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PROGRAMS @ OHR ESTHER FALL 2016 REGISTRATION

Registration for Fall 2016 programs and classes at Ohr Esther will be held on Monday, August 22nd from 6:00-9:00pm at 130 Steamboat Road. Some of



our exciting classes include Basketball (Shaare Shalom), Dance, Zumba, Soccer, Prenatal Exercise, Cooking and much more! For further information, please call or email Avital at 516-708-9999 or avital@mashadi.org

FIFTH ANNUAL COMMUNITY PICNIC DAY

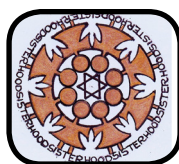
Mashadi Senior Club in conjunction with Mashadi Sisterhood present: Fifth Annual Community Picnic Day. Wednesday, August 17th, 2016 - 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. North Hempstead Beach Park (Formerly Bar Beach). Music, entertainment, lunch and fun. Free of charge for all ladies and gentlemen. Stay Tuned For Details!

YESHIVA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Yeshiva Scholarship Applications for academic year 2016-2017 is now available at <http://www.mashadi.org/jewish-education/yeshivafund/>. The deadline for submitting the applications is August 15, 2016.

SISTERHOOD'S BAR/BAT MITZVAH LIST

Sisterhood updates a list of 6th-8th graders every school year. This list becomes very useful when planning a Bar or Bat Mitzvah party. We would advise anyone having a party to please make an effort to invite all the boys and girls in their grade to avoid any child from being left out. Please contact any Sisterhood Member or email umjasisterhood2011@aol.com to be sent the list and to make sure your child's name is included.




MASHADI STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM FALL 2016 SEMESTER

The Mashadi Cultural and Educational Committee (Higher Education Committee) would like to inform our Community's students about the Interest-Free Mashadi Student Loan Program. The student loan program is based only on financial need. Student loans are for both undergraduate and post-graduate studies. All Community applicants for the 2016 Fall Semester must complete and email a loan application form, along with a scanned copy of their registered tuition bill no later than Friday, August 5, 2016. Applications can be downloaded from the right side of the UMJCA homepage at www.mashadi.org. All applications & tuition bills should be emailed to Marty Bassaly at MBassaly@aol.com. All loan applications are strictly confidential and will be reviewed by the Mashadi Higher Ed Student Loan Review Committee to determine what amount (if any) can be disbursed. Repayment of Student Loans are to be made over a 3 year period (1/3 each year) following graduation so that future Mashadi students can also receive the same assistance. For questions about the student loan program or application, please contact Marty Bassaly at MBassaly@aol.com or 516-277-4023.

NOTE: In 2010, an Education Fund was established for Post Graduates, called the Laleh Hannah Nassimi Memorial Foundation. The Foundation provides financial assistance to qualifying Mashadi students based on both need and merit. Funds are available for Post-Graduate studies (Masters, PhD, Law School, Med School, etc) in the United States only. The Higher Education Committee strongly encourages all qualifying Mashadi students to apply using the same application noted above.

In 2012, a Medical Fund was established for medical school students called the Dr. Mousa Hakimi Medical Scholarship Fund. For more information and separate application, please contact Jonathan LeVian at jonathanlevian@gmail.com.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 26th of Tamuz	2 27th of Tamuz	3 28th of Tamuz	4 29th of Tamuz	5 1st of Av • Rosh Chodesh Av • Candle Lighting: 7:46pm	6 2nd of Av • Parsha: Matot & Masei • Shabbat Ends: 8:53pm
7 3rd of Av	8 4th of Av	9 5th of Av	10 6th of Av	11 7th of Av	12 8th of Av • Candle Lighting: 7:37pm	13 9th of Av • Shabbat Chazon • Parsha: Devarim • Shabbat Ends: 8:44pm • Eve of Tisha B'Av • Fast Begins: 7:54pm
14 10th of Av • Tisha B'Av (Fast of the Ninth of Av) • Fast Ends: 8:25pm	15 11th of Av	16 12th of Av • Wedding of Abigail Kashi to Jonathan Zar, Leonards Palazzo, 6:30pm	17 13th of Av • Wedding of Tehilah Ebrani to Oren Heskia, Temple Israel, 6pm	18 14th of Av • Bar Mitzvah of Steven Levian, Old Westbury Congregation, 6:30pm	19 15th of Av • Tu B'Av • Candle Lighting: 7:28pm	20 16th of Av • Shabbat Nachamu • Parsha: Vaetchanan • Shabbat Ends: 8:34pm
21 17th of Av • Wedding of Jennifer Hadjibay to Igal Nassim, Old Westbury Congregation, 5:30pm • Bat Mitzvah of Kayla Kashizadeh, North Brook Community Synagogue Chicago, 6pm	22 18th of Av	23 19th of Av • Bar Mitzvah of Zachary Kashi, Temple Emanuel, 7pm	24 20th of Av	25 21st of Av • Bat Mitzvah of Emily Hakimian, Village Club at Lake Success, 7pm	26 22nd of Av • Candle Lighting: 7:47pm	27 23rd of Av • Parsha: Ekev • Shabbat Ends: 8:23pm
28 24th of Av • Wedding of Jennifer Kohanim to Avi Pittleman, Temple Emanuel, 7pm • Bar Mitzvah of Luca Kashinejad, Weylin B. Seymours Brooklyn, 6pm	29 25th of Av	30 26th of Av	31 27th of Av • Wedding of Dorian Nemati to Benjamin Harrouch, Temple Israel, 6:15pm	 Solomon Bass F I N A N C I A L Life Insurance, Disability Insurance, Long Term Care Insurance Salim Shlomo Bassalian CLTC, LTCP (516) 499-9900 Honest & Reliable		

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WEDDINGS



ELANA HAZGHIA (DAUGHTER OF SIMKHA AND NAHID)
TO ASHER GREENBERG (SON OF MICHAEL AND SUSAN)



LILY NAMDAR (DAUGHTER OF CYRUS AND DIANA)
TO RICHARD YASTRAB (SON OF MICHAEL AND SABINA)



RACHEL NAMDAR (DAUGHTER OF JAN AND FARIBA)
TO ARI ZIEGLER (SON OF MOSHE AND GWEN)

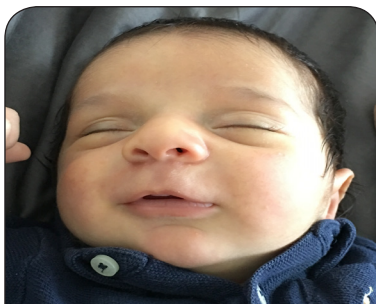


ASHLEY HAKIMIAN (DAUGHTER OF FARROKH AND DENNIELA)
TO RAVIV GAILOR (SON OF BEN AND ERIN)

NEWBORNS



NATHAN DILMANIAN
(Son of Arash and Jessica)



DOV BER ENAYATIAN
(Son of Ashkan and Avigail)



OWEN BEHNAM
(Son of Shawn and Yasmine)



MYLES MASHIACH HAKIMIAN
(Son of Nikki and Nadine)



NOA DILMANIAN
(Daughter of Doron and Rachel)



RACHEL SHOULA HUSNEY
(Daughter of Daniel and Jennifer)



AURA LEVIAN
(Daughter of Elliot and Ahuva)

ENGAGEMENTS



ORLY KALLATI (DAUGHTER OF ALBERT AND SHOSHANA)
TO ILAN NASSIMI (SON OF AVRAHAM AND SHOLEH)



SHEINA HAKIMI (DAUGHTER OF JOSEPH AND MAHSHID)
TO STEVEN EBRANI (SON OF FARZIN AND ROZITA)



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INTRODUCING WEDTALKS!

WEDtalks is the newest program at the Bet Midrash! The program will feature our very own community rabbis, who will give insightful and thought provoking lectures every Wednesday night at Shaare Rachamim. Each week's lecture will be preceded by Mincha/Aarvit and then dinner.



CENTRAL BOARD ANNOUNCEMENT: RABBI YOSEF BITTON AVAILABLE FOR COUNSELING

Rabbi Yosef Bitton is available for counseling for any member of the community. Please, contact him preferably by email rabbibitton@yahoo.com or whatsapp (516) 382-4447. For more information please contact Mehran Hakimian.



UNDERSTANDING BDS AND HOW TO RESPOND

College and college-bound students are invited to join StandWithUs for a special and exclusive event to further understand and defeat the Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions (BDS) campaign against Israel and the anti-Israel movement. Hear from student leaders who have experienced anti-Israel and anti-Semitic activities on campus. Learn tangible actions you can take, and Know Your Rights. Monday, Aug 8, 2016 at the Inn At Great Neck, 30 Cuttermill Rd. Light dairy dinner and refreshments served at 7pm. Program starts promptly at 7:45. Photo ID will be checked at the door. The program is Free of Charge. For more information please contact Mehran Hakmian.

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Are you an adult who has recently lost a parent? You're not alone. Join our Parental Loss Support Group and learn: • How to cope • How to gain understanding and insight • How to receive mutual support. For more information and to set up a brief phone assessment, contact Audrey Bernstein, LMSW, Support Group Coordinator, 516-484-1545 ext. 196, abernstein@sjcc.org

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Kale and Cabbage Asian Salad

by @TheKosherChef

Ingredients: Red Cabbage
White Cabbage
Carrots
Kale leaves
Corn
Chow Main Noodles
Slivered Almonds
Toasted Sesame Salad Dressing



Shred the red cabbage, white cabbage and carrots. Chop the kale leaves. Add in corn, chow main noodles and almonds. dress and mix together with the toasted sesame salad dressing. Serve and enjoy!

Sunny Spinach and Potato Borekas

by @TheKosherChef

Ingredients: 1 pack puff pastry
5 potatoes
1 bunch fresh spina
Pinch of turmeric
Pinch of salt
Egg wash
Sesame seeds



1. Peel and cut the potatoes. Boil in a pot of water. Add turmeric and salt. Mash the potatoes and set aside.
2. Wash and chop the spinach. Sauté the spinach. Drain out all the water.
3. Mix the spinach and mashed potatoes together.
4. Cut the puff pastry into 2 pieces. Roll out one piece of puff pastry into a circle. Place the puff pastry into your baking dish or parchment paper. Put the spinach mixture around the edge, and in the center of the puff pastry
5. Roll out the second piece of puff pastry into a circle and place on top of the other one.
6. Put a bowl over the center, to hold it all down. Take a fork and press down the edges around the puff pastry to keep it closed
7. Cut the puff pastry into 1/2 inch thick slices going all the way around. Brush it with the egg wash
8. Twist each piece upwards. Do this all the way around the puff pastry.
9. Sprinkle with sesame seeds
10. Bake on 350 for 25-30 minutes until golden.