

THE MINI-SCROLL

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Parshas Ki Seitzei

This week's kiddush is sponsored by OSTT

Guest Speaker during Shalosh Seudos – Mr. Tzvi Binn of the Efrat Organization. Find out how one organization in Israel saves 1,000 lives a year.

Friday Aug 20	Shabbos Aug 21	Sunday Aug 22	Monday Aug 23	Tuesday Aug 24	Wednesday Aug 25	Thursday Aug 26
<p>Shacharis 6:30 am</p> <p>Mincha 6:45 pm</p> <p>Preferred Candle Lighting by: 7:15 pm but not earlier than <u>6:32 pm</u></p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:38 pm</u></p>	<p>Parsha Class 8:15 am</p> <p>Shacharis 8:50 am</p> <p>Classes (see below) 6:10 – 7:10 pm</p> <p>Mincha 7:10 pm</p> <p>Shalosh Seudos 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:39 pm</p>	<p>Shacharis II 8:30 am</p> <p>Mincha 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:35 pm</p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:39 pm</u></p>	<p>Shacharis 6:20 am</p> <p>Mincha 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:35 pm</p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:39 pm</u></p>	<p>Shacharis 6:30 am</p> <p>Mincha 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:35 pm</p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:39 pm</u></p>	<p>Shacharis 6:30 am</p> <p>Mincha 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:35 pm</p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:39 pm</u></p>	<p>Shacharis 6:20 am</p> <p>Mincha 7:30 pm</p> <p>Maariv 8:35 pm</p> <p>Sanhedrin Shiur 8:15 pm</p> <p>Krias Shema should be repeated after: <u>8:39 pm</u></p>

COMMUNITY INFO

- If you want to sponsor a Kiddush please contact Chava Elbaum at celbaum@gmail.com or 301.570.0763.
- Do you know someone who needs help with meals or in other ways? Sisterhood wants to help. Please contact Rachael Shields at 301.260.1866
- To schedule a Mikvah appointment, please call (301) 774-2880 and leave a message. (This is a confidential dedicated phone line.) Messages are checked every night at 10:00 p.m. and returned the following day. Questions concerning the Mikvah should be directed to Gershona Marcus at (301) 570-8156 or (301) 460-5385.
- Lost and Found Notice- All items left in the JFC will be declared Hefker/ownerless each Rosh Chodesh. Please check for personal belongings at the bottom of the lower level staircase.

Shabbos class schedule

- 6:10 – 7:10 1.) Sanhedrin Shiur - *Rabbi Milikowsky*
 2.) "The Path to Our Return" - *Rabbi Fink (Living room)*

❖ NO YOUTH PROGRAMMING FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

- ❖ Sunday, August 22nd from 10am-11am at the Tobb home is the second in a three part series about **Women's Health and Fitness**. An introductory Dvar Torah will be given. For more information please check the attached flyer. All women are encouraged to attend.

The Jewish Agenda

Ben Schwartz

Please feel free to share your opinions with me at any time, in shul or through email – BenRSchwartz@gmail.com - about these stories or ideas for the future.

‘New’ Polish Jews visit Israel

A group of 22 young Poles who recently discovered they have Jewish roots is visiting Israel.

The group arrived Aug. 15 for a three-week educational seminar in Jerusalem run by Shavei Israel, a nonprofit that works with “lost” Jewish communities around the world.

Most of the participants were raised Catholic and are in their 20s. They come from various cities in Poland.

The group will study Hebrew and learn about Jewish culture and religion, as well as the history of Israel.

According to Shavei Israel, approximately 4,000 Jews are registered in Poland today, but many others may be hiding their Jewish identity or be unaware they have Jewish roots.

Israeli economy surprises with pace of growth

Exports and consumer spending increased, helping to send up growth in the second quarter by an annualized 4.7 percent, Bloomberg reported.

The expansion rate rose from a revised 3.6 percent in the first quarter, the Jerusalem-based Central Bureau of Statistics said Monday on its website.

The median forecast of six economists surveyed by Bloomberg had predicted growth of 2.9 percent. The statistics bureau reported last month that the economy grew a preliminary 3.4 percent in the first three months.

“This is really an economy running on all pistons,” said Jonathan Katz, a Jerusalem-based economist for HSBC Holdings Plc, who forecast 3.7 percent growth. “Down the road, the Bank of Israel will have to increase interest rates. This is

clear to them, clear to everyone, and the pace may surprise many.”

The Israeli economy’s rebound from the global financial crisis has been powered by exports, which make up nearly half of gross domestic product.

Israeli takes gold after Irani withdraws

An Israeli won a gold medal in the Youth Olympic Games when his Iranian opponent withdrew before the finals, citing injury. Gili Haimovitz, 17, took home the gold Sunday in tae kwan do when Mohammad Soleimani pulled out of their match in the 106-pound category. The Iranian delegation said Soleimani had aggravated an injury and had been taken to a hospital for treatment, the Associated Press reported.

Israeli officials said that they had expected Iran to refuse to compete and that the withdrawal was politically motivated. Iran in the past has stated that its policy is to withdraw from competing against Israel because it does not recognize the country.

“When Gili won the semifinal, we knew the Iranian was making the final,” Daniel Oren, the head of the Israeli delegation at the Singapore Games, told AP. “Already we knew that the Iranians would not come.”

An Iranian official did not respond to calls from the AP seeking comment.

A spokesman for the International Olympic Committee, Mark Adams, said, “My understanding is that he was taken to hospital and unable to compete.”

Haimovitz said he was happy to have won gold.

“Actually, I don’t want to get into politics or that kind of thing,” he said. “I don’t know. I was ready for a fight. If he came out or not, I don’t care.”

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Women's Health & Fitness Shiur Series



For Women 40 and over, almost 40, or who will be 40 one day!

Shiur introductions by Denise Katz



Making time for fitness

*Presented by Shevi Kurcfield: Sunday August 15, 10 am
4109 Morningwood Drive, Olney, 301-570-8634*

*Get insight on how you can incorporate fitness into your life,
even if you have a busy schedule*

Starting a fitness program

*Presented by Wendy Tobb: Sunday August 22 at 10 am
2219 Carter Mill Way, Brookeville, 301-570-5702*

*Come and hear practical advice on starting a fitness
program and get a tour of Wendy's gym & exercise
equipment*

Health issues faced by women 40 and over

*Presented by Karin Rosenthal: Sunday August 29, 10 am
18685 Queen Elizabeth Dr, Brookeville 301-774-8005*

*Get information on various health issues facing women as
we age and how to counteract/address them*

For more information or to RSVP
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