

# WOMEN'S NEWS

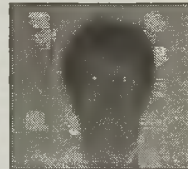
## Hadassah: Who We Are

By *Bunny Bramson, President, Charlotte Chapter of Hadassah*  
 Part of the job as President of Hadassah is to inform the community of the missions and programs Hadassah. Often when asked "What is Hadassah?" I'm sometimes at a loss for words as to how to relate what Hadassah is and who are "Hadassah-ites" so to this means, my first article as President will be "Who We Are."

Hadassah, the Women's Zionist organization of America, was founded in 1912 by Henrietta Szold. Since its inception, Hadassah has remained unwavering in its devotion to Judaism, Zionism, and American ideals.

Very simple and to the point...but what does this mean to the uninformed?

As the largest volunteer organization and the largest women's organization in America, Hadassah is committed to strengthening the unity of the Jewish people. In Israel, we accomplish this through progressive healthcare, education, youth institutions, volunteerism, and land reclamation. In the U.S. we reach our goals through Jewish and Zionist education programs, Zionist Youth programs, and health awareness programs, as well as by advocating for issues of importance to women



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and to the American Jewish community.

As my presidency goes on, the Hadassah column of CJN will feature various facets of this most wonderful organization. It will feature local, region and national events and personalities so stay tuned until next issue. Shalom.☆

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### Hadassah's Second Bridge Tournament

**Who:** You and all your bridge buddies  
**What:** Play duplicate bridge under the direction of Michael Starr, who is donating his services  
**Why:** Raise money towards the construction of the Towers Hospital in Israeli. Performing a mitzvah while having fun and meeting new people.  
**Where:** Raintree Country Club  
**When:** 9/4, 12/4, 2/5, 4/2  
**Cost:** Around \$38.00 for the four-part tournament plus lunch.  
**Rewards:** Cash prizes for the top four players.  
 Time: 10:30 AM-3:30 PM  
**Contact:** Sandy Hoagland who would love to hear from you, answer questions, as well as receive names of other possible participants.  
**How:** By phone 704-543-6338 or by email tzepora@carolina.rr.com.

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