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by Shiela Steinman Wallace

When you come to the Jewish Community Center on Sunday, February 17, and you look carefully, you might just see Tommy Lee Jones or Helen Hunt, Katniss Everdeen or Jean Valjean walking up the red carpet side by side with local celebrities like folksinger John Gage and newscaster Bryan Baker.

Well, maybe not the real Tommy Lee Jones or Helen Hunt – but some of your friends who have gotten into the spirit of Super Sunday's Pre-Oscar Party and donned costumes to come as their favorite movie star or character.

You're invited to be part of the fun.

Super Sunday is the annual telethon for the Federation Campaign, and calls will be made for the Campaign on February 17, but this will be a Super Sunday unlike any you may have experienced before.



"It will feel like a big party," said Super Sunday Chair Sarah Harlan. "I'm someone who hates asking people for money, but I'm excited about it this time, and it will be fun."

Unlike years past, volunteers will only be calling people who have given at least \$500 to the Campaign in the past. That means they will be talking with people who know what the Campaign is and support it.

The donors who make gifts of less than \$500 are important, too, but this year, the Federation has partnered with the Jewish Federations of North America in a special

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YAD Gets Ready to Party

by Shiela Steinman Wallace

Are you ready to get down and dance while a DJ keeps the music going, laugh and have fun with your friends when a local young comedian who's popular at clubs and on campuses around the country takes the stage, to have a good time in a photo booth and to enjoy good food and drink?

If you are, and you're a young adult, you're invited to the annual YAD Campaign event on Saturday, February 2, at 7 p.m. at The Pointe.

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Peyton Greenberg

Olympic Dreams

Greenberg to Compete in Maccabiah in Israel

by Shiela Steinman Wallace

At some point in our lives, most of us have had a BIG dream – to be elected president of the United States, to win an Academy Award, to receive a Pulitzer Prize, to ride the winning horse in the Kentucky Derby. But how many of us ever had a realistic chance to make those dreams come true?

For 15-year-old Peyton Greenberg, a sophomore in the High School University program at Manual High School, that dream is to become an Olympic swimmer and to bring home at least one gold medal. Unlike most of us, Greenberg is working very hard and doing everything she can to turn that goal into reality. In fact, she is ranked among the top 10 female swimmers in her age group in the United States.

She swims on two swim teams – Manual High School and the Lakeside Seahawks, practices five hours a day, six days a week, and competes regularly against some of the country's best swimmers. This summer, she will be competing in the Maccabiah in Israel, and since the Maccabiah is associated with the Olympics, she knows Olympic scouts will be in the stands. She is one of only 12 girls in the U.S., age 18 and under, selected to participate.

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JCL Delegation Meets with Sen. Rand Paul

by Matt Goldberg, Director
Jewish Community Relations Council

One of the important tasks the Jewish Community Relations Council performs is building bridges between the Jewish community and others – political leaders, government organizations, schools, other faith groups, other non-profits, etc.

On Friday, January 18, Jewish

Community of Louisville CEO Stu Silberman, Immediate Past JCL Board Chair Ed Weinberg and several members of the JCRC, including Director Matt Goldberg, Chair Ayala Golding and JCRC member Beth Salamon, traveled to Bowling Green, KY, where they opened the conversation with Senator Rand Paul in his office at the junior senator's invitation.

Sen. Paul, who had just returned from a visit to Israel and the Palestinian Authority, was eager to share his experiences with the group. He spoke about his meetings with Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and President Shimon Peres, and Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas and others.

The trip also afforded the senator and his family the opportunity to do some touring, visiting popular sites including Masada and the Dead Sea. He also talked

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Front, Ed Weinberg, Sen. Rand Paul, Beth Salamon and Ayala Golding; back, Doug Stafford, Matt Goldberg and Stu Silberman

Debbie's JCL



"Without a vibrant JCL, we would not have a vibrant Jewish community. We strongly believe that."
– Debbie Friedman



Jewish Community of Louisville

Read Debbie's story on page 22.

JCRC Update

by Matt Goldberg, Director
Jewish Community Relations Council

Food Stamp Challenge

As of the writing of this column, several members of our community, including me, are taking the Food

Stamp Challenge – an agreement to spend no more than \$31.50 for the week on food (the average of what a food stamp recipient receives) in order to raise awareness for continued support for the Food Stamp program or Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) funded by the federal government and administered by the states.

Although I have just started, two things have become abundantly clear.

First, it IS possible to live on \$31.50 for the week for food.

Shopping is a unique experience while doing this challenge, as EVERY food choice is an economic decision as opposed to a nutrition or taste decision. The staples that enable us to meet the Food Stamp Challenge are spaghetti, rice, lentils, beans and bananas. Eggs are also very economical as a primary source of protein. Peanut butter and jelly on bread is affordable when you get value brands, or items on sale.

Second, while it is possible to live on \$31.50, it is not easy or healthy.

Eating out is practically unheard of, as an average of \$1.50 per meal eliminates most restaurant choices. Furthermore, fresh fruits and vegetables are cost prohibitive.

Protein must come from eggs and beans, as opposed to meat and fish. I am eating a lot of canned vegetables, like green beans and corn. Fresh fruit is difficult; bananas are cheap ... but not much else. I hope that other people participating in the program are better shoppers than I am, because it is a struggle to make this work (that is the idea, I guess).

The SNAP program now covers the bare minimum of what a person should eat over the course of a week, and it really should be expanded. If the program is cut

or altered in any way, it will not even spend this bare minimum, and it will make the hunger problem in our country that much more acute. Today, 46 million Americans depend on this program to supply basic minimum food needs.

Important Elections in Israel

Elections in Israel are always a time of great uncertainty, and this week is no exception. An estimated 15 percent of the electorate was still undecided as of election day. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu will be forming the next government, but what that government will look like is still very much up in the air.

Elections were held Tuesday, and as I write this column, Prime Minister Netanyahu's joint list party of Likud-Yisrael Beiteinu is projected to get 32 seats in the 120-seat Knesset, the largest party by far. But there are many parties that could have a role in the next government.

On the right, there is Habayit HaYehudi (The Jewish Home Party), whose platform is that most associated with the religious Zionist movement, and they are poised to possibly have a role in the next government. Other right leaning parties include the other various religious parties and the far right Otzma L'Yisrael (Strength to Israel), also possibilities to be in a narrow, right leaning, Netanyahu led government.

It will be up to Prime Minister Netanyahu to form the next government and it is possible that he could look to form a governing coalition with the center left parties of Labor, Yesh Atid, and Hatnua. This would seem to be more conducive to peace talks with the Palestinians, as all three of these parties have intimated that they would not sit in a government with Prime Minister Netanyahu unless there was more movement on the peace-talks front.

It will be a very interesting next few weeks as the horse-trading that is Israeli political coalition building begins in earnest.

Letters to the Editor

Bar Mitzvah Project

Dear Editor,

My name is Noah Howard Goldberg. I will be 13 soon and my Bar Mitzvah is next month. I am just like any other kid except for one thing ... I SURVIVED A BATTLE WITH CANCER! I was diagnosed with leukemia in July 2008 when I was only 8 years old. I had to have chemo for three years and three months, and, thank G-d, it worked. I have been cancer free and in remission for four and a half years.

So many people helped me and my family for many years when I was sick. I want to give back in a way that really helped me and many kids I know, and also, for all the kids whose lives will change because of illness.

I would like to help other children who face hospitalization and painful medical procedures like I did at a young age. I am collecting DVD's, Wii games, Xbox and Playstation games for children at Kosair Children's Hospital and for Chai Lifeline, chailifeline.org, a Jewish organization that helps children who are diagnosed or facing life-threatening or lifelong illness. These are two great places that saved my life and helped me and my family live life while fighting cancer.

I ask for your donation of these items and please drop them off in the designated collection box in the synagogue coatroom at Adath Jeshurun Synagogue, 2401 Woodbourne Ave. I will be collecting these items from now until the end of February.

Please help me with Tikkun Olam, repairing the world. You can make a difference in the life of a kid like me. Thanks for your support!

Love, Noah

Flying Camp Scholarships

Dear Jewish Administrators, Teachers and Students,

In order to expose Jewish Youth to possible career paths in aviation, a group of Jewish UPS Pilots would like to sponsor four Jewish Louisville teens to an aviation day camp this summer.

These day camps are run by the Organization of Black Airline Pilots (OBAP) and they have graciously allowed our group to sponsor four Jewish youths to attend these camps. The first camp is geared for middle school age children and runs from June 9-14. The advanced camp for high schoolers runs from July 22- 26.

If you are interested in attending one of these aviation camps please write a brief essay on either:

1. Why I am interested in attending aviation camp or
2. A short essay on a Jewish person who has contributed to aviation in a significant way.

Please submit these in PDF format and email them to KVA@insightbb.com.

Please include your name, age, school, and contact information. Camp scholarship winners will be notified by February 15.

If you have any questions please feel free to call or email.

Sincerely,

Gary Katz, UPS Airbus Captain
502-548-1077, kva@insightbb.com

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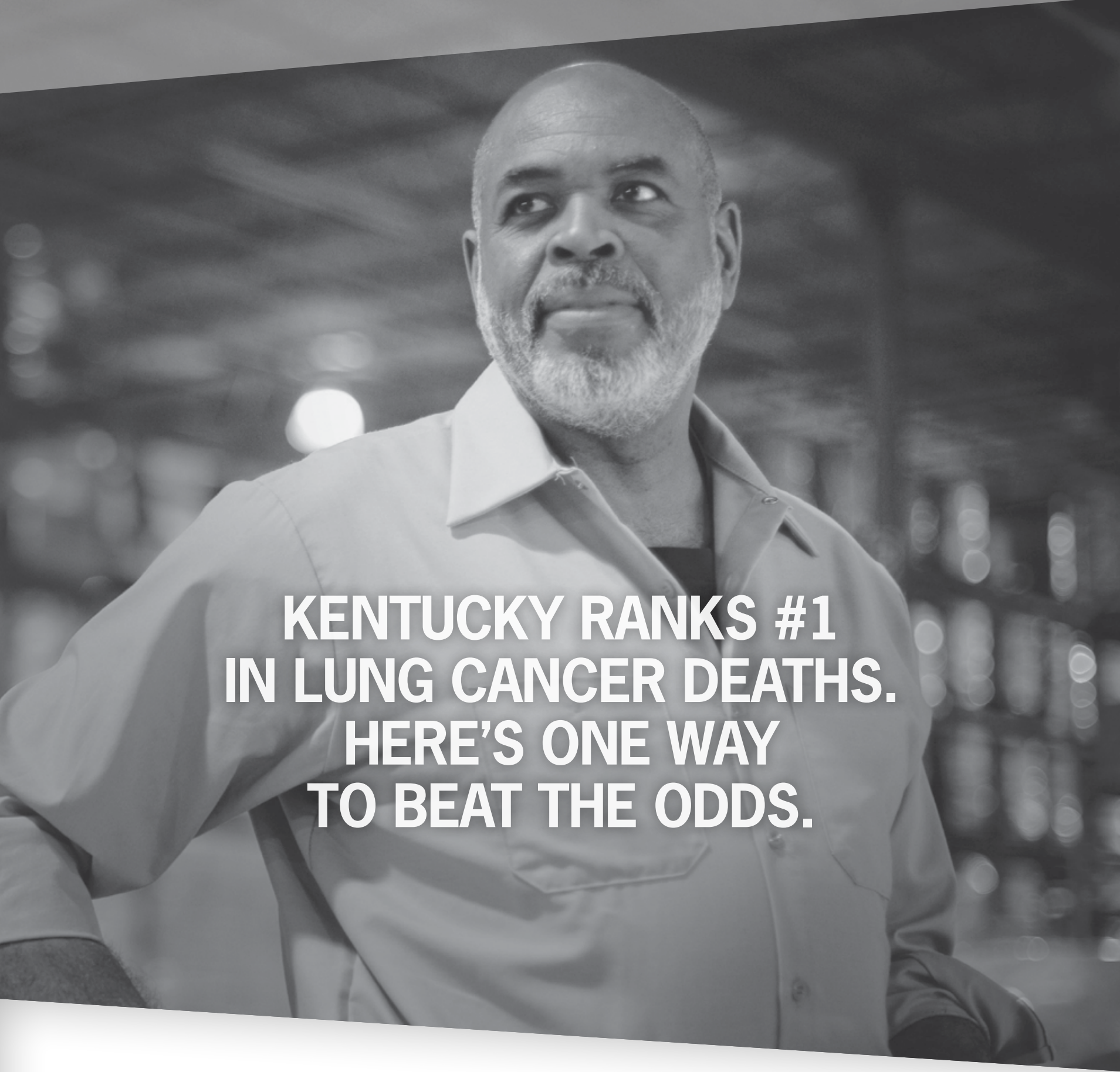
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Please Join Us for Super Sunday

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program to reach out to those donors and those who have never given in a different way. They will still be contacted, but not by Super Sunday volunteers.

"I've heard there might also be some performances by some CenterStage company members," Harlan said, "so people will be entertained."

And of course there will be plenty of good food.

"It will be fun," she added, "and people will leave feeling good about it – like they just went to a great social event or party."

So come join the stargazing – you never know whom you'll see.

Choose the shift that works best for you: 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. or 1-3:30 p.m. The first half hour of each shift will be train-

ing so you'll know what to do when you make calls.

To volunteer for Super Sunday, please contact the Development Office, 238-2739 or mjtimmel@jewishlouisville.org.

Members of the Super Sunday Committee are Chair Sarah Harlan, Bryan Baker, Barbara Franklin and Kate Kastenbaum.

What Does Campaign Do?

With all the hoopla and fun rolled into Super Sunday this year, it's important to remember that the success of the 2013 Federation Campaign is critical to the health and vitality of the Louisville Jewish community and together, we do extraordinary things. When we support the Federation Campaign, we care for those in need. We support the Jewish Family & Career Services Food Pantry to help ensure that families in our community do not go hungry. We enable JFCS to offer their services on a sliding scale so families dealing with addiction, employment issues, illness, divorce and other challenges can get the help they need, whether or not they can pay the fees for those services.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we provide nutritious, kosher meals for seniors through the congregate lunch program at the Jewish Community Center and through Meals-on-Wheels for the homebound, regardless of their income.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we honor the heroes in the community by offering discounts to those who protect us daily – active military, police, EMTs and fire personnel. We also provide scholarship assistance to families in difficult situations, allowing them access to childcare, summer camp and wellness programs.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we enrich, celebrate and sustain Jewish life, enabling young adults, ages 18-26, to participate in free 10-day Birthright Israel trips, and a trip to Israel can be a life-changing experience. We also ensure that Hillel is available on college campuses to connect Jewish students with each other through social, educational and Judaic opportunities and learning experiences.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we ensure that the Jewish Community Relations Council is there to represent the Jewish community and protect Jewish values in the general community, providing advocacy, accurate information and education.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we nurture Jewish identities in our children through programs like The PJ Library, which provides free, high quality Jewish books and CDs to children, delivered to their homes; and through scholarships that enable children to attend Jewish overnight camps.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we also fulfill our responsibility for Jews at risk around the world. Working with our partners, the Jewish Agency for Israel (JAFI), the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC) and World ORT, we provide food assistance, resettlement services, job training, programs for the disabled and elderly, outreach for dropouts and more.

When we support the Federation Campaign, we build bridges with Israelis in the Western Galilee through Partnership 2Gether, exploring learning opportunities, sharing medical and business knowledge, experiencing each other's culture and developing lifelong friendships.

Together, we do extraordinary things when we support the Federation Campaign. Answer the call generously when a volunteer calls on Super Sunday or when you are contacted by the Federation. Better yet – don't wait for the call. Pledge online at www.jewishlouisville.org, call 459-0660 or send a check to Jewish Federation of Louisville, 3600 Dutchmans Ln., Louisville, KY 40205.

Please Join Us For SUPER SUNDAY

2013 Federation Campaign

Pre-Oscar Party!

Dress up as your favorite celebrity and help support the Louisville Jewish Federation's Annual Campaign.

Prizes will be awarded and snacks will be served!

Sunday, February 17, 2013

First Shift: 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m. • Second Shift: 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

JCC Patio Gallery

To sign up for a shift, contact Mary Jean at 238-2739, mjtimmel@jewishlouisville.org or register online at jewishlouisville.org/supersunday.

Super Sunday Chair: Sarah Harlan • Committee: Bryan Baker, Barbara Franklin, Kate Kastenbaum

Vaad approved option available upon advance request by February 8.

Childcare is available upon advance request by February 8.



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When our volunteers call
you on Super Sunday, please
answer the call and make
your generous gift to the
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Center for Women and Families Names Five Women of Distinction

The Center for Women and Families will honor five Women of Distinction at its 26th Anniversary Celebration of Service & Survival on Wednesday, February 13, at the Louisville Marriott Downtown. The contributions of these women work in unison to improve opportunity, education and quality of life for women and girls in our community.

The honorees are:

Madeline Abramson

Community Volunteer

Madeline Abramson's passion for public service led her to membership on the Boards of the Kentucky Center for the Arts, Maryhurst, the Pritchard Committee for Academic Excellence, Jewish Hospital/St. Mary's Foundation, and the American Red Cross Louisville Chapter. In 2010, she was recognized with the Family Scholar House Lucy Award for her commitment to post-secondary education and equality for women. Her efforts with the Red Cross, Governor's School for the Arts and Maryhurst have allowed her to connect with men and women who share a commitment to enriching the lives of their communities and fellow Kentuckians.

Abramson is also an active volunteer in the Jewish community. She has taken a number of leadership roles with the Federation Annual Campaign, and has been a member of the Boards of the Jewish Community of Louisville, National Council of Jewish Women, Louisville Section and Jewish Hospital. She has also served many other organizations.

Dr. Renee Campbell

President/CEO, Wesley House Services

Dr. Renee Campbell presently serves as the President/CEO of Wesley House Community Services. She is committed to eradicating violence and abuse by promoting services that influence the development of healthy families, education and issues of justice and fairness. She is a founding mother and part of the steering committee of the Louisville Clothesline Project that brings attention to the widespread abuse of women. A motivational speaker, Dr. Campbell presented a seminar on Prevention, Intervention and Assessment of Family Domestic Violence and Abuse at a National Summit in Washington, DC.

Susan Ely

Jefferson County Attorney's Office, Domestic Violence Unit

In her role as the Division Chief of the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Unit, Susan Ely makes it her business that the system is both fair and fast as the law allows. She has dedicated her professional life to protecting

victims of intimate partner violence and holding perpetrators accountable. She was instrumental in the creation of the Domestic Violence Intake Center, was one of the driving forces behind the establishment of Enhanced Supervision Docket, and is always supportive of new initiatives that enhance victim safety.

Tori Murden McClure

President, Spalding University

Tori Murden McClure has long been a role model for women and girls in Kentuckiana. She served as director of the Women's Center of Volunteers of America, a residential center for homeless women. In her current role as President of Spalding University, she supports scholarships, especially for women who are underprivileged and marginalized. Spalding University joined Mayor Fischer's administration in the 55,000 Degrees project and, under McClure's leadership, has committed \$1.8 million in scholarships toward the mission of graduating Louisvillians from college.

Mary Gwen Wheeler

Executive Director, 55,000 Degrees

Early in her career, Mary Gwen Wheeler recognized that for women, education correlates with access to opportunity. She worked for 10 years as Project Director for the National Center for Family Literacy. In 2003, Mayor Jerry Abramson called on Mary Gwen to serve as Secretary for the Cabinet of Health and Family Literacy. In 2010, Governor Steve Beshear appointed her to the Kentucky Board of Education. She currently serves as the Executive Director for 55,000 Degrees, an organization in Louisville dedicated to empowering individuals through education. She also served as an original board member for Women 4 Women and continues advocating for the advancement of women.

The Center will also honor Janene Shakir, winner of the second annual Joan E. Thomas Lifetime Achievement Award, which recognizes the lifelong efforts of an individual whose work has made her community a more peaceful, compassionate and equitable place to live for women and families.

Funds raised through this event allow The Center for Women and Families to continue serving over 30,000 individuals who need our services annually. Without support from generous community members, the Center for Women and Family could not continue its vital work of advocating, fostering hope, promoting self-sufficiency and rebuilding lives for survivors of intimate partner violence and sexual assault.

Reservations (\$175) are still available. Call Director of Development Phoebe Lipkis at 581-7207 or visit www.thecenteronline.org/get-involved/celebration-of-service-and-survival.



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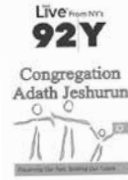


Susan Ely

Calendar of Events

FEBRUARY 5

Adath Jeshurun presents
92nd Street Y Live Lecture
Supreme Court Justice
Sonia Sotomayor with
Thane Rosenbaum
7:30 p.m. coffee, popcorn
Broadcast, 8 p.m.
FREE
For information, contact
Deborah Slosberg
dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com.
To RSVP, call 458-5359.



FEBRUARY 10

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
A Bottle in the Gaza Sea
2:30 p.m. at Muhammad Ali Center
Admission to film, free; \$2 to view the
museum prior to the film. Moderated
discussion and desserts to follow.
Call 459-0660 or go to
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FEB. 11-MAY 2

Team Trek: Around the World in 80 Days
Recruit your team now.
Earn miles for all the time you exercise.
See story, CenterPiece, page ...



FEBRUARY 13

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
Remembrance
7 p.m. at Village 8
Tickets \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival



FEBRUARY 17

2103 Federation Campaign
SUPER SUNDAY
Answer the Call.
See story, page 1.

FEBRUARY 18

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
Three Films from Ma'ale School of Television, Film and the Arts in Jerusalem
7 p.m. in the Waller Chapel
at The Temple
FREE - Sponsored by The Temple Brotherhood
Followed by dessert reception, sponsored by the
Louisville Jewish Film Committee and The Temple.
Vaad approved option available upon advance request.
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
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FEBRUARY 21

UNIQUELY Jewish
Event Series
7 p.m. at
Heaven Hill Distillery
459-0660
TO BE RESCHEDULED SOON
Watch for details.
Vaad approved option available upon advance request.
RSVP to Mary Jean, 238-2739,
mtimmel@jewishlouisville.org or online
at www.jewishlouisville.org.



FEBRUARY 21

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
My Australia
7 p.m. at Village 8
Tickets \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival



FEBRUARY 2

YAD 2013 Federation Campaign Event
with Comedian Raanan Hershberg
7 p.m. at The Pointe
226 E. Washington St.
RSVP to the Development Office, 238-2739,
tleinkalmes@jewishlouisville.org



FEBRUARY 9

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
My Best Enemy
7:30 p.m. at Village 8
Tickets \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival



FEBRUARY 10

JCC Teen Connection
Game Craze
Pizza, Drinks, Snacks Provided.
Open to Jewish Teens grades 6-8
2-4 p.m., at the JCC, \$5.
Register by February 4 at front desk, 459-0660.
For more information, contact Mike Steklof,
238-2774 or msteklof@jewishlouisville.org.

FEBRUARY 12

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
The Flat
7 p.m. at Village 8
Tickets \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival



FEBRUARY 16

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
Kaddish for a Friend
7:30 p.m. at Village 8
Tickets \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
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FEBRUARY 17

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
Hava Nagila and Lost Tribe Klezmer Band
4 p.m. at Adath Jeshurun
Admission \$22 Adults, \$8 Students
Enjoy a light meal and a concert
following the film.
Vaad approved option available upon advance request.
Call 459-0660 or go to
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FEBRUARY 20

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL
Wilfrid Israel and Follow Me
7 p.m. at Village 8
Two films
Wilfrid Israel is co-produced by Bonnie Bizer,
whose cousin was a founder of Kibbutz Hazorea.
For tickets, call 459-0660 or go to
jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival



FEB. 21-MAR. 3

CenterStage Presents
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15th Annual Jewish Film Festival, February 9-12, Brings Drama and Fun

The Jewish Community Center's 2013 Louisville Jewish Film Festival brings a more mature line up of movies and documentaries in its 15th year. The festival, which runs February 9-21 at several locations in Louisville, will challenge audiences with the complexities of Jewish culture and what it means to be Jewish in the modern era.

The Jewish Film Festival strives to show the richness and diversity of the Jewish experience by presenting the best contemporary international films. Through feature films, shorts, documentaries and student films, as well as conversations with guest speakers, the festival explores Jewish identity with the hope of increasing tolerance and educating its audiences.

Some of the films we have shown have gone on to be nominated for Academy Awards and remade into Hollywood films. Many of them have received Israel's highest awards for films.

Tickets are \$8.50 in advance, \$10 at the door, \$6 student unless otherwise stated.

The festival starts with a bang. On Saturday, February 9, *My Best Enemy* brings the drama of World War II in Nazi Germany to the screen. Two best friends must switch places to recover a stolen piece of artwork while competing over a shared love interest. The movie will be shown at Village 8 Theaters at 7:30 p.m.

In partnership with the Muhammad Ali Center, the Jewish Film Festival will screen *A Bottle in the Gaza Sea* on Sunday, February 10, at 2:30 p.m. at



A Bottle in the Gaza Sea tells the story of Tal, an Israeli who experiences a terrorist attack at her local café. Instead of hatred, she has her brother throw a bottle with a message of peace into the Gaza Sea. When she receives an email response from Naim, a teenage Palestinian, the two develop a friendship through email. A discussion led by Rabbi Joe Rooks Rapport and dessert will follow the movie.

The Louisville Jewish Film Festival will continue on Tuesday, February 12, with *The Flat*, an Israeli documentary that will be shown at the Village 8 at 7 p.m. This winner of Best Documentary and Best Director in the Jerusalem Film Festival begins with the emptying of a flat when the Goldfinger family discovers a preserved issue of a pro-Nazi newspaper among their dead grandmother's things. Shocked to learn that his grandparents maintained a friendship before and after the war with a Nazi official and his wife, the filmmaker's investigation exposes powerful barriers of denial.

On Wednesday, February 13, the Film Festival will present *Remembrance* at 7 p.m. at the Village 8.

Winner of the Audience Award Berlin Film Festival and Best Drama Los Angeles Jewish Film Festival, in this epic romance, based on actual events, a Polish partisan man and German Jewish woman forge an

the Muhammad Ali Center, 144 N. 6th St. Admission to this film is free with a \$2 admission to view the exhibits at the Ali Center before the film. Please call the JCC, 459-0660, to ensure your admittance to the museum.

unshakeable bond during the Holocaust. After a daring escape from a Nazi death camp, Tomasz and a pregnant Hannah are forcibly separated and each is convinced the other has died.

The events of 1944 Poland are juxtaposed with 1976 Brooklyn, where an older Hannah glimpses a television interview that makes her realize that Tomasz might still be alive. A spiral of emotions and moral ambiguities are triggered, as Hannah must now confront her unresolved past.

Kaddish for a Friend will be shown on Saturday, February 16, at 7:30 p.m. at the Village 8. Growing up in a Palestinian refugee camp, 14-year-old Ali learns to hate Jews at an early age. When he and his family escape to a new life in Berlin, Ali yearns to be accepted by fellow Arab youths. To prove himself, he breaks into the apartment of his neighbor, Alexander, a feisty, elderly Russian Jewish war veteran. When Alexander catches the boys during the robbery, he recognizes Ali, whom he reports to the police. To avoid deportation, Ali must seek out the trust and forgiveness of his enemy.

Get ready to party on Sunday, February 17, as the Louisville Jewish Film Festival teams up with Congregation Adath Jeshurun to present the film *Hava Nagila* at 4 p.m., followed by a special concert by the local klezmer band, The Lost Tribe, and a light dinner.

Sung by Harry Belafonte, Connie Francis, Elvis and many others, "Hava Nagila" is one of the most famous pieces of music in the world. Could there be a bar or bat mitzvah dance or a wedding without it? This film encapsulates the Jewish journey over the past 150 years from shtetls to kibbutzim to America, revealing the power and joy of the song.

Tickets for the movie, concert and dinner are \$22 for adults and \$8 for students. A Vaad-approved option is available upon advance request.

It has become a Louisville Jewish Film Festival tradition to include three short films from from The Ma'ale School of Television, Film and the Arts in Jerusalem. This year's films, sponsored by The Temple Brotherhood, will be shown on Monday, February 18, at 7 p.m. in The Temple's Waller Chapel.

The films are:
"Barriers" – Uri and two soldiers under his command are manning a checkpoint in the territories. Two women from the "Watch" organization interfere with their work. He is ordered to close the checkpoint due to a bomb threat.

"The Divide" – Kobi has joined the army despite his parent's opposition. He returns home for Shabbat before he is given the award for Outstanding Soldier and discovers that an order has been given for his family's eviction.

"Stand Up" – Dudi is learning in a yeshiva to become a teacher. His wife doesn't know he spends most of his time trying to be a stand-up comic. His friends find out and he is scared his wife will discover his secret.

Admission for these films is free, and the showing will be followed by a desert reception provided by the Louisville Jewish Film Committee and The Temple. A Vaad-approved option will be available upon advance request.

Another Film Festival tradition is screening a film with a strong Louisville



connection. This year, the 30-minute documentary, "Wilfrid Israel," was co-produced by Bonnie Bizer, whose cousin was a founder of Kibbutz Hazorea. It will be shown along with a second film, *Follow Me: The Yoni Netanyahu Story*, on Wednesday, February 20, at 7 p.m. at the Village 8.

Wilfrid Israel inherited the largest department store in Berlin. An art collector, he donated priceless pieces to Kibbutz Hazorea, which he helped establish in 1936. Using photographs, interviews and archival material relating to the Nazis, the film reveals a man driven to save many lives through the creation of a children's settlement in Palestine and involvement in the operation and financing of the Kindertransport. Wilfrid Israel helped hundreds of his employees to emigrate and provided funding to them for two years as they made the transition to their new lives.

Follow Me is a poignant biography of Yonatan Netanyahu, an army commander killed in Operation Entebbe and brother of current Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. The film contains his introspective writings and shows his passion and human frailty. The journey comes to a crossroads in July 1976 as Netanyahu led a raid to rescue Israeli hostages from a hijacked flight at Uganda's Entebbe airport. Newly revealed information and interviews with his brother, ex-wife and Ehud Barak, defense minister, are enlightening.

The Festival will conclude on Thursday, February 21, with the showing of *My Australia* at 7 p.m. at the Village 8. In this touching drama set in the 1960's, 10-year old Tadek and his older brother Andrzej live in a working class neighborhood in Poland, where they are part of a gang with neo-Nazi affiliations. After being arrested for beating up Jews, their mother confesses to them that she is a Holocaust survivor. She decides she must remove them from their toxic environment and tells them that they will be moving to Australia, when in fact, their destination is Israel. There they struggle to find their identity while building a new life in a foreign land.

A complete schedule, film descriptions and trailers are also online.

To purchase tickets, visit www.jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival or call the JCC at 459-0660. On the day of the show, tickets will be available one hour prior to the film at the venue. Tickets to all films are available online at jewishlouisville.org/filmfestival, by phone at 459-0660 or in person at the front desk at the JCC.

Donations to the Film Festival are also welcome and can be made at the website or by calling the JCC.

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by Cantor David Lipp
Congregation Adath Jeshurun

The community is invited to Bluegrass with Jewish Sass, Congregation Adath Jeshurun's an-



Hazzan Mike Stein

nual Music Festival, on Sunday, March 3, at 7 p.m.

A number of years ago the Cantors Assembly had a convention in Los Angeles. Among the many talents of the West coast was a family of musicians, the Stein Family.

At the time the Rolling Steins consisted of Mike, his wife Kelley and three teenage sons (now all accomplished musicians in their own right) and they played an eclectic stew of jazz, klez and bluegrass for my colleagues and me.

I was struck by many things – the fact that Mike himself plays four or five instruments was the least of them. More than the raw talent exhibited by the ensemble was the cohesiveness of the sound and the good feeling that emanated from their collaboration.

I was reminded of Mike's talent when the Cantors Assembly took its mission

to Poland and Israel three years ago. For those who saw the film *100 Voices*, there was a 20-minute prologue, a concert played on the Fourth of July 2009 in Krakow, which began with a melismatic, bluegrass fiddle riff by none other than Hazzan Stein.

A world renowned performer, composer and recording artist, a Grammy Award winner and nominee, his songs have been recorded by the late Patsy Montana and have been in movies such as *The Little Traitor*.

I'm not the only one who noticed his fiddle playing – he's played for Mary Chapin Carpenter and Tom Paxton. Today he is the cantor at Temple Aliyah in Woodland Hills, CA.

Since it's been a year or so too long since we've had John Gage and a Kentucky Homefront Radio show from our bimah, I thought bringing out a Bluegrass fiddler

and singer to Louisville was a great reason to invite him back; and it was perfectly timed for this March on a night when we wouldn't be competing with University of Louisville basketball!

John will be bringing his guitar along to share a song or two from "the front porch" during the show. Cantor Sharon Hordes of Keneseth Israel and a community choir, adult and junior, will join the fun as we celebrate Bluegrass with Jewish Sass.

Tickets are available for purchase online at http://www.adathjeshurun.com/music_festival_registration/, by phone at 458-5359 or at the AJ office during business hours. Advance tickets are \$12.50 for adults and \$10 for seniors and students. Tickets will also be sold at the door for \$15 each. Sponsorships are available.

Don't miss the fun (or the dessert from Bonnie's Baking Bunch following).

Reviews

The Whipping Man

by David Wallace

The Whipping Man by Matthew Lopez, directed by Meredith McDonough, is now playing at Actors Theatre of Louisville. It is an impressive blend of Judaism, slavery and the agony of freedom in post-Civil War Richmond, VA, which poses more questions than it is able to answer, which is not an altogether bad thing.

The play takes place in the April days just after Lee has surrendered to Grant at Appomattox Court House, VA, to end the Civil War. Simon, played by Michael Genet, and John, played by Biko Eisen-Martin, were slaves who have just been liberated. Caleb, played by Frankie J. Alvarez, is their former master's son and a Confederate soldier.

Caleb and his family are Jews, and their slaves were allowed to participate in the observances and considered themselves Jews.

Simon is "taking care" of the ruined family mansion. The younger John is out looting and sparring with the Whipping Man, the designated slave beater for the Richmond community.

Caleb, wounded, perhaps at the siege of Petersburg, staggers into the family mansion and collapses on the floor. Simon, though no longer a slave, elects to take care of the fallen warrior. As it turns out, taking care of him involves an amputation. With whiskey both as an antiseptic and a soporific drug, a saw and John's assistance to keep Caleb from struggling, the leg comes off. As the first act ends, plans are being made for a Passover Seder while Caleb and John decide to keep a disturbing secret from Simon.

The progression of the Seder and the revelation of the secret carry the second act. The Seder is an amazing mixture of gospel music, improvisation and the reading of the Haggadah, the written map for the service. In the end, when the secret is revealed, John and Caleb are bound together in an unholy alliance like, as Simon puts it, "two peas in a pod," while the elder former slave sets out on a new quest forced upon him by the revelation.

Genet, as Simon, carries this play, particularly in the second act. He sings "Go Down, Moses" and is the personification of rage and agony when the Passover Seder unravels. Alvarez and Eisen-Martin are worthy counterparts to Genet and in the end are left to pursue a strangely symbiotic future.

In preparing for the production, Uni-

versity of Louisville retired History Professor Lee Shai Weissbach served as historical consultant for the Actors Theatre company, ensuring both the historical and Judaic facts were accurately portrayed. In addition, Marsha Roth hosted a Seder for the performers so they would have a good understanding of the ritual.

This is a first-rate play, which raises questions concerning the responsibility that comes with freedom and the fascinating interaction between African-American slavery and the Jews' exodus from ancient Egypt. In the process there are secrets revealed which uncover the intimate connection between slave and master in the antebellum South.

The only possible criticism of this wonderful play is that the first act is lengthy and meanders at times, but even to mention this is like calling the expression on the face of Mona Lisa a smirk instead of a smile. This is an exhausting journey that forces you to exercise your brain, which is what all profound plays do.

Run, don't walk, to see this play. It will be remembered long after it closes on February 2.

Company

by David Wallace

Company is a play of vignettes loosely constructed around Bobby's (Robert, as played by Mike Fryman) 35th birthday. Bobby is single, moving beyond "marriageable" age and his friends are all happily married. Or are they?

Bobby sees them all at their married worst at various times during the course of the play. They all want Bobby to be married. Or do they? Bobby wants to get married. Or does he?

Nothing is as it seems in this play. Or maybe it is. At one level, it's a story about Bobby and his search for the perfect woman. (Most of them seem to be married to his friends.)

At another, it's a story about Bobby's friends and their efforts to help him find that perfect woman. Bobby yearns for something that he doesn't have but doesn't really know what that something is. He is, at times, conflicted and immature, low-key and wise, calm and frenetic. He is a "good guy" and everybody's nightmare. He's the one person that keeps his "company" together and the one who is breaking it up. In essence, he's human, just another guy trying to "make it through the night."

Two of the best vignettes are Lauren McCombs' turn as Amy, who falls apart on her wedding day. She doesn't want to marry Paul, played by Patrick Vaughn, but loves him so much that, in the end,

she just has to marry him. This happens near the end of Act I.

In the second act, Jill Higginbotham steals the show as the cynical Joanna when she sings "The Ladies Who Lunch." She manages to be fierce but vulnerable at the same time, a counterpoint to the charismatic yet conflicted Bobby.

In the end, Bobby reminds me of Elvis, standing on stage singing "Are You Lonesome Tonight," telling his audience that they "can bring the curtain down," and that's finally what happens with *Company*. Nothing is resolved but everything is explored. If there's a *Company II*, then bring it on!

CenterStage's next production is *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, which runs from February 21-March 3. Get your tickets early because this show is sure to sell out. 459-0660.

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JCRC Launches Purim Collection for Blessings in a Backpack

When we think of Purim, now just a month away, we think of costumes and graggers, reading the Megillah and singing songs, eating hamantashen and sending gifts (mishloach manot) to friends.

However, there is another, more serious side to Purim that we cannot overlook.

“Matanot la’evyonim is one of the four primary mitzvot of the Purim holiday,” Jewish Community Relations Council Chair Ayala Golding explained. “In this mitzvah, the sole action required is to

give a gift of charity to at least one poor person on the day of Purim.”

It has become a tradition for the JCRC to conduct a Purim fundraising drive to benefit a local charity to make it easy for community members to fulfill this mitzvah. For 5773, the beneficiary will be Blessings in a Backpack.

“This year,” Golding continued, “our Louisville JCRC is focusing on what we can do to combat hunger and food insecurity concerns. Therefore, participating in raising funds for the Blessings in a Backpack was an obvious choice for us this year and was why in the end, when faced with so many worthy choices, the JCRC voted on this charity to become the beneficiary of this year’s Matanot Le-Evyonim fundraising effort.

“The JCRC started the year with a very successful fundraising effort on behalf of Dare to Care’s annual Hunger Walk, with our largest ever contingent walking under the Jewish Louisville Team,” she recounted.

This week, she continued, “we are in the middle of a Food Stamp Challenge whereby participants agree to live on \$31.50 for their groceries for the week, the average amount that a SNAP recipient receives,” to help raise awareness of the issues of hunger and poverty.

“It is only fitting that we continue this effort and collect funds for hungry school children in our community through Blessings in a Backpack,” Golding said.

Blessings in a Backpack is a program designed to help elementary aged stu-

dents who are less fortunate, by sending home backpacks on Fridays containing food for the weekend. Each Monday, the students return the backpacks to school so they can be refilled at the end of the next week.

In the Louisville area, there are currently 15 schools with over 2100 students participating in the program. Support from local businesses, organizations and caring individuals ensures these young children will have much needed help as they grow and learn throughout the school year.

The backpacks contain easy-to-prepare and ready-to-eat foods like granola bars, juice boxes, peanut butter, tuna, crackers, macaroni and cheese and oatmeal. A donation of \$80 is enough to cover the cost of food for one child for an entire school year.

Students who participate in the Blessings in a Backpack program show marked improvement in school attendance, test scores, behavior and health. Most of these children live in a world where some food is better than no food. Food is an essential building block, and in this case truly is a blessing, especially to a hungry child.

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“Please observe the mitzvah this year together with the JCRC and consider a charitable contribution on behalf of Blessings in a Backpack through the JCRC’s 2013/5773 Matanot La’Evyonim fundraiser,” Golding said.

To help the JCRC support Blessings in a Backpack, please send your check, made out to Jewish Community of Louisville, to the JCRC, 3630 Dutchmans Ln., Louisville, KY 40205, or donate online at www.jewishlouisville.org.


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YAD Gets Ready to Party at Campaign Event

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Raanan Hershberg grew up here in Louisville and is a graduate of Eliahu Academy, but today, he’s on tour and in demand at clubs and colleges all across the country, honing his craft in some of the top rooms in the nation.

He was selected for this year’s Laugh Your Asheville Off Comedy Festival, and was a finalist in the 2012 Funniest Person in Cincinnati Competition. He has worked with many acclaimed comedians, including Jim Jefferies, Godfrey, Charlie Murphy, Rory Scovel, and Jonathan Witherspoon.

He’s carved time out of his busy schedule for a stop back in his hometown just for this event.

“He’s extremely funny and very intelligent,” YAD Event Co-Chair Keren Benabou said, “and when it comes to a Jewish crowd, he knows how to work it. ... The point of the whole community and YAD is to help Jewish people and places – to support the community.”

This will be a fun party, Co-Chair Faina Kronenberg added, “where everybody can let their hair down.”

Heavy hors d’oeuvres will served and drinks will be provided by Heaven Hill.

The cost is \$36 per person or \$25 for guests 29 and under.


This is also a 2013 Federation Annual Campaign event, so those in attendance will have the opportunity to make their pledges that night.

The 2013 Federation Campaign YAD chair is Ariel Kronenberg. The Ben Gurion Society co-chairs are Beth and Michael Salamon. Ben Gurion Society members are young adults who make leadership gifts to the Campaign of at least \$1000. The 2013 YAD Fundraising Event chairs are Keren Benabou and Faina Kronenberg.

The event hosts for the evening are Tracy and Mark Geller, Heather and Seth Gladstein, Kate Kastenbaum, Jenna Koff, Laurence Nibur and Laura Pearson, Elizabeth Post, Shannon and Ed Rothschild, Abby and Barrett Tasman and Ben Vaughan.

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Summer Internships Available at Jewish Agencies

The calendar may still say January and the weather may have you thinking about staying inside and lighting a fire, but for college students, now is the time to make plans for the summer, especially if they are interested in finding a summer internship that will give them some real work experience and leave them with a few dollars in their pockets.

If they're looking for a meaningful work experience at a Jewish agency in Louisville, they might consider the Jewish

community internship program offered by the Jewish Community of Louisville and Jewish Family and Career Services. Several different internship programs are available, and each offers a two-month internship for a Jewish student from the Louisville area who has completed at least one year of college.

According to Ellen Shapira, JFCS education and career counselor, these are paying positions that will be tailored to meet the career development needs of the selected candidates. Depending on the

particular agency's agenda, interns may work in the areas of general business, computers, marketing, public relations, fund development, accounting, communication, Jewish communal service or social research. Organized activities within the Jewish community, career-directed programs, meetings with selected community leaders and social and networking opportunities are all part of the package.

Eligible candidates must be Jewish students who are permanent residents of Louisville – although they may attend college out of state. Those selected to participate will likely begin working in early June, but the schedule could be modified to accommodate a particular student's school schedule. Selection will be based on the student's academic background, experiences and quality of the application.

These summer internships will be invaluable in allowing students to get hands-on know-how that will be helpful to them before making career decisions. It's a win-win program with benefits to both the Jewish community and the participants – now and in the future.

It is hardly all work and no play for the interns. They have several opportunities to socialize with other student interns from around the city and enjoy lunch with Jewish agency executives. Organizers hope this positive summer experience might prompt students to decide to come back to (or remain in) Louisville after graduation.

The deadline for applications is April 12.

For further information about the program or an application, please contact Ellen Shapira at JFCS, 452-6341 ext. 225.

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JCC Rules Changing to Increase Security

Around the country, people are becoming more conscious of security in light of recent tragic events. The Jewish Community Center has also been looking at its facility and is making some changes to enhance the security of all members, visitors and guests.

New security cameras are being installed, thanks to a grant from the Kentucky Colonels and a generous anonymous contribution.

There will also be some policy changes. Everyone will be required to enter and

exit the building from one door. From Sunday through Friday, it will be the main lobby doors by the Patio Gallery and the main desk. On Saturday, it will be the Health and Fitness entrance by the outdoor pool.

In addition, members and staff will be required to scan their membership cards and guests will be required to check in at the desk.

For additional information, please see the story on page 1 of CenterPiece.

JCL Delegation Meets with Sen. Rand Paul

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about his trip to the Golan and how his journey from Jerusalem to the north took more than seven hours (normally it is two) due to the heavy rains and snow that washed out many of the roads. "We called it the tour of plagues," he joked.

Silberman asked what surprised Paul the most during his visit, to which he responded, "Having a meeting with Mahmoud Abbas and then driving 20 minutes to meet with Benjamin Netanyahu."

Paul's suggestions for improving relations between the Israelis and the Palestinians focused on economic development for both sides. He said encouraging Israel to reduce its dependence on U.S. military aid gradually over a prolonged period, and helping the Palestinians develop trade with their neighbors, including the possibility of opening a port in Gaza, which Israel would jointly run with them for an extended period of time, were examples of the financial security necessary to achieve stability. He said the U.S. should not force the hand of either side, and should be looked upon as a resource to be invited into the dialogue.

The meeting with Sen. Paul also gave the group the opportunity to acquaint the legislator with the Jewish community.

Silberman provided a brief overview of the organized Jewish community, starting with the JCL's national parent organizations, the Jewish Federations of North America and the Jewish Community Center Association, and moving to the Louisville Jewish community. When Silberman spoke about the Federation and JCC, Paul interjected, "I learned to swim at the Houston JCC."

Goldberg and Golding spoke about the JCRC's role in advocacy, interfaith relations, and social action. Salamon focused on Jewish Family and Career Services agency and National Council of Jewish Women, and Weinberg discussed the diversity of the Jewish community. Silberman spoke about the strength of Louisville's five Jewish congregations representing the three major denominations, as well as the Jewish community present in Lexington.

Goldberg and Golding also talked about some of the Jewish community's organized disaster relief efforts, including last year's devastating tornado in Henryville.

Paul was pleased to hear that Louisville's Jewish agencies and its Jewish community serve a large client base that includes people from all faiths.

The meeting, which lasted approximately 30 minutes, was made possible due to the "polite persistence of Stu Silberman" according to Paul's Deputy State Director Rachel Nave McCubbin. Silberman began efforts for the introductory meeting with the Jewish community nearly a year ago.

The Senator agreed to meet with the JCL again and McCubbin said they would look for an opportunity for the next meeting to take place at the Louisville JCC.

Sen. Paul's chief of staff, Doug Stafford also attended the meeting.

Greater Bethel Temple Joins The Temple for MLK Shabbat Service

The Temple welcomed the Pastor's Choir from Greater Bethel Temple on January 18 as their special guests for its annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Shabbat Service.

For almost 20 years, The Temple has dedicated the Friday evening Shabbat service prior to the national holiday as a time to celebrate the life of Dr. King. This year, instead of a guest speaker, the choir from Greater Bethel Temple was invited.

Greater Bethel was asked because its church is housed in the building on Third Street which was the former congregational home of Adath Israel, before it merged with Brith Sholom in the 1970's to create the unified congregation of The Temple.

The Pastor's Choir gave an amazing performance, which concluded with a spirited rendition of "We Shall Overcome," which brought the congregation to its feet with hands clapping.

To conclude the service, The Temple's choir, Shir Chadash, joined with the guest choir to sing "Lo Yisa Goy/Down By The Riverside."

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Is the Job Interview Hanging You Up? JFCS Workshop Can Help

by Bob Tiell
Career Services Director
Jewish Family and Career Services

Mark is in his early 50s, married, has kids in college and must support his family. He has had a long, successful career in mass media. However, Mark was downsized several months ago. He quickly mounted an employment search, actively pursued opportunities, but nothing materialized.

It had been many years since Mark had to seek new employment, so Mark felt like a fish out of water. Among other things, he was uncomfortable with interviewing, sensing that this process had changed much since he last sought employment. He got some job interviews, but selling himself at the interview stage was a challenge, and he received no follow-up interest, much less any job offers. For Mark, things seem to break down at the interview level. What could he do?

Mark's story is not unique. Since the

economic meltdown in 2008, many folks have lost employment. Although unemployment rates have steadily improved since 2008, they are still unacceptably high, currently 7.7 percent nationally. It remains an employer's market, and employers are often highly selective.

For many positions, there are several more applicants than openings. Some sources suggest that this ratio is as high as 40 to 1. For job seekers, this dynamic places much additional burden on the interview process, particularly the current trend of the first and even second interviews being via telephone. As a result, the interview typically arouses considerable angst and pressure for the job seeker.

Interviewing Dynamics

The employment interview is often infused with both excitement and dread. At its best, the interview represents for the applicant an opportunity for useful dialogue, a successful outcome and ultimately a win-win for both parties. At its

worst, the applicant reads the interview as a disappointment and defeat.

The reality is that some folks are better prepared to deliver a solid job interview than are others. Managing the interview for maximum effect should be the goal for every job applicant. Techniques and resources exist that can allow this to occur. Improving one's interview skills and preparedness can go far toward promoting a confident, knowledgeable air, thereby generating more job offers and successful interview outcomes.

Jewish Family & Career Services (JFCS) offers "From Strengths to Storytelling – Nailing the Job Interview," a unique, innovative approach that helps participants identify pertinent strengths and values. The workshop helps participants convert this material into a compelling message that goes much farther toward creating a powerful impact, and in turn, increasing job offers. It can be of great benefit to job seekers. If you check out "Seven Steps to

Satisfying Employment" at the JFCS website, www.jfcsloouisville.org, you will see that steps 1, 2, and 4 all focus on the importance of interviewing.

"This workshop opened my eyes to these techniques, giving me confidence and a more positive outlook. ... My own experience combined with the understanding of my strengths, along with my story gave me a much greater sense of interviewing preparedness." As you can see, Mark and many other successful job seekers clearly gained value and benefited from the workshop.

As the community's preferred career services provider, JFCS will offer a series of interviewing workshops throughout 2013. The first four-hour workshop is scheduled for Monday, February 18, and Wednesday, February 20, 5:30-7:30 p.m. at JFCS.

For workshop information and registration, please contact Janet Poole, 452-6341, ext. 222 or jpoole@jfcsloouisville.org.

JFCS Needs Volunteers to Help Train Refugees Who Want to Become Childcare Providers

Jewish Family & Career Services received a grant to facilitate the Family Childcare Project (FCP), which is a career development program geared specifically to the needs of Louisville's refugee population. The purpose of the FCP is to assist refugee women in obtaining self-employment as registered family childcare providers, while creating affordable, culturally and linguistically accessible childcare options for refugee women who choose to enter the workforce.

Refugee women participating in the FCP will complete an eight-week training course that provides them with hands-on training in child development; health, safety and nutrition; cognitive and language development; motor development, and business operation and management. Once the participants complete the training course, they will receive assistance in starting registered family childcare businesses in their homes.

JFCS needs training volunteers in three capacities:

- Training Session Leader – leads activities on pre-identified childcare topics, including business operation and management.
- Training Session Assistant – assists the training session leader in activities on pre-identified childcare topics.
- Site Visit Volunteer – makes monthly visits to a participant's registered family childcare business. A site visit volunteer helps promote a safe, healthy, and stimulating environment for children.

Training Volunteers must complete two Volunteer Orientation sessions in which they will learn about JFCS as an organization and how to communicate with individuals with limited English skills, as well as become familiar with the FCP training course curriculum.

The training course begins on Friday, February 1, and goes through the end of March. FCP training course sessions take place every weekday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Births of Twins Showcase Western Galilee's Uniqueness and Diversity

Louisville has a special connection with the Western Galilee Region of Israel and Western Galilee Hospital. Through the Partnership 2Gether program, our communities have been linked since 1997. We've enjoyed cultural, educational, medical and business exchanges and built lasting friendships that span the ocean.

Earlier this month, there was an unusual occurrence at Western Galilee Hospital and the Friends of the Western Galilee Hospital shared it with us.

January 16, 2013

Dear Friends,

I had to share this cute story with you. It demonstrates exactly who we are as an organization, and the special community that we serve.

Yesterday, in a matter of few hours, four sets of twins were born in our maternity unit. Twins are no special story, except this time we had a Jewish mother, a Muslim mother, a Christian mother and a Druze mother!

The story spread up quickly, as it was published in two daily newspapers and in numerous radio programs and web-

sites, and it sparked a great discussion about diversity and multiculturalism. In the last few hours, I even realized that some Jewish-Israeli advocacy websites have been using this story to demonstrate Israel's special diversity. *Maariv*, one of Israeli daily newspapers, has even titled this story under "Multi Cultural Baby Boom" (trust me, it sound better in Hebrew...).

In days of heated political debate, less than a week before the elections, this is a little cute story that brings hope for a better future in our region. And you are part of it.

On a very different note – I had the pleasure of spending some time with Zoe Riekes, our dear president of the board, on her visit to the Western Galilee. Zoe explored the hospital in depth, met with staff and lay leaders, and I am sure that she will share her reflection with you



Four sets of twins and their ethnically diverse families at Western Galilee Hospital.

once she gets back to the states after a VERY busy two weeks. We have made some great plans for action and we truly feel that this year will be a great one for the American Friends of Western Galilee Hospital! I want to thank you all for your involvement.

Hope to see you soon,
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Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor with Thane Rosenbaum

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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH * 7:45 p.m. reception followed by 8:15 p.m. broadcast

Inside Israel's National Security with Chuck Freilich & Reuven Pedatzur

Chuck Freilich, a former Israeli deputy national security advisor, shares unique insights into the history and chronic inadequacies of Israeli national security policy-making, attributing them to Israel's hostile and volatile regional environment, politicized electoral system, and structural peculiarities of the Israeli government. Reuven Pedatzur is the director of the S. Daniel Abraham Center for Strategic Dialogue at the Netanya Academic College and is a senior military affairs analyst with the newspaper Ha'aretz.



SUNDAY, APRIL 14TH * 7:45 p.m. reception followed by 8:15 p.m. broadcast

The Future of God: The Merging of Science and Religion with Andrew Zoll, David Eagleman and Reza Aslan

Must science and religion always be opposing and irreconcilable forces? This panel discusses whether science and religion can be seen as complementary ways of understanding our world. Dr. Reza Aslan is a professor at Drew University's Center on Religion, Culture and Conflict. Andrew Zoll is the co-author of the new book *Resilience: The Science of Why Things Bounce Back*. David Eagleman is a neuroscientist and writer at Baylor College of Medicine, where he directs the Laboratory for Perception and Action and the Initiative on Neuroscience and Law.

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Spring Wedding Section



Checklist Can Help Simplify Planning, Give You More Time to Enjoy

by Stephanie Raphael

Editor's note: Stephanie Raphael wrote this timeline several years ago. Most of the material in her original column still holds true. It has been updated to reflect today's realities.

One Year Ahead

- Pick a date
- Reserve a place for ceremony and reception
- Set a budget (Include 3 percent for tzedakah to help feed the hungry)
- Reserve the entertainment
- Notify the rabbi

Six to Eight Months Ahead

- Choose a caterer, florist, and photographer/videographer
- Choose a color scheme and decorations

- Pick out attendants' gowns
- Shop for a veil
- Figure out about how many guests you will invite
- Select a wedding gown

Three Months Ahead

- Consult with the rabbi about the service
- Choose and order a ketuba
- Start planning your honeymoon
- Schedule fittings for bridesmaids' dresses
- Register for china and other household items
- Finalize the guest list
- Arrange for tuxedos for the groom and his attendants
- Order invitations

Two Months Ahead

- Choose the menu
- Address and mail invitations
- Reserve hotel accommodations for out-of-town guests
- Shop for wedding rings
- Arrange limousine transportation for the bridal party from the site of the ceremony to the reception
- Notify the newspapers of your forthcoming marriage (Your notice should arrive at *Community* at least five weeks before the event.)

One Month Ahead

- Obtain a marriage license
- Make a seating chart and place cards
- Plan rehearsal and rehearsal dinner
- Schedule final fittings
- Order the cake

- Confirm final arrangements with band, caterer and florist
- Order thank-you notes
- Record gifts as they arrive

Three Weeks Ahead

- Make arrangements with the mikvah attendant

Two Weeks Ahead

- Confirm reservations at the hotel
- Give a preliminary guest count to the caterer
- Confirm delivery of the flowers

One Week Ahead

- Give a final guest count to the caterer
- Buy gifts for your attendants
- Choose a hairstyle that works with your headpiece



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Jewish Groups Ready to Weigh in on Same-Sex Marriage

by Ron Kampeas

WASHINGTON, December 2012 (JTA) – With public acceptance of same-sex marriage growing, liberal Jewish groups are hoping the U.S. Supreme Court will strike down the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA) that they have long opposed.

The Supreme Court has agreed to hear two cases related to same-sex marriage: an appeal of a federal court ruling that struck down a California ballot initiative banning same-sex marriage, and one of the federal court rulings invalidating provisions of the act, known as DOMA, which prevented federal recognition of same-sex unions.

Since DOMA was passed in 1996, Jewish groups such as the Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism and the National Council of Jewish Women have been among the liberal religious groups arguing against its provisions. At the time, they were pushing against the widespread perception that religious groups almost by definition were opposed to same-sex marriage.

That is no longer the case, said Rabbi David Saperstein, the Religious Action Center's director and a witness during

congressional hearings on DOMA.

"There is an increasing religious consciousness across an ever wider spectrum that providing legal protection and religious sanctification to two people who want to create their lives together reflects our highest values," Saperstein told JTA.

Saperstein said the RAC was planning to file or sign onto an amicus brief in support of same-sex marriage.

Sammie Moshenberg, the Washington director of the National Council of Jewish Women, said that recent victories for same-sex marriage in state referenda vindicate NCJW's activism against DOMA.

"We saw in the last election popular support for marriage equality, with wins in Maine, Maryland and Washington, and voters in Minnesota rejected" a law that would have entrenched the ban on gay marriage in that state, she said. "We've seen tremendous popular support, and we see it's growing."

Orthodox groups, active also during the 1996 congressional hearings before the passage of DOMA, are considering amicus briefs since the Supreme Court agreed last week to consider the two cases.

Orthodox groups have opposed same-sex marriage, maintaining that marriage should be defined as union between a man and a woman. They also have expressed the concern that the push for same-sex marriage will end up infringing upon their religious liberties.

"We do plan to file and let our views be known in reference to DOMA and Proposition 8," the California referendum that banned same-sex marriage and that was overturned by a federal appeals court in January, said Abba Cohen, who directs the Washington office of Agudath Israel of America. "We don't know whether we'll file on our own or with others – it's too early for us to make that decision."

The Orthodox Union was still considering whether to file, said Nathan Diamant, the group's executive director for public policy.

An array of liberal Jewish groups, including the Anti-Defamation League, NCJW, Hadassah, Bend the Arc, and a number of Reform and Conservative bodies had joined in an amicus brief filed for the lower court appeal of the DOMA case, *U.S. v. Windsor*, in which the widow of a New York woman is appealing the taxes levied on her late wife's estate that would have been exempted had she been married to a man.

**Jewish Young Professionals
Might Meet Their Heart's
Desire at Access' Regional
Valentine's Party for Singles**

February 14 is fast approaching. For many, it's a day filled with fun and romance. However, for many others who are still searching for Mr. or Ms. Right, it can be a painful reminder that they still haven't found their special bashert.

But now, for any Jewish young professional hoping to be hit by Cupid's arrow, there's the Fifth Annual Regional Jewish Singles' event. Some of the most eligible Jewish young professionals, ages 21-35, from Cincinnati, Columbus, Dayton, Indianapolis, Louisville and Lexington will convene in Cincinnati for a chance to fast-track dozens of first dates all in one evening. On Saturday, February 9, at 8 p.m., in a private room at Betty Bar in Downtown Cincinnati, Access, an initiative of The Mayerson Foundation aimed at helping Jewish YPs connect with one another, presents, "You've Got Mail, A Valentines Card Party."

"Each Valentine's Day weekend, nearly 100 participants from all over the region take part in this event. Over the years it has resulted in numerous matches, many of which turn into serious relationships, and even marriage, like it did for Bree and Michael Bergman, our very first Speed Dating couple to tie the knot!" says Access Coordinator, Rachel Plowden.

"In the past we have hosted 'speed dating' events in which participants got three minutes to meet one-on-one with a new person before moving on to the next one until they had about 50 mini-dates," she adds. "However, this year, we're switching things up and will be putting a whole new spin on the old school tradition of exchanging Valentines."

"First, attendees can mix and mingle with as few or as many of the participants as they wish, all at their own pace," she explains. "Then, we'll arm everyone with a stack of personalized Valentine's calling cards. So, if a connection is made, they can drop their cards in the boxes of those special people, which will hopefully result in lots of matches made in heaven!"

While Access is not intended to be a "singles program," numerous committed relationships and marriages have occurred over the years as a result of hundreds of Jewish young professionals having repeated opportunities to see one another at parties and events throughout the year, in addition to the annual singles' event.

Alex Dal and Leigh Sorkin have been together for nearly a year. "Alex and I met at an Access JGourmet cooking class making bagels. He came over to my table and we talked for a bit, but we didn't exchange phone numbers so I didn't think much of it," explains Leigh. "It wasn't until I saw him about a week later at an Access focus group when, like any 21st century gentleman, he 'Facebook Friend'ed me and asked me for my number. I joined Access to meet new people, make new friends, and explore Cincinnati, and got a little added bonus when I met Alex. I can't believe we'll be celebrating our one year anniversary soon!"

This event is free and is strictly limited to Jewish men and women between the ages of 21-35; advance reservations are mandatory. Space is limited and will be allotted on a first-come-first-served basis. Light bites and the first drink are on Access. For information about discounted hotel rates and other general inquiries, or to RSVP for this event, please contact Rachel Plowden at info@jypaccess.org or (513) 373-0300 or www.jypaccess.org.

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Teen Topics



Jay Levine BBG at Regionals

Regional Convention

From December 21-24, 25 members of Drew Corson AZA and Jay Levine BBG attended BBYO Regional Convention at the Kingsgate Marriot Hotel in Cincinnati, OH. The weekend marked the end of the term of the 58th Regional Board and included the election and installations of the 59th Regional Board.

Louisville members of the 58th board who completed their terms are Sophie Reskin, regional morah (vice president of membership), and Alanna Gilbert, regional mazkirah (vice president of communications).

Two members of Jay Levine BBG were elected to the new Regional Board. Maggie Rosen was elected as regional



Drew Corson AZA at Regionals

morah and Natania Lipp was elected regional sh'lichah (vice president of Jewish heritage and community service).

While not busy electing the new regional board, members of Drew Corson AZA and Jay Levine BBG enjoyed a dance, a hypnotist and learning about the homeless in Cincinnati.

Drew Corson AZA Chinese Dinner

Drew Corson AZA marked December 25 with a Chinese dinner at Jade Palace. Sixteen members attended and everyone had a great time enjoying delicious food and each other's company.



The Drew Corson Board: Ben Bass, Jacob Finke, Ben Koby, Daniel Segal, Michael Schwartz and Eli Gould

Drew Corson AZA Spring Term Board Elected

On Sunday, January 13, 18 members of Drew Corson AZA came together to elect the new spring term board.

The new officers are: Godol (president), Eli Gould; S'gan (vice president programming), Michael Schwartz; Moreh (vice president membership), Daniel Segal; Shaliach (vice president of Jewish heritage and community service), Ben Koby; Mazkir (vice president of communications), Jacob Finke; and Gizbor (vice president of fundraising), Ben Bass.

The Drew Corson Board is already hard at work planning programs for the spring. If you are a parent of an 8th grader, be on the lookout for information about Drew Corson AZA.



Jay Levine Board: Rachel Bass, Deborah Levin, Becca Lustig, Hillary Reskin, Katie Segal, Audrey Nussbaum, Natania Lipp

Jay Levine BBG Spring Term Board Elected

by Rachel Bass

"I pledge to thee oh BBG, my love, my youth, my loyalty..."

Sunday, January 13, Louisville's Jay Levine BBG celebrated the New Year by electing their 2013 Spring Term board. Twenty-four girls were in attendance, some running, others there to encourage their sisters and be a part of the voting class. Although interspersed with the chowing down of candy and a top-10 list about the most awkward things that can happen to a person, the day included two hours of serious business.

Nine girls from the chapter pledged their love to BBG; they created platforms, wrote speeches, and stood up in front of the room to persuade the chapter for their vote. Although each girl showed qualities that were worthy of board, only six could be elected.

The new officers are: N'siah (president), Rachel Bass, junior, Ballard High School; S'ganit (vice president of program-

ming), Deborah Levin, junior, Manual High School; Morah ("MIT Mom", vice president of recruitment), Becca Lustig, freshman, Manual High School; Shlichah (vice president Jewish heritage/ community service), Hillary Reskin, sophomore, Ballard High School; Gizborit (vice president of fundraising), Katie Segal, sophomore, Manual High School; and Mazkirah (vice president of communications), Audrey Nussbaum, freshman, Kentucky Country Day.

The new board is already getting down to business with their first board meeting this week, and is looking forward to new recruits and the possibilities the new term holds. So, if you are a Jewish 8th grader or the parent of one, keep your eye out for news on Jay Levine happenings. You don't want to miss out on the opportunity to create bonds with fellow Jewish teens in Louisville and become part of a larger than life Jewish movement!



Teen Connection Ga-Ga Tournament

On January 6, members of Teen Connection met at the JCC for a Ga-Ga Tournament planned by their peers on the Teen Advisory Committee. While taking breaks from the tournament, the teens enjoyed pizza and playing the new Xbox

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JCC Offers Free Trip to Holocaust Museum for Teens

There are many lessons to be learned from the Holocaust, and many high school students today spend some time in the classroom learning about what happened and the importance of treating all people with respect.

A visit to the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, D.C., where the horrific events are explained

visually and artifacts bearing witness to the Nazi atrocities are accessible to all, can greatly increase the students' understanding.

The Jewish Community Center will offer a free one-day trip for a limited group of 9th-12th grade students to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum on Sunday, March 17. The group will leave from the

Louisville Airport at approximately 6 a.m. and return at approximately 11 p.m.

To qualify for this trip, students must have never visited the museum before and must commit to making a presentation to their schools about the experience visiting the museum. Students must complete an application and write a one to two page essay entitled "The Importance of Visiting

the Holocaust Museum." It is open to all high school students.

Applications are available from Mike Steklaf, JCC teen director, 238-2774 or msteklaf@jewishlouisville.org and are due to him on February 7. Space is limited.

This trip is made possible by the Ida and Bernard Behr Second Century Fund.

Olympic Dreams

Greenberg to Compete in Maccabiah in Israel This Summer

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Greenberg's typical day starts with a 4:20 a.m. wake-up call. By 5, she's in the pool for an hour and a half workout before school. From 3:30-5:30 p.m., she's back in the pool, then, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, "dry lands" (weights, running, pull-ups, etc.) until 7. On Saturday mornings, she's back in the pool. Her coaches, Mike DeBoer and Jamie Doctor, are there for her the entire time.

Her only day off is Sunday, but that time is filled with Sunday School, including confirmation class, homework and BBYO. Social activities also keep her busy every Saturday night.

Greenberg's hard work is paying off. The Manual swim team captured the state championships last year. Last summer, she competed in Austin, TX, and won the Texas Junior Nationals in the 18 and under category in the 200 breast stroke; and last month, she competed in Knoxville, TN, and took sixth place in the USA Junior Nationals. In both meets, she was competing against the best swimmers in the country, some of whom are already 18 years old.

Her victory at last summer's Texas Junior Nationals means she got her Olympic trial cut, which means she can compete at Olympic trials and "if I do well enough, I'll get to compete at the Olympics," she said.

This week, she headed back to Austin for a USA Sports Grand Prix meet, during which she was swimming against Olympians including Missy Franklin. Franklin won several medals in this summer's Olympics. Greenberg explained meets like this one help Olympians stay in shape between the big meets.

"I've been to one Grand Prix before," she said, "and the highlight of the meet for me was I accidentally touched Michael Phelps' foot in the warm down lane" while they were swimming. This past meet in Austin, she got her 2013 World Championship trial time, which means she will swim with all the Olympians again this June at the U.S. World Meet.

She's also part of a select team from Kentucky that competes in regional meets.

Greenberg has not always been a competitive swimmer, and no one else in her family swims. In fact when she was a very young child, she said, "I hung around Standard Country Club a lot, but I was afraid and wouldn't get in the pool," even though all her friends were in the water having fun and asking her to join them.

To help her overcome her fear, her parents signed her up for the swim team, and soon she found that she enjoys it. She swam for Standard for a while, and has been swimming for Lakeside for five years now.

Her best stroke is the breast stroke, and she enjoys sharing her love of swimming with others. She even finds time to volunteer to teach children to swim. "I love little kids," she said, "and I help at little kids' swim meets at Lakeside and at Mary T. Meagher Aquatic Center."

Greenberg is excited about the Maccabiah, which is a three-week program that begins July 10. The first week, she will travel around Israel with the Israel Connect program, "but I still have to swim in the morning," she said. The opening ceremonies for the competition will be on July 17 and the closing ceremonies will be July 30.

"The Maccabiah is the third largest sporting event in the world," she explained. Over 9,000 athletes from 30 countries are expected to compete.

"I've never been out of the country before," Greenberg said. "For a first trip, this is great because it's Israel and I've always wanted to go. My brothers have both gone recently and they're always gloating about how amazing it is. Now, it's my turn to go and I'm also really excited to meet people from around the country and around the world."

"I'm honored to get to represent Louisville, the United States and the Jewish community. It's a big deal," she added. She's comfortable with her chances, too. "My coach told me I should go for it, so I plan to win my best events," she said.

It's also important that she make the trip this summer, she noted, "because a lot of my best friends will be in Israel this summer from Camp Livingston and I'll get to see them." Greenberg spent two summers at Camp Livingston, but her summer swimming schedule doesn't leave time for camp.

There is one big stumbling block Greenberg faces. She has to raise \$8,000 to be able to make the trip. She contacted

the Jewish Federation of Louisville and received some scholarship help, but she has more to do.

To accomplish this goal, she has set up a website, <https://friendraising.towercare.com/Markslist/campaign/viewDetails.do?campaignId=12428>. Visit it today to learn more about Greenberg and to help her reach her financial goal so she can compete in the Maccabiah.

"I'm really honored to have my family and some teams supporting me," she said, "and I can't wait to go to Maccabiah and win for Louisville and the Jewish community that is supporting me."

Before she got involved in swimming, Greenberg took ballet. She danced in the Louisville Ballet's *Nutcracker* for three years and in the company's production of *Sleeping Beauty*. She also has an interest in acting and performed in CenterStage's production of *The Parade*.

Greenberg and her family are members of The Temple.

Her family includes her parents, Rick and Debbie Greenberg; her brothers, Aaron Kemper and Ryan Greenberg, her sister and brother-in-law, Lexie and Chris Cunningham; and her grandmother, Judy Greenberg.

Teen Topics

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in game central, which was generously donated by Amy and Nathan Fouts. Ben Gould and Spencer Geer won the tournament. Prizes included an iTunes gift card and tickets to the upcoming Matisyahu concert.

Skiing at Perfect North

On Monday, January 21, middle schoolers spent their day off from school taking a trip to Perfect North Slopes in Lawrenceburg, IN, for the first Middle School School's Out Day Program. A great time was had by all as everyone skied,

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Lucy Calderon, Tovah Frocht, Zev Meyerowitz, and Henry Harkins

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Фестиваль Еврейских фильмов Луивильского Центра Еврейской Общины состоится в нескольких местах Луивилла с 9 по 21. Заказанные заранее билеты стоят \$8.50, \$10 - купленные при входе и \$6 для учащихся.

Фестиваль начнется в субботу, 9 февраля с драмы Мой Лучший Враг, действие которого происходит во времена Второй Мировой Войны в нацистской Германии. Два лучших друга находят украденное произведение искусства и сходятся друг с другом на фоне общего любовного интереса. Картина будет показана в Village 8

группах в 7:30 вечера.

Бутылка в море Газы будет показана в воскресенье, 10 февраля в 2:30 в Махаммад Али Центре по адресу 144 N. 6th St. Вход свободный. Экскурсия по выставке Али Центра до начала фильма стоит \$2.

Израильянка, пережившая террор-естические атаки, подружилась с юным палестинцем по электронной почте. Дружба началась с того, что израиль-янка бросила в Море Газы бутылку с посланием мира. После демонстрации фильма будет обсуждение картины во главе с Рабби Джозефом Рапппорт.

Во вторник, 12 февраля в Village 8 в 7 часов вечера будет показан израильский документальный фильм Квартира. В процессе чистки квартиры семейством Голдфингеров, в которой жили их умершие бабушка с бабушкой, было обнаружено свидетельство их дружбы с нацистским официальным лицом и его женой.

В среду, 13 февраля, в Village 8, в 7 часов вечера будет показан фильм Воспоминание.

Роман между польским партизаном и еврейской женщиной из Германии, бежавшей из нацистского лагеря смерти, основан на действительных событиях. Томаш и беременная Ханна были насильно разделены друг от друга, и каждый из них был уверен, что другой давно умер. В 1976 году Ханна решила, что Томаш мог быть еще живым.

Каддиш для Друга будет показан субботу, 16 февраля, в 7:30 вечера в Village 8. Выросший в палестинском лагере для беженцев, 14-ти летний Али научился ненавидеть евреев с раннего возраста. После того, как он и его семья решили начать новую жизнь в Берлине, куда они иммигрировали, Али ворвался в квартиру своего соседа Александра, раздражительного русско-еврейского ветерана войны, который остановил его. Для того, чтобы избежать депортации, Али должен был снискать доверие и заслужить прощение своего врага.

В воскресенье, 17 февраля, Хава Нагила будет показана в 4 часа дня в синагоге Адат Джешурун. После этого состоится концерт местной группы клезмер бэнд Лост Трайб и подан легкий ужин. Фильм показывает историю популярной песни Хава Нагила в течение последних 150 лет от штетлов до кибуцев и Америки. Билет на фильм, концерт и ужин стоит \$22 для взрослых и \$8 для учащихся.

Три коротких фильма "Маале Школа Телевидения, Фильм и Искусство в Иерусалиме будут показаны в понедельник, 18 февраля, в 7 часов вечера, в синагоге Темпл в Моельне Уоллер. Благодаря спонсору Темпл Бразерхед, вход будет бесплатный. После демонстрации фильмов будет прием, который будет организован Комитетом Луивильского Еврейского Кино и Темплом.

30 минутный документальный фильм, Уилфрид Израэль, был создан Бонее Байзер из Луивилла, кузен которой был основателем Киббуца Хазореа, который он помогал организовать в 1936 году. Он помогал сотням его работников эмигрировать и оплачивал в течение двух лет их расходы.

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В заключительный день фестиваля, 21 февраля, в Village 8, в 7 часов вечера будет показан фильм Моя Австралия. Два брата из рабочего района в Польше в 1960 году были частью банды неонацистов. После того, как их арестовали за преследования евреев, их мать призналась, что она была в числе переживших Холокост. Она решила уехать и сказала детям, что они будут иммигрировать в Австралию, хотя на самом деле их целью был Израиль.

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Newsmakers

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Steve Baker and **Korrek Optical** were profiled in an article in the January 11 edition of *Business First*. Baker's father, Allan Baker, bought the company in 1985 and moved it to Louisville from Cincinnati; Steve Baker has spent most of his time with the company managing the wholesale side of the business, which makes and sells prescription safety glasses and other items for government and manufacturers. In recent years, he has become more involved with the retail side of the business and has successfully steered it through a highly competitive market, adding a boutique eyewear store in the Prospect location in 2011 and renovating the company's flagship store in the Dupont area last year.

Blue Equity has closed a transaction with the Rubis Group (NYSE Euronext Paris: RUI) for the sale of The Antilles Group Limited (TAG), the licensed user of Shell brands in the country of Jamaica. In a Blue Equity press release dated January 4, **Jonathan S. Blue**, chairman and managing director of Blue Equity, LLC, said, "I am quite pleased with TAG's advancement under our ownership and the future international positioning with the Rubis acquisition."

This acquisition consolidates Rubis' presence in the Caribbean, where the publicly traded company is one of the largest operators of downstream operations in the area of fuel supply.

Marsha Bornstein's daughter, **Michelle Bornstein** – as well as Marsha and other family members – are featured

in an episode of *House Hunters*, which airs on HGTV, the Home and Garden television network, on Thursday, January 24, at 10 p.m. The episode description says, "Michelle loves New York but wants to raise her baby in Kentucky."

The December 21 edition of *Business First* announced that **Dr. Susan G. Bornstein** has been hired by Norton Healthcare Inc. as an OB/GYN.

Rhoda and **Bernie Faller** of **Kentucky ElderLaw, PLLC**, have been named Professional Caregivers of the Year by the Alzheimer's Association of Greater Kentucky and Southern Indiana. They will be honored at a dinner on March 2.

Amy Frieder, daughter of Dr. Adam and Nancy Frieder of Gaithersburg, MD, and granddaughter of Steve and Gerry Evans, has been selected as a student delegate to the 51st Session of the United Nations Commission for Social Development.

In addition, the National Roosevelt Institute is publishing a policy paper written by Amy, on the democratization of Middle Eastern countries, in its upcoming *National 10 Big Ideas Journal*.

Amy is a sophomore studying Industrial Labor Relations at Cornell University.

Gus Goldsmith announced that he has sold **The Cash Store, Inc.** of Fairfax, VA, to First Cash Financial Services, Inc. a publicly traded specialty retailer.

The Cash Store, Inc. is a retail jewelry and pawnshop operation in Fairfax. First Cash Financial Services paid \$8 million for the entity, one of the highest amounts ever paid for a pawnshop.

Goldsmith has more than 45 years of experience in the pawn and lending industries and remains an active member of the Louisville community.

H. Philip Grossman has been elected president of the Louisville Bar Foundation (LBF) for 2013. He is a partner in the Louisville law firm of Grossman & Moore. Grossman is a past president of the Louisville Bar Association and is currently on the board of the Kentucky Justice Association.

The LBF is the charitable giving arm of the Louisville Bar Association. The foundation awarded 11 grants in 2012,

including funds to promote racial fairness in Jefferson County Courts, provide support and education for court appointed guardians, offer direct support for Legal Aid Society client services, and develop a writing skills textbook for Central High School students interested in becoming lawyers, among several others.

Judy Handmaker has been hired by Wakefield Reutlinger Realtors as a Director of relocation, according to the January 11 edition of *Business First*.

Janet Jakubowicz, a partner with Bingham Greenbaum Doll LLP, has been honored in the first edition of *Benchmark: Top 250 Women in Litigation*.

Local art cooperative **PYRO Gallery** has moved to 909 E. Market St., Ste. 300.

Bette Levy is co-owner and artistic director. In the January 18 edition of *Business First*, Levy said the NuLu district, where the gallery is now located, is "a vital and exciting area." She is pleased with the high visibility of the East Market location, which has more parking than the former PYRO location and direct accessibility from the street.

In February, PYRO Gallery will present an exhibition entitled "Natural Inclinations," which includes Levy's work. The exhibition explores many people's desire in a technology-heavy society to reconnect with the natural world. The exhibition will run through February 17.

Michael Rothstein, son of Elinor Rothstein and Joe Rothstein, has been appointed to a three-year term on the Rules Committee of the Illinois Supreme Court. He also is currently serving a two-year term as Midwest Region Chairman of the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). A founding partner of Tabet, Divito & Rothstein LLC in Chicago, Michael lives with his family in Wilmette, IL.

Robert Sachs' short story, "Alterations," garnered third place in the 2013 *Literary LEO* contest.

A new program at **Jewish Hospital**, called the STEMI Network, decreases the time between heart attack and care. Patients with heart attack symptoms can now bypass the emergency room and instead go to a special team that takes them straight to the cardiac catheterization lab (cath lab), ensuring the fastest access to life-saving care in the Louisville Metro.

STEMI is an acronym that means "ST segment elevation myocardial infarction" – a type of heart attack.

While all heart attacks are serious, a STEMI, which involves a total artery blockage, requires the quickest treatment because they cause rapid loss of heart muscle that cannot be regenerated. Time saved is muscle saved and faster treatment means a better chance for survival.

The Jewish Hospital & St. Mary's Foundation board of directors has approved the disbursement of more than \$18 million to Louisville-area facilities from unrestricted funds to be invested in facility advancements, clinical research and more.

The disbursements range from \$500,000 to make the Kosair Charities Children's Peace Center at Our Lady of Peace kid-friendly, to a \$1.5 million grant to Louisville's Vascularized Composite Allograft (VCA) Program, enabling continuation of the city's hand transplant program.

The largest single project is a \$5 million investment to create a hybrid operating room and Resuscitation Center at Jewish Hospital. Funds will allow for cutting-edge treatments such as the use of hypothermia therapy for some patients in cardiac arrest, a treatment endorsed but The American Heart Association, and make room for innovative procedures such as transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR) for patients who need heart valve replacement but are not candidates for open-heart surgery.

Other projects include purchases of equipment and facility improvements benefiting intensive and critical care, providing for wellness needs of disabled members of the community, and expanding cardiac and spinal cord injury treatment and research.



Karen Fulton, Jewish Hospital Medical Center East's director of operations, cut the cake to mark the the facility's 10th anniversary.

Jewish Hospital Medical Center East, part of KentuckyOne Health, celebrated 10 years of service to the eastern Louisville community in January. The center has served more than 700,000 patients since opening on January 2, 2003.

The outpatient and emergency care facility provides around-the-clock emergency care, comprehensive outpatient surgery and endoscopy, a full array of medical imaging and diagnostic services, and houses physician offices covering a variety of specialties.

KentuckyOne Health Louisville and **Shelbyville** facilities have been recognized as a Platinum-Level Fit-Friendly Worksite by the American Heart Association for helping employees eat better and move more.

Chavurat Shalom

Chavurat Shalom meets at The Temple, 5101 U.S. Highway 42. It is a community-wide program. All synagogue members and Jewish residents welcome.

January 30

Rabbi Gaylia R. Rooks, Jews in Ethiopia

February 7

Tracy Murray of RecycloCraftz, Recycle and Global Awareness

February 14

Dr. Stephen Mattingly, University of Louisville School of Music, Love Music for Valentine's Day

February 21

Rabbi Joe Rooks Rapport, American Jewish History

February 28

Bingo Game Day with fabulous prizes for each winner

A healthy and nutritious lunch is available at noon for a cost of \$5, followed by the program at 1 p.m. Kosher meals and transportation available for \$5 upon request in advance. Call Cindy at 423-1818 for lunch reservations or information.

Funding for Chavurat Shalom is provided by the Jewish Community of Louisville, National Council of Jewish Women, a Jewish Heritage Fund for Excellence Grant, The Temple's Men of Reform Judaism and Women of Reform Judaism and many other generous donors.



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Around Town

Mondays, January 28, February 4, 11, and 18

Keneseth Israel offers a class on Philosophies of Modern Judaism with Rabbi Michael Wolk, exploring the various movements that come together as modern Judaism. The class begins immediately following minyan and runs for four weeks starting Monday, January 28.

Friday, February 1

All ages are welcome at The Temple at 7 p.m. for “Alef: A Service of Holiness and Renewal,” a contemporary service with guitar and special music held on the first Shabbat four times a year. In February, thoughts turn to love – which can mean very different things to different people. The Alef theme will be “Wings of Love, Soul of Fire.”

Fridays, February 1, 8, 15, and 22

Adath Jeshurun offers a weekly class in Talmud Study, held in downtown Louisville. Bring a brown-bag dairy lunch and join Rabbi Slosberg and Cantor Lipp for a lively discussion. Prior knowledge of Jewish texts and Hebrew are not required.

Classes take place in the office of Steve Berger, 500 W. Jefferson St., on Fridays at 12:15 p.m. For more information, please contact Adult Education Coordinator Deborah Slosberg at dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com or 458-5359. This class is open to the community.

Saturday, February 2

Anshei Sfard invites the community to join them in celebrating Shabbos with song, prayer and a kiddush luncheon. Services begin at 9 a.m. with a Taste of Shabbos program (song and prayer) beginning at 11 a.m. A sit-down kiddush luncheon will begin at 12 noon.

Sunday, February 3

Adath Jeshurun's Adult Jewish Studies offers “Read Hebrew America (Hebrew Reading Crash Course)” from 10-11:30 a.m. For more information, contact Deborah Slosberg at dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com or 458-5359.

Sundays, February 3, 10, 17, and 24

Adath Jeshurun's Adult Jewish Studies offers Beginning Conversational Hebrew – second-year class at 10 a.m., first-year class at 11 a.m. For more information, contact Deborah Slosberg at dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com or 458-5359.

Monday, February 4

The Temple's Women of Reform Judaism (Sisterhood) will hold its annual Interfaith Coffee on February 4 at 9:30 a.m. The WRJ has hosted this event for more than 50 years. All are invited to come and enjoy homemade sweets along with coffee and tea. The theme of this year's program is “The Divine Symphony: Midrash & Commentary on The Bible,” presented by Rabbi Gaylia R. Rooks, Rabbi Joe Rooks Rapport, and Rabbi David Ariel-Joel.

Monday, February 4

The Kentucky Center presents an Acoustic Evening with Matisyahu on February 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the Brown Theatre on Broadway. On his latest release, *Spark Seeker*, Matisyahu sings of spiritual freedom, while moving away from his traditional Hasidic appearance.

The performer describes his new music as “an evolution... with more of a sort of pop, urban hip-hop kind of feel to it, mixed with a world music vibe.”

Tickets are available online at KentuckyCenter.org, by phone at (502) 584-7777, and in person at The Kentucky Center box office.

Tuesday, February 5

Denny Crum, University of Louisville Hall of Fame coach who led UofL's basketball team to multiple NCAA championships, will speak at the February Temple Brotherhood meeting at 7 p.m. at The Temple. Due to proximity to March Madness, the community is invited to attend. Crum will talk about his career in basketball and his thoughts on the approaching NCAA playoffs.

Admission is \$15 and includes a buffet dinner. (For members of the Temple Brotherhood, the cost is included in your dues.) Proceeds from the program will benefit the Denny Crum Scholarship Foundation at the University of Louisville.

Reservations are required; please call The Temple at (502) 423-1818.

Tuesday, February 5 and Sunday, February 24

Adath Jeshurun's Live from New York's 92nd Street Y Spring 2013 Series has two offerings in February.

On February 5, Thane Rosenbaum will interview Supreme Court Justice Sonia Sotomayor. The first Hispanic Justice on the high court grew up in a Bronx housing project, studied at Princeton and Yale, worked as a Manhattan prosecutor and then a federal judge. Now she is the author of a memoir, *My Beloved World*, about the personal values and important influences that propelled her success. Reception at 7:30 p.m., broadcast at 8 p.m.

On February 24, former Israeli deputy national security advisor Chuck Freilich shares unique insights into the history and inadequacies of Israeli national security policy-making, attributing them to Israel's hostile and volatile regional environment, politicized electoral system, and structural peculiarities of the Israeli government. Joining the discussion is Reuven Pedatzur, the director of the S. Daniel Abraham Center for Strategic Dialogue at the Netanya Academic College and a senior military affairs analyst with the newspaper, Ha'aretz. Reception at 7:45 p.m., broadcast beginning at 8:15 p.m.

Thanks to a generous grant from the Louisville Jewish Heritage Fund for Grants and the Charles & Jean K. Erskine Speaker's Fund, all broadcasts this season are free of charge and open to the community.

Tuesdays, February 5, 12, 19, and 26

Congregation Adath Jeshurun offers a free “Introduction to Judaism/Conversion” course. This course has more than 20 active participants, and new students are welcome to join at any time. It is for anyone interested in exploring Judaism – interfaith couples, Jews looking for adult-level basics and people considering conversion.

The class is taught by Rabbi Robert Slosberg, and meets on Tuesday evenings at 7 at Adath Jeshurun. For more information, please contact Adult Education Coordinator Deborah Slosberg at 458-5359 or dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com.

Wednesdays, February 6 and 20

Caffeinate your body and soul with an

inspiring morning meditation on the first and third Wednesday of the month at 8:15 a.m. at the Jewish Community Center Patio Gallery. Rabbi Avrohom Litvin leads this program based on the teachings of Kabbalah. The topic for February 6 is “The Power of Joy.” On February 20, the topic is “The Energy of Purim.” This class is offered to the entire community free of charge. No previous meditation experience required.

Wednesday, February 6

Anshei Sfard's Knit & Qvell Circle will meet at 1 p.m. in the Shul library. All knitters and want-to-be knitters are invited to attend. All knitted items are donated to the Jefferson County Public Schools Clothes Closet.

Wednesdays, February 6, 13, 20, 27

Anshei Sfard hosts a series of Torah Studies programs on Wednesdays at 7:15 p.m.; the community is invited. Topics for February are “What Makes Us Jewish” (2/6), “Jewish Idol” (2/13), “The Art of Attraction” (2/20), and “Why We Sleep” (2/27).

Sunday, February 10

The Anshei Sfard Book Club will meet in the Shul library at 11 a.m. to discuss *Mission to Paris* by Alan Furst, moderated by Ayala Golding.

Upcoming books are *All Other Nights* by Dora Horn (March 13), and *Mossad: The Greatest Missions of the Israeli Secret Service* by Michael Bar-Zohar and Nissim Mishal (April 7).

Friday, February 15

Nurture your spirit and your body with a special Souper Kabbalat Shabbat at Keneseth Israel at 5:45 p.m., starting with a warm cup of soup and appetizers, followed by a Joyous Kabbalat Shabbat service. Diane Mayer, a life-long singer, will serve as the musical storyteller for an evening in honor of the 96th birthday of Bubby Faye Davis.

The program is sponsored by the Faye and Simmy Davis Kabbalat Shabbat Fund.

Friday, February 22

Join Rabbi Gaylia R. Rooks and Temple members of all ages in celebration of Shabbat in a community style meal in the Klein Center (Levy Great Hall) at 6 p.m. The stuffed cabbage dinner prepared by Chef Debbie Richter will include both meat and vegetarian options. Please specify your request for vegetarian when making your reservation.

Call The Temple at 423-1818 to RSVP no later than February 20. The cost is \$10 per person (\$5 ages 5-13). All checks should be payable to The Temple.

Saturday, February 23

Immediately following the Adath Jeshurun kiddush lunch, AJ Shabbat Scholars welcomes David Serchuk, former editor of Forbes.com, speaking on *Letters from Transylvania*.

Saturday, February 23

Join Congregation Adath Jeshurun for a festive Purim at 6:30 p.m. immediately after the afternoon minyan. The celebration includes a Purim dinner and hamantaschen, followed by Havdalah; Purim activities including mask making, Purim art, songs, a costume parade, and more family fun; and a full megillah reading with Maariv sung to Beatles music.

The festive Purim dinner costs \$5 for adults and \$3 for children ages 3-12. To reserve your space, call the AJ office at

458-5359 with your credit card information, or visit adathjeshurun.com.

Complimentary sitter service is available by reservation only; email bembry@adathjeshurun.com. Email dinner questions to mevancho@adathjeshurun.com.

This program is made possible by the Rabbi Simcha Kling Education Fund.

Saturday, February 23

The community is invited to celebrate Purim at Anshei Sfard on February 23 at 7:30 p.m. Megillah reading will be followed by refreshments.

Sunday, February 24

Chabad invites the community to celebrate “Purim in Italy” at a gala event at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Louisville. The theme of the evening will be Italy, and the celebration will include gourmet Italian cuisine, Italian wines, traditional music and dancing, and authentic Italian entertainment. Everyone in costume will receive a prize.

The event will begin at 5 p.m. with a Bocce tournament, Megillah reading and much more; dinner will be served at 6 p.m.

The cost to attend is \$30 for adults and \$15 for children under 12. Sponsorship is also available at \$180.00. Please make reservations by February 15 by calling 235-5770 or by sending payment to Chabad of Kentucky, 3700 Dutchmans Ln., Louisville, KY 40205.

Friday, March 1

The deadline for the seventh annual Fellowship of Reconciliation (FOR) Peace Essay Contest is March 1. FOR and Interfaith Paths to Peace invite all Jefferson County high school students to write an essay showing how nonviolent strategies could be used to accomplish one of the following: reduce violence in our city; prevent war in Iran; decrease violence against young women; or solve an issue in your community or the world that is important to you.

Winners will receive cash prizes. Awards will be presented in schools. Winning essays are published in the FOR monthly, FORsooth.

If you have questions, email FORessaycontest@gmail.com.

Saturday, March 2

The Temple announces a \$20,000* raffle with the drawing to take place on Saturday, March 2, at a cocktail party hosted by Beth and Michael Salamon at their home, 4104 Woodstone Way. Cocktails and refreshments at 8 p.m., with the drawing at 9 p.m. Those who purchase raffle tickets are invited to attend. The winner does not need to be present.

*The winner will share the prize with The Temple in a 50/50 split of all money raised. Raffle buyers can join with family or friends and contribute smaller amounts to purchase one or more \$100 tickets.

Only 200 tickets will be sold. Raffle tickets may be purchased at The Temple or through the Raffle Committee or a Board of Trustees member. For more information, call The Temple at 423-1818.

Wednesday, March 6

The next meeting of the Adath Jeshurun Book Club is March 6. The group will gather in the AJ New Classroom to discuss *The Tattooed Rabbi*, by Marvin J. Wolf. New participants are always welcome; coffee is at 6:15 p.m., with discussion beginning at 6:30. Contact Deborah Slosberg at 458-5359 or dslosberg@adathjeshurun.com to order a copy of the book or for more information.

Lifecycle

Lifecycle announcements that contain only basic information – name, date, time and place – without elaboration, will be printed free of charge.

For Lifecycle announcements of up to 250 words and a photo, there will be an \$18 fee. An additional \$18 fee will be charged for each additional 250 words. No Lifecycle announcements will be published without prepayment of this fee.

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Birth

Natalie Rose Garrett

Todd and Devie Comer Willett are delighted to announce the birth of Natalie Rose Garrett, their seventh grandchild, on Dec. 29, 2012.

She was welcomed by her thrilled parents, Micheal and Hannah, and her two brothers, Sammy and Andrew.

Her large family includes very proud aunts and uncles, cousins and grandparents, and great-grandparents Stan and Bettye Willett and Gita Comer.

B'nai Mitzvah



Eric Cohen

Eric Gray Cohen, son of Shari and Corey Cohen and brother of Adam and Casse, will be called to the Torah as a bar mitzvah on Saturday, February 2, at 6:15 p.m. for an evening Havdalah Service at Congregation Adath Jeshurun.

Eric is the grandson of Arlene and Harvey Kaufman and Bonnie and Stuart Cohen.

Eric is in the seventh grade at Highland

Middle School. He participates on the cross-country team and in 3-D art class. Eric also enjoys spending time with his siblings, playing video games and fishing.

Eric and his family invite the community to join them as they celebrate this very special occasion.



Isaac Rosenbaum

Isaac Cameron Rosenbaum, son of Stacy Rosenbaum and Joseph Mitchell, will be called to the Torah as a bar mitzvah on Saturday, February 2, at Temple Shalom.

Isaac is the grandson of Drs. Michael and Leslie Rowland and Richard and Janet Rosenbaum. Isaac's great-grandparents, now departed, were Irvin and Leila Ginsburg, and Dr. Irvin and Fanny Rose Rosenbaum.

Isaac is currently a straight-A student in the seventh grade at Noe Middle School. He plays the saxophone for Noe's band, as well as Noe's jazz band, and was recently inducted into the Beta Club Honor Society. When he's not spending time with family and friends, Isaac's hobbies and interests include reading, computers, video games, and animals. He is an avid fan of University of Louisville sports.

Isaac has fulfilled his Pledge 13 hours by volunteering at Temple Shalom and at three different JCPS schools. Although his 13-hour commitment has been completed, he will continue to provide weekly after-school assistance at Norton Elementary for the remainder of the school year.

Isaac and his family invite the community to join them as he leads services and becomes a bar mitzvah.



Noah Goldberg

Noah Howard Goldberg will be called to the Torah as a bar mitzvah on Parshahs Mishpatim Shabbos Shekalim on Saturday, February 9, at Congregation Adath Jeshurun.

He is the son of Brian and Deborah Goldberg, brother of Marnina, Abigail, and Ethan Goldberg, grandson of Barbara and Edwin Goldberg and Joan and Jacob (z"l) Stein and great-grandson of Helen and Norman Bleiden (z"l) and Midge and Faye Goldberg (z"l).

Noah is in the seventh grade at Kammerer Middle school and plays baseball. He attends Camp Simcha in New York and Camp Quality and Indian Summer Camp in Kentucky. Noah participates in Teen Connection and Pledge 13.

For Noah's bar mitzvah project, he is collecting new and used DVD movies and Wii, Playstation and Xbox games to be donated to Kosair Children's Hospital and Chai Lifeline. Donations may be dropped off at Adath Jeshurun Synagogue or mailed to the synagogue.

Abigail Geller

Abigail Geller, daughter of Betsey and David and sister of Sydney and Hannah, will be called to the Torah as a bat mitzvah on Saturday, February 16, at 9:30 a.m. at Congregation Adath Jeshurun.



She is the granddaughter of Annette and Harry Geller, Colleen Cohn, and Alan Zemon. She is the great-granddaughter of Minnie Hall.

Abigail is in the seventh grade at North Oldham Middle School. She is a member of the National Junior Beta Club and participates in KYA. Abigail loves dancing on the North Oldham Middle Dance Team and also competitively for Dance Designs studio. She is part of the Pledge 13 program.

Abigail and her family would love for the community to join them as they celebrate this special time.

Obituaries

Samuel Andes

Samuel I. Andes, 102, died Monday, December 24, 2012.

He was born November 11, 1910, in London, England. He was a retired industrial engineer, a member of American Institute of Electrical Engineers and Illinois Institute of Technology Alumni Association.

He is survived by his daughter Dr. Martha Ziskind (Jonathan); his son, Steven Andes of Niles, IL; his granddaughter, Minna Pearl Ziskind, and three great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Shalom Memorial Park in the greater Chicago area. Herman Meyer & Son handled the local arrangements.

Rosalie Schwartz Cooper

Rosalie Schwartz Cooper, 94, of Louisville, passed away on Monday, December 24, 2012, at Jefferson Place.



Rosalie was born on October 12, 1918 in Toledo, OH, to David and Anna Schwartz. She and her family moved to Louisville in 1922, where she grew up and graduated from the Louisville Girls High School.

Rosalie was a devoted daughter, wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, and aunt. She was a member of many Jewish organizations over the years, including life member of Hadassah, member of the Jewish Community Center, and Anshei Sfard Congregation.

Rosalie was preceded in death by her devoted and beloved husband of 48 years, Rudey; her father, David Schwartz; her mother Anna Schwartz; her sister Libby Bleicher (Myron); her brother, Jack Schwartz; and her beloved daughter-in-law, Maxine Jacobs Cooper.

Rosalie loved and cared deeply for her family, who always came first. She and her husband Rudey raised four sons in the family tradition of "Love and Respect."

She is survived by her sons Alan (Linda) of Potomac, MD; Barry (Lynn) of Dallas, TX; David (Helane) of Louisville; and Mark (Brenda) of Moreland Hills, OH. She has 10 grandchildren: Lauren Cooper

Allen (Kevin); Jennifer Alford (Jonathan); Stephanie Blum (Steve); Andrew Cooper (Meredith); Mallory Rose (Matt); Brian Cooper (Lindsey); Michael Cooper; Allison Cooper; Elliot Cooper; and Ethan Cooper. She also was blessed with twelve great-grandchildren, Molly, Sophie and Rory Allen; Madelyn, Jacob and Maisy Alford; Rebecca and Ryan Blum; Daniel and Jordan Cooper; Zachary Cooper; and Jeffrey Rose.

She is also survived by her brother, William Schwartz (Ruthie) of Cleveland, OH, and Florence Krebs of Louisville.

Special thanks and deep appreciation are expressed by Rosalie's entire family to her physician, Dr. Jane Cornett, and all of the devoted caregivers at Jefferson Place.

Burial was in Anshei Sfard Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to the Jewish Family & Career Services, 2821 Klempner Way, Louisville, KY 40205.

Jean G. Fox

Jean G. Fox, 88, died Friday, December 28, 2012, at Jewish Hospital. She was a native of Owensboro, KY, born August 16, 1924. She was a manager in retail sales, a member of Keneseth Israel Congregation and Keneseth Israel Sisterhood.



She is preceded in death by her husband, Alec Fox.

She is survived by her children, Joan Fox, Larry Fox (Marianne), Sherry Fischer (George), and Kenny Fox (Karen); five grandchildren, Rebecca (Rafael), Adam (Laura), Ryan, Jason and Brandon; and two great-grandchildren, Chloe and Liam.

Burial was in Keneseth Israel Cemetery; Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to the Alec Fox Memorial Fund at Keneseth Israel Congregation.

Elaine Brill Kahn

Elaine Brill Kahn, 87, passed away on Sunday, December 30, 2012, at Hooverwood-Indianapolis Jewish Home. Elaine was born on March 19, 1925 to Meyer and Fannie Brill.

Elaine was preceded in death by her father, Meyer Brill; her mother Fannie Brill Winer; and her brother, Stanley Brill.

She is survived by her sons, Marshall (Shelley) of Louisville; Daniel (Mindy Shapiro) of Indianapolis; and her daughter Caroline (Larry) Werboff of San Francisco. She has seven grandchildren: Brian (Emily), Erin, Jeffrey, Jennifer and Evan Kahn, and Sammy and David Werboff. She also was blessed with three great-grandchildren, Noah, Simon, and Eli Kahn.

Special thanks and deep appreciation are expressed by Elaine's entire family to all of the devoted caregivers at Hooverwood.

Burial was at Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to Jewish Family & Career Services, 2821 Klempner Way, Louisville, Kentucky 40205, or Hooverwood, 7001 Hoover Road, Indianapolis, Indiana 46260.

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Joseph Lowenthal

Joseph Lowenthal, 87, of Lake Charles, LA, passed peacefully Wednesday, January 2, in his home.

A native of Lexington, KY, he was born June 29, 1925, to Manual and Sarah Jacobs Lowenthal. He honorably served our country during World War II in the 274th Infantry in Europe, and was involved in the Battle of the Bulge. A longtime resident of Lake Charles, he was the owner of One Hour Martinizing, one of the largest dry cleaners in the state of Louisiana.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Beverly Greenberg Lowenthal; his three children, Michael Lowenthal, Marc Lowenthal, and wife Wally, and Margaret Jo Lowenthal; one granddaughter, Holly Lowenthal; four stepchildren and thirteen step-grandchildren; five step-great-grandchildren; a wonderful sister, Gladys Bass, and husband Lewis; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Burial was Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, KY, with Rabbi Mark Kline officiating.

The family asks that gifts in honor of his memory be made to the Temple Sinai, 713 Hodges St., Lake Charles, LA 70601, or the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, 1811 R St. Northwest, Washington, DC 20009.

Chava Posnanski Bensinger

Chava (Posnanski) Bensinger, beloved wife, mother and grandmother, passed away Saturday, January 5, at the age of 75.

She was born in Tel-Aviv, Israel, the only child of Avraham Posnanski and Sara Lerner. Her parents immigrated to Israel in the late 1920's, leaving behind family and friends in Poland, who would years later be entirely wiped out during the Holocaust.

Mrs. Bensinger completed her military service for the Israeli Defense Forces and later received a degree in education from the Tel-Aviv Teachers College. She taught Hebrew and Jewish education in Israel, France, and the U.S. She also worked several years for the Israeli Foreign Service in Jerusalem and Holland, as well as for several large Tel-Aviv hotels as a guest relations attaché.

Mrs. Bensinger's fluency in Hebrew, English, Spanish, French, German and Yiddish were of great help to her and her family during their world travels and 11-year residency in Managua, Nicaragua, Guatemala City, Guatemala, and Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Her greatest joys were the company of her four grandchildren, the opportunity to sing as a member of the Adath Jeshurun Choir, and the ability to follow and discuss politics. She was a member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun and the choir and the Catholic-Jewish Dialogue Group.

She is survived by her husband, Hans Bensinger; daughter, Karin Bensinger Appelbaum (Daniel) of Chicago, IL; four grandchildren, Nathan, Noa, Tess and Mabel Appelbaum of Chicago, IL; a nephew, Dr. John Simon of Chevy Chase, MD; a niece, Irene Simon Friedman of Bogota, Colombia; and several Louisville cousins, including Margot Barr, Jeffrey Barr, Carl Bensinger, Sandra Barr Hammond (Mark)

and Benjamin Schaffer (Marlene).

The family would like to thank her caretaker, Catherine Marcum, and the staff at the Episcopal Church Home for the wonderful care they provided Mrs. Bensinger.

Burial was in Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to Alzheimer's Association, 6100 Dutchman's Lane, Louisville, KY 40205.



Gerald Ades

Gerald "Gerry" Ades, 87, died Saturday, January 12. He was WWII Navy veteran, a graduate of Ohio State University and a member of its alumni association, and former owner of

Frisch's Big Boy, Empire Scrap Company and Bluegrass Travel. He was a member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun.

He is preceded in death by his granddaughter, Lauren Ruth Pomerance.

He is survived by his wife, Kay Ades; daughters, Suzanne Ades Pomerance, Bettye Grove (John) of Birmingham, AL, and Cheryl Ades; sister, Sonya Sholem (Mike) of Champaign, IL; two grandsons, Evan Pomerance and Jay Grove.

Burial was in Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to Congregation Adath Jeshurun or the Episcopal Church Home.

The family wishes to thank the staff of the Clingman Unit at the Episcopal Church Home and Hosparus for their kind devotion and care given to Mr. Ades.

Henry Feingold

Henry Feingold, 95, died Saturday, January 12, at Four Courts of Cherokee Park. He was a native of Pittsburgh, PA. He was a WWII Army veteran and was formerly with the old Jefferson Dry Goods Company. He was a member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun.

He is survived by his wife, Evelyn Feingold; his daughter, Sheila Schwartz of Nashville, TN; a grandson, Mark Schwartz (Rachael); a great-granddaughter, Sophie Schwartz.

The family wishes to thank the staff at the Linker wing at Four Courts of Cherokee Park for their wonderful care they gave to Mr. Feingold.

Burial was in Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to Congregation Adath Jeshurun Cemetery.

Doris Lee Linker

Doris Lee Linker, 87, passed away Saturday, January 12, at Baptist Hospital East, with family at her side.

She was born on Cincinnati, OH, and graduated from the Deaconess Hospital Nursing Program. After marrying Harold Linker, a registered pharmacist, she moved to Louisville, KY. Following the birth of her four children, she worked as a registered nurse and retired from Methodist Evangelical Hospital. She and Harold were members of Keneseth Israel Congregation and AZO Pharmaceutical Fraternity. Doris loved spending time with family and friends, attending UofL games, and playing cards. She enjoyed

people and was very kind and accepting of those she met.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harold, her daughter, Sherry, and her brother, Fred Katz (Tammy) of Los Angeles, CA.

She is survived by her children and stepchildren, Larry Linker (Linda), Lisa Bobrow (Brian), Robin Masters (Rick), Terry Barrack (Dr. Kenneth) of Charleston, SC, and Barry Linker (Jan), Evan Gentry, and two grandchildren, Zachary and Rachael Barrack.

Burial was in Keneseth Israel Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Keneseth Israel Congregation.



Ruth Gumer Rubin

Ruth Gumer Rubin died peacefully at her residence on January 12. She was 84.

Ruthie, as she was known by her family and friends, was born in Louisville to Harry and Celia Ginsburg.

She was a member of Keneseth Israel Congregation, K.I. Sisterhood and a former member of Hadassah.

Known for her confections, Ruth's recipes were requested and published in a local cookbook. She was warm and giving of herself, and in the age of technology, Ruthie Rubin never forgot an anniversary, birthday, card or note for those she loved.

She is preceded in death by her first husband, Hyman R. Gumer; and her adored brother, Irving Ginsburg.

Ruth Gumer Rubin is survived by her beloved son and best friend, Jeffrey Gumer, a JCPS teacher and traveler; her husband, Sidney Rubin; and many nieces and nephews from the Gumer-Skolnick and Ginsburg families.

Special appreciation to Penny and Chester McCurdy and Patricia Miles, who cared for her in her final days, as well as Hosparus.

Burial was in Keneseth Israel Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may go to donor's favorite charity.

Bernice Blum

Bernice Blum, 98, died Sunday, January 13, at Four Courts at Cherokee Park. She was a native of Louisville, born September 10, 1914, to the late Louis and Lena Kelman. She was a retired grocery merchant, a former member of B'nai Brith and Hadassah, a member of Congregation

Anshei Sfard and a Life Master Bridge player at the Louisville Bridge Center.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Hyman Blum, and daughter-in-law, Linda Blum.

She is survived by her daughter, Verna Goldberg (Robert); her son, Samuel J. Blum (Sharon) of Tampa, FL; seven grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Anshei Sfard Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to donor's favorite charity.

Edwin Lerner

Edwin "Eddie" Lerner, 82, died Sunday, January 13, at his home, surrounded by his loving family. He was the owner of Ler-Mar Sales Company on Main Street for 34 years.

He was a member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun, a member of B'nai Brith and a volunteer for Jewish Hospital. His wonderful sense of humor brought laughter to everyone he met.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hyman and Eva Lerner, and his sister, Frances Lerner-Smith.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Marian; his sons, James and Grant; his sister, Dorothy Nordin; brother-in-law, Alan Levitan (Janet); and many nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to donor's favorite charity.

Helen Katz

Helen Katz, 93, of Louisville, formerly of New York, passed away Monday, January 14.

She was born in New York City in 1919 to Rebecca and Louis Ben-Zion Meteliz, immigrants from Bialystok, Poland. Helen graduated from Hunter College, attended graduate school at American University, and during World War II, worked as an economist in the Office of Price Administration (OPA) under the Franklin Delano Roosevelt administration in Washington, D.C.

It was at OPA that she met her beloved husband of 59 years, Nathan Katz, who passed away in 2004. Following their marriage in 1945, Helen and Nathan returned to New York City, where their

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daughter, Edith, and son, David, were born. The couple moved to Louisville in 1993 to be close to David, his wife, Barbara, and their children, Jonathan and Rebecca.

Helen was an avid golfer and enjoyed attending theater and movies and playing canasta, bridge and poker. She particularly enjoyed her large extended family and many friends, with Helen and Nathan's home in Roslyn Heights, NY, serving as the location for countless family gatherings and celebrations over the years. As recently as last April, she joined the extended family for the annual Katz cousins' Passover Seder in New York. Along with Nathan, Helen doted on her two grandchildren and took great pride in their accomplishments from the moment each was born to the present. She was a member of The Temple.

Helen is preceded in death by her parents, Rebecca Kagan Meteliz and Louis Ben-Zion Meteliz, her husband, Nathan Katz, and her brother, Irving Meteliz. She and Nathan were also extremely close to and were preceded in death by Barbara's parents, Janet and Joseph Myerson of Philadelphia.

She is survived by her daughter, Edith F. Katz of Amsterdam, Netherlands, her son, Dr. David S. Katz, daughter-in-law, Barbara Myerson Katz, grandchildren, Jonathan (Claire) and Rebecca, and many devoted nieces, nephews and dear friends.

Burial was in The Temple Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son was in charge of arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to the charity of the donor's choice or to the Janet and Joseph Myerson Performing Arts Fund at The Temple.

Roselyn Brill

Roselyn Brill, 83, died Tuesday, January 15.

She was a member of Congregation Adath Jeshurun, the Jewish Community Center, the Standard Country Club, and the National Council of Jewish Women, Louisville Section.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Stanley Brill; a sister, Dorothy Perellis Simon; and a brother, Dr. Maurice A. Perellis.

She is survived by two sons, Maury (Nanci) Brill and Greg Brill of San Francisco, CA; her grandchildren, Ben (Shayne) Brill, Sarah Brill, Adam Bear and Golda (Ryan) Kirzner; and her great-grandchildren, Wilder Brill, Keaton Brill, Morgan Bear and Sasha Kirzner.

Burial was at Adath Jeshurun Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son helped with arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to donor's favorite charity.

Jean Morris

Jean Morris, 86, died Tuesday, January 15, at Jefferson Place.

She attended the University of Michigan, graduated from the University of Louisville, and was co-owner of Service Supply Home Furnishings. She was member of The Temple, Women of Reform Judaism, former vice president of Brith Sholom Sisterhood, past president of Brith



Sholom Couples Club, served nationally and locally on the College and Caring Committees for National Union American Hebrew Congregation, and she was a tutor for Jefferson County Public Schools.

She is survived by her husband, Jacques Morris; a son, Jan Morris (Nancy Gall-Clayton); daughters, Judy Morris of Nashville, Joyce Morris of Oklahoma City, and JoAnn Morris of Indianapolis; a sister, Betty Ann Morse of Long Boat Key, FL; and two grandsons, James and Joshua Morris.

Burial was in The Temple Cemetery. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may go to Albert and Betty Hess G.U.C.I. Scholarship Camp Fund at The Temple or donor's favorite charity.

Jack Leonard Shapero

Jack Leonard Shapero, 89, of Louisville, passed away on January 21 after a long, productive life filled with family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lucy Byck Shapero, who died in 2008. Jack was the son of the late Eli and Jean Shapero of Louisville.

He leaves behind his daughter, Cathy Dreszer (Moises Dreszer, M.D.); his two sons, Ken (Dianne Aprile) and Rob Shapero; his three grandchildren, Sara Dreszer, Robbie Clay Shapero and Joshua Shapero (Angelica Serna); his caregiver and dear friend, Midalys Napolis; as well as a multitude of in-laws, cousins, relatives and close friends. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Harriet Kaplan and Thelma Miller.

A 1942 graduate of Louisville Male High School, Jack enlisted in the U.S. Army after graduation. During World War II, he served as a lieutenant during the liberation of France. He was part of an Army contingent that landed on Omaha Beach on D-Day, earning battle stars for his service in Normandy and Northern France. After the war, he joined the Army reserve, where he served until 1973, retiring as a Major.

With the exception of World War II, Jack lived his entire life in Louisville, where his exuberant good spirit was well known to friends and business associates. Returning to Louisville after the war, he opened a florist shop in downtown Louisville. He married the late Lucy Byck Shapero in 1954, closed the flower shop, and embarked on a 40-year career as an insurance executive and chartered life underwriter. He served as Senior Vice President of the Louisville insurance firm of Nahm, Turner, Vaughn and Landrum and was a past president of the Louisville Chapter of Chartered Life Underwriters. He was a 25-year member of the Louisville Downtown Rotary Club, a life member of the Million Dollar Roundtable and a former board member of Junior Achievement. He was a member of The Temple for more than 50 years.

Jack was devoted to his family, received great joy from his friends, and loved to sail, golf, travel and play tennis. He was especially fond of gardening and maintained a reputation for his green thumb, both in the vegetable and flower gardens. He was proud to have produced succulent red tomatoes every year of his adult life until he was physically unable to garden. He was especially pleased when his tomatoes ripened before the Fourth of July. Jack's zest for life, his rich character and his generous spirit will be treasured

always by his family and by the many people whose lives were touched by his.

The family would like to thank the wonderful staff at Jefferson Place, who cared for Jack over the last few years.

A memorial service was held on January 24 at The Temple. Herman Meyer & Son handled the arrangements.

The family requests that expressions of sympathy be sent to The Temple.



Howard Burt Grossman

Howard Burt Grossman died peacefully at the age of 84 on Wednesday, January 23.

Born on September 24, 1928 in Louisville, KY to Maurice and Sadye Grossman, he excelled in his studies at Manual High School and went on to attain a business degree from Vanderbilt University. Immediately upon graduating, he married his childhood neighbor and sweetheart, Helane Steinfeld, who he has devotedly adored from the age of 12. Howard was a veteran who served his country as a CPA during the Korean War in the U.S. Army Audit Agency. He returned to Louisville to selflessly assist his aging parents in the family dry goods business, Grossman's Department Store. Howard eventually entered the life insurance field at the age of 31 and was with Northwestern Mutual for 23 years, during which time he enjoyed success as a regular member of the prestigious Million Dollar Round Table. The firm leveraged Howard's sales and accounting skills by appointing him head of training for new agents, specializing in financial planning.

In 1984, at the age of 56, when most seniors are focused on retiring, Howard courageously moved with his wife, Helane, to Boca Raton, FL, where he worked for New England Life Insurance for 15 years, again training new agents.

Debbie Friedman's JCL

by Shiela Steinman Wallace

For Debbie Friedman, Judaism and the Jewish community have always been an important part of her life. Born and raised in a loving Jewish family and community in Cincinnati, her family belonged to Wise Temple and she was active at the Jewish Community Center.

"I actually met Alan [her husband] at the JCC in Cincinnati," she recalled. The Center there had a theater production company called Tacapades, "and all the high school kids got together every Sunday and put on a play in the spring." They both participated in the program.

Friedman was a marketing major at the University of Cincinnati, and when she graduated she joined the Federated Department Store chain, working as a buyer, first with Shillito's in Cincinnati, and later, after she married and moved to Florida, for Burdine's.

As a buyer, she had the opportunity to travel regularly to New York, and even to the Orient. "It was very exciting, and I liked it," she said. She worked until her children were born.

Twenty-one years ago, when Alan Friedman had the opportunity to go to work for his family business in French Lick, IN, choosing a new home in a strong Jewish community was a priority for the family. "Louisville was the closest large city that had a vibrant Jewish community, so that's why we're here," she said. "We love it. It's been a great place to raise our

Upon retirement in 1994, he volunteered as a substitute teacher in the Palm Beach Public School System. Howard was always happiest in the presence of children, including his own, who were a rapt audience for his inexhaustible, funny anecdotes and stories.

Howard attended Congregation Adath Jeshurun and was a member of the Jewish Community Center. He was a loving father, prioritizing his family over all else, never faltering in exhibiting care and concern.

He is survived by his devoted wife of 63 years, Helane Steinfeld Grossman; and adoring children and their families, Anne Brewer; fiancé, Joe Huttie, and son, Andrew Plisner; Jon Grossman and son, Adam; Tom Jourden, wife Claudia and daughter, Lexi; he is also survived by his beloved sister, Judie Sherman and husband, Erwin; aunt Gerri Snyder; brother-in-law, Jim Steinfeld and wife Joyce; and many loving nieces and nephews.

The family wishes to extend thanks to the many friends who helped make Howard comfortable and assisted Helane during his elder years.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday, January 25, at Herman Meyer & Son, 1338 Ellison Ave. Visitation will be after 1 p.m. Friday.

In lieu of flowers at the family request, expressions of sympathy may go to donor's favorite charity.

Memorial Service

Fanny Rose Rosenbaum

A memorial service is planned for Fanny Rose Rosenbaum, who died on December 19, 2012. The service will be held on Sunday, February 24, at 1:30 p.m. at The Temple. Herman Meyer & Son is in charge of arrangements.

Because Fanny Rose had so many interests in her community, the family has requested expressions of sympathy go to donor's favorite charity.

kids and we have lots of great friends."

A vibrant Jewish community doesn't just happen. It takes a cadre of dedicated volunteers who are willing to invest their time and resources to ensure its success. The Friedmans have done both.

Since she's always enjoyed working in marketing, volunteering with the Annual Federation Campaign was a natural fit. "When you're passionate about something," she said, "it's very easy to fundraise."

"Every year since we've been here, we've been part of Super Sunday," Friedman said. "We think it's vitally important to reach out to every member of the Jewish community and get their support."

In addition to volunteering on Super Sunday, Friedman, a Lion of Judah, has chaired or co-chaired Lion of Judah and Women's Philanthropy events, and, with her husband, co-chaired a Major Gifts event. They've also attended many Campaign events.

During their first eight years in Louisville, most of Friedman's activities were with her children's school. Her first regular volunteer involvement in the Jewish community was with Jewish Hospital, a connection she still maintains. Today, she serves on three Jewish Hospital-connected committees: the Jewish Hospital St. Mary's Hospital Foundation, the Jewish Heritage Fund for Excellence and the Jewish Heritage Excellence Grants Committee.

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D'var Torah

Self Help 101: BeShalach 5773

by Cantor David Lipp

You have a personal problem. You can't handle it yourself. You've told all your friends about it and your therapist and your rabbi (dare I say your cantor?). Still: no good. What do you do?



Cantor David Lipp

There are lessons from the weekly Torah portion that stare us in the face but we often miss them.

Let's take a look at three ways in which our Torah portion might guide us.

1. Kal VaChomer

"Let my people go!"

We're all aware of Moses' famous recurring demand of Pharaoh. Sometimes the response is ridicule; others flat rejection; sometimes a haughty act of neglect; others fruitless negotiation.

What is often forgotten or simply not carefully noted is that Moses is ostensibly only asking Pharaoh for a three-day weekend to sacrifice to God. Moses never says to Pharaoh, "By the way, we're not coming back. Ever."

The assumption seems to be a classic rabbinic 'kal vachomer'. Literally, this is a hermeneutic (a fancy word for interpretive technique) that means 'light and weighty.' For some reason we don't have a good English term for this, but we have a Latin one: A Fortiori. If a minor premise can't be fulfilled then it follows that a major one certainly can't either.

In this case, the argument would go as follows: *Liivif* (you have to imagine a rabbinic voice here melodically moving from a high note to a lower one, glissando please with a right forefinger stabbing the firmament) Pharaoh won't even give his slaves a long weekend to serve their God in the wilderness, *Theeeeeen* (same melody and choreography from above) he'll certainly not manumit them for good.

So when Pharaoh finally sends the Israelites on their way following the tenth plague – that was last week's episode in case you missed it – he has reason to believe that they will return. Perhaps he wonders whether it was worth putting his people through the devastation of all those calamities just so one of his building projects wouldn't be delayed until next week.

2. Irony

In this week's portion Pharaoh realizes he's been had. He sends the troops after

the wayward slaves to orders to kill on sight. The Israelites may never complete the work he had in mind for them, but they won't be free either.

When the Israelites see the chariots following them, trapping them by the waters of the Sea of Reeds, they respond with the first act of sarcasm in the Torah. Was it for lack of graves in Egypt that you took us here in the desert so we could be murdered here? As the *Etz Hayim Humash* rightly notes, this is at least a double entendre – it's not just a situational dig at Moses; it also refers to a death-obsessed civilization where graves will one day be considered wonders of the world. It's a statement of high irony. Oscar Wilde and Mark Twain take note.

3. Write Down the Foes.

After getting saved through God's miraculous intervention and the Song of the Sea, which traditional congregations recite each morning as part of the preparatory service, the Israelites face their first external enemy, Amalek, and are told to write it down in the book.

What book? According to most commentators it refers to the small paragraph in the book of Deuteronomy where Amalek is mentioned or the Book of the Wars of God from Numbers.

It's beside the point. Number 3 is the answer. Use it to incorporate numbers 1-2. Confused? Read on.

Conclusion: Self Help 101

Whenever a friend has a problem that I can't help them solve – which means they are destined to endure it – I often suggest that they not waste the experience, but write about it.

Writing down our own personal plagues can help us survive them. It could be that we reframe our experience using *Kal VaChomer* (if I can survive this, I can survive anything) or find a laugh in its irony (is it for lack of good reality programming that I'm suffering?).

Most importantly, the act of writing itself transforms the experience of suffering into something over which we have a modicum of control.

And who knows? Sometimes we'll triumph and get to sing about it.

Shabbat candles should be lit Friday evenings, January 25 at 5:39 p.m., February 1 at 5:47 p.m., February 8 at 5:55 p.m., February 15 at 6:02 and February 22 at 6:10 p.m.

Editor's note: Cantor David Lipp, the cantor of Congregation Adath Jeshurun (Conservative), has volunteered to provide Torah commentaries for Community.

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Debbie Friedman's JCL

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About 12 years ago, she was asked to serve on the Jewish Family & Career Services Board, and has been part of that organization ever since. Today, she's president of the organization and a volunteer driver for the Senior P.A.L.S. program, which provides affordable transportation for doctors appointments and a variety of errands to seniors who no longer drive.

For her first Senior P.A.L.S. assignment, about eight years ago, "I drove three elderly Jewish women down to Jewish Hospital where they volunteered," Friedman recalled. "They were in their late 80's or early 90's, and they would go down and make the decorations that were put on the dinner trays."

"I love being on the Board of JFCS," she said. "It's an extremely well run organization, and we do a lot of great things for a lot of people, whether it's feeding people through our food pantry, career services or senior home care."

"These are vital programs," she continued, "and we couldn't do what we do if the Federation doesn't have a strong Campaign. We rely on the Jewish Community of Louisville (JCL) and we rely on the Jewish community to support JFCS so we can continue to provide needed services to our community."

The Friedmans are also members of Congregation Adath Jeshurun and she is a member of National Council of Jewish Women.

Friedman is also pleased with the progress she sees at the JCL. "When my kids were in high school, the BBYO program had fallen apart," she observed, "and that was upsetting. So I'm happy to see that there's very strong programming now for middle school and high school students. That's really vital for our children."

"I come to the JCC a lot," she added. "I do the water pilates classes and a lot of the other water classes – indoor in the winter and outside in the summer."

"I'm committed to and passionate about the JCL," she concluded, "When I see how many people are helped and how the JCL helps develop Jewish identities, I recognize the importance of a strong Jewish community."

The Friedmans have two children. Their daughter, Laura Witkov, and her husband, Adam, live in Milwaukee and are expecting their first child in June. Their son, Michael, lives in New York.

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Feferman Provides Briefing on Iran's Nuclear Program and the Effect of Sanctions

by Matt Goldberg, Director
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On January 8, the Jewish Community Relations Council of the Jewish Community of Louisville hosted Bob Feferman, outreach director for United Against a Nuclear Iran, UANI, in the Patio Gallery at the Jewish Community Center. UANI is an organization dedicated to promoting economic sanctions designed to deter Iran from pursuing nuclear weapons.

Feferman shared a PowerPoint presentation designed to educate Americans on the current status of Iran's nuclear program, its clandestine nature, the status of economic sanctions, and what we, average citizens can do.

According to Feferman, Iran has several nuclear facilities around the country and is currently enriching uranium to 20 percent, when any possible civilian use would necessitate uranium only enriched to 3.5 percent. Western nations, including Russia and China, have offered to supply Iran with all the uranium they could need for their stated non-military purposes, if they would agree to ship their remaining uranium out of the country. To date, Iran has not accepted the offer. On the contrary, they have ratcheted up production of highly enriched uranium.

While there is some talk about a military option, Feferman emphasized that the economic sanctions currently imposed on Iran are just now beginning to have real teeth, and they are not fully exhausted; therefore, any talk about military action is premature as long as sanctions are not complete or fully in effect.

UANI is promoting an initiative that calls for the U.S. Congress to pass legislation that will tell corporations that if they do business in Iran, they will not be able to do business in the United States.

Many corporations have stopped doing business in Iran, some thanks to pressure from UANI; however, some corporations, like Nissan and Ericsson, are still doing business there. Feferman's hope is that, with increased awareness, every major corporation doing business in Iran will cease the practice, and that the U.S. government and state governments will not award government contracts to corporations still doing business in Iran.

The goal of United Against a Nuclear Iran is to make economic sanctions so severe that Iran will have no choice but to make the reasonable concessions to end the militarization of their nuclear program, thereby making any military action, which nobody wants, unnecessary.



Clockwise, Mark Talis, Tatyana Mischenko, Josh Goodman, Becca Lusignolo, Larry Forman, Ashley Burkhead, Bailey Haskell and Dan Gomby



Hillel Jumps to Start the New Semester

Hillel started the new semester with a social activity at Sky Zone Indoor Trampoline Park on Thursday, January 17. The evening's fun included dodge ball, basketball, jumping on trampolines and doing flips in the air. They capped it off with pizza and drinks in the party room.

There will be more Hillel events throughout the semester.



Learning Together: The staffs of the Jewish Community of Louisville and Jewish Family & Career Service came together on Tuesday, January 8, for a professional development workshop on the Jewish lifecycle led by Cantor David Lipp.

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