

# The Bristol RECORDEr



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THE SYNAGOGUE PARK ROW, BRISTOL

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FOR YOUR DIARY.

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SUNDAY 13th DECEMBER 7

Annual Dinner Dance  
Frank Cohen Hall

MONDAY 14th DECEMBER 8

Council Meeting

SUNDAY 20th DECEMBER 3.

Chanucah Party &  
Prize Giving.

MONDAY 21st DECEMBER

1st Day Chanucah

### YAHZITES

Monday December 7th	Messrs Myers Bros	KISLEV 11
Sunday December 13th	Mrs N. Silverman	KISLEV 17
Monday December 14th	Mr.M. Garcia	KISLEV 18
Friday December 18th	Messrs Myers Bros	KISLEV 22
Sunday December 20th	Mr.G. Geller	KISLEV 24
Thurs December 24th	Mr.A. Elliman (Sheffield)	KISLEV 28
Thurs December 31st	Mrs L. Tuchband	TEBET 5
Saturday January 2nd	Mrs L. Tuchband	TEBET ?

### COMMUNAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### COUNCIL MEETING

The next Council Meeting will be held on Monday 14th December at 8.0pm.

#### LOTTERY

This months lottery was won by Mr.B. Lever

#### TALEUD TORAH

Classes will finish on Sunday 13th December 1981 and will resume on Sunday 10th January 1982

### SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs Gazina Saccof, Daughters & Family would like to thank the Chevra, and all her many friends, for their expressions of sympathy, visits, letters and telephone calls received after the recent loss of her dear husband Nat.

Congratulations to Denise Gee on passing her driving test at her first attempt.

Belated birthday greetings to our senior citizens, Mrs Gazina Saccof, Mrs Bertha Rosenberg, Mrs Micky Ginsberg and Miss Ena Blohm, their combined ages totaling some 322 years young.

Mrs Gazina Saccof would like to express her sincere thanks to Mr. Harold Seymour for recording the talk made by Lady Jacobovits, thus enabling her to enjoy this unique happening in Bristol.

#### SOMEONE LOVES US

It's embarrassing, but our No 1 reader insists on us telling you what a great service we perform for the Community, and how much she looks forward to the arrival of the "recorder" each month, and a lot more. Goily gosh. Thank you ma'm. We love you too ( Eds).

### BRIDGE

A BRIDGE EVENING will be held on MONDAY 7th DECEMBER in the FRANK COHEN HALL at 8.0pm. Beginners and experienced players welcome. Refreshments. 50p.

### MEMORAH GRAMMER SCHOOL

Bristol is being visited by a group of pupils and their teachers from the Menorah Grammer School on Thursday 17th December. They have asked to hold a Lincha Service in the Synagogue at approx 7.00pm. T+

## BRISTOL WOMEN'S GUILD

### FUTURE ACTIVITIES

December 13th - Dinner Dance in the Frank Cohen Hall. Tickets available at £6.50 per head. £3. for students.

10th January - Whist Drive in the Frank Cohen Hall.

13th January - Ladies Guild Meeting in the Frank Cohen Hall.  
Talk with slides by Mr Derek Seel - Orthodontist.

On Saturday 14th November the Vicious Circle held a well attended meeting in the Frank Cohen Hall.

The speakers, Mr. Arnold Greenwood, Mrs Ann Handel, and Mr Emanuel Aharoni with Mr Tony Gordon entertained us all with their brand of satire and haimische humour. The prize of 'Yuchma' of the year was awarded to Emanuel Aharoni. Thanks to all of them for the hard work and effort they put in their speeches and for the leuchs they gave us. Thanks also to the ladies who baked cakes and helped on the night.

On Sunday 22nd November, at an open meeting for the Community, we were proud and privileged to have Lady Jacobovits speak to us. This lovely, vivacious and friendly Lady won all our hearts, (as she has won so many others), with her sometimes touching and sometimes happy experiences of travel among the widely spread Jewish Communities, some behind the Iron Curtain especially Rumania and also Australia and New Zealand.

After refreshments Lady Jacobovits was given a vote of thanks by the President of the Community, Mr Ralph Emanuel, which was warmly received by all, and was presented with a commemorative medallion of Bristol by Mrs Hushner on behalf of the Guild.

Many thanks again to all for coming, especially the contingent from Cardiff, which included the Abcrtzon, Mrs Rogovitsky, and to all those who helped on the day.

An Evening Meeting of the Guild took place on November 23rd at the home of Mrs Rosina Smith.

### A.J.E.X.

Some 6,000 Jewish Ex-Servicemen and Women attended this years Memorial Service and Rally in London. Of a Bristol L.I.S.I.D.C. membership of 21, only three represented the City ( plus two ex-members of the Community who joined us in London). Although we have kept up an unbroken attendance record over the years, it seems sad that there should be such indifference - perhaps cynicism ? towards support of this occasion, which, as far as British Jewry is concerned, has an importance above and beyond this remembrance of fallen Comrades. Occasions for the avert expression of solidarity are rare - this is one which SHOULD receive every support. WE WILL REMEMBER THEM. Will you have forgotten by next year ?

### OBITUARY - MR NAT SACOF

It was just as we were going to print last month that we heard of the passing of Mr Nat Sacof.

Nat was 87, when he died after a long illness, following an operation. During his younger days, Nat was always very involved in Shul affairs. He was a member of Council for many years, and held the office of Secretary.

During the first World War, Nat was a member of the Armed Services, and was taken prisoner by the Germans and spent a considerable time in a prisoner of war camp.

Since those days he was a member of the British Legion, and became a founder member of the Poleck Branch. Nat was always a great support to his dear wife, who has gone, and is still doing so much for our Community.

OBITUARY - CONTINUED

It is to her and her family that we send our condolences and wish them all long life.

TALMUD TORAH

The CHANUKAH SERVICE and PRIZEGIVING will be held on SUNDAY 20th DECEMBER 1961 at 3.0pm, and will be followed by a PARTY for the children.

As a result of the introduction of "in-house" Jewish Religious Education at Clifton College Prepatory School, it's boarding pupils no longer attend Talmud Torah Classes with the children of our own congregation. Parents of some of the Clifton College boys have expressed their concern that there will be no longer any direct contact with the Jewish children of Bristol, with whom some close friendships have been established. It would be a great pity if such friendships had to end so abruptly.

The boys of Clifton College would be allowed leave from School on Sundays, should they be invited to spend a day with members of the Congregation.

Anyone wishing to extend hospitality to any Clifton College pupils, please contact us so that the appropriate arrangements may be made.

Alan Tobias  
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Bristol 9.

Dear Editors,

I would like to pay a sincere tribute to our Chevra Kadisha for their kindness and efficiency, when our dear friend Phillip Goldreich suddenly died recently. His widow was distraught and bewildered, and the rest of the family lived away from Bristol.

Phil, had not, for some years involved himself in the Jewish Community ( albeit, he did so much good in the wider interests of the City - as witnessed by the large attendance at his funeral) --- yet my appeal in the Jewish funeral arrangements, met with immediate and splendid support.

It is invidious to single out names, as all helped so willingly ; but may I say a special thank you to Sam Nirenberg, who did so much, so quickly, in the special circumstances -- and to the Rev. Hodges, who gave a very understanding service.  
I can assure you that his family were deeply appreciative ; like Mike and me.

Yours sincerely  
Mrs Lortz. Sack...

PRINTING OF THE RECORDER

The Editors would once again remind all persons wishing to have insertions in the Recorder, that the last day for receiving same is the 24th of each month.

Any copy received after the aforementioned date will not be printed in the following months recorder.

We endeavour to ensure that all our readers receive the Recorder by the 1st of each month, and to achieve this, allowing for typing printing and post, this time schedule must be adhered too.

BRISTOL WIZO

An extremely pleasant luncheon was held in the home of Mrs Helena Caplan on the 17th November. About 15 members attended and enjoyed the very warm hospitality and delicious food prepared by Mrs Caplan & co-hostess Mrs Ruth Gould. The sum of £30. was raised.

Our jumble sale on the 4th November raised a record sum of £170. net. Many thanks to all the ladies and husbands and sons who worked so hard to make this event a big financial success.

On the 24th October, many members of the community enjoyed a very fine production of "Fidler On The Roof", by the Bristol Little Opera Company.

We were delighted to see our talented Susie Greenbaum on stage, who played the part of one of Tevye's younger daughters with great aplomb.

We are grateful to Dr Agi Greenbaum for arranging the block booking and providing refreshments after the performance at the Frank Cohen Hall. This event realized a profit of £27.50.

And, finally, a big "thank you" to Mrs Sheila Tobias for organising the New Year brochure. This raised £125. - another record amount.

Lily Salant-Kurti  
Hon Secretary.

BRISTOL J.I.A.

The Committee of the Bristol Joint Israeli Appeal, extend their sincere thanks to our Chairman, Dr. Ronnie Greenbaum, for all his unstinted work on behalf of the appeal over the many years that he was our chairman.

We take this opportunity of wishing him good health, happiness and success on taking up his new appointment at the University College Hospital in London early in the New Year.

BRISTOL LADIES  
GUILD  
INVITE YOU  
TO THE FIRST DINNER & DANCE  
TO BE HELD  
IN THE  
FRANK COHEN HALL  
ON  
SUNDAY 13th DECEMBER  
AT  
7.30pm till late  
Tickets available from Mrs  
Lia Kushner & Mrs H. Caplan.  
£6.50 per head.  
Tables bookable - don't delay.

HANOAR HATZIONI

Tel - 01-444 7414

The Youth Centre  
31, Tetherdown  
Muswell Hill  
London N.10

Every December Hanoar Hatzioni holds its annual winter activities for all Jewish Children between 9- 20 years old, from all over the country.

Although many shuls subscribe to various organisations who also run winter activities, there are a large number of communities who do not have information about available Jewish camps, and families who never have sent their children away with Jewish youth movements.

We believe that all Jewish children should have the opportunity of spending their winter in company of Jewish children from all over the country, under experienced leadership. In addition to this Hanoar camps run a continuous programme on a Jewish or Israeli theme and all facilities to provide cheap and enjoyable winter holidays.

This winter, Hanoar is running it's annual Winter camp in Swanage, Dorset.

Our camps have a fully comprehensive programme, optional activities are available, but all embody a feeling of Jewish history and culture, with the aim of bringing together Jewish Youth from all over the country and teaching them a little Jewish history and tradition, all in a modern centrally heated school with full Kosher food, and trained and experienced leaders. We would be only too happy to give you any information you require or answer any queries you may have, so please do not hesitate to telephone us at the above number.

6 days inclusive of travel - Price Members £62.  
Non-Members £66.

Leon P. Golstein.  
Camps Organiser.

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THE EDITORS WISH ALL THEIR READERS A VERY HAPPY CHANUCAH -  
SEE YOU ALL IN THE NEW YEAR.

FESTIVAL OF CHANUCAH

The Festival of Chanucah will be held from Monday 21st December until Monday 28th December.

The 1st light should be kindled on Sunday 20th December at nightfall

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Don't forget to get your tickets for the FIRST DINNER DANCE to be held in the new FRANK COHEN HALL ON SUNDAY 13th DECEMBER. A full KOSHER MEAL will be served, catered by the Ladies Guild. Help to make this event a great social success. Get your tickets now from Mrs Min Kushner or Mrs Helena Caplan.