

Applications for the 2018 Jewish Federation of Greater Charlotte Impact and Innovation Fund are now available.

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**One Book, One Jewish Community
A New Center for Jewish Education (CJE)
Initiative Inspires the Community to Come Together**

A great book fosters conversations and lays the foundation for a memorable community experience. Those are the main objectives driving CJE's new initiative, "One Book, One Jewish Community."



Mary Glickman

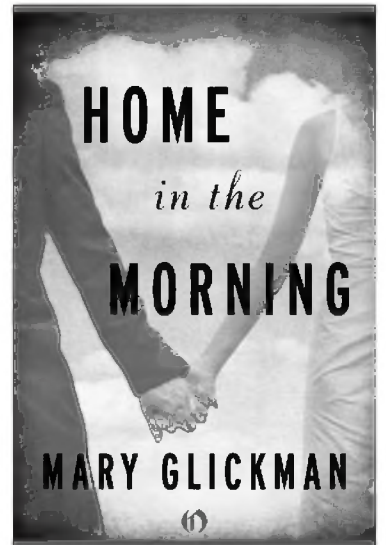
"The idea for the program," says Debby Block, CJE Program Coordinator, "came from a place of wanting to bring the community together around learning." With its myriad connections to Jewish organizations that include schools and synagogues, CJE is the ideal incubator for "One Book, One Jewish Community." Initiating both formal and informal book gatherings reflects CJE's larger strategy of expanding adult learning. "One Book, One Jewish Community" also represents a concerted effort to offer learning opportunities that are more conducive to busy schedules. With "One Book, One Jewish Community," people can read the book in their homes, with their

friends, online, or even listen to the book on the go.

The program's inaugural selection is *Home in the Morning* by Mary Glickman. The novel follows a young Jewish man growing up in the south, as he tries to find his place in the Civil Rights Movement while balancing his Jewish family's imperative to not stand out in the segregated south. The novel is certain to inspire deep and animated discussions about subjects that tackle black-white relationships, Southern Jewish culture, and the Civil Rights Movement.

CJE will offer online resources about the book and events leading up to a culminating program featuring Mary Glickman in Charlotte on Sunday, December 3.

Debby Block anticipates that "One Book, One Jewish Community" will become an annual event. "We're even open to the possibility of picking more than

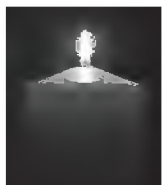


one book a year in different genres," she says. "We're hoping to increase our outreach through literary conversations and literary events."

Copies of *Home in the Morning* will be available in the Levine-Sklut Judaic Library to borrow and to purchase. ☆

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- Friday, September 1, 7:31 PM
- Friday, September 8, 7:22 PM
- Friday, September 15, 7:12 PM
- Wednesday, September 20, Rosh HaShanah Eve, 7:04 PM
- Thursday, September 21, 2nd Night Rosh HaShanah, after 7:58 PM
- Friday, September 22, 7:01 PM
- Friday, September 29, Yom Kippur Eve, 6:51 PM



CORRECTION

On page 8 of the August issue, the Hebrew Cemetery story's number of Jews in Charlotte in 1867 should have been "more than 50."

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