





Thursday 7 July

On **Thursday** there will be a "meet and greet" buffet (food and drink) for the whole community with Rabbi Yoni Golker and Rebbetzen Dina Golker from **8.00pm** to 10.00pm. We will have the opportunity to hear from both of them during the evening.

Friday 8 July

Rabbi Golker will say a few words after Kabbalat Shabbat.

Shabbat 9 July

Chabura: Rabbi Yoni Golker | Leining: Evyatar Shenney

Magen Minis/Maxis at 10.45am | Y@MA at the usual time

Magen Munchies is sponsored by **Esther and Julian Maurer** to mark their 27th wedding anniversary on 11 July. Mazal Tov!

Pre-Mussaf Drasha: Rabbi Yoni Golker

The Kiddush this week is jointly sponsored by **Nadine and Adam Kay** to celebrate Eli's Bar Mitzvah and by **Fiona and Richard Taylor** to mark their 25th wedding anniversary. Mazal Tov!! We will also have the opportunity to informally meet the Rabbinic couple with their children during the main Kiddush.

Pre-Mincha Shiur: Rebbetzen Dina Golker at **6.30pm** for men and women (for ~40 minutes with refreshments of soft drinks and biscuits). The Rebbetzen will be speaking on: "Insights into Anger; מי מריבה & the משה %.

Post-Mincha Shiur: Rabbi Yoni Golker

Motzei Shabbat 9 July

Online voting for the appointment of the Rabbinic couple will be open to all members of Magen Avot, closing at **3.00pm** on **Sunday 10 July**. Instructions on how to vote will be sent to members.

Shabbat 16 July – Save the Date

SAVE THE DATE				
Farewell Kiddush				
Lunch far Family Kenigsberg				
Family Kenigsberg				
come and join us for a Kiddush Lunch on :				
SHABBAT 16 JULY				
Link to register free attendance: https://tinyurl.com/farewellrabbi				

The farewell Shabbat Kiddush/Lunch for Rabbi and Rebbetzen Kenigsberg will take place on 16 July with Chief Rabbi Ephraim Mirvis who will be speaking before Mussaf. **Please save the date and <u>book</u> your seats!** Note: we will arrange tables and chairs for a sit down Kiddush/Lunch straight after davening.

There will also be an additional summer Seuda Shlishit event on Shabbat 16 July with guest speaker Rabbi Akiva Tatz. No booking is required for this event.

Profile: Rabbi Yoni and Rebbetzen Dina Golker

Rabbi Yoni and Dina Golker are currently on the Rabbinic Team at St. John's Wood Synagogue, where they have been the community Rabbi and Rebbetzen for the last six years. In this role they have had oversight for communal activities, educational programming and been heavily involved in lifecycle events, as well as the pastoral and spiritual guidance to the 1500 plus membership. From families to newly marrieds, elderly, and older singles, they have served every demographic. The community has continued to grow and flourish under their leadership. Between 2013 and 2016, the Golkers' were the directors of the Ezra Youth Movement and oversaw the educational and social provision and vision and direction of the organization. Rabbi Golker is an experienced educator and seasoned public speaker. Rabbi Golker delivers cutting edge educational programming. Beyond St. John's Wood he is possibly best known for his creative virtual programming during the pandemic, where he conducted close to 100 interviews with renowned people across the Jewish world, with hundreds of thousands of online views (https://www.youtube.com/yonigolker). Prior to this, Rabbi Golker taught for over a decade at JFS, Europe's largest and oldest Jewish school, where he was head of 6th Form Jewish Education. Between 2008 and 2014, Rabbi Golker was the Youth Director at Dayan Ehrentreu's Shul. In September, Rabbi Golker will be taking on the role of Deputy Head Teacher and Director of Jewish Life and Learning at Immanuel College. The Golkers both grew up locally and are alumni of Menorah Primary and Hasmonean. Rabbi Golker studied at Yeshivas Beis Yisroel in Jerusalem for 3 years. He continued his studies in the UK, receiving Semicha from Rabbi Zalman Nechemia Goldberg in conjunction with the Edgware Kollel in London in 2015. Rabbi Golker graduated from Westminster University in real estate and Finance. He also gained a master's degree in Jewish Education from London University. Rebbetzen Dina is a graduate of Michlalah seminary in Jerusalem. She holds a PGDip in Psychological therapy and is a qualified Psychology teacher. Dina is currently a clinical manager at NOA, a charity which supports girls from the Orthodox Jewish community aged 12-24. Dina has a passion for supporting other people and is very much involved in Pastoral care within the community. This summer, Dina will graduate the Chief Rabbi's Ma'ayan Programme for Jewish female educators. The Golkers' pride and joy are their five children, Yosef (aged 10) Leila (aged 7), twin boys, Abie and Gadi (aged 6) and Herschel (2 years old). They look forward to meeting everyone at Magen Avot!

Sunday 18 September – Save the Date

Yad Vashem UK and Magen Avot Trip to the Imperial War Museum (IWM) is being arranged for 10.00am on Sunday 18 September. Transport will be by coach collection at 10.00am to arrive for 11.00am. Departure will be at 2.00pm to be back by 3.00pm.

Yahrzeits				
The following members are observing Yahrzeit during the forthcoming week				
08/07/2022	9 Tammuz 5782	Ruth Ehreich	Brother	
08/07/2022	9 Tammuz 5782	Judy Joseph	Brother	
13/07/2022	14 Tammuz 5782	Linda Wolffe	Mother	
We wish them and their families Chayim Aruchim				





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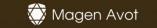
Meet and Greet

Please join us for a buffet (food and drink) with Rabbi Yoni Golker and Rebbetzen Dina Golker

> 8-10PM, Thursday 7 July Magen Avot, NRPS Hall

No need to book Looking forward to seeing you there!





COMMUNAL SEUDAH SHLISHIT WITH SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

Free - na need to book!

SHABBAT PARASHAT BALAK

16TH JULY 2022

Mincha <u>8.35pm</u> Seudah Shlishit <u>9.00pm</u>



Guest speaker Rabbi Akiva Tatz Senior Lecturer at the JLE, Founder and Director of the

erusalem Medical Ethics Forum, and renowned author of everal books on subjects of Jewish thought and philosophy.



BOOKING LINK WILL BE PROVIDED NEARER THE TIME. 48 FINCHLEY LANE, LONDON NW4 1DJ

