

SAVE THE DATE

Save-the-Date

for The Man's Lunch #6

on Thursday, September 7th, 2023 at

11:30 am

in the Shaar Social Hall.

Cost: \$75.00 per person (all-you-can-eat) until we run out.

Kosher Corned Beef

Bold Pastrami

Baked Salami

+ New Item: BEEF KNISHES!!! One per fresser

Marty's Pickles

Caplansky's Mustard

Table of 6: \$375.00

Table of 8: \$500.00

Table of 10: \$600.00

Guest Speaker: TBA

Call the Shaar office to reserve your spot NOW at 519-256-3123 or email

shaar@mnsi.net

We *will* sell out.



CONGREGATION SHAAR HASHOMAYIM



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NEWSLETTER

JULY – AUGUST 2023



April 23, 1947 - June 21, 2023

If you wish to donate to a special Shaar Jewish Education Scholarship, to honour the memory of Rabbi Yosil Rosenzweig (z"l), see enclosed article.



MESSAGE FROM THE ACTING-PRESIDENT

July – August 2023

Corned Beef Pastrami, Baked Salami, BEEF KNISHES – We need you!

Volunteers, we need you. Entry Check-In Staff, Social Hall Attendants.

Great way out of the \$75.00 entry fee. Deli Team Staff get a great meal, no charge and a Cool Deli T-shirt.

Call Katerina and join our TEAM for a day. We need 6 volunteers.

Yes, Thursday, September 7th, 2023, let the Deli flow. Time to feed the Fressers and make the Shul some Gelt.

Buy a table, buy a ticket, eat Deli. Donate to the silent auction. Bring a friend.

Pickles, Mustard, Chips, NEW-NEW-NEW: BEEEF Knnnniishes.

Well, everyone, can you tell our big event is only two months away and we need support, Fresser and Gelt?

Call the Shaar Office to reserve, as we *will* sell out. Sold out is sold out, so buy your plate NOW.

Thanks,
Bill



Bill Mechanic
Acting-President

SHAAR HASHOMAYIM SISTERHOOD

After a great deal of deliberation and much sadness, it has been decided to dissolve the Shaar Hashomayim Sisterhood.

The Sisterhood will continue to sponsor the unsponsored Shabbat Kiddushes until such time that the process for the transfer of funds to the management of the Shaar is completed.

With gratitude to all those who served over the years.

Respectfully,
Cheryl Gold

MEETINGS

meeting

THE NEXT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WILL BE HELD ON:

**TUESDAY
August 1st, 2023 at 7:00 pm**

**SAVE THE DATE:
SHAAR HASHOMAYIM A.G.M.**

All members are invited to attend the

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF
CONGREGATION SHAAR HASHOMAYIM**

Sunday, September 10th, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

in the Charles Zalev Social Hall.

AGENDA:

1. President's Annual Report
2. Financial Statement for 2022
3. Appointment of Auditors for 2023
4. Presentation of the Director's Slate for 2023-2024
5. Committee Reports

2020-2021 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PRESIDENT	OPEN
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RELIGIOUS VP	

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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BINGOS



Congregation Shaar Hashomayim is a proud member of the Paradise Charitable Gaming Centre Association.

Bingos are held at Paradise Bingo, 2340 Dougall Avenue. If you or any of your friends are bingo players, please be sure to use this venue as your preferred location.

Thank you, to the following Bingo Volunteers who have worked the Bingos during the month of **June 2023**:

- Nir Frenkel
- Tamir Frenkel
- Ken Golish
- Lindie Rudover
- Danielle Spinner
- Howard Spinner

If you would like to volunteer for a couple hours, please call the Shaar office at 519-256-3123 or email shaar@mnsi.net


LIFE & LEGACY PROGRAM



How will you assure Jewish tomorrow's, Windsor? By leaving a legacy *today*.

Contact your Shaar team for more information at 519-256-3123 or email shaar@mnsi.net with your name and phone number and the Shaar team will get in touch with you.

CANDLES FOR SALE IN THE SHAAR OFFICE

	Shabbat Box of 12	\$	2.00
	Shabbat Box of 72 (Dripless)	\$	11.00
	Yahrzeit Tin Candle	\$	1.00

Yahrzeit Plaques

Members	\$	200.00
Non-Members	\$	250.00

MISC. ITEMS AVAILABLE

Chumash (ArtScroll)	\$	75.00
Sigal 'Tree of Life' Inscribed Leaf:		
Members	\$	118.00
Non-Members	\$	144.00
Sigal Tree of Life Inscribed Stone	\$	1,000.00
Card Donations (Minimum)	\$	12.00
Kiddush Sponsorship:		
Members	\$	100.00
Non-Members	\$	150.00
Sunday Morning Minyan Breakfast	\$	50.00

JNF Blue Boxes



The Shaar Office has JNF Blue Boxes available for pick up, Mon-Fri, 9am-4pm.

Nursing Home Residents

If you know of a Jewish resident in a nursing home, please notify the Shaar office so we can keep our list as up-to-date as possible. Please call 519-256-3123 or email: shaar@mnsi.net

"THE WISHING WELL"



The Congregation Shaar Hashomayim "Wish List" at this time is as follows:

- **New Siddurs**
- **New carpet for sanctuary**
- **New flooring for classrooms**

If you wish to donate towards the above, please contact the Shaar Hashomayim office at 519-256-3123 or email: shaar@mnsi.net

NOTICE TO CONGREGANTS



Congregation Shaar Hashomayim has the capability to take donations and fulfill requests online via the Shaar's E-Mail address: shaar@mnsi.net

By sending the Shaar an E-mail, you can request any of the following:

- Condolence, Get Well / Refuah Shlema / Mi She-Beyrech, or Mazel Tov / Congratulatory Cards
- Siddurs and/or Chumash
- Sigal Tree of Life Leaf Plaque
- Yahrzeit Plaque
- Make any other donations
- Acquire a copy of your own financial statement
- Acquire a Yahrzeit Date
- Make Reservations for a Shaar function
- Receive Notice of Community Events

Via your E-mail address, the Shaar Office can send you confirmation that your request has been fulfilled or inform you of upcoming events.

GET INTO THE LOOP
GET ONLINE WITH THE SHAAR ☺

KOSHER PRODUCTS IN WINDSOR

Please support the following grocery stores that carry Kosher products in Windsor:

metro

Metro: 11729 Tecumseh Rd. E. & Banwell Rd.

REAL CANADIAN SUPERSTORE

Real Canadian Superstore: 2430 Dougall Ave.

Zehrs

Zehrs: 7201 Tecumseh Rd. E. & Lauzon Parkway (aisle 11)

EVENTS / HOLIDAYS

▪ Civic Holiday ~ Office Closed	Mon Aug 7, 2023
▪ Labour Day ~ Office Closed	Mon Sept 4, 2023
▪ The Man's Lunch #6	Thurs Sept 7, 2023
▪ Shaar AGM	Sun Sept 10, 2023
▪ Erev Rosh Hashanah	Fri Sept 15, 2023
▪ Rosh Hashanah	Sat Sept 16, 2023
▪ Rosh Hashanah	Sun Sept 17, 2023
▪ Kol Nidre	Sun Sept 24, 2023
▪ Yom Kippur Yizkor	Mon Sept 25, 2023
▪ Erev Sukkot	Fri Sept 29, 2023
▪ Sukkot	Sat Sept 30, 2023
▪ Sukkot	Sun Oct 1, 2023
▪ Shemini Atzeret Yizkor	Sat Oct 7, 2023
▪ Simchat Torah	Sun Oct 8, 2023
▪ Canadian Thanksgiving	Mon Oct 9, 2023
▪ 1 st Candle of Chanukah	Thurs Dec 7, 2023
▪ 8 th Candle of Chanukah	Thurs Dec 14, 2023
▪ Tu B'Shevat	Thurs Jan 25, 2024
▪ Purim	Sun Mar 24, 2024

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES



Philip Friedman	Tuesday	July	4
Jerry Goldberg	Monday	July	10
Stephen Cheifetz	Monday	July	10
Shana Abraham	Tuesday	July	11
Brenda Udell	Wednesday	July	12
Mark Abraham	Thursday	July	13
Arnold Blaine	Thursday	July	13
Chavi Galperin	Sunday	July	16
Myra Katz Brachfeld	Monday	July	17
Dr. Jerry Kopstein	Wednesday	July	19
Miniona Tcherkezova	Saturday	July	22
Sheldon Schwartz	Saturday	August	5
Rachel Mechanic	Wednesday	August	9
Connie Miller	Friday	August	11
Stephen Kamen	Friday	August	18
Danielle Spinner	Wednesday	August	30

PRAYER FOR THE SICK



When the Torah reading is completed, prayers are offered for those seeking recovery from illness (*mischeberach*). The congregants tell the *Gabbai* the sick person's name and mother's name, preferably in Hebrew, i.e., Rivka bat Sara.

An interesting item to note: Prayers for the sick reference the sick person's mother's name and prayers for someone who is receiving an *aliyah* reference the person's father's name. According to Jewish law, a father's name is like a surname, used only for the purpose of identification. A mother, however, is associated with life and the soul. To request a prayer, please visit: <http://www.shaarwindsor.org/request-a-prayer>

CONDOLENCES

Condolences to Yudi, Miryam, Benji, Devorah, Layah Rosenzweig and families on the passing of beloved father and grandfather, **Rabbi Yosif Rosenzweig (AH)**. The funeral service was held on Thursday, June 22nd, 2023 at Hebrew Memorial Chapel in Oak Park, MI., with interment at Hebrew Memorial Park Cemetery in Clinton Township, MI. Rabbi Alon Tolwin officiated. May his memory be for a blessing.

UPCOMING UNVEILINGS

- **Emily Enkin (AH)** ~ Sunday, August 13, 2023 at 11:00 am

UNVEILINGS & FUNERALS

Dear Community Members:

We kindly request you to advise the Shaar office of any Funeral and Unveiling date. The Shaar office will attempt to announce the unveiling in advance if so desired. If an unveiling is private, please inform the Shaar office in order that we may advise the Shaar Cemetery caretaker to make the necessary preparations at the cemetery. Phone: 519-256-3123 • Fax: 519-256-3124 • E-mail: shaar@mnsi.net

FUNERAL SERVICE PHONE

The phone number for the Windsor Jewish Community Funeral Services is **519-564-6788**

MORNING MINYAN AT THE SHAAR

To request a morning minyan for the observance of yahrzeit, or for the mourners' Kaddish to be said in memory of a loved one, please contact the Shaar office at 519-256-3123 or shaar@mnsi.net

PRE-PLAN YOUR FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS - FOR PEACE OF MIND -

Addressing one's mortality can be sobering. Pre-planning provides a way to move beyond anxiety, towards clear, thoughtful decision making. It makes sense for families to have a plan in place.

Call the **Windsor Jewish Funeral Services** phone number at **519-564-6788** and one of our Funeral Directors can answer all of your questions, such as:

- What type of service, location
- Picking your plot location
- Who you want as pall bearers
- Who you would like to deliver the eulogy
- Halachic Guidelines
- Prices
- Special requests

Your wishes will be recorded, saved and kept confidential.

Pre-planning a funeral is one of the most important things you will do and feel good once it's done.

Make the call today.

THE CEMETERY GATES ARE OPEN:

APRIL - NOVEMBER M-F 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
SUN 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

DECEMBER - MARCH BY APPOINTMENT ONLY
PLEASE CALL THE NUMBERS BELOW

CLOSED ON SATURDAY AND JEWISH HOLIDAYS

NO PETS ALLOWED

THE WINDSOR JEWISH COMMUNITY FUNERAL SERVICES
PHONE NUMBER IS

519-566-8039 or 519-564-6788



Windsor Jewish Burial Fund Appeal

Respectful treatment of the recently deceased and a prompt burial is one of the greatest mitzvot of the Jewish faith. This is the only truly selfless act; a mitzvah you can do for another with no expectation of it being returned.

Costs of proper Jewish burials have continued to rise. On occasion, a member of our community will pass with no means or family to assist in covering these costs. The Windsor Jewish Federation & Community Centre, Chabad of Windsor, Congregation Beth El, Congregation Shaar Hashomayim and Jewish National Fund of Windsor are partnering to launch a Windsor Indigent Jewish Burial Fund to ensure that every member of our community has access to a dignified Jewish burial.

To contribute to this special appeal, please make your donation out to the Windsor Jewish Community Centre and designate your donation to "Windsor Jewish Burial Fund Appeal". You can make your donation online by using the link below, or by contacting Rosalie Hartenberg Watson at rosalie@jewishwindsor.org to drop a cheque off at the WJCC. We thank you for helping us with this special mitzvah. Donations can be made online at: <https://www.jewishwindsor.org/online-payments>

KIDDUSH SPONSORS



A Kiddush was held on Saturday, July 8th, 2023

In memory of beloved grandparents, **Isaac and Maria Gooz (AH)**, who perished in the Holocaust. Sponsored by Nona Tcherkezova.



Saturday, July 22nd, 2023

In memory of beloved parents, **Samuel and Rae Kopstein (AH)** and beloved wife, **Doreen Kopstein (AH)**. Sponsored by Dr. Jerry Kopstein

SUNDAY MORNING MINYAN BREAKFAST



Sunday, July 16th, 2023

In memory of beloved mother, **Myrna Gumprich (AH)**. Sponsored by Terry Peretz and Allen and Carole Gumprich.

DONATION FUNDS

To assist you in designating where you wish your contributions/donations to be applied, the following are general and specific funds available:

- Cemetery Beautification Fund
- Sanctuary Repair Fund
- Torah Restoration

A MESSAGE FROM DAVID ABRAHAM

A number of our members have expressed an interest in achieving a permanent memorial in our synagogue to Rabbi Yosil Rosenzweig (AH) who recently passed away. For those of you who don't know, he was our Rabbi from 1989 to 1997 and although not born in Windsor, spent all his childhood and teenage years here. Personally, in my teenage years, I knew him well and was particularly close with his family and siblings.

My son and I are suggesting that a Scholarship Fund be established in his name, the income of which would be used to encourage Jewish education, particularly in our religious school, which was always a priority with him, as he established a deep rapport with the students of our school while he was here. Any individual (or shared) donation of \$1,000 or more can be recognised on our Scholarship Board in the hallway of our school. If a total of at least \$10,000 is achieved, a larger memorial plaque will also be placed on the appropriate donation board and will be permanently noted as a separate Scholarship Fund in our financial statement and records.

We encourage our membership to honour his memory by not only contributing to this Fund, but by encouraging others who may not be aware of its existence to do so.

As with all donations, tax deductible receipts will be issued and acknowledgements will be sent to the rabbi's survivors.

David Abraham
Past-President, Past Treasurer and Current Board Member

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