

Message from the Editor

Welcome to our third digital *Bulletin*. When viewing this pdf file you can go directly to articles by clicking on the sections listed on the right hand side of this page and you can go to various websites by clicking on the links throughout this issue. I hope you enjoy reading the *Bulletin* online. I think one of the positives to come out of this pandemic is that people, out of boredom or necessity, became more proficient using the computer and more familiar with being online. As we face the future we need to embrace technology without trepidation. It will enable us to connect with each other, learn, be entertained and let our voices be heard. I encourage you to share this bulletin with your friends and family and join us in the variety of educational and enjoyable events listed within.

Jewish Life Program



Tuesday, March 16, 2021
10:00 am on ZOOM

Rachel Kastner, grandchild of Holocaust survivors, actress and film producer, will speak about storytelling, intergenerational responsibility to remember the Holocaust, and show the documentary

NOT TO
BE
MISSED

OPEN
TO ALL

"THE BARN"

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Welcome to NCJW Peninsula Section's March/April 2021 Bulletin

It is a new calendar year, and a hopefully, a better one. 2020, at least from March through December, was one of the darkest years in my memory. I won't rehash its low points.

This year ushers in some events that we can look forward to. The insurrection, the attack on the Capitol on January 6th was truly frightening, but I believe it was our nadir, and that our country will begin to right the wrongs of the last few years. We have a new President, and new administrations often yield hope. We have a woman as Vice President! This has been a long time coming. It is my hope that "Joe and Kamala", the Cabinet and higher level officials, who are exceedingly Jewish, will use their good sense and positions for Tikkun Olam, to heal the country and world. As the Covid-19 vaccine becomes more available that is precisely what should happen. I've received my first shot, and I hope you will also be protected ASAP.

We have had a good beginning at Peninsula Section in this new year. In January, Joan Ivler taught us how to make pretzels! Mine, though not as beautiful as hers, were delicious. February had Fran Denny instructing us in relieving stress, healing both mind and body. And our first lecture took us away to mansions and Hollywood. Our program meeting, fittingly held during Black History Month, eased our spirit with song from cantors and ministers, and speakers who shared how alike we are.

On March 2nd, we will learn about "Rethinking the Role of the Courts in Our Constitutional System" from Professor David Green, so important as the makeup of the Supreme Court has changed. And Carole Tolkin's presentation on Aging and Saging, March 23rd, will help us to move into our futures more gracefully. The April 6th lecture showcases Dawn Raffel describing "The Strange Case of Dr. Couney: How a Mysterious European Showman Saved Thousands of American Babies."

I am perhaps most excited about our March 16th Jewish Life Program. Through a series of fortunate coincidences, member Pnina Knopf discovered the story of Holocaust survivor Karl Shapiro, and his granddaughter, film documentarian Rachel Kastner. Pnina has worked tirelessly to bring Rachel's film, "The Barn" to us, followed by discussion with the young director. I know this will be a wonderful experience.

Please join us for any or all of these wonderful programs on Zoom! And to help Peninsula Section, please send in your raffle books. Our fundraising has been curtailed by the pandemic and the lack of in-person events. We need your participation in all that we do. And, as always, donate to our Thrift Shop and shop there as well. It is so important for all of us as a consistent support of our work.

I hope that we will all be able to gather together in person very soon.

— Myra Garber



Mission Statement

The National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW) is a grassroots organization of volunteers and advocates who turn progressive ideals into action. Inspired by Jewish values, NCJW strives for social justice by improving the quality of life for women, children, and families and by safeguarding individual rights and freedoms.

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Join us on this journey of memory and rediscovery with a showing of “THE BARN” followed by a discussion with the filmmaker, Rachel Kastner

TUESDAY, MARCH 16 AT 10:00 AM ON ZOOM – OPEN TO ALL

NCJW Members \$10 Non Members \$15

Once registered the Zoom Link will be sent to you on Monday, March 15th.

“The Barn” follows Kastner and her grandfather as they return to the remote Ukrainian town where he was hidden, as a child, in a bunker dug out under a farmer’s barn. Throughout this captivating documentary, one can sense the urgency that Kastner feels to preserve her grandfather’s Holocaust story for generations to come.

“The Barn” was directed by Phil Berger and produced by Rachel Kastner, Phil Berger, and Matthew Hiltzik. It premiered in 2019 at the International Miami Jewish Film Festival, and has since been shown in classrooms and with audiences around the world.

Rachel Kastner is a producer and creative consultant, passionate about telling stories that matter. Rachel began her career in storytelling as an actress in her youth, and has since gone on to work across the media landscape in film/television, theater and podcasts. Rachel graduated from Barnard College in 2019 with a degree in Political Science and Film and Media, where she focused her studies on media’s impact in politics and dialogue. She is a co-founder of ONEFIVETEN, an effort to empower young people to engage with political campaigns and become political donors. She currently resides in Tel Aviv, where she serves as chief of staff at a tech startup, and continues to work on media projects both in Israel and the U.S., through her newest venture, 48 Media.



A reunion 70 years in
the making between my
Grandfather and the
woman who saved him
during the Holocaust.

— RACHEL KASTNER

Register for our Jewish Life Program – “The Barn”

There are 2 ways to register/pay. **Deadline is Tuesday, March 9**

1. **Sign up at www.ncjwpeninsula.org/general-donation/,**
then click on: Jewish Life Program – “The Barn”
2. **Print and mail this form below with your check to:**
NCJW Peninsula Section, 342 Central Avenue, Lawrence, NY 11559.

Enclosed is my reservation and payment for “The Barn”

Name _____
Address _____
Email _____
Phone _____
NCJW Section (if applicable) _____

Any questions, please call our office at 516-569-3660.

Community Service Happenings

PENNY SANTIAGO – Community Service, VP

◆ Sulam-LI – Smiling faces back together again

As of December, students began attending their Sunday classes again. The Oceanside JCC has provided additional classrooms so that students may attend class and be in a Covid-19 safe environment.

◆ CALE – Serving our members virtually and in person

CALE members continue to attend in person and zoom activities. Friday in person painting classes continue, as do yoga/exercise and mindful eating classes. Members also were part of an in person community round table with the Hewlett School district Superintendent Dr. Marino.

For up-to-date information, please visit
www.ncjwpeninsula.org/what-we-do/community-service/



“MASK” ERADE ZOOM PARTY

PNINA KNOFF – Craft Committee Chair

Having fun while helping others!

On October 27th, 2020, NCJW Peninsula Section held a free “MASK”erade Zoom Party. The theme was “Create One – Donate One”. All participants received the needed supplies from our office and joined in on the fun, from the comfort of their homes. Mask holders were made using ribbons and Velcro to fasten them.

NCJW donated mask holders to the Five Towns Early Learning Center and to CALE. Now the lucky recipients can put their masks on and take them off without wondering . . . “Where did I put my mask?”

And . . . how cute do these children look?!



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NCJW Israel – A Unique Jewish Women's Progressive Approach to Social Justice

JUDY MINTZ – Honorary Vice President

Even before there was a State of Israel, NCJW was making a difference by fostering education, empowering women and bridging gaps for the most vulnerable. This legacy of action has always responded to pressing needs and is accomplished through a gender lens. The evolving scope of the program reflects the current landscape, strengthening the lives of Israelis and ensuring Israel's future.

NCJW Israel has three components

- ◆ **The Granting Program** addresses societal challenges by reaching out to organizations that address women's rights, education, the rights of the LGBTQX community, social justice, human trafficking, and domestic violence.
- ◆ **The Commitment to Education** began in 1968 at the NCJW Research Institute for Innovation in Education (RIFIE) at Hebrew University and continues with the NCJW Women and Gender Studies Program (W&GSP) at Tel Aviv University. Scholarships are awarded to help the next generation of feminists with their studies. NCJW also built the prestigious Hebrew University High School in Jerusalem.
- ◆ **Advocacy and Coalition Work** aims to ensure the rights and well being of women, children and families with the commitment to the most vulnerable.

NCJW's Newest Program: "Connecting for Impact"

Connecting for Impact began in 2018 as a direct response to research that indicated the importance of creating platforms for feminist connection and collaboration. A survey identified key problematic issues- sexual assault, domestic violence, unjust divorce laws, sexual trafficking, and more, in the secular Israeli, Orthodox and ultra-Orthodox, Bedouin, Arab, and Russian communities, among others.

Using these results the second phase of this prestigious leadership program began this Fall by offering fellowships to twenty top CEOs and Executives to create connections, to develop projects, and to leverage their collective power to make change. After their 18 months of intensive training the goal is to improve the phenomena of violence against women and to impact those in need and their families. Training, coaching and collaboration will be part of the experience for the fellows. No other program works across the Israeli feminist activity space in this unique way.

Information about the NCJW Israel Program can be found on www.ncjw.org/act/action/connecting-for-impact including the names of the Fellows.

Peninsula Section is proud to be a partner in this impactful work. The dollars raised from selling **Israel Granting Program Fund Cards** is being earmarked to support "Connection for Impact". Please help us make an even greater difference by sending out cards in recognition of all of life's milestones. It's easy to do-just call the Peninsula Section Office at 516-569-3660 to make your donation and to send a card, or log on to NCJWPeninsula.org.



Connecting for Impact Fellowship

Strengthening The Feminist Ecosystem in Israel

Nuclear Weapons – Always Immoral – Now Illegal

PAM SHELDEN – Advocacy Contributor

IN THE SPIRIT OF TIKKUN OLAM, we celebrated January 22, 2021, a landmark day in the struggle to eliminate the threat of nuclear weapons.

On July 7, 2017, following a decade of advocacy by the International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN), 122 countries voted to adopt a landmark global



agreement, the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW), the first-ever globally applica-

ble treaty to comprehensively ban nuclear weapons. For its efforts, ICAN earned the Nobel Peace Prize in 2017. On January 22, 2021, the treaty entered into force.

Most of us would agree that nuclear weapons pose an existential threat to humanity, given the potential for catastrophic humanitarian and environmental consequences that would result from any use. Yet, prior to the TPNW's entry into force, nuclear weapons were the only weapon of mass destruction not subject to a global treaty-based ban.

In accord with NCJW's own mission to advocate for women, children, and families, the TPNW's preamble acknowledges the disproportionate impact of nuclear weapons on women and girls and on indigenous peoples around the world. The treaty is the first to mandate assistance to all victims of nuclear weapons use and testing, to require remediation of contaminated environments, and to acknowledge the harm suffered as a result of nuclear weapons, and to it requires that such assistance be provided in an age- and gender-sensitive manner. THANK YOU, ICAN!



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Our Virtual Lecture Series Continues

Reservation Fee: \$10 per lecture for Members; \$12 for Non-Members

Please send your check payable to: NCJW Peninsula Section, to 342 Central Avenue, Lawrence, NY 11559. **You must include your name, email address and phone number with your reservation.**

Lectures are from 1:30–2:30 pm. We will send you the Zoom login code on Monday preceding the lecture.



Rethinking the Role of the Courts in the American Constitutional System

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 2** (zoom code will be sent by 3/1/21)

David Green is a professor of political science at Hofstra University. His areas of primary research interest include international and comparative politics, but he teaches courses across all four of the sub-disciplines of political science. Dr. Green has been awarded the Distinguished Teaching Award at Hofstra, and has presented the University's Distinguished Faculty Lecture. His book, *The Europeans: Political Identity in an Emerging Polity*, is one of numerous scholarly works he's published, including multiple journal articles and a chapter in an edited volume. Professor Green is also a regular commentator on politics in print and on radio, authoring hundreds of essays for publications such as *The Nation* and *Common Dreams*, and he appears frequently before community audiences on Long Island and outside of New York.



The Strange Case of Dr. Couney: How a Mysterious European Showman Saved Thousands of American Babies

◆ **TUESDAY, APRIL 6** (zoom code will be sent by 4/1/21)

Dawn Raffel is the author of five books, most recently *The Strange Case of Dr. Couney: How a Mysterious European Showman Saved Thousands of American Babies*. A longtime magazine editor, she helped launch *O, The Oprah Magazine*, and now works as an independent editor.

Program description: In the early 20th century, tiny premature babies were all but doomed. Enter a wildly unorthodox "doctor" who put preemies on display at Coney Island and saved their lives by the thousands – decades ahead of the medical establishment. An eye-popping power-point of a book lauded by NPR, The New Yorker, and more.



Amazon Shop From Home!

While shopping from home don't forget to place your Amazon orders through Amazon Smile and make NCJW Peninsula Section your charity of choice.

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Winter Giveaway

HOPE COLEMAN, PEGGY KLANG, SUSAN FOX,
JUDY NOVET & BARBARA SKLAR

The Child Recruitment chairs, together with the Acquisition chairs have done it again! They have created and implemented a Winter Giveaway to children who are economically challenged in our area.

Approximately 1,900 children received winter hats, gloves, and scarves as well as colored pencils and activity books at five area locations in a safe and secure manner.

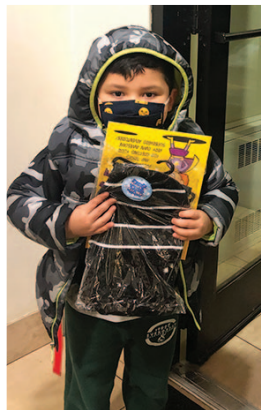
We are currently accepting donations for the Back 2 School Store (B2SS). Money received will be used to help disadvantaged children, either at our typical B2SS or during a Summer Giveaway Event.

Many thanks to all who have worked on the Winter Giveaway and especially to those who have donated to the B2SS and made this event possible. For more information visit www.ncjwpeninsula.org/b2ss/



"I am a single mom and I want to say thanks to the donor of the accessories. My son loves them and he uses those every day."

"Thanks so much for the adorable winter accessories sets! My girls love them and they came at the perfect time!"



"Hi, thank you so much for the wonderful hats, scarves, and socks. They're going to keep my kids warm and cozy through the winter."

“ On behalf of the students, faculty and staff of Caroline G. Atkinson Intermediate School, I would like to thank you from the bottom of my heart for your charitable donation. The hats, scarfs, and gloves your organization donated to our students certainly came in at the right time. Thanks to you our students are warm and cozy as they travel to and from school during the cold winter months. In addition, the activity books and colored pencils were such a wonderful treat for our children. They were extremely grateful and happy for the supplies.

—GISSELLE CAMPBELL-HAM, PRINCIPAL, CAROLINE G. ATKINSON INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL, FREEPORT





Passover Flowers

Everyone's table should look festive this year. Order a beautiful bouquet of flowers provided by Masters & Co. for your Passover table. Don't forget to send to family and friends. The cost of the arrangement is \$65, plus delivery (where applicable).

My order information:

_____ Bouquets @ \$65 = _____ +total delivery charges* = _____

Please include the following information for EACH order:

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From _____

Message _____

Delivery date (check one): ☐ Friday, March 26 ☐ Saturday, March 27

*Delivery charges

Lawrence, Inwood, Cedarhurst, Hewlett,	FREE	Atlantic Beach	\$10.00
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Orders due by Friday, March 17

Please send your order
and check payable to:

NCJW Peninsula Section

342 Central Avenue, Lawrence, NY 11559

**Delivery on: Friday, March 26
or Saturday, March 27**

You could be a winner and so can NCJW Peninsula Section with your support.

What a year it has been. Our Thrift Shop closed, due to the pandemic, from March until June. We also postponed or cancelled our in person fundraising events, which along with the Thrift Shop, provides the funding for the services we administer to our community. While we were deeply disappointed to have to make these changes, our priority was and will always be the safety of the people we serve, our volunteers and employees.

Our dedicated Thrift Shop employees have been working nonstop to help provide our customers and donors the experience that they have come to know from us. Keeping Covid compliant has been a never-ending task. Constant cleaning, wearing masks, social distancing and holding donations in a rented storage unit for 72 hours before being brought into our store, is the new norm.

We refuse to be disheartened by these unexpected turns of events. Our section is still financially supporting CALE (Center for Adult Life Enrichment) and FTELC (Five Towns Early Learning Center) and providing informative and uplifting Zoom programming.

Like the rest of the world, we are taking this time to evaluate our priorities and bring our friends closer to us. Our hope is that you will continue to support us with our annual Cash Raffle fundraiser. Purchasing raffles will ensure our support for seniors and children and allow us to stay a strong force in our community.



Take A Chance!

Purchase raffles for your chance to win \$100, \$200 or \$300!

Purchase for yourself or sell to family and friends

◆ 1 Raffle: \$18 ◆ 3 Raffles: \$36

◆ 6 Raffles: \$54 ◆ 10 Raffles: \$72

Drawing will be held on March 12, 2021

Return raffle stubs by March 5, 2021

along with your check payable to:

NCJW Peninsula Section

342 Central Avenue Lawrence, NY 11559

For additional raffles or information,
please call the NCJW office at 516-569-3660.

March 23rd at 1:00 pm
AGING & SAGING with Carole Tolkin

Carole Tolkin is a gerontologist with degrees in Education and Health Care Administration. Before retiring, she was the Executive Director of CALE, the Center for Adult Life Enrichment.

To sign up for this FREE workshop,
call the Peninsula Section office at 516-569-3660
or email us at office@nciwpensinsula.org.

The following slate will be presented for approval via email on March 17th. Any additional nominees may be sent to the Peninsula Section office with the consent of the nominee and a second to the nomination.

Respectfully Submitted by Nominating Committee 2021–2022: Judi Braverman, Chair, Judy Bernstein, Chira Budick, Pnina Knopf, Penny Santiago, Carole Tolkin, Shelley Karp, Linda Pachter

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Sandra Mintz	Enid Schwarzbaum	

Joan P. Ivler, Judy Mintz, Gloria Okin
Penny Santiago, Natalie Zeiger
Laurie Stone Brofsky, Martha Leviton
Alternates: Jackie Fetner, Susan Schwarz

Tributes

October 1, 2020 – January 25, 2021

GOLD ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Beloved brother and sister-in-law of Edna Ritzenberg
Renee Fischer

SILVER ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Al Bernstein, beloved husband of Judy Bernstein
Renee Fischer
Florence Steiger

Marilyn Dembowitz, beloved mother of Hope London
Heidi Litt

Beloved mother of Robin Feld
Heidi Litt

Andrew Kadish, beloved son of the Grant Family
Fran & Arthur Denny

Regina Peterseil, beloved mother of Helene Berkowitz
Laura Lebenkoff

Enid Lederer, beloved mother of Jill Hicks
Florence Steiger

Beloved brother and sister-in-law of Edna Ritzenberg
Marian Abbey

Beloved father of Alexandra Coen
Barbara Semel

In Honor of:

Jackie Fetner, on your grand-daughter Lily's Bat Mitzvah
Renee Fischer

Joan Butwin, on the birth of your great grandson Landen Cole
Babs Yaspan

Babs Yaspan, on your 95th birthday
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

Abby Fox, on your daughter Lindsay's marriage
Florence Steiger

Fran Denny, on your granddaughter Samantha's wedding
Florence Steiger

BLUE ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Sam Yeller, beloved husband of Sheila Yeller
Shirley Horowitz

Al Bernstein, beloved husband of Judy Bernstein
Natalie Zeiger
Enid Schwarzbaum
Susan Schwarz

Beloved brother and sister-in-law of Edna Ritzenberg
Fran Denny
Harriet Rubenstein
Judi Braverman

In Honor of:

Joan Butwin, on the birth of your great grandson Landen Cole
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

Linda Gorin, on your daughter Samantha's wedding
Sally Telias

ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Enid Lederer, beloved mother of Jill Hicks
Joan P. Ivler

Al Bernstein, beloved husband of Judy Bernstein

Marlene Berman
Sally Telias
Arlene Gewanter
Sandra Mintz
Judi Braverman

Fran Elman, beloved family of Ricki Gorman and Family
Marlene Berman
Sally Telias

Beloved brother and sister-in-law of Edna Ritzenberg
Adrienne & Arthur Singer
Joan Butwin
Sandra Mintz
Anne Siegel

In Honor of:

Joan Butwin, on the birth of your great grandson Landen Cole
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

Linda Gorin, on your daughter Samantha's wedding
Sally Telias

ISRAEL GRANTING PROGRAM FUND

In Memory of:

Al Bernstein, beloved husband of Judy Bernstein
Adrienne & Arthur Singer
Myra Garber

Martin Steltzer, beloved husband of the Steltzer Family
Patty Greenfield

Beloved brother and sister-in-law of Edna Ritzenberg
Shirley Horowitz

NCJW Tribute Cards

Making a donation is a meaningful way to celebrate a special occasion or a thoughtful way to let someone know you are thinking of them. Cards can be purchased by contacting our office at 516-569-3660 or by going to www.ncjwpeninsula.org/tribute/.

ALL OCCASION FUND

Supports NCJW Peninsula Section's efforts to improve the quality of life for women, children and families and ensure individual rights and freedoms for all.

- ◆ Sentiment is listed in bulletin, a card is sent from our office
- Metallic Gold Trim: \$50 Blue Trim: \$18
- Metallic Silver Trim: \$25 Basic Card: \$10

ISRAEL GRANTING PROGRAM FUND

All donations to this program enable us to partner with a granting site in Israel. All projects advance women's empowerment.

- ◆ Sentiment is listed in bulletin, a card is sent from our office: \$10

Calendar of Events

MARCH

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 2**
Lecture Series –
David Green: "Rethinking the Role of the Courts in the American Constitutional System"
Zoom, 1:30 pm

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 16**
Jewish Life Program –
"The Barn"
Zoom, 10:00 am

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 23**
Workshop – Aging and Saging
Zoom, 1:00 pm

◆ **SATURDAY, MARCH 27**
Passover begins at sundown

APRIL

◆ **TUESDAY, APRIL 3**
Lecture Series –
Dawn Raffel: "The Strange Case of Dr. Couney"
Zoom, 1:30 pm

Long Island Sections' Annual "Women Who Make a Difference" Luncheon

Peninsula Section Honoree:

Abby Fox



May was always our month to get together for the day,
As you know Covid-19 made us do things in a different way.
Our plans are still on hold as it's still not safe to congregate,
A beautiful luncheon is still our goal,
We'll let you know when we set a new date.

Our Thrift Shop – So Much More Than Just a Store!

LORI GROSSMAN, MARCI LAST – Thrift Shop Managers

We may be one of the best kept secrets on Long Island, but we don't want to be. We want to share some of our amazing stories that happen daily and discreetly at our shop. Although we are a local community service our hearts and funds reach further than you can imagine. We'll explain . . .

Cherlie is a regular customer of ours. She comes to our Thrift Shop to buy clothing for children in Haiti who are greatly in need. She is affiliated with the Apocalyptic Church and spends her own salary to send containers filled with classic suits, blazers, button down shirts and ties for the boys to wear in school and at church. Due to the pandemic our inventory is abundant, and we wanted to help by sending only the best. Our employee Travis worked effortlessly on several occasions sorting, selecting and packing merchandise with Cherlie. Her gratitude was evident, and our efforts were greatly appreciated.

We can't wait to share with you pictures of these young boys in their suits that our community has graciously donated. We are making a difference together and in classic style! Thriftfully yours — Marci & Lori.

www.longislandthriftncjw.com/



(L-R) Marci Last, thrift shop co-manager; Travis Jones, thrift shop employee; Cherlie, customer

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