

UPCOMING EVENTS: MAY 2017

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YON HA'ATZMAUT:

Tuesday, May 2nd from 3:30PM - 7:00PM

Join us to celebrate Yon Ha'atzmaut (Israel Independence Day) at the Palo Alto JCC.

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JPAC'S ANNUAL ADVOCACY DAY:

Monday, May 8, 2017 - Tuesday, May 9, 2017 Citizen Hotel - Sacramento, CA

JPAC's annual Advocacy Day is the culminating effort of months of research, coalition building and convening to bring concerned citizens from across California to Sacramento to meet with key legislators and staff on issues that impact our community, whether it is seniors living on SSI/SSP, early childhood education, or anti-Semitism. Together we can make the voice of the Jewish community heard where it counts. Please join us!

For more information: WWW.JPAC-CAL.ORG

ANNOUNCEMENTS: DEAR SEQUOIA CHAPTER MEMBERS,

Beginning with the September 2017 Bulletin, we will discontinue sending the paper version of the Bulletin to all Sequoia members who have access to e-mail. Bulletin production costs have risen to the point where we must minimize the number of paper Bulletins we print and mail. We must therefore move to exclusively electronic distribution of the Bulletin for those members with e-mail addresses. Members receiving the Bulletin by e-mail are welcome to print it out at home.

Please help us by ensuring that we have your current e-mail address on file: send e-mail updates to SequoiaChapter@Hadassah.org. Thank you for your help, and please remember that lowering printing and mailing costs helps increase resources available for Hadassah's programs and activities.

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BOARD MEETING:

May 9th at 7:30PM - Due to conflict with Yon Ha'atzmaut (Israel Independence Day) the meeting will be the following week at - Moldaw Senior Residences - 899 Charleston Ave., Palo Alto. You are all, always welcome.

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TEA TIME READERS:

COMMONWEALTH by Ann Patchett

Wednesday, May 10th at 1:00p.m., home of Marilyn David Krasnet. Please let the hostess know if you are coming. RSVP with SequoiaChapterRSVP@Hadassah.org. New members always welcome.

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THURSDAY NIGHT LOCAL AUTHOR'S SERIES

Sequoia Hadassah is Proud to Present Preeva Tramiel, "The Girl on the Wall"

Thursday, May 18, 2017 7:30P.M. - 9:00P.M., Congregation Kol Emeth, 4175 Manuela Ave, Palo Alto

RSVP - SequoiaChapterRSVP@hadassah.org

Minimum donation \$10.00. For more information, contact Sue Hartenbaum cell 310/721-1562



The Girl on the Wall is Preeva's personal memoir about growing up in the 60's and 70's in New York as the child of holocaust survivors, Jack and Helen. She says that her story is about searching for the truth of the past and finding self confidence. Please join us for this special evening, and walk in Preeia's footsteps in her search for family secrets, which she tells, as one reviewer notes, with humor and grace.

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EVENING BOOK GROUP:

THE STORIED LIFE OF A.J. FIKRY by Gabrielle Zevin

Monday, June 12th at 7:30p.m., home of Janice Rosen. RSVP with SequoiaChapterRSVP@Hadassah.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS: JNF TREE CERTIFICATES AND HADASSAH CERTIFICATES

In honor of

Ezra's pidyon haben
Lillian Lesnick

the marriage of Joe Schwartz, son of Ellen and
Marvin, to Devra Romm
Sue Hartenbaum

Diane & Jon Claerbout's 50th Anniversary
Sue Hartenbaum
Bobbie & Jerry Wagger

Miriam & Admon Buzi's 50th Anniversary
Bobbie & Jerry Wagger
Carol Tannenwald, Laura, Eric & Family

Mazel Tov to

Bee Shtulman Cherkas on her 80th birthday
Sue Hartenbaum
Leah & Ralph Bernstein
Beverly Taxin
Carol Tannenwald

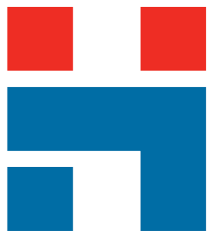
Phil Spiegel on his 80th birthday
Sue Hartenbaum
Leah & Ralph Bernstein

Ellen & Jerry Cohn for receiving the Broward
County Sherriff's Office Annual Award
Sue Hartenbaum

Bernie Rosen on his 90th birthday
Bobbie & Jerry Wagger
Sandy Coplon
Jean & Bryan Myers
Carol Tannenwald

In memory of

Sarah "Sari" Shifrin
Marta Lipszyc
the Bismanovsky Family
Lorraine Bernzweig
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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED

BOARD MEETING:

June 6th at 7:30PM - Every first Tuesday night is our Board meeting at - Moldaw Senior Residences - 899 Charleston Ave., Palo Alto. Sandy Sidorsky, our Region President will join us. All are welcome.

OPPORTUNITIES

Charitable deductions are allowed to the extent provided by law. Hadassah intends to respect your wishes regarding these gifts, however in accordance with US tax law requirements regarding deductibility of contributions, Hadassah shall have full dominion, control and discretion

Hadassah Greeting Cards – Cards for every occasion available at \$3 per card. Contact Bobbie Waggoner 650/223-7174.

Associates – Men of all ages become lifetime affiliates for a one time gift of \$250 (just like Life Membership) which is invested in an endowment fund for research in Hadassah medical programs. For more information, call Phil Spiegel at 650/369-8155.

Membership dues – Life Membership for 2017 is \$250. Annual Membership remains at \$36. For more information, call Lois Blank (Vice President of Membership).

Keepers of the Gate – This annual giving program sets the standard for action-oriented philanthropy with emphasis on healing. By making an annual gift of \$1000, contributors are creating a world free of life-threatening diseases. To become a KEEPER OF THE GATE or to join CHAI SOCIETY for either \$180 or \$360 per year, please contact Bee Cherkas at 650/223-7143.

Young Judaea Camp Scholarships – A donation will help send a child to summer camp or on an Israel summer or gap year program.

CALENDAR / AD BOOKS – Available, if you want one please call Sue 310/721-1562.

Certificates – Hadassah certificates (min. donation of \$18 for an 8.5" x 11" certificate and/or a donation of \$5 or more for a 5.5" x 8.25" certificate 'IN MEMORY OF' or 'IN HONOR OF') can be ordered and sent for all occasions. Mail check made payable to *Hadassah* with pertinent information to Fran Bennett, 233 Tennyson Ave, Palo Alto, California 94301. Contact info: 650/838-9451

Youth Aliyah – These programs prepare disadvantaged youngsters who move to Israel to become productive citizens. Certificates start at \$30; please add \$1.00 for postage. Please call Eileen Shaine at 650/888-4518 to donate or for more information.

JNF Tree Certificates – Support the Jewish National Fund and acknowledge an occasion by sending a JNF Tree Certificate. Each tree is \$18. Please send your check made out to *Hadassah* with pertinent information to Linda Ziff at 510 Torwood Lane, Los Altos, Ca 94022 or call 650/948-2553.

JNF Blue Boxes – Call Janet Teman at 650/364-3925 for more information.

Take a look at our new chapter website! It includes chapter announcements, information about upcoming events, and Bulletin newsletters:

<http://www.hadassah.org/regions/central-pacificcoast/chapters/sequoia/sequoia.html>



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