



Congregation Ohr Torah

Weekly Announcements

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Parshat Ha'azinu

13 Tishri 5780

October 12, 2019

Candlelighting: 6:06 PM
Mincha: 6:15 PM
Shacharis: 7:45, 9 & 9:15 AM
Hashkama Speaker – Aaron Breslin
Rabbi Hoffman's Halacha B'iyun Shiur after Hashkama
Sof Z'man Krias Shma (GR"A): 9:54 AM

Rabbi Luban's Moed Katan Shiur: 5:05pm
Mincha: 1:45 & 5:55PM
Shalosh Seudos Speaker:
Rabbi Dr. Bernhard Rosenberg

Maariv: 7:10 PM
Shabbos Ends: 7:12 PM

Kiddush sponsorship is available for Shemini Atzeres and November 23.

MAZEL TOV

...to Charlene and Dr. Rabbi Bernhard Rosenberg on the Aufruf of their son Ari this Shabbos and his upcoming marriage to Ayelet Mael. Mazel Tov to the entire Rosenberg and Mael families.

... to Marcia and Phil Rosen on the engagement of their grandson, Simcha Spolter of Yad Binyamin, to Chen Weinstock of Petach Tikva. Mazel Tov to the parents, Rena (Rosen) & Rabbi Reuven Spolter and Devorah & Yossi Weinstock, and to the entire Spolter, Weinstock, and Rosen families.

SHALOSH SEUDOS RESERVATIONS

The Shul Shalosh Seudos sponsorship and speaking calendar is now online. If you would like to see if a sponsorship or speaking opportunity is available for a particular week, you can click the "Review Shalosh Seudos Reservations" link on the right side of the shul website or go to http://www.ohrtorah.net/ot_shalosh_seudot.php. Thank you to Gene Wasserman and Moshe Schneider for leading this important initiative.

OT SUKKAH HOP

The OT Youth Sukkah Hop will be taking place the first day of Sukkot, Monday Oct 14th. Please meet at OT at 3pm SHARP (the groups cannot wait for individual children, as we are on a very tight schedule) where you will find your group leaders. Each group will finish their Hop at either Rabbi Malitzky's house or Rabbi Luban's house. (Tots - 1st Grade: R. Luban @ 4:15, 2-4 Grade girls: R. Luban @ 4:45, 2-4 Grade boys: R. Malitzky @ 4:20, 5-7 Grade boys: R. Luban @ 4:30.) Looking forward!

LUNCH AND LEARN PRESENTS QUEST FOR THE LOST TRIBES

Introduction: Dr. Michael Wasserman
Ohr Torah Synagogue Date: Tuesday, Nov 12, 2019 (Change of date) : Time: 12:00 noon
The mystery of the lost tribes of Israel reverberates through three millennia of human experience. Of the twelve tribes mentioned in the Bible, only those of Judah and Benjamin survived the Assyrian capture of Israel. This is the story of the search for those remaining few.
The program will include a light lunch followed by the video and discussion. Please bring a friend and we will bring some too. There will be a charge of \$12 per person to help defray the cost of the meal. OT will subsidize the additional expenses.

Please let us know if you will join us by the Friday before the event RSVP to Bella blerner18@optonline.net or 732 317-1786, Mildred 732 572-1712 or Marcia 732 572-5998 ppheffer@verizon.net

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

NCSY

-NCSY Highland Park/Edison invites all teens to a Shabbat Chol Hamoed Sukkah Hop and Oneg on Shabbat day, 20th of Tishrei, October 19th, 3:00-5:30PM, starting at 425 Grant Ave. Snacks, Fun and Friends! 8th graders invited! Contact Rabbi Greene for more info at greenes@ncsy.org or 973-214-8577

- NJ NCSY is RENTING OUT Six Flags Great Adventure on Thursday, October 17th (2nd day of Chol HaMoed)!

- Park Hours: 12 - 7 PM. Safari is open 12-4 PM!

- There will be sukkahs available in the park!

- Food for purchase from Chickies (under Kof-K)

- Exclusively rented out by NCSY only

- Parking is FREE!

Early Bird (Through 12 Noon Erev Sukkot):

\$40/person, At the Gate: \$45/person

Season Pass/Six Flags Membership Rate:

\$15/holder (you must bring your valid pass/membership card with you!)

Special organization and mechanech rates available.

Buy tickets at ncsygreatadventure.com!

Want bus transportation for your teen? There

is co-ed bus transportation to/from Teaneck,

Highland Park, and West Orange. Register your

teen for bus transportation and a ticket

here: <http://newjersey.ncsy.org/events/239274/register>.

For more information or to purchase tickets please contact us at the following:

Email: newjersey@ncsy.org Phone: 201-862-0250

Website: www.ncsygreatadventure.com

CAMP MOSHAVA PARLOR MEETING

Camp Moshava parlor meeting at the home of Sara and Ari Welner, 39 Edgemount Rd., Edison, Thur night, Oct 31st at 7:30pm. Alan Silverman will be there to answer questions. You will receive a \$50 family discount for attending the meeting (\$100 for new families).

FOUND KEY FOB FOR A HONDA

A Honda car fob was found on Lincoln Ave near 4th. If it's yours, please contact me at 973-876-8741. It misses you.

ANNUAL MTJ MELAVE MALKA

The Annual Melave Malka Reception of Mesivtha Tifereth Jerusalem will be held November 9, 2019, 8:00 PM at Ohav Emeth. Hagaon Harav Reuven Feinstein, Shlita will address the rReception. The Guest of Honor is Mr. Joseph Friedman. For Reservations please call Shimon Jakubovic 732-246-1037.

KINDER FUND

The Kinder Fund in memory of Dina Eisner is having its annual campaign to raise needed funds to assist local children. Types of assistance include

Erev Succos (Sunday October 13)

• Shacharis: 7:15, 8, 9 AM
Hashkama Speaker – Aaron Breslin

• Candlelighting: 6:02 PM

• Mincha: 6:10 PM

Speaker: Rabbi Luban

First Day Succos (Monday October 14)

• Shacharis: 7:45, 9:00, 9:15 AM

Hashkama Speaker – Lieber Schechter

• Mincha: 6:00 PM

Speaker: Rabbi Darren Levin

• Candlelighting not before 7:09 PM

Second Day Succos (Tuesday October 15)

• Shacharis: 7:45, 9:00, 9:15 AM

Hashkama Speaker – Meyer Katz

• Mincha: 6:00 PM

Speaker: Rabbi Azaryah Schechter

• Maariv: 7:05 PM

• Yom Tov ends: 7:07 PM

Chol Hamoed Succos (Wed-Fri, Oct. 16-18)

• Shacharis: 6:10(Main), 6:50(SH), 8:00(Main), 9:00(SH) AM

• Mincha-Maariv: 6:05 PM

• Late Maariv: 10:10 PM

Daf Yomi

Sunday - after 8 AM Minyan,

Monday- Thursday: after Z'man M'ariv

Friday -after Maariv, Shabbos – one hour before

Mincha,

KIDDUSH

Kiddush this Shabbos is sponsored by Charlene and Rabbi Dr. Bernhard Rosenberg in honor of their son Ari's Aufruf and upcoming marriage to Ayelet Mael.

SHALOSH SEUDOS

Shalosh Seudot is sponsored by Charlene and Rabbi Dr. Bernhard and Charlene Rosenberg in honor of their son Ari's Aufruf and upcoming marriage to Ayelet Mael.

KIDDUSH – 1ST DAY OF SUKKOT

Kiddush the first day of Sukkot is sponsored by Dr. Evan and Pauline Sehgal in honor of the birth of their daughter, Edith (Ita) Yael.

KIDDUSH – 2ND DAY OF SUKKOT

Kiddush the second day of Sukkot is sponsored by Glenda and Moshe Sherman in commemoration of the Yahrzeit of Glenda's mother, Faige bat Yehuda Yitzchak, A'H.

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

various therapies, tutoring and summer camp. Over 25 local families were supported in the past year with funds raised from the community. Donations can be mailed to: Kinder Fund, 1789 Lincoln Highway, Box 110, Edison NJ 08817, dropped off at Janice Lustiger's home or donate online: PayPal.Me/TheKinderFund.

EDISON/HIGHLAND PARK SHIDDUCH GROUP EVENT

Save the date! Sh'nainu Edison/Highland Park Shidduch Group presents a speed dating event Saturday night, Nov 23 at Cong Ohav Emet, Highland Park, NJ. The event is for Orthodox Jewish singles ages 23- 50. Singles will be strategically divided by age groups. Details to follow. For more info, please email shidduchedisonhp@gmail.com.

HATZOLAH

Donate online at Hatzolah's website - www.HatzolahMC.org. You can also learn more about Hatzolah and volunteer to become part of the Chevra Hatzolah dispatch and response team. When seconds count, we answer the call.

MTA

Join Yeshiva University High School for Boys (MTA) at our Open House Sun, Nov 10th, 9:30am to learn more about our warm, personalized, and inspiring approach to Torah, academic, and extra-curricular programs. To RSVP, please visit yuhsb.org/openhouse. Questions? Contact Rabbi Yoni Stone at ystone@yuhsb.org or 646-994-0441.

RABBI WEISS'S SHIUR

Rabbi Weiss's shiur on Tehillim for men and women: Wednesday evenings 7PM at 154 N. 10th Ave, HP. Info, Marsha Eiserman at 347-203-7906.

RARITAN VALLEY HADASSAH

-Hadassah & the Daughters of Etz Ahaim SUKKAH PARTY -Wed, Oct 16, 2PM. in the Etz Ahaim Sukkah at 230 Denison St, HP *Rabbi David Bassous will speak about Sephardic Sukkah customs.* Refreshments & games in the sukkah to follow. *(Please note: Etz Ahaim sukkah can be found in the back of the building, by walking down the driveway on the Second Ave side of the building. Please also note that Etz Ahaim is not handicapped accessible and the parking lot next to the building is not ours, please park on the street.)*

-Chicks with Sticks meeting Wed, Oct 30 from 1pm-3pm. at my home, 209 North 4 Ave, HP. We always welcome new members. Questions, 732-853-6058 or email phypollak@yahoo.com. Phyllis Pollak, Knitting Chair.

-Annual Chai Brunch Sun, Nov 24, 11am. River Ridge, 30 South Adelaide Ave, HP Please join us at this year's Chai Brunch once again chaired by Judy Rosen and Marcela Rubin. Our speaker will be Nathan Reiss talking about some of the countries he and his wife, Rose, visited. cost is \$18 to attend and an additional \$10 to sponsor. Respond by Nov 18 to Marcela Rubin: 732-388-2579 or Judy Rosen: 732-549-2897.

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS EVENT

In support of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Ohav Emeth is proud to invite all women of the community to a special event: "It's not Just About You—It's About Yours," presented by Rifky Atkin, breast cancer activist and survivor. The program will be followed by a Q & A with Dr. Jonathan Rosenbluth. The program will be held at Ohav Emeth on Shabbat, Oct 12 at 3:30pm. Dessert buffet will be served. Please consider sponsoring this special event for a most important cause! All contributions will be donated to Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation and Sharsheret. Sponsors of \$180 or more receive an OE Fights Breast Cancer t-shirt. To become a sponsor, email kiddushoe@hotmail.com.

FOR WOMEN

-Rebbitzin Eichenstein's classes for women: call/text Aviva [732-672-7104](tel:732-672-7104) or siegelmom@gmail.com for status of classes
-Tiferes: Weekly teleconferences with topics such as shalom bayis and parenting are available to Tiferes members. Current teleconference: "Teshuva – Real Change in Real Time" with Mrs. Chani Juravel.Ino to become a member, Aviva at siegelmom@gmail.com. The HP/ Edison group of Tiferes is zecher l'nishmas Malka bas Shalom.
- The Ahavas Yisroel Women's Learning Program is pleased to announce our next shiur: Mrs. Shanie Stern will speak on the topic: "The Role of the Jewish Woman Through our History". Please join us on the Second Day of Sukkot, Tuesday, Oct. 15th 2019 at 5:00 PM at the home of Rachel and Moshe Stern 11 Price Drive, Edison.

For more information: sharonnglaser@gmail.com

LEFKOVITS FAMILY PARK MIKVAH:

-Support the mikvah while purchasing on Amazon Use link: <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/237037953> A donation will be made to Lefkovits Family Park Mikvah.

-October Hours:

- Sunday – Thursday: 9PM – 11PM
 - Motzai Shabbos: Oct 12, 19: 8:30PM–10:30PM
 - Motzai Shabbos: October 26: 8PM – 10:30PM
 - October 13-14, 1st day Sukkos: appointment only
 - October 15, Motzai 1st day Sukkos: 9PM – 11PM
 - October 20-21, Shemini Atzeres/Simchas Torah: appointment only
 - October 22, Motzai Simchas Torah: 9PM –11PM
- All out of hour and Friday night appts should be made online at www.parkmikvah.org. Alternatively they can be made by texting/calling (732) 221-8155 or emailing hpmikvah@gmail.com. Please be reminded that out of hours appts incur additional \$20 fee. During winter months the out of hours fee is waived for appts occurring between nightfall and opening time. Comments and questions, email hpmikvah@gmail.com.

GEMACHS

Etz Ahaim has a complete listing of all local area gemachs at <https://www.etzahaim.org/local-gemachs/>.

- Lev Lenefesh centerpiece Gemach number has changed to (732) 630-9148.

-Sheitl Gemach: Brayla Custom Wigs is also a sheitl gemach. Wigs of all conditions accepted. All welcome-any location for drop off/pick up. Renee@braylawigs.com 908-208-5738.Edison, NJ

-Diaper Gemach HP/Edison: Diapers, pullups, wipes needed Email diapergemach@gmail.com.

-The Edison/HP gown gmach has a large variety of gowns for all ages. Some toddler boys tuxedos are also available. Text 5165260941 for more info.

-Kittel gemach.To borrow a kittel, call Jeff or Lee Ann Schein [732-545-9353](tel:732-545-9353). Four sizes avail. Kittel gemach in memory of Lazar Lipman ben Chaim Yitzhak.

--Head Covering Gemach: Snoods, hat,accessories, sheitles. Donate and receive. Contact: call, text or email. Mrs. Gina Gittel Tonkonog 347-615-3294, ginatonkonog@gmail.com. Also contact for no-charge Kallah Classes, as originally taught by Rebbetzin Tehilla Abramov.

OHR TORAH NEWSLETTER: Subscribe to Announcements, go to www.ohrtorah.net
E-MAIL LIST: To join OT email list, contact Gene Wasserman at genew@compugene.com.
KIDDUSH SPONSORSHIP: To sponsor Kiddush or reserve Kiddush room contact Russell Adler or Elie Wiesel at 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. 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 siegeldad@gmail.com.

HOUSEKEEPING: Housekeeping issues and inquiries contact Lou Smith 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, 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 or Gene Wasserman 732-397-0130 or genew@compugene.com

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

LOCAL ERUV: We have six official ways of alerting you to eruv's status. Be aware and find out eruv status every week before Shabbat and Chaggim.

·Twitter: Eruv's official alerts are sent out via Twitter.Follow @hp_erv 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.

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.

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

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