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175,000 ATTEND RALLY PROTESTING RECOGNITION OF P.L.O.

RAMAZ STUDENT ADDRESSES THRONG IN BEHALF OF ALL YOUTH

Friday Night at the Synagogue to be Held on November 29

IN HONOR OF COLLEGIATES
AND YOUNG ADULTS

The Men's Club of the Congregation will sponsor a Friday Night at the Synagogue program on November 29 in honor of collegiates and young adults who will be in the community during the Thanksgiving Day weekend. The program is being planned by a committee of young adults together with several members of the Men's Club. The Chairman is Fred Baumgarten.

The evening will begin with Mincha services in the Main Synagogue at 4:30. This will be followed by Kaballat Shabbat and Maariv. At the conclusion of services the congregation will be invited to a Shabbat dinner in our Kamber Auditorium.

Following the dinner which will, of course, feature the usual Friday night menu together with Z'mirot and a Shabbat spirit, we will all go to the Hollander Social Hall where there will be a panel discussion on the subject: "If I were Yitzchak Rabin . . .". The panelists will be Diane Wyshogrod and Dr. Neil Lyman. Diane, a Ramaz graduate, is a student at Barnard. Dr. Lyman is a Resident at Mount Sinai Hospital.

During the cultural program, we hope that many in the audience will fill in their own answers to the topic "If I were Yitzchak Rabin . . ." Our objective is to get as many constructive views as possible concerning the current crisis that exists in Israel in terms of relations with the Arabs, confidence in the Government of Israel,

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The greatest rally in the history of New York Jewry — and, for that matter, in the history of the New York community — was held on Monday, November 4 when more than 175,000 people from all parts of the eastern seaboard and some points west gathered in Dag Hammarskjold Plaza to protest the recognition of the P.L.O. by the United Nations.

The rally was great not only in numbers. Under the outstanding leadership of Rabbi Israel Miller, Chairman of the Presidents Conference, the entire program was conducted with sensitivity, dignity and extremely good taste. Among the outstanding speakers that day were Senator Henry Jackson, Senator Jacob Javits, Abba Eban and Moshe Dayan.

One of the most inspiring moments in the program came when Shira Kavon, a Junior in the Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, rose as the second speaker, to present her words in behalf of the youth of the community. Her speech, which was her own creation, was delivered with verve and enthusiasm to a crowd that responded very warmly. Because of the special nature of her address, we are pleased to print Shira's words below:

TEXT OF KAVON SPEECH

"That day, one that was so long and so trying, still lives in my memory. I have relived it a hundred times over: the tension, the fear, the hate, as I sat by the radio and listened for news of the 80 students trapped in the school in the town of Ma'alot. A voice inside me screamed, "Dayeinu!" Hadn't we suffered enough pain? Hadn't we been victimized, shot and slaughtered until we had lost the will to live?

They must have thought we hadn't. They must have thought that Lod Airport, the Munich Massacre and Qiryat Shmona affected us so little that we needed another reminder that the letters P.L.O. stand for the annihilation of our people and the destruction of our homeland.

"Throughout the atrocities that Yassir Arafat and his band of murderers committed, the world stood silent. We screamed, we cried, we pleaded for their censure, but to no avail. The answer we have received proves to us the world's complicity in the plot to

destroy us. This week, in the chambers of the U.N. General Assembly, Yassir Arafat's message will be presented to the nations of the world, nations that voted only last month to allow this murderer of innocent adults and children to be the representative of the Palestinian people.

"How long will the world allow the type of terror that is the trademark of of the Palestinian Liberation Organization to continue? How long will the world stand idly by as Israel's future is machine gunned and thrown from windows.

"This type of terror is not limited to Jews. It extends to Khartoum, to the American and Belgian diplomats who were massacred by P.L.O. members less than two years ago. And now, it has touched this city, this country. The presence of the P.L.O. at the United Nations degrades and denies all that that organization once stood for and provides symbolic endorsement of the (Cont'd p. 3 col. 1)

Sermons: November 16 and 30 — Rabbi Haskel Lookstein November 23 — Rabbi Joseph H. Lookstein

WITHIN OUR FAMILY

Birthdays-

Many happy returns of the day to John Addison, Mrs. Joseph Aizer, Mrs. Richard Ascher, Jerome Barner, Mrs. Benjamin Bartel, Victor Binstock, Sidney A. Block, Mrs. Sidney A. Block, Arthur B. Colvin, Max Dattner, Mrs. Leo Davenport, Mrs. Jacob A. Freezer, A. Phillip Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gottesman, Harry Green, Mrs. Meyer A. Gross, Mrs. Joseph Grossman, Mrs. Joseph S. Gruss, Mrs. Nathalie S. Herman, Mrs. Joseph Hostyk, Alfred Kahn, Abraham Kamber, Mrs. Ira I. Kaplan, Mrs. Walter Koppel, Samuel Leve, Frederick Margareten, Henrik Markovtis, Bernard Podell, Mrs. Bernard Podell, Herman Riederman, Mrs. Eugene Roshwalb, Mrs. Max Sadinoff, Mrs. Joseph Schlang, Mrs. Samuel Singer, Herman Smilow, Mrs. Alexander Steinkoler, Steven H. Thal, Dr. David H. Woldenberg, George Wolf, Mrs. George Wolf and Dr. Frederick Zuckerman.

Anniversaries-

Warmest greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Citron, Mr. and Mrs. Max Dattner, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Eisman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kahn, Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Kalischer, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Merkin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Perlman, Mr. and Mrs. Myron B. Poloner, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Salzman, Mr. and Mrs. Jules Sax, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schimel, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shuchman, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Steinkoler.

Special Anniversary—

Mazel Tov to our devoted members of nearly five decades, Mr. and Mrs. Max Backer, upon the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. May we at K. J. be privileged to congratulate them on their 60th and on many more in strength, in good health and in blessing.

Aufrufs-

We are pleased to congratulate our member, Lanny Binstock, on his forthcoming Aufruf, Shabbat morning, November 16. Similar good wishes to our member, Victor Binstock, on this happy occasion in the life of his son. The congregation will be guests of the Binstocks for kiddush following services.

Mazel Tov to our member, David Kahn, upon his forthcoming Aufruf, Shabbat morning, November 23. Similar good wishes to Mrs. Fred Kahn, the proud mother of the groom, on this happy milestone in the life of her son. The congregation will be the guests of the Kahn family for kiddush following services.

Congratulations to Two Judges-

We are proud to congratulate two members of the congregation upon their election to Judiciary last week.

Best wishes to Hon. George Postel upon his reelection to the N. Y. State Supreme Court. Mazel Tov to Norman Ryp upon his election to the Civil Court.

We wish both gentlemen a successful term in the judiciary.

And Our Sympathy-

We extend our regrets to young Stuart Sloame who lost in his bid for election as Judge of the Civil Court. He ran a strong race and gained many friends in the process. We wish him well.

Condolences-

We extend our sincerest condolences to Mrs. Albert Wald on the passing of her beloved brother, Philip Reiser.

Similar expressions to Samuel Marcus and the entire Marcus family on the sudden passing of Carl Marcus.

May all of the bereaved be comforted among all of us who mourn for Zion and Jerusalem.

Thanks for Chanukah Candles-

We express our thanks to those of our Ramaz students who gave of their time and energy to prepare nearly 2,000 boxes of Chanukah candles for distribution to our members and friends. Especially worthy of mention are Eva Bernstein, Laurie Kabakow, Carol Mosesson, Jonah Ranells and Noah Ranells, whose many hours of work enabled us to complete the task on time. Contributions by recipients of the candles will be used by the Benevolent Fund for its many charitable purposes.

Thinking of Chanukah Gifts?

Chanukah gifts do not really apply to the Festival of Lights which will begin on Sunday night, December 8. They are a custom which has been adopted from the majority culture in which we live. If we continue the practice, we ought at least to continue it on a Jewish basis.

May we suggest, therefore, that if you do give Chanukah presents this year, you might consider giving gifts to the UJA or buying Israel Bonds in honor of the recipient. You might also purchase books or records that have Jewish significance. There are many choices available.

If you would like some suggestions, please feel free to consult any of the synagogue officials who will be happy to help you.

Seudah Shlishit This Shabbat

IN HONOR OF ELYSEE BERNSTEIN

Mazel Tov and all good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Bernstein upon the forthcoming Bat Mitzvah celebration of their daughter, Elysee. A student in Form I of the Joseph H. Lookstein Upper School of Ramaz, Elysee will deliver a Dvar Torah at a special Seudah Shlishit in her honor this Shabbat afternoon.

The entire congregation is invited to Mincha services at 4:15 and to the Seudah Shlishit, sponsored by the Bernstein family, which will follow it.

Bar Mitzvah



DANIEL M. GRUEN

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. George E. Gruen on the forthcoming Bar Mitzvah of their son, Daniel Moshe, which will take place in our synagogue on Thanksgiving Day, November 28 at 9:30.

Daniel, who is a second generation student in Ramaz and Kehilath Jeshurun, will read the Torah and lead services that morning. We wish him and his family blessing and happiness in the years ahead.

Bar Mitzvah



ISAAC SEGALL

Mazel Tov to our members, Mr. and Mrs. Shlomo Segall, upon the recent Bar Mitzvah of their son, Isaac, which took place in our synagogue on Shabbat morning, November 2.

We are happy to congratulate Isaac and his family on this significant occasion in his young life.

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Unpublished Letter To the Editor of the New York Times

November 1, 1974

Dear Sir:

The political non sequitur in your "Palestinian Coup" editorial (Oct. 31) is most disturbing. You agree that recognition of the P.L.O. as the representative of the Palestinian people is an invitation to violence rather than negotiation. Your conclusion, however, is that Israel and the U.S. should now engage the Palestinians in dialogue.

How can one negotiate with a movement whose credo is the annihilation of one's state? Does one strive in such negotiations to achieve a moderate annihilation as a compromise?

How does one reach a "modus vivendi" (your phrase) with those whose avowed purpose is a "modus moriendi" (death rather than life?) Is the workable arrangement to be a partial death?

What, in effect, you are suggesting to Israel is that she negotiate with those who come to kill her. Hopefully, the leaders of Israel and people of good will everywhere will not accept such an unrealisite proposal. When a killer comes to your door, you do not engage him in dialogue. You either disarm him or you kill him.

105 nations at the U.N. and the power-hungry oil barons at Rabat have regretfully left Israel little choice in confronting this latest threat to her life and the lives of her citizens.

Yours truly, Rabbi Haskel Lookstein

Kavon Speech (Cont'd)

murder and massacre to which Arafat has confessed and in which he takes public pride.

"As Jewish students, we must sympathize with the victims of Ma'alot and all the other atrocities. We must feel their pain. As moral human beings we must condemn the murderous P.L.O. We must use this day, this rally, to show the world our anger and our hate for the P.L.O. and its actions. We cannot stand by in silence as our brothers and sisters are killed. We are not the rest of the world. We are Jews. ALL ISRAEL IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ONE ANOTHER. AM YISRAEL CHAI."

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Father and Son Minyan Sponsors

We are very pleased to thank the following who have agreed to sponsor a Father and Son Minyan this season:

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Berkowitz Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Eisenstat

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Gitow

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Kirshon

Mr. and Mrs. William Lebowitz

Mr. and Mrs. E. David Rosen

In future issues of the Bulletin, we will have occasion to thank others who, through their generosity, enable the Men's Club to sustain this excellent educational and recreational activity. Those interested in sponsoring a Minyan are asked to contact Milton Medwin or Dr. William Major, Co-Chairmen of this activity for the Men's Culb.

After the Jackson-Kissinger Agreement

As part of our obligation to monitor conditions in the Soviet Union in the light of the Jackson-Kissinger agreement, we regret to report a strange development in Minsk. Apparently, in order to forestall an anticipated rush of emigration applications once the Trade Bill is passed, authorities have required factory workers to sign a document which certifies that the signatory does not wish to leave the USSR and that he will refrain from contact with foreigners, especially correspondents. This tactic is aimed at Jews who are potential applicants. In one firm, only the Jewish employees were asked to sign the statement.

SITUATION WANTED

A young business executive with twenty years of excellent experience in sales, advertising and corporate management, is looking for a new position. If you are interested in interviewing a person with these qualities, please call Rabbi Haskel Lookstein at the Synagogue Office.

APARTMENT SOUGHT

A prominent Israeli, here on a special mission, is looking for a two bedroom apartment from December through March. The family is a dignified, observant and highly cultural one. If you know of such an apartment please call the Synagogue Office.

Have You Joined an Adult Class?

There is no single concern of a Jew which is more significant than the study of Torah. In our congregation we afford everyone the opportunity to engage in such study. We have classes mornings and evenings, midweek and weekends, Sabbaths and ordinary days.

All that is necessary is for you to take advantage of those classes, Thank God, we have more than 150 students actively enrolled in one or more courses. Are you among them? If not, please accept our invitation and come to the next class of your choice.

The Adult Institute Schedule follows below.

ADULT EDUCATION SCHEDULE Shabbat afternoons at 3:15

Class in the weekly portion

Shabbat afternoons 45 minutes before Mincha

Talmud Class — P'sachim

Sunday mornings at 9:15 Talmud Class — B'rachot

Tuesday mornings 10:00-11:00 Women's Talmud Class—Kiddushin

Tuesday, November 19, 12:15-1:30 Midtown Talmud Class—Kiddushin

Office of Lawrence A. Kobrin 540 Madison Ave. (near 54th St.)

December 3

Location to be announced

Wednesday mornings, 8:05-8:45 Maimonides' Code

Wednesday evenings Nov. 20, Dec. 4, 8:00-9:30

Hebrew to Read Siddur by

Sunday Night Studies, 8:00-9:00 November 24,

Dr. Meyer Herskovics At home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kaye December 1,

Dr. Bernard Mandelbaum Please call Synagogue Office for location.

Friday Night (Cont'd)

social problems and absorption difficulties.

We invite all to participate in what promises to be a delightful Shabbat evening here at Kehilath Jeshurun. Invitations are in the mail to all members of the congregation. Those in the community who have not received an invitation are invited to call the Synagogue Office to arrange for participation in Friday Night at the Synagogue.

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Milton BerkowitzPres. Men's Club
Harold GoldmanPres. Couples Club

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

FRIDAY, November 15	
Lighting of Candles	4:20
Evening	4:40
SATURDAY	
Morning	9:00
Junior Congregation1	0:00
Pre-School Service1	1:00
Weekly Portion: Toledot	
Haftorah: Malachi 1	

Haftorah: Malachi 1	
Evening	
Conclusion of Sabbath	

FRIDAY, No	vember 22	
Lighting	of Candles	4:15 4:30
SATURDAY		9.00

Junior Congregation10:00 Pre-School Service11:00 Weekly Portion: Vayetze

Evening	4:30
Conclusion of Sabbath	5:12
FRIDAY, November 29	

Haftorah: Hosea 12

Lighting	of Candles	
Evening		4:30
CATHEDAY		

SATURDAT	
Morning	9:00
Junior Congregation	10:00
Pre-School Service	

Weekly Portion Vayishlach Haftorah: Obadiah 1

Evening	 	 4:30
Conclusion		

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Morning	7:30
Sunday Morning	8:30
Father and Son Minyan	
Evening	

Beginning on Wednesday evening, December 4, we recite the winter prayer of Tal u'Matar in the Sh'moneh Esreh.

YAHRZEITS

IVO	vemver
16-	-Sara Spilky
16-	-Harry Herskowitz
16	Herman Engel

16—Samuel Budd 17—Morris Brandman 17—Mildred Jean Litwins

-Sarah Lax -Bertha Barany -Morris Zuckerman

18—Morris Garfinkel 18—David M. Alpert

18—Fanny Major

19—Nathan Hutkoff 19—Louis Lipoff 19—Abraham M. Mann 20—Samuel Klein

20—Samuel Lewis Jr. 20-Rifka Chodos

20—Charles Miller 20—Daniel Simon

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20—Rose Halper
21—Florence Laye
21—Margaret Cohn
21—Anna Propp
22—Solomon Berk
22—Maurice Bretzfield

22—Nathan Andrews 23—Dr. Herbert Klein

23—Albert Rothenstein 24—Louis W. Yohann 24—Sarah B. Holiner 25—Julius Goldstein

-Ralph Spencer -Sadie Marx

25—Julius Goldstein 25—Philip Dershowitz

26—Esther Goodman 26—Ignatz Schlinger 26—Bella Gutman

27—Leontine Schall 27—Meyer Steinberg

-Gita Rem 27—Moses Kinzler 27—Isaac Gutman

4:15

5:16

28—Hanna Grossman 28—Sarah Katz

28—Sarah Katz 28—Isidore Heimowitz 28—Dr. Joseph Tobias Sloane 29—Celia Perlow 29—Abraham Louis Miller

29—Leah Greenberg

29—Lean Greenberg
29—Bertha Deutsch
29—Jacob W. Heller
30—Rose Clark
30—Abraham Itzhak Zuckerman
30—Esther Burnett
30—Morris Leibowitt

December

-Ruchel Breindel Abraham Jacob Simon

Herbert H. Messing
Mildred Gordon

—Midred Gordon

—Josif Hirschberg
—Yechiel Reinhold
—Bessie L. Warner
—M. Jesse Henry
—Florence Kallus
—Hanniah Bernhardt

-Gussie Ost -Nathan Bober -Bell Weisman

-Channah Weiler -Ephriam Bernstein

-Augusta Levy -Menashe Salzman -Dora Leibner

-Rachel Goldstein -Max Bernard

-Anna Rosenblatt -Alice Einhorn -Chiam Usher Lieberman

Alice Einhorn -Harry Kabakow

K. J. Calendar

Sunday night, November 24 Sisterhood-Men's Club Backgammon Night

Friday Night at the Synagogue November 29

Thursday Night, December 5th Men's Club Concert

Sunday Night, December 8th Y. U. Chanukah Dinner

Monday, December 16th Sisterhood Chanukah Meeting

An Opportunity to Help

By now our worshippers have become accustomed to the new Rabbinical Council of America Siddur that we are using every Shabbat and which has proved so useful for special services in our Main Synagogue during the week. Similarly, the congregation has come to appreciate the availability of a Hertz Chumash for each worshipper.

Members and friends in the community who would like to make it possible for us to purchase additional Siddurim and Chumashim may dedicate them in honor of someone or in memory of a dear one. An appropriate inscription will be placed in the books so dedicated.

The contribution for each Hertz Chumash is \$10, while that for our Siddur is \$6.00. Checks should be made payable to Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun and sent to the Synagogue Office with a note indicating in whose honor or in whose memory the book is to be dedicated.

Yeshiva University

MANHATTAN JUNIOR LEAGUE

proudly presents a

"HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE"

at the Westbury Hotel Madison Avenue and 69th Street Monday, November 18 -

8:00 P.M.-11:00 P.M. Tuesday, November 19

10:00-A.M.- 4:00 P.M. 8:00 P.M.-11:00 P.M.

Wednesday, November 20 10:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M.

Three Week Bulletin

Please note that this Bulletin covers three weeks, because of the Thanksgiving Day holiday. Services on Thanksgiving Day morning will be at 8:30.