

## WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

### Shacharit

Sunday | 8:30am

Monday | 6:50am

*Rosh Chodesh* Tuesday | 6:45am

Wednesday | 7:00am

Thursday | 6:50am

Friday | 7:00am

### Mincha/Tehillim/Ma'ariv

Sun, Tue, Wed, Thur | 7:20pm

### April 8th | YIOZ Dinner

6:45 Mincha | Maariv after dinner

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### Friday | April 5th

Mincha: 7:00pm \*Note early time

Candles: 7:07pm

### Shabbat | April 6th

Shacharit I: \*7:30am- \*Note early time

Followed by Kiddush, sponsored by the Kroll family in honor of Akiva's Aufruf

Shacharit II: 9:15am | Sof Zman Keriat Shema: 9:44am

Dvar Torah: Nava Nussbaum

Followed by Kiddush, sponsored by the Nussbaum family in honor of Nava's Bat Mitzvah

Shiur with Spring Scholar Rav Itiel Oron: 6:15pm

High School Shiur with Nachman Mazurek: 6:30pm

Mincha: 7:00pm

Seudah Shlishit Speaker: Rav Itiel Oron

Maariv: 8:00pm

Havdala: 8:08pm

### Welcome Guest Speaker, Rav Itiel Oron.

**Mazal Tov to Jennifer and Rabbi Jonathan Kroll** on the aufruf and forthcoming marriage of their son Akiva to Mikayla Jason. Mazal Tov to aunt and uncle Shira and Rabbi Danny Kroll and to the entire Kroll, Cole, Bienenfeld and Jason families.

**Mazal Tov to Gabriella and Jon Nussbaum** on the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter Nava. Mazal Tov to the entire Misul and Nussbaum families.

**Mazal tov to Elissa and Daniel Ordan** on the engagement of their daughter Rachel to Gabe Pont, son of Rabbi Michael and Natalie Pont of Marlboro, NJ. Mazal tov also to sister Rebecca.

### Riverdale Tekes Ma'var and Yom Ha'atzmaut night Tefillah Chagigit

YIOZ will be hosting this year's Riverdale community-wide Tekes Ma'var and Yom Ha'atzmaut night Tefillah Chagigit on Monday, May 13. Please speak to Rabbi Hain if you would like to be involved in planning the program for this important event.

### See flyers for upcoming events:

- YIOZ Dinner \*THIS MONDAY\*
- Shabbat Hagadol Luncheon

### For all things Pesach, visit [yioz.org](http://yioz.org) > "Pesach" tab:

- Pesach Schedule
- Pesach Guide
- Shabbat Hagadol Lunch
- Chametz Form

## COMMUNITY NEWS

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**Join author Dr. Devora Steinmetz in conversation with Rabanit Leah Sarna** in celebration of the release of Dr. Steinmetz's book *Why Rain Comes From Above: Explorations in Religious Imagination*. Sunday, March 31- 1:30 - 3:00 PM <https://www.hadar.org/learn/classes-events/hadar-ny-dr-devora-steinmetz-book-talk>

**HIR Spring Clothing Drive: The HIR Clothing Drive:** \*NOTE NEW TIME\* This Sunday • 4/7 • 8am- 11am  
We have shifted the start and end time of the Clothing Drive earlier to accommodate those who would like to join the rally to mark six months of the hostages being in captivity. The rally will take place this Sunday at the Dag Hammarskjöld Plaza at noon. Click here to learn more.  
Please sort and separately bag men's, women's and children's clothing and drop off at the truck outside the Bayit.

**Join author Dr. Elana Stein Hain in conversation with Rabbi Ethan Tucker and Dr. Jonathan Gould** at the Book Launch for *Circumventing the Law: Rabbinic Perspectives on Legal Loopholes and Integrity* Monday, April 15, 2024- 7pm. 475 Riverside Drive, Suite 1450, New York, NY  
Register here: <https://hartman.tfaforms.net/4719306>

**Riverdale Run & Fun Day:** Celebrate health and community with a timed 5K Run, a 1K Fun Run/Walk, and a post-race celebration with loads of family-friendly events and activities. Sunday, May 19, 2024. For more info and to register visit [www.riverdaley.org/RunAndFun](http://www.riverdaley.org/RunAndFun).

**Six Months of War:** Thursday, April 11 at 8:00 pm at the Hebrew Institute of Riverdale - The Bayit  
An exclusive deep dive into the military and diplomatic effort to eliminate Hamas.  
Guest speaker: Lazar Berman, Diplomatic Correspondent for the Times of Israel  
Register at [www.thebayit.org/lazar](http://www.thebayit.org/lazar)

**Heschel's Passover Eve:** Wednesday, April 17 at 7:00 - 8:30 pm. Starring: Eric Berger, a native Riverdalian. This play is an intimate portrait of Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel, portraying moments that span his life from his time in Germany before the Holocaust to his relationship with Dr. Martin Luther King. Purchase tickets at <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/riverdaley/1191770>

**Blood Drive:** Sunday, April 14 at 9:00 am - 3:00 pm at Riverdale Y.  
Register at [https://donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive\\_schedule/313414](https://donate.nybc.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/313414)

**Summer Stage Theater Arts:** Time is running out to get your Early Bird discount for our Summer Stage Theater Arts program (Early Bird ends on April 15!) Open to children ages 6-14, we offer two 3-week sessions. Productions for our older participants include 13, Jr. and The Wizard Of Oz Youth Edition. Session 1 runs from June 27-July 19 & Session 2 runs from July 22-August 9. For more information contact Amanda Eastman at [summerstage@riverdaley.org](mailto:summerstage@riverdaley.org).  
To register: <https://riverdaley.org/youth/camp/summer-stage/>

**Model Passover Seder:** Wednesday, April 17 at 11:30 am. The Riverdale Y's Older Adult Center's Annual Model Passover Seder will be facilitated by Rabbi Scott Kalmikoff, Director of Community Engagement at the Y. The Model Seder, for Adults over Age 60, includes a special holiday meal. There is a suggested contribution of \$6.00 in advance or \$8.00 the day of the event. Tickets are available on the 2nd floor of the Y. Please be sure to purchase yours early to secure a seat. For more information call Grethel Samuel at 347-913-4395.

**Kosher for Passover Lunch:** New Beginnings, the Riverdale Y's Older Adult Center, will be open for Kosher for Passover lunch on Monday, April 22, Thursday, April 25 and Friday, April 26. You must register as a member of New Beginnings to participate. Membership is free for New York City residents age 60+ and you can register when you come for lunch. There is a suggested donation of \$2.50 per person for lunch. For information about all our Center's activities you can call Grethel Samuel at 347-913-4395 or e-mail [gsamuel@riverdaley.org](mailto:gsamuel@riverdaley.org)

**Community-Wide Yom HaZikaron Ceremony:** Save the date for the Riverdale Jewish Community Partnership's annual Community-Wide Yom HaZikaron Ceremony on Sunday, May 12 at 8:00 pm at SAR High School. Together, we will honor the memories of those we lost on October 7 and the brave soldiers who made the ultimate sacrifice in the ensuing war.

**Celebrate Israel Parade:** Join the entire Riverdale Jewish community on Sunday, June 2 as we march up Fifth Avenue in the annual Celebrate Israel Parade. Now, more than ever, we must unite to proudly and publicly express our love and support for Israel. Register by May 10 at [www.riverdaley.org/parade](http://www.riverdaley.org/parade).

# REP. RITCHIE TORRES: REFLECTIONS FROM UJA MISSION TO ISRAEL

## A GREAT FRIEND TO ISRAEL, AND TO US

Friday, April 5, 2024 • 1:30 pm Virtually

Join us to hear from Rep. Ritchie Torres as he shares his experience in Israel with UJA earlier this week. Torres — one of our strongest political allies and a passionate defender of Israel — met with families of the hostages and Israeli political leaders, visited the site of the Nova festival and Kibbutz Nir Oz, and bore witness to the ongoing need and reality on the ground. His visit was masterfully covered [here](#).

You don't want to miss his eloquent reflections and powerful recounting of a critical and timely mission that includes an update on our latest work helping the people and communities of Israel.

**REGISTER NOW**



### REP. RITCHIE TORRES

A fighter from the Bronx, Ritchie Torres has spent his entire life working for the community he calls home. Like many in the Bronx, poverty and struggle have never been abstractions to him. At 25, Ritchie became NYC's youngest elected official and the first openly LGBTQ+ person elected in the Bronx. He is a member of the Committee on Financial Services and the House Select Committee on the Strategic Competition between the United States and the Chinese Communist Party.

YIOZ Youth Department presents

# 1st-3rd Grade Girls Hangout



Snacks.Games.Play

**Danishefsky Home**  
**10 Ellsworth Avenue Yonkers, NY 10705**

SHABBOS APRIL 6  
 3:00-4:30 PM



# SIX MONTHS THEY ARE OUT OF TIME



**SUNDAY | APRIL 7 | NOON**  
**DAG HAMMARSKJOLD PLAZA**  
**E 47TH ST & 2ND AVE, NEW YORK**





# YIOZ ANNUAL DINNER

GUESTS OF HONOR  
AUDREY & SCOTT  
WEITZ



COMMUNITY SERVICE  
AWARDEE  
SAMUEL GRONER



WITH A SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO OUR YIOZ CHAYALIM

REGISTER AT: [YIOZ.ORG/DINNER](https://yioz.org/dinner)

**MONDAY APRIL 8, 2024**  
**ROSH CHODESH NISAN 5784**  
**7PM - 9PM**  
**YIOZ**  
**6015 RIVERDALE AVE, BRONX NY**

# SCROLL OF HONOR

## **Patron Page**

Anonymous  
Rachel Berger Groner & Samuel Groner  
Ruth & Nachman Mazurek  
Rachel Mansdorf & Joshua Neuman  
Audrey & Scott Weitz

## **Platinum Page**

Lea & Michal Geller  
Bettina & Spencer Waxman

## **Diamond Page**

Ruth Fagen & Jeffrey Bocarsly  
Sarah & Yoel Kranz  
Malka & Sam Susswein

## **Gold Page**

Miriam Schacter & Benjamin Gampel  
Rachel & Jonathan Groner  
Rahel Bayar & Tuvia Lwowski  
Jennifer & Larry Maayan

## **Silver Page**

Aimee & Jonathan Baron  
Giti & Jack Bendheim  
Judy & Chaim Berger  
Lee Botnick  
Nava & Adam Cohen  
Avigail Sugarman  
& Menachem Danishefsky  
Tamar & Abe Eisenstat  
Roz & Toby Feinerman  
Seth Damski & Eytan Feldman  
Leora Gorsetman & Omri Flicker  
Shari & Rabbi Shmuel Hain  
Esther & Richard Joel  
Shana & Bini Krauss  
Jennifer & Jonathan Kroll  
Mitchel Kuflik  
Yael & Jonathan Martin  
Rachel Murray  
Ruth Raskas & Nigel Ohrenstein  
Elissa & Daniel Ordan  
Celine & Alexander Rohr  
Beth & Josh Schwartz  
Mairav Rothstein & Eytan Stein  
Tom Steinberg  
Hila & Amit Stern  
Risa & Jeffrey Torkin  
Ariel & Josh Weiner

## **Full Page**

Tovah & Noah Aronin  
Hadassah & Harvey Bennett  
Lisa Rosenzweig & Mitchell Benus  
Susan & Jonathan Bernstein  
Elaine & Arthur Bloom  
Rukhl Schaechter & Leon Ejdelman  
Laura Shaw Frank & Aaron Frank  
Robin & Jay Gindin  
Rosesara & Jonathan Greenspun  
Moriah Rabin & Daniel Groner  
Rivka & Eli Ivri  
Miriam Hoffman-Kleiner & Steven Kleiner  
Elizabeth & Rob Kurtz  
Liz Shayne & Joshua Lannik  
Aliza Sperling & Joshua Milner  
Gabriella & Jonathan Nussbaum  
Rachel & Sruly Oberstein  
Mia Diamond Padwa & Daniel Padwa  
Chanie & Rick Probststein  
Chloe & Zev Rosen  
Hila & Jonathan Sabin  
Naomi & Ali Scharf  
Sara & Gavriel Schuster  
Chana Sommer & Jeremy Senderowicz  
Tami & Raphael Weitzman  
Shoshana & David Winter

## **Friend**

Leah & Jonathan Adler  
Jennifer & Joel Bader  
Lilach & Avi Bar  
Sarah Groner & Lior Benisty  
Mona Freidin & Charles Abrams  
Sherry Cohen  
Yehuda Cohen  
Jill Cooper  
Mina & David Crasson  
Susan & Jonathan Dzik  
Jennifer Fenster  
Eileen & Willian Fisher  
Daniel Freuman  
Barbara Geller  
Arlene Pianko Groner  
Judy & Dan Groner  
Aaron Hasson  
Micah Hyman  
Yael & Yaakov Jaffe  
Rebecca Jaffe & Jacob Jenkelowitz  
Adina & Adam Kahn

## **Friend, continued**

Wendy & Nisso Khabie  
Nancy Klein  
Marcella & Stephen Koffler  
Lori & Stu Kolinsky  
Debby & Michael Kramer  
Shira & Daniel Kroll  
Jill & Jonathan Lamstein  
Bryna & Josh Landes  
Debra & Daniel Levy  
David Lindenbaum  
Karen & Scott Luftglass  
The Maeson Group  
Michael Meyers  
Laura & Daniel Michaeli  
Allison & Jeffrey Miller  
Elisheva Urbas & David Morris  
Patti & Robert Murray  
Jonathan Neiss  
Beverly Wolfer & John Nerenberg  
Maurice Pianko  
Scott Rader  
Liat & Yoav Regev  
Andrea Robbins  
Jeffrey Ross  
Jenna Halvey & Abe Safdie  
Devorah & Jacob Sasson  
Steven Scheinfeld  
Chana & Ezra Schneck  
Shoshana & Yaakov Schreier  
Ellen & Stuart Shaffren  
Bonnie & David Sheer  
Maya Bernstein & Noam Silverman  
Shmuel Tannenbaum  
Judith Tannenbaum  
Adrienne Golfeder & Michael Turok  
Michal & Shlomo Wadler  
Brian Walter  
Rachel Wasserman  
Josh Weinberg  
Aliza & Mark Weiss  
Heidi Weitz  
Anita Welcher  
Gemma & Ari White  
Marilyn Laves & Bill Wiesman  
Jacob Yunger  
Ariel Zell



Hebrew Institute of Riverdale - The Bayit Presents

# SIX MONTHS OF WAR: AN EXCLUSIVE DEEP DIVE INTO THE MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC EFFORT TO ELIMINATE HAMAS



Thursday

4.11.2024

8:00 PM

At The Bayit  
3700 Henry Hudson Pkwy  
Bronx, NY 10463

Guest Speaker

# LAZAR BERMAN

*Diplomatic and Christian Affairs Correspondent  
The Times of Israel*

Lazar Berman is the Diplomatic Correspondent for The Times of Israel ([timesofisrael.com](https://www.timesofisrael.com)), where he covers the war in Gaza and Israel's ties with the world.

He fought in the Gaza Strip in the Khan Younis area as an officer in Division 98, and in peacetime, flies abroad with senior Israeli officials - including the Prime Minister - to cover their meetings with world leaders.

Lazar holds an MA in Security Studies from Georgetown University.

REGISTER TO RECEIVE THE DOOR ACCESS CODE AT [THEBAYIT.ORG/LAZAR](https://THEBAYIT.ORG/LAZAR)





YOU'RE INVITED!

JOIN US AT THE YIOZ

# SHABBAT HAGADOL LUNCH

APRIL 20, 2024

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## **Sponsorship Opportunities**

Community Sponsor (includes 7 seats) - \$360

Family Sponsor (includes 5 seats) - \$180

Couple Sponsor (includes 2 seats) - \$100

## **Registration**

Adult - \$25 pp

Child (under 12) - \$20 pp

Lunch will be meat.

Vegetarian and gluten-free options will be available.

REGISTER: [YIOZ.ORG/FORM/SHABBATHAGADOLLUNCH](https://yioz.org/form/shabbathagadollunch)





# YIOZ ADULT EDUCATION



## SHABBAT HACHODESH | PARASHAT SHEMINI | APRIL 6

RAV ITIEL ORON

- Afternoon Shiur at 6:15pm | *War, Morality, and Humility: the challenges of "מלחמת מצור"*
- Seudah Shlishit at 7:25pm | *"BivHilu Yatzanu MiMitrayim" - Wasn't there a better way? Reflections of a Community Rabbi after October 7th*

Rav Itiel Oron serves as the Senior Rabbi of the Ramban Synagogue in Jerusalem. He previously served as Rosh Kollel of the Torah Mitzion Kollel at SAR HS and at the Berman Hebrew Academy High School in Silver Spring, MD.



## SHABBAT PARASHAT TAZRIA | APRIL 13

MS. SHULI TAUBES

Shabbat Morning Drasha at 11:00am  
In conjunction with Yesh Tikva | *Supporting Jewish People Facing Infertility*

Ms. Shuli Taubes is the chair of the Machshevet Yisrael department and teaches Tanakh at SAR High School. Shuli received her Master of Divinity from Harvard Divinity School and her BA in history from Barnard College. She served as Sophr Community Scholar at YIOZ from 2014-2017.



## SHABBAT HAGADOL | PARASHAT METZORA | APRIL 20

RABBI SHMUEL HAIN

Shabbat Hagadol Drasha at 10:45am  
*When the Cup of Wrath Overflows: Shefokh Chamatkha After October 7th*

Amidst the ongoing suffering and trauma unleashed by Hamas on October 7th, this year's Shabbat HaGadol discourse will examine the recitation of Shefokh Chamatkha El HaGoyim, the opening portion of the after-dinner program of the Seder. By tracing the history and theology of these verses, and their inclusion in the Seder ritual, we aim to deepen our understanding of the nuanced relationship between vengeance and redemption. The entire YIOZ community is invited to join us for this special learning event and the opportunity to transform our seder experience in this challenging moment in Jewish history.



6015 RIVERDALE AVENUE, BRONX, NY 10471

# Climate Change Book Club 🌿

Are you worried about climate change  
but not sure what to do? Let's learn  
together and connect as a community.

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We will read one book every two months and meet  
to discuss. The first meeting will be after Pesach.  
The first book will be *Climate Capitalism* by Dr.  
Akshat Rathi.



email [chloerosen613@gmail.com](mailto:chloerosen613@gmail.com) to sign up