## **Moishe House Events for November**

Moishe House is a nonprofit organization dedicating to promoting community among Jewish young adults in their twenties and early thirties. Moishe House looks to fill the void that often exists after graduating college and prior to "settling down." The organization, with 69 houses in 17 countries, brings together groups of three to five Jewish adults who live together and plan local programs, both home-based and external, for other young Jewish adults.

Moishe House Charlotte began in August 2013 and has hosted over 80 events ranging from service projects to social events to Jewish learning and more. Diana Warth, Elana Congress, Audrey Singer, and now, the fabulous Danielle Soowal, live in the house. We are still looking for a fifth roommate. Please contact us if you are interested.

And now, our events for November:

1. JFS + Chinese Food - Wednesday, November 5 at 7 PM - Moishe House Charlotte

Learn more about the work of Jewish Family Services of Charlotte and how we can work together to help this important local agency. Delicious Chinese food dinner provided. Bring your thinking cap and family heirloom chopsticks. RSVP for Moishe House address.

2. Rock Shabbat- Friday November 7 at 7:30 PM - The Cube (617 East 28th Street, Suite B)

Rock out to some sweet soul and Shabbat tunes in one of the hot spots in NoDa from The Ruach. If you have not heard them, this will be a real treat. This event is open to everyone 21 and up. Drinks available at the bar before and after the jam. Free cover.

3. Wine and Cheese Donor Recognition Night - Thursday November 13 at 7 PM - Moishe House Charlotte

We would like to say a big thank you to all of those who made our We Are Campaign such a success. The We Are Campaign ran through September and October and was an opportunity for our participants to contribute directly to the Moishe House Foundation, enabling us to raise \$1,000+. If you contributed to the campaign, this Wine and Cheese Donor Recognition night is for you.

4. True American Part Deux-Saturday November 22 at 8:30 PMMoishe House Charlotte

True American is back again at Moishe House. Before we start we will close Shabbat with Havdallah, and then pay tribute to one of our

favorite shows - *New Girl*. No experience necessary for the game, although be warned: it involves drinking, standing on chairs, and

yelling random phrases.

5. Rosh Chodesh Thanksgiving Crafts - Sunday November 23 at 5:30 PM - Moishe House Charlotte

From turkey hands to leaf col-

lages, we will be celebrating Rosh Chodesh, the Jewish new month, with all of your favorite childhood crafts. You are welcome to bring a taste of your favorite Thanksgiving dish to share.

To learn more about Moishe House Charlotte, visit us at 

## **Butterfly Project's Next Wing Takes Flight (Come Watch!)**

The Butterfly Project at the Levine Jewish Community Center is excited to announce that work will begin mid-October installing hand-painted ceramic butterflies on a new wing of the Children's Holocaust Memorial Sculpture in the Margaret and Lou Schwartz Butterfly Garden. The artists, Paul Rousso and Patrick Robertson, will be out in the garden installing butterflies on this wing. Feel free to stop by and watch these creative individuals bring more of the sculpture to life.

The Memorial Sculpture designed by Paul Rousso and installed in 2011 currently has more than 2,800 butterflies affixed to it in mosaic style. Those butterflies were painted by children, teens and adults from all over Charlotte and the surrounding communities on the main wings. It is a beautiful and meaningful symbol honoring the memory of the 1.5 million Jewish children who perished in the Holocaust.

Since the creation of the garden and installation of the sculpture in

2011, more than 9,000 students have participated in the Butterfly Project workshops. The workshops use the story of the Holocaust as a vehicle to teach what can happen when prejudice, stereotyping and discrimination are allowed to flourish. During the 2-1/2 hour experience, participants hear from a Holocaust survivor, participate in an educational discussion to build bridges of communication, understanding and respect for all people, paint a ceramic butterfly in memory of a specific child who perished in the Holocaust, and

visit the Margaret and Lou Schwartz Butterfly Garden. For the 2014-15 school year, more than 4,300 students are already scheduled to attend a workshop.

To experience a workshop firsthand, the Butterfly Project encourages you to attend our Community Workshop on Sunday,



Butterflies being sorted by color in preparation for application to the sculpture.

November 2 from 1:30-3:30 PM. Appropriate for those in middle school through adults, the interactive workshops are both thought-provoking and creative. This event is free to LJCC members; \$5 for non-members. Please call the LJCC front desk to register at 704-366-5007.❖



## Hours of operation:

Monday - Friday 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Wednesday 7 pm-9 pm

Friday -Before and after services Sunday 8:30-1:00 pm during Religious school

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