November and December Events at the Jewish Federation

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10 Center City Jewish Professionals (formerly Uptowners: Nosh and Network) Breakfast; 8–9:15 AM, Dunhill Hotel Guest Speaker: Lou Solomon, Founder of Interact Authentically Topic: Effective Public Speaking

Center City Jewish Professionals is the Federation's outreach initiative for the Charlotte business and professional community. Register online at www.jewishcharlotte.org by November 5 if purchasing breakfast. Free if no breakfast is purchased. **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18** JCRC Annual Fall Lecture 7 PM, Sam Lerner Center for Cultural Arts Guest Speaker: Bret Stephens, Deputy Editorial Page

Editor, Wall Street Journal Topic: Israel: Peace at Last? Free and open to the community. The Jewish Community Relations Council (JCRC) promotes the interests of the Charlotte Jewish commu-

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

For more information about all of Federation's Outreach initiatives, please contact the Federation office at 704-944-6757 or info@jewishcharlotte.org THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9

Women's Professional Network ... forging relationships, building community 6–7:30 PM, Sam Lerner Center for Cultural Arts at Shalom Park Wine Tasting; PRP Wines

RSVP Required by December 6

The Women's Professional Network offers women the opportunity to engage socially and connect with a cause. The Network meets five times each year and is open to all professional women whether or not they are actively engaged in careers outside the home. \Rightarrow

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Jewish Federation Announces the 8th Class of the Bernstein Leadership Group Applications Available Now and Are Due by

November 30

Attending an event or two in the Jewish community is one thing, but becoming an inspired leader or board member is another. How do you jump in and take your involvement to the next level? For many young Jewish leaders in the Queen City, the answer is the Bernstein Leadership Group.

Now entering its eighth class, the Donald H. and Barbara K. Bernstein Leadership Development Group is an 18-month program of the Jewish Federation that offers unique opportunities to its participants, including: * An inside look at local

Jewish agencies and access to their lay and professional leaders

* Interaction with renowned national leaders
* The opportunity to develop tangible leadership skills

* The fellowship of other emerging leaders

Through monthly speakers and discussions over the course of a year and a half, Bernstein leaders become a tight-knit group. By "graduation," many participants have developed their interests in local Jewish agencies and have started down a path to becoming engaged committee or board members.

To learn more and obtain an application, please contact Tair Giudice at tair.giudice@jew-ishcharlotte.org or 704-944-6759. \$

The mission of the Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte is to raise and distribute funds to support and to enrich the lives of Jews locally, nationally, in Israel and worldwide. Through education, planning, and community building the Federation's mission ensures that Jewish values, goals, traditions, and connections are preserved for current and future generations.

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> Applications due Nov. 30





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