



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Rabbi Yaakov Luban – Rabbi

Russell Adler- President

Parshas Shelach Lechah

26 Sivan 5775

June 13, 2015

Pre-Plag Mincha	6:00 PM
Candlelighting:	8:10 PM
Mincha:	7:00, 7:30 & 8:20 PM
Shacharis:	7:45, 9 & 9:15 AM
<i>Rabbi Hoffman's Shiur after Hashkama</i>	
Sof Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA):	9:12 AM
<i>Kollel Learning</i>	<i>4:00-6:00 PM</i>
<i>Perek on the Lawn</i>	<i>5:30 PM</i>
Kollel Mincha	6:00 PM
<i>Rabbi Luban's Sotah Shiur – 7:15 PM</i>	
Mincha:	1:45 & 8:05 PM
<i>Shalosh Seudos Speaker: Josh Cypess</i>	
Maariv:	9:15 PM
Weekday Shacharis:	
Sun.	7:15, 8 & 9 AM
Mon.	6:20, 7:05, 8 & 9AM
Tue., & Fri.	6:30, 7:10, 8 & 9AM
Wed. & Thu. (Rosh Chodesh)	6:10, 7:05, 8 & 9AM
Weekday Mincha/ Maariv:	8:20 PM
<i>R. Luban's Sheilos Uteshuvos Shiur has ended for the season – the shiur will iy'H resume after the Yamim Noraim</i>	
<i>Rabbi Sauer's Daf Yomi Iyuan Shiur – Sunday after 7:15 AM Shacharis</i>	
<i>Rabbi Billowitz' Halacha Shiur – Sunday after 8 AM Shacharis</i>	
<i>Tuesday Night Tehillim – 9:50- 10:10 PM</i>	
<i>Kollel Learning: Wednesday 8-10:10 PM</i>	
<i>TNL – THURS. NIGHT LIVE: 9:00PM</i>	
Weekday Maariv	10:10 PM
Daf Yomi	
Monday - Thursday - 7:45 PM, Friday-after Kabolos Shabbos & Maariv, Shabbos -One hour before Mincha, Sunday -After 8 AM Shacharis	

BARUCH HABAH

Ohr Torah welcomes newcomers, visitors and guests who are joining us. If our President, Russell Adler or Rabbi Yaakov Luban does not get a chance to welcome you personally, please introduce yourself.

KIDDUSH

Kiddush this week is being sponsored by Ohr Torah families to celebrate and pay tribute to our graduates. Mazel Tov to all! Kiddush sponsorship is available for June 27th and July 18th & 25th.

SHALOSH SEUDOS

Shalosh Seudos this week is sponsored by Mel Barenholtz in honor of the Yahrzeit of his wife, Mynda Kate Barenholtz, A"H.

PEREK ON THE LAWN SERIES 2015

Perk on the lawn this Shabbos will be at Chani and Eli Wiesel residence, 470 Harrison Ave, in memory of Chani's mother, Miriam bat Dovid. The Shiur will be given by Jonathan Teitelbaum at 5:30 pm .

FLOWERS SPONSORSHIP

Ohr Torah is once again planning to put flowers into the concrete planters in front of the building in an effort to beautify the exterior of our Shul. We are looking for \$50

sponsors per planter to help defray the cost of the flowers. If you would like to sponsor a planter, please contact Russell Adler, Robert Kreitman or Leslie Ney.

MAZEL TOV

...to Shoshana and Brian Allen on being honored as this year's parents of the year at The Jewish Educational Centers annual Dinner.

...to Miriam and Michael Rabinowitz on being honored as this year's parents of the year at The Yeshiva Tiferes Naftoli annual Dinner.

...to Lisa and David Goldberg on being honored at the Yeshivat Reishit Dinner.

...to Gila and Ephraim Gerszberg on Mia's Bat Mitzvah this weekend. Mazel Tov to her siblings Shep, Eitan, Gabriel and Ella, to grandparents Shelly and Aryeh Zinkin and Rose Gerszberg and to all the aunts, uncles and cousins.

RETIREE'S LUNCH AND LEARN PROGRAM PRESENTS

A Wing and a Prayer which tells the virtually unknown story of World War II aviators who risked their lives in 1948 to prevent a second Holocaust. This hour-long film features exclusive interviews by the operation's key members, including mastermind Al Schwimmer and chief pilot Sam Lewis. Dr. William Gewirtz will deliver a D'var Torah. Mr. Henry Schanzer will give a short introduction to the film. Place: Ohr Torah Date: Tues., June 16th. Time: 12 Noon The program will include a light lunch followed by the video and discussion. It is open to all retirees in the community and will be a wonderful opportunity to socialize with each other in a meaningful way. Please tell your friends and plan to attend. To reserve: We must know if you are joining us at least 3 days before the event to better serve you. There will be a charge of \$10 per person to help defray the cost of the meal. OT will subsidize the additional expenses. RSVP to Bella blerner18@optonline.net or 732 317-1786, Mildred 732-572-1712 or Marcia 732 572 5998 ppheffer@verizon.net

SHABBOS ACHDUS

We are pleased to announce that our annual Shabbos Achdus will be July 4 with Shacharis at 8:45AM. All 4 of our regular Minyanim will be Davening together and we will be celebrating the Achdus at a special Kiddush. To be a \$25 co- sponsor, please contact Ari Lockspeiser alockspeiser@wgwnlaw.com Roseann Koenigson rkoenigson@gmail.com, Yoel Schwartz jkschwartz@optonline.net or Russell Adler otprez613@gmail.com.

SPECIAL SHABBAT PLANNED

We are pleased to announce that Shabbat June 27-28 will be a special Shabbat dedicated to the life and Torah of Rav Aharon Lichtenstein Z"TL. Joining us that Shabbat will be Rav Daniel Wolf who has been a Rosh Mesivta at Yehivat Har Etzion for over 30 years, and is the author of 3 Seforim. Rav Wolf was the chief editor of Rav Lichtenstein's Seforim on Shas, which recently won the prestigious Israel Prize. Rav Wolf will be speaking in both the Hashkoma Minyan and main Minyan He will speak at 5:30 at the home of Susie and Barry Wolf on a topic to be announced. He will also speak at a special Shalosh Seudot about Rav Lichtenstein's life and Torah.

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

There will be a meeting of the membership on June 30 after Maariv. Agenda will be forthcoming.

UNVEILING

Unveiling for Joel Adler A"H will take place on Sunday, July 12, at New Montefiore cemetery.

CONDOLENCES

Congregation Ohr Torah extends sincere condolences to Ira and Zvi Spiler on the loss of their mother, Marcia Spiler, A"H. Shiva will be observed starting at 10PM Motzoei Shabbos at River Ridge Apts, 30 S. Adelaide Avenue, Highland Park, Apt 4F. Maariv on Motzoei Shabbos will be held at the Spiler home at 16 Marshall Drive, Edison at 9:15 PM. Shacharis on Sunday morning will be held at the River Ridge Apts, at 8:00 AM. Shiva will end on Sunday morning. *May you be comforted among the mourners of Tzion and Yerushalayim.*

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

JEC

The Jewish Educational Center is holding its Annual Gala on Wednesday evening, June 17th at the Venetian in Garfield, NJ. We are honored that this year's Parents of the Year are our members Dr. Brian and Shoshana Allen. The Rav Teitz Mesivta Academy division of the JEC will celebrate its 60th anniversary that evening with a gala Siyum. Mazel Tov ads may be placed in the celebratory dinner journal by visiting TheJEC.org, where dinner reservations may be made there as well.

A WEEKEND BASH(EIRT)

We would like to welcome all of the guests of our Shabbaton who have traveled from near and far to join us for Shabbos. The community and Shuls are happy to host you and we wish you Mazel and Bracha. May this Shabbos be the start of wonderful new beginnings! Older singles, there will be an additional Shabbaton! Shabbos #3: Sept 11-

REMINDER: The emergency Defibrillators are located on the wall in the upstairs hallway and on the wall in the downstairs entry hallway. CHEVRA HATZOLAH OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY 732-640-5545

12th for singles ages 50+. Please visit our website to register and learn about the event: aweekendbasheirt.com. Questions? Please feel free to contact Leale Cohen at info@aweekendbasheirt.com.

VISITING SOFER

The Sofer will be available to check Mezzuzot and Tefillin this Sunday, June 14, from 10AM at Judaica Gallery, 300 Raritan Ave, Highland Park. If possible, please call ahead for an appointment or bring items to be checked by the Sofer to the store on the preceding Thursday or Friday. For questions or to make an appt, call [732-828-7722](tel:732-828-7722).

HP FIRST AID SQUAD DISCOUNT CARDS

The Highland Park First Aid discount cards are available for purchase. Cost is \$40. for 2 cards and \$50. for 3 cards. Cards may be purchased from any squad member or Leah Paretzky 985-0764

FATHERS DAY BLOOD DRIVE

Fathers Day blood drive Sunday, June 21 at Cong Ahavas Achim, 216 S. First Ave. HP. Babysitting avail. For more info, please contact Ira Rosen at [732-393-1018](tel:732-393-1018) or ira_rosen@yahoo.com.

BIKUR CHOLIM

-VISITORS WANTED--Bikur Cholim is seeking volunteers to visit Ms. Mollie Reuben, Sara Genchik, and Ms. Esther Tucker at the Regency nursing home on DeMott Lane and Dr. Miriam Engelsohn at Care One, 599 Cranbury Rd, East Brunswick. If you are able to help out, please call Rahel Baruh at [732-672-4673](tel:732-672-4673) or email rbaruh@yahoo.com. Tizku l'mitzvot

-COORDINATORS AND DRIVERS NEEDED FOR BIKUR CHOLIM TRANSPORTATION: The Bikur Cholim Transportation Committee coordinates rides to and from medical appointments. The coordinator matches requesters with an available driver. Each coordinator serves for two weeks at a time. To volunteer to coordinate or drive, contact the Bikur Cholim hotline at [\(732\) 572-7181](tel:732-572-7181) or fill out the volunteer form on the website bikurcholimrv.org.

REBBETZIN SIMA SPETNER TO SPEAK

The Yeshiva Shaarei Tzion PTA, in conjunction with Edison/Highland Park Connects, invite all mothers to a special parenting seminar given by the world renowned Chinuch expert: Rebbetzin Sima Spetner, an educational psychologist with over 35 years of experience. Date: July 19 - July 24. Time: 10AM - 1PM. Space is limited. Please call/email for pricing and for more info/location. Early Registration discount ends June 29th. Babysitting may become available if needed. For more info, please call: Rachel Silber [732-213-8611](tel:732-213-8611) or e-mail Sara Scott - srhakimi@hotmail.com

MAGLAN UNIT OF THE IDF

My nephew, Dvir is part of an Israeli Special Forces unit (Maglan) that specializes in operating behind enemy lines and deep within hostile territory. Next month, these 32 young men will have finished their 16 month specialized combat education. Their training both mental and physical is known to be one of the toughest in the IDF. The goal is to raise \$18,000. If you would like participate and help you can make the check payable: IDF MAGLAN UNIT FUND ACCOUNT and drop off or mail to: Noah Krasner, 107 Highland Ave, Highland Park, NJ 08904

MITZVAH KOTEL

THE MITZVAH KOTEL- build a wall of the commandments in Jerusalem!

Please join and be a part of this most important and exciting project. Imagine your name listed as one of the cornerstones when built. <http://jewcer.com/project/help-build-a-wall-of-mitzvot>

YESHIVA TIFERES NAFTOLI DINNER

The 10th Annual Dinner of Yeshiva Tiferes Naftoli (Chofetz Chaim HS) will be held on Monday, June 15th at the Radisson Hotel in Freehold. This year's honorees include Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rabinowitz as Parents of the Year. For ads/reservations, please call [732-952-8384](tel:732-952-8384) or go online to ytncnj.org

RARITAN VALLEY HADASSAH NEWS & EVENTS

-The Raritan Valley Hadassah Book Club will meet Sunday, June 21 at 7pm. We are reading the book, Like Dreamers by Yossi Klein Halevi. A winner of the National Jewish Book Award, it tells the fascinating story of seven paratroopers who liberated Jerusalem and divided the nation. All are welcome! Please contact Gustine Matt at [732-545-3147](tel:732-545-3147) or gustinematt@gmail.com for location
-The Raritan Valley Hadassah Chug Ivrit: for intermediate to advanced Hebrew speakers will meet on Sunday, June 21 at 11am. at the home of Frank Stechel, 329 Valentine St., H P. We chat in Hebrew and read a short Hebrew story or article. Please RSVP to Frank at [732-843-5239](tel:732-843-5239) or fstechel@yahoo.com.

FOR WOMEN

- New Edison Gown Gemach! Seeking donations! L'iluy Nishmas R' Yitzchok Ben Binyomin. For more info, call Sara Scott at 516-526-0941
-Bikur Cholim OWLS (Overnight Women Labor Support): A complimentary service for maternity situations whereby volunteers will come to stay with your kids during the night. For more info on receiving this service or becoming a volunteer, please contact Rikki at [732-249-5116](tel:732-249-5116). Thank you.
Women's Learning Initiative:
-Mrs. Miri Cohen's Parsha class: Please call 206-376-9027 on Tuesday evening for status of the shiur.

- SemPlus shiur for post seminary girls - For more info on Wed. night class, call [732-841-1885](tel:732-841-1885).
-Rabbi Bassous: Women's class on Sunday morning 10AM at Cong. Etz Ahaim. Class based on his new book, "The Key to a Successful Life".
-Tiferes DVD for women: SUNDAY, June 28 at 8:15 PM at 16 Edgemount Rd, Edison. Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting are available to Tiferes members. For more info, please contact Aviva [732-572-4408](tel:732-572-4408). The Highland Park / Edison group of Tiferes is zecher l'nishmas Malka bas Shalom.
-Rebbitzen Eichenstein's classes for women: No class on Sun, June 14; Parsha class on Monday, June 15 at 8PM at Cong. Ohr Torah. For more info, please contact Aviva Siegel at [732-572-4408](tel:732-572-4408)

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.

HIGHLAND PARK MIKVAH

The Highland Park Mikvah now has Tzedakah boxes! Please contact Aviva at siegelmom@optonline.net to obtain one.

If you are purchasing from Amazon, please consider signing up with www.amazon.com - a donation will be made to Park Mikvah. The Highland Park Mikvah hours for daylight savings time: Sunday -Thursday evenings from 9PM - 11PM; Friday nights by appointment only. May 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27: 10pm - 11:30 PM. Please arrive with enough time to be out before closing time. For more info, call [732-249-2411](tel:732-249-2411) or email hpmikvah@gmail.com. Thank you. Park Mikvah

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E-MAIL LIST: To get on the Ohr Torah e-mail list, please contact Gene Wasserman at genew@compugene.com.

BUILDING DEDICATION OPPORTUNITIES Contact Moshe Schneider at 732-618-4702.

TREE OF LIFE / 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 contact Barry Siegel siegeldad@optonline.net.

HOUSEKEEPING: For housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith at luddeju@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

YAHRZEIT DATABASE: To register a family member in the Yahrzeit data base, please go to ohrtorah.net and click "Register for OT Yahrzeit Notification" or speak with Ralph Dessau or Gene Wasserman.

LOCAL ERUV: Please call 732-247-ERUV for status of the Eruv

Parshas Korach

Candlelighting - 8:13 PM
Mincha - 7:00, 7:30 & 8:20 PM

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