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"Regular" IC classes & lectures - 20₪ members, 25₪ non-members. Life members 5₪
No one will be turned away for inability to pay. Membership 250₪ couple, 180₪ single.
Programs of the Center are partially funded by the Jewish Agency for Israel

Schedule for Erev Shabbat to Erev Shabbat, 8-15 Kislev (December 9-16)

FRIDAY

ערב שבת

9:00am
men &
women

Overview of Pirkei Avot
Rabbi Chaim Eisen

SHABBAT DAY

שבת קודש

Shabbat Parshat Vayeitzei - December 10, 3:00pm • Mincha 4:00pm

Yaacov Peterseil & Co.

MOTZA"SH

מוצאי שבת

Motza'ei Shabbat, December 10th, 8:30pm

Cancer, Osteoporosis, and Runny Noses
What's the Connection?

Learn the surprising answer from
Dr. Michael Feinerman

Note about Candle Lighting and Havdala times. Candle lighting times are rounded down to the minute, in other words, seconds are ignored. E.g. 4:00pm in Jerusalem this week is really 47 seconds after 4:00pm. The seconds are ignored. Havdala times, on the other hand, are round up to the next minute. Even one second after 6:32pm, for example, will be posted as 6:33pm.

Ezer Kenegdo Matchmaking • Confidential ~ Sincere ~ Professional
Office Hours: 1:30-9:30pm Sunday-Thursday • Call Ayalah Haas (02)566-6039 • www.ezerkenegdo.com

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SUN-THU in the Ganchrow Beis Medrash (first floor)

on hold	Masechet Kiddushin with Rabbi Pesach (Paul) Greenman
1:20pm	Mincha (this time stays the same throughout the year)
3:00pm	Daf Yomi by Rabbi Shmuel Halpern
4:30pm	Shiur in מסכת סנהדרין by Rabbi Hillel Ruvel
5:30pm	Maariv will IY"H continue until THU, the 26th of Tevet and Jan.

SUNDAY

N'SHEI LIBRARY 10:30-12:45

יום ראשון

9:30am women only	Mystical Insights into the Months of the Year	Golda Warhaftig
10:30am women only	<i>Let's Learn Chumash</i>	Tonia Frohwein
11:30am men & women	PARSHAT MASHAVUA	Shprintzee Herskovits

Pri Chadash Women's Writing Workshop

5:20-7:20pm
on Sundays



with Ruth Fogelman (628-7359) and Judy Caspi (054-569-0401)

Sun. Dec. 11, 8:00pm **Pre-Chanuka Book Signing**

Guest speaker: **Yaffa Ganz**, author, will speak on

Chanuka & Eretz Yisrael - A Single Dimension

on the occasion of the release of her new book:

"A DIFFERENT DIMENSION"

a collection of humorous and thoughtful essays on Jewish life today

Books will be on sale at a discount

A chance to get a personally autographed copy – a great Chanuka gift!

Sunday 7:30pm men & women	Issues in Jewish Thought Ramban's Commentary on the Torah and its Wellsprings "The Status of Medicine and Sefer Refu'oth"	Rabbi Chaim Eisen
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MONDAY

N'SHEI LIBRARY - 10:00-12:30

יום שני

9:15am men & women	EXCURSIONS INTO THE WORLD OF THE IMAHOT	Mrs. Pearl Borow
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On sale: Jewish Books for Adults and Children by Simcha Publishing • Mondays 10:00-12:00


This week:

Sale of Chanuka & other Judaica gifts for kids and adults by L.A.K.

10:30am men & women	Rambam's 13 Principles	Rabbi Zev Leff
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MON 11:35am: Jewish History Series by Dr. Henry Goldblum
The Long "Reign" of Yochanan Hyrcanus 134-104BCE (cont.)

FIT FOREVER: LOOK & FEEL YOUR BEST! Call Sura Faecher 993-2524
Exercise for women of all ages, Mondays 11:35-12:30pm
 Gentle exercises to improve flexibility, circulation, posture, etc. Breathing and relaxation skills to use every day.

	<p>Monday, Dec. 12th, 12:30pm, in the Library (free)</p> <p>"The Hostages of Hatred"- True story of the fate of Palestinian refugees, the people who have been used as pawns for over 50 years - by Arab leaders and by the United Nations. This expose reveals the level of the refugee scandal.</p>
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Yehonatan Ben Malka, 20 years in Prison for saving Jewish Lives • www.JonathanPollard.org
 Let us hold him in our hearts and minds, pray for him
 continually, and seek ways to bring about his freedom

פדיון שבויים

Women's Beit Midrash MON (and WED) 3:00-5:00pm

Acquire study skills and knowledge crucial to your life as a Jew - join us!

Guided Chavruta study with **Pearl Borow**
Fine Tuning Chanuka - Phil Chernofsky

Mondays at 7:30pm (and Wednesdays 9:00am)

Parshat HaShavua
Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg

Mondays, December 12 and 19, 8:30-9:45pm - for women only

Spiritual Refinement through Parenting

taught by marital and family counselor and Narrative counselor

Channah Frumin MS CNT

We discuss many situations that arise during child rearing from the perspective of spiritual growth. for registration please call 054-479-9441

MASK - Mothers & Fathers Aligned Saving Kids

J'lem Chapter at the Israel Center • www.maskjerusalem.cjb.net • 050-754-2717

NEXT MEETING: Monday, December 19th, 7:30-9:30pm with Dr. Judy Belsky

Mondays, 8:30pm • AM SEGULA presents:

"Curing the Jewish Heart" with **Eli Yosef**

The History of the Zionist movement understood through the teachings of the Maharal of Prague

TUESDAY

יום שלישי

The Israel Center and the **Old City Free Loan Association**

16th year • over 4000 loans granted

Gemach - Free Loan Society

to provide interest-free loans for people in financial distress (living in the Jerusalem area).

Interviews at the Center on Tuesdays from 10:00-12:00 and 19:00-20:30 • Please bring ID

Tuesday, December 13th, 9:00am (Rabbi Adler will be back IY"H next week)

MORE ON CHANUKA

Phil Chernofsky

Tuesday mornings, Dec. 6,13,20 - 10:15am

PARSHAT HASHAVUA

Rabbi Macy Gordon



YAD YAAKOV Tuesdays 9:00am at the Israel Center
Between Prophets and Kings: When Politics and Religion Collide


Rabbi Dr. Yosef Leibowitz

Can the Covenant of Sinai be actualized in the real world? We will study the Book of Kings and the classical prophets as reflections of this attempt during the First Temple, and its ramifications today.

9:00am long class	The Metaphor of Water and Light	Dr. Hayim Abramson
11:00am	Modern Culture and Idolatry?	

11:00am M&W	PARSHAT HASHAVUA Rabbi Eddie Abramson
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12:00pm women	Review of the weekly Farbrengens of the Lubavitcher Rebbe	Raizel Zisk
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Circles within Circles WOMEN ONLY Tuesdays, 12:00-2:00pm 

The Growth of the Self within Avodat Hashem **A workshop series**
combining study, discussion, and writing... with Mrs. Esther Sutton

 The Dr. Maurice E. Joseph Jewish Video Resource Center Tuesday, Dec. 13th, 12:30pm, in the Library (free)

"Parshat Vayishlach"
Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg

Root & Branch Association in cooperation with the Israel Center

Tuesday, December 13th • 19:00

"Friends of Israel in the Washington State Legislature"

by **Mrs. Rose DeRenzo**

Session Aide to Washington State Senator Joyce Mullikin, Republican/District 13

Opening Remarks: Mr. Aryeh Gallin, Founder and President; M.C.: Mr. Reuven Kossover

Info: rb@rb.org.il/www.rb.org.il, NIS 25 per person, members NIS 20, students NIS 10

Meet our M'forshim Tuesdays at 8:00pm

Introduce shiur participants to different Torah commentaries, spanning the time from the second Beit HaMikdash through the period of the Geonim, Medieval times, Rishonim, early Acharonim, up to the end of the 19th century.

Given by **Rabbi Yonatan Kolatch**

Bet Midrash Ra'ava and the OU Israel Center present...

A new lecture series in Mesechet Kiddushin

A Renaissance in Talmud Study - Our approach to Gemara aims to uncover the coherence of the Gemara's discussions, and the deeper meaning of the issues it raises.

Topic: *A Deeper Appreciation of Jewish Marriage and the Jewish Family*

Tuesday evenings, 7:00-9:00pm (1hr hour chavruta prep and 1hr shiur

For more information contact Rabbi Mendy Blank – (02) 561-7597 • 052-894-4876

WEDNESDAY

יום רביעי

Wednesdays 9:00am (and Mondays at 7:30pm)

Parshat HaShavua Dr. Avivah Gottlieb-Zornberg

Wednesdays, 9:20am

Community & Conflict • *Rabbi Macy Gordon*

Note new time: Wednesdays, 10:45am

PARSHAT HASHAVUA
Rabbi Yosef Wolicki



WED 10:30am (women only) • **Chani Abramson**

Songs from the Siddur - Meaning & Melodies

Wednesdays, 11:30am • men & women

STORIES OF INSPIRATION & CHESED

Share these stories and make a difference
with **Jackie Lowenstein**



Wed. December 14th, 12:30pm, in the Library (free)

"Major Difference between Judaism and Christianity"

Rabbi Natan Lopes Cardozo, Ph.D.

Wed.
3:00pm

Women in the Talmud

**Pearl
Borow**

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Jewish Philosophy

Rambam's Guide for the Perplexed

New Topic: Mussar in the Guide

Rambam's extraordinary conclusion to his epic work

**Rabbi
Chaim
Eisen**

CORRECTION Travel Desk Special: **Arkia Package to Royal Beach Eilat**
1432[₪] per couple, per night, B/B, includes round-trip flights for 2, Valid Dec. 3-22

Wednesday, December 14th, 8:30pm

Where are my keys?

Learning to remember what you keep forgetting

Chaya Passow

THURSDAY

יום חמישי

THU: Dvar Torah by Menachem Persoff

THU
sometime

Shiur while you fold...

**Phil
Chernofsky**

Root & Branch Association in cooperation with the Israel Center

Thursday, December 15th • 19:00

"On Being A Displaced Person"

by **Rachel Saperstein**

Founder, Band-Aid Fund; Author, "Eviction" (Pavilion Press)

Evicted with her husband Moshe from Gush Katif, Mrs. S will talk of her last days in Neve Dekalim and her current life in the Jerusalem Gold Hotel

Chair: **Mrs. Lea De Lange**

Opening Remarks: Mr. Aryeh Gallin, Founder and President; M.C.: Mr. Reuven Kossover

Info: rb@rb.org.il/www.rb.org.il, NIS 25 per person, members NIS 20, students NIS 10

THU
8:00pm

Legends from the Gemara

**Reb Yosef
Schreiber**

FRIDAY

RABBI EISEN WILL RESUME IY"YH ON FRIDAY, JAN. 6TH

ערב שבת

9:00am
men &
women

Nesivos Shalom on Chanuka

R' Yaakov Yisroel Bar Chaim (Dec. 16,23,30)

UPCOMING AT THE ISRAEL CENTER

Sun. Dec. 18, 7:45pm • **Rabbi Ephraim Sprecher** on
Why the Mishna and Al HaNisim ignore the Chanuka miracle

Sunday Dec. 18, 8:00pm (women) **Concert by Devorah Hasofer**
to benefit Gush Katif evacuees • *see next week's TT for details*

Don't miss the Israel Center's Yesha Chanuka Fair • Tuesday, December 20, 10:00am - 5:00pm

TUE December 20, 7:00pm • **Into the Arms of Strangers**

Oscar winning Documentary. Stories of the Kinder-transport, '38-'39, 10,000 children were sent by their parents from Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia... 11 children, a mother, a foster mother, organizers, and a survivor who didn't make the transport, share their experiences...



Special BONUS: Mrs. Inge Sadan, one of the children transferred from Germany to England in 1939, and interviewed in the film, will be with us on the 20th to answer questions and talk about her experiences.

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 12:00noon
Moadon Monthly Mini Health Luncheon
Chanuka Celebration

Speaker:

Dr. Yisrael Grafstein
on Laughter and Medicine
18NIS p.p., register with Travel Desk

Sponsored by Moadon Sanhedria, affiliate with J'lem Municipality in conjunction with the Israel Center

Mother-Daughter Bat Mitzva Class

with **Mrs. Pearl Borow**

New group beginning Jan. 2, '06

Already filling up

Call (02) 671-3567 to reserve

Sunday, January 8 / 8 Tevet

2:00-9:30pm at the OU Israel Center
The OU Israel Center and
Ezer Kenegdo Matchmaking present:

Israel's Second Annual Jewish Dating Fair

A unique opportunity for single, divorced, and widowed Jews to meet professional and non-professional matchmakers, Jewish book authors, and other quality singles

8:30pm Keynote address:

RABBI BEREL WEIN

"Family, Home and Values"

Tickets: 60₪ per person all-day
if reserve before January 5th
80₪ per person all-day on day of the Fair

For advance tickets:

call Ita Rochel (02)566-7787 ext. 204
Matchmakers • Authors • Dating Advisors:
call Ayalah Haas (02)566-6039 (daytime)
to reserve a table