



Central Kentucky Jewish Association

Judith R. Levine, President

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NEW CKJA BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

Based upon the results of the election in December 1980, seven persons have been elected or re-elected to membership on the CKJA Board. Elected for a three-year term are: Sue Friedman, Marilyn Gall, Martin Kaplan, Marilyn Moosnick and JoAnne Randall. Ms. Gloria Katz was elected for a two-year term, and Dr. Jesse Weil was elected for a one year term.

Mrs. Fanny Miller was appointed to a one-year term and Mr. Martin Barr was appointed to a three-year term, both by Temple Adath Israel. Dr. Markell Kohn was appointed to a three year term by Congregation Ohavay Zion.

The members of the Board of the Central Kentucky Jewish Association and their term of office are as follows:

Michael Baer (1981)
Martin Barr (Temple Adath Israel, 1983)
Marcia Blacker (Congregation Ohavay Zion, 1982)
Steven Caller (1981)
Rose Darmstadter (1981)
Sue Friedman (1983)
Marilyn Gall (1983)
Kenneth Germain (1981)
Charles Gorodetzky (Temple Adath Israel, 1982)
Martin Kaplan (1983)
Gloria Katz (1982)
Markell Kohn (Congregation Ohavay Zion, 1983)
Judith Levine (Hadassah, 1981)
Helen Levy (1982)
Fanny Miller (Temple Adath Israel, 1981)
Jack Miller (1982)
Marilyn Moosnick (1983)
JoAnne Randall (1983)
David Rose (Bnai Brith, 1982)
Arthur Salomon (Congregation Ohavay Zion, 1981)
Allan Slovin (1982)
David Wekstein (1982)
Jesse Weil (1981)

At the first meeting of the Board in January, 1981 the following officers and members of the Executive Committee were elected by the Board from the Board:

PRESIDENT - Judith Levine
VICE-PRESIDENT - Marilyn Gall
VICE-PRESIDENT - Allan Slovin
SECRETARY - Jack Miller
TREASURER - Michael Baer
Member at large - Steven Caller
Member at large - David Wekstein

1980 CAMPAIGN REPORT: MEN'S DIVISION

A record 210 Men's Division pledges were received in 1980. The 1980 total pledged through this Men's Division effort of the CKJA Annual Campaign was \$143,397. This amount includes specially designated pledges (e.g. Project Renewal). The Group Leaders and solicitors who made this possible can take pride in a job well done and deserve the community's thanks for their dedicated work.

As previously announced, in order to recognize more appropriately the generosity of our Men's Division contributors, we are publishing their names by gift category. The names of those who indicated they did not want to be listed by gift category and found under the leading "General List". Names are not listed of those donors who asked to remain anonymous, Women's Division gifts are not included in this publication.

Because this is our first attempt at this particular method of published recognition, in many instances our solicitors forgot to clarify or to record whether the contributor had any reservations respecting the manner of recognition. Therefore, in preparing the following list of contributors, we have sought to minimize any misunderstandings regarding those situations by placing the name on the "General List" whenever in doubt. If you believe an error has been made in the designation of your gift, please contact Alvin Goldman at 269-6049. Please note, too, that it is not too late to submit or increase your 1980 pledge.

A report of the total funds received from the Annual Campaign and their allocation will be published in a forthcoming issue of the CKJA Bulletin.

<p>Grand Benefactor (\$10,000 and above)</p> <p>Steven Caller One anonymous contributor</p> <p>Benefactor Member (\$5,000 -\$9,999)</p> <p>Irving Rosenstein David Weil One contributor whose name is on the General List</p> <p>Sponsoring Member (\$3,000- \$4,999)</p> <p>Michael Ades Stanley Rose Don Sucher</p> <p>Donor Member (\$1,500-\$2,999)</p> <p>Leon Cooper Alvin Goldman Steven Goldstein Charles Gorodetzky Maurice Hymson Michael Lerner William Michalove Ronnie Rosen Allan Slovin 2 Anonymous 2 on General List</p>	<p>Patron Members (\$500 - \$1,499)</p> <p>Louis Ades Robert Baumann David Bolotin Irwin Cohen Harold Fine James Frankel Kenneth Germain Hans Gesund Jack Goldenberg Martin Kaplan Kenneth Mayer Sherman Miller David Paritz Morris Rosen Stanley Saxe Charles Schwartz Alfred Strauss, Jr. Herschel Weil James Weil Joseph Wile 11 anonymous 13 names on General List</p>
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Sustaining Members (\$100-\$499)

Hillard Aberson
Lucian Barnes
Louis Diamond
Joseph Engelberg
Alan Fine
Andrew Fried
Ted Friedman
Milton Gellin
Marshall Gerstel
Ben Goldfarb
Nathan Golton
Arthur Graham
Oscar Haber
Sheldon Hymson
Ben Kaufmann
Max Kovinow
William Leffler
Robert Lerner
James Levenson
David Levine
Sam Levy
Leonard Lipton
Mark Luckens
Eugene Mervis
Dan Metzler, Jr.
Ben Miller
Jack Miller
Joseph Miller
David Osser
Allen Paritz
Gerald Roth
Stuart Silbar
Bryan Steinberg
Herman Straus
George Szekely
Jesse Weil
Abraham Wikler
Joseph Wile, Jr.
Jerry Zuckman
23 anonymous
26 names on General List

Members (up to \$99.99)

Mat Barrett
Siegmond Benjamin
George Cohen
Norman Gordon
Jules Heisler
David Joffe
Edward Kramer
Robert Kuehne
Jeff Levin
Simon Levy
Joseph Liebman
I.A. Miller
Jim Mischner
Phillip Nardell
Robert Scher
Martin Solomon
Sheldon Steiner
Charles Stern
Robert Waterman
11 anonymous
21 names on the General List

General List

Harvey Abend	Herbert Liebman	Harry Silverman
Ben Baer	Paul Mandelstam	Sam Smargon
Michael Baer	Emanuel Mason	Ed Stein
Norman Bass	Marvin Meyers	David Wall
Peter Behrendt	Jerome Miller	David Weinthal
Robert Belin	Raymond Miller	David Wekstein
Jacques Benninga	William Milman	Ed Wides
Phil Berger	Franklin Moosnick	Mark Wides
Marvin Bing	Monroe Moosnick	Joseph Wolf
Siegmond Bing	Seymour Moskowitz	David Wolsk
Julian Bloomfield	David Newburg	Myron Zuckerman
Louis Boyarsky	Bertram Peretz	
Alan Brock	George Proskauer	
Robert Case	Richard Raff	
Jack Cohen	Robert Randall	
Robert Cohen	Sumner Remer	
Steven DeKosky	Joe Rosenberg	
Louis Dubilier	John Rosenberg	
Louis Elvove	Sam Rosenstein	
Robert Goldsmith	Steven Rothke	
Kenneth Graulich	Nat Sandler	
Jake Green	Morris Scherago	
Mark Halleck	Bernard Schwab	
Stanley Isenstein	Ben Shraberg	
Leonard Lerner	Hyman Shraberg	
Eli Levy	Alan Siegel	
Melvin Levy	Malcolm Siegel	

1981 CKJA BUDGET APPROVED

At its December, 1980 meeting, the Board of Directors adopted the 1981 budget for the organization. The highlights of this budget are as follows:

Executive Committee

~~\$15,415~~ #21,810

This includes funds for printing and mailing, continuation of funding of the part-time secretary, some discretionary money and funds for a community worker.

Community Relations Committee

~~\$1,850~~ #4,550

Funds allocated to this committee will be used to continue to supply school calendars to the community. These calendars identify major and minor religious holidays and have contributed significantly to the policy of most of the major organizations in the community not to schedule events on Jewish holidays. Additional funds will be used to further develop appropriate dialogue and programs between the Jewish and non-Jewish communities.

Campaign Committee

~~\$5,900~~ #6,650

These are the funds that are necessary to have an annual campaign which supports Israel, numerous charities and local community activities and programs. Funds in this category are also used to support the annual Israel Bond Campaign.

Social Services Committee

~~\$13,150~~ #12,000

This committee administers the Israel and camp scholarships programs as well as the Emergency Loan Program. Funds have been given to this committee to bring ^{one} ~~two~~ new Russian families to Lexington in 1981.

Community Activities Committee

~~\$13,475~~ #13,390

The committee is responsible for the Forum, Camp Shalom, pre-school parties, Israel Independence Day celebration, and an Israeli Folk Dancing program. Although the Committee expends this much money, it also generates income from the sale of tickets to the Forum and tuition from Camp Shalom. The net cost to the community for Camp Shalom is \$2,210 and for the Forum \$3,000.

In addition to the above-listed expenses, the Board expects to provide over \$160,000 to the United Jewish Appeal and a variety of worthy charities.

A complete copy of the 1981 budget is available to any member of the Jewish community who wishes one. Contact Mr. Martin Barr, chairman of the Budget Committee at 278-7078.

PLANT A TREE IN ISRAEL

Tu B'Shevat has come and gone, but not our opportunity to commemorate the holiday. What better way to celebrate the holiday than to plant a tree in Israel in memory or in honor of someone special. Lexington has its own area in Israel, established by Hadassah, where our trees are planted, the Youth Garden of Central Kentucky. The cost of a tree is \$5.00. Remember, trees may be planted throughout the year and are always appropriate. To plant a tree contact Anita Mersack 266-0953.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Central Kentucky Jewish Association seeks to hire a half-time community worker to facilitate the delivery of Jewish community services, programs, and fund-raising activities.

Responsibilities include: coordinate volunteer activities and training; enhance communications; referrals to social service agencies; and general administration.

Applicants should submit resumes by March 6, 1981, including references and salary requirements to :

CKJA Search Committee
Allan Slovin, Chairman
2105 Island Drive
Lexington, Ky. 40502

Camp Shalom, the Jewish day camp operated by the Central Kentucky Jewish Association, seeks a director for the three-week 1981 season June 15 - July 4, 1981.

The successful candidate will be at least 21 years of age, and have experience with children and/or camp experience.

Send resumes to: Nancy Hoffman
3413 Pepperhill Road
Lexington, Ky. 40502

Deadline for receipt of applications in February 19, 1981.

CKJA FORUM SERIES

Our third Forum event of the 1980-81 season will be held on Sunday, March 8 at 8 pm at Temple Adath Israel. Murray Horwitz, stage, screen, and TV actor, will present AN EVENING OF SHOLOM ALEICHEM. Mr. Horwitz, whose performance is brought to us by the JWB Lecture Bureau, has created the world of Sholom Aleichem for theater audiences in Manhattan and Philadelphia, and for colleges and community audiences throughout North America. Reviewers have tagged Mr. Horwitz "The Jewish Mark Twain."

Overwhelming community support for the Forum Series enables us to offer ticket holders a fourth event this season. We are pleased to present Ms. Sally Fox on Sunday March 29 at 2:30 pm at Temple Adath Israel. Ms. Fox will bring us her special JEWISH INVOLVEMENT THEATER, which enables the audience to participate in open-ended plays in which Ms. Fox portrays several different characters. Ticket holders are encouraged to bring their mature teenagers to this dynamic dramatic presentation.

Susan Gerstel
CKJA Forum Chair

CKJA COMMITTEE CHAIRPEOPLE FOR 1981 ANNOUNCED

The Executive Committee is pleased to announce that the following people have assumed the responsibility to chair committees during 1981.

Campaign Committee - Allan Slovin
Men's Division Steven Caller
Women's Division Gail Cohen

Budget Committee - Martin Barr

Community Activities Committee - Kenneth Germain

Community Relations Committee - David Wekstein

Social Service Committee- Marilyn Gall

Each Committee chairperson is presently assembling a working committee. If you wish to be involved in any or all of these committees, please contact the appropriate person and volunteer your help.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE JANUARY, 1981 BOARD MEETING

In addition to the activities of the Board, as described elsewhere in the Newsletter, the Board approved formally a relationship with Louisville Four Courts (Hebrew Home for the Aged). Under this agreement, which is still to be approved by the Board of Directors of Four Courts, the Central Kentucky Jewish Association will be able to place five residents of Central Kentucky into Four Courts based upon the need of the person and where the applicant is on a chronological list. If and when the Central Kentucky Jewish Community has five persons in Four Courts and a sixth is on the top of the waiting list, there will be discussions and a decision made about the sixth admission.

In return for the right to admit non-Jefferson countians to Four Courts, CKJA will donate a one-time capital gift of \$10,000 to Four Courts and will agree to provide up to \$2,500 per year to Four Courts if they incur a deficit as a result of admitting residents from Central Kentucky.

Four Courts will give CKJA a position on its Executive Committee, Board of Directors and a vote on the Admissions Committee whenever that sixth Central Kentucky resident is being considered.

Although the Board of Directors hopes that no resident of Central Kentucky will need a facility such as Four Courts, the Board believes it is incumbent upon the community to provide a resource such as this to the community.

YOU ARE INVITED

We would be happy to have you worship with us on the occasion of the Bat Mitzvah of our daughter Susannah on Friday evening April 3rd at 8:00 pm at Ohavay Zion Synagogue.

We also invite you to an open house in Susannah's honor at our home 3414 Brandon Drive Saturday evening April 4 at 8:30 pm.

Steve and Macki Bobys

THE ANATOMY OF PREJUDICE

Transylvania University, CKJA and the National Council of Christians and Jews are co-sponsoring a two day program which addresses the issue of prejudice in our country. The program begins on Tuesday February 24th at 7:00 pm with a film The New Clan followed by a talk by the film's producer Eleonor Bingham Miller and a panel discussion among Dr. William Turner, Professor of Sociology at the University of Kentucky; Mr. Porter Peeples, Executive Director of the Urban League; and Dr. Carol Spotts, Professor of Education at Transylvania University. The program will be held in the Recital Hall of the Mitchell Fine Arts Center at Transylvania University.

Beginning at 9:00 am on Wednesday in the Morlan Gallery of the Mitchell Fine Arts Building there will be papers presented by students and faculty on various aspects of prejudice. This will continue throughout the day.

At 7:00 pm that evening in the Recital Hall will be the showing of the film Gentlemen's Agreement. Following the film there will be a panel discussion among Rabbi William Leffler of Temple Adath Israel; Reverend Ronald Byers of Second Presbyterian Church; Dr. Ben Lewis, Professor of Religion at Transylvania; and Mrs. Marilyn Moosnick, co-chairperson of the Community Relations Committee of CKJA.

The entire community is invited and encouraged to attend any and all of these activities.

CKJA CONTINUES TO OFFER SCHOLARSHIPS AND LOANS

The Central Kentucky Jewish Association continues to offer scholarships and loans to members of the community. There are three different programs for which a person may apply:

1. Israel Study Program - open to children enrolled in high school who wish to spend some time in Israel on an academic program. Each applicant is eligible to apply for a \$500 scholarship which is awarded by the Board based on demonstrated leadership and potential for continued leadership within the Jewish community.
2. Camp Scholarships - open to all children who wish to attend a not-for-profit Jewish camp. These scholarships are based on financial need and are awarded in various amounts depending upon the number of applicants and the extent of the need.
3. Emergency Loan Program - members of the Jewish community who find themselves in dire financial need are eligible to receive emergency interest-free loans from CKJA. Each applicant is treated in complete confidentiality.

For additional information about any of these programs please contact Marilyn Gall, chairperson the the Social Services Committee. She may be reached at 269-6598.

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Transylvania University, C.A. and the National Council on the Arts and the National Endowment for the Arts have joined in a program of study on prejudice. The program is being conducted by Dr. Robert J. Lifton, Professor of Psychology at the University of California, Los Angeles, and Dr. Carol Stagnor, Professor of Psychology at Transylvania University. The program will be held in the Auditorium of the University of Kentucky at Lexington, Kentucky, on Wednesday, February 14, 1968, at 8:00 pm. The program will consist of a lecture by Dr. Lifton and a panel discussion by Dr. Stagnor and Dr. Lifton. The lecture will be on "The Anatomy of Prejudice" and the panel discussion will be on "The Role of Prejudice in Society". The program is free and open to the public. Reservations are suggested. For more information, contact the University of Kentucky, Office of Public Affairs, Lexington, Kentucky 40506.

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