



YOUNG ISRAEL OF STATEN ISLAND

פרשת חיי שרה
 Rav Yaakov Lehrfield, Rabbi
 Rav Joshua Sturm, Assistant Rabbi

November 10, 2017 / 21 Cheshvan
 Rav Yaakov Marcus, Rabbi Emeritus
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CONDOLENCES

★ Matie Motechin on her loss of her mother, Mrs. Anna Kurtz. Shiva will be observed at 254 Crafton Avenue on Motzei Shabbos.

MAZEL TOV

- ★ **Nurit & Daniel Rosenblatt** on the birth of a daughter and to grandparents **Susan & Menachem Gottlieb**, great-grandmothers **Rachel Gottlieb** and **Goldie Schwartz**, and the entire Rosenblatt & Gottlieb families.
- ★ **Amy & Yankie Braun** on the birth of a grandson to their children Michal & Ezi Schwartz.
- ★ **Sara & Shimon Klein** on the birth of a grandson to their children Rivky & Jeff Mosczyc.
- ★ **Diane & Robert Rosenberg** on the birth of a grandson to their children Rebecca & Danny Fogel. Mazel Tov to Rosy & Gene Fogel on the first baby Fogel!
- ★ **Evelyn and Asher Plaut** on the bris of their great grandson, Yisroel Meir Odzer, born to Heather and Davey.
- ★ **Sara & Phil Altmark** on the Bat Mitzvah of their grand-daughter Yali, daughter of Sari & Dr. Jonathan Altmark.
- ★ **Pamela & Amir Brandwein** on the Bar Mitzvah of their son and stepson Ryan (Uri Reuven) Brandwein in New Milford, NJ.

To have a Simcha listed in the weekly announcements, please notify the office **before 2 PM Thursday** at 718-494-6700 ext. 0 or email office@yisi.org. Please leave detailed messages with the wording and spelling of names that you want placed in the announcements. Should you choose not to notify the office directly, please note that correct spelling of names cannot be guaranteed.

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Contact the following for requests to utilize shul facilities:
 Minyanim for Smachot Alan Zachter 347-922-1586
 Building use, other than catering Allen Burack 718-490-7335
 Catering Signaturecaterer@aol.com 718-698-5564

We would like to thank the following for their contribution to the Charity Fund:

- ★ Sarah & Zvi Spiler in memory of Zvi's father, Avraham ben Simcha, on his yahrtzeit.
- ★ Barbara J Koltun in loving memory of Grace Smith beloved mother of Dr. Alan L. Smith.

We would like to thank the following for their contribution to the Simcha Fund:

- ★ Sara & Phil Altmark on the Bat Mitzvah of their grand-daughter Yali, daughter of Sari & Dr. Jonathan Altmark.
- ★ Renee David in honor of the birth of her granddaughter, Bracha, daughter of Chaim and Avigayil David.

Shul Announcements

If you are interested in purchasing or replacing an **Eitz Chaim** leaf, please contact Becky Berlin at 718-698-0038.

JEWEMBA (Jewish Zumba) with Baila Caller is coming to Staten Island!

Motzei Shabbos from 8-9pm, Starting **November 18** at the Young Israel of Staten Island. Join us for an exciting evening of dancing and exercising **FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS AGES 12 AND UP**. 8-week session. Pre-registration required. Call Stacey Emmer at 718-938-5412 (rofeh99@aol) to reserve a spot for YOU today!

From now until daylight savings time resumes at the end of March, there will be mincha at 12:40pm In the MPR (Sfard minyan/kollel room) Monday -Thursday. All are welcome!

DAILY LEARNING PROGRAMS

- Please come join one or more of our daily learning programs:
- The Daf Yomi learns Makkot at 7:10 AM in the MPR on weekdays and before mincha on Shabbat.
 - Our Kollel Baal Habatim takes place every morning Mon-Thur.
 - Daily Mishnayot is presently learning Beitzah after most morning minyanim.
 - Daily Gemara class following the 8AM Shachris.

SHABBOS LUACH

Eruv is up on both sides	
Z'man Krias Shema	9:09
Candle Lighting	4:24
Friday Mincha	4:35
Chumash Shiur	8:15
Daf Yomi	3:20
Rabbi Sturm's Pre-Mincha Shiur is cancelled this week.	
Mishna Yomis	4:05
Shabbos Mincha	4:15
Rabbi Lehrfield will be speaking on the topic of "The Balfour Declaration Centenary"	Between Mincha/Maariv
Shabbos Ends	5:26

WEEKDAY LUACH

Earliest T&T	5:49
Mincha / Maariv	Sun – Thurs 4:30 / Approximately 13 minutes after Shkiah Late Maariv Sun – Thurs 9:30 PM
Halacha of the Week	According to one opinion, the bracha on lighting the candles is recited prior to lighting, as is the case with bracha on most mitzvos. Other Poskim hold that the bracha is recited after lighting, since a woman accepts Shabbos by reciting the bracha and she is not permitted to light afterwards. The custom follows the second opinion. To solve the problem of not benefiting before reciting the bracha, it is customary for a woman to cover her eyes with her hands when reciting the bracha.
Motzei Shabbos	Rabbi Reisman's Navi Shiur 7:30 PM
Sunday	Early Mincha 1:45
Tuesday	Rabbi Linzer's Chumash Shiur 10 AM Rabbi Sturm's Shiur 8 PM
Wednesday	Peirush HaTefillah 8 PM Parsha Rabbi Y.A. Weiss 8:45 PM

SHUL DECORUM

Kindly turn off your cell phones, or put them on vibrate during davening. Please do not approach the rabbi during davening unless it is an urgent matter.

YISI MAILING ADDRESS

Please note that if you need to send any correspondence to the Shul, kindly mail it to Young Israel of Staten Island, P.O. Box 140100.

Save the Date

YOUNG ISRAEL OF STATEN ISLAND ANNUAL DINNER

We look forward to seeing you on **Sunday, November 12, 2017** as we celebrate our shul's 51st anniversary. We are delighted to recognize our remarkable honorees who have done so much for our shul and our community. Guests of Honor: Halina & Mordecai Schwartz; Keter Shem Tov: Estelle & David (Pitz) Lazar; Young Leadership Awardees: Leah & Bobby Wasserman; Dor L'Dor: Doni Strauss. For inquiries, contact Robert Rosenberg, dinner chair, at rjnet@aol.com.

THE YISI MEN'S CLUB will be having a members only Kiddush next **Shabbat, November 18**. We would love to have you join the club. Please contact Mindy Feder at 718-698-9030 or Rachelit Reichman at 718-983-9664 for details.

YESHIVA UNIVERSITY HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS (MTA) Open house on **Sunday, November 12 at 9:30 am**. Register at yuhsb.org/openhouse. For more information, please contact Jono Fuchs, Director of Admissions at jfuchs@yuhsb.org or 212-960-5400 x6676.

JEWISH EDUCATIONAL CENTER HIGH SCHOOL OF ELIZABETH NJ Open house on **November 14**. Registration and refreshments start at 6:30. Program begins at 7:15. Pre-register at jechs.org/openhouse. To apply for the 2018-19 school year, follow the link at jechs.org/admissions/application. For more information, please email smaltzky@thejec.org.

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RAE KUSHNER YESHIVA HIGH SCHOOL invites all 8th graders and their parents to the RKYHS Community Informational Meeting on **Sunday, November 19 at 8pm** at the home of the Zadok Family. Please join our administration, teachers, and students as we share the RKYHS difference. Learn about our academic and Judaic programs, educational initiatives and co-curricular opportunities. For more information contact the RKYHS Admissions Office 862-437-8065 or alyons@rkyhs.org. We look forward to seeing you there!

Young Community

The Young Community Minyan meets at 9:15am in the Beis Medrash. Following davening there will be a cold kiddush in the gym.

Youth Announcements

Groups

There are regular morning and afternoon groups this shabbos.

Teens

- We cannot wait to see everyone back at the Teen Minyan this Shabbos!
- This week's shalishudos is sponsored by Leah & Bobby Wasserman and family. We look forward to seeing you there following Teen Mincha.
- Teen NCSY: Staten Island will reopen our NCSY chapter. Meetings will be Wednesdays at 8:30pm in the Teen Lounge. For information contact Rebecca Silberman at 917-566-0420 or youth@yisi.org.
- Teen Trivia Night – THIS Motzei Shabbos, Nov, 11, 2017 at 8:15 PM in the Teen Lounge. \$5 includes pizza and snacks! Can't wait to see you there!

Events

- Kids Paint Night – This Motzei Shabbos, Nov. 11 6:30-7:45 PM, boys and girls from Kindergarten-4th grade are invited to paint adorable canvases with us. Pizza will be served! \$22 in advance, \$25 at the door. Reserve by emailing youth@yisi.org today.
- Toddler Sensory Sunday - Sunday, Nov. 19, 2017 from 1:00-3:00 pm. Children ages 5 and under are invited to join us for our first ever Sensory Sunday! Come witness our own MPR transformed into a sensory gym for your child's bouncing and playing needs! \$15 per child for 2 hours of play, pizza and juice. Reserve your spot today by emailing youth@yisi.org.

Community Happenings

DEFENSIVE DRIVING CLASS at the Young Israel of Staten Island on **Tuesday, December 5th at 6:45 pm** in the Multi-Purpose Room (Sfard Minyan). By attending, you will save 10% on your auto insurance liability and collision coverages for the next 3 years. You can also reduce up to 4 points on your license as per DMV rules. Cost is \$60 per person, pay at class. RSVP 718-339-1300 or haloleasing@aol.com.

AMIT NEWS

Tickets for the **Thursday evening, December 28** performance of **Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat** at The State Theatre in New Brunswick can be ordered until November 12. Price \$15. Contact Myra Lanter.

MEZUZOT INSPECTION AT YOUR CONVENIENCE

The Shulchan Aruch says that Mezuzot should be inspected twice every 7 years. Have your Mezuzot picked up from your home (or YISI), inspected, repaired, replaced, and returned. No charge for transporting the Mezuzot to the Sofer and back! Materials/Instructions for properly collecting your Mezuzot provided free of charge! Contact Scott Diamond for info: 917-674-3317/slzdiamond@hotmail.com.

Community Gemachs

- ♦ **Chairs & Tables** - www.cheergemach.com email Eli Wolbrom: e_wolbrom@yahoo.com
- ♦ **School Supply Gemach** - If you or someone you know cannot afford school supplies, please contact Rebecca at (917) 566-0420. Teachers, please feel free to contact if you notice a student in need!
- ♦ **School Uniforms** - Rachelit 718 983-9664.
- ♦ **Furniture** - Winiarzfamily@aol.com or call 718 983-8136.
- ♦ **Centerpieces** - Rachelit 718 983-9664 after 4:30PM or Rena 718 370-7438.
- ♦ **Simcha Gowns** - Debbie Berkovits 718 494-1905.
- ♦ **Wedding Gowns** - Anna Wittenberg 718 477-1991 or cell 917-847-4781.
- ♦ **Food Pantry** - Noga Kugel 718 494-8451
- ♦ **Bris Pillow** - David at 347-661-4760 or Emunah at 718-813-1977.

Tehillim Circle

There will be a women's tehillim Shabbos group following the main minyan in the womens' section. All the names listed in the Tehillim Circle will be included in the tefilos. If you have a name to add to this week's group list for refuah, please contact Chanie Maslow at 718-477-9575 or otgirl1975@aol.com. Please say Tehillim for those seeking refuah:

- Leah Hadassah bas Michal Chana
- Chava bas Michal Chana
- Bracha Rivkah bas Miriam Leiba
- Refael Pesachya Yaakov HaLevi ben Aviva Sarah
- Shayna Golda bas Chaya Gitel
- Shmuel Michael ben Frida Esther
- Miriam Liba bas Devorah
- Avigdor Chai Avraham ben Rachel Layah Kaiman Lifshutz
- Benyomin Tzvi ben Yehudis
- Yitzhok ben Hinda
- Chaya bas Leah

Chesed Opportunities

- Any member of the congregation in need of any assistance due to infirmity or age, please contact 718 494-4343. Help is a phone call away no matter how big or small the need is!
- **Chevre Kadisha of Staten Island** is looking for additional individuals, men both and women, who can assist on a regular basis. If you are available or would like additional information, contact Larry Cohen at 718-612-3474.
- **Hebrew Free Burial Association** has a constant need for men, Bar Mitzvah age and up, to help in the performance of "Chesed Shel Emet", by serving as Levaya Minyan Volunteers; here on Staten Island at the Mt. Richmond Cemetery, 420 Clarke Avenue. The time commitment is flexible and can be as infrequent as less than 1 hour per month. Call or Email Scott Diamond for details: (917) 674-3317 or slzdiamond@hotmail.com.
- **Bikur Cholim** is looking for: Volunteers to visit Jewish residents in Staten Island nursing homes. Hours are flexible. For more info, please call Brenda Kellerman at 718-761-6521. Also, a man to go to Williamsburg once or twice a week to pick up food and deliver it to Staten Island University Hospital. Includes some heavy lifting. And, volunteers to straighten out the room once a week. Please contact Penny Feuer at 917- 582-7831.
- **Nachas Unlimited** has successfully raised funds to ease the lives of sick children in our community. If you or anyone you know has a child in need of assistance directly related to the illness, please call Rachelit at 718-983-9664. All calls are confidential.
- **Coat & Clothing Donation** – Please only donate clothing that is in good condition, as it is going to people who cannot afford to buy their own clothes. Please do not leave soiled or outdated clothes. **WE ARE NOT SELLING THE CLOTHES. THEY GO DIRECTLY TO PEOPLE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD.** We are only accepting clothing in EXCELLENT condition. Clothing of all sizes needed. Drop off at the FRONT DOOR of 1097 Willowbrook Road, Sun-Thu between 5:00-7:00 PM ONLY. Anything left at the side door will be thrown out with sanitation. Teachers feel free to contact if you notice a student in need! If you are in need of clothing, or for more information, please contact Rachelit after 4:30 PM at 718-983-9664.
- **Willowbrook Pantry of Bikur Cholim is closed until further notice.**

Job Opportunities

- The RJJ Boys School is seeking a **Middle School History teacher** to work 4:00 - 4:45, Monday - Thursday. If interested, please contact the yeshiva at 718-979-6333 or email your resume to MrsSturmRJJ@gmail.com.
- Staten Island Hebrew Academy (SIHA) is looking to hire an outgoing and creative female to fill a **Judaic/ General Studies PROGRAMMING and ART/DRAMA position**. Please contact Dina Khukhashvili at Tkhukhashvili@yahoo.com.
- Manufacturer in Central NJ looking to fill **entry level positions** for purchaser and IT, as well as a **sales account manager** and a **cold caller/prospecter**. Email hiring@npcglobal.com.
- Proud Moments Therapy in Staten Island is looking to hire **male Paras**. Flexible schedule, great pay. Special ed. experience a plus. Please email resume to hbaum@proudmomentsaba.com.
- Shomer Shabbos Gift Importer located in Carteret, NJ, right off exit 12 of the NJ Turnpike. Seeks individual for **full time office work**. If you are a hard-working, organized, team player please apply. Full time only. Very nice atmosphere. We are centrally located 15 minutes from Edison, Elizabeth, & Staten Island. Please respond with resume to HR@sixtrees.com.

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