

JNF Speakers Bureau March 2017 *Your Voice in Israel*



*A Message from Speakers Bureau Chairman Robert Benedon: **MAY IS WOMEN'S MONTH***

Today we celebrate International Women's Day – a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. So, today we begin promoting JNF's Women's Month of May - the month to really focus on the Power of JNF Women -- but this won't be successful without your support! Mother's Day is Sunday May 14th – so ties in well with the campaign.

Use May as a catalyst to grow your campaign and to inspire women to take an active role in spreading the word about all of our exciting women's initiatives. Hold women's parlor meetings or events in every region – our lay leaders, professionals, partners, and speakers are eager to come to your community! We are bringing partners specifically for Women's Month.

May 2nd is Yom Ha'atzmauth – another great opportunity to bring Israel to your community through our speakers.

Lastly, I hope you will all join us for "Connecting To JNF – Getting Beyond I've Heard This All Before" with Arthur Shorr on Tuesday, March 14 at 12 noon EST. **Call-in number: 1-800-747-5150 Access Code/Pin: 8793303 Call-in number from Israel: 180-945-8705 (same access code)**

Wishing you all the joys of Spring,
Bob

Speakers Available in May

Israeli Partners with availability in the US in May:

[Michal Shiloach Galnoor](#) – Western Galilee Now

Alon Wald – Ammunition Hill

Tamar Gil – Lauder Center

[Shani Abrams Simkowitz- Gush Etzion](#)

[Ido Eisikovits](#) – Green Horizons

Available 5/8, 5/9 5/11

Available 5/2, 5/3, 5/5, 5/6

Dates TBD – end of May

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Dates TBD – late May/early June

Featured Speakers:

[Jessica Abo](#)

Florine Mark

[Rebecca Shimoni Stoil](#)

[Chloe Valdary](#)

Lay Leaders:

[Alyse Berkley – LA](#)

[Barbara Bortniker – NNJ](#)

Sheryl Buchholtz- Brooklyn, NY

[Toni Dusik – Phoenix](#)

Susan Farber - Phoenix

[Betsy Fischer – SNJ](#)

[Myra Fleischer – SD](#)

Lauren France – Wash DC

[Vivian Grossman –So FL](#)

Mary Ellen Hogan - Tampa

Terry Katz – Philadelphia

[Marina Kirshenbaum - SNJ](#)

[Nina Paul - Cincinnati](#)

[Deborah Riegel - NY](#)

[Laura Salzer - Tampa](#)

[Geri Shatz - NY](#)

[Ann Zinman – Phoenix](#)

JNF Professionals:

[Talia Tzour Avner](#)

Marina Furman

[Sharon Freedman](#)

[Diane Scar](#)

PARTNER VISITS APRIL-MAY

NAME	ORGANIZATION	DATES IN U.S.	CITIES CONFIRMED	AVAILABILITY
APRIL				
Doreet Freedman	NBN	Pre-Peseach	Available in No Florida – interested in Arizona and Tampa	TBD
Yedidya Harush	Halutza	4/19-5/4	CNJ/NNJ/DC/Cincy/LA/AZ/Texas	Booked
Tania Pons Allon	Central Arava	4/18-4/26	Denver/St Louis/Detroit/Florida	Booked
Peter Kurz	Project Baseball	Late April	Boston/Pitt/LA	TBD
MAY				
Alon Wald	Ammunition Hill	4/29-5/7	S Florida/Orlando/Westchester	5/2-3, 5/6
Mayor Alon Davidi	Sderot	5/4-5/15	Chi/So NJ/SD/Denver/NNJ/LI	5/12-5/13
Michal Shiloh Galnoor	Western Galillee Now	5/8-5/11	Houston 5/10	5/8, 5/9, 5/11
Avnet Kleiner	Aleh Negev	5/10-5/14	San Fran	Booked

AMHSI March Travel:

Leor Sinai, Co-Exec Dir – 3/19-24 in NY area

Rachel Sevitt, Dean of General Studies – 3/29-30 in Philadelphia

Maor Perry, Israel Program Educator – 3/19-21 in Boston, LA, Nashville, NY

FEATURED SPEAKER AVAILABLE MARCH-MAY

Gideon & Amira Meir – US JNF tour March 26-April 6 – available to speak individually or as a couple (how to balance two careers) – **available March 27, 28 and 29**

Liron Friedman – Tel Aviv Univ Water Engineer – in NYC area April 7-21

Gadi Ezra – in US March 24-30; April 21-27; May 5-13 – great for LFI, JNFuture

[Chuck Freilich](#) – in the US January-May, 2017 - LFI

[Art Shamsky](#) – Baseball Season is almost here



Find these great speakers and many more on the [Speakers Bureau Website](#)

Note: Speaker bios are also found in their Salesforce records