

NCJW[®] Bulletin

National Council of Jewish Women
SE Atlantic Section

***Make time for
these events!***

**November 10: Meet &
Greet (see P. 8)**

**Thursday, Dec 14: All
about Advocacy**

**Tuesday, January 9:
Glass Fusion Event
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NCJW WOMEN — HEAR US ROAR! The ABC's of Making Your Voice Heard You can make a difference!

All About Advocacy

Hear personal stories from your section members about their adventures in advocacy, fighting for gun safety, against human trafficking, supporting voting rights and reproductive rights for all.

Learn how to be an effective advocate from Takeata King Pang of the Women's Foundation of Florida.

Date : December 14, 2017

Time: 10:00 am - Noon

Place: Valencia Falls Social Hall

Entrance on Hagen Ranch Road, Delray Beach between
Lake Ida and Flavor Pict Roads

Cost: complimentary- RSVP required



RSVP: <http://tinyurl.com/NCJW-Dec14-2018>

Please RSVP for this important program - even if you are a Valencia Falls resident. Help us plan for refreshments.

For more information about the program, contact:

Lillian Kaminer lekaminer@aol.com 561-482-9592

OPENING BRUNCH

What a wonderful morning it was! For multiple reasons, we hope you were there.

First, there were the blintzes----`nuf said

Second, it was wonderful to see so many new members

Third, we got to honor and say goodbye to Director Ellen Gottlieb, who is leaving us for New Jersey.

And then, even though many of our snowbirds had not yet returned to their southern nests, there were so many of us there.

And then there was the Showcase---now everyone knows what we do, and wants to do it with us-----and what they can do to while away those extra hours, when not playing tennis, bridge or mah jongg. So, I guess the "Best Kept Secret" in town is now out!

And, if you still need to know more-----call Marcia London (community service) or Arlene Davidson (advocacy)....or Helene Grantz....or Lillian Kaminer....or Elaine Abrams....or Renee Markus....Lois Seinfeld....or Susan Kanoff.

Thank you to all the amazing ladies who gave of themselves and their talents to make this event such a success. We truly appreciate all you do.

See you at The Luncheon.



Photos by Eleanor Kahn

ALL ABOUT ADVOCACY

Calling All Advocates!

NCJW promotes social justice for women and children by advocating in several key areas, including gun safety, reproductive rights, voter rights, and fighting against human trafficking. If you are interested in getting involved, here are some things you can do.

1. In the **Gun Safety** area, there are two bills in the Florida legislature that were not heard last year, but could go forward for a vote this year. Senate Bill 196 and House Bill 219 would ban assault rifles and large capacity magazines. Please call the following lawmakers to show your support for these bills. Tell them you want Florida to have sensible gun laws.

Senate President Joe Negron	(772) 219-1665
Senator Bill Galvano	(941) 741-3401
Senate Judiciary Chair Greg Steube	(941) 342-9162
House Speaker Richard Corcoran	(813) 792-5177
House Rules Chair Jose Oliva	(305) 364-3114
House Criminal Justice Chair Ross Spano	(813) 744-6256

For more information, contact Rosalie Almborg (roasted@bellsouth.net), chair of the NCJW Gun Safety Group.

2. Attend the December 14 General Meeting to learn the ABC's of advocacy. Speaker Takeata King Pang will provide training, some members will describe their experiences in advocacy activities, and there will be an opportunity to put your training to work. (See first page of this Bulletin.)

3. Join the SE-Atlantic Section Advocacy Committee to help plan future involvement and exchange ideas. For more information, contact Lillian Kaminer (lekaminer@aol.com), VP Advocacy.

4. Volunteer to be a speaker on human trafficking. Our speaker's bureau has ongoing training for speakers and organizers. Contact Elaine Abrams (ea43@aol.com).

5. Keep informed and get the latest news on how to get involved by visiting the NCJW National website and signing up for Action Alerts: NCJW.org/Action.

Lillian Kaminer, VP of Advocacy
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ANTI SEX TRAFFICKING TRAINING

TRAFFICKING

Many of our SE Atlantic section members, some previously trained to speak solely on the issue of Anti-Sex trafficking, participated in a Human Trafficking Coalition update training session. The October 13th training session focused on sharing awareness of both Sex and Labor Trafficking issues. Our members, after attending two HTCPB presentations will be able to extend their outreach into the HTCPB community, and will continue to be able to offer our AST awareness presentations in both Palm Beach and Broward Counties as well.

Attending this program were: Elaine Abrams (**chair—ea43@aol.com**), Arlene Davidson, Julie Fields Marx, Susan Gamer, Susan Kanoff, Marlene Meyers, Alexis Pinken and Lois Weingarden.

Classroom Training

The afternoon training session, focused on the classroom presentation of a similar nature adapted within the guidelines established and approved by the Palm Beach County school system. Examples of classroom situations were given and we were enlightened as to the need for this program.

Attending were: Elaine Abrams, Sue Gamer, Susan Kanoff, Marlene Meyers, Julie Fields Marx, Alexis Pinken and Lois Weingarden.

AST

Our Anti-Sex Trafficking Speakers Bureau needs you to help promote awareness in both Palm Beach and Broward Counties by helping us to arrange future speaking engagements. We welcome all members who are interested in helping us to secure additional venues (religious groups, and local organizations) to contact us to learn more about this program. The following have spoken to thousands of local residents and look forward to continuing to do so: Elaine Abrams (**chair—ea43@aol.com**), Rosalie Almborg, Arlene Davidson, Richard Davidson, Susan Kanoff, Julie Fields Marx, Barbara Silman and Laura Yellin.

Hotel/Motel Chapstick Program

After the beginning of the new year, all interested participants will join us to determine new direction for a South County outreach program, wherein we'll visit local hotels/motels to present chapsticks, labeled with the National Trafficking Hotline Number, along with pictures of Missing and Exploited Kids to the front desks/breakrooms of WPB hotels/motels. So far, Arlene Davidson, Susan Gamer, Susan Kanoff (**chair—susank45@gmail.com**), Hindy Meltzer, Stephanie Singer and, Lois Weingarten have participated in visiting West Palm Beach hotels to distribute chapsticks.

Elaine Abrams, Anti-sex trafficking chair
EA43@aol.com

Susan Kanoff, Chapstick Program Chair
Susank45@gmail.com

NOT JUST CARDS PARTY and LUNCHEON

Westchester Country Club

Friday, January 19, 2018

12250 Westchester Club Dr. Boynton Beach, FL 33437 (off Piper's Glen Blvd)

Doors open 10:30 AM

Luncheon Served at 12:00 PM

COST: \$40 pp (member or guest)

*Last year was a sellout. RSVP Deadline January 5th.
We will honor RSVPs in the order received.*



OPEN TO EVERYONE — INVITE ALL YOUR FRIENDS- BRING YOUR GAME

Entrée choices

- Trio Salad Platter -Tuna/Chicken/Egg with side salad
- Oriental Chicken Salad - grilled chicken and vegetables
- Grilled Salmon over mixed greens

Dessert choices:

- Chocolate Brownie + ice cream or
- Fruit Salad

Playing with a table of friends? Complete your luncheon selections and tablemate info. Make checks payable to NCJW-SEA. Please send complete information and all checks in one envelope.

RSVP to Susan Mildworm, 4774 Orchard Lane, Delray Beach, FL 334445 561-573-9918
Need a game? Call Susan.

Name	Game	Phone	Email	Trio	Chicken	Salmon	Brownie	Fruit

COMMUNITY SERVICE



PRESCHOOL VISION SCREENING January-February 2018

Do you have limited availability but would like to get involved? This is the opportunity.

Our annual preschool eye screening program needs volunteers to step forward and participate in this rewarding program with the most adorable children. This program is active in January and February, with dates to be confirmed

Please send your information, if you want to participate in the preschool vision screening to:

Renee E. Markus, 7579 Imperial Drive, Apt. 601A, Boca Raton, FL 33433
Home phone: 561-394-5135 Email: coolrenee@aol.com

I WANT TO PARTICIPATE!

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ **CELL PHONE** _____



HOLIDAY ON WHEELS

OUR HOLIDAYS ARE NEVER "ON TIME"

We are barely done apologizing for 5777 and Chanukah, 5778, is around the corner; December 12th to be exact. Please join us again, or consider joining our happy band of Mitzvah Mamas, and a few papas, as we bring the holiday to residential facilities in Boca Raton, Delray Beach and Boynton. I'm sure there is a location near you. All you need to bring is a smile, some energy, a willingness to help keep our audiences on the right page of our script, and you will be rewarded with a sense of joy and satisfaction you will not forget. You will be hooked! This particular community service project has been giving residents and volunteers in our area this wonderful opportunity since 1980.

Information about specific facilities, dates, times and leaders will be forthcoming. Right now I want to invite you to consider keeping a few of these dates available in your calendars:

November 28, 29, 30
December 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11.

Looking forward to sharing a mitzvah or two with you,

Helene Grantz, HOW chairperson
hgrantz@bellsouth.net 561-392-4322

Computer Printing Tip:

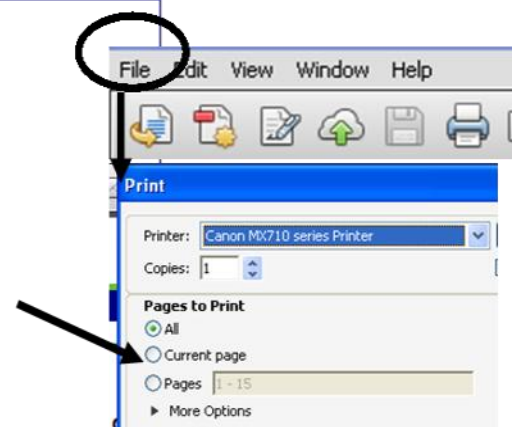
Have you ever wanted to print out only one page of a bulletin? Here's how it works on a PC:

At the top of the screen, do not click on the printer picture. Instead click on the word FILE, then click on PRINT.

After the PRINT box shows, select from the Pages To Print options.

ALL = prints every page in the document

CURRENT PAGE = prints only the page that the cursor is on



GLASS FUSION JEWELRY EVENT



**Have you ever wanted to make
awesome fused glass necklaces?**



**Join us for an evening of fun
and creativity**



When: Tuesday, January 9, 2018 at 6:30 PM

Where: Tivoli Reserve All-Purpose Room

**Tivoli Reserve is on Hagen Ranch Road, Boynton Beach,
just south of Woolbright Road**

Cost: \$30 includes all materials needed to create two necklaces. They will be fired for you and will be ready to pickup about a week after the event.

For information contact Sharon Glick 561-573-0745, or flnyankee@gmail.com

Use tear-off below to RSVP BY JANUARY 2ND

Mail checks payable to NCJW-SEA to Sharon Glick

7849 Monarch Ct, Delray Beach 33446

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Email: _____

Amount enclosed: _____ **Check #:** _____

CHAPSTICK PROJECT

Please bring chapsticks to our next program/board meeting/committee meeting

NEXT HOTEL/MOTEL CHAPSTICK training session will be on Sunday, November 12th, at 12:30 in West Palm Beach. Outreach will begin at 1:30. To sign up or for carpool arrangements, call Arlene Davidson, 561-865-9628, or AMDavidson01@gmail.com.

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!



Contact Robin Yablonsky, Tributes Chair
7452 Morocca Lake Drive, Delray Beach, FL 33446
Home: 561-499-4557 Cell: 561-789-0027

Small white tribute cards	\$30 for 10 cards
Large blue tribute cards	\$ 5 each
Elaborate tribute cards	\$25 each

Share your life cycle events with our membership by emailing your information to Glenda Gordon at glendashopper46@gmail.com

Mazel Tov to Arlene Davidson on the birth of her great-granddaughter Eve Mia Burkoff in Stevenage, England.

Mazel Tov to Helene Grantz, whose grandson Jacob Louis Grantz will become a Bar Mitzvah in Israel at the end of November.

We wish Ellen Gottlieb a fond farewell and good luck as she and Eddie return to New Jersey.

We wish a speedy recovery from hip replacement surgery to Marlene Passell.

MEMBERSHIP

We had a very successful Meet & Greet on October 6th at the home of Arlene Davidson. We gained many new members and transferred two Life Members from other Sections. We are holding another Meet & Greet on **November 10th** at the home of Diane Kessler. We are planning a third Meet & Greet on December 4th at a home in Valencia Pointe. We urge you all to send the names of prospective members to Judy Finder at judyfinder@yahoo.com. Only by working together can we continue to be a thriving, dynamic Section.

Judy Finder, Membership Committee
561-855-6641, or judyfinder@yahoo.com



We wish a hearty welcome to all those wonderful ladies who have joined us in the last few months— some new to NCJW and to our life members who have transferred from other sections around the country. We especially recognize Susan Chandler Pessin—our newest section life member. Thanks for all your support.

Janet Bernstein
Adrienne Cohen*
Arlene Cohen
Deanna Cohen
Penny Edelstein*
Sheryl Feurstein*
Arlene Finkelstein
Jacalyn Goldstein
Susan Kanoff
Deborah Karlen*
Barbara Kirschner
Sheryl Klein
Marion Lappin
Starr Lifson
Phyllis Lundy

Ellen Migdal
Deborah Newman
Marlene Passell
Susan Chandler Pessin*
Alexis Pinken
Rochelle Potash*
Sandra Rothfeld*
Marjorie Scheff
Barbara Schmidt
Mariana Sherman
Stephanie Singer
Jan Van Aalten
Anne Lee Weiner
Lois Weingarden*
Gail Winkler

*life member

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as of 11-01-17

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Save These Dates

Date	Time	Activity	Place	Program
Thursday, Dec 14, 2017	10 AM	Panel Discussion	Valencia Falls Social Hall	All about NCJW & Advocacy
Tuesday, Jan 9, 2018	6:30 PM	Glass Fusion Jewelry Event	Tivoli Reserve, Boynton Beach	Create two necklaces
Friday, Jan 19, 2018	11:30 AM	Not Just Cards Party	Westchester Country Club	Table games and great luncheon
Thursday, Feb 8, 2018	10:00 AM	General Meeting	Phoenix at Delray	Presentation by Rose Feinberg

WE GET LETTERS!

Dear Helene,

Our sincere thanks to the National Council of Jewish Women for conducting a beautiful, touching Rosh Hashanah service at JARC. I can always gauge the success of an event by our clients' reactions, and they were joyful! The volunteers connected beautifully with our clients who loved the attention they received from your group. Not to mention the sweets that were certainly a big hit too.

In the aftermath of any event at JARC, I receive honest and straightforward feedback from our clients, whose purity and honesty precludes political correctness. I know that the service was a huge success because the attendees asked when you will return!

Please relay our appreciation to the dear women of the National Council of Jewish Women.

Most sincerely,
Ilona

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Don't miss this one!



Strebs Restaurant is giving NCJW SE Atlantic section an easy fundraiser. Strebs' will donate 10% of all sales to anyone who brings in a copy of this article! The offer is good for the entire month of November. Please check out Strebs' website at www.strebs.com.

We have live entertainment outside Tuesday – Sunday.
We look forward to welcoming you to Strebs!

561-375-8600
Robin Servidio, General Manager
1880 N Congress Ave Ste 190, Boynton Beach, FL 33472
Compson Place of Renaissance Commons on the corner of Gateway and Congress,

☐ annual dues \$40 ☐ life membership \$350 ☐ other amount
payable in installments (personal giving)

Please mail your dues to Membership Secretary Suzanne Gold at 13619 Morocca Lake Lane, Delray Beach, FL 33446. Questions? Contact Suzanne at shebetwo@aol.com 561-908-2622



Date	Book	Author	Leader/location
Wed 11/29/17	The Lilac Girls	Martha Hall Kelly	Arlyne Gelman
Thur 1/11/18	A House Without Windows	Nadia Hashimi	Rose Feinberg
Thur 2/15/18	The Girl Who Wrote in Silk	Kelli Estes	Eva Korentayer
Thur 3/15/18	My Name is Mary Sutter	Robin Olivera	Laurie Tamber

#GIVINGTUESDAY™

#GivingTuesday is a global giving movement that has been built by individuals, families, organizations, businesses and communities in all 50 states and in countries around the world. This year, #GivingTuesday falls on November 28. It inspires people to take collective action to improve their communities, give back in better, smarter ways to the charities and causes they believe in, and help create a better world. #GivingTuesday demonstrates how every act of generosity counts, and that they mean even more when we give together.

Together, people are creating a new ritual for our annual calendar. #GivingTuesday is the opening day of the giving season: a reminder of the "reason for the season." Every act of generosity counts, and each means even more when we give together. Together, millions of people demonstrate our common capacity to give. #GivingTuesday is a celebration of America's greatest traditions: generosity, entrepreneurialism, community.

We will use your monetary donations to help underwrite our community service and advocacy projects that impact our neighbors. Be generous!

We have two days for getting 'holiday' deals – Black Friday and Cyber Monday. On #GivingTuesday, we have a day for giving back.

Click to give on line: [donate to Giving Tuesday](#)

Or mail your donation payable to NCJW-SEA to:

Susan Gamer, Treasurer
4978 N Citation Dr #202
Delray Beach, FL 33445

Black Friday. Cyber Monday.

#GIVINGTUESDAY™

November 28, 2017