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What's Up In Our Community...



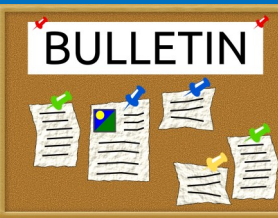
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Top news ...

- New Rabbinical Candidate
- Okanagan Jewish Community is growing!

COMMUNITY NEWS



- **LAST QUARTER:**
- Kelowna Taste of Home Event
- Intercultural Day with Muslim Community

- Sacred Spaces by Kelowna Community Resources
- **ONGOING:**
- Okanagan Weekends on OKVR/BPR (Okanagan Valley Radio & Boomer Public Radio)
- Erev Shabbat Kosher Stand @ Chabad on Richter & Wardlaw, Fridays 9-12
- **UPCOMING:**
- **Intercultural Program** with First Nations Okanagan
- **Kelowna Folkfest—July 1st**—OJC will have a food booth and our Israeli Dancers will be performing.
- **Ball Hockey**—watch your email or contact David Spevakow for more information.
- Volunteers are always needed to help out with Community Events and Programming. If you are interested and available, please contact Steven at stevenfinkleman@hotmail.com.

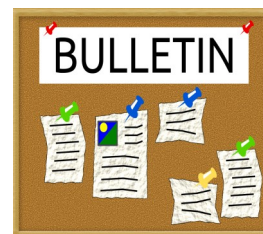
UPCOMING OJCA EVENTS



- **Coffee, Cake & Cultural Anthropology!** An exciting informative series on cultural anthropology featuring a different topic and speaker at each presentation.
- **Monthly Social Breakfast** @ MTL on Kirschner for nosh'n & schmooze'n. First Monday of every month.
- **Monthly Ladies Luncheon** watch your email for date, time & location. (Book Club meets 1 hour prior to luncheon every other month)
- Israeli Dancing—Thursdays @ 6:30 pm @ OJCC
- **Passover— April 19th** @ the Harvest Golf Club.
- Please watch your email event details. If you do not have email, please contact the office for further information.

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- **NEW RABBINICAL CANDIDATE** On Feb 22nd & 23rd, Rabbi Jeffrey Lipschultz joined us from Chicago, IL for our first rabbinical candidate review. He led Friday night and Shabbat morning services, and was on hand to answer questions after services.
- Wouldn't you know it was with frigid temperatures and snowfall that the Okanagan welcomed this newcomer, but having lived in Chicago, it was no deterrent.
- Our Rabbinical Search Committee will continue our search. Todah Rabbah to all for attending services and who participated in our survey!

The Okanagan Jewish Community is growing!

- Welcome back to Canada, Peter & Linda Dux. Empty nesters who just moved back from Arizona, Peter is a Family Practitioner setting up shop in Lake Country, while Linda is a retired school nurse.
- Welcome Don & Harumi who found us at the recent Sacred Spaces event!
- It was great to have you all join us for our Friday Erev Shabbat service. This year we have over a dozen new member families so far, with other community members joining us for events. As well, we have a plethora of OJC sponsored events coming up this year! Watch your emails and check our website for more information. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate.



- **Israeli Dancing Thursdays @ OJCC—6:30—8:30 pm.** Everyone is welcome, come join the fun! Contact Miracle of Peace @ (250) 547-8829 or Israeli.Dancing@outlook.com.
- There are kosher items available at the **"Erev Shabbat" Kosher Stand.** Fridays from 9am-12pm. #Be A Part Of It!! Cash, Cheque or Credit accepted. Visit Chabad Okanagan on the corner of Richter & Wardlaw, contact jewishokanagan.com or (250) 575-5384 for more information.



We had such a great turnout from the OJC this winter participating in the Central Okanagan Food Bank "Drive a Client home with their holiday hampers" on December 21st, that we've decided to make it an annual event.



We have also set up a box in the OJCC foyer to collect hats, gloves, mittens & scarves to be delivered this coming winter, as we noticed that some parents & their children did not have any warm accessories to ward off winter's chill. Thank you for your donations!



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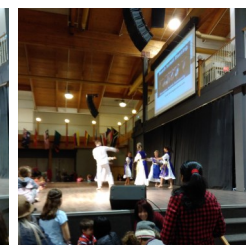
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Taste of Home

- **February 2, 2019**— The “Taste of Home” annual event was sponsored by the Kelowna Community Resources. The auditorium was packed with bumper to bumper people meandering through the aisle to sample the different cuisines from over a dozen ethnic food booths lining the walls. The 340 cheese knishes that OJC made (Thank you very much Barb, Steven, Samantha, Steve, Diane, Shelly) were gone by 7:00 pm! Meanwhile, the stage lit up to host a variety of cultural dancing and music. Needless to say it was a big hit. The OJCC will be participating again. Thank you to all who volunteered and participated, including our Israeli Dancers, who were awesome!



- **FEBRUARY 9, 2019 - 10:00am until NOON**— OJC participated in our first “Intercultural Program” as we were hosted by the Muslim Community at a “meet and greet” at their Rutland Mosque. Approximately two dozen persons from each community were in attendance for the event. President Mustafa gave us an introduction to their Community along with some discussion about their faith and culture. Evan Orloff of our Community reciprocated in telling of OJC’s history and development. We were then given a tour of the Mosque along with detailed explanations, and were grateful that our many questions about Islam were answered. The event finished with a delicious assortment of appetizers and pastries, accompanied by coffee and Moroccan tea. We plan to reciprocate the hospitality by hosting their Community at OJC sometime in the Spring.



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- Special thanks to Philippe Richer LaFleche and to Rehan Sadiq for coordinating this social “meet and greet” event with the local Muslim Community at the Kelowna Islamic Centre in Rutland.



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- **On Saturday, March 23**, the OJC was one of eight of the Sacred spaces that was open to the public to visit. The event was organized by Kelowna Community Resources as an offshoot of their Anti-Racism programming, and involved various churches, OJC, the Islamic Centre and the Seikh temple. We were delighted to host 60-70 visitors (we lost track of the count) at OJC, and were well received by the public with lots of positive and grateful comments. Special thanks to those who volunteered: Cheryl and Pavel Kalashnikoff, Barb Pullan, Evan Orloff, Steve Kushmier, Uri Hess, and Barb and Steven Finkleman. Thanks to the OJC volunteers involved for helping us build goodwill with the greater Kelowna community.

RESPECT LIVES HERE

Sacred Spaces

Tour
March 23, 2019
10:00 - 2:00 pm

You are welcome to visit, explore and learn as these Sacred Spaces open their doors.
This is a free 'open-house-style' event.
Representatives will share about their faiths and traditions.

OKANAGAN JEWISH COMMUNITY 102 GLENMORE RD	KELOWNA ISLAMIC CENTRE 1120 HWY 33
ST. DAVID'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 271 SNOWSELL ST	GURDWARA GURU AMARDAS DARBAR 220 DAVIE RD
FIRST MENNONITE CHURCH 1305 GORDON DR	MISSION CREEK ALLIANCE CHURCH 2091 SPRINGFIELD RD
CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH 2091 GORDON DR	WINFIELD UNITED CHURCH 3751 WOODSDALE RD LAKE COUNTRY
SON GOSPEL FELLOWSHIP 2100 GORDON DR	ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH 3690 BROWN RD WEST KELOWNA

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Upcoming events:

Peace Walks - April 6th & 7th

Community Spring Climb for Health and World Peace

ENTER for a chance to win two tickets to any scheduled **WESTJET** destination WORLDWIDE!

Hosted by **Norm Lethnick**
Kelowna-Lake Country, MLA

When: Saturday, April 6th @ 10:00 am
Registration at 9:30am

Where: Knox Mountain, Kelowna

Visit with our Community Partners:
SOLO, KCR, YMCA of Okanagan, BCSPCA

Peace Walk



Sunday, April 7th, 2019
1:00 p.m.
Stuart Park, Kelowna

Event organized by the Centre for Spiritual Living Kelowna in recognition of A Season for Nonviolence and proclaimed by the City of Kelowna on Jan 17, 2019



We invite you to join people who have intentionally chosen to stand for peace in a ½ hour walk in beautiful downtown Kelowna.

It's easy to be cynical, frustrated and disillusioned. It takes courage to choose differently; to choose peace, compassion and as a result, experience freedom.

Show up for yourself, with and for, your friends and family. Make a Difference - Celebrate Peace - Choose Peace for All.

Everyone is Welcome!



WESTBANK FIRST NATION

April 8th @ 7:30 pm—Our second Intercultural event, a visit with **Okanagan First Nation at the Sncewips First Nation's Heritage Museum**, located on the Westside at #201 - 1979 Old Okanagan Hwy.

OJC is pleased to present its second Intercultural event with the Okanagan First Nation. The program for the evening will introduce us to this vitally important Kelowna community. The organizers have arranged a group tour of the museum with Jordan Cobble, curator. We are then excited to have Lee Claremont, noted First Nations artist, speak to us on some cultural aspects of First Nations and at the same time sharing with us some of her artwork. Lee Claremont and her husband, Sandy Dore, are well known to the OJC.

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Review of Last Quarter's Events:

January



- Tu B'Shevat Seder—On January 21, members of the Community participated in a Tu B'Shevat seder led by Barb Pullan. We gathered to celebrate trees and discuss their importance to the preservation of life. We ate specific fruits representing those grown in Israel, drank wine/ grape juice, recited prayers, told stories and sang songs. The seder concluded with each person sharing what they felt makes trees integral in our lives. It was an afternoon of reflection and fun. *Thanks very much to Barb Finkleman for her delicious treats baked with love and included the seven species connected to Tu B'Shevat.*
- January 24th—Ladies Luncheon @ Moxie's on Cooper & Enterprise.

March



- Our first MTL Social Breakfast was held on Mar 4th @ 10 am. 18 of us enjoyed a great breakfast and social visit at MTL located at Unit 101, 1851



Kirschner Road, Kelowna. This looks like the start of something great! Everyone is welcome. Please RSVP to Barb Finkleman

at whatscooking@babaskitchen.ca, so that the appropriate number of tables can be reserved. We will meet there the first Monday of every month. So the next breakfasts will be **Mondays, April 1st, 10 AM, May 6th & June 3rd.**

- The Ladies Luncheon was @ the Curious Café on March 21st. 15 attended for a delightful and informative, interactive Purim presentation by Barb Finkleman. The Book Club chose "The Far Side of the Sky" by Daniel Kalla for June review. **Our next meeting, will be at Smack Dab on Lakeshore on Thursday, May 9th @ 12:00 pm sharp.** We will host FERN G. Z. CARR who is member of both the League of Canadian Poets and the Federation of BC Writers. Published extensively worldwide from Finland to Mauritius, she currently has one of her poems orbiting the planet Mars aboard NASA's MAVEN spacecraft.

Ladies
meeting

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• **APRIL**—OJC BALL HOCKEY—date to be announced —It will be held at the CENTRAL SPORTS CLUB 1155 Ellis St; Admission: \$10.00; Contact DAVID SPEVAKOW to Register 250-317-5283 or dspevakow@gmail.com; Minimum Age: 16 (16-17 require helmets) Helmet recommended but not required (Bring your own hockey stick).



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• April 1st—MTL Social Breakfast

• April 8th—**INTERCULTURAL PROGRAM WITH FIRST NATIONS OKANAGAN @**

7:30 PM at the Sncewips Heritage Museum, #201 – 1979 Old Okanagan Hwy (Westbank). OJC is pleased to present its second Intercultural event with the Okanagan First Nation. The program for the evening will introduce us to this vitally important Kelowna community. The organizers have arranged a

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• **April 19th—Passover Seder—April 15th registration deadline. Spots are filling up fast. Social from 5:00—5:45 pm @ the Harvest Golf & Country Club. Seder @ 5:45.** Register online or call the office. Remember, students are free, if you know of any that would like to participate, please contact the office to register. Costs partially sponsored by a generous grant from the Jewish Federation of Greater Vancouver.

MAY

- **MAY 6TH, MONDAY — MTL SOCIAL BREAKFAST 10:00 AM**
- **MAY 9TH, THURSDAY — OUR NEXT LADIES LUNCHEON AT 12 NOON, SHARP, IN THE PRIVATE DINING ROOM NEXT TO SMACK DAB AT THE MANTEO RESORT, 3762 LAKESHORE ROAD.**



• **May 9th, Thursday— “COFFEE, CAKE AND CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY”**

Our third in our series will feature Don Plant with a presentation of his personal experience on an archeological dig. It is entitled “Pre-biblical Archeology in Israel.” Please mark the date and time in your calendars: **Thursday, May 9th at 7:30 pm at OJCC.** This promises to be an interesting evening. Do come out!



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HELP Celebrate our 22nd Anniversary of the OJC GOLF CLASSIC

Sunday July 21, 2019 @ the Harvest Golf Course



The planning for the 22nd Annual OJC Golf Classic is well under way. David Spevakow and Mark Golbey are once again chairing this year's tournament. They are asking for help to ensure this year's celebration is another successful event.

How can you Help?

1. **Donate an Item to the auction/prizes**
 - a. Wine Bottles
 - b. Gift Cards
 - c. Rockets, NHL or CFL tickets for 2019/20 season.
 - d. Ski Hill or Vacation home accommodations/items.
2. **Collect a Hole Sponsor:** \$550 includes all events for one golfer.
3. **Sponsor a hole yourself** or join with multiple families to sponsor a hole together. Tax receipts are available for all non-golfer proceeds.
4. **GOLF and have fun** in the tournament and/or invite someone to golf (includes brunch, golf and prime rib dinner)

If you have any questions, concerns or comments, please feel free to contact David or Mark at any time.

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OJC GOLF CLASSIC—SUNDAY JULY 21ST, 2019



RAFFLE

\$10 each

Dear Friends.

The golf committee is asking for your assistance to help raise funds for this year's annual golf tournament fundraiser. If you are able to sponsor a hole, donate an auction item(s) and/or golf it would be greatly appreciated.

This year we will also be having a Raffle once again for WestJet tickets.

If you are unable to help in the form of a donation then we would ask that you help in selling/purchasing Raffle Tickets for this prize.

SPECIAL OFFER

As a thank you for selling tickets you will receive one free entry for each booklet of 20 tickets that you sell.

If you would like a booklet then please contact David Spevakow at dspevakow@gmail.com.

BUY INDIVIDUAL RAFFLE ONLINE:

You may also forward the email to friends and family and ask them to purchase a ticket online.

REGISTER FOR GOLF or DONATE ONLINE:

If you would like, or have friends and family that would like, to donate or golf then forward the email and ask them to register online. Thank you for your efforts.

PRIZE: YOU COULD WIN: One roundtrip flight for two guests to any regularly scheduled and marketed WestJet destination*! (*No cash value. Blackout dates and restrictions apply)

Please review the email or our website for more details.

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Thank you for submitting your updates quickly so we can maintain a current list of your special events.

April

Robert Mohr	Apr 1
Gayle Faigan	Apr 2
Michael Blitz	Apr 3
Dalia Tyk	Apr 4
Stephen Cipes	Apr 10
Sarah Guttormsson	Apr 10
Joshua Tyk	Apr 11
Leigh-Ann Yanow	Apr 13
Margarete Zillich	Apr 14
Mona Steinberg	Apr 22
Alden Westbury	Apr 22
David Blitz	Apr 26

June

Uri Hess	June 1
Barb Pullan	June 2
Zelda Glick	June 3
Diane Butler	June 6
Maurice Blitz	June 6
Samantha Kushmier	June 10
Murray Gitlin	June 12
Jerry Cohen	June 17
Michael Golbey	June 17
Judith Kaplan	June 17
Esther Cipes	June 26



May

Felena Sigal	May 5
Ray Turner	May 9
Adam Tizel	May 9
Chloe Yanow	May 10
Chase Golbey	May 16
Ryder Golbey	May 16
Max Steinberg	May 17
Sue Rampone	May 17
Ari Anderson	May 20
Simon Plant	May 21
Jessica Strasberg	May 23
Bria Tizel	May 24
Michele Troup	May 26
Ria Cipes	May 28
Gloria Golbey	May 28
Lynda Chwaiewsky	May-29
Laura Shapiro	May-31
Steve Kushmier	May 31

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YAHRZEITS 5779/2019

*Please note that the Hebrew dates listed below are matched with the corresponding English dates for 2019. **Please accept our apologies if anyone has been missed.**

NISAN

2 Marcel	Blitz	Apr 7
5 Benjamin	Cohen	Apr 10
5 George	Gill	Apr 10
6 Mordechai	Cohen - Urieli	Apr 11
8 Hans	De Leeuw	Apr 13
12 Bud	Wolochow	Apr 17
13 Helen	Maron	Apr 18
16 Lynne	Cannon	Apr 21
16 Israel	Oron	Apr 21
20 Israel	Mandelbaum	Apr 25
21 Nathan	Cannon	Apr 26
26 Harold	Glick	May 1
27 Ruth	Finkleman	May 2
28 Max	Bidner	May 3

IYAR

1 Babe	Meyers	May 6
6 Muni Samuel	Evers	May 11
7 Harold	Orloff	May 12
7 Gilbert	Segal	May 12
11 Max	Steinberg	May 16
12 Sara	Kolb	May 17
13 Ben	Bookhalter	May 18
24 Margit	Fleishman	May 29
24 Adam	Hess	May 29
25 Gerald	Meyers	May 30
25 Sara	Ruby	May 30
27 Harry	Feldberg	June 1

SIVAN

2 Harold	Henry	June 5
2 Anita	Nadler	June 5
10 Gilbert	Segal	June 13
21 Harold	Jacobs	June 24
24 Philip	Holender	June 27
26 Jerry	Finkleman	June 29



If you wish to add anyone or feel that the date is incorrect, please contact the office at (250) 862-2305



“HOW GOOGLE STARTED, ACCORDING TO THE BIBLE ... JEWISH HUMOUR

- 1. In ancient Palestine, it came to pass that a trader by the name of Abraham Com did take unto himself a healthy young wife by the name of Dorothy. And Dot Com was a comely woman, large of breast, broad of shoulder and long of leg. Indeed, she was often called Amazon Dot Com.*
- 2. And she said unto Abraham, her husband, "Why dost thou travel so far from town to town with thy goods when thou canst trade without ever leaving thy tent?"*
- 3. And Abraham did look at her as though she were several saddle bags short of a camel load, but simply said, "How, dear?"*
- 4. And Dot replied, "I will place drums in all the towns and drums in between to send messages saying what you have for sale, and they will reply telling you who hath the best price. The sale can be made on the drums and delivery made by Uriah's Pony Stable (UPS)."*
- 5. Abraham thought long and decided he would let Dot have her way with the drums. And the drums rang out and were an immediate success. Abraham sold all the goods he had at the top price, without ever having to move from his tent.*
- 6. To prevent neighboring countries from overhearing what the drums were saying, Dot devised a system that only she and the drummers knew. It was known as Must Send Drum Over Sound (MSDOS), and she also developed a language to transmit ideas and pictures - Hebrew to the People (HTTP).*
- 7. And the young men did take to Dot Com's trading as doth the greedy horsefly take to camel dung. They were called Nomadic Ecclesiastical Rich Dominican Sybarites, or NERDS. And lo, the land was so feverish with joy at the new riches and the deafening sound of drums that no one noticed that the real riches were going to that enterprising drum dealer, Brother William of Gates, who bought off every drum maker in the land. Indeed he did insist on drums to be made that would work only with Brother Gates' drum heads and drumsticks.*
- 8. And Dot did say, "Oh, Abraham, what we have started is being taken over by others." And Abraham looked out over the Bay of Ezekiel, or eBay as it came to be known. He said, "We need a name that reflects what we are."*
- 9. And Dot replied, "Young Ambitious Hebrew Owner Operators." "YAHOO," said Abraham. And because it was Dot's idea, they named it YAHOO Dot Com.*
- 10. Abraham's cousin, Joshua, being the young Gregarious Energetic Educated Kid (GEEK) that he was, soon started using Dot's drums to locate things around the countryside.*
- 11. It soon became known as God's Own Official Guide to Locating Everything (GOOGLE).*
- 12. That is how it all began. And that's the truth. I would not make up this stuff!"*

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JEWISH RECIPES

Passover Popovers

Ingredients

- 1 C water
- 1/2 C canola oil
- 1 Tbsp sugar
- 1 tsp salt
- 5 large eggs



Mix together in a bowl:

- 3/4 C cake meal
- 3/4 C matza meal

Directions:

1. Pour the water mixture over the “meals”.
2. Beat in 5 room temperature large eggs, one at a time.
3. Divide evenly into well greased, heated muffin tins. The more batter in each muffin cup, the bigger the popover!
4. Bake @ 400 degrees F for 15 minutes, then lower the temperature to 350 for 30 min.
5. Allow to cool slightly before gently removing from muffin tins.

Popovers can be prepared several days ahead and frozen, well covered. **Makes 1 dozen**

NOSH & SCHMOOZE

Passover Wine Kugel

Ingredients

Pour 1 1/2 Cups boiling water over 2 cups of Farfel. Let stand until the water is absorbed.

- Mix together:
- 8 grated apples
 - 1 cup sugar
 - Juice of half a lemon (about 1 1/2 tbsp)
 - 1 tbsp cinnamon
 - 1/2 cup raisins
 - 1/2 cup dried cranberries

Combine Farfel with the Apple mixture.

In a large bowl, beat 6 eggs. Add the farfel/apple mixture to the eggs.

Bake at 375 F in a well greased 9x13 pan for 25 minutes.

While baking, bring to a boil:

- 2 tbsp sweet wine
- 2 tbsp honey
- 1 tsp lemon juice

Pour over the Kugel and bake for another 20 minutes.



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PRESIDENT'T MESSAGE

It looks as though Spring has finally sprung in the Okanagan bringing the much waited-for disappearance of snow. OJC is not disappearing and we are looking forward to bloom with new activities and events to serve everyone's needs. The OJC Passover Seder preparations have been finalized and the advertisement is out. We are excited that our Seder will be led by Grant and Annik Waldman, perhaps with a new twist and some different traditions that many of us have not been exposed to. Bring your singing voices. Do plan to give Grant and Annik your full attention during the Seder, as we may be expecting a crowd larger than in previous years.



Programming along social, cultural, intercultural and educational events are being planned, leading up to our major fundraising event of the Golf Tournament in the summer. Do participate in these events.

We are looking forward to having more volunteers helping out with our programming. Please consider contributing your time and effort by volunteering for your community. New ideas for programming are always welcomed - get an idea, do some homework and help in its realization.

This is not the big city where events occur automatically and one can attend or not. Events in our small community depend on persons' volunteering to help out. To elaborate on JFK's quote, 'Ask not what your "community" can do for you, but rather what YOU can do for your "community"!'. I will be maintaining a list of community volunteers that I can draw on for helping out. Please consider submitting your name, phone number and email address to me at steven-finkleman@hotmail.com if you can help in building your community.

Thanks to all, and have a great Spring,

Steven Finkleman
President



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MAZEL TOV

- Mazel Tov to Steven and his lovely wife Barb Finkleman, and Jeremy's mother, Leslie Turner, on the birth of their new grandson, Rafael Emet, born on March 18, 2019. The proud parents are Jeremy & Mahla Finkleman of Vancouver. The Bris was held in Vancouver on March 25th.
- Mazel Tov to Stephen Cipes celebrating his 75th birthday this month.



OBITUARIES

- We wish to extend our condolences to Rabbi Hecht's mother and to Rabbi Hecht on the passing of Bubby, Yehudis Devorah bat Meir of blessed memory. She had the great honour of spending her last day in Shul on Shabbat, with her community and friends, enjoying the glory of her Yiddishkeit at 90 years old.
- Al Chwaiewsky—our thoughts are with Lynda Chwaiewsky on the loss of her dear husband Al, who passed away on February 14th. There will be a memorial service in Al's honour on April 7th @ 2:00 pm at Chabad on Richter & Wardlaw.
- Our condolences to Elena Mitropolsky on the passing of her father on March 13th in Israel.
- Our condolences to Stuart Rosove on the passing of his mother Lee on March 17th in Winnipeg.

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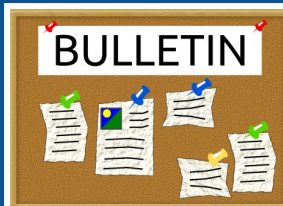
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*** Spring on in—A New Golf Show Tees off on Thursdays, on www.okanaganvalleyradio.com ***

- Just in time for Spring, we're excited to announce the launch of a new golf show at 9:00 a.m. this morning. The Golf Podcast features all the latest golf news, instruction, and equipment from the point of view of real average golfers just like yourself.
- This week we have Josh Talge, VP of Marketing for Titleist Golf Clubs, on the show to talk about the new line of TS drivers. The TS2 and TS3 have been met with outstanding success both on and off the PGA TOUR and Josh is here to tell us what went into making the ground-breaking clubs.

- **OKANAGAN WEEKEND: Saturdays 10:00—12:00—** Start your weekend on the bright side by adding a little nostalgia to your Saturday morning from 10:00 a.m. -12:00 noon with local veteran radio personality Allan Holender and his new show "OKANAGAN WEEKEND". It's comedy, records, and fun as Allan brings back the music and the memories of a bygone era, when radio was "KING" and the airwaves were filled with magical entertainment.



Sprinkled with stimulating conversations about today's Okanagan lifestyle, local personalities and newsmakers from here and around the world, makes the show appealing for everyone in the Valley. It's the way radio was meant to be heard. You'll be saying "Its the most positive, entertaining, and informative weekend morning radio show in the Valley

- Also a new feature, "Around the Okanagan with Anna" Anna Jacyszyn joins us every Saturday morning at 10:45 am - giving a glimpse of what the Okanagan has to offer by highlighting events, creative activities, concerts and other artistic performances throughout our valley.



- Also on the weekend lineup—**FOR THE HEALTH OF IT:** Tania Gustafson talks about Self Care
- Visit www.boomerradio.com for the complete weekend lineup.

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- ◆ Sunshine Seniors: Please contact Barb Finkleman @ whatscooking@babaskitchen.ca if you know of anyone who is 'blue' or unwell, and could benefit from receiving a card, a call, or gesture to uplift their soul/spirit.
 - ◆ OJCC Recipe Book: Please keep your recipes coming in to Koreann Bracken-Horracks @ skbh@telus.net.
- ◆ The OJC Ladies Group has asked, as a Spring Cleaning project, that we save household items, such as clothes, small appliances, etc. that would normally be given away and bring them to the next meeting. Shelly and Barb F will then take all of these donations over to the Women's Shelter Store after the next meeting. Peggy suggested that new unopened cosmetics are of great value to the ladies as well.
- ◆ **TODAH RABBAH TO ALL WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED AND ASSISTED IN MAKING OJCC'S EVENTS AND OUR RABBI SEARCH A SUCCESS - WE APPRECIATE ALL YOUR EFFORTS! THANK YOU**

JUDAICA Corner, Cards, Library, & the TREE OF LIFE

We have Shabbat and Yahrzeit candles available as well as some gift items; miscellaneous cards; a Looney / Twooney Table with various clearance items.

OJCC has an extensive selection of Jewish, travel, cultural books and literary publications for your review. There will be a checkout clipboard in the Judaica Corner if you'd like to check out books or publications.

If you wish to make a donation to have a sympathy card sent out, we will do so for you. The person is advised that there has been a donation made in Memory of their loved one however the amount remains confidential.

If you have a special occasion you wish to honour or want to purchase a leaf In Memory, we have the 'Tree of Life' on the right as you go into the hall and a leaf can be purchased for \$72.00 which will be inscribed appropriately.

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