



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Shabbos Parsha Bamidbar

24 Iyar 5771

May 28 2011

Pre-Plag Mincha:	6:00 PM
Shabbos Candlelighting:	7:59 PM
Mincha:	7:00: 7:30 & 8:05 PM
<i>Please note start of 7:30 PM Mincha Minyan</i>	
Shacharis:	7:45, 9:00 & 9:15 AM
Rabbi Hoffman's Shiur on Minchas Chinuch	
After Hashkama	
Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA):	9:13 AM
Kollel Seder 4-6 pm	
Kollel Mincha:	6:00 PM
Rabbi Luban's Rosh Hashanah Shiur:	
7:05 PM	
Mincha:	1:45, 6:00 & 7:55PM
Shalosh Seudos Speaker: R. Josh Rapps	
Maariv:	9:05PM
Weekday Shacharis:	
Sun & Mon (Memorial Day)	7:15, 8 & 9AM
Thurs.	6:20, 7:05, 8 AM
Tues, Wed & Fri	6:30, 7:10, 8 AM
Weekday Mincha/ Maariv:	8:10 PM
Weekday Maariv	10:10 PM
Rabbi Luban's Shailos Uteshuvos Shiur:	
Monday Night: 9:10 PM	
Tuesday Tehillim – 9:50 PM	
Daf Yomi Summer Schedule	
Sunday-after 8 am Shacharis	
Monday-Thursday-starting at 7:30 and continuing after Maariv	
Friday-after 7pm Kabbolas Shabbos	
Shabbos- one hour before Mincha	

MAZEL TOV
 ...to Clara and Jonas Waizer on the birth of a daughter, Tehila Esther, to their children Adina and Yehuda Muehlgay of Passaic, NJ. Mazel Tov to Aunt and Uncle, Mindy and David Waizer and the entire Waizer family.
 ...Hinda and Barry Herman on the birth of a son to their children Orit and Tzvi Herman of Passaic, NJ. Mazel Tov to the entire Herman family.

KIDDUSH
 Due to the generosity of close to 50 sponsors, Ohr Torah will host a gala Kiddush this Shabbos to celebrate Yom Yerushalayim at both Hashkama and the Main Minyan. Ohr Torah is most grateful to the children of RPRY for preparing art work to decorate our social hall for the Yom Yerushalayim Kiddush.

SHALOSH SEUDOS
 Shalosh seudos is sponsored by the Siegel, Wiesel, Schneider and Anonymous families.

PEREK ON THE LAWN
 The speaker for this week's Perek on the Lawn is Jeff Klein. The Perek will take place at 5:30 PM at the home of Michael and Penny Kaplan, located at 6 Opatut Court. Light refreshments will be served.

TISCH FOR BOYS
 Boys grade 10 and older are invited to attend an inspiring tisch on Friday night at 9:30pm at the home of Greg and Sari Shalom, 6 Celler Rd, with Rav Reuven Taragin. Rav Taragin is the Dean of Overseas Students at Yeshivat Hakotel.

NUSACH HATFILOH COURSE
 Congregation Ohr Torah is pleased to present the continuation of a course in Nusach Hatfiloh through the Belz School of Rabbi Isaac Elchanan Theological Seminary at Yeshiva University. The last session of the Nusach Hatfiloh course will take place on Sunday June 5 from 8:00 - 9:30 AM in YFM room on lower level. All registrees should go there at that time and walk-ins are welcome. For additional information call Bayrish Schreiber at 732-572-1188.

SHUL PICNIC
 Please reserve Sunday, June 26th for our Shul Picnic. More details to follow.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS
YAD LEAH THANKS THE COMMUNITY
 A tremendous Yasher Kochachem & thank you goes out to the members of our community who participated in our B"H most successful drive on May 15th. We sent a truckload of clothing & household goods to Yad Leah which will BE"H be shipped to 15 communities in Eretz Yisrael as well as a sizeable amount of cash donations to help

defray the organization's costs. A special thank you goes out to our volunteers for their time, efforts & energy.

RPRY RAFFLE
 RPRY announces its annual raffle for Jewish Education. Grand prize are 2 tickets to Israel plus 2nd & 3rd place prizes. Drawing is scheduled for 6/20. 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 Josh Caplan.

RUTGERS JEWISH EXPERIENCE
 The Rutgers Jewish Xperience invites the entire community to their Annual Breakfast on Sunday, June 12 at Ohr Torah, from 9 -10:30 am. The program will feature both college students and community members whose lives have been touched by this organization. For more information or for Sponsorship opportunities, please contact Elie Borger, Larry Greenman, Jeff Klein, Jonas Waizer or Moshe Wiesel, or email office@rutgersjx.com

FIRST AID SQUAD DISCOUNT CARDS
 The First Aid Squad Discount Cards for the coming year are now available! The Cards are available from most Squad Members, Leah Paretzky at (732) 985-0764, and David Loewenstein at (908) 416-1523. There are 4 cards this year. The price is \$25 for any 2 cards or \$40 for any 4.

AUTHOR TALK SET FOR JUNE 14
 Dr. Alan Singer, a local marriage and family therapist will be speaking on his new book [Creating Your Perfect Family Size](#) - Tuesday, June 14 at 7:00 PM at the Highland Park Public Library, 31 North Fifth Avenue. For More Information please contact Ms. Valeri Drach Weidmann at the library 732-572-2750 or visit www.FamilyThinking.com

AHAVAS ACHIM UNIVERSITY TO PRESENT RABBI REUVEN TARAGIN
 This Shabbat, May 28, a special pre-Yom Yerushalayim AAU program featuring Rabbi Reuven Taragin of Yeshivat Hakotel in Yerushalayim begins. Rabbi Taragin will speak in the Main Sanctuary on Shabbat morning before Mussaf. His topic is: "Yerushalayim: A Tale of Two Cities." On Shabbat afternoon, he will give a Shiur, at 7 pm, in the Main Sanctuary. Beginning at 8pm Rabbi Reuven Taragin, will run a special Mincha and ruach-filled Seudah Shlishit program for young men in grades 8-12 in the Beit Midrash.

JFVS BRINGS BROADWAY TO MONROE
 Jewish Family and Vocational Service of Middlesex County (JFVS) will present the musical revue, They Changed Broadway, on Sunday June 5th at 3PM at the Marasco Performing Arts Center at Monroe Township High School. Proceeds from this special performance will support JFVS social service programs. Tickets for this Broadway quality show are only \$25. For tickets, see or call Murray Katz (732-985-7348), call 732-777-1940 or 609-395-7979 or visit www.jfvs.org. Sponsorship opportunities and Playbill advertisements available.

CHUG IVRIT
 The next meeting of Chug Ivrit (Hebrew Club) for intermediate to advanced Hebrew speakers will

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 introduce yourself.

KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP
 Kiddush sponsorship is available June 11th & 25th and July 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th. To sponsor a Kiddush or reserve the Kiddush room, please contact Mel Barenholtz in person, by phone or email: 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 and request to be added to the distribution.

BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES
 Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702 or at 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 732-759-8558. For more info. Call Moish at 732-759-8070 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 or 732-572-4408

HOUSEKEEPING
 For housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith at ludeej@gmail.com or 732-572-5633.

OHR TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM EVENTS
 Children can register for events on Ohr Torah's website "ohrtorah.net" or by calling Mayer Berg at 732-572-3429.

REFUAH SHLEIMAH LEARNING
 Please see the Ohr Torah website, www.ohrtorah.net, for the various schedules of learning as a Z'chus for a Refuah Shleimah for members of our shul and community.

REMINDER: The emergency Defibrillator is mounted on the wall in the hallway. PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR MORE OHR TORAH INFORMATION

be on [Sunday, June 19, at 11:00 a.m.](#) at a private home in the Highland Park area. Chug Ivrit is sponsored by the Raritan Valley Chapter of Hadassah. It is free and open to both men and women. You do not need to be a member of Hadassah to attend. We chat in Hebrew and read a short Hebrew story or article. We sometimes do a Hebrew crossword puzzle. We also sometimes watch Israeli sitcoms on the internet. For more information, contact Rachel Weintraub at [732-819-9298](tel:732-819-9298) or rachel@weintraubworld.net

TORAH KID LEAGUES

WE'RE BACK FOR ANOTHER FUN-FILLED SEASON!!! Get revved up for the start of TORAH-KID LEAGUES!!! . . . a popular Sunday morning (10:00 am - 11:30 am) baseball, soccer, golf, and flag football skills-building sports league for boys ages 5-12. Divrei Torah included! Spaciously-located in Highland Park, there are 2 sessions running in June and July (four Sundays each month). For more information and to register, contact the director at TorahKidLeagues@yahoo.com or call (732) 985-1050. Please register early!

ACTT

The ACTT (Achieving Change through Torah) organization helps individuals succeed in making meaningful and lasting changes in their lives. The ACTT web-site, www.actt613.org, contains the audio of the shiurim from the ACTT program and the corresponding module packets. For more info, e-mail info@actt613.org or call Phil Rosen (732) 572-8762 or Aviva Siegel (732) 572-4408.

SUMMER MALE CAMP STAFF POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Due to high camper registration Additional male staff spots now available at select YACHAD/NJCD programs

- Male counselors for campers age (13-21) from June 27th -August 23rd
 - Male Job Coaches from June 27th- August 18th
- One session options available at both programs Staff application can be downloaded at www.njcd.org. For more info please call: Ahuva at 212-613-8376 or e-mail JacobsohnA@ou.org

YACHAD/NJCD camper and vocational summer programs are for individuals with disabilities and are held within modern orthodox sleepaway camps.

SR NCSY NEWS & EVENTS

Srs: -Sign up for spring regional tonight, at njncsy.com!! (May 26th-29th) The earlier you sign up, the easier it will be to get scholarships. Please call or text with any questions Gavi 732.406.3744 tzvi 732. 991.2252

WOMEN'S GROUPS

-Rebbitzen Eichenstein will not be having class on Sunday, May 29. Parsha class will be held on Monday, May 30 at 8:00 PM at Cong. Ohr Torah. Classes are for women only. For more info, please contact Aviva Siegel at siegelmom@optonline.net, Ricki Stern 732-828-6939 rickistern@yahoo.com. - Mrs. Miri Cohen's ladies Parsha class will not be meeting Wednesday morning, June 1. -The Women's AMEN Group meets weekly on Sundays at 9:30 AM in a downstairs classroom at Congregation Ohr Torah. To participate in challah baking or saying Shir Hashirim in the zechus of a refuah shelaimah for Menachem Mordechai ben Ophira, please contact E.J. Berman at 732-991-8090 or EJPartyworks@aol.com.

-Tiferes, a Chofetz Chaim Heritage Foundation program for women, will be meeting on Motzai Shabbos, June 4 at 10:00 PM at the home of Debbie Schneider, 19 Harrison Street, Edison. An inspirational DVD by renowned speakers, containing practical ideas, inspiration, and tools to make ones home the place one wants it to be, will be shown. Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting are also available to Tiferes members. For more information, please contact Aviva siegelmom@optonline.net or Debbie Schneider 732-572-4713. *The Highland Park / Edison group of Tiferes is zecher l'nishmas Malka bas Shalom, Malky Herzig.*

RABBI HOFFMAN'S SHIUR

Rabbi Hoffman's shiur on topics in Masechta Brochos meets on Wednesday evenings at 8:30 pm at the Agudah. For more info or to be added to the e-mail list to receive notifications of weekly

topics, please contact Russell Adler at radler@ebglaw.com

EMPLOYMENT NETWORK OF RARITAN VALLEY

Looking for work? We can help. Go to www.ENRV.org or contact Bob Lansey at enrv@verizon.net. We post over 100 jobs each month, and help people with their resume and search strategies.

Please help: If you know of any professional, part-time, or temporary job openings, please e-mail the information to enrv@verizon.net

PARK MIKVAH

The Edison/Highland Park Mikvah will be open 9-11pm Sunday-Thursday evening. Friday nights are by appointment only, and must be made by Thursday night at 8:30pm. Saturday nights in May, the Mikvah is open from 9:45-1:15pm. Fee \$15. OUT OF HOURS: additional \$20. You must arrive and leave during regular Mikvah hours.

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.

LOCAL ERUV

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

Shabbos Naso	
Candlelighting	8:05 PM
Mincha	7:00, 7:30 & 8:15PM

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 Announcements should be sent to announcements@ohrtorah.net Submit all announcements by 7 PM Wednesday. **TELEPHONE:** Call 732-777-6840, press Newsletter option (spell all names)

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