



Shabbat 13 January / 3 Shevat 5784							Parashat Vaera / פְּרַשְׁת וְאֵרָא					
Light From	שבת	Friday Mincha	שבת Chabura	שבת Shacharit	SZ Kriat Shema	Minis /Maxis	שבת Mincha	Shiur	שבת Ends	Horim V'Yeladim	Sunday Shacharit	
3.24PM	4.00PM	4.01PM	9.00AM	9.15AM	10.02AM	10.45AM	4.10PM	~4.35PM	5.10PM	5.55PM	8.20AM	

Friday 12 January

Hendon United Synagogue | Magen Avot

Friday Night Together
Ages 30s & 40s

5:30 PM | Friday 12th January, 2024

Venue: Details sent upon RSVP

RSVP: Rabbi Yoni Golker +447930305335, Rabbi Zvi Portnoy +447941109687

FULLY BOOKED

Shabbat 13 January

Chabura: David Berke at **9.00am**

Leining: Dan Artman

Magen Minis and Maxis meet at **10.45am**. Y@MA will meet after personal Mussaf Amida.

Shabbat Drasha: Rabbi Yoni Golker

Presentation: Rebbetzen Dina Golker

Post-Mussaf Speaker: Naomi Weinberg (Bat Mitzvah)

This week's kiddush is sponsored by Family Weinberg in honour of Naomi's Bat Mitzvah. Mazal Tov!

Post Mincha Shiur: Rabbi Yoni Golker

Motzei Shabbat 13 January

Horim V'Yeladim continues at **5.55pm** on Motzei Shabbat.

Tuesday 16 January

The weekly Tehillim session continues every Tuesday at Raleigh Close with Maariv at **7.45pm** and Divrei Chizuk and Tehillim.

Friday 19 January (Jami Mental Health Shabbat)

The next Women's Kabbalat Shabbat will take place at Alei Tzion.

Shabbat 20 January (Jami Mental Health Shabbat)

Rabbi Dr Rafi Zarum will be joining us and speaking after Mussaf. In addition, Rabbi Glenn Bezael will give the post-Mincha Shiur.

Sunday 21 January

To mark Holocaust Memorial Day (HMD) we will be running a Sunday morning breakfast at **9.00am** (after Shacharit) with guest speaker Mala Tribich (<http://tinyurl.com/7tk7766d>). This event is kindly sponsored by David Berke to mark the recent end of his year of Aveilut. We wish David and the whole family Chayim Aruchim.

Shabbat 27 January

Marking our US Women's Shabbat, we will be honouring this year's Eshet Chayil Sara Spizzichino. Further details in early 2024.

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Florence and Alex Weinberg on the Bat Mitzvah this Shabbat of their daughter Naomi.

Mazal Tov to Deborah and Howard Myer on the birth of a granddaughter.

Sponsorship Opportunities

The Shul relies upon the generosity of its members and attendees through regular sponsorship of Kiddushim, children's programming (such as Magen Munchies and Y@MA and Horim V'Yeladim), and Sunday Breakfast events. If you would like to sponsor one of these events then please click our website sponsorship page and choose a week to book to mark a Simcha or Yahrzeit or just support the Shul! It's always appreciated:-

<https://magenavot.com/sponsorships>

Isle of Islay Whisky Tour 2024

We are planning another Whisky tour to Scotland this May. This time on the Isle of Islay off the West Coast of Scotland. The island boasts some of the most famous whisky distilleries and outstanding natural beauty with wildlife and deserted beaches. These places are best for points of interest & landmarks in Islay: American Monument, Dunnyvaig Castle, Kildalton Cross, Finlaggan and Rhinns of Islay Lighthouse. The most famous distilleries include: Caol Ila, Laphroaig, Ardbeg, Bowmore, Bunnahabhain and Bruichladdich. Dates proposed are from **Tuesday 7 May to Thursday 9 May** (2 nights/3 days). Return flight details: Depart Luton Airport Tuesday 7 May at 8.50am for Glasgow Airport and return Thursday 9 May arriving at Luton at 4.55pm. Cost of flights: around £60 return. Food: As per our last trip we shall arrange kosher meals from Mark's Deli in Glasgow. Likely cost around £75 per head to include breakfast, packed lunches and evening dinner. Transport: we shall arrange a coach to and from Luton airport and also a coach for three days while in Scotland. Quotes are likely to be around £175 per person. Accommodation: We are investigating various hotel options as to availability and price. These include: Isle of Raasay Distillery Hotel, No 1 Charlotte Street Hotel, The Royal at Portree and Skye Picture House. Costs vary from ~£75/pp/per night to £150 per night depending on location, rating and availability. Once we have a clear idea about numbers of members who may be interested we can seek group discounts. If you are interested to have further information please complete and return the questionnaire on our website (magenavot.com). Feel free to call **Julian Pollard** on **07958 447 174** if you have any questions.

Yahrzeits

13/01/2024	3 Shevat 5784	Joan Pollard	Mother
13/01/2024	3 Shevat 5784	Jacqueline Roodyn	Mother
14/01/2024	4 Shevat 5784	Michael Roodyn	Mother
15/01/2024	5 Shevat 5784	David Ruben	Uncle
16/01/2024	6 Shevat 5784	Charles Pascoe	Father
16/01/2024	6 Shevat 5784	Joan Pollard	Father
18/01/2024	8 Shevat 5784	Golda Gean	Father
19/01/2024	9 Shevat 5784	David Kass	Father

We wish these members and their families Chayim Aruchim

Following the recent passing of Anouk Abrahams's mother in Paris we have asked Anouk to add a few words in our newsletter about her late mother Rose Marchand (née Levy).

My mother was born in French Algeria and had to leave the country on the year of the independence when she was 10. She lived in Marseille for a while and the family settled in the Paris region.

As a young adult she lived a year in England to learn the language and teach French. After that she came back to France but never stopped travelling. She visited every continent and lived many adventures.

She married twice until she found Mr Right. She leaves her husband, 2 children and 4 grandchildren behind.

Unfortunately, she was diagnosed with ALS 4 years ago. Although she suffered greatly at the end she was surrounded by a lot of love and care from her family and friends.

I take comfort that even if she wasn't very old she had many lives in one lifetime.

We wish Anouk and her whole family Chayim Aruchim.






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STONESETTING

Daniel Yehuda Barrell Zl

4TH FEBRUARY 2024 AT 10AM.
BUSHEY NEW CEMETERY
LITTLE BUSHEY LANE BUSHEY WD23 3FF

PLEASE DO NOT FEEL ANY OBLIGATION TO COME BUT WE KNOW YOU WOULD WANT TO BE INFORMED. MAY WE ALWAYS JOIN IN SIMCHAS (CELEBRATIONS).



SUNDAY 14TH JAN 2024

STAND WITH ISRAEL

CENTRAL LONDON

RALLY TO MARK 100 DAYS SINCE THE 7TH OCTOBER ATROCITIES.

MEETING IN AN ICONIC LONDON LOCATION, BRITISH JEWS, ISRAELIS AND OUR ALLIES WILL GATHER TO EXPRESS OUR UNWAVERING SOLIDARITY WITH ISRAEL AND HER CITIZENS.

EXPECT TO HEAR FROM OUTSTANDING SPEAKERS AND PROMINENT PRO-ISRAEL FIGURES, MUSIC AND A POWERFUL SHOW OF UNITY.

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BOOK CLUB

Message from Julian Pollard: The next meeting of the Book Club will be on **Monday 5 February at 8.00pm** (prompt). We will be reading "Commonwealth" by Ann Patchett and the discussion will be led by **Tali Diamant**.

The novel begins with events that destroy two marriages and creates a reluctantly blended family. Spanning 50 years it tells the lives of the six children whose lives were disrupted and how they intertwined. It was a finalist in the 2016 National Book Critics Circle Award for Fiction and has received huge critical acclaim.

This meeting will be held on-line and a link for the meeting can be accessed here: <http://tinyurl.com/mabookfeb24> (Meeting ID: 738 0667 9657 and Passcode: 4qHkSx). We look forward to a stimulating discussion. Everyone is welcome.

NB: Copies of "Commonwealth" have recently sold out at Waterstones in Brent Cross so you may have to order from there on 020 3713 5169 or Hampstead branch on 020 7794 1098.

We have a dedicated website page for members to download all materials required for our campaign here:-
<https://magenavot.com/content/hostage-release-campaign>
Please feel free to further engage with this campaign and share/redistribute this post with any of your friends. Thank you for your help in advance.
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**WE WON'T STOP
UNTIL THEY'RE ALL BACK**

#BringThemHomeNow