



## SHABBAT TOLDOT 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> November 2011



Shabbat Shalom and welcome to Alei Tzion!

Please see below for details for our exciting programme of events or look at our website at [www.aleitzion.co.uk](http://www.aleitzion.co.uk) Rav: Rabbi Daniel Roselaar, [rav@aleitzion.co.uk](mailto:rav@aleitzion.co.uk) / 07914 883 269

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### In this week's email:

- Mazal tov!
- SHRAZ – Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November
- Alei Tzion Mitzvah Day
- 'Jewish History in a flash' – Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December
- Paddington Bear is back this week
- Still looking for a Kiddush sponsor for this week!

**Further down:** Changes to this week's learning and shiurim, Shabbat and davening times, children's services, Kiddush, hospitality and membership information.

### MAZAL TOV!

- Mazal tov to Lauren and Neil Hamburger on the birth of a baby boy. (If you happen to be in New York, the Shalom Zachor will take place from 8pm-10pm at 247 W 87th, #22A.)

### SHRAZ – THIS SUNDAY NIGHT

Shraz ('Shanim Rishonot @ Alei Tzion') will take place this Sunday night at 34 Alba Gardens, NW11 9NR. Dessert and drinks provided! Please email Anna ([anna.rb.may@googlemail.com](mailto:anna.rb.may@googlemail.com)) or Alan ([alanlevenson@gmail.com](mailto:alanlevenson@gmail.com)) if you are planning to come or if you would like more details.

### ALEI TZION MITZVAH DAY



Well done to the community's Mitzvah Day volunteers who painted two rooms at the Marie Curie Hospice in Hampstead. (If anyone needs any painting done at home, I'm sure they'd be willing to help!)

Here's a photo of some of our volunteers with the Chief Rabbi Lord Sacks and His Excellency Mr Daniel Taub, Israeli Ambassador to the UK.

### 'JEWISH HISTORY IN A FLASH' – THURSDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

Rav Ronnie Halibard's presentation contextualising 6000 years of Jewish history in one hour will take place on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 8.30pm. Rav Ronnie's work has been enthusiastically received in Israel, the UK and throughout North America. We are therefore delighted to have him at Alei Tzion. Suggested donation of £5. Please RSVP to Eli Bauernfreund – [elibauernfreund@gmail.com](mailto:elibauernfreund@gmail.com).

### PADDINGTON BEAR IS BACK

Paddington Bear is back in shul. There will be storytime for children after Maariv this week and on 9<sup>th</sup> December and 23<sup>rd</sup> December.

## THIS WEEK'S KIDDUSH

This week's kiddush is currently unsponsored and we are looking for someone to step up! If you wish to sponsor this week's or a future Kiddush, please contact [guvlebens@gmail.com](mailto:guvlebens@gmail.com) or to sponsor a Shabbat Mevarchim Single Malt please contact [steeldanny@hotmail.com](mailto:steeldanny@hotmail.com).

## SHABBAT AND DAVENING TIMES

Shabbat begins / Shabbat ends	3:45pm / 4:51pm
Mincha and Kabbalat Shabbat	3:45pm
Shabbat – Hashkama Minyan	7:45am
Shacharit	9:15am
Sof Zman Kriyat Shema	9:41am
Early Mincha	12:30pm
Mincha (followed by a shiur)	3:45pm
Maariv – Motzei Shabbat	4:51pm
Shacharit – Sunday (Rosh Chodesh)	8:15am
Mincha and Maariv – Sunday	3:50pm
Shacharit – Monday and Thursday	6:50am
Shacharit – Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday	7:00am
Mincha – Monday-Thursday	12:30pm
Maariv – Monday-Thursday	7:30pm

## LEARNING AND SHIURIM

- Shabbat morning: 8:30 am – private learning. **There will be no halacha chabura this week.**
- **The Rabbi will give a shiur after the Hashkama minyan**
- **The main minyan will also be followed by a shiur on Seudah Shlishit & the Short Shabbat**
- Shabbat afternoon between Mincha and Maariv – the Rabbi will give a shiur on the 4th perek of Massechet Brachot
- MD Spitzer's Gemara shiur will be taking place on Monday night at 8.45pm. **The shiur will be starting the 4th perek of Kerisos this week - the subject matter is new so no previous attendance at shiur required.**
- The Rabbi's Tuesday morning breakfast shiur, 7.35-8am, will take place on Massechet Sofrim
- The Rabbi's Tuesday evening parsha shiur **will not take place this week**

## CHILDREN'S SERVICES

- Children's supervision with Benji in Room 1 from 9.15-10.45am. Under 3's require supervision.
- Under 5s service will start **before Mussaf, at approx 10.50am** in Room 1 and will include fun, games, tefillah and songs led by Leah Silverman. All under 2's must be supervised by an adult.
- The Over 5s Service **starts after kedusha, at approx 11am** in the Refectory led by David Tapnack.

## SHABBAT HOSPITALITY

If you would like to be hosted this Shabbat, please contact [miramlevenson@gmail.com](mailto:miramlevenson@gmail.com).

## MEMBERSHIP AND TCM

Members who have historically renewed their membership in September each year would have received an invoice covering a one-off 16 month period to December 2012 to bring everyone in line with a January-December billing cycle. We would be grateful if these could be attended to as soon as possible.

We are of course always seeking new members of the Shul together with those that qualify to join via TCM. If you would like to know more or to discuss the various options please contact Neil Maurice on [membership@aleitzion.co.uk](mailto:membership@aleitzion.co.uk) or visit our membership page on <http://www.aleitzion.co.uk/membership.php>