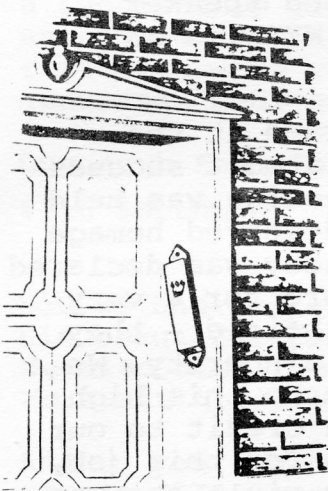


effort particularly considering that Ron was fasting as it was Tisha B'Av. He not only completed the run in such a commendable time but completed the fast as well! Ron's proud father, Mr Arthur Kohn, claimed that Ron would have even recorded a much faster time had he not have been hindered in the first minutes of the race and had it not have been Tisha B'Av. We'll be watching both Gregory and Ron next year!

WE HAVE ALREADY EXPRESSED BLESSINGS AND WISHES to those members of the community who celebrated Simchas or who may unfortunately have been sick or lost near and dear ones, in other pages of this journal. However we would like to be able to continue to do so in the future. Please let us have details of such matters so that we can share them with the community. We would like to ensure that THE CENTRE really is the Journal of our community so that we can share happy occasions together or ensure assistance and friendship between the members of our community.



**Affix a Mezuzah
on the Right Doorpost
of every room.**



**Women, including young
girls from about
three and up, should
light candle(s),
Erev Shabbos and
Yom Tov, at the proper
time and recite the
proper blessing(s).**



**Every home
should have
basic Jewish
Holy books
(at least:
a Chumash, Siddur,
Tehillim, etc.).**

wizo news

WIZO IN STRATHFIELD 1980-1981

To start with, I wish to thank our Rabbi, for producing this journal, providing a link and communication between the people of our community which brings us closer together - an important factor. Strathfield always enjoyed the reputation of one of the finest centres of Sydney. It is up to every one of us to uphold this.

Now to WIZO - We are an organisation whose women practically work around the clock in order to fulfil Australian obligations towards Israel. We are committed to our eight Australian projects. Our WIZO women are all intensely occupied with their own private lives, being wives, mothers, professionals, business women, but they still make it their task to dedicate a great part of their time to our noble work. The climax of our work is once a year, when the State Council of N.S.W. holds a WIZO WEEK for all the 30 groups. It always starts with a WIZO Shabbat, we hold Bible nights, cultural evenings, all with prominent speakers, and our Israeli Fashion Parade which was supported this year by nearly 700 women. This year "Shabbats" were held at the Central Synagogue and the Temple Emanuel, where Josie Lacey addressed the congregation after the service, on the Holocaust. We here in Strathfield are grateful to Rabbi Gutnick for his excellent speech on WIZO's ideals and work. (He also was a greatly appreciated speaker at a WIZO State Council meeting). All in all WIZO WEEK is an important event in the WIZO calendar.

For our two local groups the highlight this year came at the Annual State Council meeting. Nelly Weiss, after a most successful term of office, resigned as President. The meeting was held at the Einfeld Lounge with a full house and well-deserved homage was paid to Nelly, and afterwards our own Josie Lacey was declared the new leader of WIZO in N.S.W. Ian and Josie were for a very long time a most vital and important part of Strathfield - they were an inspiration and example of dedication and sincerity. We still miss them. We are proud of Josie's election to this high position and are certain she will be, as before, a credit to our organisation, having all the necessary ingredients for this job, and we wish her well. For us here she is still our girl; she was President of Tikvah for 6 years.

WIZO Tikvah, by the way, was founded by Adele Eppel (previously a Negba girl). It is quite interesting to know that out of our two local groups, three more were established in other parts of Sydney - Ayelet (Miriam Briggs, President), Dayan (Liesl Russ - a Negba girl - President), and Batia (President - Esther Sekel, who was previously a President of Negba: I myself took over from her, stayed on for 6 years and then moved on to 6 more years as State President.) So it is quite evident that the soil of Strathfield is a fruitful and producing one.

WIZO TIKVAH

This group is a pride for the Head Office, having few working members and doing very well under the leadership of Susy Buchman, a very dedicated, capable and most pleasant woman. Susy has the affection of everyone. She is also a great help to the Ladies Auxiliary and takes her position as Vice-President very seriously, and is always there to help.

Future Functions:

- 21st September - Fashion Parade at Eva Lembergs, showing Tania Lees Garments
3rd November - Melbourne Cup Luncheon at Ruth Lutmans, Hostesses: Eta Melman and Ruth.

WIZO NEGBA

We suffer greatly from the emigration of a number of our members to the Eastern Suburbs, having lost not only members, but also homes in which to hold functions. We now depend greatly on bigger donations by our members. Luckily we have very generous ones. Kurt and Ronny Baumert celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary and established on that occasion 4 scholarships for a child living in our Home in Israel - Ahuzat-Yeladim. Julie Stiasny donated a very substantial sum for a plaque in our daycreche in Tel Aviv in memory of her late husband; a scholarship in honour of his mother by Ron Speiser; a scholarship by our Helen Tauss, a regular donor; a scholarship given to my husband by Wizo Negba; and also an anonymous one: all this in the last few weeks. We are indeed fortunate - we could never reach our budget without these generous, dedicated people.

Our next function will be:

- 13th September - Card afternoon at Beth Wizo, Edgecliff Road. Everyone most welcome.

Now to the finish - We girls of Wizo wish our good Rabbi and his beautiful family a happy holiday during their annual leave. We also wish them Mazal Tov on the wedding of the Rabbi's brother. We await their return for the High Holydays.

And to you who attended the Holocaust Exhibition, where a number of our WIZO women were Group Leaders, don't ever forget this horrifying epoch and don't ever forget: We are our brothers' keepers.

WIZO Negba and WIZO Tikva wish to use this opportunity to express our sincere condolences to Hanna Kessler on the great loss of her dear husband Albert Kessler.

To end on a happy note - From the WIZO girls here, old and young, we wish you all a healthy year, a year of contentment and let us pray for a better world and for peace for Israel.

SHALOM,

FRITZI FITCHMAN.

YAHRTZEIT LIST

TISHRI

1st	Lew Hyman	Tues.	29/9/81
1st	Irma Nagel	Tues.	29/9/81
1st	Michael Zavod	Tues.	29/9/81
1st	Annie Pozniak	Tues.	29/9/81
1st	Samuel Pozniak	Tues.	29/9/81
2nd	Cecile Berger	Wed.	30/9/81
5th	Michael Frankfurter	Sat.	3/10/81
10th	Adolph Berger	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Shaw Family	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Eugene Politzer	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Regina Politzer	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Zofia Lewinski	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Maurycy Lewinski	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Joseph Barzel	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Carmen Barzel	Thurs.	8/10/81
10th	Joseph Dahl & Family	Thurs.	8/10/81
15th	Yitzchak Drisin	Tues.	13/10/81
16th	Else Meyer	Wed.	14/10/81
19th	Sydney Israel	Sat.	17/10/81
19th	Rosa Stern	Sat.	17/10/81
19th	Ferdinand Stern	Sat.	17/10/81
20th	Lotte Jassem	Sun.	18/10/81
29th	Moses Waikovsky	Tues.	27/10/81

CHESHVAN

2nd	Mira Elengold	Fri.	30/10/81
3rd	Elias Eisikovits	Sat.	31/10/81
5th	P. Spitzer	Mon.	2/11/81
6th	Elfrieda Kohn	Tues.	3/11/81
9th	Anna Devai	Fri.	6/11/81
10th	Leon Lipshutz Family	Sat.	7/11/81
10th	A. Zucker	Sat.	7/11/81
10th	Eugen Wolner	Sat.	7/11/81
12th	Lowbeer	Mon.	9/11/81
12th	Ignacy Lewinski	Mon.	9/11/81
12th	Sophie Dorfman	Mon.	9/11/81
13th	Yitzchak Spire	Tues.	10/11/81
15th	Selma Krayn	Thurs.	12/11/81
18th	Family Izaak Szeps	Sun.	15/11/81
19th	Sophie Meyer	Mon.	16/11/81
22nd	Abraham Milch	Thurs.	19/11/81
23rd	Simon Lipshutz	Fri.	20/11/81
23rd	Aaron Shapiro	Fri.	20/11/81
26th	Robert Rottenstein	Mon.	23/11/81
27th	Dr. S. A. Nash	Tues.	24/11/81

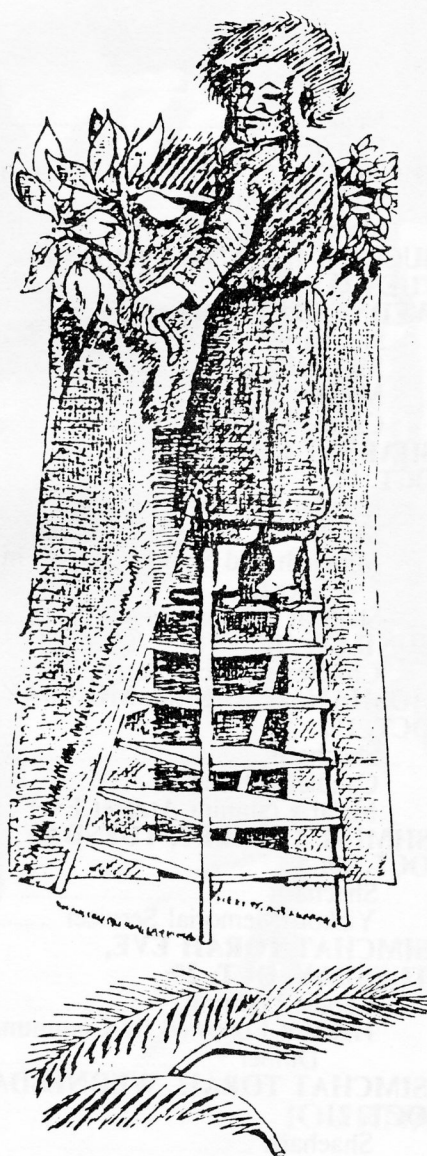
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SUCCOT 1981/5742

*Don't forget our children's Succot
party to be held on
Sunday, 18th October, 1981
in the Shule's Succah
at 11 a.m.*



SIMCHAT TORAH 1981/5742

*The community is cordially invited
by the Chattan Torah and the
Chattan Breishit to the
Communal Simchat Torah Dinner
to be held after Hakafot
(whcih begin at 6.30 p.m.)
On Tuesday October 20th 1981.
Everyone is welcome -
Young and Old!*

**MAKE THIS A REAL FESTIVE SEASON — INVOLVE THE WHOLE
FAMILY!**

ק"ק שערי ציון

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SERVICES FOR THE HIGH HOLY DAYS

1981

SELICHOT, Sunday, Sept. 27	7.30 a.m.
ROSH HASHANAH EVE, MONDAY, SEPT. 28:	
Candle Lighting	5.39 p.m.
Ma'ariv	6.30 p.m.
ROSH HASHANAH, 1ST AND 2ND DAYS: TUESDAY, SEPT. 29 & WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30	
Shacharit	8.00 a.m.
Reading of the Torah	9.45 a.m.
Sermon	11.00 a.m.
Shofar	11.15 a.m.
Musaph	11.30 a.m.
Tashlich (Tuesday)	4.00 p.m.
Minchah	5.45 p.m.
Ma'ariv	6.30 p.m.
Candle Lighting (Tuesday)	6.27 p.m.
Festival Terminates (Wednesday)	6.28 p.m.
FAST OF GEDALIAH, THURSDAY, OCT. 1:	
Fast Terminates	6.29 p.m.
SHABBAT SHUVAH, SATURDAY, OCT. 3:	
Kabbalat Shabbat (Friday)	6.30 p.m.
Shacharit	9.00 a.m.
Minchah, Followed by Shalosh Seudos	5.45 p.m.
Shabbat Terminates	6.31 p.m.
YOM KIPPUR EVE (KOL NIDREI), WEDNESDAY, OCT. 7:	
Candle Lighting and Fast Commences	5.45 p.m.
Kol Nidrei	6.15 Sharp
YOM KIPPUR, THURSDAY, OCT. 8:	
Shacharit	8.30 a.m.
Reading of the Torah	10.15 a.m.
Sermon	11.30 a.m.
Yizkor (Memorial Service)	11.45 a.m.
Musaph	12.00 Noon
Minchah	3.45 p.m.

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Neilah	5.15 p.m.
Fast Terminates	6.36 p.m.
SUCCOT EVE, MONDAY, OCT. 12:	
Candle Lighting	5.49 p.m.
Ma'ariv and Kiddush in Succah	6.30 p.m.
SUCCOT, 1ST AND 2ND DAYS: TUESDAY, OCT. 13 AND WEDNESDAY, OCT. 14:	
Shacharit	9.00 a.m.
Minchah	6.00 p.m.
Ma'ariv	6.30 p.m.
Candle Lighting (Tuesday)	6.39 p.m.
SHABBAT CHOL HAMOED, OCT. 17	
Kabbalat Shabbat (Friday)	6.30 p.m.
Shacharit	9.00 a.m.
Minchah and Shalosh Seudos in Succah	5.45 p.m.
Shabbat Terminates	6.43 p.m.
SUNDAY, OCT. 18:	
Children's Succot Party	11.00 a.m.
HOSHANAH RABBA, MONDAY, OCT. 19:	
Shacharit	6.30 a.m.
Candle Lighting	5.54 p.m.
Ma'ariv (Shmini Atzeret Eve)	6.30 p.m.
SHMINI ATZERET, TUESDAY, OCT. 20:	
Shacharit	9.00 a.m.
Yizkor (Memorial Service)	10.30 a.m.
SIMCHAT TORAH EVE, TUESDAY, OCT. 20:	
Candle Lighting	6.45 p.m.
Hakafot Followed by Communal Dinner	6.30 p.m.
SIMCHAT TORAH, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21:	
Shacharit	9.00 a.m.