



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Rabbi Yaakov Luban – Rabbi

Robert Kreitman - President

Parshat Matot-Masei

Tammuz 28, 5770

July 10, 2010

Shabbos Candlelighting:	8:11PM
Plag Mincha:	6:00PM
Mincha:	7:00, 7:30 & 8:20PM
Shacharis:	8:45 AM ONLY
Rabbi Hoffman's Shiur cancelled this week	
Z'man Krias Shma (G'RA):	9:19AM
Kollel Learning Seder - 4-6 PM	
Rabbi Luban's Maseches Rosh Hashana Shiur – 7:15 PM	
Mincha:	1:45, 6:00 & 8:05 PM
Shalosh Seudos speaker: Elihu Chomsky	
followed by a Siyum Mishnayos by Herschel Chomsky	
Maariv:	9:15 PM
Weekday Shacharis:	
Sun	7:15, 8 & 9AM
Mon (Rosh Chodesh)	6:10, 7:05, 8 & 9AM
Tues., Wed, & Fri.	6:30, 7:10, 8 & 9AM
Thurs.	6:20, 7:05, 8 & 9AM
Weekday Mincha/ Maariv:	8:15 PM
Weekday Maariv	10:10 PM

Tuesday Tehillim 9:50 PM

DAF YOMI SCHEDULE

Monday-Thursday before Mincha. 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 July 17th & 24th and August 7th & 14th. 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 732-442-8022. 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 or 732-572-4408

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 Refuah Shleimah for members of our shul and community.

SHABBOS ACHDUS

We are pleased to announce that this Shabbos, July 10th has been designated as our first Shabbos Achdus. The minyan will begin at 8:45 AM and the Main Minyan will be joined by the Hashkamah Minyan, the Young Family Minyan and the Teen Minyan. "Hinei ma tov u'ma na'im, shevet achim gam yachad".

KIDDUSH

The special Shabbos Achdus Kiddush has been generously sponsored this week by:
 -Marcia and Andrew Freedman
 -Mimi and Charlie Gerschbaum
 -Lani and Alan Kaye
 -Rena and Jeffrey Klein
 -Riki and Robert Kreitman
 -Offi Yoffi
 -Felice and Barry Schanzer
 -Glenda and Moshe Sherman
 -Clara and Jonas Waizer

SHALOSH SEUDOS

Shalosh Seudos this week is sponsored by the Chomsky family in memory of the first Yahrzeit of their father Rabbi Aaron Chomsky z"l.

HAMAKOM YENACHEM

Condolences to Phyllis Reiss on the passing of her mother, Mrs. Selma Kaminetsky. Tentatively, Shiva will take place in Israel through Thursday morning; a chain call will go out with any possible changes. Phyllis' phone no. in Israel is 011-972-2-652-8524, and email address id pspeech@aol.com.
May you be comforted amongst the mourners of Tzion and Yerushalayim.

OHR TORAH ANNUAL YOUTH RAFFLE

Please help support Ohr Torah's youth groups by purchasing raffle ticket(s). The cost of the tickets are one for \$36, two for \$70, or 3 for \$100. The drawing will be held at the annual Shul dinner on December 12th. Please contact Barry Siegel, Josh Caplan, Charlie Gershbaum, Lyndon Goldsmith or Meir Berg to purchase tickets. All proceeds support the OT Youth programs. Thank you

TABC SUMMER SHIUR

As part of a summer Bekius Program, Rabbi Yehuda Chanales- a Rebbe in TABC- will be giving shiurim for high school (post 8th grade and up) boys in Masheches Makkos. The shiur will be every Wednesday evening during the summer following OT mincha/maariv, and will take place in the Shul office. For one hour, the shiur will explore topics in the masechta and will conclude with divrei torah on the parsha. For

more information or mekoros e-mail ychanales@gmail.com.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS HALACHA SHIUR

The summer shiur for high school boys on real-life issues in monetary halacha continues this Sunday, after the 9AM Shacharis at OT. The shiur, given by Ariel Caplan, is accompanied by a bagel breakfast for participants. This week's topic is, "The Coke Cap Cash Conundrum." (For more information, please email amcaplan@yu.edu.)

SEFORIM

Thanks to the following for their generous Seforim donations:

- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in honor of the graduation of Elana Akman from Rutgers Graduate School
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in honor of the graduation of Avital Akman from MAYHS
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in honor of the graduation of Alex Akman from RPRY
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in honor of the graduation of Malya Weiss from Bruriah
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in honor of the graduation of Mordechai Weiss from RPRY
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in memory of Arthur Atlas' father Rabbi Seymour Atlas Z"l
- Israel and Rebecca Rivkin in memory of Debby Atlas' father Nathan Schoenfeld Z"l
- Fran & Shmuel Leitman in honor of the bar mitzvah of Phil & Marcia Rosen's grandson Simcha Spolter
- Moshe & Susan Wiesel in memory of Moshe's father Yehoshua Wiesel Z"l
- Moshe & Susan Wiesel in memory of Moshe's mother Rivka Wiesel Z"l
- Moshe & Susan Wiesel in memory of Susan's father Imre Lefkovits Z"l
- Riki & Robert Kreitman in memory of Arthur Atlas' father Rabbi Seymour Atlas Z"l
- Riki & Robert Kreitman in memory of Debby Atlas' father Nathan Schoenfeld Z"l
- Riki & Robert Kreitman in memory of Imre Lefkowitz
- Riki & Robert Kreitman as a zechus for a refuah shleimah for Avraham Yaakov ben Chava Devorah
- Arnie & Janice Lustiger in memory of Susan Wiesel's father Imre Lefkovits Z"l
- Chave and Zephyr Chomsky in memory of their parents Rabbi Aaron and Rebbetzin Lillian Chomsky Z"l
- Aryeh and Shelly Zinkin in memory of Shelly's parents Heshie & Sylvia Dershowitz Z"l

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

-Aryeh and Shelly Zinkin in memory of Aryeh's father Solomon Zinkin Z"l
 -Barbara & Allen Kessel in honor of the birth of Ava Mae to Emily and Seth Gerszberg
 -Simcha & Temima Klerer in memory of Simcha's mother Hela Klerer Z"l
 -Simcha & Temima Klerer in memory of Temim's mother Rosa Leibovici Z"l

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ACTT GUEST SPEAKER
 RABBI YAAKOV LUBAN**

Come hear Rabbi Yaakov Luban, Moreh D'Asra of Congregation Ohr Torah and Executive Rabbinic Coordinator at the Orthodox Union, speak about "Anger - The Destructive Force" at the July 18, 2010 Community-Wide Gathering & Booster Event at 8:15 PM (Mincha 8PM, Maariv after the program) at Congregation Ohav Emeth in Highland Park. Admission is free. The 5th year of the ACTT program started on June 1, 2010 with Anger Management for Positive Results Module 3. Download the learning schedule from the Modules page of www.actt613.org and buy the source book at the Judaica Gallery. For additional info, please call Phil Rosen (732) 572-8762 or Aviva Siegel (732) 572-4408.

BLOOD DRIVE

On Sunday, August 1st, the blood drive will be at our home, 120 Highland Ave., HP, from 9AM to 3PM. Babysitting and fresh cookies will be available. Please call us (Ira, Heidi or Batsheva) at 732-393-1018 to reserve a spot or for more information. Walk-ins are also welcome, and donors may be as young as 16 with parental permission (17 without).

CHILDREN'S FUND

Donations to the 501(c)(3) fund are welcomed by contacting Shoshana Diskind, Minah Kamin, Janice Lustiger, or Tova Josefovitz. Tribute cards may be purchased as well from Tammy Nussbaum. During the summer months, tablecloths for simchos are available by calling Rivka Adler or Irene Siegelman. Tehillim Booklets for weddings may be borrowed by calling Lynn Hanfling.

KEREN KOL KALLAH

I am collecting used or new custom sheitels for Keren Kol Kallah, an organization in Eretz Yisrael, established to provide orphan and destitute kallahs in Israel with essential needs. The sheitels are sold at very discounted prices at a gala sheitel sale to women who would otherwise not 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. Last year's sale profited over \$60,000! If you have a sheitel that you've recently (or not so recently!) retired, or if you are a sheitel macher and have some unsold stock, please donate the sheitel to Keren Kol Kallah. Sheitels can be dropped off by Aviva Siegel, 16 Edgemount Road, Edison. For more info, please see the web site: <http://www.kerenkolkallah.webs.com/> or contact Aviva Siegel at siegelmom@optonline.net. Thank you!

IDF TRIBUTE DINNER

Save the Date: Friends of the IDF - New Jersey Chapter will be having its 6th Annual IDF Tribute Dinner honoring the lone soldiers of the IDF on Saturday evening, November 6, 2010 at the Sheraton Meadowlands Hotel and Conference Center, East Rutherford, NJ. For more info, please contact Margo Katz at (212) 244-3118 ext. 14 or margo.katz@idf.org or Ilean 908-420-0923.

EMUNAH SHOWS FILM

Come join EMUNAH for a screening of the wildly popular Israeli serial "Srugim" about the Katamon community of 20/30-something modern Orthodox singles, known as the Upper West Side of Jerusalem. One or two episodes will be aired, discussion to follow. Men and women are welcome - \$10 per person. August 16th, 8:00 PM at the home of Renee and David Griboff, 19 Hamlin Road in Edison. For more information, please call Stacy Kaplan 732-819-8998, Shuli Stroh 732-651-7702 or Naomi Caplan 732-572-5991.

SOFER AT JUDAICA GALLERY

The Sofer will be at Judaica Gallery, 300 Raritan Avenue, this Sunday July 11th. Those who need to check their mezuzot and tefillin should come down. Store hours are 10am to 5pm. If you know you will be coming please let us know at 732-828-7722. Walk-ins are welcome.

SENIOR NCSY INFO

Are you bored this summer? Want something to do? The Highland Park HYPE is here! Come to OE on Monday nights, from 7:30-9:30 PM for FREE pizza, friends, and learn what YOU want to learn. Get excited! For more info, call Chana Lustiger at 908-209-1820 or email chana.rochel@gmail.com. Get ready to GET HYPED!

PARK MIKVAH

The Edison/Highland Park Mikvah will be open Sunday-Thursday, 9-11PM. Sat. nights through July 24th, the mikvah opens at 10:00pm. The Mikvah WILL BE CLOSED for TISHA B'AV. Friday nights are by appointment only, and must be made by Thursday night at 8:30pm. Fee \$15. OUT OF HOURS: additional \$20. Call 732-249-2411.

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's Navi and Parsha class will resume in the fall. For more info please contact Aviva Siegel at 732-572-4408 siegelmom@optonline.net, Ricki Stern 732-828-6939 rickistern@yahoo.com.
 -The Women's AMEN Group will be continuing to meet weekly, Sunday mornings at Congregation Ohr Torah, 1st 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.
 -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 sheleimah 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.

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.

LOCAL ERUV

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

Shabbat Devarim	
Candlelighting	8:08PM
Mincha/ Maariv	6:00 (plag), 7, 7:30 & 8:15 PM

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