



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Parsha Ekev

20 Av 5773

July 27, 2013

Pre-Plag Mincha:	6:00 PM
Candlelighting:	8:00 PM
Mincha:	7:00, 7:30 & 8:10 PM
Shacharis:	7:45, 9:00 & 9:15 AM
<i>Rabbi Hoffman's Shiur – after Hashkama</i>	
Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA):	9:27 AM
<i>Kollel Learning Seder: 4-6 PM</i>	
Kollel Mincha:	6:00PM
<i>Rabbi Luban's Gemara Sotah Shiur: 7:00 PM</i>	
Mincha:	1:45, & 7:50PM
<i>Shalosh Seudos Speaker: Jake Stern</i>	
Maariv:	9:00PM
Weekday Shacharis:	
Sun	7:15, 8 & 9 AM
Mon & Thurs.	6:20, 7:05, 8 & 9 AM
Tues., Wed. & Fri.	6:30, 7:10, 8, & 9 AM
Weekday Mincha/ Maariv:	8:00 PM
Weekday Maariv	10:10 PM
Daf Yomi Times	
Monday-Thursday-7:30PM. Friday -after 7 PM	
Kabolos Shabbos. Shabbos-1 hour before	
Mincha. Sunday -after 8am Shacharis	

MAZEL TOV

...to Linda Moed Cohen and Hillel Cohen on the engagement of their daughter Leora to Sam Schiff of Highland Park, son of David and Devra Schiff.

... to the Tiefenbrunn and Gopin families on the birth of Yaffa Baila to Josh and Chana Gopin.

SHALOSH SEUDOS

Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by Henry and Sheila Schanzer in memory of Henry's sister, Chana Schanzer Steinberg, Chana bas Berachiah, A'H.

PLEASE CONFIRM SEATS FOR YOMIM

NORA'IM

Seat reservations were processed and a chart is now available to confirm the accuracy of Member submissions. Please take a minute to check the posted forms and contact the Seating Committee if an adjustment is needed. For late submissions, the procedure remains the same. Mail replies for both the Main Minyan and the Hashkama Minyan (Note: replies can be dropped into the Shul mailbox on Edgemount Road). Before an application is processed, the Board requires that payment for the 2013 seats accompany the reservation and that balances are paid up through the year 2012, including all past membership dues and pledges. Anyone in arrears can make special arrangements before reservations are accepted by contacting either Robert Kreitman or Brian Allen at [732-572-0329](tel:732-572-0329). Those wishing to discuss special seating needs at the Hashkama Minyan can contact Gershon Klavan in person or via E-mail at othashkama@hotmail.com. Thank you. Chasiva v'chasimna tova.

SEFORIM DONATIONS

Ohr Torah would like to thank Gedalia & Phyllis Reiss for their generous seforim donation to the Shaje Weiss memorial Beis Medrash library in memory of their parents Dr. Joseph Kaminetsky, Selma Kaminetsky, Rabbi Phillip H. Reiss and grandmother Sarah Marcus Z"L. May the Neshamos have an Aliyah.

NEW MEMBERS

Please welcome new members:

-David and Leah Kelman

PLATELETS NEEDED

Mrs. Toby Eleff, (Yonina Chasya bas Sarah) received an autologous stem cell transplant on July 17th at Sloan-Kettering. She will be in need of blood (B+) and platelets (any blood type) until about July 31st. Anyone who is able to donate please contact the

Donor Room at Sloan (212-639-7643) to direct the donation to her. All donations must be done at Sloan. A voucher is provided for parking in the Sloan garage.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

KHAL CHASSIDM

Men and women of the community are invited to "Halachic - Q and A - real cases and how Gedolei Yisroel answered." Rabbi Aharon Pessin is the author of multiple seforim and has a worldwide online following of his shiurim. In addition to his own extensive Torah knowledge, Rabbi Pessin arranges visits for individuals and accompanies them to Gedolim for answers to real life, difficult questions. Rabbi Pessin's presentation will follow Mincha (8:05 pm) this Sunday, July 28th at Rabbi Horowitz' Shteible, 46 North 8th Ave

RJX HOUSE- SPONSORSHIP

OPPORTUNITIES:

The Rutgers Jewish Xperience is starting their own Kosher House on campus, and the following items need sponsors:

- Pots and Pans. Barbecue Grill. Breadmaker.
 - 12 Mezuzahs. Schach.
 - Folding Chairs. Folding Tables.
- Please email Rabbi Lewis at YLewis@RutgersJX.com if you can

RABBI SAM SHOR VISITS

Rabbi Sam Shor, Director of Leadership Development and Adult Jewish Learning at Isralight in Jerusalem, and beloved faculty member at Isralight's Yeshivat Orayta, returns once again to share inspirational teaching with our Highland Park community. Sunday Coffee, Cake and Conversation with Rabbi Sam Shor His talk is titled "Field of Dreams: Clarifying the Mystique of Eretz Yisrael" Hosted by the Gordon Family, 207 South Fifth Ave., Highland Park, NJ Requested minimum contribution to Isralight of \$18.help. All gifts are tax deductible.

"MY SECOND ALIYAH"

On Motzei Shabbat, August 10, at 9:45pm, Elie Hochhauser will be discussing life in Ariel, a predominantly secular city and how the Anglo/Dati Olim are helping Ariel reach its potential. Light refreshments will be served. Please join us at the Hochhauser home, 12 Celler Rd, Edison. For more information call Albie at [732-979-4653](tel:732-979-4653), or email Elie at ElieHoch@yahoo.com

FOR WOMEN

- Rebbitzen Eichenstein will not be having class on Sunday, July 28 and Monday, July 29. For more info, please contact Aviva Siegel at [732-572-4408](tel:732-572-4408) siegelmom@optonline.net, Ricki Stern [732-828-6939](tel:732-828-6939) rickistern@yahoo.com.
- Mrs. Leah Drillman's Shimiras Haloshon class for women will resume after the Yomim Tovim. For more info, please call Ellen at [201-410-1893](tel:201-410-1893) or [732-777-6787](tel:732-777-6787).
- Mrs. Miri Cohen's ladies Parsha class will resume in the fall.
- Tiferes, a Chofetz Chaim Heritage Foundation program for women, will meet Motzai

KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP

Kiddush sponsorship is available for August 3rd, 17th & 31st. To sponsor a Kiddush or reserve the Kiddush room, please contact Mel Barenholtz in person, or by phone or email: mbarenh@yahoo.com.

To sponsor a ShaloshSeudos, please contact Moshe Wiesel.

OHR TORAH NEWSLETTER

To subscribe to these Announcements, please see the Ohr Torah website: www.ohrtorah.net

BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES

Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702 or at 8848 (cell), reenagreenspan@yahoo.com or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or genew@compugene.com or mschneider19@yahoo.com.

TREE OF LIFE and/or YAHRZEIT PLAQUES

To dedicate a Yahrzeit Plaque or a Leaf for the Lobby EitzChayim Tree, please contact Moish Nat by sending a detail 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 contact Barry Siegel siegeldad@optonline.net.

HOUSEKEEPING

For housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith at ludeeju@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 RefuahShleimah for members of our shul and community.

FUNERAL/ SHIVA ANNOUNCEMENTS

For funeral and Shiva email and phone mail announcements contact Reena Greenspan 732-828-5642 (home) 732-678-8848 (cell), reenagreenspan@yahoo.com or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or genew@compugene.com

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

Shabbos, August 10 at 10:00 PM at the home of Miriam Widofsky, 145 North 10th Ave., Highland Park. An inspirational DVD will be shown. Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting are also available to Tiferes members. Current teleconference series: "Effective Parenting for Harmonious Living through Understanding and Action" given by Dr. Sara Teichman, Psy.D, noted Binah Columnist. For more information or to become a member, please contact Aviva sieglmom@optonline.net or Debbie Schneider [732-572-4713](tel:732-572-4713). The Highland Park / Edison group of Tiferes is zecher Inishmas Malka bas Shalom, Malky Herzig

-The Women's AMEN Group meets weekly on Sundays at 9:30 AM in a downstairs classroom at Congregation Ohr Torah. The group meets in the zechus of a refuah shelaimah for Menachem Mordechai ben Ophira and other Cholim in the community.

-Collecting Sheitels: Keren Kol Kallah - established to provide orphan and destitute kallahs in Israel with essential needs. Donated custom sheitels, some brand-new, some gently worn, are sold to women in Israel who would not otherwise have the funds to buy a quality wig. All the money raised at the sale goes towards a hachnasas kallah fund which helps needy brides in Eretz Yisrael. Sheitels can be dropped off by Aviva, 16 Edgemount Road, Edison. For more info, please see contact Aviva Siegel [732-572-4408](tel:732-572-4408) sieglmom@optonline.net

COLLECTING CLOTHES

Abby and Albie Hochhauser are planning to make aliyah later this year. In honor of this special event, we are collecting baby clothes - new and "like new" for the organization Just One Life, which helps needy Israeli families deal with financial and other challenges of having a new baby. Please drop off any new or "like new" baby clothes, sizes preemie through 12 months, on the front porch @ 12 Celler Road in Edison. Other layette items such as receiving blankets are also welcome. The deadline for donations is August 15. If you would like a receipt or more information about this organization, please contact me. abby.hochhauser@gmail.com

EMPLOYMENT NETWORK OF RARITAN VALLEY

Looking for work? We can help. Go to www.ENRV.org or contact Bob Lansey at ENRVInfo@gmail.com. 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 ENRVInfo@gmail.com.

PARK MIKVAH HOURS

The Edison / Highland Park Mikvah will be open Sunday – Thursday from 9-11pm. Friday nights are by APPOINTMENT ONLY. Saturday nights through July 27th, the hours are 10:00-11:30pm. You must arrive and leave during regular Mikvah hours. Fee is \$20. OUT OF HOURS: additional \$20. For additional information or to schedule an appointment, please

call [732-249-2411](tel:732-249-2411). As we are preparing for our annual VIRTUAL TEA, if you are a new member to the community, or you have not received our mailings in the past, please email your address and phone number to the Park Mikvah at hpmikvah@gmail.com.

KEYLIM MIKVAH HOURS OF OPERATION

Ohr Torah Keylim Mikvah hours are, officially, 7:15 – 9:45 AM on Sunday mornings. Additionally, the Keylim Mikvah can be used when the Shul is open during Minyan hours. The Shul is locked (for security purposes) during non-Minyan hours. If you need special access, please speak to a Shul Gabbai. Please leave the area clean and neat.

LOCAL ERUV

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

Parsha Re'e	
Candlelighting	7:53 PM
Mincha	7:00, 7:30 & 8:00PM

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