

Magen Avot





Location

Due to the Bar Mitzvah we will be located <u>downstairs</u> in the OYH Banqueting Hall for davening and Kiddush over Shabbat.

Shabbat 30 November

Chabura: Ami Elkus | Leining: David Jacobs (Bar Mitzvah)

ראש חֹדֶשׁ כָּסְלָו יִהְיֶה מָחָר בְּיוֹם ראשׁוֹן וּבְיוֹם שֵׁנִי הַבָּא עָלִינוּ וְעָל כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל לְטוֹבָה Rosh Chodesh Kislev yehiyeh machar beyom rishon uveyom sheni haba aleinuh val kol yisroel letovo.

Rosh Chodesh Announcement: The Molad will be on Sunday morning 1 December at 4.49am and 15 chalakim.

Magen Minis and Magen Maxis from 10.45am!

Y@MA takes place at the usual time after Kedusha of Mussaf.

שבת Drasha: Rabbi Yoni Golker with Bar Mitzvah Presentation.

This week's Kiddush is kindly sponsored by **Family Jacobs** to celebrate the Bar Mitzvah of David (DJ) Jacobs.

Post-Mincha: Rabbi Golker on: "Blessings, Birthrights, and Final Wishes: Lessons from Parshat Toldot on End-of-Life Decisions".

Motzei Shabbat 30 November

Horim V'Yeladim (HvY) continues this Motzei Shabbat in the OYH Hall at **5.35pm**. This season is being run by **Rafi Kleiman**.

HvY this week is kindly sponsored by **Nadine and Adam Kay** in honour of the work and commitment of all our youth workers.

Sunday 1 December

The next Breakfast Club will take place on Sunday 1 December after Shacharit from **9.00am**. Our speaker will be Rebbetzen llana Epstein on: "Fig leaves to a technicolour dreamcoat insights into the meaning of clothing in the Torah".

Tuesday 3 December

Weekly Tehillim sessions at Raleigh Close continues at Hendon United with Maariv at **7.45pm** followed by Tehillim.

Wednesday 11 December

The next book club meeting will be on Wednesday 11 December at **8.00pm** at the home of Trudy Coleman and on Zoom. Please contact Julian Pollard (for Trudy's home address or the Zoom details) on 07958 447 174 or email: <u>jandjpollard@hotmail.com</u>.

HaMagen

We are seeking a Deputy Editor to assist in compiling, designing, proofreading and promoting future editions of our Magazine. Previous journalistic experience is not required just commitment to the community and passion to engage with everyone. Contact Julian Pollard on 07958 447 174 in confidence.

Youth Director Position @ MA

Magen Avot are looking for a new Youth Director. Please see our advert here: <u>https://tinyurl.com/MAYouthDirector24</u>

Yahrzeits			
05/12/2024	4 Kislev 5785	Susan Storfer	Mother

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Donna Deena, Alex, Hannah and Aliza Jacobs on the Bar Mitzvah this Shabbat of their son/brother David Jacobs. Mazal Tov also to members Bobby Jacobs (DJ's grandmother) and the whole Berke family. A big family Simcha!

בשבח והודאה להשי״ח

Alex, Donna Deena, Hannah and Aliza have much pleasure in inviting you to celebrate the בר מצוה of



DAVID

דוד יהודה נ׳י

Shabbat 30th November 2024 ש״ק פ׳ תולדות כ״ט בחשון תשפ״ה At Magen Avot 48 Finchley Lane, London, NW4 1DJ at 9.15am

Followed by Kiddush at approx. 11.30am

/e look forward to sharing our Simcha with yo

In a moving tribute to mark DJ's Bar Mitzvah, he will be twinning with Yannai Hetzroni Hy'd, a 12-year-old boy who was murdered on 7/10 at Kibbutz Be'eri together with his twin sister, Li'el, his grandfather Avia (69) and his great aunt, Ayala (73), Hy'd. See photos on Page 2. DJ will be keeping the seat next to him empty in honour/memory of Yannai and a memorial prayer will be recited during davening. Grandfather Avia and his late wife, Eva Hetzroni, who died earlier last year, together with great Aunt Ayala, acted as parents and grandparents to the twins, as their mother, Shira Hetzroni, was severely brain damaged at their birth. After his death, Yannai's teacher described him as "a leader among his peers and an amazing friend. He was funny and amicable, always ready to brighten the room with his humour and warmth". In the lead-up to his Bar Mitzvah, DJ, Donna Deena and Alex met online with Yannai's cousin to understand more about who Yannai was; what his hopes for the future were. Just two days before 7/10, invitations were sent out for Yannai and Li'el's Bar and Bat Mitzvah celebrations which the Kibbutz had planned for the whole of their school year group to celebrate together. DJ hopes that through his own mitzvot, especially this Shabbat, the neshamot of all those who are no longer here and were not as fortunate as DJ is to celebrate, will be elevated.

Mazal Tov to Leila Golker for achieving third place in the Chidon HaTanach UK competition! Mazal Tov also to proud parents Rabbi and Rebbetzen Golker. Chidon HaTanach is the UK national Tanach competition which prepares students for the international Chidon HaTanach.



Supper Quiz



Magen Avot Supper Quiz | Motzei Shabbat 14 December @ 7.30PM

Our first Supper Quiz will be held in December in the shul. It will be run by the QuizQuizQuiz Team who are experienced in delivering a highly entertaining evening. We are encouraging everyone to join in and have attractive rates for both over and under thirties. There will be quiz prizes to be won and a raffle with tombola prizes to support fundraising efforts for the Hostages Missing Families Forum. **Adults £20 each, Under 30's just £15 each.** Make a table of 10 for two free raffle tickets! **Book here:** <u>https://tinyurl.com/MAQuiz24</u>.

