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Upcoming Shabbos Events

Next Rabbi Weekend
Led By: Rabbi Mathew Kaufman
Study Session

Time/Date: 7:30pm
On Friday, January 18th, 2019

Location:
Bunny & Michael Singer's Home
For Address contact:
singerm@queensu.ca

Topic: Jewish Identity, Security, and Moral Vision
Based on "American Jews and Israeli Jews are Headed for a Messy Breakup", a piece by Jonathan Weisman in the New York Times, (Jan. 4).

Shabbat
Time/Date: 10:00am
On Saturday, January 19, 2019

Location: KUF Hall
Address: 206 Concession St.

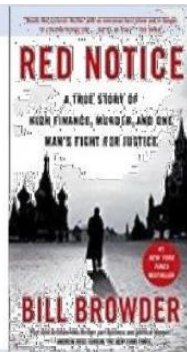
ONEG
Thanks to Steven Leitman & Adina Birenbaum, who are bringing Fresh and/or dried fruit and Richard Cohen, who is providing Water, Juice, Cake, Cookies and Challah. We also need volunteers to help set up and clean up as Richard will, with regrets, not be available to attend this coming Shabbat service and we cannot ask Steven and Adina to do it all on their own. We also need someone to pick up wine as we are definitely out.

Remaining Rabbi Weekends
March 01-02, March 29-30, April 12-13, May 10-11, and June 07-08

Remaining Religious School Dates
January 26, February 2, 9, 23
March 2, 23, 30, April 6, 13

Women's Study Group ...and Book Club

Date: February 11th, 2019
Title: Red Notice
Author: Bill Browder
ISBN-10: 1476755744
ISBN-13: 978-1476755748
Presenter: Elaine Berman
Hostess: Anna Matzov
Address: 5 Gore Street, #306
Email: matzov@queensu.ca
Telephone: 613-389-6610



Date: March 11th, 2019
Title: WOMEN'S SEDER DINNER
Hostess: Sherry Stayer
Address: 142 Country Club Road
Email: stayer@cogeco.ca
Telephone: 613-546-9524

Men's Group
Date: Wed, January 23, 2019
Time: 7:30pm
Location: Terry's house
Address: 1108 Trailhead

Passing of Bea Anhalt

The Board and Members of Congregation Iyr HaMelech express our condolences to the family and friends of Bea Anhalt. Bea was admired in our congregation and the Women's Book Club. We will miss her.



BEATE ANHALT

Fondly known to her friends and family as Bea, passed away peacefully on the morning of January 16, 2019, just one month shy of her 95th birthday.

Bea was born in Dusseldorf, Germany in 1924. In 1939 at the age of 15, fleeing Nazi Germany, she and her family (parents Emme and Paul and brother Herbert) immigrated to Canada where they settled in Montreal.

Bea's scientific mind was nurtured during her years at McGill University where she graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree.

She went on to work as a biochemist at the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal.

She was the loving and devoted wife to Istvan Anhalt for over sixty years until his death in 2012. Their years were enriched with travel, friends, family, art and music.

In 1971 a move to Kingston started a new chapter in their life. She embraced her new community and became a treasured and loyal friend to many.

Bea's warmth and generosity of spirit was dearly loved by so many. She was happiest supporting others and was a gracious host to all who came through the doors of their home. Her famous apple cake was always on offer and enjoyed by many over the years.

She loved doing her daily crossword puzzles, tending to her garden and welcoming friends into their home.

Her quiet dedication to helping others was evident in her 25 years of volunteer work for Kingston General Hospital.

In her later years after Istvan's death she spent winters in Palm Beach Florida with her daughters. There she happily went on walks, read books and did her crossword puzzles. These are memories forever to be thankful for; time spent being together and sharing life's simple pleasures.

Bea is the cherished mother of Carol (Branch) and Helen Jennifer (Rocco) and was a strong presence throughout their lives; supporting all endeavors with encouragement and wise counsel.

Bea was also a wonderful grandmother to Walker (Joy), Astrid (Rachel), and Claudia as well as a great-grandmother to Vienna. Her ageless outlook on life created a strong bond between them all that never wavered. Their deep love for her is a testament to their special, close relationship with this remarkable, blessed woman.

A private burial will take place with a Celebration of Life to follow.

*With permission from Bea's daughter,
Jennifer Marcello*

Bon Voyage Leanne

Leanne Lieberman, our esteemed member of the board and congregation, and principal of Bet Seifer, along with her husband Rob and their kids are preparing for their "Shabbatical trip", as they call it, which begins Feb 01st, 2019. They will be travelling to multiple destinations on several continents. We can look forward to seeing them at our next service on January 19th, before they leave. Hopefully, Leanne will be able to provide us as many details of their travels, that can be shared, without intruding.

Leanne has also confirmed that they will be celebrating Makaio's bar mitzvah on Saturday October 26th. Leanne tells us that Makaio is pleased about this as he was hoping to read from Genesis. Hopefully Matthew and IHM will be able to coordinate this date.

Klezmer Fiddle at The Isabel

The Audience Engagement Coordinator at the Isabel Bader Centre for the Performing Arts is excited to share with Congregation Iyr HaMelech congregation that Alicia Svigals will be performing at the Isabel.

Date: Saturday, Feb 09, 2019

Time: 7:30pm.

Alicia Svigals is the world's foremost klezmer violinist and the founder of the Grammy-winning Klezmatics. (*continued next page*)

Klezmer Fiddle at The Isabel

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Date: Saturday, February 09, 2019

Time: 7:30pm.

Alicia has a wonderful way of revitalizing the music of her Eastern European Jewish heritage for the 21st century, and embodies the warmth and heart of the klezmer history.

[Click here to open a video and check out the magic that Alicia Svigals brings to the stage](#)

They would love to see Kingston's Jewish community at this concert. Tickets are still available and group rates apply to groups of 15 or more purchasing together.

TICKETS

General Public: \$39

Students: \$16

Queen's Faculty/Staff: \$32

Box Office

Mon-Fri, 12:30-4:30pm

Call: 613.533.2424

[Click here to Purchase online](#)

Ask for Katy Littlejohn,
Audience Engagement
Coordinator.

Art Show Continues

Emebet Belete, daughter-in-law of Bunny and Michael Singer, continues to host an art show titled "**Two Fold**".

Location: Tett Centre, Modern Fuel Gallery

Address: 370 King St. West, #305

Ends: February 23rd, 2019

Congratulations

Pekka Sinervo, who has spoken at a number of KJC and IHM events, has been named a Member of the Order of Canada.

Pekka is a professor in the University of Toronto's department of physics. He is being recognized for decades of working to understand the basic building blocks of our universe.

Bat Mitzvah

Steven Leitman and Adina Birenbaum are proud to announce that they have set a date for celebrating the Bat Mitzvah of their daughter Misha, on June 08th, 2019.

I hope all members will join us in congratulating Misha in this milestone. May your special day be filled with love, blessings, and laughter. I'm sure that a few nice presents wouldn't hurt either.

May your enjoyment and learning continue throughout life.

Passover Seder

Once again, Passover's 1st night conflicts with the Statutory Holiday of Good Friday on Friday, April 19th, 2019

Therefore, we will be holding our Seder on Thursday, April 18th at 5pm at the Seniors Center on 56 Francis Street

I am pleased to say that our Seder will once again be led by Rabbi Matthew Kaufman

More info to come.