

We Have A Group That's Right for YOU!

### SHIRIM HA EMEK

Geographic Location: West Valley, Encino, Northridge and Tarzana.

Active & caring women 65+. We offer exciting educational programs, book clubs, fundraising events, lunch out, theater and other special activities. No minimum donation is required. Check us out! You'll be glad that you did! We meet every other month on either the 3rd Tues. in the evening alternately on the 3rd Sun. at 10:00AM at The Village in Northridge near the Mall.

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### SHOSHELOT

Geographic Location: Camarillo, Conejo Valley and surrounding areas.

Diverse, welcoming women ages 30-60's offering educational programs, holiday themed events, and just for fun outings.

Co-Presidents & Membership Chairs:

Ellen Brand [ellensbrand@aol.com](mailto:ellensbrand@aol.com)

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### SOUTH VALLEY

Geographic Location: Studio City-Calabasas

Dynamic Women 60-70's who meet every 6-8 weeks from 6-9pm. Meetings include dinner, a short meeting, followed by something educational, just for fun or book club with a professional facilitator. This committed, passionate group requires Life Membership and a \$360 annual gift of \$360.

President: Georgia Capo - 818.789.5442

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## NORTHERN AREA

Welcome to the Northern Area of Hadassah Southern California! We are comprised of 12 groups with nearly 4,000 members located in the San Fernando and Santa Clarita Valleys, and north to San Luis Obispo.

Our members are dynamic, committed women of all ages. Working women, stay-at-home mothers and women of all generations have found a way to connect with our organization and make Hadassah an important part of their lives.



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## B'YACHAD

Geographic Location: West Valley

Energetic women in their 40's & 50's who are the new faces of Hadassah. We have warm, wonderful, social and active members who are passionate about Hadassah, FUNdraising and the community. We offer monthly day and evening fun, educational programs and Book & walking clubs.

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## DORIA

Geographic Location: San Fernando Valley

Active, vibrant, interesting women 60's and up who get together the 3rd Thursday every other month, mostly during the day. We offer numerous special interest groups covering topics such as Women's Issues, Book Club, Mahj Jong and scrabble groups as well as a Breakfast group. We are passionate about Hadassah! A gift of \$200 is required annually in addition to membership if you are not a life member.

President: Judith Moss - 818.679.8504

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## EMEK HA ILANOT

Geographic Location: Conejo Valley Calabasas to Newbury Park

Warm, friendly women 40's to 60's. Meetings are educational and fun with diverse interests from women's health issues to belly dancing, hiking, crafts and movie nights. We meet 1st Wed at 7:00pm.

Co-Presidents: Laurie Volk: laevolk@msn.com

Ellen Hustead: efgustead@yahoo.com

Membership Chair:

Deborah Barr: [kitchenpigs@yahoo.com](mailto:kitchenpigs@yahoo.com)

## HEVRA

Geographic Location: Conejo & West Valleys

Vivacious women 60's and up, offering wonderful programs covering areas of interest to Jewish women: topical subjects, health issues, authors, fun events like game day annual Chanukah party, as well as an annual Shabbat dinner. Meets 3rd Thursdays.

Interim President: Jean Blumin jean@blumin.com

Membership Chair: Marion Clofine

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## K'HELAH SHEL NASHIM

Geographic Location: Conejo Valley  
West San Fernando Valley.

Welcoming women 50's-60's. We are a recently chartered, diverse group of warm, inclusive women that have a passion for many different ways to give. We enjoy membership coffees, happy hours and planning major fundraising activities. Our education chairs work diligently to find the most appropriate material to bring to an event so they can share with us the many ways in which Hadassah is bringing extraordinary work to the world. We love to be social while doing amazing work for Hadassah.

President: Cheryl Stark - 818.317.0585

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## KOCHAVA

Geographic Location: Valencia, Santa Clarita

Vivacious, young women of the Santa Clarita Valley 30's to 50's. Fun, educational and creative gatherings balancing learning about Hadassah and enjoying time together.

Co-Presidents & Membership Chairs:

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Marlene Bernstein - markiem@ca.rr.com

## KOLOT NASHIM

Geographic Location: Santa Clarita Valley

Warm & friendly Women 50's and up. Our group provides a variety of programs. We don't meet regularly, but when we do it usually takes place the 3rd Thursday of the month at 7pm.

President: Louise Goudchaux

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Membership Chair: Natalie Tamsut

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## RUACH

Geographic Location: San Fernando Valley

Ruach is a warm, friendly, spirited, new group of social, fun women in their late 40's & up. Ruach welcomes Annual, Life & Associate Members with a FUNdraising goal to become Annual Givers. We host social & educational events, activities & clubs of interest to support Hadassah. We look forward to meeting you!

President: Jamie Armin

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Membership Co-Chairs:

Esther Winard estherwinard@yahoo.com

Carolyn Kheel ckheel@roadrunner.com

## SANTA BARBARA

Geographic Location: Santa Barbara

We are a warm, welcoming, multi-generational diverse group, chartering over fifty years ago! We continue to offer exciting, informative programs addressing various interests of this active, diverse community, while raising awareness of Hadassah and its projects. We meet 2nd Tuesday of the month at 5:30pm. We are proud of our collaboration with local Jewish organizations such as the women of B'nai B'rith, Federation and Hillel.

President & Membership Chair:

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