

Rabbi's Class: No Rabbi's class until after the Holidays

Liquor Donations: **a)** A bottle was donated by Reisha & Harry Melnik in honour of their 52nd Anniversary on Sept 12th. **Ken Yirbu – many more in good health!!!** **b)** A bottle was donated by Bernice and Harry Chyfetz just because they knew we needed bottles! **YASHER KOACH!**

Birthdays: **a)** **HAPPY BIRTHDAY & MAZAL TOV** to Diane Bresinger who celebrates her birthday on Monday September 18; **b)** and **MAZAL TOV** to the Rudys – Lillian & Fred - whose grandson in Israel, Yehuda Rudy celebrates his 10th birthday on September 20th. **c)** **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to the Rabbi & Rebbetzin's daughter, Messoda Chava, who is 1 year old on the 29th of Elul, Wed. Sept. 20th

Mazal Tov: **a)** **MAZAL TOV** to Leo Stiglitz and the late Maree z'l's great-granddaughter Brenda from Toronto who recently got engaged. The wedding will be held August 2018. Congratulations to the whole family! **b)** **MAZAL TOV** also to Lou Gontovnick and his son Howard on that wonderful article that appeared in the Canadian Jews this past week, on his chicken plucking days in the “old country” of Ste Sophie. **c)** And a **MAZAL TOV** to Diane and Aubrey Bresinger on the birth of a great-grandson in NY on Wednesday Sept 13. More details to follow. Tons of naches to the Bresingers and their extended family!

Refuah Shlema: **a)** A **REFUAH SHLEMA** to Lillian Rudy who once again had to go to the hospital on Friday to look after a nasty infection, and that required her to return home with a pharmacy of antibiotics. Get well quick Lillian; we need you to look after yourself and Fred who has been a tower of strength in helping us get ready for the High Holidays. **b)** a **REFUAH SHLEMA** to Lou Gontovnick who had surgery some weeks ago, and will need a 2nd surgery, so possibly won't be with us for the High Holidays; we wish him well, and a gut gezint yohr! **c)** Many of our **REFUAH SHLEMAS** are back in shul, and doing well, and others are also progressing nicely, so to them and others with various ailments, a collective **REFUAH SHLEMA** to all!!

New Members: **MAZAL TOV** to Daniel Cohen who has officially become a member of our Young Israel family! Over the past 3-1/2 years, Daniel has been a regular at the shul, almost never missing a Shabbat service and attending many holidays and simchas with his precious little boys, Nathaniel and Jacob (and baby Abigail at home). **YASHIR KOACH** Daniel!

YASHIR KOACHS: **HUGE YASHIR KOACHS** To Dave Green and Fred Rudy who both pretty well slept in shul most of the week to get the Yahrzeit boards up, and prepare for the rest of what goes up next week, and to Fred who was here the rest of the time helping Mindy with the seat allocation, and also to Norman Fogel, Susan Erdelyi, and Zila Baum, who helped with getting out the bulletin in the mail to all members in less than a day, rather than just having members access it on the website. Initially we thought we would have it only on the bulletin, but

that was an error on my part, and they stepped in to help save the day. Cooperation goes a long way in making this endeavor work.

New Website: Our new website will probably go live Mon/Tues this week. You will all receive a special newsletter how to access the website, and how to access it's various links. All newsletters will still be sent by email for 3-4 weeks, until bugs are ironed out. If you have problems, or have suggestions on how to improve the website, please let me know at info@judaicasales.com.

Irving Green Z"l: For a good fifty years Irving and his lovely wife Bella Green were very active members of the Young Israel in Chomedey. Irving was particularly involved with membership and bazaars, and for many years was the behind the scenes "go to guy" for set construction, stage hand and more when it came to putting on various shows and events sponsored by our shul. At 86 years of age, Irving passed away on the 16th of Elul – Sept 8th, 2015. This past Sunday evening on Sept 10, Bella Green, her family and friends were in shul after evening services to help affix 4 beautiful Mezuzahs to mark this 2nd Anniversary of Irving's passing. Bella's son and the Young Israel VP, Dave Green, had the honours together with the Rabbi in affixing the Mezuzahs. The Mezuzahs were placed at the 2 doors leading to the Sanctuary, the Rabbi's Office and the YIC office. A beautiful inscribed Torah covering was also donated to be used to cover the Torah between Aliyas. May these Holy Objects serve to keep the late Irving Green's memory alive in our new YIC location for many years to come.

Condolences: Once again, the Young Israel of Chomedey is sad to announce the passing of long time member Morris (Moe) Schachter who passed away suddenly on Friday, September 8, 2017. Moe Schachter was a long-time member of the YIC, coming to shul as often as he could. After the loss of his dear wife, however, some 9-10 years ago years ago, Moe joined the daily minyans, and did not miss one day of the eleven month mourning period. He was a pleasant, fairly quiet man who became a valued member of our "Minyanaires Club", loved by all his fellow "daveners." Following that, he continued to attend shul, making sure he did not miss a yahrzeit or the Holidays. Moe was the loving husband of the late Freda Goodman and caring father of Janet (David Gilman) and Merle. He was a wonderful Zadie to Nina (Kris Schultz), Samantha, Haylee and Sydney, all of Seattle; brother and brother-in-law of Bernie (Butch) and the late Ettie Schachter of California. Moe will be missed by his nieces, nephews, family and friends. Graveside services took place on Tuesday, September 12 at 10:00 a.m. at the Young Israel of Chomedey Congregation Section, Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Duvernay. Shiva and services took place at his home and at the

Young Israel of Chomedey. Donations in his memory may be made to the Cummings Jewish Centre for Seniors, (514) 734-1825.

“May G-D comfort the family amongst the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem”

Newsletter Sat evening Sept 23: As you are all aware, Shabbat comes right after Rosh Hashana. The newsletter for Saturday night Sept 23 will have to be prepared before noon Sept 20, Erev Rosh Hashana. Please send any informative announcements, notes etc to the editor or the shul office no later than Wednesday AM. Thank you.

Seat Sales: At this time 165 seats have been sold – appx 91 men and 74 women. The women’s section is almost sold out, we still have room for appx 30 seats in the men’s section.

‘We Feed People’: Women Step Up to Serve During Harvey

http://www.chabad.org/news/article_cdo/aid/3779021/jewish/We-Feed-People-Women-Step-Up-to-Serve-During-Harvey.htm

Read an interesting interview In Tel-Aviv with Israeli born Rahm Emmanuel, mayor of Chicago

https://www.timesofisrael.com/rahm-emanuel-to-us-jews-this-is-our-moment-to-defend-the-values-that-aided-us/?utm_source=The+Times+of+Israel+Daily+Edition&utm_campaign=f3711c12d7-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2017_09_15&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_adb46cec92-f3711c12d7-54556441

*Yahrzeits for the week of Sept 18 -
24 / 27 Elul - 4 Tishrei*

COMMONJEWISH DATE	MEMBER DATE	DECEASED	RELATION	
Sep 18	Elul 27	Stanley Labis	for Sam Rotgaus z"l	father in law
Sep 18	Elul 27	Riva Weigensberg	for Jack Weigensberg z"l	brother in law
Sep 18	Elul 27	Natalie Bercovici	for Harry Feldman z"l	brother
Sep 19	Elul 28	Edoth Berbrier	for Jack Berbrier z"l	husband
Sep 20	Elul 29	Helen Iscoe	for Aaron Iscoe z"l	father in law

Sep 20	Elul 29	Suzanne Borer	for Karoly Kovacs z"l	grandfather
Sep 20	Elul 29	Rose Byer	for David Laskin z"l	brother
Sep 20	Elul 29	Ethel Kendall	for Aaron Kendall z"l	father in law
Sep 21	Tishrei 1	Sy Berliner	for Brindel Berliner z"l	mother
Sep 23	Tishrei 3	Irving Nick Pfefer	for Dora Grosbard z"l	mother
Sep 23	Tishrei 3	Ruth Lesser	for Enid Goodkin z"l	sister in law

Any Young Israel member MISSING a Yahrzeit notice in the shul bulletin, please email the info directly to therudys@videotron.ca Please provide full name in English (and Hebrew if possible) and the date of the Yarzeit as well as relationship to YIC member. As soon as info is received, it will be forwarded to the shul office, or you can also email or phone in the info direct to the office if you prefer.