



# Congregation Ohr Torah

## Weekly Announcements

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**Robert Kreitman - President**

*Shavuus 2010 & Parshat Naso*

*Sivan 6-7, & 9 5770*

*May 19-20, & 22 2010*

### **First Day Shavuus:**

**Candlelighting: 7:52 PM**

**Mincha: 8:00 PM**

**Speaker between Mincha-Maariv:  
Rabbi Arye Adler**

**Shacharis: 5:00 and 9:00AM**

**Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA): 9:16AM**

**Mincha: 7:55 PM**

**Speaker between Mincha-Maariv:  
Rabbi Mordechai Snow**

**Candlelighting : After 9:01 PM**

### **Second Day Shevuus:**

**Shacharis: 7:45, 9:00 & 9:15 AM**

**Yizkor not before 8:45 and 10:30 AM**

**(NO Yizkor at YFM Minyan)**

**Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA): 9:15AM**

**Mincha: 7:55 PM**

**Maariv: 8:55 PM**

### **Weekday Shacharis:**

**Fri. (May 21) 6:30, 7:10, 8 AM**

### **Shabbos**

**Candlelighting: 7:55PM**

**Plag Mincha: 6:00PM**

**Mincha: 7:00, 7:30 & 8:05PM**

**Shacharis: 7:45, 9:00 and 9:15 AM**

**Rabbi Hoffman's Shiur-After Hashkama**

**Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA): 9:14 AM**

**Kollel Learning Seder - 4-6 PM**

**Rabbi Luban's Maseches Megillah Shiur –  
7:00 PM**

**Mincha: 1:45, 6:00 & 7:50 PM**

**Shalosh Seudos speaker:**

**Rabbi Y. Lewis & Moshe Sheldon**

**Maariv: 9:00 PM**

### **Weekday Shacharis:**

**Sunday 7:15, 8 & 9 AM**

**Mon. & Thurs. 6:20, 7:05 & 8 AM**

**Tues., Wed, & Fri. 6:30, 7:10 & 8 AM**

**Weekday Mincha/ Maariv: 7:55 PM**

**Weekday Maariv 10:10 PM**

**Rabbi Luban's She'eilos Uteshuvos Shiur:**

**Monday 9:10 PM**

**Tuesday Tehillim 9:50 PM**

### **DAF YOMI SCHEDULE**

Monday-Thursday before Maariv. Friday after first Kabbolas Shabbos Minyan. Shabbos one hour before Mincha. Sunday after 8 AM Schacharis.

### **BARUCH HABAH**

Ohr Torah would like to welcome newcomers, visitors and guests who are joining us. If our President, Robert Kreitman or Rabbi Yaakov Luban does not get a chance to welcome you personally, please come up and introduce yourself.

### **KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP**

Kiddush sponsorship is available June 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> and July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>. To sponsor a Kiddush or reserve the Kiddush room, please contact Mel Barenholtz in person, by phone or email: [mbarenh@yahoo.com](mailto:mbarenh@yahoo.com). To sponsor a Shalosh Seudos, please contact Moshe Wiesel.

### **OHR TORAH NEWSLETTER**

To subscribe to these Announcements, please email [info@ohrtorah.net](mailto:info@ohrtorah.net) and request to be added to the distribution.

### **BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES**

Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702 or at [mschneider19@yahoo.com](mailto:mschneider19@yahoo.com)

### **TREE OF LIFE and/or YAHRZEIT PLAQUES**

To dedicate a Yahrzeit Plaque or a Leaf for the Lobby Eitz Chayim Tree, please contact Moish Nat by sending a detailed fax with all dedicatory wording to 732-442-8022.

For more info. Call Moish at 732-442-5751 during work days or 732-572-4132 in the evening.

### **SEFORIM DEDICATIONS**

Book/Seforim Dedications of all types are available by contacting Barry Siegel at [siegeldad@optonline.net](mailto:siegeldad@optonline.net) or 732-572-4408

### **HOUSEKEEPING**

For housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith at [luddeju@gmail.com](mailto:luddeju@gmail.com) or 732-572-5633.

### **OHR TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM EVENTS**

Children can register for events on Ohr Torah's website "[ohrtorah.net](http://ohrtorah.net)" or by calling Mayer Berg at 732-572-3429.

### **REFUAH SHLEIMAH LEARNING**

Please see the Ohr Torah website, [www.ohrtorah.net](http://www.ohrtorah.net), for the various schedules of learning as a Z'chus for a Refuah Shleimah for members of our shul and community.

### **MAZEL TOV**

...to Lynn and Marc Hanfling on Naftoli's engagement to Chayi Weiss of Monsey. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Hersz Hanfling, Mrs. Ellen Schochet and aunt and uncle Rozzie and Jeff Slepoy.

...to Rebbecca and Israel Rivkin on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Shlomo Rivkin in Passaic last Shabbos

...to Heshy Granek on the birth of a son to Elie and Leah Kurtz. Mazel Tov to Elie's grandparents, Mel & Bernice Chefitz to Elie's mother, Rachel Kurtz to Elie's brother and sister-in-law, Judah and Ricky to Elie's uncle and aunt, Harry and Dalya Chefitz. *The Shalom Zachor is to start at 9:30 PM Friday night at the Granek home (495 Harrison Ave, Highland Park). The Bris will iy'H take place after Hashkama Minyan this Shabbos.*

...to Breindy and Neal Pomper on the marriage this past Sunday, of their children Naomi and Shlomo Trachtenberg. Mazel Tov to Shlomos' parents Dr. Ezra and Lisa Trachtenberg.

... Avi Tobias on his recent engagement to Illana Lyons. Mazel Tov to the parents Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Tobias and Mr. & Mrs Eric Austein.

### **GRADUATION KIDDUSH SPONSORS GROUP FORMING**

If anyone is interested in participating in a Graduation Kiddush please contact Debbie Schneider at 732-572-4713.

### **SHAVUOS**

#### **TUESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE:**

**12:00 AM** Rabbi Kaufman-Exploring the 10<sup>th</sup> Dibra.No, the 10<sup>th</sup> is not "Do Not Pay Retail"

**1:00 AM** Rabbi Miodownik-Eyjafjallajokull and Sinai

**2:00 AM** Rabbi Bassous-Putting Order in Life

**3:00 AM** Rabbi Hoffman-Can a Ger Perform his Own Milah?

**4:00 AM** Rabbi Luban-Anger

**5:00 AM** Shacharis

### **KIDDUSH**

Kiddush this Shabbos is sponsored by the Mondrow family in honor of the Yahrzeit of Alter Michael ben Mordechai David, and by the Diskin family in memory of Shoshana's mother a"h.

### **SHALOSH SEUDOS**

Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by Elie and Iris Borger in honor of the Rutgers Jewish Experience, dedicated to reaching out to and inspiring Jewish students at Rutgers. Rabbi Yehoshua Lewis and Moshe Sheldon (Rutgers 08) will give Divrei Torah.

### **OHR TORAH BBQ**

Please reserve Sunday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-6:00 PM for an amazing Ohr Torah BBQ and Sports Day at Donaldson Park. Please contact Meir Berg, Ephraim Gerszberg or Robert Kreitman if you would like to join the BBQ Committee. Those on the committee get the first hot dogs off the grill.

### **TREE OF LIFE LEAVES AND YAHRZEIT PLAQUES**

The Board has approved a special reduced price for donations to dedicate a Leaf on the Tree of Life and or a Yahrzeit plaques. This special will be for a limited period only. For all payments actually received from now until midnight, June 30<sup>th</sup> the price of a leaf will be \$180 instead of \$250 and the price of a plaque will be \$400 instead of \$500. All proceeds from this campaign will go directly into our capital account.

### **PEREK ON THE LAWN**

Perek on the Lawn will be hosted this coming Shabbos, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, by Jason & Suzanne Jurkevich. The shiur will be led by Billy Gewirtz and will take place at 5:15 PM at 8 Marshall Drive.

**REMINDER: The emergency Defibrillator is in the Beis Medrash Chazzon's shulchan. PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR MORE OHR TORAH INFORMATION**

## **SHAVUOS LEARNING FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS**

Women and girls are invited to join us for an evening of learning and inspiration on Shavuos night. The learning will take place starting at midnight in the RPRY Beis Medrash. Speakers will include Rabbi Motti Miller and Rabbi Avi Bodlander. Refreshments will be served.

### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS** **HACHNOSAS KALLAH GEMACH**

Lev L'nefesh, a hachnosas kallah gemach l'zecher nishmas Suri Granek, will be having its inaugural breakfast. The event will take place at Congregation Ohr Torah on Sunday, June 6th at 10 am. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Zlata Press, principal of Bnos Leah Prospect Park yeshiva high school. The event is for women only. Formal invitations will be sent shortly. To make reservations or for more info, please call Chaya Katzenstein 732-572-1293.

### **YESHIVAT NETIVOT MONTESSORI**

-On Monday May 24<sup>th</sup> at 91 Jefferson Blvd., Edison, NJ 08817 - 8pm; Come learn how we incorporate Judaic Studies into our Montessori Early Childhood curriculum. Some of the examples of this innovative method include the combination of parasha and math, weaving the study of the five senses with Jewish holidays, and exercises in practical life focusing on traditions in the Jewish home. RSVP: [office@netivotmontessori.com](mailto:office@netivotmontessori.com) 732.985.4626 walk-ins welcome

### **JR NCSY INFO**

Jr NCSY is selling sweatshirts!! They are green, zip up, and are \$18. If you would like one, call Tzvi 732-991-2252 or Gavi 732-406-3744. We are having a learning program Shavuot night, from 11pm until 12, in OT. If your child is not staying in OT after for the remainder of the

learning program, please arrange a way for him/her to get home.

### **PARK MIKVAH**

The Edison/Highland Park Mikvah will be open Sunday-Thursday, 9-11PM. Saturday nights through the end of May, the mikvah opens at 9:45pm. SHAVUOS by appointment only, as are all Friday nights and Yom Tovs, and must be made by Thursday night at 8:30pm. Fee \$15. OUT OF HOURS: additional \$20. Call 732-249-2411

### **YESHIVA TIFERES**

#### **NAFTOLI TORAH DEDICATION DINNER**

Sun, June 6; 5pm- honoring Dr. & Mrs. Ira Krumholtz. The dinner will be held at the Crystal Ballroom at the Radisson Hotel, 50 Gibson Place, Freehold, NJ. For ads and reservations call 732-446-5841.

#### **KEYLIM MIKVAH HOURS OF OPERATION**

The OT Keylim Mikvah will be open Sunday Mornings from 9AM to 12 Noon. Please make sure to leave the area clean and neat.

#### **FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS**

-Rebbitzen Eichenstein will not be having classes this Sunday, May 23 and Monday, May 24. For more information, please contact Aviva Siegel at [sieglmom@optonline.net](mailto:sieglmom@optonline.net) or Ricki Stern 732-828-6939 [rickistern@yahoo.com](mailto:rickistern@yahoo.com).

-Mrs. Miri Cohen's ladies Parsha class will meet Wednesday morning, May 26 at 9:15 AM at the home of Ricki Samel, 427 Dennison St, Highland Park.

-The Women's AMEN Group will be continuing to meet weekly, Sunday mornings at Congregation Ohr Torah, 1<sup>st</sup> classroom downstairs to the left of the stairway. The group will begin promptly at 9:30 AM. All women and girls are invited to join. The group prays in the 'Zechus' of Menachem Mordechai Ben Ophira and other Cholim on community lists and individual's requests.

-Looking for women to say Shir Hashirim (*in your own home*) this Friday night after licht bentchen.

Please contact E.J. Berman at [EJPartyworks@aol.com](mailto:EJPartyworks@aol.com).

-If you would like to be included in a challah baking segullah for this coming Shabbos on Thursday night or Friday (hafrasha should be done Thursday night after dark or Friday) please contact E.J. at the above email address. It should be in the zechus of a refuah shleimah for Menachem Mordechai ben Ophira. Remember to please say a tefillah for Menachem Mordechai when you do the hafrasha AND when the dough is being kneaded. It could be your own personal tefillah or tehillim.

### **RPRY RAFFLE**

RPRY announces its annual raffle for Jewish Education. Grand prize are 2 tickets to Israel plus 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> place prizes. Drawing is scheduled for 6/14. Tickets are \$36 apiece or 3 for \$100. Please see the flyer for more details. For tickets please see OT contacts Russ Adler, Barry Siegel, Leeor Jerushalmy, Brian Dube or Asaf Shmuel.

### **LOCAL ERUV**

Please call 732-247-ERUV for status of the Eruv.

Shabbat Nasso

Candlelighting 7:55 PM

Mincha/ Maariv 6:00 (plag), 7, 7:30 & 8:05 PM

### **VISIT OHR TORAH ON THE WEB!**

Ohr Torah can now be found on the internet at <http://www.ohrtorah.net> You can join the email list for Weekly Announcements. Any ideas and comments about the site can be sent to [webmaster@ohrtorah.net](mailto:webmaster@ohrtorah.net) Announcements should be sent to [announcements@ohrtorah.net](mailto:announcements@ohrtorah.net) Submit all announcements by 7 PM Wednesday. **TELEPHONE:** Call 732-777-6840, press Newsletter option (spell all names)

**PLEASE NOTE:** Please make sure that you leave a contact/callback name and phone # in case there is a question regarding the item you wish to be printed, otherwise it may not be included.