



# Congregation Ohr Torah

## Weekly Announcements

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**Rabbi Yaakov Luban – Rabbi**

**Jeff Klein - President**

**Rabbi Sariel Malitzky – Assistant Rabbi**

**Parsha Vayelech – Shabbat Shuva**

6 Tishrei 5778

September 15, 2018

**Shabbos Shuva (Friday-Shabbos, Sept. 14-15)**

- Candlelighting: 6:50 PM
- Mincha: 7:00 PM
- Shacharis: 7:45, 9:00, 9:15 AM
- Mincha: 1:45 & 6:00 PM  
*Followed by Shabbos Shuva Drasha*
- Maariv: 7:50 PM
- Shabbos ends: 7:56 PM

**Sunday September 16**

- Slichos: 6:40, 7:25, 8:25
- Mincha-Maariv: 6:45
- Late Maariv: 10:10 PM

**Monday September 17**

- Slichos: 5:40, 6:25, 7:25
- Mincha-Maariv: 6:45
- Late Maariv: 10:10 PM

**Erev Yom Kippur (Tuesday September 18):**

- Slichos: 6:15, 6:55, 7:45, 8:45 AM
- Mincha: 2:15, 4:00 PM
- Candlelighting: 6:43 PM
- Kol Nidrei: 6:50 PM
- Fast Starts: 6:59 PM

**Yom Kippur (Wednesday September 19)**

- Shacharis: 8:30 AM – both minyanim  
*Yizkor not before 11:30 AM*
- Mincha: ~5:05 upstairs, 4:50 downstairs
- Neilah 6:25 PM both minyanim
- Maariv: 7:45 PM
- Fast ends 7:50 PM

**Thu. 6:20, 7:05, 8 AM**

**Fri. 6:30, 7:10, 8 AM**

**Mincha/Maariv: 6:45 PM**

**Late Maariv: 10:10 PM**

### **SHIURIM**

- Rabbi Akiva Sauer's shiur – will resume after Sukkos
- Rabbi Luban's Monday night shiur will resume after Sukkos.
- Rabbi Malitzky's Chafetz Chaim Shiur – will resume after Sukkos.

### **Daf Yomi Schedule**

Friday night: after Maariv. Shabbos: one hour before Mincha. Sunday: after 8 am Minyan  
Kol Nidre night: after Maariv. Yom Kippur: after Mussaf

### **KIDDUSH**

Kiddush is co-sponsored by:

- Weisz and Gershbaum families to commemorate the Yahrzeit of their father/husband, Miki Weisz, Moshe Shraga ben Nossan, A"H.
- Lori and Leslie Ney to commemorate the Yahrzeit of Lori's mother Klara Katz, Krantsa bas Shimon Chaim, A"H.
- The Rappaport family to commemorate the first Yahrzeit of Michael's father Avrohom Ben Ben Zion Hacoheh, Albert Rappaport, A"H.

Kiddush sponsorship is available for Succot.

### **SHALOSH SEUDOS**

There will be no Shalosh Seudos in Shul this week due to the Rabbi's Shabbos Shuva Drasha.

### **CARLEBACH DAVENING**

There will be a special Shabbos Shuva Carlebach davening this Friday night at 6:45pm. This week's minyan will take place in the Beis Medrash and will be led by Jonathan Teitelbaum.

### **MAZEL TOV**

... to Rebecca and Israel Rivkin on the engagement of their granddaughter, Avital Kestenbaum, daughter of Tova (Rivkin) and David Kestenbaum, Raanana to Devir Gamliel (Major in IDF - Tzanchanim) of Bat Yam.

...to Janice and Arnie Lustiger on the birth of a daughter to their children Rena and Shmuel Kaplan, and the recent birth of a son to Shevi and Noam Lustiger. Special Mazel Tov to great grandmothers Mina Lustiger and Edie Baldinger.

... to Aviva and Barry Siegel on the birth of a son to their children Chaim and Yaeli Siegel of Karmiel, Israel. Mazel tov to the baby's siblings, Meir Simcha, Eli, Nachum, to Yaeli's parents, Sandra and Zalman Kotzen, to the great grandmothers, Evelyn Rindner & Lillian Mazer and to the entire Siegel and Kotzen families.

...to Leah and Dovid Kelman on the birth of a son. *Shalom Zachor at 9 PM in YFM room.*

...to Audrey and Danny Mondrow on the birth of a son to their children Tzivia and Mikie Cooper. *Shalom Zachor at 9 PM at the Mondrow home, 25 Marshall Drive.*

...to Debbie and Moshe Schneider on the birth of a son to their children Batsheva and Moshe Lapa. *Shalom Zachor at 9 PM at the Schneider home, 19 Harrison St.*

### **ISRAEL BOND APPEAL 2018**

In the firm belief that when all Jews "bond" together we will all be saved and in an effort to have members of our SHUL set a good example for ourselves, our children and our community, the Israel Bond Committee will sponsor a Kiddush if at least 100 members participate in the purchase of Israel bonds and/or more than \$600,000.00 is pledged by members of the SHUL.

### **YAMIM NORAIM LECTURE**

#### **AT OHR TORAH**

On Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30PM, The Honorable Dan Butler will present an inspiring and emotional Yomim Noraim lecture at Cong. Ohr Torah. Judge Butler serves in the Municipal Court of Pittsburgh

and lectures throughout the country on legal and Jewish topics. He is well known for inspiring audiences with his remarkable insight and gentle humor.

Admission is free but donations to Yad Eliezer are encouraged to help the organization provide food for destitute families in Israel.

This evening is dedicated to the memory of I. David and Miriam Goldstein, Z"L.

### **KIBBUDIM AUCTION**

The schedule for the Kibbudim Auction will be as follows:

-Yom Kippur: Immediately following davening on Kol Nidrei night.

-Shabbos Shuva: On Shabbos Shuva before Leining.

### **SECURITY**

The security team is looking for additional volunteers. Free training provided. Please contact Jonathan Teitelbaum or Keith Peckman.

### **BABYSITTING FOR YOMIM NORAIM**

Once again, Ohr Torah is proud to offer babysitting on Yom Kippur. We are requesting a voluntary contribution of \$20 per family to help defray the cost of babysitting. Make checks to Ohr Torah and indicate HH babysitting on check. Babysitting times as follows:

-Sept 18<sup>th</sup> (Tue night) Yom Kippur- 6:45 until 9:15 PM

-Sept 19<sup>th</sup> (Wed) Yom Kippur from 10AM until 3PM and again from 6PM until 7:45PM  
This service is for all children ages 1-4. It is imperative that all children attending babysitting are able to walk (and not need to be held) and that parents please ensure that our staff is aware of your seating location should we need to find you. We will have a seating chart available. Also please provide our staff with any baby wipes /diapers as needed. We will be unable to accommodate children who have not reached their first birthday.

### **LULAV & ESROG ORDERING**

When ordering from below, please mention Ohr Torah and OT will receive a donation for each sale.

-Barry Siegel & Family  
[siegeldad@gmail.com](mailto:siegeldad@gmail.com), 732-572-4408  
-JudaicaGallery, [judaicagallery@hotmail.com](mailto:judaicagallery@hotmail.com), 732-828-7722

Please see the flyers for additional info. All checks for Lulavim and Esrogim must be made out to the appropriate vendor and NOT Cong. Ohr Torah. No check made out to COT will be cashed.

**REMINDER: Emergency Defibrillators are located on the upstairs wall hallway & the entry hallway downstairs. Please note the location of the new First Aid Kits mounted on the wall below/above each Defibrillator.**

CHEVRA HATZOLAH OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY 732-456-6666

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MA'AYANOT'S COMMUNITY YOM IYUN

Please join us for Ma'ayanot's Annual Community Yom Iyun Sun, Sept 16, 9:30AM-12:30PM Ma'ayanot Yeshiva High School for Girls 1650 Palisade Ave, Teaneck, NJ 07666 Keynote address by our principal, Mrs. Rivka Kahan: "Sin and Redemption in Gan Eden" With additional shiurim by our distinguished faculty. Open to men and women in the community. Info-Rabbi Zev Prince at [princez@maayanot.org](mailto:princez@maayanot.org) [www.maayanot.org](http://www.maayanot.org)

### TOMCHEI SHABBOS YOM TOV CAMPAIGN

As we begin to prepare for the Yomim Noraim, there are families in our community who cannot afford even basic necessities for Yom Tov. Tomchei Shabbos of Middlesex County is appealing to the entire community to help us provide food for the families who rely on us during this important time of the year. To donate please go to <http://www.tomcheimc.org/> or make checks out to Tomchei Shabbos of Middlesex County and drop off at Cong Ohr Torah, 48 Edgemount Rd Edison. Questions/info contact [tomcheimc@gmail.com](mailto:tomcheimc@gmail.com). All donations are tax deductible.

### FIDF 14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL NJ TRIBUTE DINNER

Please join us to salute Israel 70 years of heroes and hope at the FIDF New Jersey Tribute Dinner. The 14th Annual New Jersey FIDF Tribute Dinner will take place at the Teaneck Marriott at Glenpointe on Sun, Oct 7th at 5pm. Tickets/info contact

### TIFERES

Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting avai to Tiferes members Current teleconference: "New Year, Old Issues" by Mrs. Simi Yellen. Info/membership Aviva [siegelmom@gmail.com](mailto:siegelmom@gmail.com). The HP/Edison group of Tiferes is zecher l'nishmas Malka bas Shalom.

### FOR WOMEN

-Collecting Sheitels: Keren Kol Kallah-established to provide orphan and destitute kallahs in Israel with essential needs. Donated custom sheitels, some new, some gently worn, are sold to women in Israel who would not otherwise have the funds to buy a quality wig. All money raised goes towards a hachnasas kallah fund which helps needy brides in Eretz Yisrael. Sheitels can be dropped off to Aviva, 16 Edgemount Rd, Edison Info Aviva Siegel (732) 572-4408 [siegelmom@gmail.com](mailto:siegelmom@gmail.com)

### EMPLOYMENT NETWORK OF RARITAN VALLEY

Looking for work? We can help. Email Bob Lansley at [ENRVInfo@gmail.com](mailto:ENRVInfo@gmail.com) if you would like to receive our job postings and/or would like help with your resume and search strategies.

**Please help:** If you know of any professional, part-time, or temporary job openings, please e-mail the info to [ENRVInfo@gmail.com](mailto:ENRVInfo@gmail.com).

-Sheitl Gemach: Brayla Custom Wigs is happy to announce they are also a sheitl gemach. Wigs of all conditions accepted. All welcome-any location for drop off/pick up. [Renee@braylawigs.com](mailto:Renee@braylawigs.com) 908-208-5738. Located in Edison, NJ

-Diaper Gemach HP/Edison: Diapers, pullups, wipes needed Email [diapergemach@gmail.com](mailto:diapergemach@gmail.com).

-The Edison/HP Gown Gemach, L'iluy Nishmas R' Yitzchok Ben Binyomin Gemach Gowns for children thru adult. Donations of good condition gowns sought. Tax deduct given/pick up of gowns arranged. Info/appt Sara Scott 516-526-0941.

- New Kittel gemach available! If you - or someone you know--needs to borrow a kittel, please call Jeff or Lee Ann Schein at [732-545-9353](tel:732-545-9353). Four sizes avail. Kittel gemach in memory of Lazar Lipman ben Chaim Yitzhak.

-Head Covering Gemach: Snoods, hats, tichels scarves, sheitels, accessories. Call to receive or donate. Gina Gittle Tonkonog 347-615-3294

### PARK MIKVAH

**Hours:** Sunday - Thursday hours are 9:00 PM - 11:00 PM. Friday night by appointment only by leaving a message at 732-249-2411 or via the website or (thru October 7) call / text 732-470-1041. Motzai Shabbos / Motzai Yom Tov: Sept. 11: 9:15-11:15 PM, Sept 12 (Tzom Gedalia): 9:00 - 11:00 PM, Sept 15, 22, 25, 29: 9:00 - 11:00 PM, closed: Sept 18 (Yom Kippur); Sept 19: 9:30 - 11:00 PM; appointment only: Sept 9, 10, 23, 24, 30, Oct 1.

Please continue to check [www.parkmikvah.org](http://www.parkmikvah.org) and voice message at 732-249-2411 for updates.

### HP/EDISON WELCOMING COMMITTEE

For info please contact Rikki Samel, (732) 249-5116, or email [rachelle\\_stern@yahoo.com](mailto:rachelle_stern@yahoo.com).

### HP/EDISON CONNECTS

### INFO-SHARING FORUM

Welcomes newcomers to our community.

For info please contact Rikki Samel or Rachelle Stern. Exchange info about local events, shiurim, etc. To join, email [Highlandparkedisonconnects\\_Subscribe@yahoo.com](mailto:Highlandparkedisonconnects_Subscribe@yahoo.com) to join.

### SHIDDUCH GROUP

The Highland Park/Edison Shidduch Group is excited to host a Singles event on Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at Congregation Ahavas Achim. There will be live entertainment by the famed mentalist David Lawrence and lunch will be served. Singles will be strategically seated with like minded individuals. Cost is \$15. For more information, please contact Ida Scheiner at [imscheiner2@gmail.com](mailto:imscheiner2@gmail.com) or Deena Klavan at [klavandeena@yahoo.com](mailto:klavandeena@yahoo.com)

### BIKUR CHOLIM:

- WEBSITE: [bikurcholimrv.com](http://bikurcholimrv.com). Website provides info regarding Bikur Cholim services, including how to access our local hospitals on Shabbat, how to borrow medical equipment, and how to get prescription medication on Shab - DRIVERS NEEDED: With the influx of patients here for treatment at ProCure in Somerset, Bikur Cholim is in need of more volunteer drivers. If you are able to give one day a week (Mon thru Fri) or even one day a month to help with transportation, please call the Bikur Cholim Transportation Hotline 732-672-9059

### OHR TORAH NEWSLETTER:

Subscribe to Announcements, go to [www.ohrtorah.net](http://www.ohrtorah.net)

**E-MAIL LIST:** To join OT email list, contact Gene Wasserman at [genew@compugene.com](mailto:genew@compugene.com).

**KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP:** To sponsor Kiddush or reserve Kiddush room contact Russell Adler or Elie Wiesel at [reservations@ohrtorah.net](mailto:reservations@ohrtorah.net)

**SHALOSH SEUDOS SPONSORSHIP:** To sponsor Shalosh Seudos, contact Moshe Wiesel.

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

**TREE OF LIFE / YAHRZEIT PLAQUES:** To dedicate a Yahrzeit Plaque or Leaf for the Lobby Eitz Chayim Tree, contact Moish Nat by sending detailed email with all dedicatory wording to [marty@rivieradoors.com](mailto:marty@rivieradoors.com). For more info, call Moish at 732-759-8070 work days or 732-572-4132 in the evening.

**SEFORIM DEDICATIONS:** Book/Seforim Dedications of all types are available contact Barry Siegel [siegelbd@gmail.com](mailto:siegelbd@gmail.com).

**HOUSEKEEPING:** Housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith [ludeeju@gmail.com](mailto:ludeeju@gmail.com) or 732-572-5633.

**KEILIM MIKVAH HOURS:** Ohr Torah Keilim Mikvah hours are officially Sundays 7AM-10AM.

## OHR TORAH YOUTH PROGRAM EVENTS:

Children can register for events on OT's website "ohrtorah.net" or call Mayer Berg at 732-572-3429.

**REFUAH SHLEIMAH LEARNING:** See the OT website, [www.ohrtorah.net](http://www.ohrtorah.net), for various schedules of learning as a Z'chus for a Refuah Shleimah

**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](mailto:reenagreenspan@yahoo.com) or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or [genew@compugene.com](mailto:genew@compugene.com)

**YAHRZEIT DATABASE:** To register a family member in Yahrzeit database, go to [ohrtorah.net](http://ohrtorah.net) click "Register for OT Yahrzeit Notification" or speak with Ralph Dessau or Gene Wasserman.

**LOCAL ERUV:** The Eruv committee checks the eruv every week. However, if eruv is down, and you didn't check the status before Shabbat, the averah of carrying on Shabbat is on you. It's extremely important to know the status of the eruv before Shabbat start! We have six official ways of alerting you to eruv's status. Ne aware and find out eruv status every week before Shabbat and Chaggim.

**Twitter:** Eruv's official alerts are sent out via Twitter. Follow @hp\_ervu on Twitter Get updates about eruv's status as it's been determined.

**Text Messages:** Don't have a Smartphone or don't want to use Twitter? Get alerts via text. This involves setting up a Twitter account, but once setup, you can ignore your Twitter account. It gives you immediate alerts without Twitter blather.

**Facebook:** Facebook group @hperuv that gets updated when we update Twitter account. Follow Facebook group (don't just "Like" it), and you'll get alerts about the eruv's status via Facebook.

**Email:** Go to <http://hperuv.org> and sign up for the email list. The email list checks the eruv's status after 3pm once per hour and sends out an email with updates.

**Eruv Webpage:** The eruv webpage at <http://hperuv.org> has the latest Twitter feed displayed on the bottom of the front page.

**Hotline:** Yes, there is still the eruv hotline. However, it's too easy to forget to call when you're busy preparing for Shabbat. That's why we offer push notifications through Twitter, SMS Text messages, Facebook, and email.

We also have new webpage at <http://hperuv.org> with map of exact eruv boundaries, and where you need to be careful about staying inside eruv. There have been some major changes in the eruv in the last few years:

· The eruv boundary is now goes along Plainfield road and not Sutton Lane.

· The Stelton Community Center Playground is now in the eruv.

· Cook/Douglas campuses of Rutgers are no longer in the eruv.

· If eruv around Donaldson Park is down, the playground in Donaldson is no longer in backup If you weren't aware of these changes, check out the latest Interactive eruv map.

Go to <http://hperuv.org/status> for more info about getting eruv alerts, or contact David Weintraub at [david@weintraub.name](mailto:david@weintraub.name) for help.

### Parshat Ha'azinu

Candlelighting - 6:38 PM  
Mincha - 6:45 PM

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