

## **OTHER HZT ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNITY NEWS**

### **OTHER HAR ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Rabbinical Assembly Monthly Lunch and Learn**

All are welcome. For more information, please call Rabbi Gary Charlestein, 610-239-6003.

**Tuesdays, 12-1 PM, Elkins Park** at the Library of Adath Jeshurun Congregation.

**Tuesdays, 12-1:30 PM, Center City** at the offices of BDO USA, 1801 Market Street, Suite 1700, Philadelphia.

**Tuesdays, 12:30-1:30 PM, Plymouth Meeting** at the offices of Premier Dental, 1710 Romano Drive.

**Rabbi Gary Charlestein teaches at this location.**

#### **Aliyot Are for Everyone!**

If anyone would like an *aliyah* to commemorate a *yahrzeit*, celebrate a birthday or anniversary, graduation, or just because – please contact Laurie Albert, 610-667-5000, ext 111 or [lalbert@harziontemple.org](mailto:lalbert@harziontemple.org).

Need to review or learn the blessings? A clergy member can help you with that too!

#### **Chai Simcha Wall Plaques**

There is no greater joy than the celebration of Jewish life cycle events. The meaning and memory of your event is heightened when it becomes a permanent part of our synagogue's Chai Simcha Tablet.

The Tablet is a beautiful reminder of a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, baby naming, wedding, anniversary, and other happy occasions shared with family and friends. For more information, please call the synagogue office.

#### **Yahrzeit Plaques**

Remember your loved ones with a *yahrzeit* plaque in the Bronstein Memorial Room. The donation for each plaque is \$750. For information or to order a plaque, please call the synagogue office.

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### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Author Anastasia Goodman at the Kleinlife Center – Wednesday, April 11, 12:45 PM**

On April 11 from 12:45-1:45 pm, author Anastasia Goodman will be presenting a public program at Kleinlife (10100 Jamison Avenue, Philadelphia). Anastasia Goodman writes Jewish themed mysteries. Her quirky Hero Sasha Perlov is a Russian born NYPD detective whose mother was a Soviet dissident & grandson of the Hero of the Battle of Stalingrad. This family history is woven into the novels. She just completed a successful reading & lively discussion at Suffolk County, NY JCC, and has previously been selected as an author for the Jewish Federation of Eastern Connecticut sponsored Author Series. In synagogues in RI and CT, Ms. Goodman has appeared reading from her novels and engaging her audiences in fun and lively discussions. Please join us and we always welcome the opportunity for other author readings and appearances. For more info: Shelly Geltzer, [sgeltzer@kleinlife.org](mailto:sgeltzer@kleinlife.org) or 215-698-7300 ext 129

#### **Starfish Project for Children Program – Tuesday, April 17, 7 PM**

Harrington High School, 600 N. Ithan Avenue, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

Join the Starfish Project for Children and its teen board for *How To Feed A Teenager: Body & Soul*, a free community program about eating strategies for teens to maximize their physical and mental potentials, fostering teens' healthy relationships with food & exercise and effective methods to successfully guide teens toward adulthood.

-Presentations by **Kim Cover** MS, RD, CSSD, LDN, an author and private therapist with 20 years experience as a dietitian at CHOP Center for Sports Medicine and Performance; **Linda Rosenberg McGuire**, MSW, MOL, currently the Dean of Students at Westtown School and a private consultant with over 30 years of experience working with teens and parents.

-Q&A panel of experts and teens

For more information, [thestarfishprojectforchildren.org](http://thestarfishprojectforchildren.org) and fb.com – The Starfish Project for Children.

#### **Come Celebrate ISRAEL 70 with a Special Philadelphia Screening of Jerusalem U's Film, Hummus! The Movie – Tuesday, April 24, 7:30 PM**

Prince Theater, 1412 Chestnut St, Philadelphia

Join us this Yom Ha'aztmaut to celebrate 70 years of Israel and see the film that has been screened at over 120 film festivals around the world! Secret recipes, a Guinness World Record, and the power of hummus bringing Muslims, Christians and Jews together... in the Middle East, America and around the world.

*Hummus! The Movie* is "spreading," and we want to invite you to our special Yom Ha'atzmaut screening event. And of course, there will be a delicious Hummus tasting afterwards.

Make sure you get your tickets [HERE](#).

**Jerusalem U** engages, educates and empowers young Jews to connect with Israel, Judaism and the Jewish people with award-winning feature documentary films, short films, film-based and immersive educational experiences, and Israel education thought-leadership.

For more information: [rweiss@jerusalemu.org](mailto:rweiss@jerusalemu.org)



### Theatre Ariel invites you to their 2017-18 Season

Salon #4: ISRAEL STORIES

Saturday, April 21, 8:30 PM-Wynnewood

Sunday, April 22, 7PM-Wynnewood

Saturday, April 28, 8:30 PM -Bryn Mawr

Sunday, April 29, 7 PM- Bala Cynwyd

Celebrate the State of Israel's 70th anniversary when you enjoy selections from *Israel Story* the award-winning Israeli version of "This American Life." *Israel Story*, tells everyday stories, by and about, real Israelis. Listen to us, discover the relationships that change us, and similar journeys as we navigate our history and heritage together.

To purchase tickets, visit [www.theatreariel.org](http://www.theatreariel.org) to review dates.

Need help purchasing tickets? Email [info@theatreariel.org](mailto:info@theatreariel.org) for assistance.



### Golden Slipper on the Main Line - New Spring Program

**The new semester has started and will continue for 8 weeks**

If you are an active adult and you are curious about history, art appreciation, politics or current affairs your place is with us. Join our semester of learning at the Golden Slipper, meet new friends and expand your horizons about the world. Our new

semester started February 26 and will continue for 8 weeks.

**All classes are held at Adath Israel, 250 N. Highland Avenue in Merion Station, PA.**

For more information contact Moriah SimonHazani 610-359-8632 #11 or [msimonhazani@goldenslipper.org](mailto:msimonhazani@goldenslipper.org).

Click here to find our new schedule:

[http://www.goldenslipperseniors.org/images/pdf/2018\\_spring\\_sem\\_prog\\_final.pdf](http://www.goldenslipperseniors.org/images/pdf/2018_spring_sem_prog_final.pdf)



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### Nature and Science in Jewish Culture

This year, the Katz Center examines Jewish perspectives on science, technology, engineering, and medicine.

With topics ranging from the origin of the Jews to reductionism in art and brain science, our distinguished speakers are investigating Jewish attitudes and ideas about living creatures, the earth, and the universe that governs them.

In addition, our fellows, visiting scholars from around the globe, address local congregations and schools with timely and engaging talks about their areas of expertise. Click here for our speaker lineup for the spring: <https://katz.sas.upenn.edu/public-programs>. [Click here to see a list of fellows' talks outside of the Katz Center](#). You can also stay up to date by [subscribing to our email newsletter](#) or by following the Katz Center on [Facebook](#) and on [Twitter](#).

### Well Spouse Association – New Support Group Forming for Spousal/Partner Caregivers Fourth Tuesday of the month, 6:30-8:30 PM

A peer run, free support group for Spouses and Partners of People with Chronic Illness or Disability  
Center on the Hill, Chestnut Hill – Presbyterian Church  
8855 Germantown Ave, Philadelphia 19118 (next to Chestnut Hill Hospital)

**Facilitators:** Fern Zeigler, Claire Salvi & David Hale

For more info, please call or email David Hale, 267-977-7711 or [dhale@temple.edu](mailto:dhale@temple.edu)

For more information about Well Spouse Association: [www.wellspouse.org](http://www.wellspouse.org)

## Growing Up Perelman – Perelman Jewish Day School

Our unparalleled dual-language curriculum strengthens your child's cognitive development, sharpening his ability to solve problems, focus attention, reason creatively and process abstract information.

Research confirms that this bilingual advantage enhances how he thinks – about math, reading, even the arts. Our students learn how to learn. And they do it all through a rich lens of Jewish heritage and values. See the bilingual advantage for yourself. Schedule a Take-a-Look tour or personal visit. Now offering Hebrew-immersive Junior Kindergarten at Stern!

**Register today at [pjds.org/visiting](http://pjds.org/visiting) or call Rachel Moore at 610-658-2518, ext. 225. Space is limited.**



**Take-a-Look Tuesdays – 9:30–11:00 AM, Stern Center, Wynnewood**

**Take-a-Look Thursdays – 9:30–11:00 AM, Forman Center, Melrose Park**

**Take-a-Look in the evening – 7–8:30 PM**

Yes, it's affordable. Let's talk about generous tuition incentives and financial aid for your family. 215-635-3130, ext. 210 • 610-658-2518, ext. 207

## Jack M. Barrack Hebrew Academy

Come love where you learn. For more information or a personal tour, contact Jen Groen: [jgroen@jbha.org](mailto:jgroen@jbha.org) or 610-922-2350.

## Jewish High School Juniors – Snap into College with Lasko College Prep Program!

**Have fun and get ready for college starting this summer:**

- Increase your SAT scores
- Get help in making college decisions
- Get hands-on help with applying for scholarships and financial aid
- Get a summer internship at a Jewish nonprofit agency
- Make new friends and participate in a Mitzvah project
- Receive a financial reward upon successful completion

Plus, get a full year of assistance in navigating the college process – all for FREE!

Start the application process NOW at: [www.jevshumanservices.org/lasko-program](http://www.jevshumanservices.org/lasko-program)

Financial guidelines apply. **To find out more call 215-832-0875 or email [LaskoCollege@jevs.org](mailto:LaskoCollege@jevs.org)**

The Lasko College Prep Program is managed by JEVS Career Strategies, a division of JEVS Human Services. JEVS Career Strategies, 2100 Arch Street, 4th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103

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## Changing the Rules By JFCS Ma'oz Director Dvora Entin

Just when you think you finally know the way to talk about sexual abuse prevention, the rules change. Take a look at prevention curriculums, where we teach about "Ok Touch" and "Not OK Touch"...

For more info: <https://www.jfcsphilly.org/blog/changing-the-rules/>

## JFCS Needs Volunteer Drivers for Seniors

Help steer an older adult in the right direction! Be part of JFCS' Silver Wheels program and provide easy, accessible, and affordable transportation for older adults. We help out with non-emergency medical appointments; food shopping, bank, pharmacy, and social activities errands.

**Please contact Lisa Tischler: [267.256.2082](tel:267.256.2082) or [ltischler@jfcsphilly.org](mailto:ltischler@jfcsphilly.org).**



## Klein JCC...

10100 Jamison Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19116 • [www.kleinjcc.com](http://www.kleinjcc.com)

**Heart to Heart is here for you!** Are you having difficulty making ends meet? Have you recently lost your job? Have you been experiencing hardship or recent life changes? Are you struggling to put food on the table? Are you looking for assistance in deciding what to do next in order to improve your situation? If you've said yes to any of these questions and you are under the age of 65, contact us now for help!

For additional information and eligibility, please contact Program Director Anya Goldberg, at 215-698-7300 x135 or [agoldberg@kleinjcc.org](mailto:agoldberg@kleinjcc.org).

The **Mitzvah Food Project** needs your help to deliver food boxes to seniors in need! We are relying on support from our community to deliver food boxes to nearby senior homes and apartments (once a month) from two of our pantry locations. Boxes are provided by the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP).

Now is your chance to do a wonderful mitzvah: sign up for a delivery route today! Delivery routes are local and will take approximately 30 minutes. Recipients will sign for the food box at the door. Please know...we must fill these routes in order to pilot this new program.

Locations of food box pick-up are: **JCCs Raymond & Miriam Klein Branch, 10100 Jamison Ave, Northeast Philadelphia 19116** and **JCCs Jacob & Esther Stiffel Senior Center, 604 Porter Street, South Philadelphia 19148.**

***Whether you are looking for a B'nai-Mitzvah Project for your child, community service work, or just volunteering for a wonderful cause, please e-mail or call us.*** We thank you for your time and look forward to hearing from you soon! Together, we can end hunger in our community.

Contact the Mitzvah Food Project's Administrative Office with any questions:

215-832-0509 or by email at <mailto:foodproject@jfgp.org>.

Interim Project Manager, Deirdre Mulligan, (215) 832-0509

Mitzvah Food Project Coordinator, Deena Goldstein, (215) 832-0831

### **Philadelphia Food Distributions**

One Sunday each month, 750-1,000+ volunteers of all ages and backgrounds meet as a community at our Northeast Philadelphia warehouse, located at 10980 Dutton Road, Philadelphia, 19154. These volunteers pack fresh produce and non-perishable kosher food, load their cars with boxes, and deliver food and a smile into the homes of those in need. This is a great way to fulfill your community service requirements for school or work. Community service forms are available at each of our food distributions. Box packing takes place from 10 - 11:30 AM, followed by food delivery. Early risers are welcome to help make boxes and bag fresh produce (no produce during the summer) between 8:30 - 10 AM. Just be sure to wear closed toe shoes while in the warehouse, as sandals are not permitted. Looking to volunteer later in the day or short on time? Food boxes can be picked up for delivery from 8:30 AM to 3 PM. Most delivery routes consist of 8-12 boxes and typically take about an hour to complete. Driving directions and a map are provided.

To volunteer, sign up for our email list (where you will receive an email prior to each distribution that will contain a link that you can use to register directly for that food distribution), email

<mailto:jra@jewishrelief.org>, or call 610-660-0190 x104.



**JEVS Human Services Career Strategies** - 1845 Walnut Street, 7th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103

Looking for work these days can be overwhelming for anyone, regardless of background, skills and interests. JEVS has a variety of services for job seekers to help you get from *where you are* to *where you want to be*. For more info: 215-854-1800 or visit <https://jevshumanservices.org/job-readiness-career-services/>.

### **Jewish Family and Children's Services Domestic Violence Program**

We invite you to be a part of the extraordinary journey of growth and freedom that these women are courageously facing. For more information call 267-256-2000, or visit [www.jfcsphilly.org](http://www.jfcsphilly.org).

### **In Support of Israel . . .**

Let Washington know that we appreciate the US support of Israel and to urge continued support.

Call 202-456-1111 or e-mail to [comments@whitehouse.gov](mailto:comments@whitehouse.gov). Contact your Senators and Congressmen – visit [www.senate.gov](http://www.senate.gov); [www.house.gov](http://www.house.gov). FOR INFORMATION AND TO MAKE DONATIONS FOR FRIENDS OF THE ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES, visit [www.fidf.org](http://www.fidf.org).