

RAYMOND HOUSE MINYAN

There is a Shabbat service at Raymond House on the first Shabbat of each month. The next service is Shabbat, 1st March 2008 starting at 9.30am. Please contact Norman Zetter or Ralph Schiller for more information. We welcome support from anyone who is able to come along.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Do you know anyone who would like to join our Congregation?
Please contact the Shul Office on 01702 344900.



CAN YOU HELP?

We are currently in the process of purchasing and fitting handrails in the Ladies' Gallery in Shul. We are looking for anyone who might be willing to help fund this project and assist the ladies of the Community in reaching their seats in Shul. Please contact Janice in the Shul Office on 01702 344900.

MONDAY CLUB

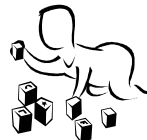
The Monday Club is now closed and will re-open on Monday 18th February. For more information, please contact Minn Rose 390230.

J.A.C.S.

Do you want to make some new friends or just meet up with familiar ones? Then J.A.C.S. is the place for you! J.A.C.S. meets every Wednesday afternoon in the Shul Hall. This is the place to be for an afternoon of superb entertainment. A good 'Cuppa' is always guaranteed! Doors open at 12.45pm and the show begins at 2.00pm.

PARENT & TODDLER

The new Parent and Toddler Club will be held each Thursday at 9.30am in the Talmud Torah building. Please tell your friends, children and grandchildren as we would like to see as many people as possible. Call Janice on 01702 344900 for further information. Also if anyone has any suitable unwanted toys, for ages 0 – 5 years, please bring them into the Shul Office.



AJEX

AJEX SOCIAL CLUB is now closed and will re-open on Thursday 6th March. Please contact Brenda on 584871 for details.

SOUTHEND SINGLES

We are a friendly group aged 35 to 55. Meet for chats, coffee, days out and much more. Contact Martin on 07967 833516 or email martin11@3mail.com

GOOD COMPANIONS

We would be pleased to welcome to our friendly group, members of the Community who are unattached and over 55. We have a varied weekly programme, including theatre trips, coach trips, walks and other exciting outings. So do come and join us and enjoy our social gatherings. For more information, please phone: Lilian Montsash 01702 435391 or Rosalie 01702 615634.

KASHRUT

Please note that any function taking place outside of the Shul is not under our Supervision, unless otherwise stated.

VISITORS TO OUR COMMUNITY

We are always delighted to welcome visitors into our Community. Please do come and introduce yourselves to one of our officials either during or after the service and enjoy the Kiddush with us. The wardens would be delighted to meet you at any time and make you feel at home.

If you would like to sponsor this leaflet for a £10 donation or publicise your happy occasion or an organisation's event, please contact the Shul office on 344900.

3rd Adar-1 5768 – 9th February 2008

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Southend & Westcliff Hebrew Congregation

www.swhc.org.uk

Minister:
Rabbi Binyamin Bar



Wardens:
Geoffrey Pepper
Allan Silver

Shabbat Services

Shabbat begins Friday 4.39pm

Service 4.40pm

Morning Service 9.15am followed by Kiddush

Toddlers' Service 11.00am

Children's Service 11.00am with Sebastian

Mincha 4.40pm followed by Seuda

Shabbat ends 5.55pm

Sunday

Morning Service 8.30am

Evening Service 8.00pm

Weekdays

Monday & Thursday Morning Service 7.00am

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Morning Service 7.15am

Monday - Thursday Evening Service 8.00pm

Friday 15th February 2008

Shabbat begins 4.52pm – Service 4.50pm

This week's leaflet is kindly sponsored by Annette & Jeffrey Gilbert who are delighted to announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte, to Arnaud Benssoussan. Mazeltov!





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FRIDAY NIGHTS HAVE CHANGED

Come and join our cosy and lively new style services in the Beth Hamidrash every week with loads of singing and sometimes dancing too. If you haven't joined us before, give it a try. Don't miss out! We are a friendly bunch!! For more information, contact Rabbi Bar.

CHEDER

Cheder will be closed this Sunday 10th Feb and next Sunday 17th Feb for half term

MAZELTOV מל מל

Annette & Jeffrey Gilbert are delighted to announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte, to Arnoud Benssoussan. We wish both families a life full of happiness, and joy to the young couple. May the families only enjoy many more Simchas together.



CONDOLENCES

We offer our heartfelt condolences to Debbie Mendoza on the loss of her father, Edwin Casler in America. These sentiments are also extended to her mother, Naomi, sister, Cheryl, brothers, Richard & David and all the family and we hope that they find genuine comfort and only experience good health & happiness long into the future.

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We offer our heartfelt condolences to Ronald Roback on the loss of his brother, Len. These sentiments are extended to all the family and we hope that they find genuine comfort and only experience good health & happiness long into the future.

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We offer our heartfelt condolences to Rita Levy and Sharon Gold on the loss of a husband and father, Charles Levy. These sentiments are also extended to all the family and we hope that they find genuine comfort and only experience good health & happiness long into the future.

NEW KIDDUSHIM FOR THE NEW YEAR

The Ladies' Guild are delighted to announce their new £100.00 Kiddush. Celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, new babies, new homes, engagements or maybe just that New Car. Please contact Geraldine Jay on 715105.

ALWAYS WANTED TO READ HEBREW? - Mondays 5.00pm - 6.00pm

Can we help you? Easy **FREE** learning course in informal surroundings. No age limit. For more information, call the Shul Office 01702 344900. Classes held in Talmud Torah.

HEBREW READING CRASH COURSE FOR WOMEN - Starts Wed 6th Feb

Five x 1½ hour classes for people with no previous knowledge or for brushing up skills learnt years ago. In the Talmud Torah at 7.30pm. £10 donation for course with approx £5 deposit for booklets. For more information, please call Annette Bar 07792 842413 or email: annettebar@gmail.com or call the Shul office to register.

EMUNAH - Card & Games Fun Afternoon - Sun 10th Feb

Venue: Day Centre, Cobham Rd, Westcliff. Entrance Fee: £5.00 per person including fantastic refreshments & a super Raffle. Time: 2.00pm for 2.30pm.

ISRAELI DANCE SESSION - Wed 13th Feb

Join our Israeli folk dancing session on Wednesday 13th Feb at the Jewish Community Centre, 1 Cobham Rd from 7.30pm to 9.00pm. No previous experience necessary. Cost: £6 per session. Tutor: Betty Sterling Hart, Redbridge Israeli Dancers

BARMITZVAH

Next week we celebrate the Barmitzvah of Adam Joseph. The Kiddush will be kindly sponsored by the family.

CHUPA

The Chupa of Aviva Barnes to Ashley Barnett takes place next Sunday, 17th Feb in London.

STONESETTING

The following tombstone consecration will take place next Sunday, 17th February at Stock Road: 12.00 noon Philip Ellis

COME & LISTEN TO RABBI SCHOCHET - 19th Feb, 4th & 11th Mar

Come and listen to Rabbi Schochet expand on 'Mystical Secrets to Successful Relationships' Number One: Tuesday 19th February – Couples: Are Marriages Really Made In Heaven? Number Two: Tuesday 4th March – Children: Are We Doing The Kid Thing Right? Number Three: Tuesday 11th March – Strangers: How To Get Along With Difficult People In the Shul Hall at 8.00pm. Admission £5.00 For further details, please contact Barbara Newman 01702 333307 or 07866 607437 or call the Shul office to reserve your place.

AID SOCIETY - Sun 24th Feb

Inter-Committee Quiz at the Day Centre on Sunday 24th February. More details to follow.

CARE COMMITTEE TEA-TALMUD TORAH-Tues 26th Feb-2pm til 4pm

For People, Opportunity, Purpose (POP) – POP-IN Centre

We are back with you again. We really cannot wait.

Note 26th Feb in your diaries. Let's make this a date.

Come along and join us. You will enjoy your tea.

A chat, a cake, a gossip. You know where you should be!

MILLIONAIRE IMPOSSIBLE - Sun 9th Mar



Be the first to experience an exclusive evening of risk, strategy and a little bit of luck on Sunday 9th March in the Shul Hall at 7.00pm for 7.30pm start. Tables will be in teams of 10 to 12 people and we promise you an evening not to be missed. Tickets £15.00 including bridge roll supper. Please call Shul Office 344900 or Marilyn Salt 476349 for tickets as soon as possible as these are going fast!

EMUNAH - Afternoon Tea & Fancy Hat Parade - Thurs 13th Mar

(Please note date & venue change)

Bring your best decorated bonnet. Prizes for the most original designs.

Time: 2.00pm for 2.30pm. Venue: 71 Chalkwell Esplanade, Westcliff.

Entrance Fee £5.00 per person including Afternoon Tea. And another super raffle!

WIZO - Tues 25th Mar

SPONSOR-A-CHILD Lunch – A "Special" lunch to celebrate 90 years of British WIZO on Tuesday 25th March 2008 with Ann Hardy, who lifts the lid on the Queen's Jewel Box. Venue: 22 Kings Rd, Westcliff, Time: 11.30am Donation: £10 members, £15 non-members. Contact Jane 340731.

Please note that this function is not under the supervision of SWHC.