





Shabbat 22 June 2024 / 16 Sivan 5784

Parashat Beha'alotcha / פָּרָשַׁת בָּהַעֵלֹתִךּ

Friday Mincha	Light From	שבת	SZ Kriat Shema	שבת Chabura	שבת Shacharit	Minis /Maxis	שבת Mincha	Shiur	שבת Ends	Sunday Shacharit
7.15PM	7.38PM	9.07PM	8.49AM	9.15AM	9.30AM	10.45AM	9.28PM	~10.00PM	10.28PM	8.20AM

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Sophie Harris (our Youth Director) on her marriage this Monday to Rafi Kleiman.

Shabbat 15 June

Chabura: Stuart Brookes | **Leining:** Dr David Cohen

Minis/Maxis at 10.45am | Y@MA after Kedusha of Mussaf

Post Mussaf Speaker: Chagit Blass

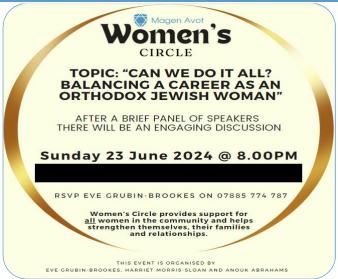
This week's enhanced Kiddush is sponsored by Families Langerman and Herman in memory of Chaya's late father Shmuel Goldberg z"l and to mark Dinah and Richard Herman's 30th Wedding Anniversary. Additionally, we will also be making presentations to our departing Sem and Yeshiva students.

The "Get to know the community" event takes place this Shabbat lunch. It will enable attendees to meet each other, or get to know them better, by either hosting or accepting hospitality. For this event, we kindly request that, instead of giving a gift, members make a donation to their favourite charity.

Post-Mincha Shiur: Ken Ehrenberg

Please Note: Rabbi Golker will be away for Shabbat Parshat Beha'alotecha (21 June) and Shelach Lecha (28 June) on the Immanuel College Trip. If you require anything urgent, please contact the Rabbi directly via WhatsApp.

Sunday 23 June



Tuesday 25 June

Weekly Tehillim session at Raleigh Close with Mincha at **7.30pm**, Maariv at **7.45pm**, and Tehillim at **8.00pm**.

Sunday 30 June

Save the date for the next Sunday morning breakfast on 30 June after Shacharit at **9.00am** featuring Yossi Gevir, Senior Advisor for International Affairs at Yad Vashem. More details next week.

Wednesday 31 July

The MA Book club meets again on Wednesday 31 July at **8.00pm**. We will discuss: "The Last Devil to Die" by Richard Osman. This is the most recent in Osman's "Thursday Murder Club" series. We will meet at the home of Cathy Fisher or online. For details please email: clehrfeld@qmail.com.

13/14 September



Background

There are roles for boys and girls, both over and under Bar and Bat Mitzvah. We will provide training and support for everyone who needs, and we want to encourage as many as possible to take part, no matter what level of experience. Please note: there will be a special Women's Kabbalat Shabbat, led by the girls also. Looking forward to a special Shabbat led by our wonderful youth!

Dates

The Magen Avot Youth Takeover Shabbat will be on the **13th/14th September** (Parshat Ki Teitzei).

Yoof Rules!

Our community thrives on the involvement and encouragement of our children and youth, and we can't wait to see them lead Shabbat for us!!

SIGN UP!

https://tinyurl.com/matakeover24

BAT MITZVAH COURSE - September 2024 to July 2025

Join Magen Avot's 2024/2025 Bat Mitzvah course. Sessions and workshops by **Rebbetzen Dina Golker** and other inspiring teachers. Sessions every month during term time (in Hendon). To sign up, please visit: https://tinyurl.com/batmitzvah2024. Limited space - book now to avoid disappointment. For more info please email Patti Adler: pattischustermann@yahoo.com.

BAR MITZVAH COURSE - October 2024 to May 2025

Join this year's Bar Mitzvah course led monthly on Monday nights by **Rabbi Yoni Golker**. Sign up today at: https://tinyurl.com/barmitzvah2024. For more information please email: rabbi@magenavot.com.

Yahrzeits The following members are observing Yahrzeit during the forthcoming week 22/06/2024 16 Sivan 5784 Julian Pollard Father 21 Sivan 5784 Wife 27/06/2024 **David Cooper** 27/06/2024 21 Sivan 5784 Chaya Langerman Father 21 Sivan 5784 27/06/2024 Father **Paul Taylor**

We wish these members and their families Chayim Aruchim

Levaya/Shiva Notice

We are very sorry to inform you that Keith Posner's father (Signey Hyman Posner, שמואל חיים בן צבי יהודה) passed away last Monday morning. The Levaya took place on Tuesday in Brighton. Shiva is at [redacted: for members only] Hendon. Davening times are 7.15am and 7.30pm (weekdays) and 8.15am (Sunday). Shiva will terminate on Monday 24 June after Shacharit. We are looking to ensure support for a minyan so please make every effort to attend services. We wish Keith and his brother Warren and the whole family Chayim Aruchim.



Dancing Through Tears

This October will mark the first Simchat Torah since the horrific events of October 7th.

Simchat Torah is a day of joy, celebration, and hakafot- we dance – but Simchat Torah 5785 will also mark the first yahrzeit of the 1200 victims of October 7th and the many soldiers and hostages who have since died, Al Kiddush Hashem. How do we, the Jewish people, respond? On Simchat Torah, will we dance? Should we dance? How do we commemorate this poignant and difficult anniversary?

King Solomon offers us guidance in Kohelet, which we will read on Sukkot, "There is a time for everything under the Heavens.... a time to mourn and a time to dance."

This Simchat Torah, with tears in our eyes, we will dance.

Synagogues around the world will open their Aron HaKodesh on Simchat Torah and one Sefer Torah will be adorned with a new me'il (Torah cover), designed to mark the first yahrzeit of October 7th. This me'il will be identical in 1600 synagogues across the world. Magen Avot is proud to be one of those.

The cost of the new me'il is \$1,800 (£1,440). We invite you to contribute so that this becomes a truly communal endeavour which brings Achdut (unity) to the entire Jewish world. Any contribution, however large or small will be welcome. (If there is a shortfall, it will be kindly covered by anonymous sponsors).







To contribute either contact **Simon Bentley** or make a direct payment to the Shul account as follows:-Account name: **Magen Avot**, Sort Code: **60-80-07**, Account Number: **60217278**, Reference: **STProject24**



