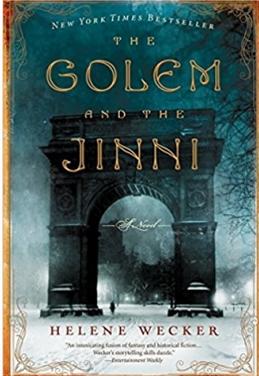


# what's happening @ PARK SLOPE HADASSAH

## No Snow Book Club and Pot Luck Supper



Monday, May 13, 2019, 6:30 P.M.

At the lovely home of Hazel Tishcoff

323 Rugby Road

(Q train to Cortelyou Road)

\$20 Contribution (\$25 Non-members, +\$5 at the door)

Bring a dairy dish or dessert to our pot luck feast.

Questions? Contact Ethel at [ethelgold53@yahoo.com](mailto:ethelgold53@yahoo.com) or

(718) 434-6264

We are reading *The Golem and the Jinni* by Helene Wecker. The discussion will be led by Amy Schoenfeld.

In *The Golem and the Jinni*, a chance meeting between mythical beings takes readers on a dazzling journey through cultures in turn-of-the-century New York. Chava is a golem, a creature made of clay, brought to life to by a disgraced rabbi who dabbles in dark Kabbalistic magic and dies at sea on the voyage from Poland. Chava is unmoored and adrift as the ship arrives in New York harbor in 1899. Ahmad is a jinni, a being of fire born in the ancient Syrian desert, trapped in an old copper flask, and released in New York City, though still not entirely free. Ahmad and Chava become unlikely friends and soul mates with a mystical connection.

Marvelous and compulsively readable, Helene Wecker's debut novel *The Golem and the Jinni* weaves strands of Yiddish and Middle Eastern literature, historical fiction and magical fable, into a wondrously inventive and unforgettable tale.

**The book is available at the Brooklyn Public Library and book sellers, including Amazon.com.**

Reply by Friday, May 10 to: Sandy Dann, 960 East 16 Street, Brooklyn NY 11230

Reserve \_\_\_\_ seats at Park Slope Hadassah's No Snow Book Club (\$20)

Make checks payable to *Hadassah*. Check # \_\_\_\_\_

I will bring \_\_\_\_\_ to the dairy pot luck supper

\_\_\_\_ I would like to contribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to help sponsor Park Slope Hadassah's events.

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