





Week 232			15 – 17 November 2019 17 – 19 MoCheshvan 5780			Parashat Vayera / פרשת וירא		
Friday Mincha	שבת Shacharit	שבת Mincha	שבת Ends	Horim V'Yeladim	Sunday Shacharit			
 3.55PM	 9.15AM	 4.01PM	 5.01PM	 5.45PM	 8.20AM <small>Od Yosef Hai</small>			

MoCheshvan

Mögen Avot's MoCheshvan is in full swing with brave members cycling, swimming, walking, running and of course growing delightful facial hair in aid of Jami and Chai Cancer Care. Join in by emailing mocheshvan@magenavot.com. Sponsor by visiting <https://bit.ly/2MSloXv>.

Thank You!

Thanks to Dr. Aryeh Simmonds who gave a talk last Shabbat between Mincha and Maariv. Dr Simmonds is the Director of the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at the Laniado Medical Centre in Netanya, Israel.

Pledges

All those who over the Chagim pledged contributions for aliyot and auction bids please redeem your pledges. If you are unsure what you pledged or how to redeem please contact Cecil Taitz on treasurer@magenavot.com.

Upcoming Events

Our December events are booking up fast!

27 Nov: New series of Knead to Learn (KTL) organised by Julia Greenberg begins on Wednesday 27 November. Details to follow.

Date TBC: Motzei Shabbat Y@MA Israeli shuk.

1 Dec: The Big Italian Quiz of the Year – for Years 9-13. Visit tribeuk.com/quiz19.

7 Dec: Melave Malka with Rami Sherman. Rami enlisted in the army and was accepted into an elite unit. He finished the combat soldier course and was sent to Officers School in order to return and receive command of a squad within the unit. In 1976, when an Air France airliner was hijacked and rerouted to Entebbe, he was the Operations Officer of the unit, under the command of Yoni Netanyahu z"l. Email events@magenavot.com to book.

13 Dec: Friday night youth dinner at the Rabbi's house. £5 per person - book by emailing: rabbi@magenavot.com. The Kehilla is invited after dinner for an Oneg Shabbat.

15 Dec: Book for the British Museum tour by emailing: events@magenavot.com. Pay online - Name: Magen Avot, Sort Code: 60-80-07, Acc No: 60217278, Ref: Include last name, initials and reason, e.g. "Smith AJ Tour". Tour costs £15 per person. Participants will need to make their own way to the Museum before **10.00am**.

Additional Information

Lighting	Earliest time 3.16pm Shabbat at 3.56pm
Shema	Sof Zman Kriat Shema at 9.32am
Chabura	Elkan Adler at 9.00am
Leining	Moshe Langerman
Children	Magen Minis and Maxis at 10.45am Munchies and Y@MA are unsponsored.
Drasha	Rabbi Kenigsberg (Shabbat Morning)
Kiddush	Kiddush is sponsored by Karina and Ashley Katz to mark their wedding anniversary and to mark Ashley's completion of Shas Mishnayos. The Whiskies of the Week will be a Glenlivet 18-year-old and an Oban 14 single malt. NB: Over the winter when Shabbat day is short, making it difficult to make time for Seudah Shlishit, there will be rolls available at the Kiddush so that people are able to wash and have Lechem Mishneh.
Shiur	Rabbi Kenigsberg (after Mincha).
Horim V'Yeladim	Horim V'Yeladim <u>this</u> Motzei Shabbat meets at 5.45pm . Learning will be for 45 minutes followed by pizza, a story and raffle prizes. This week's session is sponsored by Family Biologuski . Contact info@magenavot.com to sponsor a session.

Rabbi Kenigsberg's Weekday Shiurim

Halachic Responses to Modern Technology

Rabbi Kenigsberg's course at LSJS continues this **Tuesday 19 November** from **8.00pm** until 9.30pm on: "Can frozen embryos be used for stem-cell research to save lives?" Members are able to join for a reduced rate at the door.

Future topics include:-

26 November: From London to Jerusalem: Should we employ non-Jews to help keep Shabbat?

3 December: Can a Bet Din rely on DNA testing for establishing paternity, freeing agunot etc.?

Tzurba m'Rabanan

Tzurba m'Rabanan shiur with Rabbi Kenigsberg continues this **Wednesday** at **8.30pm** at Alei Tzion. This week's topic is "Hilchot Aveilut (Laws of Mourning)". For more information visit tzurbaolami.org.



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MOTZEI SHABBAT

7 December 2019

7.30pm

VENUE

Magen Avot,
48 Finchley Lane
London NW4 1DJ

PRESENTATION BY

Rami Sherman
Operations Officer of the
Entebbe Rescue Operation

COST **£10** PER PERSON

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TO RESERVE A PLACE, AND FOR MORE INFORMATION

RAMI SHERMAN - Born in 1953 in Israel to holocaust survivors, Rami grew up on a northern kibbutz. In 1972 he joined an elite IDF unit (now named Sayeret Matkal - the General Staff Special Forces), progressing through combat soldier course to Officers' School. In 1976, when an Air France airliner was hijacked and rerouted to Entebbe, Rami was the unit's Operations Officer under the command of Yoni Netanyahu z"l. In this capacity, he was involved in preparing the unit for the Operation. Amongst other roles, he coordinated between the unit the Operation commander, and between the unit and the Israeli Air Force. He was one of the 33 officers and soldiers comprising the first assault group who freed the hostages.

