# JEWISH FEDERATION NEWS

# **November Events at the Jewish Federation**

WEDNESDAY, **NOVEMBER 4** 

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Uptowners: Nosh and Network 11:45 AM-1 PM, The Light Factory

Guest Speaker: Eric Rowles, President and CEO of Leading to Change

Topic: Generational Crossroads Uptowners: Nosh and Network is the Federation's outreach initiative for the Charlotte business and professional community. Register online at www.jewishcharlotte.org by November 2 if purchasing lunch (\$10). Free and drop-ins welcome if no lunch is purchased.

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8**

Behind the Headlines: Effectively Advocating for Israel 10 AM, Gorelick Hall at Shalom Park

Guest Speaker: Neil Lazarus, an internationally acclaimed expert in the field of Israel Advocacy and effective communication training.

**MONDAY and TUESDAY,** NOVEMBER 16 and 17 JCRC Community Event Guest Speaker: Dr. Daniel Gordis (Senior Vice President of the Shalem Center) Topic: Saving Israel - How the Jewish People Can Win a War that May Never End November 16: 7 PM at St. Albans Episcopal, Davidson, NC November 17: 7:30 PM at

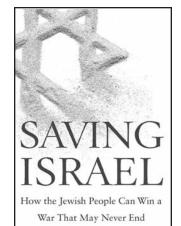
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SHABBAT CANDLE LIGHTING FOR NOVEMBER 2009

Friday, November 6, 5:07 PM Friday, November 13 5:01 PM Friday, November 20 4:57 PM Friday, November 27 4:54 PM



DANIEL GORDIS

motes the interests of the Charlotte Jewish community by creating working relationships with our neighbors and serving as the collective voice of the Jewish community.

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22**

Newcomer Schmooze 11 AM-12 noon, Weinberg Center

Learn about the Charlotte Jewish Community while meeting new friends.

Newcomer Schmoozes are co-sponsored by the Jewish Federation and the Levine JCC. Complimentary bagels, coffee and juice are served. All ages are welcome. For information, contact the Federation office at 704-944-6757.

For more information about all of Federation's Outreach initiatives, please contact the Federation office at 704-944-6757 or info@jewishcharlotte.org.

# **Young Adult Events in November**

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1** Shalom Baby Family Playdate My Gym Southpark, 5110 #2D Park Road

*11:30 AM–1 PM – new time* Please join us for a fun-filled family playdate. Limited space available. Call Kara at 704-944-6760. Shalom Baby is an outreach initiative of the Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte helping families with young children (three and under) connect with the Charlotte Jewish community. Siblings are welcome.

### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17**

YAD Wine and Cheese prior to Dr. Daniel Gordis's remarks

Temple Israel, 4901 Providence Road 6:30-7:30 PM reception, 7:30 PM remarks

Free. RSVP by November 12 for the reception.

Join YAD to spend an evening talking about Israel. Since moving to the Jewish state in 1998, Dr. Gordis has written and lectured in his conversational, Americanfocused prose about day-to-day Israeli society and the challenges facing the Jewish state. He will be speaking on "Saving Israel – How the Jewish People Can Win a War that May Never End," which is the title of his new book. Young adults 21-45 are invited to join us for wine and cheese prior to the remarks. RSVP to events@jewishcharlotte.org or 704-944-6760.

### Mourning the Loss of Marvin Goldberg

Our thoughts and prayers are the present location of the with the family of Marvin Goldberg, 67, who passed away peacefully on Thursday, September 17. Marvin served as the Executive Director of the Jewish Federation from 1996-2001.

He leaves his wife of 40 Renee (LeWinter) vears. Goldberg; two daughters, Hallie Johnston of London, England and Elana, wife of Scott MacGilpin of West Hartford, CT; a brother, Paul Goldberg of Toledo, OH and his two beautiful grandsons, Sam and Drew MacGilpin.

He was born in Cleveland, OH and was the son of Sol and Molly (Singerman) Goldberg.

He graduated from Ohio University and received his Masters of Social Work from the University of Pennsylvania.

Marvin began his career in 1975 as the Assistant Executive Director at the original Jewish Home for the Aged on Pleasant Street in Worcester, MA, where he orchestrated the move plan to

Jewish Healthcare Center. He served as the Executive Director of the Jewish Healthcare Center until 1996, where he left a 21 year lasting legacy to the staff, its residents and their families as a loving and comforting place to both work and live.

After his tenure at the Jewish Healthcare Center, Marvin was the Executive Director of the Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte (NC) from 1996-2001, and then moved on to be the Executive Director of the Jewish Federation of Greater Toledo, OH.

Five years ago, he returned to the Greater Boston area, joining his wife as the Co-Director of Educational Options, LLC, as an Educational Consultant, where he continued his social work training by helping families with their children's special educational needs.

Marvin proudly served in the US Army during the Vietnam War era, and was awarded Commendation the Army

Medal in 1970. Marvin was a member of Temple Emanuel, Independent Educational Consultants Association, The Jewish Federation of Central Massachusetts, National Association of Therapeutic Schools and Programs, and the Autism Association of New England.

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Memorial contributions may be made to the Jewish Healthcare Center, 629 Salisbury St., Worcester, MA 01609. \$



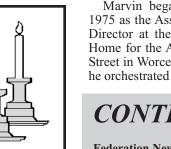
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