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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



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“The time has come, the walrus said, to talk of many things...” To take a page from Lewis Carroll, it’s time to start talking about the High Holy Days.

You may think that the Holidays are so far away, but they will be here before you know it. Rosh Hashanah is October 3, and our Religious Committee is hard at work making plans for the Services here in Leisure World.

While you are thinking about the Holidays, take time to think about what you can do for JRLW. It takes each member just a few moments to think about what you would like the organization to be like and where you can help. To paraphrase another famous line, “Ask not what JRLW can do for me, but what I can do for JRLW.”

While Susan Weiss is recovering, the Tzedakah, Kiddush and Oneg donations will be handled by Barbara Firestone. Her address is 2901 S. Leisure World Blvd., #201, Silver Spring MD 20906. Please send your donations to her

starting now. Thank you so much, Barbara. What a help.

The baseball game trip to see the Nats play was a sellout, both the JRLW group and the stadium. What an exciting game! It was noisy, but such fun.

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AUGUST DATES

- 2 Tue - JRLW Bd CH II 7:00 pm
- 3 Wed - JWV Mtg CH I 11:00 am
- 5 Fri - JRLW Reform Shabbat Svc Interfith Chpel 7:30 pm
- 6 Sat - Study w/Rabbi Samber CH II 9:15 am
- 10 Wed - Hadassah Lunch & Learn; Hadassah Office
- 13 Sat - JRLW Shabbat Svc CH II 9:15 am
- 15 Mon - Hadassah Judaic Study Grp CH I 1:30 pm
- 16 Tue - NAAMAT Bd. CH I 10:30 am
- 20 Sat - Study w/Rabbi Samber CH II 9:15 am
- 24 Wed - Hadassah Bd Mtg CH I 7:00 pm
- 27 Sat - Study w/Rabbi Samber CH II 9:15 am

HIGH HOLIDAYS

The Religious Committee is now beginning to work on the High Holidays.

The High Holidays begin with Rosh Hashanah on the evening of Sunday, October 2 and continue on October 3 and 4. Reform services will be held in the Interfaith Chapel and Conservative services will be held in Club House II in the Activities Room. Also, on Monday, October 3, we will conduct Tashlich services in front of the Overlook Building, weather permitting.

Yom Kippur services will begin with Kol Nidre on the evening of Tuesday, October 11, and continue on Wednesday, October 12. Again, Reform services will be held in the Interfaith Chapel and Conservative services will be held in the Activities room in CH II.

Break the Fast will be held in the Ballroom in Clubhouse I after the conclusion of the Conservative services on Wednesday, October 12.

A detailed schedule of services will be provided on the tickets which can be obtained from Milli White on the order form that is printed elsewhere in this Newsletter. Gerry Sommer will assign Aliyot and/or honors for the Reform services while Matty Feldman and Janet Lazar will assign honors and/or Aliyot for the Conservative services. Contact either one of them by September 10th if you are interested in participating in the services.

We are fortunate to have once again Rabbi Rosalind Gold and Cantor Jim Perlmutter conduct our Reform Services and Rabbi Gary Fink and Cantor Mike

Kravitz conduct our Conservative Services.

Allan Firestone
Religious Vice-President



JRLW HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES ORDER FORM

ROSH HASHANAH: Oct. 02, 03, 04, 2016

YOM KIPPUR: Oct. 12 and 13, 2016

Tickets are available for Conservative and Reform High Holy Days Services. Mail requests for either Service with your check made payable to JRLW to address below as soon as possible but no later than **SEPTEMBER 16, 2016**. Conservative Services will be held in the Activities Room of Club House II. 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. Tickets, with the starting times for the various services, will be mailed to you by September 23, 2016.

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:

Milli White, 2901 S. Leisure World Blvd., #106, Silver Spring, MD 20906

2016—2017 dues must be paid up to get tickets at the membership price of \$100.00. Questions? Call Milli White, 301-438-0211 . No tickets are required for YISKOR services.

PLEASE CHECK HERE IF YOU WANT AN HONOR OR ALIYAH

CHECK IF YOU ARE A KOHAN OR LEVI

___ CONSERVATIVE Tickets for JRLW members @\$100.00 each. = \$ _____

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___ Tickets for Break-the-Fast @ \$10.00 each (ticket holders) = \$ _____

___ Tickets for Break-the-Fast @ \$20.00 each (non-ticket holders) = \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

List Names

Addresses

Telephone #

YIZKOR BOOK 2016 - 2017

Each year, JRLW publishes a Yizkor Book of Remembrance which will be used throughout the entire year. We will use these books when we recite Yizkor during Yom Kippur, Shemini Atzeret, Passover and Shavuot Services.

We are now in the process of publishing the 2016 - 2017 Yizkor Book. As in the previous editions, our Yizkor Book will contain appropriate prayers and topical readings which we use in our services.

The new edition will continue to allow our members and friends to list names of our loved ones who are no longer with us and enable us to memorialize them. This Yizkor Book will also give those members who were not able to participate last year an opportunity to remember our dearly departed.

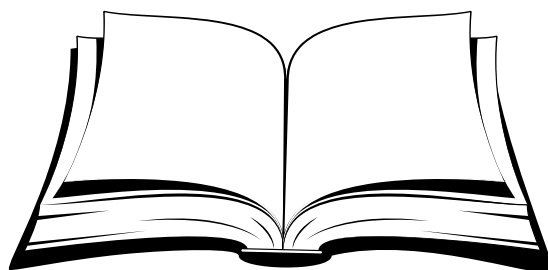
There will be enough books published to allow us to keep our own copy for use throughout the year. I trust that the sale of this year's Yizkor Book will be even more successful than past editions.

A form is included in this Newsletter for you to complete. Please follow the instructions listed on the form.

Please support Jewish Residents of Leisure World in this effort. The money raised by the publication of the Yizkor Book will be used by the Religious Committee for Torah maintenance and for the purchase of prayer books.

I thank all of the people who participated in the past editions of our Yizkor Book.

Nate Sternberg



ANNUAL BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE
YIZKOR MEMORIAL 2016-2017, 5777

The "JRLW Book of Remembrance" has for the past four years provided an opportunity for individuals to honor the memories of beloved relatives, friends and other persons who are no longer with us.

A new booklet will be distributed this year as in the past, on holidays when we recite Yizkor. The book includes the names of the donors along with the names of the departed, whom we so poignantly remember. The book is distributed Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement, first. The complete Memorial Service is included in the book, so it may be used on the four occasions during the year when we recite Yizkor.

JRLW needs your support. This year, it is requested members contribute a minimum of \$6.00 for each departed name listed below. All donations must be included with your application.

Our deadline for your donation is September 9, 2016.

Please complete the information below. The names should be listed in the order you wish them to appear in this year's Memorial Book.

PLEASE DO NOT CUT UP THIS FORM.

Please Print Each Name of the Departed. If all the names are the same as last year please print the word "SAME" in item 1. Additional Departed names can be added on the back of this form or on an attached separate sheet of paper.

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Being Remembered By – Fill in name(s) _____

Your Phone Number _____

Please make checks payable to JRLW – (In the Memo line print "Yizkor Book" and your phone number)

Donation for members: \$6.00 per name of loved one. For example 6 names of honored = \$36.00.

Donations for non-members: \$8.00 per name of loved one.

The total enclosed contribution to the JRLW Yizkor Book will be \$_____.

Note: This form with your check should be returned to:

Theda Rosenblum
3330 N Leisure World Blvd #117
Silver Spring, MD 20906
Attn: Yizkor Book

If there are any questions or comments please call Theda at 301-598-9105.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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Those of you who missed the June brunch really missed a fantastic concert by Cantor Lisa Levine. Her mixture of Jewish, Hebrew and Ladino songs had us all tapping our feet and clapping our hands. Many thanks to Evelyn Dickman for finding her and bringing her to Leisure World.

I want to remind you all that there will be no brunch in August, but we will have Friday Evening Shabbat Services on August 5 and Shabbat Morning Services on August 13. Rabbi Samber will continue with his study group on August 6, 20 and 27 in Clubhouse II. Again, I want to remind you that services are open to all.

The summer is upon us. I want to wish you all a happy summer. We will be back in full swing in September.

Shalom,

Miriam Kitty Atkin

WE REMEMBER THEM

Our sympathy to the families of the following:

Irving Malamut.

Alfred Rosenthal.

Justin Kramer.

Myer Norken.

Irene Singer Spector.

Judith Arlene Rothenberg.

Ruth Shandelson.

Our condolences to Milton Loube on the death of his granddaughter, Ilissa Arin Loube.

We remember Elie Wiesel who bore witness to the world of the atrocities of the Holocaust.

MAY THEIR MEMORY BE A BLESSING.

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**THE DEADLINE FOR THE
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NA'AMAT NEWS

Ruth Reid

August is a time for enjoying the remainder of the summer and looking forward to the fall. NA'AMAT is doing that: relaxing, taking a breather and planning for the rest of the year.

On September 7, in the Clubhouse I Ballroom, we have our first meeting of the new year. It will be most enjoyable. We call it "brunch with Marvin Kalb." There will be a buffet featuring delicious salads, egg, tuna, carrot and kugels made by members. Then we will hear our speaker Marvin Kalb, renowned journalist and writer and commentator and on TV "The Kalb Report:" discussing important issues facing us today. Cost of this event is \$14.00 per person. Fliers will be sent out.

On Wednesday, October 5, we will hold our annual fashion show/luncheon. The fashions will be by "The Look" and modeled by our members. The event will be hosted by Harriet Chaikin.

On Wednesday, November 2, our meeting will feature a speaker. The topic will be "Jewish Women of the Wild West." This should be most enjoyable and a subject that most of us are probably not aware of.

On Wednesday, December 7, we will have our annual card party.

So, as we close out 2016 we remember why NA'AMAT is in existence. Our mission is to raise funds to send to Israel to support the many important causes that NA'AMAT Israel promotes: the day care centers that the children go to that make their lives better and help their parents to fulfill their needs, the scholarships that we provide and the facilities for women to get help legal and otherwise. We are important to the well-being of NA'AMAT Israel (our sisters) and are greatly appreciated. Thank you, our members, for supporting us and by coming to our events, buying tribute cards, and making contributions.

REMEMBER: THINK ISRAEL, THINK NA'AMAT!

"Never shall I forget that night, the first night in camp, which has turned my life into one long night, seven times cursed and seven times sealed. Never shall I forget that smoke. Never shall I forget the little faces of children, whose bodies I saw turned into wreaths of smoke beneath a silent blue sky ...Never shall I forget these things, even if I am condemned to live as long as God Himself. Never." --Elie Wiesel

Elie Wiesel, Famed Holocaust Survivor, Nobel Laureate, Author, Dead at age 87.

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CANTOR'S CORNER

Michael Kravitz

August 5 will be an anniversary of sorts. No, it's not a wedding anniversary, birthday or any of the other standard anniversaries. August 5, 2016 marks the anniversary of something that happened right here in Leisure World on August 5, 1988. On that Friday evening, 28 years ago, I served as cantor at a JRLW service for the very first time!

There are still a few of you who remember my father, Benjamin Kravitz, who lived in Building 1 from early 1985 until he had to go into assisted living prior to his passing in August, 1996. He had gotten to know Irving Goldberg at services he attended, and when Irv announced that he hoped to bring High Holy Days services to Leisure World, my father told Irv about me and informed him that I was a cantor. Irv would tell me some time later that after my father had approached him, his (Irv's) thought was "sure he is (sarcastically). Every Jewish father's son is a cantor." But Irv agreed to meet with me and tell me of his plans.

We met formally for the first time in May, 1988. Irv asked me about my background and I showed him my resume. I had served congregations in Maryland from 1970-83 and had gone out of area for the High Holy Days from 1984-87, serving congregations in Pennsylvania and North Carolina. He asked if I could read torah without using the "ping pong method" which is a term describing the going back and forth between the torah and a book or sheet located off to the side. I explained that I had learned the 4 torah readings for my previous High Holy Days congregation and could do them directly from the scroll. He told me "you're hired." No singing for him. No singing in front of a religious committee. It is the ONLY time in my life that I was hired to be a cantor without having to sing for

anyone. It was probably just as well. I had tried to teach through laryngitis in completing the spring semester as a teacher at Walter Johnson High School, and my voice was in no shape to sing. Irv told me not to worry. "You'll sing at the Friday evening service in August," he said and continued "and our people will get the chance to see what you can do." Resting my voice in June and July, it had fully recuperated by August 5. I came out to Leisure World on a hot, muggy Washington-area Friday night, expecting a sparse crowd given how uncomfortable it was outside. Lo and behold, when I walked into the Interfaith Chapel and looked down from the bimah, I saw close to 200 people. It was like a shot of adrenaline, and I was excited to sing. I was told afterwards that I sang pretty well, and Irv and I continued to work on what he and I would do during those first-ever Leisure World High Holy Days services. Those services were a success and we would make plans to do them again in 1989. And then 1990. High Holy Day services would continue to be conducted every year, and this fall for the Jewish year 5777, JRLW will conduct High Holy Day services for the 29th consecutive year.

Serving all these years has been a source of great pride, but there is a touch of sadness in realizing that most of the people who attended that first service are now of blessed memory. I like to think positively, so I won't dwell on that and I look at all the positive changes that have taken place at services during that time. We now have a Shabbat morning service with Kiddush once a month, Torah and Talmud study services on all the other shabbatot as well as full services for all of the Sholosh Regalim (pilgrimage festivals) where Yizkor is recited and a service to celebrate Purim. We have come a long way.

Let me wish each of you a pleasant rest-of-summer and look forward to seeing you at services to come.

HADASSAH

Barbara Eisen

A Lunch & Learn Series will be held on Wednesday, August 10 from 11:30am to 1:00pm at the Hadassah Greater Washington Office. Dalya Cohen-Mor, award-winning author and Middle-East scholar, will speak on "Women's Roles and Lifestyles in Arab Societies." She was the first Sabra who was sent to serve as a Peace Corps volunteer in Jordan. She earned her Ph.D. From Georgetown University. Bring a dairy or parve lunch. Dessert will be served. The cost is \$10 for members or \$15 for non-members. Send your check or credit card information to Hadassah Greater Washington, 11900 Parklawn Drive, Suite 350, Rockville, MD 20852. Call Janet Lazar (301-598-4066) if you need transportation or are able to be a driver. Call the office at 301-881-8203 for further information about the program.

The Judaic Study Group will meet on Monday, August 15, in Clubhouse I at 1:30pm. We invite all who are interested in any aspect of Jewish studies and the relationship of Judaism to our daily lives to attend. Please contact Peri Schuyler (301-869-2968, perislaptop@aol.com) for further information.

Suzanne Ellis (240-560-6114) is our greeting card chair. The prices are \$2.50 each or 5 for \$10. Hadassah greeting cards are displayed and sold at every Hadassah meeting. Call Suzanne to pick up cards or to have them mailed for you for an extra postal charge. She is now selling beautiful Rosh Hashanah cards at \$2.50 each or ten cards for \$20 or 25 cards for \$30.

Larelda Gruber (301-598-5922) is chair of Youth Aliyah/Children at Risk. This project helps disadvantaged children in Israel. The goal is to create a circle of \$1000, made by individual contributions of \$40. Please send your donations to Larelda at 3200 N. Leisure

World Blvd. #201, Silver Spring, MD 20906.

We are looking for a volunteer to be the Hadassah representative to the Fireside Forum. If you are interested, please call Barbara Eisen (301-598-8658) for details.

The Walkathon originally scheduled for August 28 has been canceled for this year and will be rescheduled in 2017.

If you are interested in knowing more about Hadassah, contact our membership vice president, Janet Lazar (301-598-4066, lazarjl@verizon.net).

GOOD AND WELFARE

Marilyn and George Kessler are proud to announce the graduation of their granddaughter, Eliza Weinreb, from Syracuse University. Eliza was the valedictorian of the S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communications and gave an inspiring valedictory address to the class and family and friends who attended the graduation ceremony. They are sure she will go on to give much more "nachas" to her family in the years ahead.

Gail Leon underwent knee surgery. Following hospitalization, she went to rehab. She is now home. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Happy 90th Birthday to **Rhoda Krens!** Hope you enjoyed your surprise party.

Shirley Greenberg welcomes another great grandchild! Mazel Tov, Shirley!

Susan Weiss is recuperating at Bedford Court. We hope that she will be feeling better and home soon.

Welcome to **Renee Lease** who was voted in as our JRLW Administrative Vice-President at our July Board Meeting. We hope you enjoy your new position. We are very happy to have you aboard!

TZEDAKAH, KIDDUSH AND ONEG DONATIONS

Please send checks for Tzedakah, Oneg or Kiddush donations to Barbara Firestone, 2901 S. Leisure World Blvd., #201, Silver Spring MD 20906. Checks should be made out to JRLW.

TZEDAKAH

Gloria Bernstein sending wishes for a speedy recovery to Susan Weiss.

Lucky Pollak in honor of Cantor Mike Kravitz and Fred Shapiro.

June Abel in honor of great grandson Daniel Abel.

Judy Sumner in honor of Arthur Kirsch.

NAAMAT USA Rachel ben Zvi Chapter sponsoring an Oneg Shabbat.

Joe Turttil for Yizkor.

Lucy Pollak for Yiizkor

Charlotte & Larry Bardack for Yizkor in blessed memory of parents, siblings and friends including Ernie Pollak.

Marilyn & George Kessler for Yizkor.

Madeline & Fred Shapiro for Yizkor.

Shirley Griffin sends best wishes to Susan Weiss for a speedy recovery.

TORAH MAINTENANCE AND PRAYER BOOK FUND

Individuals can be honored and loved ones memorialized with a contribution to the JRLW Torah Maintenance Fund or Prayer Book Fund for a minimum donation of \$25.00 Send your check, made out to JRLW, to Annette Cooper, 15107 Interlachen Drive, Apt. # 812, Silver Spring MD 20906.

Annette Cooper sends get well cards to members. Please contact her with the information, including the name and address. You can reach her at 240-669-6614 or you may e-mail her at Coop.annette@gmail.com.

PRAYER BOOK FUND

Carolyn Gross in appreciation for the Levi Aliyah given to me at the Women's Shabbat Service.

Abby Brahin in honor of aliyah during Women's Shabbat services.



TORAH FUND

Fred Firnbacher in memory of Burt Kirschner husband of Norma Kirschner.





COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD

HAR TZEON AGUDATH ACHIM

Each Thursday there is a day-long program, including lunch, held at **Har Tzeon-Agudath Achim**, a satellite program of the JCCGW.

August 18 - Young at Heart Dancers.

August 25 - Lorena Baines: "A View from The National Gallery of Art"

YOUNG ISRAEL SHOMRAI EMUNAH

August 3 - Shoshana Bryen: "Israel Update"

August 17 - Dr. Alan Breitler: "The Life and Contributions of Einstein"

If you have any questions about any of these programs, call Linda Wechsler at 301-348-3893.

SHAARE TEFILA SYNAGOGUE

Shaare Tefila Synagogue holds morning Minyan, 8:00 am every Monday and Thursday for those saying Kaddish or observing a Yahrzeit and welcomes anyone who wishes to just drop in at any time.

B'NAI SHALOM OF OLNEY

At BSO, we are committed to being able to pray daily in a community context, as well as to gather with a *minyan* to recite the Mourner's *Kaddish*. However, we often lack the 10 adults required to fulfill this commitment. So we're making some changes to make it easier to participate.

Effective immediately, Monday-Thursday evening *minyan* will take only about 15 minutes, because we will *daven* only one service at 7:30 p.m. In the spring/summer, we will *daven mincha* (the afternoon service), and in the fall/winter, we will *daven ma'ariv* (the evening service).

We hope you will join us in making time to take part in both this opportunity to pray and the responsibility to make sure those in mourning

or observing *yahrzeit* can say *kaddish*.

Questions? Want to volunteer to help? Email Ben Katcoff at benkatcoff@aol.com.

AUGUST RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Friday evening Reform Shabbat Services will be held on August 5, at 7:30 pm, in the Interfaith Chapel. Rabbi Gary Fink will conduct the Services. The choir will be led by Ed Laskin. An Oneg and social hour will follow the Services.

On Saturday morning, August 13, at 9:15 am, we will hold Shabbat Services. The Torah Portion will be Devarim. Hymie Rosenberg will chant the Haftorah. Bernice Cohen will give the D'Var Torah. Join your friends for Kiddush following Services.

Rabbi Samber will lead a short service and Torah study on Saturdays, August 6, 20 and 27 at 9:15 am in Clubhouse II. All are welcome.



ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

...There is a big controversy on the Jewish view of when life begins. In Jewish tradition, the fetus is not considered viable until it graduates from medical school.

...A Jewish boy comes home from school and tells his mother he has a part in the play. She asks, "What part is it?" The boy says, "I play the part of the Jewish husband." The mother scowls and says, "Go back and tell the teacher you want a speaking part."

...Jewish telegram: "Begin worrying. Details to follow."

EDITORIAL

After years of writing in this space about my complaints and observations, I want to take this month to speak of happiness.

Happiness is watching my almost four-year-old great grandson walk into my condo and go straight to the closet where “his” little broom is kept, and start to sweep the floor just where he left off when he last came to visit more than five months ago. Bless you, Avery.

Happiness is happening by chance to find a computer repairman whose knowledge of the computer is awesome. Who can make my computer work like new in a short time. Who is kind and understanding and speaks to me in computerese language which I can actually understand. Thank you, Rob Robinson.

Happiness is watching a short video on Facebook showing a young hospice volunteer singing sweetly to a dying woman and watching a small smile play around her mouth and her eyelids flutter as tho she understands. The hymn, “How Great Thou Art,” is not of my religion. However, the beauty of the words and the grace of the young man makes me teary.

Happiness is finding another woman who is as crazy about our Washington Nationals as I am; staying up to 1:30 in the morning to watch them play a late game on the West Coast even tho they are losing, and yelling at the television to leave a good pitcher in or take out a lousy closer. Love you, Irene Eichner.

And last, but not least is the feeling of happiness and serenity I feel at the first sight of the mountains as I drive up to Frederick, Maryland.

...And, of course, knowing that you all actually read my writings. Thank you.

NEW MEMBERS

Jewish Residents of Leisure World is happy to welcome the following new members.

Elaine Ross, 3100 N. Leisure World Blvd., #923.

Ellen Goldman, 3501 Forest Edge Drive, #1B.

Julie Kronfeld, 15107 Interlachen Dr. #1022.

Patricia Hempstead, 3100 N. Leisure World Blvd, # 1004.

Sue Winakur, 14605 Stonewall Dr., Silver Spring, MD.

Lois Thomas, 3253 S. Leisure World Blvd., #108B.

Lifetime Members:

Edward Gonzaque, 15104 Manor Lake Drive, Rockville, MD 20853.

Lucille (Lucky) Malamut, 15115 Interlachen Dr., #723.

Phylis Dworsky, 15310 Beaverbrook Court, #1C.

We hope you all enjoy being members of JRLW and take advantage of all we have to offer.



RECIPE CORNER

peanut butter cookies

I remember these cookies that my Mom used to make. She used margarine instead of butter. She would put a thin icing on the cookies for company.



Ingredients

- 2 ½ cups unbleached all-purpose flour
- ½ teaspoon baking soda
- ½ teaspoon baking powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ pound (2 sticks) salted butter
- 1 cup packed dark brown sugar
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 cup extra-crunchy peanut butter
- 2 large eggs
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract

Preparation

1. Adjust oven rack to low center position. Heat oven to 350 degrees. In a medium bowl, sift flour, baking soda, baking powder and salt. Set aside. In the bowl of the electric mixer or by hand, beat butter until creamy. Add sugars and beat until fluffy, about 3 minutes, scraping sides as necessary. Then beat in crunchy peanut butter until fully incorporated, followed by eggs and vanilla. Gently stir dry ingredients into peanut butter mixture.
2. Line a baking sheet with parchment paper. Drop dough onto sheet in spoonfuls a little bigger than a golf ball, about two inches apart. Dip a fork in cold water and then press the back into dough, repeating to make a crisscross.
3. Bake until cookies are puffed and slightly brown along edges, but not top, about 15 minutes. Cool cookies on cookie sheet until set. Transfer to wire rack to cool completely.

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	 INTELLECTUAL	Pokeno – Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:45 pm Audio Book Club – Saturdays at 3:00 pm Brain Builders – Tuesdays at 4:00 pm
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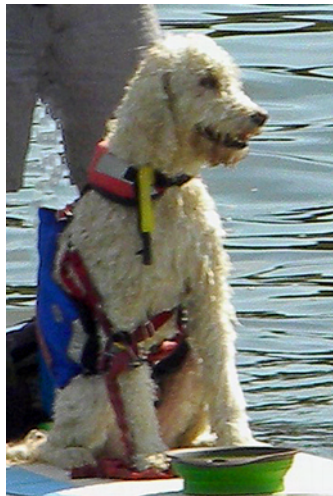
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		JRLW Bd CH II 7 pm	JWV Mtg CH I 11 am		JRLW Reform Shabbat Svc Interfaith Chapel 7:30 pm 7:57	Study w/Rabbi Samber CH II 9:15 am
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