers abounding:

"So why is she blushing? They've lived together three years"
 "I hope she's not going to wear her hair that way for the wedding"
 "She's lost weight"
 "That crystal decanter is expensive".
 "I have six".
 "She's gained weight".
 "My peanut butter jar is prettier".

To my way of thinking the proper time for a shower is after 25 or 30 years of marriage, when everything has shown lots of wear and tear and could use replacing.....sometimes even one of the people!

The icing on the cake (and there was one teeny, weeny one) came when the groom presented the bride to be with matched luggage.

"No negligee?"
 "No, they're way past that"!!

Upon departing, the honoree thanked me for attending, and as I closed the front door behind me, I heard her say, "Who was she?"

ADAPTING TO CHANGING FAMILY DYNAMICS



By Beth Shapiro, LCSW-C Coming of Age in Maryland Program Jewish Social Service Agency

Summer is a time when extended families get together for graduations, reunions, or vacations. But for some seniors, family visits can often be stressful and result in hurt feelings around how they feel they are being treated. Recently, I met with a woman who had just returned from her grandson's high school graduation and felt that her family had ignored her. She was devastated.

As families expand and children and grandchildren mature, seniors should take into account the following:

Grandchildren are growing up. Young grandchildren often get very excited about the specialness of visiting with grandparents, while by age 11 or 12 many children become more preoccupied with their own pursuits. Find new ways to connect with them: have them show you how they use technology, go to a movie together, or play a game that the whole family can enjoy.

Your pace vs. your family's pace. Adult children who are working have to pack their days and nights with their own responsibilities and their children's activities. Try to be patient and, before you visit, think

about and discuss with your children what you would like to do during your stay and how to adapt this to their schedules.

There is value in adapting. You can plan around different mealtimes than you may have at home. Bring some decaffeinated tea along with you if your family never has any on hand

and find out ahead of time what is already on the family's schedule during your visit.

You may have changed. It's possible that since you last visited with your family you have gone through some changes that are not under your control such as: your energy level, general health, vision, and hearing. If you feel less connected or involved with your family, perhaps it is because you are less able to interact with them as in the past.

Whatever is causing you discomfort in your family relationships, remember to communicate it to your loved ones. Let them know how their actions have made you feel and how you hope to improve this in the future. Address any problems early on so your emotions don't simmer or reach a boiling point.

If you would like to discuss how you might approach your family with these types of concerns, I invite you to call me and arrange a confidential session with a JSSA counselor. I can be reached at bshapiro@jssa.org or at (301) 816-2665.

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Above: "Ark" is one of the many artworks created by artist P. Ratner for Judean Memorial Gardens



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ENOUGH ALREADY!!!

Editorial

As I was reading my email today, there is yet another 'clever' one about Anthony Weiner.

When the story first broke about his sexual indiscretions, almost all of the major channels went with this story about a man, who could not keep his private parts private, as their lead story. The media, including respected newspapers, tabloids and television, chose sensationalism over reporting on the major problems we are facing both here and abroad.

To make certain that it got enough attention, the name of Bill Clinton was tied into the story.

A friend from the area in New York which Mr. Weiner served says he is well liked there; that the people he represented would vote for him again if they could. However, the media went after this story like hounds after a treed fox. They didn't rest until he was forced to resign; thus ending the career of an up and coming public servant who had served his constituents welluntil his hidden sex exploits were made public.

Was what he did wrong? Of Course! Was lying about it even worse? Yes—with a caveat. The first impulse of anyone caught in a wrongdoing is probably to try to lie his way out. Mr. Weiner was wrong in what he did. He needs some sort of therapy and certainly a severe reprimand. But to hound him until he was forced to resign? Was this a cause for the media to champion? Or was it right for people like us to bandy about and make jokes at the expense of his life and career?

The media may have chosen to write and talk so much about this incident because the public likes sensationalism. More sales of papers and higher T.V. ratings mean more

money coming in. Money is the bottom line. But what was our excuse? Does spreading vicious gossip make us seem more important? Is it funny to make up emails that hurt another person? We each have to answer to ourselves on this one.

Why do I choose this time to write about this? Because, as we are approaching the High Holy Days, we each are reflecting on our actions of the past year. We repent our wrongdoings and hope that our prayers will be accepted and that our name will be entered into the Book of Life for another year. The prayer that begins, "Forgive us for the sins we have committed by" certainly would include the sin we have committed by spreading so many stories about a man that we caused him to lose his life's career and possibly his wife.

Bernice Cohen

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY TO ALL



JRLW HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES

ROSH HASHANAH and YOM KIPPUR

Sep 28, 29, 30, 2011 and Oct 7, 8, 2011

Tickets are available for Conservative and Reform High Holy Days Services. Mail requests for either Service with your check made payable to JRLW” to Milli White as soon as possible but no later than SEPTEMBER 17, 2011. Conservative Services will be held in CH II Activities Room. Reform Services will be held in the Interfaith Chapel.

AT EACH SERVICE, YOUR TICKETS WILL HAVE TO BE SHOWN TO THE USHERS AT THE DOOR IN ORDER TO GAIN ENTRANCE

ENCLOSE A SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE along with your completed Order Form. Your tickets, with the starting times for the various services will be mailed to you by September 23, 2011.

Separate tickets, which are non-refundable must be purchased in advance for Break-the-Fast. They will be mailed along with your tickets for the services. Please mail all the requested information to:

JRLW, c/o Milli White, 2901 South Leisure World Blvd., #106, Leisure World, Silver Spring MD 20906

2011—2012 dues must be paid up to get tickets at the membership price of \$90.00. Questions? Call Milli at 301-438-0211. No tickets are required for YISKOR services.

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YISKOR BOOK

We are planning to have a Yiskor Book in time for the High Holidays next year – 2012 – 2013. These booklets will be used at every Yiskor Service that JRLW will have during the year. We need volunteers to help with this project. If you are interested in being on the committee, please call Nate Sternberg at 301-598-6684. This project will be a fundraiser. JRLW needs the money, as we are spending much more than we are taking in. This will be a loving way to remember those who have gone, but are not forgotten.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

We need your input for the JRLW Newsletter. If you have any suggestions for articles on any subject you would like to see written up, please tell us. If you would like to see a section of "Letters to The Editor" or anything else that you think would make our Newsletter more interesting, please let us know. The Newsletter can only be as interesting and readable as you, the reader, thinks it should be.

TO ALL JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS OF LEISURE WORLD

It is very important that you submit your list of calendar dates for the coming year, 2011 - 2012 to the editor of the Newsletter. We need the dates of your meetings and events so we can include them in the JRLW Newsletter calendar. If we do not receive your dates, we cannot be responsible for omitting them from the Newsletter. Please cooperate. Send your dates to bernifc@juno.com. Thank you.

DEADLINE FOR THE SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER IS MONDAY AUGUST 8th. ARTICLES RECEIVED AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL APPEAR IN THE OCTOBER NEWSLETTER.

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