



Week 227		11 – 13 October 2019   12 – 14 Tishrei 5780		Parashat Ha'Azinu / פרשת האזינו	
Friday Mincha	שבת Shacharit	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Sunday Shacharit	
6.00PM	9.15AM	6.01PM	7.01PM	8:20AM	

### Whisky Appeal

Our annual Whisky Appeal (to replenish shul stock for use over Yom Tov and through the year) takes place now when we ask people to bring unopened bottles to Shul. Please bring to Shul or drop at Family Maurer's home (13 Tenterden Drive).

### Membership

We would like to remind members and non-members of their obligation to pay for seats over the Yomim Noraim. Members who have children who are not members in their own right should pay £18 per child. Non-members are asked to pay £100 per adult and £30 per child. There is still time for people to settle their accounts, memberships or seat costs. If you have not already done so, please speak to Cecil Taitz (treasurer@magenavot.com).

For membership please go to our website page at: <http://www.magenavot.com/membership> where you will find full details and a membership form which can be returned to us and processed. We look forward to welcoming you as full members of Magen Avot in due course. If you have any further questions please speak to Cecil Taitz or Julian Maurer.

### Succah Decoration Competition

Thanks to all the children for the decorations they made at the Kenigsberg's home on Sunday 6 October. The competition is still open, please drop off any further decorations before Shabbat and they will go up in our shul succah.

### Additional Information for Shabbat

Lighting	Earliest time <b>5.08pm</b>   Shabbat at <b>6.02pm</b>
Chabura	Rabbi Kenigsberg at <b>9am</b>   Leining: Shimon Levy
Children	Magen Minis and Maxis at <b>10.45am</b> Magen Munchies is kindly sponsored this week by Esther and Julian Maurer to celebrate the 10th birthday of Maayan this weekend! Y@MA is unsponsored this week. For sponsorship opportunities please speak to Sara Spizzichino or Elkan Adler.
Drasha	Rabbi Moshe Levy (Shabbat Morning)
Kiddush	Kiddush this week is kindly sponsored by Jonny and Alison Solomon to welcome Joshi back to London following two years in yeshiva. The Whiskies will be announced in Shul.
Shiur	Rabbi Kenigsberg (after Mincha).

### Succah Construction

Yoni Weisz and his workers have spent many hours over many days getting our succah ready again this year. We would like to sincerely thank him and his workers for making sure our succah is in good working order and fit for use.

Week 227		13 – 18 October 2019   14 – 19 Tishrei 5780				Succot / סוכות				
Erev-Succot (Sunday)		Succot – First Day (Monday)		Succot – Second Day (Tuesday)			Chol Hamoed (W-Fri)			
Lighting	Mincha	Shacharit	Mcha/Mrv	Lighting	Shacharit	Mincha	Shiur	YT Ends	Shacharit	Mcha/Mrv
FROM 5.57PM	5.57PM	9.15AM Chief Rabbi	5.57PM	FROM 6.57PM	9.15AM Rabbi	5.55PM	6.15PM Speaker	6.55PM	8.00AM	5.50PM

### Other Information

- Lighting 1<sup>st</sup> night from **5.57pm** (Kiddush from **6.53pm**)
- No work for the 2<sup>nd</sup> day should be done before nightfall
- Candle lighting 2<sup>nd</sup> night at nightfall from **6.57pm**
- Tashlich may be done even until Hoshana Rabba
- Y@MA will meet on second day Yom Tov

### Leining and Kiddushim for First Days Succot

- Succot 1 Leining:** Joey Katz
- Day 1 Kiddush:** Sponsored by David and Shoina Kass to mark the yahrzeit of David's son Rabbi Shmuli Kass z"l.
- Succot 2 Leining:** Joey Katz
- Day 2 Kiddush:** Sponsored in tribute to the Magen Avot team. Chag Sameach with love Esther and Simon Bentley.

### Simchat Beit Hashoeva – Men and Women Event

On **Thursday 17 October** there will be a Simchat Beit Hashoeva for the whole community with Divrei Torah, singing, ruach, drinks and refreshments for body and soul in the home of and catered by Family Adler 33 Rowsley Avenue from **8.30pm**. If you play an instrument please bring it along. No need to book. We look forward to welcoming everyone to this special annual event.

### Kol Nidre Appeal

Your Kol Nidre contribution this year will benefit our chosen Israeli charity, Yad Sarah, our chosen UK charity, WST supporting local needy families, our own Magen Avot Youth programme, as well as the United Synagogue's Tribe, Chesed, Living and Learning and University Jewish Chaplaincy.

The United Synagogue will be contacting you shortly with details of how to pay your pledge.

### Arba Minim Sale @ MA

Contact Yaacov Wolf directly to place orders or for questions on: 07843 166 300 or email: [yaacov@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:yaacov@hotmail.co.uk).

### Advance Notice – NEW EVENT

We will soon be a series of monthly learning/sushi sessions for YEARS 11 to 13 in North West London. The first one is called "Israel and this month" with Rabbi Cobi Ebrahimoff. For further details please contact Chaya Langerman on 07779 706 873.

### Yomim Noraim Thanks

Thanks to those who led and participated in services over the Yomim Noraim. Specifically, the Rabbi who inspired with his words throughout the day. Special mention and thanks also to Chief Rabbi Ephraim Mirvis who spent part of the day with us on Yom Kippur and addressed the community.



Week 228 18 – 20 October 2018   19 – 21 Tishrei 5780			Succot Shabbat Chol ha-Moed - סוכות שבת חול המועד		
Friday Mincha	שבת Shacharit	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Sunday Shacharit (HR)	Next Friday
5.45PM	9.15AM	5.46PM	6.46PM	8.00AM	5.30PM

**Mazal Tov**

Mazal Tov to our honoured Chatanim **Rabbi Kenigsberg** (Chatan Torah) and **Yoni Weisz** (Chatan Bereishit). Mazal Tov to their families.

**Y@MA Succah Crawl**

The Y@MA Succah crawl will take place on Shabbat Chol Hamoed (19 October). Everyone will meet at 33 Sydney Grove, Hendon NW4 2EJ at **3.30pm** with a view to finishing by **5.30pm**. Contact Elliot for further details by emailing him at: youth@magenavot.com or by calling him on 07421 327 494.

**Children's Succah Crawl**

The children's succah crawl this year takes place on Shabbat Chol Hamoed Succot (19 October) from **4.15pm**. We will meet at our first venue, Adam and Nadine Kay's home, 25 Holders Hill Avenue and finish at **5.45pm** at Rabbi and Sarah Kenigsberg's home, 35 Tenterden Gardens. For details please speak to Sara Spizzichino or call Adam Kay on 07709423028. NB: Children must be accompanied by a parent.

**Additional Information**

Lighting	Earliest time <b>4.56pm</b>   Shabbat at <b>5.46pm</b>
Chabura	Rabbi Kenigsberg at <b>9am</b>   Leining: Dan Artman
Children	Magen Minis and Maxis at <b>10.45am</b> Magen Munchies is sponsored by Darren and Anouk Abrahams. Y@MA is unsponsored this week.
Drasha	Rabbi Cobi Ebrahimoff (Shabbat Morning)
Kiddush	The Kiddush this week is sponsored by Nadine and Adam Kay to mark the induction into the society of the yellow sandy waters. Mazal Tov! The Whiskies of the Week will be announced in Shul.
Shiur	Rabbi Yogev Cohen on: "The deep meaning of Succot" (after Mincha)
Location	For first days Succot and Shabbat Chol Hamoed we will continue to be based in the OYH function hall. We will be moved back to our usual location in Nancy Reuben during Chol Hamoed for the final days of Succot. We are asking for help to move the Shul on Motzei Shabbat back to its usual location for Hoshanah Rabbah onwards.

Week 228 20 – 22 October 2019   21 – 23 Tishrei 5780					Succot / סוכות			
Hoshanah Rabbah (Sunday)		Shemini Atzeret (Monday)			Simchat Torah (Tuesday)			
Lighting	Mincha	Shacharit/Speaker	Yizkor	Mincha/Shiur	Light, Maariv/Hakofot	Shacharit	Mincha/Shiur	Yom Tov Ends
FROM 5.42PM	5.42PM	9.15AM Ran Bar-Yoshafat	AFTER 10.30AM	5.42PM TBC	FROM 6.42PM	8.45AM	5.40PM Rabbi	6.40PM

**Avidan Weisz will kindly provide Hoshanah Bundles on Sunday morning – please bring cash and coins**

- Leining and Kiddushim**
- **Shmini Atzeret Leining:** Dan Artman
  - **Guest Speaker:** Ran Bar-Yoshafat, former commander in the elite IDF unit and expert on Israel advocacy and security issues will speak after Mussaf before Kiddush.
  - **Shmini Atzeret Kiddush:** Sponsored by Natan Levinson to celebrate his Hebrew birthday on Simchat Torah.
  - **Simchat Torah Leining:** Dan Artman and Avidan Weisz
  - **Simchat Torah Kiddush:** All food and drink kindly sponsored by Yoni and Marion Weisz.

**Simchat Torah Programme**

On Monday night there will be Hakafot, and sweets for the children will be provided.

An auction will take place once again in Shul on Simchat Torah evening and in the morning to auction off various honours throughout the year starting with the Ata Horeisos in the evening and the morning of Simchat Torah. Please use this opportunity to buy yourself an honour or to give the honour to another deserving person.

We are delighted to invite the whole kehilla to a Simchat Torah party in Shul on Simchat Torah evening after Hakafot - there will be ruach, simcha, food and drink aplenty and we hope all of the kehilla will be able to attend and join the Simcha.

On Tuesday morning there will be Hakafot and a bumper Kiddush (good spirit too!) and an informal sit down with Divrei Torah from the Chatanim along with certificate presentations.

- Other Information**
1. Candle lighting 1<sup>st</sup> night from **5.42pm**
  2. **The Rabbi will lead farewell to the Succah in the Succah at 5.15pm on Shemini Atzeret (30 mins before Mincha).**
  3. No work for the 2<sup>nd</sup> day should be done before nightfall
  4. Candle lighting 2<sup>nd</sup> night at nightfall from **6.42pm**
  5. Tashlich may be done even until Hoshana Rabba
  6. Y@MA meets on Shmini Atzeret

**Horim V'Yeladim – Launches Soon**

Our fifth season of Horim V'Yeladim (learning for parents and children) begins shortly. Elkan and Patti Adler will again be running the sessions throughout the winter in Shul. We will begin forty-five minutes after Shabbat ends with registrations and raffle tickets allocation. Food and refreshments are provided. Learning will be for forty minutes followed by a raffle, prizes and pizza! Contact info@magenavot.com to sponsor a week.

**Breakfast and Shiur for women on Simchat Torah**

We are delighted to invite all women to a "Breakfast and Learn" session during second Hakafa. The programme will consist of breakfast and four short shiurim (10 minutes each) delivered by: Sarah Kenigsberg, Ruth Ehreich, Esther Maurer and Sara Spizzichino. Children between the ages of two and five years old are invited to join an arranged crèche during this session.