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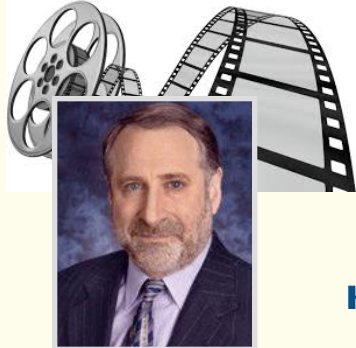
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Greater Philadelphia Section

Bulletin

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October 2017

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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON & VENDOR BOUTIQUE

Tuesday October 24, 2017 10:00 a.m.
Philmont Country Club

301 Tomlinson Rd., Huntingdon Valley, PA

BOUTIQUE SHOPPING and HORS D'OEUVRES until noon

Couvert: \$55 Members \$60 Guests

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Film Critic Bill Wine
"Best-Seller Cinema"

Movie Lovers Alert !!!

Bill Wine has been KYW Newsradio's movie critic since 2001. You can hear Bill's "Weekend Book Office", his "Movie Grapevine" and his live recap of new releases on KYW. Bill's podcasts "Yada Yada Movies" can be accessed at KYW News On Demand.

Wine is a professor at La Salle University, where he teaches film and writing courses. He is also a produced and published playwright.

Bill has served as a film, theatre, television and book critic for such publications as the Village Voice, the Camden Courier-Post, the Philadelphia Daily News, and the Philadelphia Inquirer. His articles, essays, and reviews have appeared in numerous magazines and film books. Bill Wine received three Emmy awards and eight Emmy nominations for his writing.



YOU BE THE JUDGE

Beth Sholom Congregation Tuesday, October 17, 2017, 6:45 pm to 9:00 pm

National Council of Jewish Women Greater Philadelphia Section invites you to take part in an extraordinary experience:

- Hear the Honorable Marjorie O. Rendell, Senior Judge on the PA's 3rd Circuit Court of Appeals, share her inside views.
- Take a free crash course on how our federal judiciary works, and how vital it is to our way of life.

- Play the part of a federal judge on a panel, and discuss and decide on an important case.
- Discover ways to ensure that lifetime appointments to the federal bench will be fair, independent, and diverse.

Register online by Oct. 13: <https://goo.gl/forms/uJCMMMWPkRjpgfx22>

In the news

Barbara Nussbaum, NCJW Greater Philadelphia Section President, addresses our resolve to aid hurricane victims in Houston. (Page 2)

Nancy Kaufman, NCJW CEO, addresses the DACA program in imminent peril. (Page 3)

President's Message

October, in our Jewish calendar, is the time of our Sukkot rejoicing. We are supposed to be exposed to the elements in the greenery of covered huts commemorating our ancestors being sheltered as they traveled from Egypt to the Promised Land. While this is normally, a joyous holiday, I cannot help but think of so many people who have and will be suffering from the terrible floods of Hurricane Harvey.

So many people have lost their sheltered homes and the greenery of their environment. Will they be able to celebrate this lovely holiday? We, however, at NCJW, are always looking for ways to help out when needed and are and will be doing so over the next month. One of the basic principles of NCJW is the protection, preservation and restoration of the environment.

Our NCJW sisters in Houston are keeping us informed as to how we can help. Our NCJW Mission speaks of our work helping women, children and families, identifying challenges, and providing support at the local level. NCJW Greater Philadelphia Board of Directors has decided to provide some financial support to aid the Houston area that will do just that.

In addition to being responsive to those needs, our local NCJW will be offering you, our members and volunteers, exciting programs and community service activities over the next month. Our annual Membership luncheon will be honoring our members on October 24 with a keynote speaker, vendor boutiques, an opportunity to raise funds for our local NCJW and an opportunity to meet other dynamic women. **(see enclosed flyer)** Judy Fried, Wendy Rader, Sandy Fryer and Harriet Winokur, our Membership team, have been working hard on this event for months now. PLEASE be sure to join us and bring your friends. Bring with you a New Member. I know she will be so happy to join us. October 17, in the evening, we will be offering the community a special opportunity. NCJW has planned an event that will bring together other organizations to form a partnership with us as we discover ways to ensure that lifetime appointments to the federal bench are fair and diverse. Our guest will be the Honorable Marjorie O. Rendell. Daily we hear rhetoric, varied policy statements and executive orders that concern us and can endanger our civil rights. Let us all participate in this event so we can be educated and vocal when we must be. Again, PLEASE see the **enclosed flyer** that will give details, high-light our partnership organizations and meet the fantastic committee that has been organizing this new event.

Each of our events will offer you the opportunity to: choose a community service volunteer activity, become active with our advocacy team, and join us at our exciting monthly programs, book clubs and TASTE of CULTURE day. We will be distributing materials so others can learn more about our wonderful organization and the various ways, one can participate and be actively involved.

Again, I look forward to seeing you in September and October.



Barbara

Barbara Nussbaum

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Center City Book Club

Wednesday, September 13th at 7 P.M.

No Ordinary Time by Doris Kerns Goodman

Afternoon Book Club

Thursday, September 28 *The German Girl*

by Armando Lucas Correa.

Location TBD

If you are interested in joining us, please contact

Joyce at barryjoy@AOL.com

Evening Book Club

Wednesday, Sept. 27

Behold the Dreamers by Imbolo Mbue

RSVP to our hostess, Charlotte Schwartz at
215-643-7542 or charlottes@comcast.net

Wednesday, October 25

A Gentleman From Moscow by Amor Towles

RSVP to Maxine Dalsemer at 215-635-4784 or
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Our Book Clubs are on our website

ncjwphiladelphia.org

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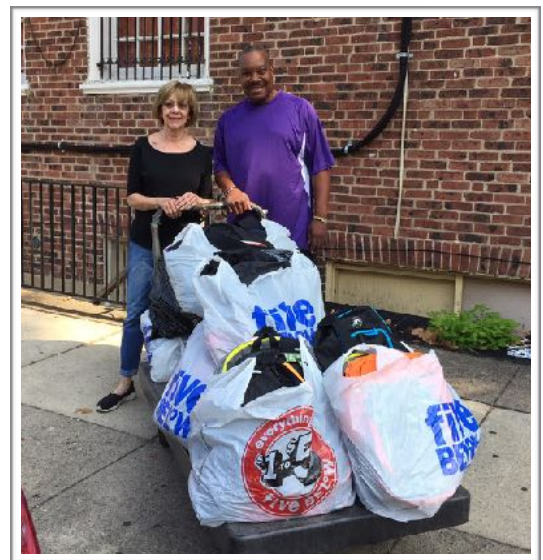
As guest columnist for the JEWISH CHRONICLE, NCJW CEO Nancy Kaufman addressed the pending plight of “nearly 800,000 kids” who five years ago had been “given a reprieve from deportation from DACA” (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals). These young people face imminent peril as ten State Attorneys General have together threatened President Trump with a lawsuit if he does not, by Sept.5, rescind the policy still protecting them from deportation. As Nancy notes, these are children and young adults who became assimilated in our communities and have little or no memories of their countries of origin. Some face the prospect of separation from their siblings born here.

Nancy Kaufman’s most compelling case is the moral one: “As Jews, we are taught in our ancient texts to welcome the stranger; and from our history we know what it feels like to be expelled from one’s homeland.”

She concludes her writing with exhorting us to “push back against xenophobia and racism that too often cloud the making of immigration policy.” As Nancy Kaufman says, “it’s the right thing to do.”



Charlotte Schwartz’s table decor can be described as “school chic”. Here NCJW volunteers fill an array of school bags with copybooks, pencils, and erasers for students attending our adopted school, Benjamin Franklin Elementary.



Charlotte Schwartz and Benjamin Franklin staff member, Mr. Brell, happily display a very full cart of school supplies that will be of great use to Franklin students.

VOLUNTEER and/or CONTRIBUTE



Prepare breakfast for patients and their families as part of our NCJW Guest Chef Program at the Philadelphia Ronald McDonald House

Five Sunday mornings this year September 10 November 12 December 3
March 4 April. 8

Please give me at least 2 weeks notice on date(s) you can participate. Thank you.
Zelda Stern 215 947 2348

Support Holocaust survivors and rescuers as they continue to educate school children throughout the Delaware Valley.



NCJW is asking anyone with a few hours to spare to sign up to The Holocaust Awareness Museum and Education Center. The center will be happy to train anyone who is willing to help whether it means driving and/or facilitating. Please contact me. I will be happy to share details with you. Thank you,

Susan Horwitz horwitzsusan@yahoo.com

Bring supplies for Dawn's Place

Household cleaners, laundry soap, dish liquid, paper napkins, paper towels, toilet paper (single-ply only!), personal grooming products.... also NEW single bed sheets and non-perishable food coffee creamer.

Welcome to New Member

Linda Rosenfeld

As membership vice-presidents, we welcome our new members to call us regarding any questions you may have.

Do You Know a Prospective Member? Please contact:

Wendy Rader at WRBarbieGirl50@gmail.com 215 657-9347 or Judy Fried at judyfried38@gmail.com 215 245-1309

We will be delighted to send out membership packets.

Please LIKE us on our Facebook page

Search our full name "National Council Of Jewish Women Greater Philadelphia Section"

Check out the NCJW Action Center at

http://action.ncjw.org/site/PageServer?pagename=NCJW_homepage

For over a century, NCJW has been at the forefront of social change. NCJW members and supporters are outspoken champions for progressive policies at the federal, state, and local levels. Over the years, NCJW's collective voice has changed the world for the better -- impacting the lives of women, children, and families in the US and Israel.

Learn more. Speak out. And make your mark on history.

Condolences to:

Wendy Rader on the loss of her aunt, Esta Amster.

SAVE THE DATE

Tuesday September 26. 11 a.m.

Women in Politics-Are We Making Headway?

Keneseth Israel (Luncheon)

Wednesday, October 11 10:30 a.m.

Tour: Museum of the American Revolution

Tuesday, October 17 7p.m.

You Be The Judge featuring Judge Marjorie O. Rendell

Beth Sholom Synagogue

Tuesday October 24 10:00 a.m.

Membership Luncheon and vendor boutique

Philmont Country Club

Speaker: Film Critic, Bill Wine

“Best-Seller Cinema”

Wednesday, November 15

Trivia Night- BY POPULAR DEMAND!!!

Tavern on Pine

Tuesday, November 21 12:45 p.m.

Movie Day – “Iron Jawed Angels”

The Story of Alice Paul

& the American Suffragette Movement

Free program Popcorn Included

Keneseth Israel

Tuesday, December 19

Teresa Maebori

A Japanese American Tells Her Story

Why It is Especially Important Today

Keneseth Israel (Luncheon)

Program Details TO BE ANNOUNCED, But Save the Dates!

- Tuesday, January 16, 2018
- Tuesday, March 6, 2018
- Wednesday, April 11, 2018 (Evening Program)
- Thursday, May 3 2018 *Painting with a Twist*
- Tuesday, May 8, 2018
- Tuesday, June 5, 2018 (Closing Luncheon)

If you have changed your address, phone number and/or email or if you hear of a member's passing, please contact Harriet Winokur via email at harrietwinokur@gmail.com

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Roz Fudell. 267-419-8525

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~Photographs of member events supporting our goals

~An archive of NCJW Bulletins

~Legislative and Advocacy updates and opportunities

~Notices and flyers for our fund-raising events

~Book Club links

We welcome your ideas to broaden our content!

www.ncjwphiladelphia.org

Celebrating a simcha or have one you would like the NCJW to recognize? What a great way to share by making a donation to our Section. Send your donation to: Pearl Tragash (215) 542 0595. We will make a note of it. An acknowledgement to you and the recipient is our pleasure.

HELPING HANDS

Thanks to Judy Blumberg, Elaine Coren, Selma Kaufman, Wendy Rader, Zelda Stern and Judy Wenzel, who went right to work after our book club discussion so that our section's NCJW Bulletin could arrive at our members' homes before the end of August. Our focused and determined "assembly line", labeling and stamping the September bulletins, got the job done under an hour.



What great teamwork!!!
Sandra Fryer

Test your memory (once again) at

Trivia Night

Wednesday, November 15th, at 6:30 pm

Tavern on Pine

2840 Pine Road

Huntingdon Valley, PA 19006 (near Philmont CC)

Benefit NCJW by joining us for a fun-filled night of team competition, camaraderie and prizes. Bring your spouses and friends.

\$15 per person to play

Dinner on your own from open menu

Mail your check payable to NCJW along with names of participants by November 1st to:

Joan Sax
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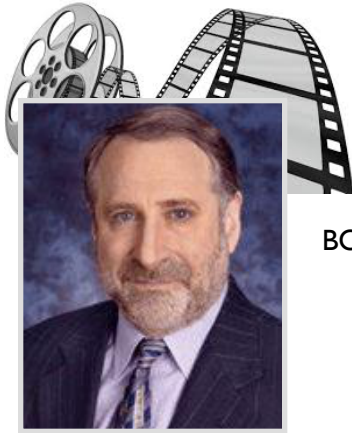
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To guarantee seating requests, please mail check, made out to NCJW by October 10, 2017 to:

Harriet Winokur, 732 Johns Lane, Ambler, PA 19002

Any questions call Membership Vice Presidents Judy Fried at 215 245-1309 or Wendy Rader at 215 657-9347

Please bring school supplies to be donated to Philadelphia elementary schools

NAME _____ PHONE _____

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING FOR YOURSELF AND EACH OF YOUR GUESTS

Chicken Francaise in a Parmesan Herb Crust with a Lemon Caper Sauce

NAMES:

Grilled Filet of Salmon with Hoisin Glaze

NAMES:

Pasta Primavera

NAMES:

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Please seat me with:



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When: Tuesday, October 17, 2017, 6:45 pm to 9:00 pm

Where: Beth Sholom Congregation (the landmark synagogue on Rte. 611, designed by Frank Lloyd Wright)
8231 Old York Road, Elkins Park, PA 19027 - Fischman Auditorium
Light refreshments will be served.

The National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW) is a 501(c)(3) grassroots organization of volunteers and advocates who turn progressive ideals into action.

Donations toward NCJW's educational programs will be welcome at the event.

Register online by Oct. 13: <https://goo.gl/forms/ujCMMMWPkrJpgfx22>

Questions? Call 215-302-3586 and leave a message. A member of NCJW will get back to you.

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**The National Council of Jewish Women
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Taste of Culture

Museum of the American Revolution

3rd & Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, PA
Wednesday, October 11 10:30am

\$47 Members \$52 Guests

Visit Philadelphia's newest major museum, with its expansive collection of art, manuscripts and printed works from the nation's Revolutionary Period. Through immersive exhibitions and priceless artifacts, the museum traces the evolution of the colonies to the final war victory that led to a new nation. There are 31 different audiovisual experiences which include theaters, major interactive screens and soundscapes.

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Send your check payable to NCJW
and luncheon choice by September 25 to:

Lee Tonik,
8708 Prospect Ave., Unit D-12
Philadelphia, PA 19118

Questions?

Joan Sax at 215-947-9166 joansax@comcast.net
Lee Tonik at 267-428-5195 leetonik@comcast.net

Name _____

Guests' Names _____

Menu Choices:

- A) _____ **Fried Green Tomato Grilled Cheese**
sharp cheddar, pimento cheese, balsamic, country white
- B) _____ **Lion Burger**
butter lettuce, heirloom tomatoes, house made pickles
- C) _____ **Fried chicken Sandwich**
country fried chicken, lettuce, heirloom tomato. buttermilk ranch, baguette
- D) _____ **Lion Salad**
chicken, carrot, cucumber, heirloom cherry tomatoes, white peach balsamic

Each entree has choice of fries _____ or side salad _____

The National Council of Jewish Women
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Matinee Movie & Theater Snacks
Tuesday, November 21, 2017 12:45 pm

***Iron Jawed Angels:
The Story of Alice Paul
and the American Suffragettes Movement***

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