

YOUNG ISRAEL SHOMRAI EMUNAH

SHABBOS SHORTS

Candle Lighting 7:29 PM (not before 6:24 PM) | Havdalah 8:31 PM

This week's Shabbos Shorts is Sponsored

in memory of **Simi Franco**, Sima Rachel bat Menachem Mendel, and in honor of everything she put into YISE, by **Janette & Jerry Rapp** to commemorate the Yahrzeit of Jerry's mother, Molly Rapp, Malka bas Pinchos, a"h, on 1 Iyar, by **Joan & Don Walter** in memory of Elik Topolosky and to commemorate the end of his Shloshim, by **Rivka & Jonathan Cottrell** in loving memory of Rivka's grandfather Albert Pincus, and by **Deborah & Max Rudmann** to commemorate the Yahrzeit on Iyar 6, of her brother, Moshe Baruch ben Natan Hacohen.



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Scholar-in-Residence



This Shabbos April 17 - 18 we welcome **Scholar-in-Residence, Mrs. Jen Airley**. [See flyer](#)
After Musaf in the Social Hall: The LIGHT of Second Chances
One Hour before Mincha (6:25 PM) in the Belonofsky Sanctuary: Faith under Fire: Our Personal and National Story
Between Mincha / Maariv in the Social Hall: Yom Hazikaron to Yom HaAtzmaut: From Binyamin to Beit Binyamin

Mazal Tov

Lew Sosnowik on the birth of a great-granddaughter, Liraz Hadas Gelman, born to Dorit & Ben Gelman. Grandparents are Debbie & Dr. David Sosnowik
Barbara Price on the Bat Mitzvah of her granddaughter, Sarah Shrank, daughter of Shoshana Price & Dave Shrank. Mazal Tov to **R' Daphne (Lazar) & David Price** and to the other aunts, uncles, siblings, and cousins.
Joan & Don Walter on the birth of a granddaughter. Mazal Tov to the parents, Lauren Wilson & Yonah Walter, the aunts, uncles, and cousins.

In Memoriam

The unveiling for **Florence Binstock Avigan** a"h, is scheduled for this Sunday, April 19 at 2:00 PM at Mt. Lebanon Cemetery, Adelphi, Maryland.

Kiddush & Coffee Station Sponsors

Hashkamah Minyan Kiddush is sponsored by the Hashkamah Minyan Kiddush Group.
Shul Kiddush is sponsored by Jay, Jeanne, and Robbie Rogal; Selina Strauss; Honi Kibler; Brooke, Josh, and Charlie Foltz; Aries Bixler; and Panina, Jacob, Hudi, Ayelet, Miriam, Gabrielle, Rafi, Thea, Anya, Mindy and Robert Licht in honor of **Debbie Rogal's** special birthday.
Sephardic Minyan Kiddush is sponsored by the Sephardic Minyan Kiddush Group.
Lower Lobby Coffee Station is sponsored by Roast Masters **Deb & Dave Sloan**.

Drasha & Shiurim Sponsors

Hashkamah Minyan Gemara Shiur is sponsored by **David Jaray** in memory of all those who have lost their lives in Israel.
Rabbi Hyatt's Gemara Shiur is sponsored by **David Jaray** in appreciation of **Rabbi Grauman** and in memory of Rabbi Hyatt, A"H. Refuah Shleima to all those that are wounded in Israel.
Rabbi Rosenbaum's April 14 Parsha Shiur was sponsored by **Joan & Don Walter** in memory of Don's father's (Aharon ben Avraham Yaakov) Yahrzeit on 27 Nissan.
Rabbi Rosenbaum's April 16 Parsha Shiur was sponsored by **Joan & Don Walter** in memory of Joan's mother's (Rut bat Anshel) Yahrzeit on 29 Nissan and by **Judy & David Marwick** in memory of Dr. Leonard Ruchelman, Yitzchak Eliezer ben Yaakov, on the occasion of his first Yahrzeit

Youth Announcements

Teen Minyan: 9:15 AM in the House, followed by Kiddush.

Shabbos Groups:

- Toddler Group, under 2 with parent, Toddler Room starting at 10:00 AM
- Kinder Group, 2-PreK, upstairs behind the balcony now beginning at 9:30 AM until the end of shul.
- All groups for Kindergarten and up will be meeting at The House. Pickup in the Shul Lower Lobby following the scholar in residence talk.

Mommy & Me: Sunday, April 26

Resin Making Event for Middle School/High School Girls at The House, Sunday, April 26, 7 - 8:30 PM. RSVP requested to sshimoff@yise.org

Shabbos Schedule

Minyan Locations:

B - Belonofsky Sanctuary, S - Social Hall, LBM - Large Beis Medrash, SBM - Small Beis Medrash, H - The House

FRIDAY NIGHT:

Mincha/Maariv:

6:05 PM (B), 7:00 PM (B), 7:30 PM (S)
 7:15 (Sephardi, LBM)

SHABBOS DAY:

Shacharis:

7:00 AM (B), 8:45 AM (B), 9:15 AM (S),
 9:15 AM (Teen, H), 8:00 AM (Sephardi, LBM)

Mincha:

2:30 PM, 5:00 PM, 7:25 PM (B),
 7:20 PM (Sephardi, LBM)

Maariv: 8:31 PM (B) (Sephardi, LBM)

DIVREI TORAH:

After Musaf: (S)

Jen Airley

Hashkamah Minyan Gemara Shiur: (SBM)

Rabbi Yonatan Gorin

One Hour before Mincha (6:25): (B)

Jen Airley

Between Mincha / Maariv: (S)

Jen Airley

YISE Supports Israel

Our thoughts and prayers are focused on Israel. YISE maintains a community-wide Tehillim WhatsApp group. To join, [click here](#).
Tefilah We gather in the Belonofsky Sanctuary on Sunday evenings after Mincha/Maariv for 15 minutes of communal Tehillim. Additionally, Tehillim are recited at each daily and Shabbos Minyan.

YISE will have the **annual Tefilah Chagigit** in honor of Yom HaAtzmaut on Wednesday, April 22 at 6:20 AM in the Belonofsky Sanctuary.

Upcoming YISE Events

Voice Notes of Inspiration - Daily Torah thoughts from **Rabbi Rosenbaum**. [Click here](#) to join the WhatsApp group.

Pirkei Avos Shiur as a Zechus for Simi: Beginning this Shabbos through the end of sefirah, there will be a women's Pirkei Avos Shiur at 5:00 pm at the **Franco** home, 11525 Monticello Avenue. This week's shiur will be given by **Rabbi Rosenbaum**. [See flyer](#)

GWCK Sunday Brunch & Learn at YISE: Begins Sunday, April 19, Breakfast: 9:30 AM, Classes: 9:45 - 10:30 AM. Choose from one of two BRAND NEW SERIES for Sefira: Making the Process Count: Sefiras Ha'Omer in Halacha and Hashkafa – Rabbi Yitzchak Kaminetsky, What Happened at Sinai: Exploring the Events of Matan Torah – Rabbi Hillel Shaps.

Commemoration marking the 16th Yahrzeit of Moreinu HaRav Gedaliah Anemer, ZT"l: Join us on Zoom on Sunday morning, April 19 at 11:00 AM to mark Rav Anemer's 16th Yahrzeit. R' Shlomo Katz will share remarks. [See flyer](#)

Rabbi Arzouan's Shiur resumes Wednesday, April 22.

A Year of Learning - In memory of Bernard Alexander, father of Judy Mehlman. [Click here](#) to sign up.

New semester of Semichas Chaver Program (SCP): For men. Mondays at 8:45 PM at YISE. Begins Monday, April 27! New Topic: Halachos of Nat Bar Nat and Stam Yeinam.

Rabbi Koss's next Monthly Jewish History class on Zoom is Sponsored by Bikur Cholim of Greater Washington and the YISE Chesed Committee. Monday, May 4 from 2:00 - 3:00 PM on Zoom A. [Click here to join](#). **Meeting ID:** 416 963 9000, **Password:** 492019

YISE 75th Diamond Jubilee Dinner: Sunday, June 7. [See Save the Date](#)

SHMA: Please submit items to announce@yise.org for the May SHMA by Monday, April 27.

Zoom links in SHMA or [click here](#). Flyers are available [here](#)

There is so much to do at YISE. [Click Here](#) to see the flyer

The appointment of the Nominating Committee and plans for this year's election of officers and trustees: The annual Election Meeting will take place on Tuesday night, May 26, 2026/15 Iyar 5786, at 7:30 PM, in the YISE Social Hall at 1132 Arcola Avenue. Please note: only Full Members are entitled to vote and hold office.

Member Spotlight Initiative - Join our new initiative, spotlighting incredible members of our community! We want to feature YOU!

Please, [Click here](#) to fill out the form

Questions? Contact esaks@yise.org.

The Week Ahead		Sunday April 19 2 Iyar	Monday April 20 3 Iyar	Tuesday April 21 4 Iyar Yom HaZikaron	Wednesday April 22 5 Iyar Yom HaAtzmaut	Thursday April 23 6 Iyar	Friday April 24 7 Iyar	Next Shabbos April 24 -25, 2026 8 Iyar 5786 Acharei Mos/Kedoshim
Shacharis	Ashkenazi	6:30 AM (B) 7:30 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	6:15 AM (S) 6:45 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	6:15 AM (S) 6:55 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	6:15 AM (S) *6:20 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	6:15 AM (S) 6:45 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	6:15 AM (S) 6:55 AM (B) 8:45 AM (B)	Candle Lighting: 7:36 PM Earliest Candle Lighting: 6:29 Friday: Mincha/Maariv: 6:10 PM, 7:00 PM, 7:40 (B) 7:15 PM (Sephardi, LBM)
	Sephardi (LBM)	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	7:30 AM	
Mincha/ Maariv	Ashkenazi (B)	7:35 PM	7:35 PM	7:35 PM	7:35 PM	7:35 PM		Shabbos Day: Shacharis: 7:00 AM (B), 8:45 AM (B), 9:15 AM (S), 9:15 AM (Teen, H) 8:00 AM (Sephardi, LBM)
	Sephardi (LBM)	7:25 PM	7:25 PM	7:25 PM	7:25 PM	7:25 PM		

*Special Shacharis Minyan in the Belonofsky Sanctuary at 6:20 AM with expanded Davening and Tefilos in honor of Yom Haatzmaut. The other Shacharis Minyanim will meet at their regular times, without special additions.

Halachic Times: Latest Alos Hashachar 5:00 AM,

Earliest Talis and Tefilin: 5:31 AM, Latest Netz: 6:26 AM, Latest Krias Shema: 9:42 AM,

Earliest Mincha: 1:42 PM, Earliest Shkia: 7:49 PM, Latest Tzeis Hacoachavim 8:38 PM

Mincha:
2:30 PM, 5:00 PM, 7:20 PM (B)
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WOMEN'S PIRKEI AVOS SHIUR AS A ZECHUS FOR
SIMI FRANCO, Z"L

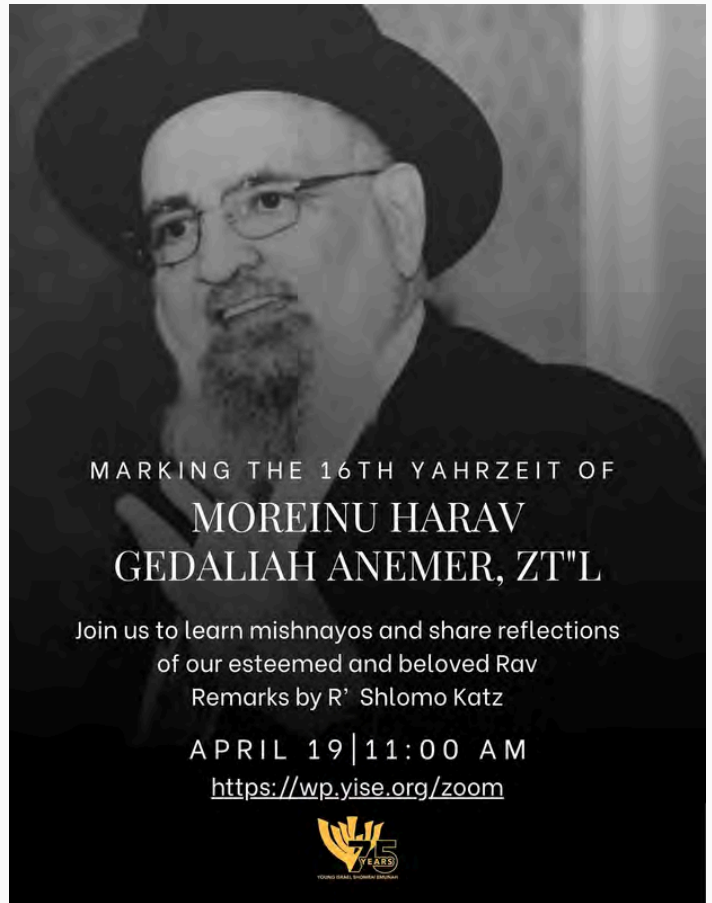
5 PM Shabbos Afternoons During Sefirah
Beginning April 18

At the Franco home, 11525 Monticello Avenue

Reflecting on timeless lessons exemplified
by a remarkable woman

Stay tuned to the Shorts for upcoming speakers

Babysitting available. RSVPs to sshimoff@yise.org encouraged.



MARKING THE 16TH YAHRZEIT OF
**MOREINU HARAV
GEDALIAH ANEMER, ZT"L**

Join us to learn mishnayos and share reflections
of our esteemed and beloved Rav
Remarks by R' Shlomo Katz

APRIL 19 | 11:00 AM

<https://wp.yise.org/zoom>



Save The Date

YISE 75th Diamond Jubilee
Sunday, June 7

Honoring:

Anne and Scott Schlesinger
Ali and Seth Jacobson

Youth Honorees:

Netanel Chodoff, Bluma Cohen, Yael Cohen, Ariella Coplin, Tuvyah Jacobson,
Riki Lazar, Batya Poyurs, Bayla Simon, Lily Weinstein