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8 DAYS – 8 WAYS
CHANUKAH CELEBRATIONS

1. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30 AT 9:00 AM
CHANUKAH CELEBRATION AT CHABAD KAPLAN PRESCHOOL
FOR FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AGES 2-5. TO RSVP CALL: 925-0770.

2 SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2 AT 7:00 PM
COMEDY CENTRAL @ CHABAD, 7700 BENEVA ROAD

3. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5 AT 4:45 PM
TEENS IN GRADES 7-12 RIDE IN A MENORAH LIMOUSINE AROUND TOWN. RSVP CALL ELLA: 928-2220.

4. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5 AT 5:00 PM
FAMILY CHANUKAH CELEBRATION AT THE WEINSTEIN JEWISH ENRICHMENT PROGRAM - OPEN TO FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN AGES 4-12

5. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5 AT 5:30 PM
FIVE POINTS PARK, FREE OF CHARGE. ALL ARE INVITED.
LATKAS, DONUTS AND FIRE SHOW. SPONSORED BY DOWNTOWN CHABAD

6. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6 AT 6:00 PM
WESTFIELD SIESTA KEY MALL, MENORAH KINDLING, LATKAS AND JUGGLING SHOW, FREE OF CHARGE. ALL ARE INVITED.

7. SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8 AT 7:15PM
HAVDALAH AND CHANUKAH CELEBRATION AT RABBI & SARA STEINMETZ'S HOME, MENORAH KINDLING, LATKAS & JUGGLING INSTRUCTOR FOR ALL AGES. RSVP 925-0770.

8. SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9, 3:00-6:00 PM
TASTE OF CHANUKAH AT PHILLIPPI ESTATE PARK, ACTIVITIES INCLUDE: HELICOPTER DROPPING CHANUKAH GELT, AMERICA'S GOT TALENT SEMI-FINALIST THE POMPEO FAMILY DOG SHOW, TRAIN RIDES FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS, LASER LIGHT SHOW, CARNIVAL GAMES, FACE PAINTING AND CRAFTS FOR KIDS, FINE KOSHER FOOD INCLUDING BRISKET SOLD BY MICHAEL'S ON EAST, FALAFEL, SUFGANYOT, LATKAS, COTTON CANDY AND MORE. FOR DETAILS AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS VISIT: ATASTEOFCHANUKAH.COM

Upcoming Events

Geriatric Compassionate Care Symposium

Chabad is happy to announce a new annual initiative; The Leonard Schwartzbaum Compassionate Care Symposium at Michael's On East on April 7th, 10:00-3:00 pm. The Symposium will feature 4 speakers and a round table discussion. The topics will include the following: 1) Moral and ethical dilemmas faced by doctors and patients at end of life. 2) Compassionate care at end of life 3) The Aging Brain, 4) Legal Dilemmas in the aging population. We expect to attract many members of our community. Our target audience is both physicians, nurses, health care workers and the general population. Several sponsoring opportunities are available, starting with Presenting Sponsors which will offer the opportunity to promote your organization or company from the podium at the start of each session. Several other opportunities are available, and for further details about the event or sponsorship please call the Chabad 925-0770.

Bikur Cholim Society

By: Allie Fraidowitz

We are pleased to announce a new program that started. It's called Bikur Cholim Society, the Hebrew words of visit the sick. Members travel each Friday morning after breakfast (9:30 am) to visit the sick and hopefully bring a little joy into their lives. Everyone is invited to participate in this Mitzvah. If you would like to join please contact Allie @ (860) 983-3337 or call the office.

GARAGE SALE

Sunday, January 13

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Annual Gala to Honor Dr. Herman & Elizabeth Weber

We are pleased to announce that Elizabeth and Herman Weber, staunch life-time members of Chabad, will be honored at our 24th Annual Gala to be held on Thursday, March 7th at Michael's On East. The Webers are fully invested in helping Chabad reach greater heights. Herman serves as president of Chabad and Elizabeth serves as the Women's Circle president. As a couple they show generosity, kindness and enthusiasm to support the endeavors of Chabad and reach out to every Jew regardless of background or affiliation, with loving kindness. If you would like to join the committee as we honor the Webers, please call or email the office.

Thank You Oneg Sponsors

Kirk, Diane and Kara Weisman
IMO Rabbi Mendy Sasonkin
IHO Flora Oynick.
IHO Kara Weisman
IMO of the victims at the Pittsburgh synagogue attack.
IMO Henry Melloul
IHO Sol Laufer
IHO Thanksgiving

Schneider Family
IHO Harry Zehnwirth
IMO Sam's mother Naomi Schneider

Dr. Johannes Weltin
IHO his wife's birthday Brocha Leah, and IMO his mother Chava bas Chaim Borouch, and IMO his father in-law Meir Hirsh Zvi ben Yeskiel

Marc Niski
IMO his parents' Yaertzeit, Henrich and Klara Niski

To sponsor an Oneg for $150 in honor or in memory of a special event/person, call Chabad at 925-0770.

CTeen Update

CTeen Sarasota response to Anti-Semitism

In the weeks following the shooting at Tree of Life synagogue, many people found themselves at a loss, wondering how to begin coping with the aftermath of the deadliest attack in Jewish-American history. The deep darkness of the situation was made more painful by the way the victims were murdered, while praying in synagogue on Saturday morning. Hundreds of Jewish teens—members of CTeen, the Chabad Teen Network—answered the call of duty, joining together to face and dispel the darkness by taking on acts of kindness in honor of the victims.

Members of CTeen in Sarasota participated in a workshop on anti-Semitism and took on mitzvot honoring the lives and legacies of the victims of the senseless attack. Additionally, they incorporated the event into their recent TGIS regional Shabbaton in Florida. Hundreds of teens took part in a '30 Minutes of Unity' campaign, completing a 24-hour cycle of learning in memory of the victims. Their response to the tragedy ignited an international outpouring of love from Paris, France, Sydney, Australia, all the way through the United States.

"Judaism teaches us that a little light dispels a lot of darkness, shared Evabella Serebro, 16, Sarasota. "I never thought much about this until we started planning a memorial service for the victims at our CTeen chapter.

"It's important for the teens to grapple with and understand that their voices must be heard, and that they cannot remain silent in the face of tragedy," shared Ella Steinmetz, Director of CTeen Sarasota.

The victims' families received endless outpouring of support in the form of mitzvot—good deeds—taken on by the teens in honor of their loved ones.

CTeen creates a nurturing environment where giving to others encourages self-discovery. Teens develop awareness and confidence while connecting with individuals sharing similar experiences and beliefs, becoming an integral part of a group that focuses on building core values and stresses positive character development. CTeen is open to Jewish teens regardless of affiliation.

For more information, please contact Ella Steinmetz - 941.928.2220 -ella@chabadofsarasota.com - sarasotachabad.com/cteen

CHABAD'S UPCOMING EVENTS

WOMEN RCS: "CARRIED AWAY"

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 7:15 PM
Rebbetzin Circle: free, members: $10, non-members: $12, joining for the first time free. Explore ethical shopping behavior. RSVP: 925-0770.

CTEEN: MOVIE NIGHT

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 7:00 PM
Come hang out in the lounge for a chill night with Havdallah & a movie. RSVP: 925-0770

CLUB 770: GARAGE SALE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 13, 8:00-1:00 PM
Donations gratefully accepted after January 1st. All proceeds benefit the Kaplan Preschool.

JLI: CRIME AND CONSEQUENCE

STARTING WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6
Six week course of a Jewish exploration of conviction, sentencing, and criminal rehabilitation: $79 includes text. To register, log onto SarasotaChabad.com/jli

Chabad In Action

Club 770 Sunday breakfast hosting Sarasota mayor Liz Alpert

Shabbat Project dinner preparations

Weinstein Jewish Enrichment Program

Last Gangster presentation with Myron Sugerman

CTeen Sarasota delivering cookies for a cop

Memorials & Mazel Tovs

Walter Bridgman
IHO the Klafter's in tribute to the victims of the Pittsburgh tragedy
IHO the Kalvarians in tribute to the victims of the Pittsburgh tragedy

Judy & Jeffrey Goldberg
IMO Saul & Sylvia Wallen
Harold & Gaty Jacobi * need to confirm this name? No one in directory or google Bernard & Bessi Goldberg

James Haberman
IMO Henry Melloul

Blanche F. Jochnowitz
IMO Philip Jochnowitz
IMO Steven Jochnowitz

Gail and Ed Joseph
IMO Gail's mother Goldie Garboos

Isaac & Vivien Kalvaria
IMO Vivien's father Werner Katz

Liora & Sherwin Krug
IHO Sol Laufer's birthday

Shirley & Howard Rosen
IHO Sol Laufer's birthday

BB Taylor
IHO Robbie, Gittel & Isaac Rosenstock's friendship

David & Jane Wicentowski
IHO Dr. Robert Brent

Harry & Dodie Zehnwirth
IHO Elizabeth Weber's birthday
IHO Sheila Fox's birthday
IHO Sheri Simon's birthday

1ST ANNUAL DR. LEONARD SCHWARTZBAUM GERIATRIC COMPASSIONATE CARE

CONNECT GROW SERVE

CHABAD OF SARASOTA PRESENTS

GERIATRIC COMPASSIONATE CARE SYMPOSIUM

SUNDAY, APRIL 7, 2019, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM
AT MICHAEL'S ON EAST

FEATURING FOUR SPEAKERS INCLUDING: DR. IRA BYOCK AND RABBI DR. AARON GLATT ON THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

1) MORAL AND ETHICAL DILEMMAS FACED BY DOCTORS AND PATIENTS AT END OF LIFE
2) COMPASSIONATE CARE AT END OF LIFE
3) THE AGING BRAIN
4) LEGAL DILEMMAS IN THE AGING POPULATION

The event is geared for the general population, physicians, nurses and health care workers, focusing on the older population.
Round table discussion following each topic
Lunch will be served
Sponsorship opportunities are available
For further details call 925-0770

IHO Lili Rosenberg's birthday
IHO Sam Schneider's birthday
IHO Joseph Bartel's birthday
IHO Mindy Bloom's birthday
IHO Arthur Siegel's birthday
IMO Robert Simon's mother Harriette
IMO Gail Joseph's mother Goldie Garboos
IMO Morris Weinstein's mother Shirley
IMO Lili Rosenberg's mother Gina Ohana
IMO Robert Simon's father Irving

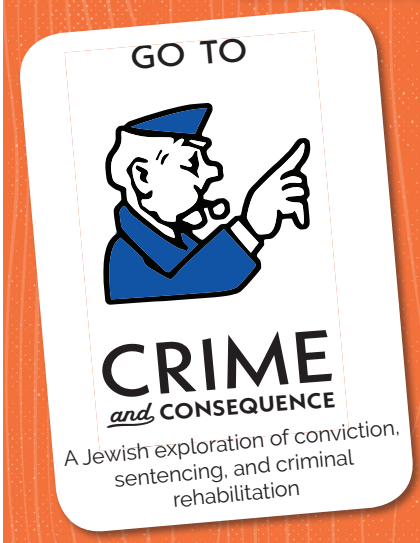
Weinstein-Witzer Scholarship Fund

Pacy & Morris Weinstein
IMO Nedra Schneider
IMO Penny Whalen's husband Garry
IMO Henry Melloul
IMO Gloria Danese & family's nephew Robert Danese
IMO Linda Weinstein's cousin Robert
IMO Kenny Danese's cousin Robert

Tree of Life Leaf

Isaac and Vivien Kalvaria, Barry and Anne Stein & Martin and Shelley Waldman
For dedicating a leaf IHO Sol Laufer's 90th birthday

CRIME AND CONSEQUENCE



A father is wrongfully accused and sentenced to death for the murder of his wife and children. A reformed convict is condemned to life in prison for a crime committed in her youth. Miscarriages of justice can be infuriating, but also beg the question: What is a fair and effective approach?

JLI

Your Choice of Two Locations:

Morning Classes:
Wednesday Mornings,
starting February 6
10:15-12:00 noon
at the Chabad Center

Evening Classes:
Wednesday Evenings,
starting February 6
7:30-8:45 pm at The Jewish Federation of Sarasota

Fee: $79 per person or $148 per couple
For further information and to register call: 925-0770
or log onto: www.SarasotaChabad.com

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Youth Update

Kaplan Preschool Update

The Kaplan Preschool students experience the joy of learning through play on a daily basis. Teachers engage, stimulate and challenge students based on each child's individual needs. The recent open house and family fun day allowed parents to see first-hand the delight children have while spending their days at the Kaplan Preschool. The kids were intrigued recently with the concept of the moon phases, as well as the rainforest. With the onset of cooler weather, the children's garden has been revamped. We thank Aya & Oren Sewell and Gittel Rosenstock for their assistance in getting the children enthused about growing vegetables and hopefully eating them as well! Prospective parents are welcome to call the school to arrange a tour. Call: 925.0770.

Weinstein Jewish Enrichment Program

Children attending the afterschool Weinstein Jewish Enrichment Program are having lots of fun learning Jewish history, holidays and Hebrew reading. Each segment is filled with games, crafts and cooking. For Chanukah, the kids enjoyed a drama session, which gave each child a chance to shine in a movie. On Wednesday, December 5 at 5pm, all families with children ages 5-12 are welcome to join in to build a Lego Menorah that will be lit at the December 9th Chanukah festival held at Phillippi Estate Park. In addition, families will enjoy making latkas, kindling the menorah and singing holiday songs. Appreciation is extended to Flora Oynick, Dr. Gerry Nussbaum, and Arthur Siegel for their dedication to the JEP afterschool children, and for their assistance in making the program as successful as it is. Friday, January 18th at 5:30 pm, families are welcome to join us for a special Shabbat family dinner. For more information about JEP or to RSVP for the December 5th or January 18th events, please call the office 925.0770.

Yaertzeit Reminder

Mrs. Rebecca Rosenbaum	mother	Tuesday, January 1
Mrs. Dodie Zehnwirth	father	Wednesday, January 2
Mr. Ian Black	father	Wednesday, January 2
Mrs. Lorraine Glixon	sister	Thursday, January 3
Mrs. Tsafra Chesnoff	mother	Friday, January 4
Mrs. Lyuboy Mishelevich	husband	Friday, January 4
Dr. Elliott Stupp	father	Saturday, January 5
Mr. Adam Schildkraut	father	Sunday, January 6
Mrs. Karen Glaser	father	Tuesday, January 8
Mrs. Charlene Guller	mother	Thursday, January 10
Mrs. Sheri Simon	father	Friday, January 11
Mrs. Susan Finkelstein	mother	Friday, January 11
Mrs. Shelley Waldman	brother	Friday, January 11
Mrs. Bertha Pollak	husband	Saturday, January 12
Mrs. Linda Methal	husband	Sunday, January 13
Mr. Harvey Perler	mother-in-law	Tuesday, January 15
Mrs. Sheri Simon	brother	Wednesday, January 16
Mrs. Janet Sulek	father	Wednesday, January 16
Dr. Robert Ikeman	father-in-law	Saturday, January 19
Mrs. Chaya Perera	husband	Sunday, January 20
Mrs. Emma Grupman	husband	Sunday, January 20
Mrs. Chaya Perera	mother	Tuesday, January 22
Mr. Jonathan Curshen	grandfather	Thursday, January 24
Mr. Jerome Levin	father	Thursday, January 24
Mrs. Lana Tudin	brother	Thursday, January 24
Mrs. Sadie Laufer	son	Thursday, January 24
Mr. Marshall Gobuty	grandfather	Saturday, January 26
Dr. Theodore Simon	mother	Wednesday, January 30
Mrs. Shirley Rosen	father	Thursday, January 31
Ms. Sally Joselson	husband	Thursday, January 31
Dr. Robert Ikeman	wife	Saturday, February 2
Mrs. Rosann Argenti	mother	Sunday, February 3
Mrs. Sheila Fox	father	Sunday, February 3
Mr. Stanley Glauser	friend	Thursday, February 7

With Great Appreciation

Arthur & Julia Aron Aaron
Robert & Debby Azeff
Daniel & Adele Barnes
Michael & Polina Berensteyn
Jack & Suzanna Berkowitz
Ian & Rosann Black
David & Edith Chaifetz
Giuseppe DeMaio
Sidney Ettedgui
Andrew & Shauni Fine
Arthur & Sheila Fox
Martin Fraidowitz
Richard & Arlene Franco
Sunset Automotive Group
Theodore & Elaine Gast
Karen Glaser
Robert & Chirle Glinski
Moshe & Chaya Gutnick
Jim Haberman
Robert & Judith Hara
Robert Ikeman
Carlyne Jacob
Michael & Charlotte Jones
Robert & Paige Jones
Isaac & Vivien Kalvaria
Lee Kichen
Samuel & Linda Klafter
Buddy Klemp
Harold & Judy Kulman
Robert & Randelle Landman
Sol & Sadie Laufer
David Leifer
Bartram & Joan Levenson
Atara Levin
Michael Moyal
Marc & Vicki Niski
Eric & Lori Patrusky
Paul & Loretta Rabin
Gerry Ronkin
Robert Toale and Sons Funeral Home
Howard & Shirley Rosen
Noah & Lili Rosenberg
Leonore Ruggles
Russell & Susan Samson
Mark Schlanger
Sam & Tali Schneider
Rocketman Shop
David & Tanya Schreibman
Judy Schwartzbaum
Kathie Schwarz
Hirsh & Golda Shifrin
Lisa Silva
Theodore Simon
Ruth Sklar
Shauna Smith
Barry & Anne Stein
Shaya & Leah Suffin
Lesli Tauber
Brigitte Taylor
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Ronni & Lana Tudin
Martin & Shelley Waldman
Corey & Stefanie Warrenbrand
Herman & Elizabeth Weber
Morris & Paecia Weinstein
Kirk & Diane Weisman
Johannes & Bonnie Weltin
Jacquie Williams
Craig Wolpert
Zalman & Yaffa Zager
Harry & Dodie Zehnwirth

N'shei Update

Chabad Women's Circle got off to a great start on November 8th with the start of a new Rosh Chodesh Society course entitled "Larger than life", where hot-button contemporary or ethical issues that are not synagogue or ritual related are discussed from a Torah perspective. Our first session brought together close to 20 participants. We look forward to seeing greater participation with the forthcoming classes, which will be held on Thursday, December 13th. Zumba follows the Rosh Chodesh Society class which allows the evening to truly be rejuvenating for both body and soul. All are welcome! If you'd like more information about our lovely and friendly group of women who come together monthly to meet, connect, learn and relax, you can email Elizabeth Weber at TKDMom1@gmail.com or Sara Steinmetz at Sara@chabadofsarasota.com.

Thank you New and Renewed Members

Rebbetzin Circle Members

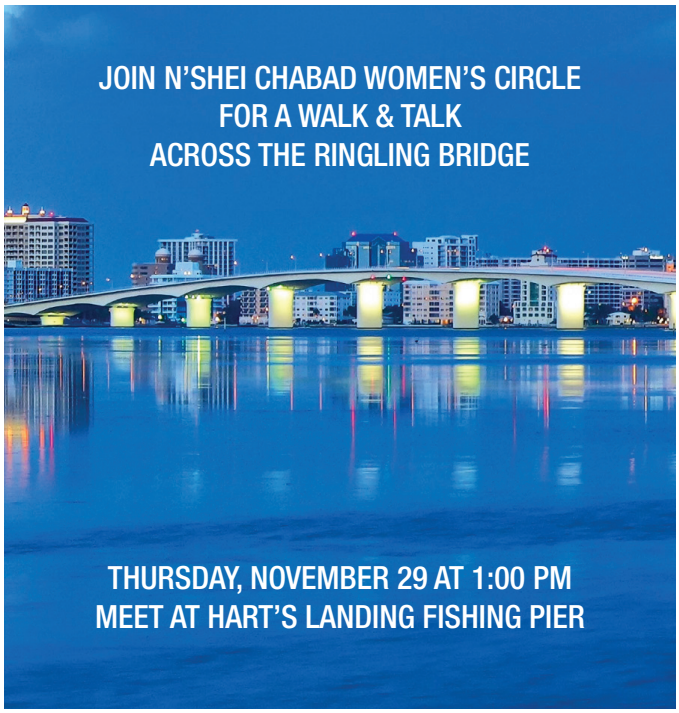
Thank you to the following individuals for demonstrating support and joining the tier of Rebbetzin Circle membership. Rebbetzin Circle members attend all events free of charge, receive a Rosh Chodesh Society bracelet and a subscription to the Joy of Kosher magazine.

Jodi Bloom
Sheila Fox
Jenny Kosman
Randy Landman
Meredith Nierenberg
Gerry Nussbaum
Flora Oynick
Shirley Rosen
Lili Rosenberg
Chaya Schotzinger
Natasha Serebro
Leah Suffin
Anne Stein
Lana Tudin
Elizabeth Weber

N'shei Chabad Members

We thank the following members for their support of N'shei Women

Chirle Glinski
Lori Patrusky
Sheri Simon
Shelley Waldman
Paecia Weinstein



Rosh Chodesh Society Course

Larger Than Life

Weaving G-d Into the Details

Lesson 2: "Carried Away - The Consumed Consumer"

Explore ethical shopping behaviors that are compatible with the Jewish value system. Discuss how carried away can we get?

Date: Thursday, December 13, at 7:15 pm
Location: Chabad of Sarasota 7700 Beneva Road
Cost: Non-Members $12, Members $10 Rebbetzin Circle free, Joining for the first time free.

For more information or to RSVP, email Elizabeth Weber at tkdmom1@gmail.com or Sara Steinmetz at sara@chabadofsarasota.com.

ZUMBA
Enjoy Zumba with Yael Campbell, following the class from 8:30 - 9:00pm

Club 770 Update

By: Richard Brumberg, Club 770 Co-Chair

Garage Sale

Club 770 Men's Club will hold its annual garage sale on Sunday, January 13th from 8:00 am-1:00 pm. Donations gratefully accepted after January 1st. All proceeds benefit the Kaplan Preschool. Please gather items that you can donate to this important fundraising effort. Please contact the shul office if you can volunteer for this worthy cause. Stay tuned for announcements about our February programming.

All in the Family

Condolences

Sam Schneider upon the passing of his mother Naomi

Maxine Solomon upon the passing of Henry Melloul

Join the Chabad Kibbitzers for daily breakfast

Every weekday morning following the 8:00am morning minyan, the Chabad Kibbitzers enjoy a lavish breakfast of bagel tops, parve cream cheese, smoked salmon, herring, and smoked white fish salad. And, of course, Chef Maish's 15 fried egg flip. Come join us for minyan and breakfast.

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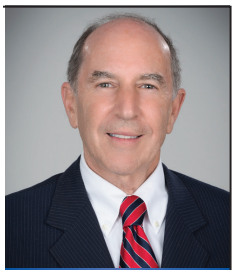

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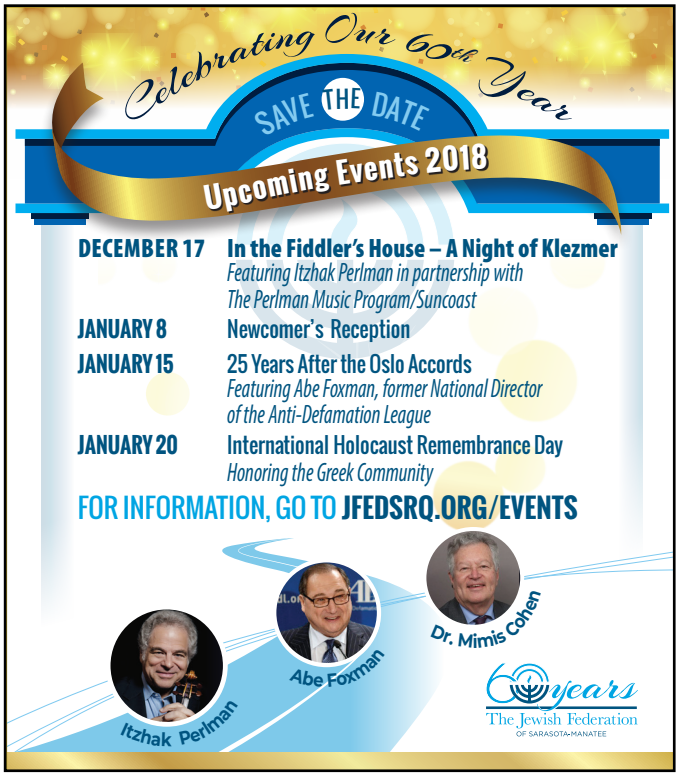

CHABAD'S ONGOING PROGRAMS

Daily Minyanim
Every weekday, at 8:00 am, morning service at Chabad; Minyan lasts about 45 minutes.

Daily Breakfast
Every weekday, following the 8:00 am service enjoy breakfast of bagel tops, parve cream cheese, smoked salmon, herring, and smoked white fish salad, and, of course, Chef Maish's 15 fried egg flip. Minimal charge, Come join us for Minyan and breakfast.

Weekly Bikur Cholim Society
Every Friday morning following breakfast, (9:30 am) Chabad members travel to visit the sick, helping to bring a little joy to their day. All are welcome!

Shabbat Service
Friday evening 7:00 pm, Shabbat morning 10:00 am, Each service is followed by an Oneg Shabbat.

Cafe Maish and Lessons From The Lubavitcher Rebbe
Every Tuesday at 6:00 pm, Café Maish provides a delightful dinner followed by a video clip that highlights lessons from the Lubavitcher Rebbe. Cost: $10 RSVP required: (860) 983-3337.

Weekly Kabbalah Class
Every Thursday morning at 9:30-10:15 am Join us for a Kabbalah study from the Chabad philosophy free of charge. RSVP 925-0770.

Weekly Talmud Class
Every Monday morning at 9:30-10:15 am Join us for a Talmud study tractate Sanhedrin, free of charge. RSVP 925-0770.

Shabbat Torah Class
Every Shabbat morning at 9:30-10:00 am an in depth study of the weekly Torah portion.

Friday Night Live
First Friday of every month teens grades 7-12 are invited to Chabad for short Shabbat services followed by Kiddush, refreshments and a raffle. Free of charge.

FOR THE FULL MONTH'S ACTIVITIES
LOG ONTO WWW.SARASOTACHABAD.COM/CALENDAR