# **Bulletin Board**

## B'nai B'rith Lodge

Join your fellow Jews in Charlotte's annual Christmas substitution program. Please volunteer about four hours of your time on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day so that our non-Jewish friends can spend the holiday with their families. We will fill positions normally staffed by volunteers at three Charlotte hospitals and will also staff positions at the Mecklenburg County Jail. No experience necessary! B'nai B'rith Lodges across the state are participating in the project this year. Please give of your time; the rewards are astounding. To volunteer, or for more information, call Ken Stern, 563-2696 or Lloyd Scher, 567-0729

In October, the Lodge was represented at a weekend Leadership Seminar sponsored by B'nai B'rith International. Held in Atlanta, the seminar attracted 40 Lodge presidents from the Southeastern U.S. The program was designed to enhance our leadership skills, increase our knowledge of the B'nai B'rith organization and structure, and teach us methods of effective programming. The weekend was great fun and a fan-

tastic learning experience.

The Lodge will attend the Davidson vs Duke basketball game at the Charlotte Coliseum on December 18. For information, contact Morey Sheffer, 364-8790.

To receive our monthly newsletter or for membership information, contact Ed Abel, 366-3309.

- Ken Stern

#### **Blood Drive**

As a continuing service to the American Red Cross, Charlotte B'nai B'rith Lodge sponsors the Annual Holiday Blood Drive. This will be held at the Red Cross Building, 2425 Park Rd., from December 16 through December 31. Your blood is needed at this time more than any other due to the increased need during the December holidays. Please call 376-1661, Mon.-Fri., 9 a.m.-4 p.m. or Sun. 12:30-4 p.m. for an appointment and designate your blood for B'nai B'rith. It's a painless way to help those in need. For further information contact Eric Sklut, 536-8830 (office) or 365-0154 (home).

- Eric Sklut

### Israel Bonds Honored Rabbi Rocklin

By Allen Gordon

On October 27 approximately 200 people attended the annual Israel Bond Dinner at Adam's Mark. They came to honor Rabbi Richard Rocklin and to hear a stirring address from David Schoenbrun, noted TV broadcaster, author and journalist.

Rabbi Rocklin was presented the United Jerusalem City of Peace Award for his continuing commitment to the State of Israel.

The dinner was the keynote of the annual drive to promote the sale of Israel Bonds, a major source of developmental capital for Israel. Proceeds from bond sales are channeled through Israel's development budget to help finance industrial and agricultural projects and construction of highways, harbors and new towns.

Under the direction of Rabbi Marc Wilson, the Adam's Mark prepared a strictly kosher dinner. The necessary kosher utensils have been stored and will be available for future kosher affairs.

Chairperson of this year's campaign is Allen Gordon; cochair is Mark Goldsmith. Mary Wojnowich, Barbara Levin, Linda Goldsmith and Ethel Gordon served on the



(L to R) Rabbi Richard Rocklin, David Schoenbrun, Rabbi Marc Wilson, Mark Goldsmith.

photo/Alan Goldberg

dinner committee. Others involved in the campaign were Dr. Gerson Asrael, Sam Lerner, Jerry Levin, Alan Goldberg, Rabbi Marc Wilson, Hugo and Helga Rosenberger, Berta and Sam Kaplan, Floyd Patten, Sally Schrader, Judie and Michael VanGlish.

State of Israel Bonds are available for purchase on a year-round basis. Besides being an excellent investment, bonds can be used to pay for travel in Israel. Anyone interested in purchasing Israel Bonds can call Allen Gordon, 366-0527.



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Tues. Dec. 31, 1985 9 p.m. ---

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- Hors D'oeuvres (starting at 9 p.m.) Set-Ups (BYOB)
- Sumptuous Dinner Catered by **House of Hunan** (10:30 p.m.)

  (Vegetarian/Chicken/Beel Dishes only)
- Party Favors Champagne Toast After Midnight Dessert & Coffee
- Dancing to "The Music Majors"

Reservations required no later than Dec. 12. Mail checks (payable to Men's Club - Temple Beth El) to Harold Breitman, 125 Pine Grove Circle, River Hills, SC 29710.

Table arrangements (for 8 or 10) upon request. Call Harold (803) 831-2311 (this is a local call) or Temple Beth El: 366-1948.