

Academy Gala Brings Elegance

Sweet and sour tongue, marinated vegetables and egg salad with caviar were hits at the hors d'oeuvres table. About 200 guests enjoyed a dinner of chicken Veronique, rice pilaf and zucchini fans. A heavily laden fruit table offered patrons an alternative to a rich chocolate mousse paired with homemade almond macaroons.

Following dinner, master of ceremonies Stephen Fishman reminisced about past Galas before introducing Abe Luski who recounted the founding of the school in 1970. Berta Straz, Abe's daughter, spoke of the school's move to Shalom Park and its plans for the future. Peggy Gartner presented Abe with a certificate of appreciation for the efforts of the 18 founders.

Annette and Richard Gross were the delighted winners of a beautifully framed embossed print by Israeli artist Rena Rotholz who is represented in the United States by Pucker-Safrai Gallery in Boston.

As at past Galas, UNCC professor friends of Stephen Fishman served as bartenders and waiters. Showing increasing professional polish at tableside were Dr. and Mrs. Edward St. Clair, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Toenjes, Dr. Bill Gay, Dr. Michael Corwin, Dr. Jeff Meyer and Dr. John Lincourt. Alesia Fishman, former Academy student, also served.

The following friends generously donated goods for

the Gala: Seidman & Seidman, Pepsi, Dick and Charlene Muller, Joe Steiner, Larry Widis, Linda Binnick, Steward and Patti Scher, Moshe and Berta Straz, Sara Schreiber and Elliot Gartner.

Other heads of committees were: General Chair, Ann Abel; Reservations, Sara

Schreibman and Florence Widis; Invitations, Dick Muller; Publicity and Programs, Martha Brenner, Sue Brodsky and Luba Kleinman; Photography, Alan Goldberg.

Ann Abel extends special thanks to the many volunteers who helped prepare the dinner.



Academy Gala Master of Ceremonies Stephen Fishman recalls the behind-the-scenes adventures of posh Galas.



Beryl Fishman breaks loose from the kitchen to dance to the beat of Larry Farber's band.



Ann Abel, chair of the Gala, sitting with Andy London, observing everyone having a good time.



Hugo Rosenberger, one of the honorees, and his wife Helga listen to one of the dinner speakers. Photos/Alan Goldberg

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GREETINGS FOR THE COMING NEW YEAR

Kineret Kosher Frozen Food

- Onion Rings
- Puff Pastry Dough
- Ready To Bake Challah
- Blintzes
- Potato Latkes

Empire Frozen Kosher Food

- Pie Crust
- Potato Latkes
- Natural Cut Potatoes
- Challah Dough
- Chall-ettes
- Rye Bread
- Chopped Liver Spread
- Chicken
- Breaded Mushrooms
- Pot Pies
- Pizza
- Bagels
- English Muffin Mix
- Frozen Blintzes
- Bagel Pizza
- Garlic Bread

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- Matzo Ball Mix
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- Matzo Ball Soup
- Matzo Ball Broth
- Gefilte Fish
- Whitefish & Pike
- Potato Kugel Mix
- Matzo Meal

Others

- Noodles by Goodman, Greenfield and Mrs. Weiss
- Soups by Carmel, Croyden House, Goodman and Telma
- Mother's Schav
- Mother's All Whitefish
- Rokeach Old Vienna Fish
- Rokeach Tomato & Mushroom Sauce
- Wolff Groats/Kasha
- Joyva Halvah Candy
- Kedem Grape Juice
- Rokeach Pareve Coffee Creamer
- Swee-Touch-Nee Tea Bags
- Panni Shredded Potato Pancake Mix
- Panni Bavarian Potato Pancake Mix
- Mrs. T's Pierogies
- Athens Fillo



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