

16 / 17 AUGUST 2019

ט"ז באב תשע"ט

Shabbat commences at 20:07pm and terminates at 21:11pm
Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat at 7:30pm

Shabbat Nachamu

Following the Services there will be a Kiddush
in the Kinloss Suite

Friday night

7:30pm: Mincha and Kabbalat Shabbat

SHABBAT LEARNING AT KINLOSS

Shabbat Morning

8:30am: Sephardi Synagogue
Talmud Tractate Pesachim by Rabbi Heller

9:00am: Maimonides: Laws of Sanctifying the New Month
by Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum in Nissan and Rifca Deal Hall

Study Group with Rabbi Laitner will not be taking
place this week

Shabbat Afternoon

6:50pm Daf Yomi Shiur in the Nemetnejad Room

7:50pm : Mincha followed by Seuda.

This week's speaker is
Steven Jaffe whose subject will be
"Magen David Adom and the humanitarian case for
Israel"

This week's Seuda is to commemorate the
20th Yahrzeit of Yehuda Soleiman and Joe Kamiel
and is sponsored by their loving families.

9:11pm : Ma'ariv and termination of Shabbat

SHABBAT AT KINLOSS

HASHKAMA 7:45am

in the Liora Graham Beit Hamidrash,
followed by Kiddush and a short
shiur.

MAIN SYNAGOGUE 9:15am

led by Chazan Eli Sufrin. Kriat
Hatorah by Toby Weiniger. Rabbi
Reuven Livingstone will speak.

THE MINYAN 9:30am

in the Nissan and Rifca Deal Halls.
Kriat Hatorah by Robert Owen.
Jack Steinberg will speak. Kiddush
sponsored by Muriel and Eli Abt.

SEPHARDI SERVICE 9:00am

in the Sephardi Synagogue, led by
Rabbi Heller and Reuben Gorji.

KIDS' MINYAN will not be
taking place this week.

What lies behind Hagbahah?

Vezot Hatorah asher sam Moshe lifnei Bnei Yisrael (Devarim 4:44) – And this is the Torah that Moses placed before the Children of Israel

This verse, occurring in our parashah, is familiar to us as part of what we say when the Sefer Torah is lifted up (Hagbahah) at the time of the Torah reading. Ashkenazi practice is to perform Hagbahah after the reading whilst the prevalent Sefaradi practice is to do so before the reading.

Why do we perform Hagbahah? A later verse (Devarim 27:26), states that somebody who does not uphold (yakum) the Torah is subject to curse. Ramban (d. 1270) in his commentary to that verse, also cited by the 20th century work Torah Temimah, notes that yakum also means to confirm.

From here, it would seem, emerged the practice to perform Hagbahah, to confirm that we uphold the Torah through practising Judaism. A good way to show this, as well as to reflect the dual meanings of yakum, is to lift the Sefer Torah up through performing Hagbahah. To emphasise the point, we turn the Sefer Torah to the right, left, front and back to allow everybody present, as best as we can, to get a view of the Sefer Torah, even if only from a distance. We open the Sefer Torah to show at least parts of three columns thereby providing a more substantial view of the text.

Hagbahah's incorporation into our services was confirmed by Masechet Soferim, (14:14), a work probably written in the 8th century CE in the Land of Israel, which provides the background to many of our prayer practices. This particular citation is the source for the ruling of the Shulchan Aruch, the Code of Jewish Law, for how we perform Hagbahah (Shulchan Aruch, OC, 134:2).

Given this background, we can perhaps better understand why we say 'Vezot Hatorah...' with Hagbahah. Each time we read the Torah, we remind ourselves that the Torah comes from the Revelation at Mount Sinai – mentioned specifically in this week's parashah, particularly through the second statement of the Ten Commandments - where Moshe played the central human role. We also remind ourselves that the Sefer Torah that we read from and look at comes from that time at Mount Sinai and incorporates God's subsequent teachings to Moshe during the other years of wandering in the desert, as recorded in the Torah.

This is an excellent example of how prayer is not just about petitioning God, but contains other elements such as theology, belief and history. When performing and witnessing Hagbahah, especially when recited this verse, we make a powerful statement of belief in particular. The regular performance of Hagbahah has helped us to carry that belief through the centuries.

Vaetchanan Statistics

Mitzvot: 12 of the 613 mitzvot, 8 positive & 4 prohibitions
Verses: 122 (17th longest of the 54 Sidrot)
Words: 1878 (10th longest)
Letters: 7343 (10th longest)

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Sidra	1008	755	958
Haftarah	1028	776	1196

RABBI ISAAC BERNSTEIN ZT"l

Twenty-Fifth Yahrzeit

This coming 22nd of Elul (22 September) will mark the twenty-fifth yahrzeit of Rabbi Isaac Bernstein zt"l. A unique and unforgettable Rabbi, teacher and mentor, who left an indelible imprint on Anglo-orthodoxy and beyond, as well as a deep and lasting impression on all those who had the good fortune to know and encounter him.

In honor of this occasion, we are requesting that anyone who has a memory or impression they would like to share, to submit them, with a view to creating a webpage where others can visit and see. From those of you who were privileged to have an ongoing relationship with him to those who may have met or heard him only once, these can be recollections of encounters, anecdotes, memorable lines, or simply general words of tribute and appreciation of Rabbi Bernstein's teachings, counsel and friendship.

Beyond this, we are aware that, over the last twenty five years, there are many who did not know or meet him in his lifetime, but who have since become introduced to his unique shiurim, whose comments we would welcome as well.

Please send your recollections to: rabbibernsteinmemories@gmail.com;

Please feel free to forward this to others whom you feel may have memories that they, too wish to share.

With best wishes,

Family Bernstein

LODZ

Visit Lodz, Poland with Kinloss
in the company of Scott
Saunders & Rabbi Lawrence.

The trip includes pre-war Jewish Life
in Lodz, Lodz Ghetto and
Chelmno Death Camp.

Sunday 1st - Monday 2nd December 2019



Price:

£250 per person sharing (additional £35 for single room)

Includes:

Comfortable transport, 4-star hotel based on twin occupancy, site entrance fees, local tour manager and kosher meals.

Does not include:

Flights, coach transfers to airport or travel insurance.

To reserve a place, please go to www.kinloss.org.uk/lodz and pay a £100 deposit. Once there is a confirmed viable group, we will send out further information.

(If we cancel the trip, the deposit will be refunded.)

For more information, please call Lucy on 020 8349 5267
or email ket@kinloss.org.uk



* Muriel and Eli Abt on their 60th wedding anniversary, and 90 years since Eli's Kindertransport rescue from Nazi Germany.

Selichot

singing you're sorry

**Listen to selichot
sung beautifully
and explained
thoughtfully**

WEDNESDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2019
8PM-9.30PM

A unique event featuring inspiring modern renditions of Selichot by **The Shabbaton Choir** led by Rabbi Lionel Rosenfeld, with **explanation and analysis** by LSJS Dean Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum and Rabbi Lawrence.

£8 Kinloss Members / £10 for Non-Members if pre-booked by 10th September
Thereafter, £10 for Members and £12 for Non-Members

To book please visit www.kinloss.org.uk/selichot or call Lucy on 020 8349 5267



KINLOSS NOTICE BOARD



9:45am Games Room in the Newman Room with Nathaniel Carlebach
0 - 4 year olds with Sara Keen in the Kinloss Suite Foyer
Reception up to School Year 2 with Lara Josephs in the Avram Nemetnejad Room (2nd Floor)
School Years 3 - 4 with Dina Ellis in the First Floor Classrooms
School Years 5 - 6 with Nathaniel Carlebach will not be taking place this week
All Children's Services will start at 10:45am and will be followed by Kiddush

Mazel tov to the children in our community celebrating their birthdays this week:



Daisy Gradel (7)
Mya Dahan (11)

Leila Sosnow (9)
Joe Goldfarb (6)

THANK YOU TO:

* Security Team 6. If you have any queries, please speak to Martin Shiers on 07831 836 031, or email securekinloss@yahoo.co.uk

* Linda Sharpe of The Welcoming Committee

* Kiddush Rota Team

* Minyan Kiddush

ANIM ZEMIROT CLUB

Led by David Lesser

WILL NOT BE ON THIS SHABBAT, IT WILL RESUME ON THE 17TH AUGUST

Ellul Programme

with Pnina Savery

Repentance, prayer and charity remove the evil decree

Wednesday night Shiur on 4th, 11th and 25th September, 8pm, Beit Hamidrash

The Shiur will cover the following titles:

Prayer: Yirmiyahu 18 - Parable of the Potter

Teshuva: Yonah vs Yoel - How to do the job properly

Tzedaka: Kohelet - How do we cope now that the Chagim are over?



Pnina Savery has completed a two year advanced Tanach course at Matan in Jerusalem, has taught in a couple of seminaries in Jerusalem and been teaching English at Menorah High since returning to the UK in December 2013.

Thank you to those people who contributed towards the stained glass window project on the stairs towards the gallery, proceeds of which have gone towards the new chairs.

NEXT WEEK AT KINLOSS:

DAY:	COMMUNITY LEARNING:	COMMUNITY PROGRAMMES:
SUNDAY	8:00am Daf Yomi (NR)	
MONDAY	07:40am Daf Yomi (NR)	
TUESDAY	07:40am Daf Yomi (NR)	10:00am Friendship Club (DH)
	20:00pm Iyun Advanced Gemara (BM)	10:30am Bridge Club (PS)
WEDNESDAY	07:40am Daf Yomi (NR)	
THURSDAY	07:40am Daf Yomi (NR)	
FRIDAY	07:40am Daf Yomi (NR)	

BC = Benchers Cafe
 BM = Liora Graham Beit Midrash
 DH = Nissim and Rifka Deal Hall

NR = Nemetnejad Room
 MN = Marilyn Newman Room
 PS = Persian Synagogue



**Take a look at the Kinloss
 updated website
 with all new events
www.kinloss.org.uk**

Would you like to get involved in Children's
 Service provisions? If you can help, please
 contact Shimon Gillis on 020 8349 5264
 or email shimon.gillis@kinloss.org.uk

Pre Yomim Noraim Yom Iyun

on Monday 23rd September, 7.45pm-9pm

With Rabbi Lawrence and Rabbi Laitner
 Focussing on Teshuvah, Tefillah and Tzedakah



SERVICES (שבת see front page)	Sun	Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri
Shacharit 1	7:30am	7:00am	7:00am	7:00am	7:00am	7:00am
Shacharit 2	8:15am	8:00am	8:00am	8:00am	8:00am	8:00am
Sephardi Shacharit	8:00am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am	6:30am
Mincha / Ma'ariv	7:30pm	7:30pm	7:30pm	7:30pm	7:30pm	Mincha Kabbalat Shabbat 7:30pm

THE KEHILLA WISHES חיים ארוכים "LONG LIFE" TO THE FOLLOWING WHO HAVE YAHRZEIT

Shabbat 17 AUGUST

David Cavendish	Father
Michael Cavendish	Father
Elliot Choueka	Father
Monica Coburn	Brother
Alan Edwards	Father
Gillian Pincus	Father

Sunday 18 AUGUST

Sandra Delroy	Father
Alan Laurier	Father
Gloria Matz	Husband

Monday 19 AUGUST

Muriel Abt	Mother
Julius Alterman	Sister
Rodney Geminder	Mother
Nigel Howard	Father
Gerald Kirsh	Father
David Lightstone	Mother
Ruth Rosenberg	Mother
Leonard Stern	Mother
Jonathan Tapnack	Father
Pearl Trosser	Sister

Tuesday 20 AUGUST

Leonard Coleman	Son
Gloria Fox	Mother
Ivor Freedman	Mother
Derek Lewis	Father

İYUN (ADVANCED) GEMARA WITH MOISHE SAMPSON

After Mincha/Ma'ariv on Tuesdays at 8pm

An in-depth and analytical study of Mesechet Beytza drawing on the writings of Medieval and recent commentators.

Wednesday 21 AUGUST

Frida Aboody	Husband
Donald Breslaw	Wife
Pari-Vash Fahimian	Husband
Leonard Feller	Mother
Mia Lyons	Sister
Philip Platt	Father

Thursday 22 AUGUST

Farzaneh Amini	Son
Patricia Arnold	Father
Estelle Belmont	Mother
David Isaacs	Father

Friday 23 AUGUST

Mark Freeman	Mother
Rochelle Garfinkel	Mother
Hilarie Rose	Father
Cheryl Sarsby	Mother
Antony Schneider	Father

**WE URGENTLY NEED VOLUNTEERS
TO JOIN OUR SECURITY ROTAS
WE CURRENTLY HAVE LESS
VOLUNTEERS ON OUR ROTA THAN
IN APRIL THIS YEAR!!!!**

Shul members - PLEASE join our security rotas for shifts from 11am onwards.

You would only be required for one hour every eight weeks, on Shabbat morning.

Please email securekinloss@yahoo.co.uk or call Martin Shiers on 07831 836 031 to volunteer and register.

CONDOLENCES:

* Joy Lyons, Linda Mendoza, Anthea Novak, Fiona Taylor and Samantha Vaughan on the passing of their husband, brother and stepfather Malcolm Lyons Z'L

TOMBSTONE CONSECRATIONS:

WED 4 SEPT	13:30pm at Bushey in memory of Sheila Franks Z'L
SUN 8 SEPT	13:30pm at Bushey in memory of Alan Shepherd Z'L
SUN 8 SEPT	11:30am at Hoop Lane in memory of Mrs Mali Azizollahoff Z'L
SUN 15 SEPT	13:00pm at Bushey in memory of Sidney Dagul Z'L

FINCHLEY SYNAGOGUE USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS

Rabbi Jeremy Lawrence: 07501 895 124 (on leave until 29th August 2019)

Shimon Gillis, Director of Operations: 020 8349 5264

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Jackie Caplin, Safeguarding Officer: 07974 665 418

