

JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE

Since 1952 JCFS Winnipeg has been a lifeline for our community offering a vast variety of services for our most vulnerable community members.

Our Services

- Mental Health & Addictions Supports Services
- Counselling
- Child Welfare
- Foster Care and Adoption
- Financial Empowerment
- Older Adult Services
- Holocaust Survivor Services
- Settlement Services
- Student Training
- Family Life Education
- Chaplaincy
- Volunteering

THANK YOU to the Jewish Federation of Manitoba, The Asper Foundation, Jewish National Fund, and our generous donors for sponsoring this powerful and empowering event.

Support our multiple services through the JCFS Annual Supporters Campaign.

PLEASE JOIN OUR 2023 ANNUAL SUPPORTERS CAMPAIGN

COMMUNITY
COMUNIDAD קהילה СООБЩЕСТВО

HOPE
ESPERANZA תקווה НАДЕЖДА

UNITY
UNIDAD יחידה ЄДИНІСТЬ

Community for Community

Donate Now!

1. SCAN THIS QR CODE
2. CLICK ON THIS LINK
3. CALL 204.477.7430

Thanks to YOU,
we are always HERE!

JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives in Keeping with Jewish Values



FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT JCFS AT 204-477-7430
EMAIL US: JCFS@JCFSWINNIPEG.ORG
OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE: [HTTPS://WWW.JCFSWINNIPEG.ORG/](https://www.jcfswinnipeg.org/)

**WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY 24
7 - 9 PM CST**

CANADIAN MUSEUM FOR HUMAN RIGHTS
85 ASPER WAY
WINNIPEG, MB



Jewish Child and Family Service Presents

HEAR OUR VOICES Sexual and Gender-Based VIOLENCE in the October 7th HAMAS TERROR ATTACK

Break the Silence!

DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED!

All monies raised will be used for programming offered by JCFS Winnipeg to benefit women and girls.



BELIEVE OUR WOMEN

HEAR OUR VOICES Sexual and Gender-Based VIOLENCE in the October 7th HAMAS TERROR ATTACK Break the Silence!

On Wednesday, January 24th (7 p.m. CST) JCFS Winnipeg brings a live audience and live-streamed discussion on anti-feminist violence and misogyny in the Hamas Terror Attacks on Israel on October 7th. This event is the first of its kind in Canada.

Hear Our Voices features a moderated discussion between **Gail Asper**, distinguished lawyer and noted philanthropist, and **Ayelet Razin Bet Or**, noted women's rights expert and former Director for Israel's Authority for the Advancement and Status of Women in the Ministry of Social Equality. **Ayelet** was instrumental in the coordination of the Israeli Advocacy on this issue at the United Nations.

This event, held at the **Canadian Museum for Human Rights**, will explore the gender-based violence in the Hamas attacks. Utilizing compelling testimony and evidence, our guided conversation will examine how gender-based violence, including sexual assault, was utilized as a tool of terror. Our speakers will discuss the global silence on the atrocities experienced Israeli women in these attacks, and how this silence has impacted Jewish women (and men) worldwide. Finally, **Hear Our Voices** bears witness and ensures the victims stories are heard.

There is limited in-person seating available for this event. The event will also be livestreamed nationally and internationally.



Our Emcee and Moderator: GAIL ASPER

Gail Asper, O.C., O.M., LL.D., Chair, The Asper Foundation

Gail Asper, a proud Winnipegger, obtained her B.A. and LL.B. from the University of Manitoba, Canada and practiced corporate and commercial law before becoming the President of The Asper Foundation in 2003.

Gail is currently the Chair of the Board and a Trustee of The Asper Foundation, a private Canadian charitable foundation which spearheaded the establishment of the Canadian Museum for Human Rights (CMHR). She served on the Board of the CMHR until 2023 and continues as an Honorary Board Member. She is also a Board Member of the Friends of CMHR where she led the \$150 million private sector National Capital Campaign for the Museum.

Gail currently is a member of the Board of Directors of the Shaarey Synagogue of Winnipeg and is a Member of the Executive of the Board of Governors of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. She has served on the Boards and chaired campaigns of numerous not-for-profit groups such as the Royal Manitoba Theatre Centre, the United Way of Winnipeg, the National Arts Centre Foundation, the Combined Jewish Appeal Campaign of Winnipeg, the Jewish Federation of Winnipeg and Jewish Child and Family Service.

Gail has received numerous awards for her community service including the Jewish Federation of Winnipeg's Max and Mollie Shore Memorial Award, The Nellie McClung Foundation's Manitoba 150 Women Trailblazer Award, the Canadian Bar Association's President's Award and the Israel Bonds Israel 66 Award.

She has received four Honorary Doctorates including from the University of Manitoba and The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and was awarded the Queen's Golden and Diamond Jubilee Medal. She also has received the Order of Manitoba and has been inducted as an Officer of the Order of Canada.

She is married to Dr. Michael Paterson and has two wonderful sons, Stephen and Jonathan and an adorable Golden Doodle, Darwin.



Our Guest Speaker: AYELET RAZIN BET OR

Ayelet Razin Bet Or holds a graduate degree in Law and Criminology from Hebrew University and specialized in criminal law at the Jerusalem District Attorney's Office. In 2004, she began volunteering at Israel's Association of Assistance Centers for Victims of Sexual Assault and at the Public Defender's Office.

This familiarity with the field of sexual vulnerability and its consequences led to long-term specialization in the field of combating sexual violence, gender-based violence, and women's rights. Upon finishing her work at the Prosecutor's Office, she was appointed the legal advisor of the Association of Assistance Centers for Victims of Sexual Assault. She led various public advocacy initiatives on the issue of violence against women, including the long-standing lobbying for the approval of Israel's Electronic Surveillance Law. In addition, Ayelet worked to establish public committees and initiated the writing of public reports on law enforcement and the rights of crime victims. In 2022, she was appointed to the position of CEO of Israel's Authority for the Advancement of the Status of Women in the Ministry of Social Equality. Her duties and responsibilities included: building an overall strategic plan to advance the status of women at the national level and working with the various government ministries and civil society organizations within the field; promoting legislation on gender equality; combating violence and discrimination against women; and promoting adequate representation for women in all areas of life and in decision-making centers.

Most recently, Ayelet was instrumental in coordinating the important milestone advocacy at the United Nations, which validated and paved the way for a global acknowledgement of the horrific gender-based sexual violence perpetrated during the October 7th, 2023 Hamas terror attacks on Israel.

HEAR OUR VOICES PLANNING COMMITTEE

Al Benarroch - Executive Director JCFS
Alexis Wenzowski - Director of Operations
Einat Paz - Manager of Volunteer Services
Deb Stern - Development Officer - Donor Relations
Adriana Vegh-Levy - Development Officer - Marketing
Mara Pellettieri - Office Manager
Mazi Frank - Administrative Support Worker
Indira Perez-Sanchez - Administrative Support Worker

OUR SPONSORS

Jewish Federation of Winnipeg
The Asper Foundation
Jewish National Fund

OUR PARTNERS

Cherry Tree Productions
Nik Rave Photo
Unigraphics
Screen Design & Graphics
Modern Promotions
Pickaflor

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We thank Barbara Nepinak for delivering the Treaty Land acknowledgement before our program.

Barbara Nepinak, a member of Pine Creek First Nation is a retired mother/grandmother of 35 yrs of federal public service.

Barbara is active in the Urban and surrounding areas serving on Advisory Councils and Boards as Elder and Cultural Advisor.



ABOUT JCFS HISTORY OF JCFS

In the early years of the Winnipeg Jewish community, Jewish social services were delivered through an informal network of soup kitchens, free dispensaries, and landmanshaften. That network was eventually replaced by more formal institutions, including the Esther Robinson Jewish Orphanage and Children's Aid Society; the United Hebrew Relief of Winnipeg; the Kneseth Israel Sisterhood; and the National Council of Jewish Women Social Service Department. In 1942, these separate initiatives amalgamated into the United Hebrew Social Service Bureau, later renamed the Jewish Family Service Bureau of Winnipeg. In 1952, the Bureau merged with the Jewish Children's Home and Aid Society to create Jewish Child and Family Service (JCFS).

Since then, JCFS has been the primary provider of social services to the Winnipeg Jewish community, offering an array of counselling, education and support programs to help clients cope with a diverse range of challenges and situations. JCFS currently offers family and individual counselling, older adult supports, child welfare services, foster care and adoption services, immigration and resettlement services, and mental health and addictions support. As a centralized multi-service agency, JCFS is constantly responding to community needs and expanding its services and programs whenever necessary.



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives in Keeping with Jewish Values

JCFS is located on Treaty 1 territory, the ancestral lands of the Anishinaabe, Cree, Oji-Cree, Dakota, Dene People, and the homeland of the Métis Peoples.

We support calls by Indigenous peoples and Canadians alike for the implementation of Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action.



Our Executive Director: AL BENARROCH

It is bittersweet to bring a greeting from JCFS to our event, Hear Our Voices: Sexual and Gender-Based Violence in the October 7th Hamas Terror Attack. I am grateful that we live in a country where this topic of violence against women can be openly addressed, and yet saddened that we are in a position to have to address it.

Jewish Child and Family Service (JCFS) prides itself as an agency that responds to the social and emotional needs of our community, and openly speaks out against the social injustices facing so many. In this way, we strengthen lives and remain true to the core values of Judaism. Since 1952, JCFS Winnipeg has advanced the agenda of gender equality, and always works to support those facing gender-based violence in all its forms.

The Hamas terror attacks of October 7th impacted the global Jewish world. This is undeniable. As the realities of the atrocities perpetrated came to light, especially the unconscionable sexual violence, the Jewish world reeled. An additional blow was the inexplicable silence of the world to acknowledge and call out this brutality. This is painful, and continues to be painful, which is only compounded by the silence and lack of support from the majority of women's rights groups.

A new layer of racialized antisemitic gender-based violence now faces Jewish women. It is a new reality for Jewish sisters, mothers, wives, and daughters worldwide. They now are forced to ponder that if they ever face gender-based violence that they may not be believed or supported. They are faced to consider that they may not even be welcome to share their experiences.

Let me be clear: ALL women matter. There is no place for gender-based and sexual violence. There is no context for it. JEWISH women matter!

JCFS is proud to welcome Ayelet Razin Bet Or and Gail Asper to help shed light on the realities of the Oct 7th attacks, their implications, and where we go from here.

JCFS and our partners are grateful to our many supporters, sponsors, and patrons for making this event possible. Thank you to all of our staff, volunteers, and attendees in Winnipeg and worldwide.

May we see the day when events such as this are a distant memory.

Al Benarroch, JCFS Executive Director



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives in Keeping with Jewish Values

OUR VISION

Jewish Child and Family Service strives to be the place in the community where all voices are heard and needs are realized.

OUR MISSION

Strengthening lives in keeping with Jewish values.



Our Board Chair: AL SHPELLER

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Jewish Child and Family Services, we welcome and thank you for attending (whether in-person or virtually) the Hear Our Voices program. We also appreciate the generous support of our donors and sponsors. Without them, this evening would not have been possible.

The act of Sexual and Gender – Based Violence is horrific. Regardless of your beliefs, race, sexual orientation, or religion, its victims should always be defended. Prior to October 7th we thought all civilized persons felt the same way. Your religion and beliefs should be irrelevant. Sadly, we have seen that large factions of the world does not feel this protection should apply to Jewish women. Why? The reasons are, as we say, “complicated”.

Thankfully we have our distinguished speaker, Ayelet Razin Bet Or, and our emcee and moderator, Gail Asper, to delve into the situation and make the reasons a little less complicated. We hope this evening we can Break the Silence, provide you with some new information and ask some difficult questions.

You may ask why our agency is presenting this topic for discussion in Winnipeg, and throughout North America. Our mission is “strengthening lives in keeping with Jewish values”, and our vision is to “strive to be the place in the community where all voices are heard, and needs are fulfilled”. We believe the world’s reaction to this atrocity impacts everyone, regardless of where they live and regardless of their religion, sexual orientation or beliefs.

We hope tonight’s discussion and conversations can help all of us.
Am Yisrael Chai.

Al Shpeller



- Iael Besendorf
- Matthiaas Kay
- Adeena Lungen
- Denise Rubin
- Brooke Zelcer

Our dedicated and caring Staff will be available should anyone feel a need to debrief during this difficult presentation.

THANK YOU
THANK YOU
VOLUNTEERS
THANK YOU
THANK YOU



**Chief Executive Officer
Jewish Federation of Winnipeg: JEFF LIEBERMAN**

Dear Friends,

The Jewish Federation of Winnipeg is proud to sponsor and support “Hear Our Voices: Sexual and Gender-Based Violence in the October 7th Hamas Terror Attacks”, organized by our partners at Jewish Child and Family Service.

“Hear Our Voices” is a call to action; a rallying cry for solidarity and empathy with those who were affected by the sexual and gender-based violence perpetrated by Hamas on October 7th.

Ayelet Razin Bet Or, noted women’s rights expert and former Director for Israel’s Authority for the Advancement and Status of Women in the Ministry of Social Equality, in conversation with Gail Asper, a visionary, respected Winnipeg lawyer, philanthropist, and Chair and Trustee of The Asper Foundation, will shed light on the sexual and gender-based violence of 10/7 that has gone largely unrecognized by the global community.

Through our collective participation, we contribute to breaking the silence surrounding the sexual and gender-based violence that took place on that dark day and ensure that the stories of the victims are acknowledged and heard.

It serves as a testament to our shared commitment to raising awareness, fostering dialogue, and standing united against the insidious forces that perpetrate sexual and gender-based violence.

Thank you for joining us in this crucial conversation, for your unwavering support, and for breaking the silence.

Never again means never again.

Jeff Lieberman



President and CEO of NJHSA: REUBEN D. ROTMAN

January 24, 2024

Dear Friends,

It is a special pleasure to acknowledge the leadership of JCFS Winnipeg in hosting Hear Our Voices: Sexual and Gender Based Violence in The October 7th Hamas Terror Attacks.

JCFS Winnipeg, in hosting this important community event, is helping to raise awareness of the horrific acts of violence that were directed at Israeli women on October 7th and in doing so is educating the community on the lasting trauma and suffering which the victims experienced.

As an active member of The Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies (The Network), JCFS Winnipeg joins with over 170 community-based Jewish human service agencies throughout Canada, the US and Israel that provide a range of critical services to communities, including specialized services for women and girls. Additionally, The Network membership includes member agencies that provide specialized services to address the needs of victims of domestic violence and of refugees who may have experienced extreme victimization resulting from their gender identity.

The Network is honored to join with JCFS Winnipeg in promoting this evening’s event and looks forward to continuing to work together to address the lasting impact of gender-based violence, which happens all too frequently throughout the globe.

With our wishes for a most successful and informative evening and in partnership,

Reuben D. Rotman
President & CEO





**MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FOR WINNIPEG SOUTH CENTRE:
BEN CARR**

I'm honoured to welcome each of you to Hear our Voices, a first of its kind event in Canada. Just by being here – to listen, learn and share your knowledge – you are playing a vital role in seeking gender justice. The violent and misogynistic attacks on Israeli women by Hamas on October 7th

serve as a stark reminder that gender-based violence is pervasive around the world. Gender-based violence is one of the deadliest and most deeply rooted human rights violations of our time. The use of gender-based violence as a tool of terrorism is reprehensible and intolerable. The only way to end gender-based violence is through concerted, tireless, and inspired action at all levels, from the grassroots and across multiple levels of Government. It is incumbent upon all elected officials to do everything in our power to end gender-based violence.

Hearing and believing victims is an important first step to stopping this violence. Dialogue, no matter how difficult, is imperative. The depths of the silence related to the atrocities experienced by Israeli women in these attacks is unacceptable. We continue to experience the effects of the October 7th attack in our city and in our communities.

I commend Gail Asper for moderating this conversation, and I welcome Ayelet Razin Bet Or to Winnipeg to share her insight and experience on Women's Rights and Gender Equity.

I wish you all a thoughtful, productive, and healing conversation together.

Sincerely,

Ben Carr
Member of Parliament, Winnipeg South Centre



**Ambassador of Israel to Canada:
H. E. IDDOH MOED**

Recorded greeting
broadcasted during the event.



**Former Ambassador of Canada to Israel:
DEBORAH LYONS**

Livestream message
broadcasted during the event.



EMPOWERING WOMEN & GIRLS

JCFS Winnipeg offers a host of programs that benefit women and girls every day.

From Rosh Chodesh Groups to Workshops to Counselling and beyond, these services benefit more than **2500 WOMEN and GIRLS per year.**

YOUR SUPPORT IS NEEDED!


All monies raised will be used for programming offered by JCFS Winnipeg to benefit Women and Girls.




JCFS invites YOU to a
FREE night out!

SURVIVING TO THRIVING

A Guide to Self Health





**SYLVIA
MARUSYK**

Sylvia Marusyk is everything you never knew you wanted in a public speaker.

The owner and innovative mind behind **MindBody Works Inc.** she will be sharing her knowledge from over 30 years experience in the health and safety field. She emphasizes that prevention is the key to creating healthy, happy individuals. Through the use of humour and her incredibly dynamic presentation style, Sylvia leaves audiences laughing, learning and going home with the tools and confidence to change their lives for the better.

With her expertise and humour, you will walk away with:


- An understanding of how stress affects the mind and body
- Specific tools to move from Surviving into Thriving
- Practical solutions to deal with the three universal triggers of stress
- An understanding of how to apply this new knowledge to reverse ageing.

Light refreshments will be served.


**Wednesday
JAN 31st**

7PM - 9PM

BERNEY THEATRE
Asper Community Campus
123 Doncaster St.




JEWISH FOUNDATION
OF MANITOBA



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives by Keeping with Jewish Values

**TO GET YOUR FREE TICKET
SCAN THE QR CODE OR
CALL 204.477.7430**



GUEST SPEAKER

ROSH CHODESH WOMEN'S GROUP

18 +

A monthly group for women
grounded in Jewish values

Together, in the Rosh Chodesh tradition,
we will explore the identity of the Jewish woman
today through mindfulness, wellness activities,
discussions, creative arts, and more.

Open to all women interested in furthering their
understanding of identity, self, and community.

WHEN Every First Thursday of each month
starting on JAN 25th

TIME 7-8:30 PM

WHERE Asper Jewish Community Campus
123 Doncaster St.

REGISTER
HERE
TODAY

WWW.JCFSWINNIPEG.ORG
CALL CARLA @ 204.477.7430
or SCAN the QR Code



JEWISH FOUNDATION
OF MANITOBA



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives in Keeping with Jewish Values

ROSH CHODESH TEEN GIRL'S GROUP

14 - 18

A free monthly group for
teenage girls grounded in Jewish values

Together, in the Rosh Chodesh tradition, we will explore
mindfulness, wellness, identity, and connection.

Through guided activities and discussions, participants
will gain insight into what it means to be a Jewish
woman, along with the tools for wellness in 2024.

WHEN Every First Monday of each month
starting on JAN 22nd
(*except statutory holidays)

TIME 7-8:30 PM

WHERE Asper Jewish Community Campus
123 Doncaster St.

REGISTER HERE TODAY

WWW.JCFSWINNIPEG.ORG
CALL CARLA @ 204.477.7430
or SCAN the QR Code



JEWISH FOUNDATION
OF MANITOBA



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICE
Strengthening Lives in Keeping with Jewish Values



*The Mental Health and Addiction Team
invites you to*

AN AWARENESS AND INFORMATION SESSION

In Concurrent Disorders

Concurrent disorders are co-occurring addiction and mental health issues which may present in a variety of ways. Knowing where to start and what to do can be challenging.



**FEB 5TH
6:30 PM**

**123 Doncaster Street
Multi-Purpose Room**

JCFS Concurrent Disorders
Information and Awareness
Session



Or call 204-477-7430

This session is open to anyone who may be concerned about their own mental health and addiction challenges, or anyone who is a concerned loved one, and is interested in learning more about how to navigate, what to do and what supports and services our mental health and addictions program has to offer

At JCFS, we are committed to providing our community with resources and programming to support mental health and wellness..

www.jcfswinnipeg.org

UNITY IN COMMUNITY
Trauma Support Group



FOR UNIVERSITY-AGE STUDENTS

For University Students, age 18 – 30, impacted by rising antisemitism and the conflict in Israel

When:
From March 6 to 27
6:15 PM – 7:45 PM

Where:
Asper Jewish Community Campus
123 Doncaster St.
Conference Room 1

TO REGISTER  **OR SCAN** 



THANK YOU
THANK YOU

SPONSORS & DONORS

THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU
THANK YOU

Guardian Angel - \$5400+

EVENT SPONSORS

- THE ASPER FOUNDATION

THE
ASPER
FOUNDATION

- JEWISH FEDERATION OF WINNIPEG



EVENT SPONSORS

- JEWISH NATIONAL FUND



Courageous Partner - \$1800 - \$5,399

Hope Ambassador - \$540 - \$1,799

SPONSORS

- JCFS Staff & Board



SPONSORS

- Reannah Hocken
- Brenda Tessler
"Never Again"
- Scott Wilson
Proudly Supports Elena Grinshteyn & Family
- Bridges for Peace
- Womens Collective Philanthropy Program Ottawa



Community Champion - \$360 - \$539

SPONSORS

- Lori Binder
- Brenlee Carrington Trepel K.C. & Brent Trepel
- Etz Chayim
- Chesed Shel Emes
- Maxa Chisick
- Louise Claman
- Gavriela Geller
- Gray Academy
- Cara Kroft
- Sofia Lisogorsky
- Lynne Oreck-Wener
- Einat Paz
- Kristie Pearson
- Rena Secter Albaze
- Temple Shalom
- Diane Shindleman
- Lewis & Debra Stern
In Loving Memory of Zora Stern Z"L
- Allyson & Jonathan Strauss
- Allyson Wenzowski
- Alexis Wenzowski
- Shaarey Zedek

SPONSORS



We thank all our SPONSORS for their invaluable SUPPORT!

Empowerment Advocate - \$180 - \$359

DONORS

- Harlan Abells
- Karen Ackerman
- Paula Agulnik
- Anne Alper
- Gail Archer Heese
- Sarah Asper
- Susan Asper
- Allison Axelrod
- David Azuelos
- P. Bager
- Sharon Bajer
- Joseph Benarroch
- Elaine Berliner
- Faren Bernstein
- Karina Biderman
- Martha Blouw
- Sabrina Bokser
- Donna Book
- Elizabeth Boroditsky
- Rebecca Brask
- Gail Cantor
- Laurelyn Cantor
- Michael Cantor
- Philipa Caplan
- Sarah Caspi
- Bonnie Cham
- Avrom Charach
- Gayle Charach
- Michelle Choch
- Sary Chochinov
- Jessica Cogan
- Sharon Cohen
- Julieta Cohen
- Patti Cohen
- Leah Craven
- Matthew Cutler
- Debbie Davis

- Elias Demissie
- Laura Diamond
- Michele Doctoroff
- Carol Duboff
- Patrick S. Elazar
- Raya Feiner
- Ruthcarol Feldman
- Lynne Fineman
- Rietta Floom
- Kat Fox
- Rochelle Fox
- David Freeman
- Susan Frig
- Carolina Fridman
- Daniel Friedman
- Janet Frohlich
- Heather Gillman
- Arnold Glass
- Aviva Goldberg
- Deborah Gray
- Carla Greenberg
- Paul Gronnerud
- Vivian Gutstadt
- Gayla Guttman
- Rishona Hyman
- Daniela Jacobsohn
- Nikki Kagan
- Simone Kallner
- Gerald Kandasamy
- Danna Kaplan
- Amy Karlinsky
- Brenda Kates
- Charles Khazzam
- Andrea Kohn
- Miriam Kohn
- Pamela Kravetsky
- Agustina Krivoy

- Lisa Kroft
- Elena Kushnir
- Shauna Labman
- David Lapidés
- Michael Lazar
- Cynthia Lazar
- Miriam Laber
- Sherry Lercher Davis
- Adriana & Sergio Levy
- Marina Lisak
- Roman Lisak
- Adeena Lungen
- Marcelo Mandelbaum
- Heather Meiklejohn
- Megan Meltzer
- Gloria Mendelson
- Irene Meyrowitz
- Reva Micflikier
- Cathy Moser
- Barb Neaman
- Jessica Neville
- Sarah Neville
- Elissa Neville
- Shayna Plaut
- Rocky Pollack
- Randee Pollock
- Dianne Popeski
- Louise & Lorne Raber
- Andrea Ritter
- Sid Robinovitch
- Leah Ross
- Donna Rubenstein
- Luis Rubin
- Gwen Satran
- Brent Schacter
- Alissa Schacter
- Isanne Schacter

- Vivian Schutt
- Al Shell
- Jerry Shrom
- Diane Sidebottom
- Cindy Singer
- Ray Singer
- Marlaina Sommer
- Shari Standil
- Freda Steel
- Karen Stern
- Leesa Streifler
- Lorena Sued
- Shayne Taback
- Candice Tenenbein
- Lindsay Teskey
- Kisti Thomas-Ring
- Sari Tudiver
- Rosario Vargas
- Viviana Vaserman
- Norman Velnes
- Pamela Vine
- Sherri Walsh
- Leslie Wilder
- Sindee Wilhelmer
- Brenda Yakir
- Sharon Zalik
- Harriet Zimmer





- Alexandra Blinder
- Angela Poleschuk
- Ariela Milner Eliyahu
- Becky Jacobs
- Daniel Faingold
- Dmitri Podrobinok
- Giora Pavis
- Jamileh Nasso
- Javier Gurfinkiel
- Jessica Cogan
- Kim Nozik
- Leonid Gofman
- Manitoba Israeli coalition
- Mark Broitman
- Max Brychka
- Maxim Poleschuk
- Nafiya Nasso
- Pam Bager
- Ricardo Kasztan
- Roni Asraf
- Tomer Solodar
- Vanesa Harari
- Vitaly Mezhirovsky
- Yaniv Birenboim
- Zehava Yehuda

Events of this magnitude cannot be done without the unconditional dedication and hard work of our volunteers.

THANK YOU
THANK YOU
VOLUNTEERS
THANK YOU
THANK YOU

IT IS NEVER TOO LATE TO DONATE!

SORRY IF WE MISSED YOU!

We apologize for any errors, typos, omissions and for the names that due to timing, could not be listed in the program. Your support did not go unnoticed.



BE THE FIRST IN THE KNOW

ABOUT ALL OUR UPCOMING PROGRAMS

FOLLOW US



@JCFSWINNIPEG



VICKAR

AUTOMOTIVE GROUP

Vickar Automotive Group is proud to support
Jewish Child and Family Services



950 REGENT AVE W, WPG, MB



964 REGENT AVE W, WPG, MB



300-1717 WAVERLEY ST, WPG, MB



1424 REGENT AVE W, WPG, MB



2000 MAIN ST, WPG, MB



2315 DUGALD RD, WPG, MB



964 REGENT AVE W, WPG, MB



2000 MAIN ST, WPG, MB



"Your Community Minded Dealerships"

VICKAR.COM

START SHOPPING FOR YOUR DREAM CAR TODAY



SCAN THE QR CODE
TO START SHOPPING OR CALL
(204) 663-6185

For decades JNF has cared for and invested
in the land of Israel and it's people.
Our ancestral homeland was established so that
Jews would be safe from threat or persecution -
On October 7th, this was violated.
Today we support JCFS in their effort to
highlight and educate us, and help us try to
understand the answer to the question troubling
the Jewish world...

WHAT ABOUT JEWISH WOMEN?



The Women's Collective Philanthropy Program (WCPP),
a program of the Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation,
uses the power of collective philanthropy to
ENGAGE, EDUCATE and EMPOWER women to become catalysts
for social change. This is achieved through the Women's Collective Endowment
Fund (WCEF), which supports initiatives
that benefit the lives of Jewish women and children.

For more info visit,

<https://www.ojcf.ca/programs/womens-collective-philanthropy-program>

The Jewish Federation
of Winnipeg
is a proud sponsor of

HEAR OUR VOICES:

Sexual and Gender-Based
Violence in The October 7th
 Hamas Terror Attacks

Never again
means
never again.



Jewish Federation
of Winnipeg

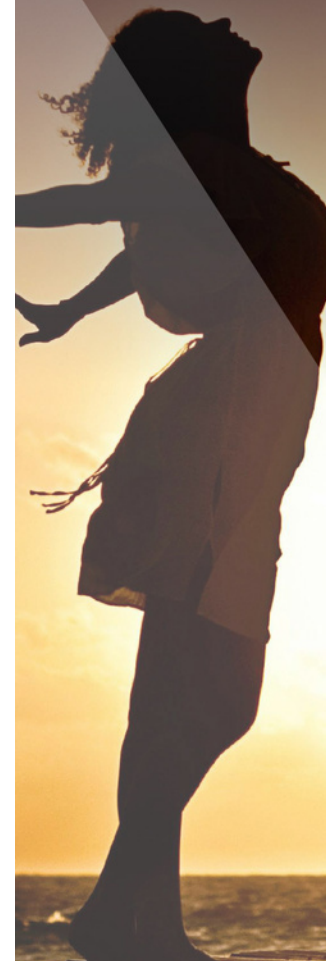
THE ASPER FOUNDATION

is proud to support Jewish Child &
Family Service and the presentation
of **HEAR OUR VOICES.**

We are grateful to JCFS for
its efforts to break the silence
about the horrific sexual and
gender-based violence
perpetrated by Hamas
against women and girls.



**Women's rights are
human rights and the
misogyny of October 7
must be condemned by all.**





CherryTreeWpg.com

"Professional Event Entertainment & Production"

Nik Rave

Rave Photo





Keith Levit
Photography



Learn more at Grayacademy.ca



JCFS thanks
Unigraphics for the
production of the
Programs for this event.

Standing
with the
women of
Israel





Gwen Secter
Creative Living Centre
at Syd Glow Place



Publicity Works
Everywhere
Public Relations | Marketing | Social Media
Strategic Communications | Event Management
awenzowski@cogeco.ca
publicityworksprconsultants.com



Our New Home*

1155 Wilkes Ave. Winnipeg, MB R3P 1B9

**Official Welcome to
Our New Home - Coming Soon!*

204.589.6305
info@etzchayim.ca
congregationetzchayim.ca



**Congregation
Shaarey Zedek**

Celebrating Community and Culture



**SAUL & CLARIBEL
SimkinCentre**

Respect for all people – **Derech Eretz**
Honour due each person – **Kavod**
Caring – **Chesed**
Trust – **Emunah**
Communal Responsibility –
Kol Yisrael Areivim Zeh La-Zeh



A REFORM CONGREGATION



**חֶסֶד שֶׁל אֵמֶת
CHESED SHEL EMES**

**BEREAVEMENT
GROUP**
6 Week-Series

Every THURSDAY
from February 15 - March 21
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Asper Jewish Community Campus
123 Doncaster Street

This **IN-PERSON**
non-denominational
six-week program
provides support,
education and healing
for those who have
experienced the death
of a loved one.



JEWISH CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES
Strengthening Lives & Healing with Jewish Values



RAQUEL DANCHO

MP | KILDONAN—ST. PAUL

RAQUEL.DANCHO@PARL.GC.CA
MPRAQUELDANCHO.CA • 204-984-6322



MARTY MORANTZ

MP | CHARLESWOOD—ST. JAMES—
ASSINIBOIA—HEADINGLEY

MARTY.MORANTZ@PARL.GC.CA
MORANTZ.CA • 204-984-6432

**WINNIPEG
JEWISH
RECOVERY**

You are NOT ALONE!

winnipeg_jewish_recovery
ademi@jcfswinnipeg.org



**Helping Women
Throughout
Generations**

JCFS helps Women
and Girls in Winnipeg
each and every day.

Our **OLDER ADULT SERVICES**
Department helps not only our elderly
clients, (of which the majority are
female), but also their caregivers and
family members.



Trigger Warning:




Content today may leave you feeling distressed.

If you are in a **STATE OF CRISIS**, we encourage you to connect with appropriate supports including:

We also encourage you to connect with your health care professional, along with other mental health or social services in your local area.

In Canada, Jewish Family Service agencies can be found in Victoria, Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Hamilton, Toronto, Montreal, and Halifax.

To connect with JCFS Winnipeg Counselling Services, please call **204-477-7430**

-  **Klinic Crisis Line (Manitoba)**
1-888-322-3019
-  **Sexual Assault Crisis Line (Manitoba)**
1-888-292-7565
-  **Suicide and Crisis Prevention Line (National)**
988

CRISIS LINES

IN NEED OF SOMEONE TO

talk to?
We're in this together.

JCFS is offering support for individuals impacted by rising anti-semitism and conflict in Israel.

If you are interested in accessing this service, feel free to book online at:

 <https://www.picktime.com/JCFSSupports>

 by **REGISTRATION ONLY**



WHEN: EVERY FRIDAY 1-3pm

Virtual or In-Person - 123 Doncaster St.

Connect with JCFS Winnipeg

JCFS Winnipeg   

204-477-7430 

jcfs@jcfswinnipeg.org 

www.jcfswinnipeg.org 

**When the whole world
IS SILENT...
Advocate for change.
Break the Silence!**



**Open the conversation...
BELIEVE SURVIVORS.
Promote Responsibility and Accountability.
Take Action!**

We thank you
from the bottom of our hearts
for being part
of this important event,
whether in person or via livestream.

Although the topic is hard and painful,
and the testimonies will be hard to hear,
VOICES MUST BE HEARD
and discussions must be had.

"Supporting WOMEN
is not just an act of kindness;
it embraces a stronger,
more equitable future for all."

