Shabbat 17 October 2020 | 29 Tishrei 5781 (Shabbat Mevarchim) Parashat Bereshit / פרשת בָּרֵאשִׁית **Sof Zman Friday Earliest Friday** שבת שבת שבת שבת **Sunday Kriat Shema Chabura** Lighting Mincha **Starts Shacharit** Mincha **Ends Shacharit** 9.00AM 4.59PM 5.50PM 5.51PM 9.30AM 10.07AM 5.50PM 6.50PM 8.20AM

Friday

The last Friday morning Chabura will take place this week at **9.00am** and will be given by **Eve Grubin-Brookes**. From next week the chabura will return to the usual pre-Shacharit slot at 9.15am on Shabbat morning. To access the final Chabura please use the following link: http://tinyurl.com/MagenAvotZoom.

Shabbat

Shabbat Mevarchim: Rosh Chodesh Cheshvan Yiheye beyom Harishon u'veyom Hasheni Haba Aleinu Letova.

Molad: Will be on Shabbat 17 October at 3.23am.

Wednesday



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Tzurba m'Rabanan given by Rabbi Kenigsberg <u>restarts</u> on Wednesday 21 October at **8.30pm** on the topic of: "Hafrashat Challah". Login details will be sent to the WhatsApp group.

Sunday



With over 70 million specimens, from microscopic slides to dinosaur skeletons - should we feel challenged by what we find here:

Join Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum as he unpicks the relationship between **Creation and Evolution** through a combination of walk-through graphics, display highlights and an in-depth study of fascinating ideas - all from the **comfort of your own home!**

Booking link available on the frontpage of our website: https://myus.theus.org.uk/events/62952/genesis-tour-ofthe-natural-history-museum-a-live-virtual-experience/

Yahrzeit

2 Cheshvan Neville Gamsu Tuesday 20 October Father

Mazal Tov!

Mazal Tov to Neriah Hadar Shenny on her recent Bat Mitzvah. Mazal Tov to parents Ilana and Zvi Shenny, her brothers Evyatar and Shiloh, and her sister Arielle. Mazal Tov to grandparents Joy and Melvin Kay and Chaya and David Arron. Mazal Tov to Aunts and Uncles Adam and Nadine Kay and Avital and Akiva Sandler.

Neriah will be speaking after Mussaf this Shabbat.

Thanks

Thank you all for making the Chagim so uplifting and memorable, despite the circumstances. Attached you can see the certificates which were presented to our chatanim, Julian Maurer and David Berke on Simchat Torah. Mazal Tov to both of them and their families - and thanks for their constant and ongoing contribution to the success of Magen Avot!



On Simchat Torah, Magen Avot marked the end of the 3T Project. Huge and special thanks to Rabbi and Sarah Kenigsberg, Anouk Abrams, Barak Seener, Chaya Langerman, Daniel Ehreich, Darren Abrams, Elliot Berke, Elkan Adler, Fiona Taylor, Mel Kay, Patti Adler and Raffi Maurer for supporting this project which has made such a positive difference.

Shabbat Services Bookings

Signup for services in the downstairs **Banqueting Hall** each week here: https://tinyurl.com/MAServicesBookingForm.

Etrogim Collection

Now that Succot is over, Kisharon would like us to donate our Etrogim for group workshops. The Etrogim will be coated in cloves to create Besamim (spices) – part of a Havdalah pack. The packs will be available for purchase for a Simcha, and in the Kisharon Gift & Homeware Store, Equal. Your donated Etrogim (not the boxes or foam) should be deposited in a box at the front door of Family Adler, 33 Rowsley Avenue, Hendon.

Jewish Care Digital Services

Sarah-Jane Burstein who works in Digital Services for Jewish Care would like to share some information about their activity hub that they recently launched on the main Jewish Care website. As we face more time at home, they felt it was vital to improve their virtual offering and have worked hard to create a space for clients to engage in meaningful activities online: https://www.jewishcare.org/keepingactive. They are aware that many members might be less "tech savvy" which is why they have provided printable content so family members, carers, friends and neighbours can make use of the content and print out for those who might not use computers. They want as many people as possible to benefit from this resource.

Help

Have something on your mind? A question to ask or just looking for a chat? Each week Rabbi Kenigsberg will be in the Magen Avot Zoom Room at the times below – please feel free to pop in on Mondays at 9.15am to 10.00am or on Tuesdays from 8.00pm to 9.15pm. No appointment needed. Completely Confidential. There will be a waiting room if busy. Join at: www.tinyurl.com/MagenAvotZoom.