

Chapstick Outreach Program Dates: July 21 & August 18: See Page 4

Wish friends and family a sweet New Year. Don't forget to order honey gift packages: See Page 3

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| IT'S   | A DAY FOR FUN, BUT OUT                              | OF THE SUN!   |
| F  | REPEAT OF A PERENNIAL F                             | AVORITE   |
|  | viends to a Morning Show<br>oin Us For Lunch at Bur | and the state of the |
| Date: Thursday, July 1   | 9, 2018   |   |
| Event: Foreign film (titl<br>popular She                                   | e to be announced) with narration<br>Ily Issacs     | and discussion led by the ever-   |
| Time: 10:00 am for film  | Place: Movies of Delray o                           | n Hagen Ranch Road  |
|  | Coffee and Danish i                                 | included  |
| Lunch at: Burt and Max   | 's, Delray Marketplace, Atlantic a                  | ind Lyons, 12:45 pm   |
| Cost: Movie only: \$15.0   | 0 // Lunch only: \$18.00 // M                       | Novie and lunch: \$33.00  |
| Send checks payable to<br>Susan Mildworm, 4774 (<br>Text to: 561-573-9918, | Orchard Lane, Delray Beach, FL 3                    | 3445  |
| RSVP by Tuesday, July  | 10, 2018  |   |
| Name:  | Email:  | Phone:  |
| Check One: [ ] Film  | & Lunch -\$33 [] Film only                          | \$15 [] Lunch only -\$18  |
| # Attending  | Amount enclosed:                                    | Chack tt:   |

Isn't this a great way to send your New Year wishes?

# Rosh Hashanah HONEY Fundraiser

National Council of Jewish Women SE Atlantic Section

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This distinctive 8-ounce jar of kosher honey arrives in time for Rosh Hashanah, decorated with a festive label, and includes a personalized card reading "L'Shana Tova—Wishing you a Healthy and Happy New Year." This card also lets the recipients know that a donation has been made in their honor to NCJW SE Atlantic section. Your cost is **\$12.00 per jar** which includes shipping and handling within the United States (deadline July 11). We will gladly mail orders outside the US for an additional fee.\*

To order honey go to <u>http://www.ncjwseatlantic.org/honey-gifts.html</u> and click on your preferred way to order and follow the instructions.

Your generous donation supports our local community service and advocacy projects.

- FREE shipping within the U.S. for orders placed online by July 11<sup>th</sup>
- After July 11 shipping is \$5/jar additional

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For a Sweet New Yest שנה טובה ומתוקה

- Add \$18 for Canada, \$28 for other countries
- \* Add \$5.00 for APO/FPO military addresses

ORDER ONLINE by July 11th to avoid a \$5.00 per jar shipping fee.

Prefer to order by mail and pay by check? Contact Penny Gelb for an order form

For more information, please contact

#### PENNY GELB

Phone: 561-865-5018 Email: <u>pgelb@comcast.net</u> 9794 Napoli Woods Lane, Delray Beach, FL 33446 Please order online if you can!

### July-August, 2018

## **FLORIDA BALLOT INITIATIVES**

#### THERE WILL BE 13 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS ON THE NOVEMBER BALLOT — COME TO A PRESENTATION BY THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS TO HELP YOU UN-DERSTAND THEM, SO YOU CAN BE AN INFORMED VOTER

DATE: Tuesday, October 9, 2018

TIME: 10 AM - 11:45 AM

LOCATION: Valencia Shores Social Hall



This is a joint program of NCJW- SE Atlantic, NCJW- Valencia Shores and NCJW- Palm Beach. Admission is FREE, but you must let us know you are attending to gain entrance to Valencia Shores. To register, contact Lillian Kaminer, lekaminer@aol.com. Questions? Contact Lillian by email or call, 561-482-9592.

# CHAPSTICK OUTREACH PROGRAM

Hi Outreachers,

Last month, NCJW members happily survived a scorching summer afternoon (actually, just 1 1/2 hours) of chapstick outreach. We visited 5 hotels and our visits were very well received. Hopefully the front desk staff of these Boca Raton hotels will look carefully at the pictures of missing and exploited local kids and advise the appropriate agencies if they've noticed their presence.

Important JULY dates to note:

BINDER PREP at Place of Hope, Boca Rio Road--**July 18,** 10 am Binder prep organizes information so that those going on an outreach have all the necessary previous backup info.

OUTREACH--July 21. Cars leave from Place of Hope at 1:30 pm. For training, please arrive at 12:30 pm.

Please advise me that you'll be joining us for either or both days. Many thanks,

Arleve Davidson, Co-President amdavidson01@gmail.com

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## **LEGISLATIVE OUTREACH**

NCJW-SE Atlantic Advocacy Committee met with Florida State Senator Lori Berman on Tuesday, June 12, as part of our ongoing program of engagement with our legislative representatives. Pictured above (I to r): Arlene Davidson, Senator Berman, Lillian Kaminer and Rosalie Almborg. We discussed NCJW's interest in gun safety, prevention of sex trafficking, and equal rights, as well as prospects for the upcoming legislative session. Our next scheduled meeting is with Representative Emily Slosberg. Anyone interested in participating, contact Lillian Kaminer, <u>lekaminer@aol.com</u>, VP-Advocacy.



## **VOTER REGISTRATION TRAINING**

Interested in being trained to help people register to vote? NCJW-Valencia Shores is sponsoring a training session by the League of Women Voters on Sunday, July 22, 10 AM-Noon, at their Social Hall. The program is free, but you must register in advance to gain admission to Valencia Shores. To register, contact Lillian Kaminer, <u>lekaminer@aol.com</u>. Questions? Email Lillian or call:561-482-9592.

## **VOTING INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW**

1. The General Election is on November 6, 2018.

2. The Primary Election is on August 28. Candidates for Senate and Governor will be determined in the Primary. In most cases, you must be registered in a party (not as an Independent) to vote in the Primary. August 22 is the last day to request a mail ballot for the Primary.

3. Be sure your voter registration information is up to date. Contact the Supervisor or Elections at 561-656-6200 or <u>pbcelections.org</u> or go to RegistertoVoteFlorida.gov. You should do this if you moved, changed your name, or want to change your party affiliation, for example. If your signature has changed (i.e., due to illness), update your info. You can ask for a mail ballot as well.

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Dear Mitzvah Mamas,

Even though it is summertime, human needs don't take a vacation. Our projects keep moving and growing.

It will soon be autumn and we have a continuing need for volunteers for our Kid's Closet project. We have increased our participation to two schools: we have added Galaxy Elementary to our program, joining Orchard View Elementary. Kid's Closet provides clothing at elementary schools for emergency situations children may encounter. A child in need may go to a supervised "closet" to obtain items that become theirs, no strings attached. We desperately need shoppers, inventory keepers, and someone to touch base with our school liaison on a monthly basis to find out what has been used and check what they may need going forward. For more information please contact me or Marsha Lotstein. In January and February Renee Markus will lead our pre-school eye screening program. Watch for details about this very special project.

If you are a retired teacher, or just like to work with children, please contact the Palm Beach County Literacy Coalition's Jeanne Heavilin to volunteer for their very well run program and/or go to any school in your area and ask if they need volunteers. Always remember to mention that you are a NCJW member and be sure they make note of that.

See the article below for information on our biggest project: Holiday on Wheels. We are doing so much! We need all of you. We are the Mitzvah Mama Movement!

Heleve Grantz, VP Community Service hgrantz@bellsouth.net, 561-392-4322

## **HOLIDAY ON WHEELS**

Can you believe that it is July already? I will begin making contact with the activities directors at the seven facilities where we hold Holiday on Wheels programs to get us dates and times for our presentations. Because Rosh Hashanah falls early, on September 9, we need to schedule our presentations between August 26 and September 7. I realize that the many members may be away for the summer and Labor Day weekend but I would like to hear from the ladies who want to work on our presentations. Once I get times and dates I will pass on the schedule to the regular volunteers and have it published in an eblast to the entire membership.

Please contact me if you would like more information or if you already know of places and dates on which you will be available to help out. This project will again be a tremendous success with all your help,

Thank You Cynthia Shulman, Holiday on Wheels Chair <u>bshu668623@aol.com</u> and 561-704-8870



## TRIBUTES SAY YOU CARE

Honor a family member, colleague, friend or loved one by giving a gift to NCJW SE Atlantic Section. A handwritten tribute card with a message of support, celebration or sympathy will be mailed to the recipient. Your gift supports local projects and those in Israel. It's really useful to keep your own supply on hand. Buy a bunch!



## **Robin Yablonsky**

Home: 561-499-4557 Email: proverbanker@yahoo.com Small white tribute cards \$30 for 10 cards Large blue tribute cards \$5 each; 6 for \$25 Elaborate tribute cards \$25 each

Mazel Tov to Helene Grantz on the birth of her grandson Meyer Hudson Grantz on June11

A speedy recovery to Sarah Goodstein, membership Co-Vice-President of NCJW.

Send Robin your info <u>Click here for our Tribute form</u> (scroll down to the Tributes section)

# MARCH FOR THE HUNGRY BUILD A BAG

Thanks to the generosity of several Southeast Atlantic members, along with funds raised through the section's March for the Hungry program, volunteers were able to shop, pack and deliver 30 bags of non-perishable groceries to the Boys and Girls Club of Broward County Levine Campus in North Lauderdale. During the summer, the Levine Campus provides lunch and a snack to 500 children daily. For some children, this is the only balanced meal that they will have that day. Our goal is to deliver at least another 30 bags of groceries this summer. The bags were sent home to the neediest of families.

Please help us to continue feeding the hungry over the summer. We are asking section members to participate by filling a reusable grocery bag with non-perishable food items to help families in need. You may donate a \$25 Publix gift card or send a \$25 check and our committee members will purchase and fill the bags with food. The suggested items are:

(1) six pack applesauce, (1) large box cereal, (1) container box milk, (1) jar peanut butter, (1) plastic jar grape jelly, (1) can pasta with meat, (2) boxes macaroni & cheese, (2) cans tuna fish, (1) large can chicken, (1) one pound bag rice, (1) one pound bag dry beans, (1) box granola bars, (1) eight pack of cheese crackers, and (1) four pack of pudding packs.

Please contact Susan Shapiro at dbeducator00@aol.com or 954-806-6386 if you would like to participate. You can also mail your check/gift card to 10960 NW 78<sup>th</sup> Place, Parkland, FL 33076.

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERNCE IN SO MANY LIVES.

Susan Shapiro March for the Hungry Fundraising Chair

# **NCJW BOOK CLUB**

Here is the long awaited schedule for our 2018-2019 Book Club:

| A | A Gentleman in Moscow   | Amor Towles  | Oct. 18, 1028 |  |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| В | The Woman in the Window | A.J. Finn    | Nov. 29, 2018 |  |
| С | Before We Were Yours    | Lisa Wingate | Jan. 17, 2019 |  |
| D | Love and Ruin           | Paula McLain | Feb. 14, 2019 |  |
| E | Pachinko                | Min Jin Lee  | Mar. 14, 2019 |  |

- As Russia becomes a Soviet nation, Count Rostov is sentenced to house arrest in an elegant Moscow hotel. He passes the decades making a world of the hotel and its people.
- People are never what they seem to be or even who they seem to be. A psychological thriller.
- Based on a real-life scandal, an adoption agency sells poor children to wealthy families. A story of two families, generations apart.
- The author of <u>The Paris Wife</u> now looks at Hemingway's third wife, a war-time correspondent. Her married life and her career conflict.
- A novel of a culture clash as Korean characters migrate to Japan. One of the New York Times' ten best books of 2017.

Call or email to volunteer to lead one of the discussions. Happy reading! Lois Seinfeld loisseinfe@aol.com 561-742-4950



## **MEMBERSHIP MEET & GREET**

The SE Atlantic Section's new Membership Committee is planning a Meet & Greet at Arlene Davidson's house at 7132 Francisco Bend Drive, Valencia Falls, on Tuesday, July 17, at 10 AM. Please advise Judy if you are a brand new or prospective member who is planning to attend so that your name can be called in at the gate. Also, please send names and email addresses of other prospective members to Judy Finder at <u>judyfinder@yahoo.com</u> so that invites can be sent to all your non-member friends and neighbors.

Membership Co-VP's, Judy Finder and Sarah Goodstein

July-August, 2018

## ANTI SEX TRAFFICKING UPDATE

I want to thank our committee of volunteers, Rosalie Almborg, Arlene Davidson, Richard Davidson, Susan Kanov, Julie Marx, Alexis Pinken, and Barbara Silman for their outstanding commitment to making our world a safer place for children and adults by educating the public on sex trafficking. Please let me know if you would like to be part of our Speakers' Bureau.

We are now booking speaking engagements for next season, and I would like all our members to think about suggestions and contact people for additional presentations.

Whenever we speak, we are reaching out to an audience that has no idea of the prevalence of human trafficking right here in South Florida. Many of the children who have been brought to the US through Mexico are the intended victims to be sold for sex.

Presently we have commitments for three speaking engagements for next year:

JCC, Boynton Beach, Thursday, October 25,2018 at 1:45 pm (Source Elaine Abrams)

Temple Sinai, Delray Beach March 24, 2019 at 3 pm (Source Laurie Tamber)

Congregation B'nai Torah Boca Raton Date to be decided. (Source Helene Grantz)

Elaine Abrams Chair AST Speakers' Bureau EA43@aol.com

## **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

## NOTE FROM ELLIE MERO: MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD

Anyone can write a letter to the editor-it is easier than you think. Start by reading the letters in your local newspaper. And then write what you are feeling. It doesn't have to be anything fancy, just short and to the point. You can make a difference with very little effort. I have done this several times, most recently to the Sun Sentinel on June 27th.



## July-August, 2018

# **GREET OUR BOARD FOR 2018-2019**

| NCJW SE Atlantic Board of Directors 2018-2019 |                 |                             |  |  |  |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
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## NEXT ADVOCACY MEETING

**Friday, August 17, 10 AM, Hagen Ranch Library**. Anyone interested in any of our advocacy programs — gun safety, reproductive rights, sex trafficking — or one of your own — please join us. We have several projects in the works for this year, and welcome your help. Questions?

Contact Lillian Kaminer, <u>lekaminer@aol.com</u>, 561-482-9592.

| Computer Printing Tip:   |                                      |
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| Have you ever wanted to print out only one page of a bulletin? Here's how it works on a PC:          | File dit View Window Help            |
| At the top of the screen, <u>do not</u> dick on the printer picture. Instead click on the word FILE, | Print                                |
| then click on PRINT.   | Printer: Canon MX/710 series Printer |
| After the PRINT box shows, select from the Pages To Print options.                                   | Pages to Print                       |
| ALL = prints every page in the document  | Current page                         |
| CURRENT PAGE = prints only the page that the cursor is on  | More Options                         |

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