

The Bristol Jewish Recorder

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BRISTOL HEBREW CONGREGATION
THE SYNAGOGUE PARK ROW BRISTOL.

Synagogue Services.

Friday Evenings 6.30pm.

Saturday Mornings 10.am.

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FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 13th April

1st night Pesach

Thurs 23rd April 8.0

Council Meeting

Monday 27th April 8.0

Ladies Guild

Bring & Buy

59 the Dell

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YAHKZITES

Weds April 8th	Mr.H. Heber (London)	Mr.G.Cole	NISAN 4
Sunday April 12th	Mr.S. Bloom		NISAN 8
Friday April 17th	Mr.P. Winberg		NISAN 13
Sunday April 19th	Mr.H. Seymour. Fam of late		NISAN 15th
	Bertha Coburg	(1st day Pesach)	
Sunday April 26th	Mr.L.G. Gould		NISAN 22
Monday April 27th	Fam of late Dora Malin		NISAN 23
Thurs April 30th	Messrs N & I Saco		NISAN 26
Saturday May 2nd	Miss Lazarus		NISAN 28
Sunday May 3rd	Mr.M. Barnett		NISAN 29
Tues May 5th	Mr.H. Springer. Miss Lazarus		IYAR 1.

COMMUNAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Festival of PASSOVER commences on Saturday 18th April in the evening and terminates on Sunday 26th April.

TIMETABLE FOR PASSOVER

Thursday 16th April	- Fast of the First Born. Search for CHAMETZ at nightfall
Saturday 18th April	- <u>EREV PESACH</u> 9.30am Morning Service. Eating of CHAMETZ is forbidden after 10.0am
Sunday 19th April	- <u>FIRST DAY</u> 9.30am Morning Service
Monday 20th April	- <u>SECOND DAY</u> 6.30pm Minchah - Ma-ariv Service
Friday 24th April	- <u>EREV YOMTOV</u> 9.30am Morning Service
Saturday 25th April	- <u>SEVENTH DAY</u> 6.30pm Minchah Ma-ariv Service
Sunday 26th April	- <u>LAST DAY OF PESACH</u> 9.30am Morning Service (YIZKOR)

The Festival of PASSOVER terminates on Sunday 26th April at 9.15pm.

COUNCIL MEETING

The next Council Meeting will be held on Thurs 23rd April at 8.0pm

LOTTERY

This months lottery was won by Mr.J. Malik

NEW MEMBERS

We welcome to the Community Mr & Mrs M.Weiner, 36 Provident Place Bridgewater, Som.

TALMUD TORAH

Classes will finish at 12 noon on Sunday April 12th. Due to PESACH and the Bank Holiday, there will be no classes on April 19th, 26th, or May 3rd.

Normal classes will resume for the Summer Term on Sunday 10th May

PESACH GROCERIES

We are advised that Waitrose Supermarket, North View, Henleaze will be stocking Matzos and all other Pesach items this year as from the 13th April.

MESSAGE FOR PASSOVER 1981/5741

After the long winter season, Jewish people all over the world are getting ready to celebrate this most wonderful Festival PASSOVER. There is no other time in the Jewish Calendar where so much preparation is involved for the Jewish household than for this Pesach Festival. Families are sitting round the glittering Sedertable with all the traditional tasty dishes placed on the Seder plate. We are reciting the most popular book, the HAGGADAH, bringing back to our memory the thousands of years ago enslavement of the Jewish people in Egypt and their final redemption. Our this great event of the EXODUS has an important meaning for us in our present time because the Jewish People have proclaimed to the nations of the world FREEDOM is the fundamental principle of human existence.

Looking round in our world today and especially applying to the difficult situation in which the State of Israel is placed, have true are the following words we are reciting in our HAGGADAH
"V'HI SHE-ARDA LA-AVOTEYRU V'EANU SHELO ECHAD BILVAD AMAD ALEYNU
L'CHALOTYNU ELA SHEV'CHOL DOK VALOR OMIL ALEYNU L'CHALOTYNU
V'HAKALOSH BARUCH HU L'ATEILLYNU MIYADA L'".
"IT IS THIS PROMISE THAT HAS HELPED OUR FATHERS AND US FOR MORE THAN
ONCE HAVE THEY RISEN AGAINST US TO DESTROY US AND SEEN OUR DESTRUCTION
BUT THE HOLY ONE BLESSED BE HE SAVES US FROM THEIR HANDS".

At the Sedernights is the best opportunity to explain to our children the meaning of the various kind of special dishes which we are placing on the Seder table and hereby they will be encouraged to learn the practical side of Jewish home life.

We are pleased to hear that a small number of our Jewish brethren in Russia and Syria who are persecuted and deprived of their freedom will think about them when we are sitting. Please God, round our Sedertable.

Let us hope that we will be able to celebrate this beautiful Festival of PASSOVER with our brethren in Israel in possession of permanent peace and security with the great message of our HAGGADAH
"L'SHARAH LABA-AH BIRUSHALAYIM. HAN'KUYAH"
"LA YEBE EL IN THE COMING YEAR IN A JERUSALEM REBUILT"

With this important message of our HAGGADAH go our best wishes for a Happy and Pleasant YOM TOV to the Officers and all members of the Bristol Congregation.

WITH CHAG SAMEYACH

Rev. Mrs. Modell and Family

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miriam & David Goldman would like to thank all their friends in Bristol for their cards and good wishes received on the occasion of the engagement of Lynne to Paul.

Our thanks to Shefton Kaplan whose Bridge Classes have to date raised £31. for the Restoration Fund - Carry on playing Folks.

Lawrence, eldest son of Lesley and Shefton Kaplan will celebrate his Barmitzvah by reading Haftir & Haftorah on May 2nd. Please will the Congregation accept this as an invitation to join us at a Kiddush which will be held in the Synagogue Committee Room after the service.

PLEASE NOTE - if the Synagogue is not ready the service will be held in the Regency Room of the Hawthorns Hotel, Clifton.

We look forward to meeting our new members Ray & Max Weiner at future religious and social functions.

BRISTOL WIZO

We did extremely well with the Jumble Sale this month, as £143 profit was made. Once again many thanks to all the willing hands who were there to sort out, mark up, clear up, and put notices up etc.

Where were all the WIZO members on Tuesday March 10th at 8.15pm? As we had not held an evening meeting since October, it was very disappointing to find that only six people could be bothered to attend, and it was virtually impossible to discuss future activities.

Please keep Sunday Evening 31st May free for the celebration of the 50th Anniversary of the formation of the Bristol WIZO.

BRISTOL LADIES GUILD

An Evening Meeting was held at Sonia Silvermans on March 10th. The well attended meeting enjoyed a reading of a selection of Henry Root's Letters read by Helena Caplan & Eve Gordon.

Future Events

Monday 27th April - Bring & Buy at Golda Seymours.

Saturday 9th May - Kiddush after Morning Service to which all members of the Community and Students are welcome.

Helena Caplan

Two's Company

To " Annie's Place" you are invited
But inadvertantly we slighted,
Harold, (though we knew YOU knew)
Tells us that HE lives there too!
It wasn't really our intention,
Not to give them BOTH a mention,
But just in case he was offended,
Appologies are hereby tended !

OBITUARY

The Bristol Chevra Kadisha send our deepest sympathy and condolences to the Family of Mr. Harold Woolfe.

Harold was a great worker for our team and will be sadly missed. He set an example for all Jewry and his loss will be felt for