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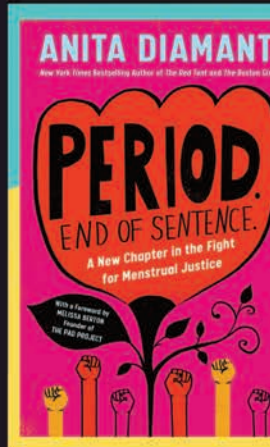


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7:00 pm on Zoom**

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Anita Diamant, an award-winning journalist and author. Her first novel, New York Times bestseller, *The Red Tent*, has been published in more than 25 countries. Her other novels include, *The Boston Girl*, *Day After Night*, *The Last Days of Dogtown*, and *Good Harbor*. Diamant is the author of six non-fiction guides to contemporary Jewish life, including *The Jewish Wedding Now*, and *Saying Kaddish*.

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Message from the President

NEVER AGAIN is a phrase or slogan associated with the lessons of the holocaust and other genocides. The slogan was used by liberated prisoners of the concentration camps. Today it is more widely used as a command to avert a second holocaust of Jews and to prevent all forms of genocide. Some feel it is a phrase that has become empty and overused as prejudice and genocides continue all over the world. We as Jews must come together with all ethnicities to fight antisemitism and all isms so that NEVER AGAIN is not just an empty slogan but a meaningful declaration that we will not remain silent in the wake of prejudice. Since the start of the Israel war antisemitism has increased significantly to frightening proportions. The board of NCJW Peninsula Section has formed a new Committee called Building Community to address these issues. Pnina Knopf and Carole Tolkin, who are the chairs, wrote "NCJW Peninsula Section is establishing a committee whose goal is to build bridges with our community neighbors and to collaborate on topics and issues that will amplify our common policies and goal and ATTEMPT TO ERASE HATE." Building Bridges is a committee that speaks directly to a way of combating prejudice for all. All members are welcome to join this important committee. Do your part so we can say NEVER AGAIN with conviction.

— Fran Denny



Save the Date
June 21

Founder's Day Luncheon

Temple Avodah
Oceanside, NY

Please join NCJW Peninsula Section
in Honoring "Our Shining Stars"
Hannah G. Solomon Award Recipients

Judi Braverman
Myra Garber
Fran Denny

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NCJW  Peninsula
Section
National Council of Jewish Women

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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HEAR OUR VOICES

Special Testimonial Session at the United Nations on Sexual-Based Violence War Crimes that Occurred on October 7, 2023 by Hamas in Israel

BY JUDY MINTZ – ICJW United Nations Observer

For 90 minutes the audience of more than 700 supporters of Israel and defenders of Israeli women and girls heard testimonies and viewed horrific videos – one after another – depicting war crimes involving the victims inflicted by the terrorist organization Hamas on October 7th. The Session

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gave voice to those who were brutally silenced. The evidence was damning and hard to believe except that we know it was the truth. Up to the timing of this event no other special session was held and no UN organization had taken a strong stand

to protest these sexually-based crimes. Specifically UN Women was called out repeatedly for their silence and lack of condemnation. On October 7th, of the 1,200 murdered victims, 300 were women and girls. Many were murdered



ICJW (International Council of Jewish Women) was represented by the UN team: Joan Lurie Goldberg, Judy Mintz, Carole Benson, and Sara Winkowski (not pictured).

three times – once when raped/tortured/ mutilated, again when shot and finally when the UN agencies failed to recognize their suffering. We were asked: Where was UN Women's voice, the organization responsible for protecting women?

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Each speaker added their own voice and experiences to the presentation. Their repeated messages were powerful and called for action.

- ◆ October 7th events were the most brutal since the Holocaust. Hamas is more barbarous than even ISIS and possibly even worse than the Nazis.
- ◆ Hamas must be eliminated; they have no place among humanity.
- ◆ The world cannot remain silent in the face of these crimes against humanity. World indifference is not acceptable. Silence is complicity.
- ◆ There can be no denial about the mutilation and atrocities of this gender-based violence.
- ◆ The acts of sheer terror were pre-meditated and pre-planned. No one was spared.
- ◆ The world must stand up to this immorality. If not from the top down, then from the bottom up, trust and justice must prevail.
- ◆ Rape is a weapon of war, a deliberate form of torture, a crime against humanity. No circumstances can justify rape. While some progress has been made, this silence is undoing it.
- ◆ Global leaders must step up. These murders go beyond politics. All must speak out. Hearts must not be closed to violence.
- ◆ Who should be believed? Hamas or the women. The monsters must be held accountable.
- ◆ People must see the images which are similar to those in Yad Vashem.
- ◆ We must lift up our voices for those who have been silenced.
- ◆ Hamas must be unequivocally condemned.
- ◆ Justice must be done and the victims must never be forgotten.
- ◆ Jews fought to protect democracy and for those who needed support – blacks, gays, and immigrants – but where were the champions for the women and girls after October 7?
- ◆ The UN must do its job and summon up the courage and compassion to speak up.
- ◆ Eyewitness accounts described the mutilation from repeated rapes. Corpses could only be identified by DNA.

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The speakers' messages were loud, clear, heart-felt and undeniable. Each presenter was consistent in their desire to take a stand and to condemn the silence. One after another they shared their particular experience on that life-changing day and the days that followed. Others are now dedicated to ensuring that silence will not be tolerated and hard stands must be taken. There must be accountability.

It was a privilege to hear from moderator **Tal Heinrich**, U.S. journalist and news anchor; **H.E. Ambassador Gilad Erdan**, Israel's Permanent Representative to the UN; **Sheryl Sandberg**, the founder of Lean In; **Sheila Katz**, NCJW (U.S.) CEO; **Kristen Gillibrand**, U.S. Senator from New York; a member of Israel's first responder teams; an IDF reservist whose job it was to prepare female bodies for burial; a volunteer with ZAKA, the organization dedicated to collecting and identifying bodies and remains; **Linor Abargil**, the former Miss Israel and Miss World who was raped 25 years ago and is now an advocate fighting sexual violence.

We were thanked for our brave voices. The session ended with the singing of Hatikvah.

There is some good news! There was extensive coverage of this special session in newspapers, online and on television. In Bret Stephens' article in the New York Times "*Silence Is Violence – but Not When It Comes to Israeli Rape Victims*", he ascribes the lack of attention to these atrocities and the lack of accusations against Hamas as, simply put, anti-Semitism.

This special session was presented by the Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations in collaboration with the World Zionist Organization, Shazur/Interwomen, National Council of Jewish Women (USA) and Schusterman Family Philanthropies, Hadassah—December 4, 2023.

A simple statement might explain the silence:

Me Too, Unless You Are a Jew.

#metoounlessyouareajew

Advocacy Film Series

RADIOACTIVE: The Women of Three Mile Island

◆ Sunday, April 7, 2:00 pm, Gold Hall, Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library

PAM SHELDEN, PH.D – Facilitator, NCJW, Peninsula Section Advocacy Film Series

RADIOACTIVE: The Women of Three Mile Island, is a compelling story of committed women courageous enough to buck the combined forces of government and corporate America in order to uncover the shocking and frightening truth about the toxic possibilities of nuclear power, specifically, the Three Mile Island nuclear meltdown, the worst commercial nuclear power accident in U.S. history. The film has earned many impressive awards, including, "Best Director and Best Documentary" (Full Frame International Film Festival, NYC) and "Audience Pick Best Documentary" (Dances With Films Festival).



Moderator: Dr. Heidi Hutner, award-winning director, writer, and producer, is a Professor of Environmental Humanities and Gender Studies at Stony Brook University and a scholar of nuclear and environmental history, literature, film, and ecofeminism. Hutner publishes widely as a writer and journalist on nuclear, environmental, environmental justice, and gender issues.

Speaker: Joanne Doroshow, the amazing lawyer we see in the film and one of the documentary's producers. Ms. Doroshow is the founder and Executive Director of the Center for Justice and Democracy, an organization focusing on consumer rights.

Tickets: District residents may pick up their tickets beginning March 25, and NCJW members may call the NCJW office (516-569-3660) to reserve their tickets to be handed out 30 minutes before the screening in the theatre lobby.

Author Talia Carner

Presents her New Historical Novel, "The Boy With the Star Tatoo"

◆ Friday, May 17, 11:45 am

The Nassau County Bar Association, 15 West Street, Mineola, NY 11501



This epic novel of love, loss and courage spans postwar France, from 1949, when Israeli agents roamed the countryside to rescue hidden Jewish orphans, to the 1969 daring escape of the Israeli boats of Cherbourg. Ms. Carner will share her creative process and explore the moral dilemmas embedded in the children's rescue. In her prior five novels, including *The Third Daughter*, Ms. Carner similarly depicted well-researched current and historical events through the voices of strong women who fight injustice.



Hot Buffet Luncheon – Couvert \$40, payable to NCJW Long Island Sections. Non-member friends of NCJW are welcome to join us @ \$45.

Order Your Copy of "The Boy With the Star Tatoo"

NCJW Peninsula Section will have a limited number of copies for \$16 (retails for \$19.99); no sales tax. Available for pick-up after 2/6, by contacting Jackie Fetner, jmfetner@aol.com, 516-599-5516.

Sponsored by NCJW Long Island Sections (NCJW Lakeville Section, NCJW Peninsula Section, NCJW South Shore Section)

Reservation for the May 17 Luncheon

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Book Order: ☐ 1 copy for \$16; ☐ 2 copies for \$32

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Slate of Officers and Board Members for 2024–2025

The following slate will be presented to the membership for approval at the March Program meeting. Any additional names may be sent to the NCJW Peninsula Section office with the consent of the nominee and a second to the nomination.

Officers

President **Donna Bialor**

Executive Vice President **Susan Fox**

Vice Presidents **Hope Coleman**

Fran Denny

Renee Fischer

Susan Fox

Myra Garber

Brenda Raden

Carole Tolkin

Recording Secretaries **Judy Novet**

Natalie Zeiger

Corresponding Secretary **Jaclyn Feldman**

Membership Secretary **Myra Cohen**

Treasurer **Sally Telias**

Assistant Treasurers **Abby Fox**

Judy Novet

Board Members

Judy Bernstein, Arlene Gewanter, Linda Gorin, Peggy Klang, Pnina Knopf, Pamela Korn, Deborah Rauch, Harriet Rubenstein, Susan Schwarz, Pamela Shelden, Judy Siegel, Adrienne Singer, Tammy Waldhauser

Nominating Committee 2024-2025

Hope Coleman, Linda Gorin, Fran Denny, Barbara Sklar, Linda Pachter, Tammy Waldhauser, Natalie Zeiger

Respectfully submitted: Nominating Committee 2023–2024

Chair: Abby Fox

Committee Members: Jackie Fetner, Susan Fox, Shelley Karp, Judy Novet, Sally Telias, Natalie Zeiger



NCJW Peninsula Section is celebrating our three shining stars who have been chosen as our 2024 Founder's Day Honorees. These three women exhibit the ideals of our founder Hannah G. Solomon. They are tenacious, knowledgeable, and take on responsibilities with boundless dedication.

Judi Braverman, Myra Garber, Fran Denny

◆ JUDI BRAVERMAN

Judi grew up in Long Beach spending many summer days at the beach. After high school she attended NYU with a Spanish major and a French minor. She also received an M.A. in Elementary Education and taught second grade for two years. In 1971 Judi moved to Hewlett and made friends with active members of the Evening Branch of NCJW. She was invited to "A Member Bring a Member" luncheon, and she joined because she liked the idea of volunteering and was eager to hear the fantastic speakers at Section's Program Meetings. Soon after she joined the Evening Branch Board and became an active volunteer in ESL (English as a Second Language) and was Program Chair for two years.

Once Judi's children were in school, she decided to become a certified K-12 ENL teacher (now called English as a New Language). She received certification and taught K-12 at the Lindell Elementary School in Long Beach for 25 years. Judi is proud of all the children, and their parents who she welcomed to this country and taught our language, as well as our culture, to help them adapt to their new life in their new country. When Judi retired, she joined Peninsula Section's Board and headed many important committees, such as: Lecture Series, Strategic Planning, Recording Secretary, Vice President of Membership, and others. With all Judi has accomplished, she received the Emerging Leader Award in 2015, and shortly thereafter became Peninsula Section President and served for three highly successful years.

Judi is most proud of her wonderful family; husband Richard, children and grandchildren Shari, Michael, Lisa, Peter, Julia, Kira, Jason, and Rachel. Judi is also proud that while her husband, Richard, was president of Temple Am Echad and she was on the Sisterhood Board, she organized a temple mission to Cuba bringing medical supplies to Jewish communities in Havana, Santa Clara and Cienfuegos.

In Judi's spare time she loves sailing, walking on the boardwalk in Long Beach, and traveling around the world with her husband, children and grandchildren.

Judi recognizes and is proud of all our organization stands for as we try to make a difference in the world. She states she is honored to have been selected as one of the three Founder's Day honorees.

She joined because she liked the idea of volunteering and was eager to hear the fantastic speakers.

◆ FRAN DENNY

Fran grew up in Brooklyn and frequently visited family and friends in Woodmere. It was then she decided to live there, and made the move. Fran has always been a "Genuine People Person" always ready to help in any situation as she is kind and caring.

Fran was in the family business for many years and then started a new career as a volunteer at a local Mental Health Out-Patient Facility. She trained as a Para-Professional Counselor, and later became a Certified Life Coach. Fran is a gifted painter and enjoys hours of painting and the classes she attends.

Fran has always been a "Genuine People Person" always ready to help in any situation.

Volunteering is a given in Fran's family. Her mother demonstrated that, and Fran followed in her footsteps. Her daughter Linda kept the volunteer legacy alive and became active in NCJW and urged her mother to join. The rest is History!

Fran quickly joined the Board and became involved in many aspects of the

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Section, such as V.P. of Membership, V.P. of Fund Raising, The Back2School Store, and many other important committees. Most recently, Fran became President of Peninsula Section, completing two innovating years. Her passion has been working to accomplish the goals she set, and she is proud of the women she has worked with and states their dedication to NCJW is truly an inspiration.

Fran's family gives her great joy. Husband Artie, daughter Linda Gorin, and son Scott Denny, who lives in Florida, son-in-law Neil, who Fran calls her son and their daughter-in-law Miriam, who is a daughter to her. Fran has wonderful granddaughters and one fantastic grandson, and the most beautiful, loving great grandchildren –3 girls and 3 boys.

Fran's greatest reward is the satisfaction she gets out of giving back and the many new friends she has made at Peninsula Section.

Fran is delighted to join with Judi Braverman and Myra Garber as Founder's Day honorees.

◆ **MYRA GARBER**

Myra Garber joined NCJW Peninsula Section after retiring from teaching at Long Beach Middle School and Nassau Community College. Myra liked the fact that our mission statement fit her ideals. She, too, wanted to benefit the lives of women, children and families, here and in Israel. She became a member of the Advocacy Committee, V.P. of Education and Jewish Affairs and Executive Vice President. When Myra became President of Peninsula Section she always made a difference by encouraging us to advocate on issues of importance.

The Pandemic created many difficulties. Myra had to find a way to communicate with her Officers and Board members.

Zoom was the answer! She was in touch with the membership and the Board through emails and Constant Contact (assisted by Susan Fox and Bonnie Sperry, our Executive Director). Although the Thrift Shop closed for many months, we had to find a way to protect our employees. The Thrift Shop managers worked diligently and our wonderful Treasurer, Sally Telias, submitted and received grants to tide us over. Myra states she is most proud that Peninsula Section had remained intact, adding new members and keeping our staff with us. As Covid lessened, we were able to resume our Community Services and Advocacy work for the benefit of all, locally and internationally.

She, too, wanted to benefit the lives of women, children and families, here and in Israel.

Last year, Myra was honored by NCJW's Long Island Sections as a "Woman Who Made a Difference." Myra is currently Vice President of Advocacy, leading the fight against Anti-Semitism and advocating for NCJW's many causes.

In her spare time, she enjoys playing Mah Jong, Canasta and Pickle ball. She also likes to travel and visit family.

Myra states she is fortunate to have her Peninsula family, and we are so proud to have had her take us successfully through those perilous days and into the future.

Myra is proud of her husband Carl, for his volunteering in NCJW's Intergenerational Reading Program, and the Back 2 School Store. She is proud of her children, her daughter Alexis, son Brian and his wife Staci. She is also proud of her three grandchildren, Sara, Erik and Kaci. Myra is delighted being chosen as one of the three Founder's Day Honorees.



Judi Braverman, Fran Denny, Myra Garber – Our three shining stars who have been chosen as our 2024 Founder's Day Honorees.

How Did You Spend MLK Jr. Day?

REBECCA GRELLER and JUDY MINTZ

A Personal Account – January the 15th started out with a relaxing morning at home. The plan for the day was for us to be together and then take part in a community service project in honor of Martin Luther King's legacy. The event was organized by the Marion and Aaron Gural JCC and led by Laurie Brofsky, Volunteer Services Manager (and past Peninsula Section president) and NCJW with Bonnie Sperry, Executive Director as coordinator. NCJW added volunteer power and donated menstrual care kits from our Period Project which included a credit for shopping at the Thrift Shop. The goal of this partnership was to make a difference to the migrant families living in a Far Rockaway shelter – only a few miles away!

We started at the JCC where hundreds of bags had already been put together by another team of hard-working volunteers. The giveaways were packed and earmarked for men, women, unisex, and children and included socks, hats, gloves, scarves and healthy snacks. It was such a cold day and it was heart-breaking to see children and their parents in sandals without socks. Our first task was to load the bags onto the buses that would transport them for us. We were set up in the lobbies of the two adjacent hotels that are serving as shelters. There was supervision by the military as well as the Dept. of Homeless Services. One space was set up for our distribution including information about available services and the other with puppets to demonstrate and practice proper dental care by Dr. Joe Brofsky, who was a hit with the children. Everyone enjoyed receiving a new toothbrush, brushing the puppets' teeth and, of course, squirting water in their mouths. It was also gratifying to see the youngsters put the filled knapsacks right on their backs. There was much appreciation and smiles all around.

Most residents did not speak English and we were very grateful that we had two Spanish speakers with us! The language barrier is just another challenge the residents have to face. We thank both the JCC and NCJW for giving us this opportunity and perspective! It was a privilege to be part of this meaningful and inspiring day!



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Lawrence, NY 11559

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Passover Flowers

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*Delivery charges

Lynbrook, East Rockaway and Five Towns	\$5.00
Other towns in Nassau County	\$10.00
All towns in Suffolk County	\$14.00

Who Am I? Now That I'm Not Who I Used To Be?

◆ Tuesday, March 26, 11:00 am, on Zoom

Wisdom and Legacy

What life experiences have you had that are helping you get through life's challenges? Is this what you call wisdom? What do you want to pass on to future generations?

Facilitator – Carole Tolkin, a gerontologist with degrees in Education and Health Care Administration.

Free event, open to all. To Register – Call the NCJW Peninsula Section office to RSVP and to receive the Zoom link, which will be sent on March 25.

WANTED

People who knit and crochet to make small afghans for children in hospitals who are fighting cancer. Yarn is supplied.

Call Arlene Gewanter
516-295-4659



The Back 2 School Store (B2SS) is an annual two-day event that provides underserved elementary school children, including physically disabled children, with supplies and other essentials they need to start the school year with confidence. We partner with community agencies, schools, churches, synagogues, and others to register qualifying children.

Since our first B2SS in 2013, we have helped thousands of children enter school in September feeling proud. The new items provided at this event are either in-kind donations or purchased through the generosity of our donors and grantors.

Each child is escorted by a trained volunteer personal shopper as they select their own winter jacket, hat, gloves, socks, pants, shirt, underwear, hoodie, sneakers, book, stuffed animal, health care items, and a large backpack filled with school supplies. The excitement is palpable, and the smiles are everywhere.

How you can help – Please donate now. You will be gifting these children confidence and joy when they return to school this year ready to learn.

Ways to Donate

1. www.ncjwpeninsula.org/sponsorship-donations/
2. Or print, complete and mail the form below.

Back 2 School Store Donation Form

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____
Email _____

Donation Enclosed : \$ _____ (All donations are tax deductible)

Checks payable to: Back 2 School Store

Mail to: B2SS, NCJW Peninsula Section, 342 Central Avenue,
Lawrence, NY 11559

100% of all donations go to the Back 2 School Store

\$180: Fully sponsors one child – clothing, sneakers, school supplies, books, backpack and toiletries.

\$54: Buys new clothing for one child.

\$36: Buys a new backpack and school supplies for one child.

\$18: Buys a new backpack for one child.

Donate any amount and we'll combine it with other donations to give the children everything they need.



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Calendar of Events

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MARCH

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 19**
An Evening with Anita Diamant
7:00 pm (Zoom)

◆ **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20**
Book Review:
Looking for Jane
Location TBA
1:30 pm

◆ **TUESDAY, MARCH 26**
Lecture: Who Am I? Now that I'm Not Who I Used to Be
11:00 am (Zoom)

APRIL

◆ **SUNDAY, APRIL 7**
Advocacy Film: "Radioactive"
Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library
2:00 pm

◆ **SUNDAY, APRIL 16**
Game Day
Hewlett-East Rockaway Jewish Centre
11:30 am – 3:30 pm

MAY

◆ **FRIDAY, MAY 17**
Long Island Sections Author Event: Talia Carner
Nassau County Bar Association
11:45 am

◆ **MAY DATE TBA**
Trip: Jewish Museum

JUNE

◆ **FRIDAY, JUNE 7**
Trip: Crossroads Farm at Grossmann's
Malverne, NY
2:00 pm

◆ **TUESDAY, JUNE 11**
Installation of Officers and Board Members
Hewlett-East Rockaway Jewish Centre
12:00 pm

◆ **FRIDAY, JUNE 21**
Founder's Day Luncheon
Temple Avodah, Oceanside
11:30 am

March is
Women's History Month



Game Day Luncheon

Tuesday, April 16 • 11:30 am–3:30 pm

Hewlett-East Rockaway Jewish Centre, 295 Main Street, East Rockaway, NY

Please
RSVP by
April 5

\$65 per person

Enjoy a buffet lunch, fun with friends,
and shop our boutiques
Doors open at 10:30 am for shopping

Please print and fill out this form.

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Game Day Luncheon Reservation

Name _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Email _____

Choose your game

☐ Mah Jongg ☐ Canasta ☐ Bridge

☐ Other _____

Individual Registration

Please include names of those in your group below

Group Registration

Please include names of those in your group below

_____ Attending @ \$65 = Total \$ _____

To Purchase 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. Contact our office at 516-569-3660 or go to www.ncjwpeninsula.org/tribute/.

Tributes for September 27, 2023 – February 2, 2024

GOLD ALL OCCASION FUND

In Honor of:

Jackie Fetner, for all of her hospitality during Rosh Hashanah
Paul Gershon

Judy Mintz, on being an exceptional woman
Wendy Gold

SILVER ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Isadore Schiffman, beloved father of the Schiffman Family
Linda Gorin

In Honor of:

Adrienne & Arthur Singer, on the marriage of your granddaughter Alana
Fran Denny

BLUE ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Louis Capone, beloved father of Lori Grossman
Fran Denny

Beloved father of Dr. Larry Good
Fran Denny

Marvin Fox, beloved husband of Roz Fox
Natalie Zeiger

Carole Schrager, beloved wife/ mother of The Schrager Family
Peggy Klang

In Honor of:

Abby Fox, on the birth of your grandson
Carole Tolkin

Judi Braverman, on being named one of our Hannah G. Solomon recipients
Carole Tolkin

Myra Garber, on being named one of our Hannah G. Solomon recipients
Carole Tolkin

Fran Denny, on being named one of our Hannah G. Solomon recipients
Carole Tolkin

Eden Coren, on the Bat Mitzvah of your grandson
Sylvia & Bert Fischer

Artie Denny, for a total and speedy recovery
Carole Tolkin

Pnina Knopf, on the birth of your grandson Liam
Carole Tolkin
Fran Denny

Rachel & Vic Shey, for best wishes on your move
Carole Tolkin

Bonnie Sperry, for best wishes on your move
Judy Novet

ALL OCCASION FUND

In Memory of:

Edna Ritzenberg, beloved mother of Jeremy Ritzenberg
Sally Telias
Myra Garber

Louis Capone, beloved father of Lori Grossman
Abby Fox
Judy Novet

Carole Schrager, beloved wife/ mother of The Schrager Family
Judy Novet

In Honor of:

Abby Fox, on the birth of your grandson
Sally Telias

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In Memory of:

Jeffrey Minkoff, beloved husband of Edie Minkoff
Joan Butwin

Beloved daughter of Barbara Sands
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

Carole Schrager, beloved wife/ mother of the Schrager Family
Myra Garber

Beverly, beloved sister of The Stamataky Family
Myra & Carl Garber

Frederick Hirschbein, beloved brother of Susan Hirschbein-Bodnar
Myra Garber

Sue Gamza, beloved mother of Laurie Zucker & Family
Joan Butwin
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

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Fran Denny, on being named one of our Hannah G. Solomon recipients
Abby Fox
Judi Braverman

Pnina Knopf, on the birth of your grandson Liam
Abby Fox
Fran Denny

Joan Butwin, on the birth of your grandson Dylan
Adrienne & Arthur Singer

Adrienne & Arthur Singer, on the wedding of your granddaughter Alana
Sylvia & Bert Fischer
Joan Butwin
Louise & Howard Schulder

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Kramer, on your 70th Wedding Anniversary
Joan Butwin

The Seidenberg Family, on the marriage of Alana and Yale
Sylvia & Bert Fischer
Louise & Howard Schulder



Book Review

“Looking for Jane” by Heather Marshall

◆ **Wednesday, March 20, 1:30 pm**

This lovely afternoon will be held at a private residence. Light refreshments will be served.

Facilitator – Liz Ropers

RSVP – Please send a check for \$25 per person payable to NCW Peninsula Section, 342 Central Avenue, Lawrence, NY 11559. **Reservations due by March 12. Space is limited.**

Thrift Shop

Thank You, You Keep Us Going!

SUSAN FOX – VP, Thrift Shop

MARCI LAST & LORI GROSSMAN – Thrift Shop Mangers

As we step into 2024, we wanted to take a moment to express our deepest gratitude for your support throughout the past year. It's essential to recognize that none of this would have been possible without your generous donations, volunteerism and patronage to our shop. Your dedication and commitment to our work has been instrumental in driving positive change right here in our community. Belief in our mission has propelled us forward to achieve our goal to improve the lives of women, children and families regardless of ethnicity, religion, or sexual orientation. As we look ahead, we remain dedicated to this undertaking. With your continued assistance, we're confident in our ability to overcome challenges and make an even greater impact in the days to come.

**Donation hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday
10:00 am – 3:00 pm in the rear of the store**

- ◆ We accept new and gently used clothing, shoes, jewelry, accessories, home décor items, and more.
- ◆ All items must be clean and free of excessive wear or evidence of damage in order to be considered for resale.
- ◆ Please inspect your items closely before bringing them in. If you would lend it to a friend, we can use it.
- ◆ Bring the items you wish to donate to the Thrift Shop in sealed plastic bags or boxes that you do not need back.
- ◆ We cannot return boxes or hangers after we process your donation. Please keep in mind the size and weight of the bags and boxes you are bringing in.
- ◆ Once in our establishment your items become the property of The Thrift Shop. We offer a pre-printed tax receipt for your records and the values are determined by the donor.

For more information about the Thrift Shop
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