

# CENTRAL KENTUCKY JEWISH ASSOCIATION

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Now is the time to keep your commitment to the Jewish future.

# CAMPAIGN '85



Women's Division Chair Judy Levine and Co-Chair Simone Salomon at UJA Region Women's Division Leadership Conference.

#### WOMEN'S DIVISION

The CKJA/UJA Women's Division held their KICK-OFF to Campaign 1985, Sunday, October 7 at the Hyatt Regency Hotel. The afternoon, which began with a reception, was well attended by men and women of our community. The featured speaker was Mr. Jerry Abramson of Louisville. Mr. Abramson, who is a candidate for Mayor of Louisville, helped clarify the "Why's" of the Campaign.

Everyone agreed that the opening event was informative, educational and helpful. Many thanks to Harriet Cooper and her committee, Chris Eidelson and Barbara Grossman for a very enjoyable afternoon.

Next on the agenda is PACESETTERS, a Women's Major Gifts event, scheduled for Wednesday, November 28. At 6:30 p.m. everyone will gather behind the U.K. Football Stadium and board

trolleys bound for Warnerton Farm, the home of Mark Warner, on Versailles Road. The women will be treated to an elegantly catered dinner.

Special guest for the evening will be Attorney General Dave Armstrong. Ms. Mathilda Brailove from the National United Jewish Appeal Office will speak.

The BENEFACTORS Major Gifts Event is set for the first week of December at the home of Nancy Hoffman. Watch your mail for further details.

The Women's Division Board for Campaign 1985 stand ready to serve you:

Charlotte Baer Judy Baumann Liz Broudy Susan Caller Arlene Cohen Gail Cohen Harriet Cooper Vinnie Dubilier Chris Eidelson Sue Ezrine Alberta Gerson Terry Goldfarb Ellie Goldman Barbara Grossman Nancy Hoffman Evelyn Hymson

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### Partners For Life



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MARCH 31, 1985

#### MEN'S DIVISION

As a concerned Jew and a supporter of Israel, have you ever felt the frustration of wanting to be heard by the leadership of Jewish organizations or by Israel's leaders but not known how to effectively do this? Well, the 1985 CKJA Campaign is going to provide a vehicle for voicing your opinion on issues of principle.

To do this, the card confirming your 1985 Campaign pledge will be accompanied by a questionnaire dealing with several issues of principle that are of concern to American Jews. These issues will cover topics such as the law of return, West Bank settlements, Israel's relations with South Africa, who is a Jew, etc.

At the end of the Campaign, the returned questionnaires will be tallied and a summary report, to be published in the CKJA Bulletin, will be mailed to the Israeli Embassy, the Jerusalem Post, Israel's key political leaders, and the chairpersons of major Jewish organizations such as the Joint Distribution Committee, B'nai B'rith, the American Jewish Congress, AIPAC, the various rabbinical councils, and the like.

If this experiment proves to be effective, other Jewish communities likely will follow our example and thereby provide some real grassroots feedback to those whose decisions affect the future of the Jewish People.

Charlotte Baer is preparing the 1985 questionnaire. If you have suggestions for questions, issues, or format, please contact her as soon as possible.

Alvin Goldman Men's Division Chair Campaign 1985

#### PROJECT RENEWAL



LOUISVILLE MAYOR
HARVEY SLOANE
WILL SPEAK IN LEXINGTON

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1984
ON HIS RECENT TRIP TO ISRAEL

(location and time of meeting to be announced)



Yitzchak Machlauf ("Kushi") Chairman Sela Community Council

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## Community Worker Reports On Jewish Agency Assembly

Jerusalem, east and west, old and new, is more beautiful, and busier than ever. New construction, attractive landscaping, careful attention to the harmonious blending of traditional styles with modern needs have resulted in a capitol of which we can all be proud.

It was to this center that almost 400 delegates and 200 observers came from all over the free world this past June, to participate in the annual meeting of the Jewish Agency Assembly.

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The Jewish Agency for Israel (then Palestine) was formed in 1929, during the time of the British Mandate. It served as the representative body of the Jewish people in Palestine, and was directly responsible for their health, welfare and educational institutions. Major support, even then, came from fund-raising campaigns in Jewish communities throughout the world. When Israel became a state in 1948, much of the preparation for statehood had occurred within the Jewish Agency. In 1952, Israel's Knesset passed the "Law of Status", making the Jewish Agency and the World Zionist Organization responsible for the "ingathering of the exiles" and for their absorption in Israel. In 1971, the Jewish Agency was reconstituted and charged with responsibility for immigration and absorption from "lands of distress"; support for educational and youth activities, particularly Youth Aliyah; agricultural settlement and immigrant housing.

The Assembly meets annually to review the needs and programs of the Agency; to consider and act upon the budgets; and to determine basic policies. There is a Board of Governors elected by the Assembly which oversees the activities of the Agency between Assembly meetings.

For the first time participant the excitement is two-fold: first, to meet with and hear from so many of the men and women who occupy key leadership positions in the Jewish world; and second, to participate together with fellow Jews from Israel and the Diaspora in deliberations which ultimately impact on all of us. The concept of partnership becomes a reality rather than a slogan.

We met and deliberated in Jerusalem, but we also traveled out to experience the impact of the Jewish Agency first hand. We visited absorption centers and met new olim. We traveled to Youth Aliyah villages to experience the history of 50 years of rescue and rehabilitation of Jewish youth. At the Youth Aliyah installations we met some of the dedicated staff who work with each child as a unique individual, striving to enable each one to become a productive member of Israeli society.

On my own I visited our Project Renewal community, Netanya-Sela, and met several of the residents who have dedicated themselves to making their neighborhood "the best place to live in Israel". But if we do not fulfill our commitment to them, their efforts will only end in frustration. There is a lovely park attesting to our partnership, but there are also centers for older adults and neighborhood health care awaiting our funds to be completed.

In a determined effort to reduce the debts incurred by the Jewish Agency in the early years of statehood, Project Renewal was instituted on a "pay as you go" basis. If the money is not available, the projects are not begun or work in progress must be stopped. The commitment of the Israelis is intense — both the staff and the local residents. Our response and participation are vital if we are to succeed.

Together with my family I visited Kibbutz Ketura and former Lexingtonian Jeff Moosnick. This spot of green, located in the stark and barren Arava is also a testimonial to the Jewish Agency. The kibbutz was established eleven years ago, with start-up funds provided by the Agency. Today, with the agricultural base well under Continued at the bottom of page 6

# Israel Bonds announces improved \$250 Israel Certificate

Improved features for the \$250 State of Israel Certificate, including its acceptance toward the purchase of El Al Israel Airline tickets on flights to and from Israel, have been announced by the Israel Bond Organization.

The new Israel Bond instrument was established to increase identification with Israel by expanding the number of visitors to the country.

The certificates will now have the following graduated increases in their value each year if cashed in Israel for Israeli currency: after one year, \$260; after two years, \$275; after three

years, \$295; four years, \$320; five years (at maturity), \$360. Certificates must be at least one year old before they are accepted by El Al for tickets.

Another new feature provides that if the certificates are held to their five-year maturity and are not cashed in Israel, the holder can add \$200 and receive a \$500 Current Income Bond, giving the holder a \$50 bonus.

Or, the holder can receive the \$250 principal, and thus will have provided a loan to Israel. For further information, call CKJA at 277-8048.

Community Worker Reports on Jewish Agency Assembly, continued

way, the kibbutz is now negotiating with the Agency for an industrial project which will help its members attain financial independence.

The Rural Settlement Department today creates pioneering pre-settlements (Mitzpin) in the Galilee, opens up new settlement areas in the Negev and Arava, and assists settlers throughout Israel to develop new and creative uses for limited resources. These settlements serve a dual purpose of strengthening the economy and security of Israel. More than 80 have been established since 1971.

President Chaim Herzog addressed us at the opening plenary session. He gave full recognition to Israel's problems, which, as he said, cannot be hidden in an open society. But he also pointed out Israel's many accomplishments in health care, and high-tech industrial development, all within an open democratic society. "We have much to be proud of," he said, "and in that pride you are our partners."

The meetings happened to close on a day of both rejoicing and sorrow in Israel. A group of Israeli soldiers who had been held prisoners by the Syrians were finally released — the celebration tempered by the return of several bodies also held by the Syrians; and Yigal Yadin, military leader and hero, and internationally acclaimed archaeologist died. At that moment, as Board of Governors Chair Jerrold Hoffberger and Prime Minister Yitzchak Shamir spoke to us in the magnificent halls of the Knesset we were joined together physically and spiritually. We rejoiced and we mourned as one.

As it is said in Pirke Avot (Sayings of the Fathers), "Lo alecha ham'lacha ligmor; v'lo atah benchorin l'hibateyl mi-menah." "It is not incumbent upon you to finish the task; but neither are you free to refrain from it."

CENTRAL KENTUCKY JEWISH ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

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On Sunday, September 16, approximately 60 newcomers to the Central Kentucky area joined with representatives of the major Jewish organizations for an enjoyable afternoon of 'gettin' to know ya!' While the younger offspring romped on the grounds surrounding Carnahan House, the old timers and newcomers chatted and munched, while being entertained by the musical duet of Mike Lerner and Paul Pressman. A cool breeze and warm Blue Grass sunshine helped make the outing a tremendous success.

Central Kentucky has a vibrant Jewish community --- and it just got a little larger!

CKJA wishes to extend thanks to the many representatives of B'nai B'rith, Hadassah, Havurah, Synagogue and Temple for their hours of preparation and participation.

Watch your mail for the revised Community Booklet, Shalom Lexington.

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### UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY FACULTY ASSOCIATION ON JEWISH AFFAIRS (UKFAJA)

The newly formed U.K. Faculty Association on Jewish Affairs began its first year with activities that will deal with Jewish affairs both at the University and worldwide.

Ken Germain, a law professor and the association's president, said that initially the group would like to create a sense of fellowship and generate additional membership. According to its constitution, the purpose of the association is to promote a positive identification of the University community with Judaism, Israel and with the Jewish community, and to support a similar identification on the part of University students. Other goals are to respond promptly and effectively to situations that threaten Jewish life and culture and encourage research and relevant courses in Judaism at U.K.

The association's first program was September 24 at which time Professor Michael Meyer of Hebrew Union College spoke on "Anti-Semitism: Its Causes and Present Day Manifestations." Over 60 people attended the free lecture, and all agreed that the evening's program was both informative and thought provoking.

The next board meeting of UKFAJA will deal with two major concerns: assistance of Soviet Jewish academics, and response to anti-Jewish campus relations. The association is planning on instituting informal monthly meetings and remains open to suggestions for additional programs.

One of the association's initial goals -- increasing membership -- is definitely being met. However, there is always room for more participation. Membership dues of \$5 should be sent to Evelyn Geller, 3493 Sutherland Drive, Lexington, KY 40502.

#### CKJA Constitution/By-Laws

#### Revisions Proposed

The CKJA Constitution and By-Laws Revisions Committee, chaired by David Wekstein, has proposed a number of amendments to the existing By-Laws and Constitution of the Central Kentucky Jewish Association. These proposed changes will be discussed at the October meeting of the CKJA Board of Directors, October 24, 1984, at 8:00 p.m. at Ohavay Zion Synagogue. The changes will again be discussed and voted on at the November meeting of the Board of Directors, on Monday, November 26, 1984. All members of the Central Kentucky Jewish Association are encouraged to consider the changes and voice their opinions at either of the upcoming board meetings. Any other changes members wish to propose should be presented at these times also.

Article III, Section II

presently reads: If a member of the Association has not honored a pledge to any fund raising campaign of the Association within one year following the commitment, the chairperson of the Campaign Committee may move, at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of

Directors, that the member be dropped from the membership.

proposed change: If a member of the Association has not honored a pledge to any fund raising campaign of the Association within one year following the commitment, the chairperson of the Campaign Committee or any Board member may move, at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors, that the member be dropped from the membership.

Article IV, Section V

presently reads: The duties of the secretary shall be to record all proceedings of all meetings of the Board of Directors and to read the same at each subsequent meeting; to keep all valuable papers of the Association in a suitable file or vault designated by the

Board of Directors; ....

proposed change: The duties of the secretary shall be to record all proceedings of all meetings of the Board of Directors and to read the same at each subsequent meeting; to supervise the keeping of all valuable papers of the Association in a suitable file or vault designated by the Board of Directors: ...

Article VII

presently reads: At its meeting in January, 1979, and every two years thereafter, the Board of Directors shall nominate and elect from among its membership the officers of president, first vice-president, second vice-president, secretary and treasurer, each of whom shall serve for a two-year term commencing immediately upon election and ending with the installation of their respective successors. or a vacancy in their position by reason of resignation, death or other cause. If a Director vacates an office, the Board of Directors shall elect from its membership a replacement who will finish the term of office.

proposed change: a.) change Article VII to Article IV, Officers and Their Duties, Section VII

b.) At its meeting in January, 1979, .... If an officer vacates an office, the Board of Directors shall elect from its membership a replacement who will finish the term of office. Any nominee for any office must be eligible to serve as that officer for the full term of office.

#### Article V, Section I

presently reads: The Board of Directors shall oversee, supervise and manage the general affairs of the Association and have all powers to perform any acts with the same effects as if such acts were performed by the general membership of the Association. All members of the Board of Directors shall have one vote, except the president who shall cast a vote only in the event of a tie vote.

proposed change: The Board of Directors shall oversee, .... All members of the Board of Directors shall have one vote.

#### Article V, Section II

presently reads: Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall normally be held once each month, except such months as the Executive Committee shall determine to omit a meeting. Special meetings of the Board shall be held at the call of the president or any five directors upon written notice at least five days in advance of the meeting....

proposed change: Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall normally be held once each month, except such months as the Board of Directors shall determine to omit a meeting. Special meetings of the Board shall be held at the call of the president or any five directors upon written notice mailed at least 7 days in advance of the meeting....

#### Article V, Section IV

presently reads: The Board of Directors shall act by the majority of those present and voting, but in no event shall any resolution be deemed carried unless there be at least eight affirmative votes.

proposed change: The Board of Directors ....but in no event shall a resolution be deemed carried unless there be at least nine affirmative votes.

#### Article VI, Section II C

presently reads: Within two weeks after the general meeting a ballot containing all nominations shall be sent to every member of the Association.

proposed change: Within two weeks after the general meeting a ballot containing all nominations should be sent to every member of the Association. In order to be counted a ballot must be returned within two weeks after it was mailed to a member.

#### Article VI, Section II D

presently reads: The Nominating Committee shall also serve as a committee of tellers whose duties shall be to collect and tabulate the ballots and report the results to the president.

proposed change: Add: The results of the election shall be reported to the president no later than January 5 of the following year.

Article VI, Section VI

presently reads:

A. If a Director who has been appointed for a three-year term by an organization, vacates the position, the president of that organization shall appoint a replacement to complete the term of appointment.

B. If a Director who has been elected by the general membership vacates the position, the vacancy shall be filled for the remainder of the term by the person receiving the next highest number of ballots in the immediately preceding election who is willing to serve on the Board.

proposed change:

Add: C. If a director who has been elected by the membership vacates the position, and there is no one left in the pool from the previous election (as specified in B above) the president shall, with the advice and consent of the Executive Committee, appoint a member of the Association to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the term.

Article VIII

presently reads:

A motion to adopt a new program must be submitted in writing to the president by a member of the Board of Directors or by a majority report of a standing committee at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Directors, at which time it will be read to the Board. A copy of the motion must appear in the notices sent to each Board member to announce the next two regular meetings of the Board. At the first meeting the motion will be discussed. At the second regular meeting the motion will again be discussed and voted upon by the Board. A new program will be considered as adopted if the motion is approved by two-thirds of the Board members present and voting. At the request of any two Board members or at the discretion of the president, the vote on a motion which proposes a new program may be delayed one additional meeting.

proposed change:

A motion to adopt .... at which time it will be read to the Board. A copy of the motion must appear in the notices sent to each Board member to announce the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board. At this next regularly scheduled meeting the motion will be discussed and voted upon. A new program will be considered adopted if the motion is approved by two-thirds of the Board members present and voting. At the request of any two Board members or at the discretion of the President, the vote on a motion which proposes a new program may be delayed one additional meeting.

Article IX, Section I, C

presently reads: All Committees shall be composed of no less than three members. proposed change: All Committees shall be composed of no less than five members.

Article IX, Section III, F (Budget Committee)

presently reads: This committee shall consist of seven (7) members, two (2) of whom shall be the present chairperson and co-chairperson of the Campaign Committee.

proposed change: One member of this committee shall be the Campaign Chairperson.

Article IX, Section V (Community Relations Committee)

presently reads: A. This committee shall consist of at least nine members, at least three of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors.

proposed change: Eliminate Paragraph A; redesignate Paragraphs B and C as A and B, respectively.

Article IX, Section VI, D (Social Services Committee)

presently reads: This committee shall consist of no more than seven members, three of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors.

proposed change: Eliminate Paragraph D

Article IX, Section VII, D (Community Activities Committee)

presently reads: This committee shall consist of seven members.

proposed change: Eliminate Paragraph D

Article X (Annual Meeting)

presently reads: The annual meeting of the membership of the Association shall be

held in the month of November or December.

proposed change: The annual meeting of the membership of the Association shall be

held in the month of November.

Articles VIII through XIV should each be reduced by one number to become Articles VII through XIII.

#### CKJA COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES UPDATE

#### INTERACT

INTERACT II met Saturday, September 22 for a stimulating and enjoyable evening with Stephen Dann of the Cincinnati Jewish Federation. Mr. Dann spoke on Jewish Conciousness. The meeting took place at the home of Phyllis and Stanley Scher.

The next meeting of INTERACT II will be November 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Jim & Joyce Mischner. The topic that evening will be The Jewish Family.

#### ROSH HASHANAH, PRE-SCHOOL STYLE

Pre-schoolers in the Central Kentucky Jewish community celebrated Rosh Hashanah, Sunday, September 23 at the Lexington Hearing and Speech Center. About 25 children took part in various activities relating to the New Year, played games and made New Year's cards. The highlight of the afternoon was each child's attempt to blow the Shofar. In fact, some children were more successful at this than the adults.

Special thanks to Elayne Crystal for planning this delightful gathering, and to Aaron and Halley Faust for sharing their Shofars and expertise, and also to all the parents who stayed and helped.

Plans for a Chanukah Pre-school party, to be held December 9, 1984, are in the making

#### CKJA FORUM SERIES 1984-85 IN PLANNING STAGE

CKJA Community Activities Committee Chair Alana Leffler has announced that Marcia Blacker will chair the 1984-85 Forum. The selection committee has met several times and is contacting prospective entertainers and lecturers. An outstanding series is being planned for Spring of 1985. Series ticket prices will remain at \$10 per person, and patron tickets will again be \$20 per person.

#### VOTE... November 6, 1984

With the upcoming national elections less than one month away, the CKJA office secured from most of the major candidates seeking election information on a few issues of concern to the Jewish community. CKJA neither endorses nor supports any candidate over the other, but merely presents this information for your consideration.

#### PRESIDENT REAGAN

Defense spending: intends to increase defense spending to 7.7% of GNP by 1988 to strengthen American military; instituting limited deployment of MX Peacekeeper.

Nuclear arms:

opposes nuclear freeze; feels it would lock the U.S. & NATO into position of military disadvantage & remove Soviet incentive to negotiate.

Tsrael:

supports a strong & secure Israel; recognizes it as most consistent ally to U.S.; favors withdrawal of Israel troops from Lebanon.

Central America:

funding to Central American nations will be increased; offers strong backing to Contadora Group; will assist struggling & developing nations.

Prayer in Public Schools:

will lift the ban on school prayer for communities that want it; will not allow state-composed prayer; supports equal access legislation.

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#### MITCH McCONNELL

supports mutual, verifiable equitable bilateral freeze.

Israel:

Nuclear Arms:

favors military & economic aid to Israel, free trade agreement & moving U.S. Embassy to Jerusalem; does not support sophisticated military aid to avowed enemies of Israel.

Prayer in

Public Schools: favors legislation permitting organized prayer in public schools; supports equal access amendment.

#### SENATOR MONDALE

pledges strong defense in concert with allies based on coherent strategy and supported by sound economy; would terminate production of MX missile & B-1 bomber.

favors mutual & verifiable control of nuclear arms; would institute urgent measures to freeze & reverse arms race.

feels peace in Middle East rests with secure and defensible Israeli borders; opposes sale of advanced weaponry to avowed enemies of Israel; favors moving US Embassy to Jerusalem.

feels preservation of U.S. interests requires demilitarization of region; needs policy of social, economic & political reform.

supports principles of religious liberty, tolerance & church/state separation; supports Supreme Court decisions forbidding violations.

#### SENATOR HUDDLESTON

cosponsor of mutual & verifiable freeze; no unilateral effort but mutual restraint & reduction.

believes in cooperative & security arrangements between U.S. & Israel; cosponsored resolution on sale & delivery of F-16 aircraft to Israel; urged sophisticated weapons not be sold to Jordan.

prayer, not prepared by a government entity & entered into freely by students, should be permitted in public schools.

Nuclear Arms:

supports nuclear freeze; and immediate resumption of nuclear arms negotiations. does not support a unilateral freeze; must contain growth, however; supports mutual, verifiabl reduction talks with Soviets.

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supports security of the State of Israel, in general does not support foreign aid to any nations because appropriations aren't specific enough.

feels Israel's security should not be jeopardized; favors free trade with Israel.

Central America:

voted in favor of present 4/1 (economic/military) formula of aid; wants to see stability restored with democratic elections and U.S. presence diminished.

feels U.S. should aid economically area needs renegotiated debt relie: with economic assistance.

Prayer in Public Schools:

supports lifting ban on prayer in public schools; supports equal access amendment.

does not favor amending the Constitution in this regard.

Congressman Hopkins is a fiscal conservative who favors reducing government spending and is accessible and sensitive cit; trimming defense budget, to the issues of the Jewish community.

Mr. Hammond lists among his major concerns trimming the budget, increasing tax base, reducing defireducing waste & fraud.

#### TEMPLE SISTERHOOD MITZVAH CORPS

The Temple Adath Israel Sisterhood Mitzvah Corps, an organization of men and women age 50 years and over, again has another year of interesting and entertaining programs planned.

ON OCTOBER 23, 1984, at noon sharp, we will have a brown-bag luncheon with beverage provided. Carolyn Weinberger will present Anita Mersack, who will speak and show us slides of her recent trip to Israel. Hopefully we will be able to meet at our renewed Temple.

ON NOVEMBER 27, 1984, at our brown-bag luncheon, our speaker will be Professor Samuel J. Quick, who will speak about "The Giving and Receiving of Love".

The Mitzvah Corps has done one of the most interesting things: The Oral History of Central Kentucky Jews. To date we have interviewed 17 members of the Jewish community and hope to contact others in the coming month. These tapes will be in the archives of our Temple and also in the Department of Special Collections at the U.K. Library.

#### HEALTH MAINTENANCE SERIES UPDATE:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1984: Dr. Simeon Goldblum will speak on "Colds, Flus and Viruses and Shall I Take the Shots".

TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1985: Dr. Fudeko Maruyama will speak on Nutrition and Megavitamins.

The Health Maintenance Series is sponsored by the University of Kentucky Center on Aging. All lectures are at 4:00 p.m. in Room 230 of the new Student Center Building. Our daughter Adrienne Denise will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah

Friday, the nineteenth of October at eight o'clock in the evening at Temple Adath Israel.

We would be honored to have you worship with us on this joyous occassion and join us for an Oneg Shabbat following the services.

Michele and Richard Freed

Our son Joshua Evan will celebrate his Bar Mitzvah by conducting services on Friday, November 2, 1984 at 8:00 p.m.

and on Saturday, November 3 at 10:00 a.m. at Ohavay Zion Synagogue.

It would be our pleasure for you to worship with us and join us for the Oneg Shabbat following the Friday evening service. A Kiddush luncheon will follow the Bar Mitzvah service on Saturday. Please join us on Saturday evening at 8:00 p.m. for a Reception in Josh's honor at Saddlebrook Apartments Clubhouse

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With pride we invite you to worship with us at the Bar Mitzvah of our son, Stephen Aaron, Saturday, November 24, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. at Ohavay Zion Synagogue.

Please join us for a Kiddush luncheon immediately following services and an open house in Stephen's honor at 8:30 p.m. that evening at our home, 685 Shasta Circle Lexington, Kentucky

Judy and Robert Baumann



### HERITAGE: CIVILIZATION AND THE JEWS

What an exciting way to welcome 5745 — a true celebration of our peoplehood, from Abraham and Moses to Elizabeth Rosenberg and Joel White, "Heritage: Civilization and the Jews".

KET will broadcast the series on Fridays at 9:00 p.m. beginning October 5, and on the Thursdays following each initial broadcast at 7:00 p.m.

Following are program synopses:

1. A PEOPLE IS BORN (Thirteenth Century B.C.E. to Sixth Century B.C.E.), Friday, October 5 and Thursday, October 11.

The Jewish people is born amid the ancient civilizations of Egypt and Mesopotamia. From the days of Abraham, of Moses and the Exodus from Egypt, of the Kingdom of Israel and the struggles of its prophets, there comes a new faith based upon belief in a single, universal God.

2. THE POWER OF THE WORD (Sixth Century B.C.E. to Second Century B.C.E.), Friday, October 12 and Thursday, October 18.

A Jewish identity takes shape based on ideas, laws and traditions. This program chronicles the consolidation of the Jewish people and their exchange of ideas with the classical worlds of Greece and Rome.

3. THE SHAPING OF TRADITIONS (First to Ninth Centuries), Friday, October 19 and Thursday, October 25.

With the birth of Christianity, the course of the history of the Jews and of all Western civilization is forever altered. This program takes the viewer from the destruction of the Second Temple through the rise of Christianity and Islam and finally to the emergence of Judaism in Western Europe.

4. THE CRUCIPLE OF EUROPE (Ninth to Fifteenth Centuries), Friday, October 26 and Thursday, November 1.

The evolution of Jewish life in the turbulent Middle Ages is chronicled — from the flourishing of "Sephardic" Jewish culture in Muslim Spain to the deteriorating circumstances of European Jewish life that begins with the first crusade in 1096 and culminates in the expulsions of the Jews from Western Europe in the 14th and 15th centuries.

5. THE SEARCH FOR DELIVERANCE (1492 - 1789), Friday, November 2 and Thursday, November 8.

Focusing on the Jewish European experience, the program describes the flourishing Jewish communities in Eastern and Western Europe and their interaction with the intellectural, social, political and religious currents of the surrounding culture — the Renaissance, Reformation and Enlightenment.

6. ROADS FROM THE GHETTO (1789 - 1917), Friday, November 9 and Thursday, November 15.

Examining the confrontation between European Jewish society and modernity, this program covers the period of the Industrial and French Revolutions, the struggle for Jewish emancipation, the rise of modern anti-Semitism and the birth of Zionism.

7. THE AMERICAN JEWISH EXPERIENCE (1654 - 1932), Friday, November 16 and Thursday, November 22.

From colonial times through the Great Depression, this program traces the successive phases of Jewish emigration to America. It examines the nature of Jewish integration into American society and the variety of Jewish experiences in different parts of the country.

8. OUT OF THE ASHES (1917 - 1945), Friday, November 23 and Thursday, November 29.

The program examines the rise of Nazism and the mass murder of European Jewry. It addresses the universal meaning of the Holocaust as a tragedy for all humankind.

9. INTO THE FUTURE (1945 - Present), November 30 and Thursday, December 6.

The final program explores the rise of the State of Israel and its relationship with Jews in other parts of the world, the plight of Soviet Jewry and finally, the questions facing world Jewry today.

#### ABBA EBAN

#### Host, Narrator and Chief Consultant

Statesman, diplomat, scholar and author Abba Eban brings a unique wealth of knowledge and experience to his role as host of "Heritage: Civilization and the Jews".

From his days as a young Zionist, when he helped secure passage of the 1947 United Nations resolution that created the State of Israel, to his present position as a member of the Israeli Parliament (Knesset), Mr. Eban has played a significant role in Israel and the world.

Between 1959 and 1974, Mr. Eban served in the Israeli Cabinet as Minister Without Portfolio, Minister of Education and Culture, Deputy Prime Minister, and Minister of Foreign Affairs.

In the 1950s Mr. Eban held various diplomatic posts ranging from Israel's representative to the United Nations, Vice President of the General Assembly of the United Nations, and a dual role as both Israel's Ambassador to the United States and Chief Delegate to the United Nations from 1950 - 1959.

Born in 1915 to Lithuanian immigrants in Capetown, South Africa, at seven months Eban moved with his family to London. Later, he studied Middle Eastern languages and literature at Cambridge University. During World War II, he served as Major in the British Army, as Intelligence Officer in Jerusalem training Jewish volunteers, and in 1943 as Chief Instructor of the Middle East Arab Center in Jerusalem, at which time he established his permanent home in Palestine. Mr. Eban and his wife Suzan make their home in Herzliya, Israel. They have two children, Eli and Gila.

In addition to his forthcoming book Heritage: Civilization and the Jews,
Mr. Eban has written numerous books, including My People, Abba Eban: An Autobiography,
and The New Diplomacy: International Affairs in the Modern Age.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
14	15	16	17	18 CKJA offi	ce closed	20
7:30 p.m. OZS Adult Discussion at Sara & Erle Levy's				Shmini Atzereth	Adrienne Freed Bat Mitzvah - TAI Simchat Torah	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		12 noon Mitzvah Corps				
	8 p.m. CKJA CRC Committee		8 p.m. CKJA Board	8 pm Hadassah Disc. Judy Saxe's		
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
Hadassah Flea Market	8 p.m. CRC School Liaison Meeting - Baer's	OZS Sisterhood		Hadassah Big Gifts Event	Josh Cohen Bar Mitzval	- Ohavay Zion Synagogue
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		ELECTION DAY			Salami-on-Rye	
Hadassah Big Gifts Event		Temple Board Meeting Synagogue Board Meeting	Hadassah Board Hting		TA1 - Kiddy Kiddush	
//	12	13	14	15	16	17
Scholar in Residence		1	10 a.m. TAI Sisterhood	General Assembly in Toronto		
Annette Daum, TAI	Mayor Harvey Sloane speaks in Lexington on his trip to Israel	Hadassah		Hadassah Discussion		

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#### VATICAN RELINQUISHES CONTROL OVER JEWISH CATACOMBS

The Jewish community of Italy has welcomed the removal of control of the Jewish catacombs of Italy from the Vatican by the new concordat between the Italian state and the Holy See.

The Unione Delle Comunita Israelitiche Italiane, the central representative body of Italian Jewry and WJC affiliate, had been largely instrumental in forcing the change in provisions in the old concordat of 1929 — negotiated between the Vatican and Benito Mussolini's government — which placed all catacombs under Vatican control.

The new concordat between the Republic of Italy and the Holy See,

signed on February 18, 1984, in its article 12, stipulates that "the Holy See retains control over the Christian catacombs existing on Italian territory ... relinquishing control of the other catacombs."

In a statement Fritz Becker, director of the WJC Rome office, said: "This represents the crowning of the strenuous efforts made over many years of negotiations by the Union of Italian Jewish Communities, an undertaking strongly supported by the World Jewish Congress in all its phases.

"The Jewish catacombs in Italy, which represent a priceless source of information on Jewish life of antiquit will henceforth be controlled by the Italian state."