

bulletin

July-September 2018

NCJWMI

National Council of Jewish Women MICHIGAN

**SAVE THE DATE!****Sunday, August 12th, 2018****9:00am – 5:00pm**

We will hold our 5th Annual Back 2 School Store on August 12, 2018. Once again, over 600 children from the city of Detroit, chosen by 17 social service agencies, will come and shop in our pop-up Store for new clothes and a backpack filled with school supplies, personal care items, and a new book. Each child will be accompanied by a personal shopper and will pick out all items themselves...a shopping experience they will never forget! While the children are shopping, their parents and guardians will be invited to visit the Family Center, where United Way 211, Home Depot, and Legal Aid will offer their services. In addition, a Health Fair, sponsored by the Jewish Community Relations Council/AJC, will offer medical screenings and other health-related information.

What can you do to help? First, you can sign up to volunteer on our website www.NCJWMI.org. There are many volunteer opportunities such as setup and tear down, or if you prefer to work on the day of the Store, you can be a Personal Shopper, work in the Volunteer Room, Family Center, or at Volunteer Registration, just to name a few. Another way to help is by donating to the B2SS. If you would like to Sponsor a Child, a \$180 donation provides school supplies and clothing for one child. Of course, donations of any amount are appreciated.

The Back 2 School Store is a great community service project and everyone who has been involved says it is one of the best experiences they have all year. Let it be one of the best experiences you have as well! Please join us on August 12th and help make a difference in a child's life.

Chairs: Lauren Koenigsberg, Sallyjo Levine, Jennifer LoPatin

248-355-3300, ext. 0 National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan – www.ncjwmi.org

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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FROM THE PRESIDENTS



Jennifer LoPatin



Sandi Matz

Greetings! We are writing this in the afterglow of our wonderful Installation on May 16th where our new officers and Board members became official. It is also where we became the first Co-Presidents in our NCJW history. We are both looking forward to forging a partnership with each other as well as all of you to continue the great work that NCJW | MI has accomplished over the past 127 years.

We are thrilled to welcome the following new officers: VP: Amy Cutler; Treasurer: Sharyn Gallatin; Recording Secretary: Lynn Lieberman; Assistant Recording Secretary: Margo Stocker; Corresponding Secretary: Gail Katz. We also welcome new Board of Directors: Marilyn

Mossman, Trudy Weiss, Evva Hepner, Mollene Levin, Janet Pont, Judy Yunas, Sarah Gottlieb and Fran Grossman.

On March 31st, we marked the last day of our re|design store. After the decision was made to close it, we were overwhelmed by the support of our volunteers who worked to help sell the inventory before we closed. Thanks to all of you for your effort!

Council re|sale has established a new housewares department. We hope you'll come and shop as well as donate your gently used items. We are using the opportunity as another excuse to not cook!

Our wonderful Project Friendship Committee, chaired by Barbara Berger, Sandy Weiss, and Carol Wiseman, continues to provide Sunday brunches and field trips for Kadima clients who are so appreciative of these outings. New volunteers are always welcome!

We had a very informative Nosh and Knowledge series which ended in March with Dr. Dana Zakalik, a Hematologist/Oncologist from Beaumont Hospital who generously rescheduled with us after a snowstorm. Her excellent presentation was on Genetic Markers and the Importance of Genetic Counseling. Rabbi Aaron Bergman always gives us food for thought with our lunch! His topic was The Jewish Perspective on Ethics and Genetics. Thank you to Sharon Leider, our Programming VP, and Lauren Koenigsberg for making these talks possible.

The Bookstock sale in Livonia was also held in April. Every Wednesday, all year long, volunteers sort the thousands of books. The NCJW Day at Bookstock is a popular one where we get to participate in the actual sale. The hours we volunteer at Bookstock translate into dollars for NCJW and our many community service projects and advocacy work. Thanks to our Bookstock

chairs: Deede Auster, Barbara Grant, Charlene Green, Fran Stern, and Bonnie Tucker.

Eric Lumberg, Director of the Lenore Marwil JCC Film Festival, joined us for previews of the films on April 12th in advance of the Festival. It was very helpful in deciding which films to see. Our section sponsored "The Cakemaker," an excellent choice.

On Tuesday, April 10th, our State Policy Advocates Cathy Cantor and Irma Glaser led another enthusiastic group of participants to be part of the Equal Pay Day Rally. They had a training session and met with our legislators. It was an energizing day, but sadly, we will probably have to go again next year if we want to achieve the goal of Equal Pay for Women!

On April 24th, we hosted the ceremony for our Jewish Youth Awards. Our chairs, Lauren Mandel and Julie Silberg, and their committee of readers and judges, recognized eight outstanding Jewish high school seniors. This program is funded by two very generous families: Dina and Herman (z'l) Brodsky and Esther (z'l) and Herman (z'l) Katz. Both families had representatives in attendance to congratulate the winners.

Sandi Matz, Ellie Slovis, Claire Kretchmer, and Joanna Edelson represented our Section at the Walk for Israel at Temple Shir Shalom. The sun was shining and the rain came just as people were getting in their cars to leave. It was beshert!

At the end of May, several of us went to St. Louis for NCJW Leadership training. We learned a great deal to bring back to Michigan. Sandi Matz presided over a workshop. The attendees were Cathy Cantor, Amy Cutler, Lauren Koenigsberg, Carrie Kushner, Lynn Lieberman, Sharon Lieder, Jennifer LoPatin, Sandi Matz, Susan Rollinger, and Margo Stocker.

On Tuesday, June 5th, we traveled to the Demonstration Kitchen at Henry Ford Hospital, West Bloomfield for a "Live Well" event where we learned how to make tasty vegetarian dishes. Again, thanks to Sharon Leider for setting us on the path to healthy eating!

We have lots going on this summer: We're celebrating the 15th anniversary of our All Kids Playground in Waterford with a picnic on July 15. Look for more info on page 10.

Our Backpack Project is July 25-26 to benefit homeless children in Oakland County as well as Jewish children in need identified by Jewish Family Service, and our Back 2 School Store is Sunday, August 12th for children in Detroit. Shoes to Share will take place after school starts, and our Women of Vision 2018 will take place at Adat Shalom Synagogue on Thursday, October 11th where our keynote speaker will be Cecile Richards, the former president of the Planned Parenthood Federation of America. We will also be honoring Cathy Cantor with the Josephine S. Weiner Award for Community Service and Monni Must with the Woman of Vision Award. We hope you will join us for an inspiring afternoon. If you have any questions about NCJW or what is in this Bulletin, please do not hesitate to contact us.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Susan Gertner

As we start a new year with new Officers and Board Members, I think about what we have accomplished during the past year and what we will accomplish during our next fiscal year starting July 1st. To begin, I want to thank those Board of Directors who have completed their term, for all of the time, dedication, and expertise they have given to our organization. We are very lucky to have had them on our Board and know they will continue working with us on our many committees. I also welcome our new Board of Directors and Officers, and look forward to working together in making a difference in the lives of women, children, and families. I especially welcome Jennifer LoPatin as our new Co-President and thank Sandi Matz for continuing on as Co-President for this upcoming year. Having Co-Presidents is something new for our Section.

As you know, during the past year, we changed our name from National Council of Jewish Women, Greater Detroit Section to National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan. This summer Jennifer, Sandi and I will be taking road trips to surrounding communities to invite them to join us in our social justice advocacy work. If you know of anyone who is living in an out-state Michigan community, please invite them to join us.

Our goal is to keep you up-to-date with what is happening in between our Bulletin mailings. We are going back to four issues per year. By now, I hope you have seen our new website and that it is easy for you to find out about our Section. If you have not had the chance to do so, please visit www.ncjwmi.org. We do not have emails for all of our members, and encourage you to email us your email address to receive our monthly Dates 2 Remember, Time to Share Volunteer Opportunities, and special event eblasts. To do so, just send an email to mail@ncjwmi.org and your name will be added to our e-list. We do not share emails with other agencies or companies.

I continue to work towards writing new grants, finding donors for Name Funds, and sponsors for our events and programs. We are also looking for an individual or business that would be interested in sponsoring an issue of our Bulletin. Their name will be prominently displayed in the Bulletin and included on our website. If you happen to know of grantors, donors, or possible sponsors, please let me know. Either give me a call or email me at sgertner@ncjwmi.org.

Project Friendship

Project Friendship with Kadima has been one of NCJW|MI Community Service projects for the past 20 years. This project provides twice monthly Sunday Brunches, activities, and field trips for clients of Kadima who face various mental health challenges.



Our presence is always welcomed and appreciated, especially since it may be the only activity clients have access to over the weekend. It has been rewarding for our volunteers to witness clients doing a complete turnaround from being lonely and upset when they first come to an activity, to participating, and enjoying an activity and leaving with smiles on their faces.

We would like to thank our dedicated volunteers throughout the past year for giving so generously of their time and friendship to the Kadima clients: Barbara and Michael Berger, Hélène Cherrin, Evva Hepner, Barbara Hoffman, Susie Jacob, Nancy Josephson and son, Gail Katz, Diana Lieberman, Marilyn Levine, Anita Reznick, Susan Sabbath, Linda Schwartz, Maxine Sherman, Ronnie Sinai, Ilene Weiss, Sandy Weiss, Carol Wiseman.



Activities for Project Friendship are varied and usually last from 10:30am to 1:00pm, depending on the activity or field trip. Upcoming Sunday Brunches for the new fiscal year are:

July 8 - Art Fair at Royal Oak Memorial Park

July 29 - Tiger Baseball game

August 19 - Miniature Golf and Ray's Ice Cream

September 23 - Sukkot Celebration at Kadima

We welcome all volunteers to join us in this wonderful project. If interested please contact NCJW office at (248) 355-3300 ext. 0.

Chairs: Barbara Berger, Susan Sabbath, Carol Wiseman

LITERACY OUTREACH

Another academic year ended on a successful note. We thank our tutors: Linda Bodzin, Denny Camiener, Gayle Fawcett, Barbara Fishman, Janice Goldman, Micki Grossman, Linda Kayes, Julie Kraus, Gail Lansky, Cathy Lichtman, George Lowe, Suzanne Ginger Nickel, Nancy Rothfeder, Linda Sahn, Miriam Sherbin (z'l), Claudia Sills, Margo Stocker, Mary Topf, Debbie Zager, and Ruth Zerin for their dedication to the students and teachers at Coleman A. Young School (CAY) and Darchei Torah.



We also extend our appreciation to the volunteers who read to CAY classes monthly: Danie Allan, Shelley Goldberg, Janice Goldman, Marta Gottesman, Susie Jacob, Jane Kahan, Sallyjo Levine, Cathy Lichtman, Judy Martin, Flo Paterni, Donna Pearlman, Judy Robinson, Ellie Slovis, Debbie Zager, and Ruth Zerin.

Deborah Aronson was our March Is Reading Month author. Along with Sallyjo Levine, she entertained the lower grade students at CAY as she read her book, *Dragons from Mars*. Newly ordered books were also distributed to each student at CAY.

Melissa Scott, the principal of CAY, addressed the NCJW/MI Board in April. She expressed her utmost appreciation to our tutors mentioning how the students' reading scores have improved not only from tutoring but also from various volunteers reading to classrooms during the school year. Principal Scott emphasized the many ways our volunteers have assisted in her school.

During the summer, CAY initiated Kamp Kool, a week of academics and fun for 30 female students who would benefit from this program. NCJW is delighted to sponsor several students. Many tutors volunteered to assist in this program.

Literacy Outreach is continually attempting to improve and expand. Please join our team. It is quite rewarding!

Chairs: Amy Cutler, Carol Rosenfeld

JEWISH YOUTH AWARDS

Thanks to our co-chairs, Lauren Mandel and Julie Silberg, eight outstanding Jewish high school students were honored at an Awards Ceremony on April 24th.

- Grand prize winner, who received a check for \$2,500 was Sophia Gawel. Also honored were
- Jordyn Bertman (\$1,200)
- Justin Applefield (\$500)
- Blake Rubenstein (\$500)
- Esther Brown (\$200)
- Joshua Chynoweth (\$200)
- Jordan Robinson (\$200)
- Sydney Trepeck (\$200)



This year's topic was "What experience or person has had the greatest impact on your Jewish identity?" The students submitted essays and other information which was reviewed by a panel of volunteers who identified the finalists. The 8 students were then interviewed by Alan Muskovitz, Ron Elkus, and Rita Sitron.

The Jewish Youth Awards are generously funded by Dina and Herman (z'l) Brodsky and Esther (z'l) and Nathan (z'l) Katz. Ann Rosenberg and JoAnne Nosan represented both families and greeted the winners and their families.

Mazel tov to all of the students with best wishes for the future.

INSTALLATION

On Wednesday, May 16th, NCJW held its annual installation event at Knollwood Country Club in West Bloomfield, where new officers and Board of Directors were installed, and awards were presented to several NCJW honorable women.

The program began with a welcome speech by co-chair of the event, Barbara Rosenthal, followed by an annual report from Sandi Matz, President of NCJW|MI, and a Bylaws presentation by Judy Rosenberg. Susan Marwil delivered the nominating report, while Cathy Cantor installed new officers and Board of Directors.

For the first time in NCJW history two Co-Presidents were installed: Jennifer LoPatin and Sandi Matz. The following women were installed: Vice Presidents: Amy Cutler; Susie Jacob; Sharon Leider; Randie Levin; Judy Robinson; Susan Rollinger; Treasurer, Sharyn J. Gallatin; Recording Secretary, Lynn Lieberman; Assistant Recording Secretary, Margo Stocker; Corresponding Secretary, Gail Katz.

The following women were recognized for their achievements: Irma Glaser received the coveted Hannah G. Solomon Award; Marian Littman was presented with the new Marsha Zucker Exemplary Board Director Award; Margo Stocker was recognized with The Emerging Section Leader Award. Susan Gertner, Esther Weitzman, and Linda Rouff received Staff Recognition Awards for their respective 15, 10, and 5 years of service to NCJW. Hamotzi was delivered by Steve Matz, and a delicious lunch was served.



(L-R) top row – Sharon Leider, Amy Cutler, Jennifer LoPatin, Sandi Matz, Lynn Lieberman, Randie Levin, Margo Stocker. bottom row – Susie Jacob, Susan Rollinger, Gail Katz. (missing: Sharyn J. Gallatin, Judy Robinson)

Spousal Bereavement Support Group

For individuals who have experienced the death of a spouse or partner

Wednesday Afternoons: August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; September 5 – 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Wednesday Evenings, 9/5 through 10/17 – 6pm to 8pm

There is NO CHARGE (Donations are appreciated)

Location: Congregation Shaarey Zedek, 27375 Bell Road, Southfield

Registration required. Please call (248) 355-3300 ext. 0 or e-mail mail@ncjwmi.org

Hannah's Heroines

We invite you to join the growing number of Hannah's Heroines. Our Hannah's Heroines program is to help secure the future of NCJW | MI. A minimum gift of \$5,000 payable over five years is to be used as a rainy day fund for our Section with the option of a portion to be used for a new NCJW | MI project.

We thank Barbara Grant and Claire Kretchmer for being our newest heroines. By becoming a Hannah's Heroine, they have demonstrated their faith and commitment to NCJW | MI.

For further information on how to become a Hannah's Heroine, please call Jennifer LoPatin or Sandi Matz at 248-355-3300, ext. 1.

RE|SALE NEWS

re|design HOME consignment

We are sorry to say that our doors closed at the end of March. We thank all of you who consigned, donated, and shopped at our store. Your support was greatly appreciated. We continue to accept donations of home accessories at our council re|sale store.

council re|sale

shop • donate • benefit community

If you are cleaning out your closets, council re|sale is in need of the following:

- Home accessories
- Linens
- Women's and Men's upscale clothing
- Men's shoes, suits, shirts, ties, cuff links, tie tacks
- Children's clothing and shoes

Are you receiving our emails with special sales? If not, email mail@ncjwmi.org and ask to be included on our resale list.

Donations Picked Up

Did you know we can pick up your donation at your home? Just call 248.548.6664. We depend on your donations for the success of our stores!

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20% off any item

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10% off any item

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receive 20% off any item

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receive 10% off any item

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receive 10% off any item

COME CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY WITH US!

Receive 10% off your purchase of \$20 or more.

One time only during the month of your birthday.

Proceeds support NCJW|MI services, benefitting women, children, and families in need for over 125 years.

FALL SHOWCASE



FEATURING:

women's, men's, and children's fall fashions and accessories

Sunday, August 26, 2018, noon - 4pm

VIP early entry fee \$25, 10:00am - noon
(please pre-register w/payment)

August 23rd - everything 75% OFF

August 24th - fill a bag for \$12

August 25th - CLOSED in preparation for Showcase

3297 W. 12 Mile Road
Berkley, MI 48072
248-548-6664

shop • donate • benefit community

Proceeds support National Council of Jewish Women,
Michigan services benefitting women, children, and families in
need for over 125 years.



NEW! Join us for a Scavenger Hunt at Fall Showcase.
Find Special prices on items throughout the store.

CUSTOMER APPRECIATION SIDEWALK SALE

**Sat. July 21,
10am - 6pm**

Rain or Shine

**Take a chance at
choosing a
special % off**

**Drawing for a \$100
council re|sale gift
certificate, held at
noon and 3pm**

**Customer must
be present to win**

STATE POLICY ADVOCATES



Cathy Cantor

- A young black man is shot in Ferguson, MO.
- A white supremacist march is held in Charlottesville, Virginia.
- Police arrest two black men at a Starbucks in Philadelphia.
- Police are called to a Yale dormitory when a black Yale student falls asleep in her dorm's lounge.
- The NFL creates a policy that prohibits players from kneeling on the field during the national anthem.
- A black Milwaukee Bucks basketball player is tasered and arrested in Milwaukee, then charged with a parking violation.



Irma Glaser

These incidents - and many more - continue to raise the issue of racism in America in a way that hasn't been seen in decades.

An NBC News/Survey Monkey poll was conducted May 14-21 among a national sample of 6,518 adults. The survey found that most Americans believe racism is a "major problem" in America. About 75% felt racial discrimination against blacks is a serious issue.

The poll also found that Americans are split on how often they personally engage in discussions about race with family and friends. About 47 percent say they rarely or never have these types of discussions with friends and family.

On Friday, May 11th, NCJW|MI co-sponsored an opportunity for education and discussion about race and racism at an all-day conference entitled "Confronting Racism Within: History, Systems, Community & Self."

The conference's morning keynote speaker was Dr. Peter Hammer, a law professor at Wayne State University Law School and director of the Damon Keith Center for Civil Rights. Dr. Hammer's presentation focused on connecting the dots in Detroit's narrative on race, postulating an evolutionary transformation from slavery to Jim Crow segregation to the "spatial racism" that now defines Southeast Michigan.

Breakout sessions and workshops included topics like "The Intersectionality of Culture, Race & Gender," which examined how the social attributes of race, culture, and gender do not exist as single, stand-alone issues; and "Implicit Bias - What is it? How does it affect me? What can I do about it?" where participants completed an



(L-R) Denny Camiener, Susie Jacob, Cathy Cantor, the Reverend Dr. Deedee Coleman, Gail Katz, Sherri Schiff, Lynn Lieberman

online implicit bias test and discussed the results; and "Micro-Aggression and You - Advocating for Equity in Society," which explored everyday verbal, non-verbal, and environmental slights which communicate negative messages.

The day concluded with an impassioned presentation from the afternoon keynote speaker, the Reverend Dr. Deedee Coleman, in which she challenged the hearts, minds, and spirits of every human being to deal with racism wherever it may be.

NCJW is a founding member of Women Confronting Racism, which put the conference together. The conference was intended to be just the beginning of an ongoing discussion about racism - with future discussions stimulated and augmented by movies, books, lectures and presentations.

If you would like to be part of any or all of the upcoming discussions on racism, please call the NCJW office (248-355-3300, ext. 0) and we'll put you on the email list for future events.

**Our New Website
has Arrived!
Please visit
www.ncjwmi.org**

NCJW | MI is Going Green

Don't miss out on all of the events, programs, and volunteer opportunities available to you at NCJW | MI.

Our Bulletins are sent out four times a year, but in between Bulletins, emails are sent to keep you current on opportunities for participation. We do not have email addresses for half of our members. If you do not receive our Dates 2 Remember or Time to Share Volunteer Opportunity eblasts, please email mail@ncjwmi.org and you will be added to our e-list. Sending emails saves money for our Section as well as trees. We can use the money saved to provide more community services for women, children, and families.

Thank you in advance for helping us Go Green and keep you informed at the same time.



NCJW|MI BACKPACK PROJECT

Are you looking for a fulfilling few hours in July? Join us from 10:00am to noon on July 25th and July 26th in Suite 100. On the 25th we will be organizing the school supplies and on the 26th, in only a few hours, about 1,500 school bags will be filled to benefit kids through Oakland Schools and Jewish Family Service. Individuals and families of all ages are welcome and community service hours can be earned. We hope to see you there!

Chairs: Deede Auster, Jan Goldfarb, Amy Zeskind



Shoes to Share is a wonderful community service program that NCJW|MI has been offering for several

years. Volunteers place collection boxes in public schools and houses of worship. We collect gently used shoes for men, women, and children of all ages. The shoe collection drive will take place on October 10th through October 29th and the shoe sorting will take place in room 100 downstairs from the NCJW office from November 5th through November 16th. We hope to have all the shoes picked up or delivered to agencies that can distribute them to people in need by the end of November.

We are putting together a Shoes to Share Committee, a group of NCJW women who will take part in the distribution of cartons, the supervision of shoe collection at these various sites, and bringing the cartons and shoes to room 100 when the collection is over. This committee will help with shoe sorting and distribution of the shoes to the agencies. Our first meeting of this committee will be at 9:30am on Wednesday, September 12th at the NCJW office.

Please contact us if you would like to be part of this committee and help out with Shoes to Share.

Chairs: Gail Katz, Jeannie Weiner



SAVE THE DATE:

GROW (Girls Reaching Outward) CONTEST:

**What: Create 30 Second
Public Service Announcement**

Why: Gun Violence Prevention

Who: High School Girls in Oakland County

**When: Applications available in September,
Entries due November 21
Prizes awarded December 9**

More information to follow...

SAVE THE DATE

Women of Vision 2018

**Thursday,
October 11, 2018**

**New Venue!
Adat Shalom
Synagogue**



CECILE RICHARDS

Pro-choice activist who has served as the President of the Planned Parenthood Federation of America and President of the Planned Parenthood Action Fund since 2006.

**Josephine S. Weiner
Community Service Award
M. CATHERINE CANTOR**
NCJW Activist



**Woman of Vision Award
MONNI MUST**
Celebrated
Photographer



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would like to support the work
of NCJW|MI.**

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Back again by popular demand!

"Play a hand to lend a hand"

YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR 9TH ANNUAL GAMES DAY LUNCHEON



Presented by NCJW|MI "Snowbirds" Committee

**Wednesday, July 18, 2018
11:00 am-4:00 pm**

Congregation Beth Ahm
5075 W Maple Rd
West Bloomfield

To benefit NCJW|MI youth projects

BRING:

- your own foursome and the game of your choice: card, tile, or board games (please indicate game choice upon reservation)
- gently used handbags and costume jewelry for council re|sale shop

COST:

\$50 per person

RSVP with payment by Wednesday, July 11

Please send payment for your entire table to NCJW|MI, 26400 Lahser Road Suite #306, Southfield, MI 48033, or register and pay online www.NCJWMI.org, or call the office (248)355-3300 ext. 0

Chairs: Rosalie Dean, Enid Schatz

Snowbirds Committee:

Margie Ansell	Sandy Leshman
Linda Berlin	Marilyn Levine
Edie Broida	Anita Naftaly
Judi Freund	Joyce Rubenstein
Lois Granader	Deane Safir
Ellen Labes	Mary Schwartz
Sandy Lefkowsky	Fran Uzansky

BE OUR GUEST

All Kids Playground 15th Anniversary Celebration



Sunday, July 15th

11:00am — 1:30pm

at

All Kids Playground

Hess Hathaway Park

825 S Williams Lake Rd, Waterford

**Come celebrate with
Ice cream, Pizza and Hayrides!**

So we can plan accordingly RSVP by July 11th

(248)355-3300 ext.0



All Kids Playground is Metro Detroit's first fully integrated, universally accessible playground. The playground accommodates all children regardless of their physical, sensory, and/or developmental limitations. It affords all children challenges at their highest level of functioning. All Kids Playground is a project of National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan.



KOSHER MEALS ON WHEELS

Provides two nutritious kosher meals five days a week to those unable to provide for themselves or who have no one to assist them with meal preparation. Meals are packaged and delivered from the kitchen of Jewish Senior Life Prentiss Apartments by volunteers of National Council of Jewish Women, Michigan. The kitchen is under the supervision of the Council of Orthodox Rabbis of Greater Detroit.

If you or someone you know is over 60 and...

- temporarily unable to prepare meals following hospital stay
- disabled and unable to provide meals for themselves
- homebound without someone in their home to help with meals
- elderly needing assistance maintaining independence in their home

... then Meals on wheels is the answer.

If you are interested in receiving Meals on Wheels, or for more information please call 248-592-2313

This program is provided in cooperation with Jewish Family Service and Jewish Senior Life. Funding is provided by Area Agency on Aging 1-B through the Office of Services to the Aging, and funding through the federal Older Americans Act in compliance with Title V of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, with support from DeRoy Testamentary Foundation and individual donations.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO PACK AND DELIVER MEALS please call 248-967-0967

MEMBERSHIP

These days NCJW is buzzing with excitement regarding membership! We are making plans to reach out throughout Michigan, attract new members, and reconnect with current members. If you have suggestions and/or would like to be a part of the Membership Committee, we would welcome your ideas and participation. Together we can help to build an even stronger NCJW | MI.

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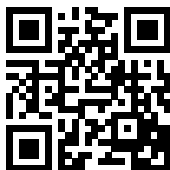
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Monday, September 3	Labor Day
Monday, Sep. 10- Tuesday, Sep. 11.....	Rosh Hashanah
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