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BRISTOL HEBREW CONGREGATION THE SYNAGOGUE, PARK ROW, BRISTOL.

Synagogue Services:

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

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Hon.Sec.

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Bristol W.I.Z.O. Group:

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

FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday, 4th July

Soviet Jewry - Senate House

Sunday, 14th July

Zionist Society Outing -
2.30.p.m.

Ladies Guild - Grand Olde
Tyme Evening - 7.30.p.m.

Monday, 22nd July

Council Meeting

YAHREZEITS

Monday	8th July	Family of the late Mr. D. Strimer	TAMMUZ 18
Thursday	10th July	Mrs. Meisbiser Mrs. M. Goldman	TAMMUZ 21
Monday	15th July	Mr. C. Epstein	TAMMUZ 25
Monday	22nd July	Mrs. N. Silverman	AV 3.
Sunday	28th July	Mrs. G. Myers	AV 9.
Wednesday	31st July	Mr. A. Glass	AV 12.
Saturday	3rd August	Dr. G. Culank	AV 15.
Thursday	8th August	Mr. F. Cohen	AV 20.

KADDISH WILL BE SAID THE PREVIOUS EVENING

The Memorial Prayer (El Mole Rachamim) 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.

COMMUNAL NOTICES

LOTTERY

No Lottery was drawn this month, due to the absence of the Hon. Treasurer, who is on holiday. Two announcements will, therefore, be made next month.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next Council Meeting will be on Monday, 22nd July at 8.00.p.m.

BUILDING FUND

A most generous donation has been presented by Mr. A.E. Morris, to be shared by the Building Fund and the General Fund. Although "our Ernie" studiously avoids publicity for his good works in time and money, I feel that he will forgive us on this occasion for thanking him "in print", in the fond hope that his splendid gesture may be followed. Thank you Ernie.

BLIND SOCIETY

The Bristol Aid Society, an affiliated branch of the Jewish Blind Society, has benefited in the sum of £2. through the efforts of Master Stephen and David Silverman, who held a "Garden Party" with other children to raise this money. Due to demands on the Community from all manner of organisations, no specific function has ever been held solely for the Blind Society, but Congregants are reminded that the Society will be pleased to accept Donations, however small, also books of Green Shield Stamps, through Mr. H. Springer, Chairman, or Mr. Nat. Smith, Hon. Secretary, at any time. Some copies of the Blind Society's Magazine "Perception", will be sent out with some "Recorders" next month. Should any member like to receive a copy of this magazine in the future, please contact Nat. Smith. There is no charge.

NEW BUILDING FUND

A generous Donation of £50. has been made to the New Building Fund, by the Chevra Kedusha, the result of a Premium Bond win. This is in addition to an earlier windfall of £25. presented to Shool Funds by the Chevra. Our grateful thanks to the Chevra, and continued Good Luck to the Bonds they hold in Trust !!

The Fast of the 9th of AV will be observed on Sunday the 28th July, 1974. The Fast commences on Saturday evening the 27th July at 9.00.p.m. and terminates on Sunday evening, the 28th July at 10.05.p.m.

The Evening Service for TISH'AH B'AV followed by the Reading of the Book of Lamentations commences on Saturday evening, the 27th July at 9.30.p.m.

There will also be a Service for TISH'AH B'AV on Sunday morning, the 28th July at 10.a.m.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mazel tov to Eve and Gerald Levy of 6, Ellesmere, Thornbury, on the birth of their first child, a Daughter, Claire.

Our sincere condolences to Mrs. Marcia Gee on the death of her Grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Cohen.

Mazel tov to Fred and Gerald Cole who recently celebrated their

BRISTOL LADIES GUILD

The "Sale of Work" which took place in June, was a tremendous success. £104.00. was raised - half of which goes into WIZO funds and half into Guild Funds. We would like to thank everyone for coming along. Also, a big 'thank you' to all those who donated goods and to the ladies who helped out on the stalls.

Don't forget Sunday, 14th July "OLDE TYME EVENING" (see separate announcement). As this is our main function of the year, we would like to see a big crowd (all wearing period hats !)

The Ladies Guild A.G.M. will take place on Monday, 9th September.

Irene Berkovitch
Hon. Secretary

THE BRISTOL JEWISH WOMEN'S GUILD

request the pleasure of your
company

at an

"OLDE TYME EVENING"

on

SUNDAY, 14TH JULY, 1974

at

THE SYNAGOGUE HALL

Reception 7-30.p.m. Supper 8.p.m.

Please come in
"PERIOD HATS"

In aid of
GUILD FUNDS

Admission £1.50.
per head.

BRISTOL WIZO GROUP

In last month's Recorder, a notice was inserted, stating that WIZO were once again producing a brochure of New Year greetings. We feel that this is a service to the community as it saves each individual a considerable amount of time and money sending out their own cards.

As yet, the response has not been overwhelming, and as the printers require the brochure before the end of July, would anyone wishing to avail themselves of this service please contact us before the 10th July.

Mrs. S. Silverman, 36, Oakdale Court, Downend.
Telephone 560700

or Mrs. M. Goldman, 11, Glen Drive, Stoke Bishop
Telephone 681557.

An afternoon Meeting was held on Tuesday, 11th June at the home of Mrs. G. Roydon. The Meeting was very well attended and an excellent talk was given by the Guest Speaker on the problems affecting the families of the Israeli war wounded.

Jewish Women's Week Captains, Mrs. A. Greenbaum and Mrs. B. Burke, are pleased to announce that a total of £252.25p. was raised. We would like to thank all those who contributed.

Sheila Tobias.
Hon.Sec.

BRISTOL ZIONIST SOCIETY

The Honorary Secretary,
Arnold Levin,
68, Lake Road,
Henleaze,
Bristol,
BS10 5JF
(Tel: Bristol 628985)

As we come to the end of our Summer programme, we wish to thank everyone for their support of the Society.

Sunday, 14th July 2.30.p.m.

An afternoon out for members, friends and their children. We have been invited to spend the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey in Bath and their large house and garden will be at our disposal.

Toys for Israel

Thanks to everyone for supporting our collection so splendidly.
The final date for collecting toys will be the 14th July.

Stamps

We shall continue to send used postage stamps to Youth Aliya
to raise money for Israel.

Ivrit Lessons

Summer recess until September when we hope to start the
groups again.

We are planning a full programme of activities for the Autumn
and hope that you will support us.

Arnold Levin
Hon. Secretary

The following letter was sent to about 40 Members of the
Congregation. I have only sent them to Members who have
relatives buried in Bristol, or to Members who have told
me that they would like to have a Memorial Plaque. Please
use this letter and reply slip if you so wish, and return to
me as soon as possible.

However, I would like it to be known that I did not think
of this scheme out of my own head, in fact, it is nothing
to do with me except that I was foolish enough to send out
the letters. So far, I have had enough suggestions to fill
the Shool with different types of boards. I have been told
how it is done "in the Haime", in "Yena Velt", in "Mine
Kleina Shtatle", and Timbuctoo - when all I am asking is
for you to let me know if YOU ARE IN FAVOUR of having the
Plaques or NOT. I will then tell the Building Sub-committee,
the Council, and all concerned, and they will decide on the
size, the material, Gold, Silver, Tin, Wood etc. Then I shall
be able to sleep once again, having learnt my lesson never
to Volunteer !!

Shmul Avigdal ben Tzvi

BRISTOL CHEVRA KADISHA

36, Oakdale Court,
Downend,
Bristol.

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so that any person who has lost a parent or relative for whom they keep Yartzeit can purchase a plaque with a light above it. This plaque would be illuminated for the day of the Yartzeit each year.

Obviously, it would be uneconomical to erect this board before we know the response from the community, and as secretary of the Chevra Kadisha I have been asked to write to you to see if you would be willing to purchase one or more of the plaques.

The initial cost of each plaque would be £10, and 20p. per year for the lighting and maintenance. The difference in the cost of the memorial board and the money we hope to receive for the plaques will be given to the building sub-committee to help with the cost of necessary work to the Synagogue Building.

Yours sincerely,

SAM SILVERMAN

Hon. Secretary.

I would be willing to purchasePlaques at £10.each if the above idea is adopted.

Signed.....

Name (Block capitals).....

Address (Block capitals).....

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CAMPAIGN FOR SOVIET JEWRY

Everyone concerned with the plight of Soviet Jewish Scientists wishing to emigrate to Israel, is invited to join with the University Community in meeting the Wives and Families of Physics Professors Mark Azbel and Alexander Voronel on Thursday, 4th July around 8.00.p.m. in the Senior Common Room, Senate House, Tyndall Avenue, BS8 1TH.

The object of this meeting is to demonstrate public support for M.Azbel and A. Voronel, who are in imminent danger of arrest and incarceration in prison camps following their petitions to join their Families in Israel.

Committee of the Bristol Campaign

A'hin and A'here

At an informal gathering at the home of Mr. & Mrs. S. Bloom on Sunday, 26th May in the company of Communal Officers and Members of Council and their Husbands and Wives, the presentation of a Sefer Torah Cover, inscribed, was made to Mr. A.E. Morris in recognition of his long and outstanding service to the Bristol Hebrew Community. We wish simply, Good Health and Happiness To Ernie and Muriel - long may they reside among us.

The Sherry Morning held at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jayson raised the fine sum of £14.75 for the Building Fund. It was disappointing not to see the Community in greater numbers at this very pleasant gathering. Our sincere thanks to Dr. & Mrs. Jayson for the use of their home and provision of refreshments. Those of us who were able to support this event, thoroughly enjoyed it.

A few years ago, Dr. Ronald Harris (husband of Natalie; and son-in-law of Mr. & Mrs. Mike Sacof) had the distinction of being elected by acclamation to full membership of the Royal College of Physicians.

Very recently, he has been further honoured, by being elected to a Fellowship of the R.C.P.

Dr. Harris has been described as one of the great pioneers of Physical Medicine in this Country.
