#### OTHER HZT ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMUNITY NEWS

#### 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 Cozen & O'Connor, One Liberty Place, 1650 Market Street. No classes in July or August.

Tuesdays, 12:30-1:30 PM, Plymouth Meeting at the offices of Premier Dental, 1710 Romano Drive – off Ridge Pike and Belvoir Road. Rabbi Gary Charlestein teaches at this location.

## **Congregants Not Receiving E-highlights**

If you know Har Zion members who are not receiving E-HIGHLIGHTS, tell them to send their email address to jfetscher@harziontemple.org with the request to be added to the E-HIGHLIGHTS distribution list. Also, if your email has changed, please notify the synagogue office.

#### Aliyot Are for Everyone!

If anyone would like an honor for the High Holidays, or if you would like an aliyah to commemorate a yahrzeit, celebrate a birthday or anniversary, graduation, or just because – please contact Rabbi Alpert: 610-667-5000, ext 104 or rralpert@harziontemple.org.

Need to review or learn the blessings? Rabbi Alpert can help you with that too!

#### Chai Simcha Wall Plagues

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 Marcy in the synagogue office, 610-667-5000, ext 108.

#### 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 Marcy in the synagogue office, 610-667-5000, ext 108.

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#### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Our Har Zion Young Adults Are Invited to... JNFUTURES Presents the Second Annual Margate Meets Tel Aviv – Saturday, August 20, 9 PM at Lucy the Elephant in Margate City, NJ Join us for a special evening and a meet and greet with JNF's CEO, Russell F. Robinson. The event is an open bar with food and dancing for JNFutures, our young adult group within JNF. \$36 for JNFuture members, \$45 for non-members - Registration is required prior to the event. Register by August 17 at jnf.org/jnfuturemargate, or contact Matan Silberstein at msilberstein@jnf.org or 215-832-0690, x 860.

# Invitation from Hillel at Temple University to Incoming Students - August 23-24

We are looking for interested graduating high school seniors that will be coming to Temple University this fall as a freshmen or transfer students, and would be interested in a program we hold at the beginning of the year on August 23rd and 24th called Freshfest. It is a new student orientation that we hold to help students become familiar with the city, Hillel, and all of the opportunities and activities that are available to them throughout the year. This is a link to their registration page with more information: http://www.templehillel.com/register-freshfest-2016. For more info, contact Michelle Goldsborough at tuf58617@temple.edu.

#### HAR ZION TEMPLE MEMBERS!

You are invited to join Rabbi Eliseo D. Rozenwasser as he will take you on his Mission to South America (Chile and Argentina)

September 1 thru September 12, 2016

(With an option to extend your stay a few extra days and visit either Bariloche or the Iguazu Falls) A **UNIQUE QUALITY OF THIS MISSION** is that we will be part of a historic moment, as Argentina celebrates 200 years of independence (July 9, 1816). We will be part of the celebration as the **Federal Torah** is being written and will be concluded in the same historic site where Independence was signed. We will be part of the festive parade as this Sefer Torah will be brought into the Synagogue in Tucuman.

# This is a once in a lifetime event! TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE!! SIGN UP TODAY! For details or more information please contact Rabbi Eliseo D. Rozenwasser (201.213.1818)

#### JCHAI Fall Open House & Apartment Tour - Thursday, September 22, 6 PM

JCHAI was built by local families who wanted their young adults (18 & up) having disabilities to have the range of post High School opportunities for employment, friendship, community and independent living that all young people desire. If this speaks to you, or someone you care about, please visit a JCHAI Open House & Apartment Tour and our website. We have many flexible programs offering supports in one's own home or community, in our community-integrated Supported Apartment program, and in trips all around the region! We take ID and Autism waivers for some programs and have many fun social opportunities offered on an affordable, a la carte basis. FaceBook is a FUN way to see photos of all of our activities and our JCHAI Annual Summer Vacation! Visit https://www.facebook.com/jchaipage and Like us! Meet our program directors and visit JCHAI self-advocates in their own apartments! Plenty of room but RSVP required, Dr. Beth Rosenwasser: BethRosenwasser@jchai.org or 215-498-1270.

#### Philly Friendship Walk - Sunday, October 9, 1 PM

Join over 850 people from across the Greater Philadelphia area on Sunday, October 9 from 1 to 3:30 pm, for the 9th annual Philly Friendship Walk. Enjoy an exciting afternoon of food, fun and friendship at this community event! This amazing event raises crucial funds for the Philly Friendship Circle and awareness for children, teens, and young adults with special needs. Please join us in walking, donating, or fundraising to help support our programs. For more information and to register for the Walk (it's free!), visit www.phillyfriendshipwalk.com or call (215) 574-1765.



On **Sunday**, **October 16**, **2016**, Wesley Enhanced Living *Main Line* (formerly Martins Run) will be holding its 7th Annual Intergenerational 5K/Walk to Defeat Dementia on its campus (100 Halcyon Drive, Media, PA). Registration begins at 8am and the race begins at 9am. There will be cash prizes for the top male and female runners and prizes for the top runners in different age groups, along with food, raffles, music and fun! For further information, contact Amy Blum: 610-353-7660 ext. 254 or ablum@WEL.org.

#### Jack M. Barrack Hebrew Academy

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

# Growing Up Perelman - Perelman Jewish Day School

Academics. Ethics. Community. And an unparalleled dual-language curriculum that strengthens cognitive development, problem solving and reasoning.

Attend an Open House, schedule a personal tour, and speak to current Perelman parents For information or to sign up, call Mindy Andelman, 610-658-2518 X207, mandelman@pjds.org or go to http://www.pjds.org/ftpimages/446/download/download\_1693477.pdf

#### Shandler-Pincus Post #305 - Jewish War Veterans of the USA

Questions/Comments/Newsletter Ideas: Henry Frank, Adjutant, cell-215-459-1261 (IF YOU NEED A RIDE or CAN GIVE A RIDE, CALL HENRY 215-459-1261)

ATTENTION: We need new members. Most of you know someone who is a vet, or who is an active service member. If they are Jewish, they should be JWV members. Active service members' dues are free as long as they are active. Consider gift memberships: Purim, Shalach Manot, Pesah afikomen, Awe gifts for High Holy Days, Hanukkah gelt gifts. See any officer for an application.

#### Klein JCC...

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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.

#### **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 or Itischler@ifcsphilly.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 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 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.

## 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. Contact your Senators and Congressmen – visit www.senate.gov; www.house.gov. FOR INFORMATION AND TO MAKE DONATIONS FOR FRIENDS OF THE ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES, visit www.fidf.org.