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YIC Weekly Newsletter May 26 - June 1 / 21 - 27 Iyar

DAY	DATE	SCHACHRIS	MINCHA / MARIV
SUNDAY	May 26	08:30 AM	7:30 PM
MONDAY	May 27	07:00 AM	7:30 PM
TUESDAY	May 28	No Schachris	7:30 PM
WEDNESDAY	May 29	No Schachris	7:30 PM
THURSDAY	May 30	07:00 AM	7:30 PM
FRIDAY	MAY 31	No Schachris	7:00 PM Shabbat Starts: 8:16 PM
SATURDAY	JUN 01	Parshat: BECHUKOTAI Rabbi's Class: 08:30 AM Schachris: 09:00 AM followed by Kiddish	Rabbi's Mincha Class: 8:05 PM Mincha at: 8:35 PM followed by Shalosh Seudos Ma'ariv: 9:25 PM Shabbat Ends: 9:32 PM

KIDDISH SAT May 25: This week's kiddush is sponsored by the shul.

RABBI BANON'S CLASS: Rabbi Banon's class this week will take place on Thursday May 30, at appx 8:00 PM after Ma'ariv services. All are welcome.

RABBI HALPERIN'S CLASS: Rabbi Halperin will be holding his next class on Tuesday, May 28th at 8 p.m. after services. Everyone is welcome to attend and participate.

BIRTHDAYS: a) **MAZAL TOV & HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to long-time member Ellie Grief Spence who will be celebrating her birthday on Monday, May 27th. Ellie may you celebrate many more birthdays in good health and happiness with your family and friends. Ad 120. L'chaim! b) **MAZAL TOV & HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to long-time member Sally Rubin who celebrated her big day on May 19. Sally, wishing you many years of good health and happiness while you start this new chapter in your life in D.D.O. Ad 120!! L'chaim! c) **MAZAL TOV & HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Rose Finkelstein, who celebrates her birthday on Shabbat, May 25th. Rose, your family wishes you a full and complete recovery from hip surgery and many more birthdays filled with good health and happiness. Love always George, Jonathan, Jennifer, Joshua, Jasmine and your grandchildren Cash and Bowie. Ad 120! L'chaim!

CONDOLENCES: It is with profound sadness that the Young Israel of Chomedey announces the passing of Anne Bellman z'l (née Gurevitch), the beloved mother and mother-in-law of Debbie and Naphtali Shainbach (our Gabbai). Anne was the treasured wife of the late Samuel Bellman z'l and was a cherished and adored mother and mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother and sister and will be dearly missed. Funeral services are from Papermans on Sunday May 26th at 12:00 noon. Our deepest condolences to the entire family and may they know no further sorrow.

UNVEILING: An unveiling of a monument in loving memory of Harry Melnik's beloved wife, Reisha Melnik z'l, will take place this Sunday, May 26 at 11 a.m. at the Baron de Hirsch Cemetary on de la Savanne, Gate 1, New Nusach Hoari Section at the gate closest to Victoria at end of road. Everyone is invited to attend. Reisha z'l was a beloved wife, mother and grandmother and is lovingly remembered by her family and friends every day.

UNVEILING: An unveiling of a monument in loving memory of Reesa & Dov Midlash's beloved father and father-in-law, Jack Sculnick z'l, will take place on Sunday, June 2, 2019 at 11 a.m. at the Kehal Israel Memorial Park, 4189 Sources blvd., DDO H9B 1A6, Jewish Assistance Section. Everyone is welcome to attend. Jack z'l was a beloved husband to Bertha z'l, cherished father and father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather and is loved and missed by his family and friends every single day.

REGARDS from RABBI STIEFEL: Rabbi Stiefel recently visited Amsterdam, and recorded the Mi Shebairach, a prayer from the Musaf prayer on Shabbos. A great treat!
<https://collive.com/cantor-sings-amsterdams-historic-shul/#.XOTzOzMhKjIU>

REFUAH SHLEMA: A **REFUAH SHLEMA** to all our members and family members under the weather, may all have a speedy recovery.

***** VIDEOS & IMAGES *****

WHY WE MISS PRIME MINISTER STEPHEN HARPER

<https://www.prageru.com/video/why-dont-you-support-israel/>

WATCH: The Wretched Lives of the Palestinians in Gaza. An eye-opener!!!

https://unitedwithisrael.org/watch-the-wretched-lives-of-the-palestinians-in-gaza-whos-to-blame/?utm_source=MadMimi&utm_medium=email&utm_content=Muslim+Kids+%27Didn%E2%80%99t+Comprehend%27+Beheading+Jews+Song%3B+Photos+of+Israel+Moon+Crash+Site%3B+Watch%3A+Wretched+Lives+of+Palestinians+in+Gaza%21&utm_campaign=20190516_m151728562_Muslim+Kids+%27Didn%E2%80%99t+Comprehend%27+Beheading+Jews+Song%3B+Photos+of+Israel+Moon+Crash+Site%3B+Watch%3A+Wretched+Lives+of+Palestinians+in+Gaza%21&utm_term=Capture_v2-25-249x169_jpg

Brigitte Gabriel defends Jews in one of the best speeches the UN has ever heard - from the archives.

<https://israelunwired.com/brigitte-gabriel-defends-jews-in-one-of-the-best-speeches-the-un-has-ever-heard/>

Yahrzeits for the week of May 27 - JUNE 2 / 22 -28 Iyar

COMMON DATE	JEWISH DATE	MEMBER	for	DECEASED	RELATION
May 28	Iyar 23	Beatrice Duchoeny	for	Raizel Finkelstein z"l	mother
May 29	Iyar 24	David Smith	for	Harry Smith z"l	brother
May 30	Iyar 25	Esther Levine	for	Fred Levine z"l	husband
May 30	Iyar 25	Eleanor Grief Spence	for	Joe z"l	brother in law
May 31	Iyar 26	Frank Bass	for	Label Bass z"l	father
Jun 1	Iyar 27	Marlene Helfield	for	Eddie Helfield z"l	husband
Jun 2	Iyar 28	Cary Weigensberg	for	Joseph Buchbinder z"l	relative
Jun 2	Iyar 28	Riva Weigensberg	for	Joseph Buchbinder z"l	relative
Jun 2	Iyar 28	Jack Goldberg	for	Nancy Goldberg z"l	wife
Jun 2	Iyar 28	Norman Buchbinder	for	Joseph Weigenberg z"l	father in law
Jun 2	Iyar 28	Abie Poplaw	for	Beatrice Poplaw z"l	mother

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 Yahrzeit 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. **Note:** In the event a female member does not want her maiden name included in the weekly bulletin Yahrzeit notices - for possible security reasons - please advise the office, and we will make the appropriate change.

PARSHAT HASHAVUA - WEEKLY TORAH PORTION
The Parshah in a Nutshell

Bechukotai

Leviticus 26:3-27:34



G-d promises that if the people of Israel will keep His commandments, they will enjoy material prosperity and dwell secure in their homeland. But He also delivers a harsh “rebuke,” warning of the exile, persecution and other evils that will befall them if they abandon their covenant with Him.

Nevertheless, “Even when they are in the land of their enemies, I will not cast them away; nor will I ever abhor them, to destroy them and to break My covenant with them; for I am the L-rd their G-d.”

The Parshah concludes with the rules on how to calculate the values of different types of pledges made to G-d, and the mitzvah of tithing produce and livestock.



**MEMORY LANE # 23 (EDITED)
FROM THE BULLETIN OF THE YOUNG ISRAEL OF CHOMEDEY
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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

This is the seventh year of our existence, and the fourth year in our new premises. The Red Sea was not split before the Israelites started jumping into it, and we jumped three years ago! We are coming ever closer to the necessary Promised Complex of Buildings – a beautiful, large, air conditioned hall, a library, meeting rooms, and a Sanctuary to be carved out on our new land, the 50,000 square feet between our Shul and Notre Dame, after a substantial increase in our membership. When the new building is completed around December we shall be a large corporation with assets valued at about \$500,000.00!

Yes, our Executive, Board and Membership, combined with our Rabbi and Cantor, have the necessary vision, courage and faith in our compelling future. They have the necessary drive and competence to take care and provide for that future. A future of daily dedication and continued devotion by each alert and community-conscious member. This extension needs members and members need this extension. Our present facilities are too drab and small for the affairs and activities of our expanding membership and their families.

Given proper leadership, and given proper goals, our membership will always be close behind. No Shul or Community Center can plan and advance without fund-raising. Each member need only pay his allotted share. Let the funds we raise help to pay the balance. We are very proud of our working members, of the Sisterhood, the Men's Club, the Governors, of those active in the Carnival, the Play, and in many other fields of voluntary endeavour. With such devoted members inspiring their leaders, and each other, we are confident of continued success. We have ever been in the vanguard, the leaders on this barren piece of land. We aim to continue well in advance. We can ensure this worthwhile goal by tripling our fund-raising efforts which we are planning. When you hear our call, please respond immediately. We work for our children, our neighbours, our community, and for Israel.

Maurice J.Boxer, Synagogue President

(Yashor Koach to Fred Rudy for providing us all with these memorable historical moments, which some of us may still remember!)