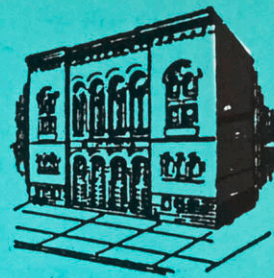


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ADULT INSTITUTE OPENS WITH RECORD ENROLLMENT IN CLASSES

Reversing a trend that had become apparent over the past several years, the Kehilath Jeshurun Adult Institute has opened its season with record enrollment figures in every course.

Our two Chumash and Rashi classes on Shabbat mornings and afternoons are being conducted weekly with a fine complement of students of all ages. The Talmud class on Monday evening practically had no room around the table in the Synagogue Library and may yet have to move to larger quarters, if the student body continues to grow. It was particularly impressive to see the young people at this Talmud class as well as some excellent women students.

On Wednesday evening, the first Seminar in Bible and Commentaries was conducted by Rabbi Bakst in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Low. Twenty-five students attended this class and were thrilled by the nature of the discussion. That class will meet next on Wednesday evening, December 9th, in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Cohen, 5 West 86th Street.

Our other Seminar, in Modern Jewish Thought, conducted by Professor Arthur Hyman, had not yet met as this Bulletin was prepared for press. Judging by the advance registration, however, it appears that this group too will have between twenty and thirty members as they meet in the home of Rabbi and Mrs. Haskel Lookstein for their first session.

Our Monday evening class in Beginner's Hebrew had ten students who met with the teacher, Mrs. Charles Cohen. Rabbi Haskel Lookstein's class in Studies in Judaism which continues to meet every Monday morning at 11:00 A.M. also had a fine complement of women at its opening session.

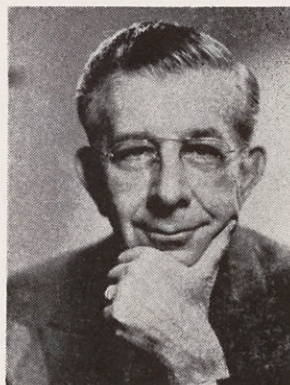
The Adult Education Committee, led by Irwin B. Robins, was extremely gratified with the results of our opening week. We hope that the fine start

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K. J. SISTERHOOD HEARS REVIEW OF BEN GURION'S MEMOIRS

The Opening Meeting of the Sisterhood for the 1970-71 program year was held in a spirited and lively way on Monday, November 9th. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Eugene Hollander, the new President of the Sisterhood.

The usual committee reports were presented, a special Federation talk was given by a representative from Federation and two new members — Mrs. Morris Katz and Mrs. Walter Koppel — were installed by Membership Chairman, Mrs. Joseph H. Lookstein.

The climax of the meeting came with a stimulating review by Rabbi Haskel Lookstein of the new Memoirs of David Ben Gurion. The Rabbi's talk highlighted some of the more interesting insights in that book. He felt that while the book is not the best literary effort which one might expect, it nevertheless contains the thoughts and words of one of the two or three greatest Jewish Statesmen of our generation and it, hence, deserves a place on the library shelves of our homes.

MEN'S CLUB THEATRE PARTY SMASHING SUCCESS

The annual theatre party sponsored by our Men's Club was held on Monday evening, November 2nd. The play, "Two by Two" starring Danny Kaye, was enjoyed by the many members and friends of Kehilath Jeshurun in attendance.

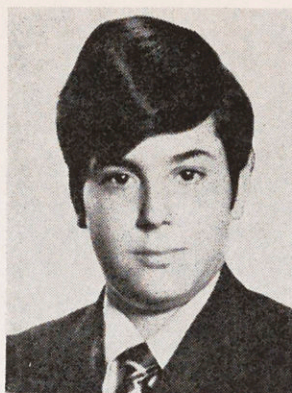
Many thanks to Mr. William Lebowitz and Mr. Martin R. Rochlin, co-chairmen of the event, for a job well done.

MEN'S CLUB HOLDS FIRST OPEN FORUM MEETING

On Tuesday evening, November 17th, the Kehilath Jeshurun Men's Club held its first Open Forum Meeting of the season. A fine turn-out was present to hear Mr. Theodore Comet, Director of Overseas Services of the Council of Jewish Federation and Welfare Funds, speak on "75 Years After Dreyfus-French Jewry Faces New Dilemmas". Mr. Comet spoke knowledgeably on the history and status of present French Jewry and on the relationship between France and Israel, and France and the Jews of America. After his presentation, Mr. Comet answered a number of questions from the floor.

We look forward to additional interesting and informative Forum meetings sponsored by our Men's Club.

ROBERT RIEDERMAN BAR MITZVAH



We extend a hearty Mazel Tov to our devoted members, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Riederman, upon the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Robert.

Robert is a fine student in Form II of the Ramaz Upper School. He will read the entire Torah portion, as well as the Haftarah, at services on Saturday, November 28th.

The entire congregation will be the guests of the Riederman family at Kiddush following services.

COMMUNAL HONORS TO RABBI AND MRS. HASKEL LOOKSTEIN

We are happy to announce that our Associate Rabbi was elected to the position of Vice President at Large of the Rabbinic Alumni Organization of Yeshiva University. Rabbi Haskel Lookstein will also head the Rabbinic Alumni Fund of that organization which contributes substantially to the support of Yeshiva University.

We are equally pleased to note an article about Mrs. Haskel Lookstein which appeared prominently in "The Jewish Week" the successor to the weekly Anglo Jewish newspaper, the Jewish Examiner. The article announced Mrs. Audrey Lookstein has been selected as one of the "outstanding young women of America."

The reference was to the inclusion of Mrs. Lookstein's name in the 1970 edition of Outstanding Young Women of America by virtue of her being a member of the first graduating class of Stern College for Women and serving on the Alumni Fund Cabinet of Yeshiva University. Mrs. Lookstein has headed the Stern College Alumni Fund since its establishment in 1968.

Notice of this honor was also published in the Daily News Bulletin of the Jewish Telegraphic Agency and was circularized to the entire Yeshiva University family in a public relations release.

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Week of Nov. 28 - Dec. 4th

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. John Addison, Mrs. Joseph Aizer, Sidney A. Block, Max Dattner, A. Phillip Goldsmith, Benjamin Gottesman, Mrs. Joseph Grossman, Mrs. Nathalie Herman, Mrs. Joseph Hostyk, Mrs. Bernard Podell, Mrs. Samuel Singer, Herman Smilow, Dr. David H. Woldenberg and Dr. Judah Zizmor.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Perlman and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott W. Siegel.

Week of December 5-11

Birthdays—

Many happy returns of the day to Dr. Mortimer J. Blumenthal, Mrs. Irwin Chabon, Arthur B. Colvin, Mrs. Leo Davenport, Mrs. Jacob Aron Freezer, Mrs. Benjamin Gottesman, Mrs. Sarah Klein, Dr. Gizella Perl, Mrs. Martin Pomerance, Mrs. Merritt Roher, J. William Rosenbluth, Mrs. Meyer Shapiro, Leon Sigall, Mrs. Ralph M. Sussman, Dr. Miriam E. Trachman and Mrs. Marvin Wolf.

Anniversaries—

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Bernstein, Dr. and Mrs. Irwin Chabon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Phillip Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Greenberg, Hon. and Mrs. George Postel, Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Sachar and Mr. and Mrs. Marco Wachter.

Birth—

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Steven E. Stern upon the birth of a daughter. May she bring pride and nachas to her parents and to the entire family. In honor of the new arrival, Mr. and Mrs. Stern sponsored the kiddush on Saturday, November 21st.

Marriage—

Our heartiest congratulations to our dear member, Mrs. Abraham Ernst who was married just a week ago to Philip R. Daffner. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Daffner much happiness together and we hope they will be an active part of our congregational family.

Condolence—

We mourn the passing of Mollie Scheinberg, the beloved mother of our devoted member Sidney Scheinberg. We pray that God may spare Mr. Scheinberg further sorrow for many years to come.

SEVEN RAMAZ SENIORS QUALIFY AS FINALISTS IN NATIONAL MERIT COMPETITION

In an almost unprecedented development, seven Ramaz seniors out of a total class of fifty-six were selected as finalists in the National Merit Scholarship Competition. By a strange coincidence, all seven happen to be boys. Their achievement brings honor to themselves and the school on a scale which has no parallel in the history of Ramaz.

In addition, eleven boys and girls from the senior class received letters of commendation in this prestigious competition. One of them, Rina Steinberg, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Steinberg, is the granddaughter of our own esteemed members, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Adler.

Considering the finalists and the letters of commendation together, these results indicate that almost one-third of this graduating class has been honored in the most difficult competition of its kind. The students can be proud; their parents deserve nachas and the congregation which sponsors Ramaz is justifiably joyous.

WINTER TORAH LEADERSHIP SEMINAR — APPLY NOW

Once again, this winter the Youth Bureau of Yeshiva University's Community Service Division will sponsor a seminar for teenagers. The Torah Leadership Seminar will be held from Thursday, December 24th to Wednesday, December 30th. It will take place at the Monsey Park Hotel in Monsey, New York.

This seminar is designed to serve the needs of synagogue youth between the ages of 14 and 17. The price for participation is \$85.00. The Men's Club and Sisterhood of the Congregation will give a one-third scholarship to any member of the Synagogue who wishes to attend the seminar.

We urge all teenagers to contact our Executive Director, Mr. Philip Balsam, at the Synagogue office for information regarding this activity.

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ADULT INSTITUTE CLASS SCHEDULE

Monday

11:00 A.M. — Studies in Judaism

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein

8:00 P.M. — Hebrew to Read Siddur By

Instructor: Mrs. Charles I. Cohen

8:30 P.M. — Talmud Class

Instructor: Rabbi Haskel Lookstein

Wednesday, December 9th — A Seminar in Bible and Commentaries

in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles I. Cohen, 5 West 86th Street.

Instructor: Rabbi Joshua S. Bakst

Seminar in Modern Jewish Thought

Instructor: Professor Arthur Hyman

The first meeting of the group was held in the home of Rabbi and Mrs. Haskel Lookstein. Future meetings will be decided upon by the group.

Reserve the Date

SISTERHOOD THEATRE PARTY

Tuesday, December 15, 1970

"SONG OF NORWAY"

AN INVITATION TO A KARATE CLUB

Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun conducts a gym night on Monday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 just before the Talmud class which meets at 8:30. The gym period is open to young adults who are affiliated with the congregational family in its broadest sense.

We are now planning to start a

karate group for those young men who are interested in it. Those who would like to be part of this group are asked to contact Mr. Philip Balsam at the synagogue office without delay. We will start the group only if there are sufficient people interested in it.

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Haskel Lookstein Assoc. Rabbi
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Martin R. Rochlin Pres. Men's Club

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY, November 27th

Lighting of Candles 4:10
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Pre-School Service
Dining Hall 11:00

Weekly Portion: Toledoth

Genesis 25:19 - 28:9

Haftarah: ! Samuel 20:18-42

ROSH CHODESH PRAYERS

Rosh Chodesh Kislev will be on
Sunday, November 29th.
Evening 4:20
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:05

FRIDAY, December 4th

Lighting of Candles 4:10
Evening 4:30

SATURDAY

Morning 9:00
Junior Congregation 10:15
Pre-School Service
Dining Hall 11:00

Weekly Portion: Vayetze

Genesis 28:10 - 32:3

Haftarah: Hosea 12:13 - 14:10

Evening 4:20
Conclusion of Sabbath 5:00

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning 7:30
Sunday Morning 8:30
Evening 4:30

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YAHREZITS

November

28—Joseph Lax
28—Celia Shanman
28—Irving Anshel
29—Theodore Simon
29—Samuel Weiss
29—Simcha Kurtz
29—Frieda Kahn
29—Morris Zuckerman
29—Morris Lewittes
30—Sara Spilky
30—Harry Herskowitz
30—Herman Engel

December

1—Morris Brandman
1—Mildred Jean Litwins
1—Sarah Lax
1—Bertha Barany
2—Morris Zuckerman
2—Morris Garfinkel
2—David M. Alpert
3—Nathan Hutkoff
3—Abraham M. Mann
3—Louis Lippoff
4—Samuel Klein
4—Samuel Lewis Jr.
4—Rivka Chodos
4—Charles Miller
4—Daniel Simon
5—Floreny Laye
5—Margarete Cohn
5—Anna Propp
6—Solomon Berk
6—Maurice Bretzfeld
6—Nathan Andrews
6—Herman Cukor
6—Rika Breuer
7—Dr. Herbert Klein
7—Albert Rothenstein
8—Louis W. Yohann
9—Julius Goldstein
9—Sadie Marx
9—Samuel Spencer
9—Phillip Dershowitz
10—Esther Goodman
10—Ignatz Schlinger
11—Leontine Schall
11—Meyer Steinberg
11—Gita Rem
11—Moses Kinzler
11—Isaac Gutman

OF COMMUNAL INTEREST

Keren Yaldenu, which supports youth centers in Israel, will be having a brunch at the Fifth Avenue Synagogue on December 6th at 10:30 A.M. The guest of honor will be former underground fighter Rabbi Eli Torn, Director General of Keren Yaldenu.

For reservations call 490-2340. Contributions are \$15.00 per couple.

SISTERHOOD KIDDUSH HOSTESSES

Saturday, November 28th

Mrs. Samuel B. Goodman
Mrs. Harry Green
Mrs. Herman Greenberg
Mrs. Joseph Greenberg

Saturday, December 5th

Mrs. Otto J. Helprin
Mrs. Raymond Gura

Adult Education (Cont'd)

will be continued throughout a long, active and rewarding season.

Elsewhere in this Bulletin you will see a schedule of classes for the coming weeks. Please take note of that schedule and feel free to attend the class of your choice, even if you have not as yet participated in its sessions.

CUB SCOUTS BEGIN SEASON IN FINE FORM

The Webelos have begun the 1970-71 season with an exciting program and fine attendance.

Under the able leadership of our member, Mr. Walter Koppel, the group, ages 10-11, meets each Tuesday evening from 7:00 until 8:30 in the gym. The program consists of skill sessions, athletics and projects. The projects currently being planned involve woodworking and electronics. Trips to places of interest as well as an overnight hike are also on the calendar.

Boys, ages 10-11, are invited to participate in this group.

A special thanks to Mr. Koppel and many involved parents for helping this group become a success.

CORRECTION

The Yeshiva University dinner, honoring Mr. Joseph Lorch on Sunday evening, December 13th, will be held at the Plaza Hotel and not at the Waldorf Astoria. Reservations can be made at the synagogue office.

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