

**Temple Or Rishon Weekly Bulletin: Week of August 31, 2010 – 21 Elul, 5770**  
**TOR Website: [www.OrRishon.org](http://www.OrRishon.org)**

**Shabbat Services**

Friday night Shabbat Services are at 6:45 pm. Saturday Morning Shabbat Services are at 10:00 am with the Bar Mitzvah of Adam Poisner. Weekly Torah Study is from 9-10. To learn the name of this week's Torah portion and to find out more about the Torah portion click here <http://urj.org/learning/torah/>.

**Final Friday Shabbat Service & Dinner**

Friday, September 24 – Shabbat Services are at 6:45 pm, followed by a catered dinner by (TBD) at 7:45 pm. The cost is \$10 per person. Please call the office at 916-988-4100 by September 23 to RSVP.

**Selichot Service**

Saturday, September 4 beginning at 7:30 pm for Havdalah & learning, 8:45 – 9:15: dessert potluck (bring a dessert to share), 9:15: Selichot Service, ending with the first blast of the Shofar!

**Religious & Hebrew School**

Religious School: 9/12, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31, 11/7, 11/14, 12/5, 12/12  
Hebrew School: 9/15, 9/22, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17, 12/1, 12/8, 12/15

**TASTY & TASTY Bites - *You must be a member of TOR to join our TASTY groups.***

Youth Advisor: Monica Dean, email [Monica\\_Dean@hotmail.com](mailto:Monica_Dean@hotmail.com), phn. # 916-300-4217.  
President:

For information on TASTY Bites events, contact Marcia Greene, email [educator@orrishon.org](mailto:educator@orrishon.org). Phn. # 916-988-4100.

**Sisterhood**

Save the Date: WRJ Pacific District Biennial Convention, November 4-7 at Doubletree Inn in Sacramento. Please contact Lani Fuzessery at 916-989-1206 for cost.

Sisterhood Cookbooks - cost is \$25. The cookbook is also on CD and costs \$20. Please contact the office to purchase one.

Entertainment Books now available. This year they are only \$30 each and can be purchased through the temple office.

**Men's Club**

Make the Temple Shine/Free Bagels...Sunday, September 5 at 9:00 am. Clean-up day hosted by Men's Club.

Poker night is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of every month from 7 – 10 p.m. at Calvin Sachs home. Contact Dave Cuttler at 916-765-4253 for more information.

**The Jewish Book Club**

Monday, September 27 at 7:00 pm at TOR. The book for September is *Arafat's Elephant: Stories* by Jonathan Tel. In this delightful and quirky short story collection, the Israeli psyche shines through a variety of people in quite different circumstances. Using mostly scenes of contemporary Israeli life, the author intriguingly portrays life in a land where, as he puts it, "whoever tells the best story wins".

Please call Alison Braverman at 916-988-7110 or email [alcinp1@aol.com](mailto:alcinp1@aol.com) for more information.

**"Freilache Menschen" - Senior Group (ages 55 & up)**

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at noon. Next meeting is Wednesday, October 13 (**no meeting in September**) at noon. Please call Gert Jacobs at 916-967-6516 for more information or to be put on our mailing list.

**Early Childhood Education**

**Gan K'tan Class:**

Every Friday, from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. For children ages 18 months to 5 years. The cost of the program is \$100.00 for 10 classes. Next session begins on Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Wake Up and Taste the Torah Class**

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday morning at 10:30 a.m. This program is for families with young children and children of all abilities. No cost.

### **Penny Drive**

TOR 5767 Club is having a penny drive. **We have collected 150,000 pennies so far.** Their goal is to collect 6,000,000 pennies that will be donated to the U.S. Holocaust Museum in Washington D.C. and The Museum of Tolerance in Los Angeles. We have a penny collection jar in our foyer.

### **Roseville Home Start 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Starlight Extravaganza**

Sunday, September 12, 4-8 pm. Please visit:

[http://www.kkaplanproductions.com/videopostcards/rhs/?utm\\_source=Starlight+Extravaganza+2010+email+list&utm\\_campaign=b066e66a09-Starlight\\_Extravaganza6\\_9\\_2010&utm\\_medium=email](http://www.kkaplanproductions.com/videopostcards/rhs/?utm_source=Starlight+Extravaganza+2010+email+list&utm_campaign=b066e66a09-Starlight_Extravaganza6_9_2010&utm_medium=email) for more information.

### **Jewish Community Night**

Federation is organizing a Jewish Community Night during opening night, September 25, 2010, with the United Football League's Sacramento Mountain Lions. The team is led by Denis Green, former head coach of the Minnesota Vikings and Arizona Cardinals and three time bowl star Daunte Culpepper. Sac State's Hornet Field. 8:00 p.m. vs. Florida Tuskers. Tickets are \$20 (subject to discounts depending on the number of participants). For more information, contact [jewishvoice@jewishsac.org](mailto:jewishvoice@jewishsac.org).

### **SUDS, The Rocking 60's Musical Soap Opera - NCJW of Sacramento Special Event to benefit Sacramento Crisis Nurseries**

Sunday, October 10 at 6:00 pm for drinks and "lite bites". Showtime is at 7:30 pm. Location: 1000 K Street, Sacramento. \$50 per stadium seat or \$60 per table seat. Call Cheryl at 916-485-6557 for more information.

### **ONLINE SHOPPERS**

Make your purchases count for the temple. Instead of going directly to any online shopping site, click on the eScrip Online Mall link on the temple website. Then shop as usual. TOR gets a percentage of your purchase!

Anyone can earn for TOR – **even if they are not enrolled with eScrip** - they can click on the link, shop or download AutoEARN\*, and earn anonymously!

- Earn up to 16% from purchases at over **1,000 name brand merchants**
- Shop from the same **websites** you know and trust
- **Pay exactly the same price** as you normally would

\*check out AutoEARN – this program allows you to earn for TOR whenever you make an online purchase at a participating retailer, even if you haven't gone through the online mall link.

Questions? Contact Cecily Kane at 916-969-5936, [chcoholic@hotmail.com](mailto:chcoholic@hotmail.com) or Karen Ziman at 933-6537 or [karziman@aol.com](mailto:karziman@aol.com)

### **TOR Chavurah**

Being part of a Chavurah - a designated circle of friends- is a way to develop more focused friendships within the wider Or Rishon community. Each Chavurah is a small group of congregants who meet to socialize, pursue similar interests, and to celebrate Jewish life together. For more information please call Dorothy Anderson at 530-622-7689. **(for members only).**

### **Mah Jongg**

Every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday from 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to play. No cost.

### **JSN – Jewish Singles Network ON THE LIST?**

Do you know someone who wants to be connected but isn't receiving the calendar? Let us know and we'll add that name to the e-mail list ASAP.

### **JSN Website Is Only a Click Away**

Bookmark JSN's jazzy website for instant information about happenings in Sacramento for Jewish singles over 40: [www.freewebs.com/jewishsinglesnetwork](http://www.freewebs.com/jewishsinglesnetwork)

JSN is an organization dedicated to providing activities and events for Sacramento area's single Jews over 40 who enjoy meeting others. Our focus is to bring people together to share the fun of life.

### **Jewish Community Grief Support Group**

This group will be led by Jerry Roth, Marriage Family Therapist and Rosalie Golub Roth, Licensed Clinical Social Worker. Beginning Thursday, March 4 from 7:00 -8:30 pm at Mosaic Law, 2300 Sierra Blvd., Sacramento. The cost for the series is \$18 if you register in advance or a \$3 drop-in rate per session. For more information, please contact Rina Racket at [rina@mosaiclaw.org](mailto:rina@mosaiclaw.org).

### **NCJW – National Council of Jewish Women**

NCJW is the oldest national Jewish Women's organization in the United States. Inspired by Jewish values, NCJW has been at the forefront of social change for over a century. Locally, current NCJW programs include the Family Shalom project to end domestic violence, an annual Hanukkah luncheon for seniors, and working to pass progressive legislation in such areas as healthcare and family planning.

### **Family Shalom (916) 204-8777 or familyshalom.org**

Family Shalom is a project of National Council of Jewish Women Sacramento section. Its mission is to educate the Jewish community to the fact that Jewish families do experience domestic abuse. Domestic abuse crosses all economic, ethnic and religious backgrounds, including Reform, Conservative, Orthodox, Reconstructionist, Misrachi, Sephardic, unaffiliated and interfaith families. No one should have to endure an abusive relationship! Trained volunteers answer the Family Shalom information and referral line at (916) 204 8777. All calls are strictly confidential, and a caller may remain anonymous, Speakers are available for both adult and teen programs. Brochures are available in the lobby and in the bathrooms at Or Rishon.

### **Community Information**

**Derech L'Chaim JACS** - Jewish Alcoholics, Chemically Dependent Persons and Significant Others in cooperation with Jewish Family Service.

Jewish 12 Step Recovery Meetings

Every Monday each month 10:30 - 11:30am

Albert Einstein Center, 1935 Wright Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Fl, Card Room, Sacramento

We welcome all individuals in need of a 12 Step meeting with a Jewish focus. SAFE, SECURE, ANONYMOUS. If you have any questions, please contact me directly by telephone (916) 487-2792 or email [samuelsd85@aol.com](mailto:samuelsd85@aol.com).