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Nili Couzens Scholar in Residence Shabbat

Announcements & Upcoming Events

Young Israel of White Plains

Schedule Mishpatim:

February 9 – February 15 (24 Shevat - 30 Shevat)

Erev Shabbat, February 9 (24 Shevat)

6:45a Shacharit

5:04p Candle Lighting

5:10p Mincha

5:22p Sunset

Shabbat, February 10: Shabbat Mevarchim, Parshat Shekalim, Mishpatim (25 Shevat)

7:30a Shacharit HIWP

9:00a Shacharit

5:00p Mincha

6:08p Maariv

6:13p Havdalah

Sunday, February 11 (26 Shevat)

8:00a Shacharit

5:10p Mincha/Maariv

Monday, February 12 (27 Shevat)

6:35a Shacharit

1:30p Mincha

8:30p Maariv

Tuesday, Wednesday February 13,14 (28,29 Shevat)

6:45a Shacharit

1:30p Mincha

8:30p Maariv

Thursday, February 15: Rosh Chodesh Adar (30 Shevat)

6:30a Shacharit

1:30p Mincha

8:30p Maariv

THANK YOU to **The Oratz Family** for sponsoring the Nili Couzens Scholar in Residence Shabbat.

CONDOLENCES

It is with deep sadness that we inform the community of the passing of Joan Gibbons, wife of Solomon Gibbons; Mother of Fran and Pinchas Nuchims, Mark Gibbons and Paula Yablonsky, Sue Gibbons, Rachelle and Fausto Garcia; Grandmother of Drew and Anna Nuchims, Diane and Eric Clayton, Erica and Gal Hillel, Marisa Garcia; Great grandmother of Michael Hillel.

Donations in memory of Joan Gibbons can be made to Memorial Sloan Kettering using the link below

http://mskcc.convio.net/site/TR?px=3931157&fr_id=3083&pg=personal

Sol Gibbons and Fran Nuchims will be sitting Shiva at the home of Fran and Pinchas Nuchims at 54 Grandview Avenue. The family requests that you do not arrive after 9 P.M.

Minyan times:

Thursday Shacharit 6:45 am, Mincha 1:30pm, Maariv 8:00 pm

Friday Shacharit 6:45am

Sunday Shacharit 8:00am, Mincha/Maariv 5:05 pm

Monday Shacharit 6:45am

May the family be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

SAVE THE DATE!

The YIWP Annual Dinner will take place on June 10, 2018 at Bet Am Shalom in White Plains. Guests of Honor: Yael and Sandy Rosenberg; Keter Shem Tov - Community Service Award: Marilyn and Ezra Berkowitz

YIWP Winter Ruach Series

Throughout the winter months, YIWP will be hosting events and programs to enhance our Shabbat experience, including Shabbatonim, Tefillah led by Acappella groups, Shabbat Dinners, and Smachot.

This Shabbat in partnership with the JRE we welcome Nili Couzens of the Jewish Renaissance Project Scholar in Residence.

This Week's Events:

Scholar-in-Residence Nili Couzens – February 9-10

Please join us for the Scholar-in-Residence program in partnership with the JRE, featuring Nili Couzens of the Jewish Women's Renaissance Project. Please click [Scholar](#) for details. Click [R.S.V.P.](#) which is requested for the [FREE](#) Teen Shabbat lunch at the home of Rabbi and Ahuva Greenberg.

Ongoing at YIWP:

Memorial Board

The YIWP will be putting up a memorial board in the main sanctuary in the next few weeks. If you would like to purchase a plaque to be placed on the memorial board please email treasurer@yiwp.com the following information or click [HERE](#) to complete the form.

Deceased Person's Hebrew Name (in Hebrew)

Deceased Person's Fathers Hebrew Name (in Hebrew)

Deceased Person's English Name (First and Last Name)

Date of Death – English date

Date of Death – Hebrew date

The cost for each plaque will be \$360.

Mishloach Manot Place your order by Feb 18

Please place your order by Feb 18.

Please volunteer to help us pack and deliver. Packing will be on Feb. 26th at 7pm and delivery will be on Purim, March 1st or a day or two before Purim. Please contact

Adina ashrage@gmail.com if you can volunteer. If you need your code/link, please email

Adina at ashrage@gmail.com and she will send it to you. Thank you for supporting YIWP!

Upcoming Events:

Ruach in Residence – February 16- 17

Please join us for Ruach in Residence featuring Reb Yosef Newcomb and his Chevra L'eila Ul'eila for Fri. night Ruach style Kabbalat Shabbat followed by a delicious dinner. Please click [flyer](#) for full Friday and Shabbat schedule with all the details.

Please [R.S.V.P.](#) for dinner before Feb. 9th.

TEEN Minyan - February 17 and February 24

All teens are invited to participate in the upcoming Teen Minyanim on 2/17 and 2/24. Please contact Charlie Wachstock at cewachss@gmail.com with questions.

Community News and Events:

Westchester Jewish Council 42nd Annual Gala – February 10

Join us on Saturday, February 10, 2018 for the Westchester Jewish Council's 42nd Annual Gala honoring Betsy Bernstein, Michael Karnes and Gary Trachten. Enjoy a 7:15pm cocktail dinner by Foremost Caterers followed at 8:30pm by program and entertainment by comedian Avi Liberman. The evening concludes with a delicious dessert reception. Contact donna@wjccouncil.org to R.S.V.P.

Westchester Hebrew High Annual Dinner – February 11 at 5:00 P.M.

Join us at the Westchester Hebrew High School Annual Dinner on Sunday, February 11, 2018, 5:00pm at the JCC of Harrison. Our honorees are: Cindy Sternklar Worenklein and Jay Worenklein, Michael Tedesco and Evan Azoulay (Class of 2010). We also salute the graduating Class of 2018. For more information, to place ads and/or make dinner reservations, feel free to visit our dinner website at www.wizadjournal.com/whhsannualdinner2018.

KLL Little League

One of the few baseball leagues that never plays or practices on Shabbat or Yom Tov. Registration for KLL 2018 is open! Sign up for either the Junior League (Grades 3-5) or the Senior League (Grades 6-8) and enjoy a season of meeting new friends, building baseball skills, and enjoying fun competition with children from all across the NYC area. Register and learn more at www.rjconline.org/form/kll2018. Email rjcyouthdirectors@gmail.com for more info. Registration closes on February 15th.

Westchester Torah Academy Dinner – February 25 at 7:00 P.M.

Please join Westchester Torah Academy on Sunday, February 25th at 7 pm for an Evening of Appreciation, honoring Rabbi Rami and Deb Strosberg, as well as past Presidents Kevin Shacknofsky, David Bessler and Shlomo Ressler. The event will also feature comedian Joel Chasnoff. Bring your friends and enjoy dinner and entertainment to benefit the Westchester Torah Academy Shomrei Torah Annual Campaign. We look forward to seeing you there! If you are unable to attend, please consider making a donation. To make a reservation or donation visit: westchesterta.org/shomreitorah2018

Disability: Pride, Not Prejudice - February 25 at 7 P.M.

In honor of Jewish disabilities awareness and inclusion month, Keruv presents “Disability: Pride Not Prejudice; Reflections on Judaism and Disability” by Chava Willig Levy author of Life Not With Standing. Held at Beth El, [1324 North Avenue, New Rochelle](http://www.bethel.org).

Click [HERE](#) for details.

SINAI Schools Annual Benefit Dinner – February 25

Please support SINAI Schools because children with special needs and disabilities also deserve a quality Jewish education. SINAI does everything in their power never to turn away a child due to financial circumstances. Thanks to broad community support, parents of children with special needs know that their children will be accepted as a part of the SINAI family.

Please join us at our annual benefit dinner at the Marriott Glenpointe Hotel, Teaneck. This year's honorees are: Shimmy Stein, Shomer She'erit Yisrael; Dr. Perla and Dr. Gerardo Yablonovich; Amy and Dr. Joshua Fogelman; Ruthie and Chazan Shim Craimer; Yaakov Guttman, SINAI alumnus; Special tribute in memory of SINAI beloved Associate Director Jacob Weinstein A”H; Lawrence Inserra, CEO of Inserra Supermarkets Inc. will receive the Community Partnership Award. www.sinaidinner.org or [\(201\) 833-1134](tel:2018331134).

Shaare Zedek Medical Center's Women's Health Day - March 14

Please join us for Shaare Zedek Medical Center's Women's Health Day -Wednesday, March 14, 2018 at the New York Academy of Medicine. The funds collected at Health Day will be dedicated to Shaare Zedek's newest building, The Cancer Radiotherapy Center. We expect a sold out event, so sign up early!! Our online site www.acsz.org/healthday is live, and we are looking forward to your signups and raffle purchases! The link will give you all the specific information about this year's event. For more information contact: Hudi Askowitz at [\(917\) 747-3847](tel:9177473847) or Tina Orlian [\(917\) 596-0504](tel:9175960504)

Chesed Opportunities:

Local Food Pantries

Do you have extra food to donate after a Simcha or Kiddush? Please consider supporting the following programs in our community. Please contact Jessica Rozenshteyn at jessicarozenshteyn@gmail.com for information.

*Grace's Soup Kitchen, [33 Church Street, White Plains](#) Drop off: Monday to Thursday: 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m, Friday: 8 a.m. – 9 a.m.(No need to call first)

*Open Arms Men's Shelter, Driveway Entrance just past 234 MLK Blvd. White Plains
Please call first: 948-5044, Open 7 days: 8:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

*LiftingUpWestchester Non-perishable food may be dropped off Mon. thru Fri.: 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the office of Nancy Inzinna, Volunteer and Community Outreach Manager.
Phone: [\(914\) 949-3098](tel:(914)949-3098), ext. 9735 www.liftingupwestchester.org

Bikur Cholim at Burke Rehab

For many years, YIWP members have visited with patients at the Burke Rehabilitation Center on Shabbat afternoons. If you are able to participate and would like the names of patients who would appreciate a Shabbat visit, please speak to Rabbi Greenberg or Isaac Shapiro.

David Mirsky/ Team Sharsheret 2018 UA New York City Half-Marathon

I am excited to share with you that I am an official member of Team Sharsheret for the 2018 UA New York City Half-Marathon!

I have already begun to train for my (first ever!) Half, and am inspired to undertake this rigorous challenge as I am doing it in support of an amazing organization -Sharsheret, a national not-for-profit organization supporting young women and families, of all Jewish backgrounds, facing breast and ovarian cancer at every stage—before, during, and after diagnosis.

It is particularly meaningful for me to race on behalf of Sharsheret because of the support they have provided to not only numerous friends, but specifically to my family, who were all touched by breast cancer and ovarian cancer. As a member of this incredible team, I have pledged to raise \$2,500 (which I hope to greatly exceed!) in support of Sharsheret's breast and ovarian cancer programs and services. I am asking you to please support me in my athletic and fundraising efforts as I take on this challenge. All contributions are tax-deductible. Here is the link to

donate: <https://www.crowdrise.com/o/en/campaign/sharsheret-nyc-half-2018/davidmirsky1>

Thank you in advance for your support! With gratitude and appreciation,
David Mirsky

WELCOME NEW FAMILIES If you know of any new families that are moving (or considering moving) to White Plains and/or would like to help welcome new families into our community, please contact Marlene@yiwp.org.

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1. Sign in to Amazon with your username and password.
 2. Search for Young Israel of White Plains. 3. Click Select next to "Young Israel of White Plains" to designate YIWP as your charity.
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CELEBRATING YOUR SIMCHA AT YIWP

As you have all witnessed, celebrating a simcha at the Young Israel of White Plains is extremely special. Our newly renovated facility offers many options for celebrating special occasions with us. There is increased demand for the use of our facilities as our community continues to grow and more people hear about the beauty of our new social hall. The Board of Trustees has determined that protocols (Facility Use Agreement) are necessary to assist those inside and outside our community in the planning and celebrating of smachot. Please contact Marlene@yiwp.org to reserve your date and to execute a Facility Use Agreement as the first step when arranging your simcha at YIWP. The Board remains available to address any questions or concerns you may have about these new protocols.

Please submit all items, including MAZAL TOV's, to be included in the weekly announcements to Marlene@yiwp.org by Tues.p.m

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