



# Young Israel of Chomedey Congregation Chevra Mishnayis

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## YIC Weekly Newsletter Oct 6 - 12 / 7 - 13 Tishrei

DAY	DATE	SCHACHRIS	MINCHA / MARIV
SUNDAY	Oct 06	08:30 AM	6:15 PM
MONDAY	Oct 07	07:00 AM	6:15 PM
TUESDAY	Oct 08	07:00 AM	Mincha 1:00 PM Kol Nidrei 6:15 PM
WEDNESDAY	Oct 09	08:00 AM YOM KIPPUR	Mincha 4:30 PM Neilah 5:45 PM
THURSDAY	Oct 10	07:00 AM	6:15 PM
FRIDAY	Oct 11	07:00 AM	6:00 PM <b>Shabbat Starts:</b> 5:58 PM
SATURDAY	Oct 12	Parshat: HA'AZINU No Rabbi's Class: Schachris: 09:00 AM followed by Kiddish	No Rabbi's Mincha Class: Mincha at: followed by Shalosh Seudos Ma'ariv: <b>Shabbat Ends:</b> 6:00 PM 6:50 PM 6:59 PM

### G'mar Hatimah Tovah

*To those I may have wronged,  
I ask forgiveness.*

*To those I may have helped,  
I wish I had done more.*

*To those I neglected to help,  
I asked for understanding.*

*To those who helped me,  
I thank you with all my Heart...*



*Have an  
Easy Fast*

**KIDDISH SAT OCT 5:** This week's kiddush was sponsored by the shul.

**HOLIDAY CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES:** Please check your Rosh Hashana bulletin for the exact times to light the Yom Kippur candles, Yizkor, etc.

**BIRTHDAYS:** a) **MAZAL TOV & HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to VP Fred Rudy, who celebrates his 78th birthday B"H tomorrow Oct 6. Nobody works harder - physically - to make sure that everything gets done, and I mean everything. Fred will not leave the Sanctuary, unless everything is shipshape for when services start. So we all wish Fred the bestest and healthiest of birthdays with many more to come in good health 'til 120. b) **MAZAL TOV** and **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Dr. Jonathan Finkelstein - Meshulem Ben Yoel - who will be turning 39 years old on Wednesday, October 9 ad 120! With unconditional love from the entire Finkelstein Family.

**MAZAL TOV:** To Rabbi Banon, and the Banon Family on the birth of a baby boy to the Rabbi's sister Esther and Motti Goldstein in New York. B"H mom and baby are doing well!

**SHABBAT WELCOME:** A special Shabbas welcome to Larry Shadowitz, Nathalie and Adrian Bercovici, and Yosef Haim Lallouz who were with us in shul this Shabbat Shuva. Nice to see you all!

**MISSING TALEISIM:** On Monday, the 1st day of Rosh Hashana - two Taleisim (Tallitot) went missing from our sanctuary. One Tallis was worn by Chuck Smith, son of Dave Smith. He put it aside when he went out for a moment, and when he came back it was gone. This Tallis has great sentimental meaning to the Smith family, as it was the Bar Mitzvah Tallis of the late Stanley z"l, Dave's son who passed away almost two years ago. The Tallis was a 20"x 72" blue and white traditional viscose Tallis (silky not woollen) with silver threading and embroidery. Obviously someone picked it up by mistake and put it in their Tallis bag.

**PLEASE** - we are asking our entire YIC membership as well as the Shaar Shalom membership, to check their Tallis bags to see if by mistake they have it. If you have it, please leave it on one of the two chairs on the BIMA. The other Tallis belongs to Bernie Peroff. No details, but please check and if it is not familiar, then it is obviously not yours; again, please put it on the bima as above. Thank you!

**SIMCHAT TORAH:** Young Israel and Shaar Shalom are jointly sponsoring a beautiful sit-down Simchat Torah dinner with wine, after services and Hakafot on Monday Oct 21. Please note the posters affixed to the doors, for details. Tickets will be sold through Shaar Shalom offices only, and will be available starting this Sunday. Please try to pay cash or by cheque and not by credit card if possible for this event only. Tickets are \$20 each which is almost nothing; the balance is subsidized by both shuls. Children under 12 are **FREE!** As always space is limited, so purchase your tickets early. The party is open to YIC and Shaar Shalom members and immediate families **ONLY!!!** **ERRATUM:** Please note that the shul posters and tickets for the Simchat Torah dinner tickets have Sept 21st instead of Oct 21st printed on them. This is of course wrong - so please ignore. The correct date as seen on the attached poster to this newsletter is **Monday evening Oct 21st.**

\*\*\*\*\* VIDEOS & IMAGES \*\*\*\*\*

**YOSSI COHEN: MOSSAD SPY CHIEF STOLE IRAN'S SECRET NUCLEAR ARCHIVES**

<https://www.jpost.com/Israel-News/Yossi-Cohen-The-Mossad-spy-chief-who-stole-Irans-secret-nuclear-archives-602811>

**Albania's endangered Jewish museum celebrates 'rebirth'**

[https://www.timesofisrael.com/albanias-endangered-jewish-museum-celebrates-rebirth/?utm\\_source=The+Daily+Edition&utm\\_campaign=daily-edition-2019-09-30&utm\\_medium=email](https://www.timesofisrael.com/albanias-endangered-jewish-museum-celebrates-rebirth/?utm_source=The+Daily+Edition&utm_campaign=daily-edition-2019-09-30&utm_medium=email)

**ELECTIONS:** Once again, I encourage and remind everyone that voting registration office are open every day Monday to Friday from 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM; and on Sundays from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM. Instructions are at the end of the newsletter.

**ALIYAS and HOLIDAY HONOURS:** The Yom Kippur Holiday Honours have been finalized. Many members have already been informed at what time they are expected to be in shul to avail themselves of such honours. It is virtually impossible to cater individually to each member with respect to his preference for what honours are available, or the preferred time for such honours. Prayers start at 8 AM, and of course the honours are spread throughout the hours (approximate) of the Yom Kippur Service. Please try to come as early as possible so as not to miss your honour as it comes up.

**REFUAH SHLEMA:** a) A **REFUAH SHLEMA** to Billy Rubin, who is not doing very well as he battles Parkinsons. Let us all take the time to think of Billy and wish him B"H a speedy recovery as we enter a new year. b) And a **REFUAH SHLEMA** to all of us who are not feeling too well, and at this time c) a **REFUAH SHLEMA** to all **KLAL YISRAEL**.

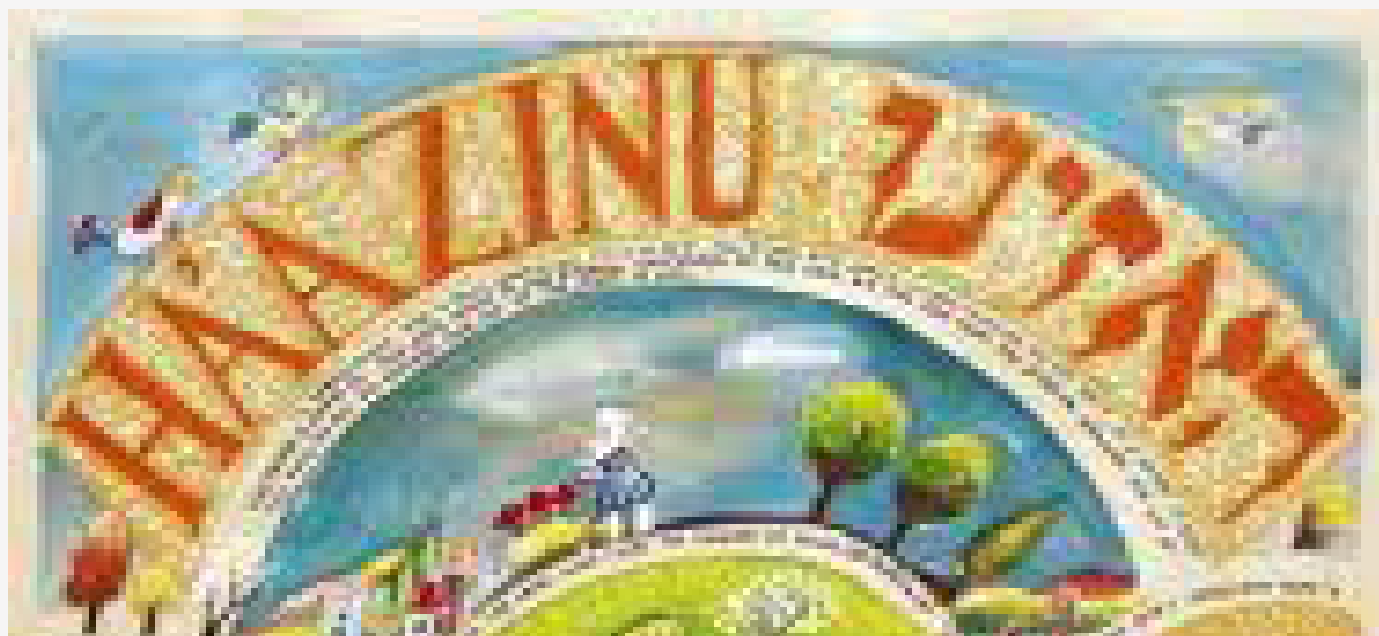
## Yahrzeits for the week of Oct 6 - 12 / 8 - 14 Tishrei

COMMON DATE	JEWISH DATE	MEMBER		DECEASED	RELATION
Oct 8	Tishrei 9	Larry Shadowitz	for	Shalom Tzvi z"l	father
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Aisik Melnik	for	Hena Werner z"l	sister
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Carol Beker	for	Avraham Tzvi z"l	father
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Sy Berliner	for	Jacob Berliner z"l	father
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Sy Berliner	for	Rachel Maltz z"l	sister
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Marcus Sheffren	for	Miriam Sheffren z"l	wife
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Daisy Millman	for	Yacov Sandor z"l	grandfather
Oct 9	Tishrei 10	Joseph Blankfort	for	Marilyn Blankfort z"l	wife
Oct 10	Tishrei 11	Cindy Krupka	for	Irene Zwalsky z"l	grandmother
Oct 12	Tishrei 13	Marjorie Weiss	for	Avraham Weiss z"l	husband
Oct 13	Tishrei 14	Zila Baum	for	Bruria Barak z"l	mother

Any Young Israel member **MISSING** a Yahrzeit notice in the shul bulletin, please email the info directly to [therudys@videotron.ca](mailto:therudys@videotron.ca) Please provide full name in English (and Hebrew if possible) and the date of the Yahrzeit as well as relationship to YIC member. As soon as info is received, it will be forwarded to the shul office, or you can also email or phone in the info direct to the office if you prefer. **Note:** In the event a female member does not want her maiden name included in the weekly bulletin Yahrzeit notices - for possible security reasons - please advise the office, and we will make the appropriate change.

PARSHAT HASHAVUA - WEEKLY TORAH PORTION  
*The Parshah in a Nutshell*

*Ha'Azinu*  
Deuteronomy 32:1-52



The greater part of the Torah reading of Haazinu ("Listen In") consists of a 70-line "song" delivered by Moses to the people of Israel on the last day of his earthly life.

Calling heaven and earth as witnesses, Moses exhorts the people, "Remember the days of old / Consider the years of many generations / Ask your father, and he will recount it to you / Your elders, and they will tell you" how G-d "found them in a desert land," made them a people, chose them as His own, and bequeathed them a bountiful land. The song also warns against the pitfalls of plenty—"Yeshurun grew fat and kicked / You have grown fat, thick and rotund / He forsook G-d who made him / And spurned the Rock of his salvation"—and the terrible calamities that would result, which Moses describes as G-d "hiding His face." Yet in the end, he promises, G-d will avenge the blood of His servants, and be reconciled with His people and land.

The Parshah concludes with G-d's instruction to Moses to ascend the summit of Mount Nebo, from which he will behold the Promised Land before dying on the mountain. "For you shall see the land opposite you; but you shall not go there, into the land which I give to the children of Israel.



# 60th Anniversary 1959 - 2019



## **A 60 YEAR RETROSPECTIVE / "THE EARLY YEARS" SPECIAL YOM KIPPUR EDITION (1989 & 1999)**

### **PRESIDENT ARTHUR LEVY'S MESSAGE TAKEN FROM THE 1989 BULLETIN (30th Ann)**

Dear fellow members,

This year we are celebrating our thirtieth year as a congregation. It seems like only yesterday that many of us moved into Chomedey, and established a most vibrant Jewish community. While many of our detractors are inclined to write us off in the evolution of other areas as more desirable, a great many of us love and appreciate our corner of the world and are dedicated to its perpetuation and enhancement. In the grand scheme of things, we shall maintain and embellish both our Shul and its activities through our fund raising, mainly our bazaar, raffle, Yahrzeit Book, Kol Nidre Appeal; and through grants towards our community centre, we have maintained balanced budgets.

With your continued support in all our endeavors we intend to maintain a formidable presence ad infinitum. Our air conditioning is in place with the addition of a new condenser, the beautification of our Sanctuary will follow in the near future, as will the refurbishing of our downstairs. This will make our facility second to none in the area, and I urge you avail yourselves of it on Shabbat and Yom Tov, for our activities and for your personal Simchas.

I am looking forward to greeting you on Yom Tov and all events marking our thirtieth year of existence. On behalf of my dear Wife Miriam, family, and the executive of your Shul, I wish you and yours a happy, healthy, and fulfilling year

Arthur Levy, President

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### **TAKEN FROM RABBI C.M.BERZON'S 1999 MESSAGE (40th Ann)**

*Every Jewish holiday sees food paramount to the Chag - Oneg Yom Tov and Shabbat. We recall with nostalgia, for example the Pesach Seder, kneidlich and all. Yet Yom Kippur, the Shabbat of all Shabbats, is Davka, specifically, celebrated with not eating. So why no food on Yom Kippur?*

On Yom Kippur, the Mitzvah of Oneg (enjoyment) consists of eating and drinking in order to prepare ourselves to fast properly. The Oneg obligation of Yom Kippur, is in fact, fulfilled on the previous day, the 9th of Tishrei. The status of Yom Kippur as a Yom Tov includes an obligation to eat. Since we cannot eat on Yom Kippur itself, we do so on the previous day. The preparation modifies and enhances the forthcoming event. We feel blessed and joyous that Hashem has bestowed upon His People this day that can bring forgiveness and endowment. On this our 40th year, Bella and I wish the entire community a Shana Tova.

Rabbi Chananya Moishe Berzon

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*(Yashor Koach to Fred Rudy for providing us all with these memorable historical moments, which some of us may still remember!)*



**CONGREGATION SHAAAR SHALOM  
YOUNG ISRAEL of CHOMEDY**

invites its members (and immediate family) to a

***SIMCHAT TORAH CELEBRATION***

Monday evening Oct 21, 2019 / 22/23 Tishrei 5780

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# ELECTIONS CANADA 2019

Dear YIC and SHSH Member,

Attached is an email from Elections Canada which I received this afternoon, after meeting with them at my house this past Monday. As you can easily see, you can start voting **IMMEDIATELY**. You can see my comments **added in bold** below.

Good day Mr. Baum,

I am sending you the link to Elections Canada web page concerning the different way people can vote:

<https://www.elections.ca/content2.aspx?section=vote&document=index&lang=e>

**(Please copy and paste this link)**

**The Elections Canada office for the Laval-Les Îles riding is situated at 14 Samson Boulevard in Ste-Dorothée H7X 2Y9. It is important to note that people can come to vote as of now during opening hours:**

**Monday to Friday from 9:00 AM to 9:00**

**Saturday from 09:00 AM to 06:00 PM**

**Sunday from 12:00 PM to 04:00 PM**

In order to vote you will need the following with you:

**OPTION 1:** • your driver's licence • any other card issued by a Canadian government (federal, provincial/territorial or local) with your photo, name and current address

**OPTION 2:** Show two pieces of ID - Both must have your name and at least one must have your current address. Examples: • voter information card and bank statement • utility bill and student ID card

**OPTION 3:** If you don't have the above? No problem! You can still vote if you declare your identity and address in writing and have someone who knows you and who is assigned to your polling station vouch for you.

The voucher must be able to prove their identity and address. A person can vouch for only one person (except in long-term care institutions).

The vote at the riding office ends on Tuesday, October 15 at 06:00 PM. After this date voting will only be available on the advance polling days or on election day itself.

If members of the Young Israel community want to come to vote in groups at the riding office, I would ask that you please advise me in advance so we can organize additional personnel if needed. If there are members who are interested in going to vote as a group, please advise the office, and we'll see if we can arrange it.

Here is a Google Maps link for 14 Samson Boulevard:

<https://www.google.ca/maps/place/14+Bo+u+l+e+vard+Samson,+Laval,+QC+H7X-+2Y9/@45.521697,-73.7841117,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x4cc923475f4fdf17:0x98886e03d-c28de79!8m2!3d45.521697!4d-73.781923?hl=en>

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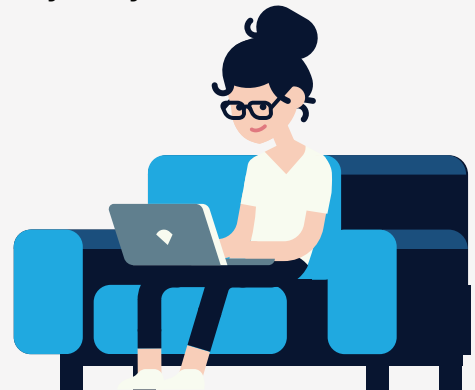
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