



Temple Israel News



A Gala Affair



Above: It was a Gala evening indeed for Temple Israel and friends on April 19.

At left: Dr. David Citron receives the Kol Yisrael Shofar Award at the Temple Israel Gala. This marked the first presentation of this award by Temple Israel to a congregant who has made outstanding contributions to the Temple. The late Dr. Philip Naumof was also honored posthumously with the award.



Mazel Tov to the upcoming B'nai Mitzvahs . . .

- June 7 Rachel Kaplan, daughter of Wendy Sklut and Steve Kaplan.
- June 14 Daniel Block, son of Debby & David Block.
- June 21 Gabriel Campbell, son of Phyllis & Howard Campbell.

We welcome with joy our new arrivals. . .

- Morris Connor Speizman, son of Jodi & Bryan Speizman.
- Aaron Jacob Weiner, son of Stefanie & David Weiner.
- Jessica Helyn Goldfarb, daughter of Leslie & Dana Goldfarb.

Highlighted activities for June include . . .

- 1 Perspective New Member Picnic
- 2 Board Meeting
- 3 Band Rehearsal
- 4 Parshat Hashav'ah
- 4 USY/Kadima Installations
- 4 Baby Havurah
- 10 Points of View
- 11 12 Shavuot
- 13 T.I.S.S.K. Services
- 17 Parshat Hashav'ah
- 20 T.I.S.S.K. Services
- 20 Family Shabbat Dinner
- 24 Points of View
- 24 Parshat Hashav'ah
- 27 T.I.S.S.K. Services
- 28 Healing Service

The Social Club

The Social Club of Temple Israel is planning a summer theatre party for July 26. The show is the Tony Award winning musical, CRAZY FOR YOU and the date is July 26. This is a Gershwin extravaganza filled with song and dance and Ken Ludwig's hilarious dialogue. We have a limited number of seats on reserve and so it is important that you make your reservations as soon as possible. The cost is \$12 per seat. To make your reservations, send your check to: Douglas Mann, 137 N. Canterbury Rd., Charlotte, NC 28211. ☆

• WORSHIP SERVICES •

SHABBAT		WEEKDAY	
Friday	6:15 pm	Sunday	9:00 am
3rd Friday/ Family Shabbat			5:30 pm
		Monday	7:30 pm
		Tuesday	7:30 pm
Saturday		Wednesday	7:30 pm
Shacharit	9:30 am	Thursday	7:30 am
Torah	1 0:00 am		7:30 pm
Musaf	1 1:00 am		
Ma'ariv	5:30 pm		

Etta & Louis Greenspon Endowment Established



Stanley Greenspon

William Gorelick, Chairman, and Lou Wernick, Planned Giving Director of the Temple Israel Endowment Committee, announced the establishment of the Etta and Louis Greenspon Senior Endowment Fund. This fund, endowed by Stanley Greenspon, will provide the financial support for "Celebrating Life," a senior activity program founded and sponsored by Temple Israel. The program has come into being because of the enormous need to provide human services to Jewish senior citizens living in Charlotte. "Celebrating Life" offers an opportunity to Jewish seniors for exposure to educational and

cultural events as well as socializing. All programs are open to the entire Jewish community, affiliated or unaffiliated.

An initial fund of \$12,500 has been established by Stanley Greenspon to ensure that "Celebrating Life" will be endowed in perpetuity.

Stanley Greenspon, who has been actively involved with State of Israel Bonds, the Jewish Federation, the Jewish Community Center and the Blumenthal Jewish Home, is acutely aware of the tremendous need for this program. Greenspon said, "I witnessed and

experienced what these programs meant to my mother during her last few years and feel indebted for what they gave her. Establishing this endowment is the best way to honor both of my parents for the tremendous contributions each made and the love they had for synagogue activities."

In its fourth year of service to the senior Jewish community, "Celebrating Life" has been arranging programmatic activities on a monthly basis. The programs have been highly diverse and Jewish and secular in content. Evelyn Berger, a volunteer who has provided guidance and

administration to the program said, "For our friends who have achieved length of years, the goal for our program is also to provide quality of life...then we can truly say, "Grow old with me...the best is yet to be."

The Etta and Louis Greenspon Senior Endowment Fund will also be used to provide the support which will enable Temple Israel to accommodate the increasing senior population of Charlotte who wish to avail themselves of this meaningful social and educational program. ☆

Gift Shop News . . .

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Sisterhood News . . .

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