



Friday Chabura	Earliest Lighting	שבת Starts	Sof Zman Kriat Shema	שבת Ends	Havdala	שבת at Home Quiz
Zoom 8.40AM	 3.27PM	 4.10PM	 9.24AM	 5.13PM	Zoom 5.45PM	Zoom 6.30PM SIGN UP TODAY!

Weekly Diary ↓

Events continue online from Home via Zoom. Y@MA items are listed on page three of this newsletter.

Thursday to Motzei Shabbat

The launch event for the UK Shabbaton at Home begins this Thursday evening 5 November at **6.30pm**. Please see the poster on page 2 of this newsletter for details.

Friday

The Friday morning **Chabura** continues at the new time of **8.40am** in order to be finished before people begin work. This week the Chabura will be given by **Natan Levinson**. The access link is: <http://tinyurl.com/MagenAvotZoom>.

Motzei Shabbat



We will be holding a Communal Havdalah at **5.45pm** this Motzei Shabbat. Zoom in for Havdalah, a song, a short dvar Torah from the Rabbi and a chat. The link is: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86714631692> or Meeting ID: **867 1463 1692**.

Monday/Tuesday

Have something on your mind? A question to ask or just looking for a chat? Each week Rabbi Kenigsberg will be in the Magen Avot Zoom Room at the times below – please feel free to pop in on **Mondays at 9.15am to 10.00am** or on **Tuesdays from 8.00pm to 9.15pm**. No appointment needed. Completely Confidential. There will be a waiting room if busy. Join at the following link: www.tinyurl.com/MagenAvotZoom.

Wednesday

Tzurba m'Rabanan given by Rabbi Kenigsberg continues at **8.30pm** on the topic: **"The Laws of Chinuch"**. Login details will be sent by WhatsApp.

MA's Got Talent

On **Motzei Shabbat 12 December at 8.00pm** MA's Got Talent will be chaired by Shelley Berke and organised by Shelley Berke and Chaya Langerman. We are calling out to all budding musicians, artists, poets and others to virtually perform on that evening (5-10 minute slots each). Artists can show off an art piece they have created and what it means to them or a musical piece or read poetry. Any talent is acceptable including non-artistic such as story telling, math, sports etc. Please register your interest by emailing: MASGotTalent@magenavot.com.

"I'm passionate about..." session

Last Sunday, the women of the community held the first 'I'm passionate about...' session where they heard from women about their passions in various areas. The event was well attended, and we are grateful to those who participated. The next event will be announced in next week's newsletter.

Yahrzeits

Shabbat 7 Nov	20 Cheshvan	Joy Kay	Father
Wed 11 Nov	24 Cheshvan	Laurence Lovat	Mother
Wed 11 Nov	24 Cheshvan	Laurence Lovat	Father
Friday 13 Nov	26 Cheshvan	Moshe Langerman	Father
Friday 13 Nov	26 Cheshvan	Marian Taitz	Father

We wish them and their families a Chayim Aruchim

Message from the Rabbi, Chairman and Vice-Chair

As you will all be aware by now, following the Government's announcement last week we have been forced to close our doors for physical services once again.

This is a painful but necessary step and we firmly believe that closing the shul premises at this time is the correct course of action from a legal, medical and Halachic perspective.

From the outset of the pandemic we made clear that the safety of each and every member of the community was and would remain our number one priority. We are grateful that we have been able to run services according to regulations in a COVID-secure environment over the past few months, including a wonderfully uplifting Chagim period. However, the data makes clear that cases are rising, and risk is increasing. Expert medical opinion and government guidelines have thus set out that all places of worship are to be closed for communal services beginning this coming Thursday. This step is fully endorsed by the Chief Rabbi, whose statement can be found at the bottom of this email.

We are encouraged by the knowledge that our closure is a short-term measure. Hopefully by December the reality will allow us to reopen safely once again. We can all find comfort in the fact that we have been here before and are better prepared.

Online programming is already part and parcel of our community offering, and this will be increased in the weeks ahead. Details of a full program will follow soon but some highlights include:

- The Friday morning Chabura each week at the new time of 8:40am.
- The Communal zoom Havdalah that we had last week will now be continuing every Motzei Shabbat.
- Rabbi Kenigsberg will be available each week on Mondays and Tuesdays in the zoom room and will be sending out a weekly Dvar Torah before Shabbat.
- Details of further Shiurim, virtual activities and social events will be published soon including a very exciting new home format for Horim V'Yeladim!

Once again, nobody is alone! The Chessed committee headed by Shoina Kass and David Berke, together with Rebbetzen Kenigsberg and volunteers from across the community, are here to help in any way we can. If anybody requires any assistance at all with shopping, transport, medical, or just to have a friendly chat, please email, message, WhatsApp or call them or any member of the Executive or Council who will be willing and delighted to be there for you. The full contact details are:

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We pray for a speedy end to this pandemic and for a Refuah Shleimah for all those who need it. Wishing you all good health and hoping to be together safely again soon.



Tefillah Guidelines (Rabbi Kenigsberg)

Once again, we all find ourselves davening at home, rather than with a minyan. Here a few key points to remember for services this Shabbat.

Friday: Mincha should be davened before candlelighting. A central Kabbalat Shabbat will be livestreamed via theUS.tv website for those who wish to join. Remember not to accept Shabbat before turning off the computer and to ensure this is done before the time of candlelighting.

Ma'ariv: Barchu and Kaddish are not said when praying alone. The bracha me'eyn sheva (Magen Avot bidvaro) is also omitted. Remember to say the entire Shema after nightfall.

Shacharit: Sof Zman Kriat Shema is at **9.24am** so please remember to say the full Shema by this time. There is no Barchu, Kaddish, Kedusha or repetition of the Amidah. A sefer Torah cannot be taken out without a minyan, however there is a mitzvah to read and study the weekly parsha (without any brachot). This can be done from a Chumash at the time one would normally hear Kriat HaTorah or later in the day. Read it by yourselves or learn it together with your family. This week we read Parshat Vayera.

Prayers in the siddur after Torah reading: I will continue saying the prayers for the Royal Family, the State of Israel and soldiers of the IDF. Anyone who wishes to say these may do so. Only the first Yekum Purkan is said. Av Harachamim is recited followed by Ashrei before davening **Mussaf**. Again, there is no repetition of the Amidah.

Mincha: Shabbat Mincha should be said as usual, with the omission of Torah reading. It is preferable to daven Mincha before eating Seudah Shlishit but it can be said until Shekiah.

Following Ma'ariv please join us on zoom for a communal Havdalah including a song, a short dvar Torah and time to chat. Wishing you all an uplifting Shabbat and hoping to be together again in shul soon!

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THE SHABBATON @ HOME #3

**12 CITIES
80 COMMUNITIES**

Thursday 5th November - 6:30pm
Virtual Challah Make with Seed **LIVE**
Join virtual Challah Bakes around the world

Thursday 5th November - 8:00pm
Launch event with Chief Rabbi Mirvis, Chief Rabbi Goldstein, Her Excellency Ambassador Tzipi Hotovely with music from Ishay Ribo **LIVE**

Shabbat 6th/7th November
Read and discuss the Shabbaton booklet during meals, with contributions from Chief Rabbi Goldstein, Yehuda Avner Z"L, Rabbanit Shani Taragin, Dayan Simons and more...

Motzei Shabbat 7th November - 6:30pm
The Great UK Shabbaton @ Home Quiz with Etgar **LIVE**

THE GREAT SHABBATON QUIZ

Compete as individuals or families against thousands of others from across the UK in the first ever online Great Shabbaton Quiz.

Several questions will be from the Shabbat Booklet - so get reading!

**Motzei Shabbat
7th November
6:30pm - 7:30pm**

Register here:
mizrachi.org.uk/quiz

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Magen Avot

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UK Community Shabbaton at Home (Rabbi Andrew Shaw)

With our shuls unfortunately being locked down once again, we still can celebrate Shabbat with our community at home! This is a project of Mizrachi UK and it will allow tens of thousands of homes from all across the UK to join together both with their communities as well as nationally to celebrate Shabbat in our homes this Shabbat as part of the global Shabbat Project. From Sheffield to Stanmore, from Woodside Park to Whitefield, we will celebrate Shabbat together.

It all begins this Thursday:
<https://tinyurl.com/yxhe8t6u>.

First there is a global Challah make with Seed at 6.30pm followed by the Shabbaton launch at 8.00pm, a special event featuring Chief Rabbi Mirvis, Chief Rabbi Goldstein and the new Israeli Ambassador - Tzipi Hotovely, as well as music from top Israeli musician Ishai Ribo.

A total of 75 communities across the country are participating in this Shabbaton, sending the project into well over 30,000 homes. This can be viewed on Youtube:
<https://tinyurl.com/y28s2nds>.

And then it is over to you - and this is the secret of the Shabbaton at Home! Please find a 16-page booklet which contains stories, Divrei Torah, ideas and quizzes for and from your community. Over the meals during Shabbat you will be able to read, discuss and enjoy the material.

- A4 Booklet: <https://tinyurl.com/yxgder2x>
- A5 Booklet (for printing): <https://tinyurl.com/y3zdrhz8>


And then after Shabbat at 6.30pm there will be the Great UK Community Quiz presented by Rabbi Shaw and Rabbi Marc Levene in partnership with Etgar. You need to register here:

<https://mizrachi.org.uk/quiz>

You will then be sent details of how to play, and be quick, only the first 2000 to log on will be able to play!


There is so much packed in from 6.30pm on Thursday all the way to 7:30pm on Motzei Shabbat. We think this will be a very special Community Shabbaton at Home - please join us!

Save the Date



SAVE THE DATE: JOIN US IN REMEMBERING THEIR SERVICE

14TH -15TH NOVEMBER 2020



AJEX REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY 2020
SUNDAY 15TH NOVEMBER AT 2.30PM ON WWW.YOUTUBE.COM/AJEX_JMA

We will always remember the sacrifice and dedication of our ex Servicemen and Women and this year due to the Covid pandemic the ceremony will take place in a poignant Remembrance Service online, rather than at The Cenotaph. Join us in Remembrance.

AJEX SHABBAT 14TH NOVEMBER

On Shabbat 14th November, we invite you to recite a special **AJEX Remembrance Prayer** either individually or with your community.
Download and print the prayer at: www.ajex.org.uk/ajex-prayer

TAKE PART SOCIALLY

Visit www.ajex.org.uk and choose a social media activity for sharing

- Download a profile picture for the weekend 14th/15th November
- Download an AJEX Poppy to personalise a Remembrance post to share
- Submit pictures of veterans with their medals worn with pride
- Educational resources for children and schools are also available

To find out more on the AJEX ANNUAL REMEMBRANCE WEEKEND visit www.AJEX.org.uk and to register for further news on the ceremony and campaign: ajexremembers@ajex.org.uk



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Fiona Taylor
Sunday 22 November



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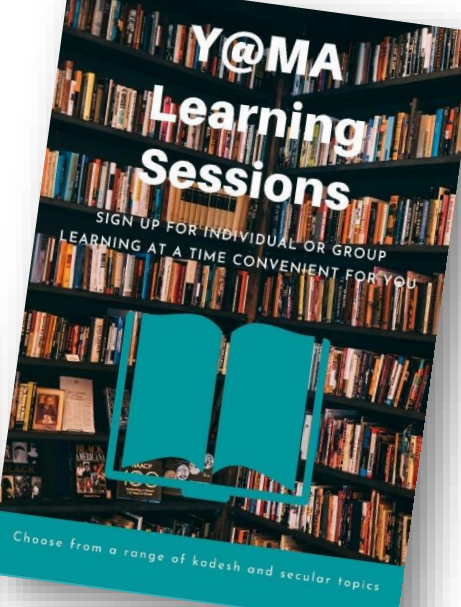
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