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### BRISTOL HEBREW CONGREGATION THE SYNAGOGUE, PARK ROW, BRISTOL

#### Synagogue Services:

Friday Evenings 7.30 p.m. Hon. Sec.  
Saturday Mornings 10.0 a.m.

#### Ministers:

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Bristol 6.  
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37 Long Eaton Drive,  
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Talmud Torah Classes: Sunday mornings  
10.00 a.m. to 12.45 p.m.

Hon. Sec. Mrs. M. Kushner,  
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#### Bristol Jewish Ladies' Guild:

Hon. Sec. Mrs. C. Culank,  
113 Hags Head Hill,  
St. George,  
Bristol 5.

#### Bristol W.I.Z.O. Group:

Hon. Sec. Mrs. S. Hart,  
9 Pitch & Pay Lane,  
Bristol.  
BS9 1NH.

Both Ladies' Organisations hold regular  
meetings and functions throughout the  
year.

## *for your diary . . .*

Sunday, 8th November.

New Inspiration Whist Drive.

Tuesday, 10th November.

Evening Meeting - 27 Reedley  
Road.

Sunday 15th November.

Annual Remembrance Parade.

Monday, 16th November.

Evening Meeting - 15 St.  
Ronans Avenue.

Sunday, 22nd November.

Supper Dance.

Sunday, 13th December.

New Inspiration Variety  
Show.

YAHREZITS.

Monday	9th November	Mrs. Ring	Cheshvan	10
Saturday	14th November	Mr. B. Silverman	Cheshvan	15
Wednesday	18th November	Mrs. M. Garcia	Cheshvan	19
Thursday	19th November	Mrs. E. Fox	Cheshvan	20
Sunday	22nd November	Mesdames Lazarus	Cheshvan	23
Wednesday,	25th November	Mr. J. Malik	Cheshvan	26
Sunday	29th November	Mr. H. Silverman	Kislev	1
Sunday	6th December	Mr. J. Ginsberg	Kislev	8
Wednesday	9th December	( Mr. J. Ginsberg ( Messrs. Myers.	Kislev	11

KADDISH WILL BE SAID THE PREVIOUS EVENING

The Memorial Prayer (El Mole Rachamin) will be recited by the Minister during the Reading of the Law, on the Sabbath prior to the Yahrzeit, in the presence of the bereaved.

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COMMUNAL NOTICES

The Tombstone setting for Mr. Arthur White will take place at Ridgeway Cemetery on Sunday 1st November at 3.00 p.m.

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We offer our sincere condolences to the families of the late Mrs. Sally Dembo, Mrs. Goldsmith (of Bath) and Mrs. Sara Jackson of Glasgow and we wish them all long life.

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We wish a speedy recovery to Mr. Len Gould who is a patient at the Chesterfield Nursing Home.

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On and after 15th October, 1970, Mr. Colin Berkovitch will reside at 67 Pembroke Road, Clifton, Bristol. BS8 3DW.

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The Congregation warmly thanks Messrs. M. Averbouch and J. Charles for their kindness in donating gifts of Tallithim to the Synagogue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sacof wish to thank most sincerely all relatives and friends for their gifts, flowers and good wishes received on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

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October Lottery:

Mr. Newman Cohen	£5.
Mr. M. Fox	£50.

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The Bristol University Jewish and Israel Society would welcome any members of the community who would like to attend any of the following meetings:-

Sunday 1st November 7.30 p.m. Soviet Jewry.

Sunday 8th November 7.30 p.m. Current problems of Israel and the Middle East with GAD MAZOR, First Secretary to The Israeli Embassy.

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Mazeltof to Mr. Michael Averbouch and Mr. L. Gould who had the honour of Chathan Torah and Chathan Bereshit, and to Dr. S. Curwen who "stood in" for Mr. Gould who was unfortunately unwell on the "day".

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Mr. J. Ginsberg wishes to thank all his relatives and friends for the kind wishes they sent him during his recent stay in hospital. We are glad that he is now back home again and we hope he will soon be fully recovered.

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The Editors acknowledge with thanks a copy of "The Bulletin" the journal of the Bristol and West Progressive Jewish Congregation. The following extract is headed Social Events:-

"On Saturday, 14th November at 8 p.m., Michael and Wendy Wolfe will be holding a games and card evening at their home, 28 Woodgrove Road, Henbury. There will be a cover charge of 4/- per person, the surplus of which will be devoted to Charity. Wendy would appreciate a telephone call to Bristol 624276 to say you are coming".

Members of the Bristol Hebrew Congregation are invited to this and indeed to any social function arranged by the Bristol and West Progressive Jewish Congregation.

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Mrs. Ann Senel would like to thank everyone for their kind enquiries, flowers etc. sent to her after her recent accident. Her mother, Mrs. Fox, will be at the Chesterfield Nursing Home for another three weeks and would welcome any visitors who would like to call.

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The Annual Jewish Remembrance Parade in London will be held this year on November the 15th. The Inspecting Officer is Lieutenant General Sir Peter Hellings K.C.B., D.S.C., M.C.

Numbers in the past few years have been dropping off but we would like to see all the members of the Polack branch and A.J.E.Y. on parade this year.

All arrangements are being made by Nat Smith as he is very good at organising these trips. So please contact him, his 'phone no. is 47492.

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The Exservicemens Parade in Bristol will be held on 8th November. The Reverend Modell will be taking part in the service and a Wreath on behalf of the Jewish Exservicemen will be laid on the Cenotaph by Mr. Newman Cohen.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. Sacof.

To be able to celebrate the Anniversary of fifty years of married life is a wonderful thing; for such an event to occur in a small community such as ours arouses interest perhaps greater than is normal on such occasions and when the principals in this marvellous record are two such beloved members of the Congregation as Nat and Gazina Sacof then interest, wonderment and joy are complete.



The large numbers who called at 4 Rockleaze on Sunday 18th October, are evidence enough of the regard, respect and affection with which this remarkable couple are held. There can be few members of the Congregation who have not enjoyed the Sacof's hospitality or experienced their completely unsolicited acts of kindness.

Because of her intense interest in communal life, both Jewish and otherwise, it is Mrs. Sacof who is the better known partner. Her energy still never fails to amaze. Her knowledge and grip of affairs, her kindly interest and advice are all characteristics which make her remarkable. How wonderful to receive a card on an anniversary which one had forgotten oneself. Mrs. Sacof must have literally hundreds of anniversary dates, birthdays, weddings, happy times, sad occasions she remembers them all. She follows with interest not only the lives of her many friends and relatives but knows all about their children and grandchildren. Call on her at any time for help or advice and they will not be lacking. All her life, Mrs. Sacof, has taken and still takes a lively interest in congregational matters. No event or meeting is complete without her help and her, so often, useful views.

Such a remarkable woman could not have the energy or mental capacity unless she was sustained by an understanding and devoted partner. That is the role of Nat Sacof, a wonderful husband, father and grandfather. He has a quiet charm, a kindly and simple wit and a generous and hospitable friendliness. There is nothing he would not do for his wife and his family. Nat, too has played his part in Synagogue affairs, has served in the Council and has been Honorary Secretary.

Now he listens and advises and sustains his wife with remarkable understanding for all her good works.

For fifty years Nat and Gazina have each in their own way contributed to a remarkable, happy and successful partnership. Long may it continue.

On behalf of all their friends and of all members of the Congregation I wish them many more years of health, happiness and peace.

Sydney Curwen.

President.

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\* FORTHCOMING ATTRACTIONS \*  
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The New Inspiration are pleased to announce they have arranged a grand VARIETY SHOW for December the 13th at 7.45 p.m. It will be called:

THE CURWEN SPECTACULAR

We leave the rest to your imagination. Refreshments will be served free. The entrance fee of 5/- for members and 3/- for students will go to the New Inspiration funds and as you all know the money the New Inspiration collect is spent on improving the School and buying equipment for the children at Habonim. Keep this date free as we expect you all to come and make this show a great success.

The New Inspiration also announce a WHIST'DRIVE to be held on November the 8th at 7.30. Even though the attendance was poor at the last two whistdrives we are not daunted. Please come this time and win the prizes.

The New Inspiration have quite a few ideas for the future but we want to hear from all of you to tell us what you want. Our aims are to bring some life back to the community Religiously and socially.

Sam Silverman.

Hon. Sec.

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BRISTOL JEWISH LADIES' GUILD.

An evening meeting was held on Monday, 21st September at 1 Ravenswood Road. Our hostess was Mrs. Rosenberg:

An enjoyable afternoon meeting and "Bring & Buy" was held on Monday, 26th October. Our hostess was Mrs. Dysch.

Future Programme.

Monday, 16th November.

Evening Meeting at 15 St. Ronan's Avenue. Our hostess will be Mrs. Schlesinger.

Sunday evening:  
22nd November. 7.30 p.m.

Supper-Dance at Synagogue Hall.

Monday, 14th December.

Evening Meeting at 41 Apsley Road.  
Our hostess will be Mrs. Averbouch.

The Cardiff Jewish Home for the Aged are holding their 25th Annual Silver Ticket Ball on Tuesday evening 1st December.

It has been suggested that a party should be made up to go from here in a small coach and return the same evening.

If anyone is interested would they please telephone Mrs. Golda Seymour (Tel 627375) as soon as possible.

Our grateful thanks are due once again to Mrs. Golda Seymour for the efficient way in which she organised all the arrangements and decoration of the Succah; also, to all her helpers for their co-operation and to the Habonin group who provided the foliage.

C. Culank.  
Hon. Sec.

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BRISTOL W.I.Z.O. GROUP.

A very successful and most enjoyable luncheon was held at the Synagogue in the Succah on Tuesday, 20th October. Grateful thanks are due to our three hostesses, Mrs. N. Silverman, Mrs. R. Smith and Mrs. I. Springer. £15.8.0. was raised.

A stall has been reserved at the Cannons Marsh Market for Sunday 6th December due to the success of the one held in May, and once again we throw ourselves onto the generosity of our friends and members to achieve the desired result. We should be glad to receive any articles, nearly new, knitted, sewn, embroidered, handwork, glass and white elephants. Collection can be arranged.

Our future meetings are:-

Tuesday, 10th November.

An evening meeting at 27 Reedley Road, Westbury-on-Trym, our hostess will be Mrs. K. Lever.

Tuesday, 24th November.

A coffee morning at 36 Oakdale Court, Downend, Bristol. Our hostess will be Mrs. S. Silverman.

Tuesday, 8th December.

Afternoon tea at 77 Parry's Lane, Stoke Bishop, Bristol. A speaker is invited. Our hostess will be Mrs. Ruth Curwen.

Shelagh Hart.  
Hon. Sec.