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IN OUR LEAGUE

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY **PLEASE NOTE VENUE**

SOCIAL ISSUES SEMINAR **TUESDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER 2018** **- Flier attached**

'Living with Addiction'. This will deal with Drug, Alcoholic and Gambling addictions. The speakers will be Candice Donn, Head of Clinical Services from Gamcare, Nicki Hari, a recovering addict to prescription drugs from the organisation, UK Addiction Treatment and Cait Saunders from Alcoholics Anonymous.

ICJW SEMINAR **WEDNESDAY 12TH DECEMBER 2018** **- Flier attached**

Mia Hasenson-Gross, CEO of the René Cassin Organisation, will be our speaker and will be talking about what is Jewish about Human Rights. René Cassin was a French-Jewish jurist, law professor and judge. He co-drafted the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, adopted by the UN General Assembly on 10 December 1948. He was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1968.

**85th AJEX ANNUAL PARADE AND
REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY**

Sunday, 18th November 2018.

**A message from Yvonne Josse - A
very special ceremony:**

“I am very happy to let you know that we have been granted special permission to lay our own wreath at this year’s AJEX Memorial Parade, to mark the 75th anniversary of the LJW and to commemorate 100 years since women received the right to vote and were permitted to serve in the British military, as well as mark the end of the first World War. Some of you have already decided to march with us and, as this is a very special year for the League, I would really encourage you, together with your family and friends, to join us at the Women’s Memorial, prior to the commencement of the official march (see details below).

The memorial is a large imposing black granite block, a few hundred yards down from the entrance to Horse Guards in Whitehall and just up from the Cenotaph. Our group will gather at the **Women’s Memorial at 1pm and you will need to notify Tania for security purposes if you are attending, even if you have already notified her that you are attending the March.”**

As in previous years, we hope that many of you will support this event and march under the League of Jewish Women’s banner. There is an age limit of 13.

If you are unable to be with us to lay the wreath, then please note that assembly is in Horse Guard Parade at 1.30 p.m. and the Parade will commence at 2 p.m

**Redbridge Museum
are holding an exhibition
entitled Wonder Women**

The Essex Groups will be featured in this exhibition which is to celebrate 100 years since the first women in the UK won the right to vote, this exhibition explores the lives of women in Ilford, Wanstead and Woodford over the past century.

From the days of the 'mistress and servant' to the varied lives of today's diverse communities, this exhibition tells the story of local women in their own words.

Beginning with the Suffragette and the impacts of two World Wars, the displays uncover the changing pattern of work, education, family life and sisterhood.

Featuring new films about women's lives today alongside a wealth of historic objects, photographs and oral histories, this is a unique chance to meet Redbridge's very own 'Wonder Women'.

This exhibition will be held from Tuesday 13 November 2018 to Saturday 27 April 2019. Tuesday to Friday 10am to 5pm - Saturday, 10am to 4pm. Redbridge Museum, 2nd Floor, Redbridge Central Library, Clements Road, IG1 1EA.



Happy Hanukkah

Give the gift of a membership to the League of Jewish Women. It opens the door to new friendships, social events, education and supports the work of our many volunteers.

Please encourage family and friends to support us by joining or giving a donation. - www.theljw.org

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

Early this month, Penelope Conway (World President), Judy Lever (European Regional Chair), Anne Finer (UK Treasurer) and Yvonne Brent (UK Vice President) travelled to Paris for an ICJW Executive Meeting. This was Penny's first meeting as the new World President and it was attended by Executive Members from Australia, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Greece, Israel, Mexico, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland and the USA.

Every member of the League is a member of ICJW and if you are interested in world events, then please look at the ICJW website www.icjw.org and find, and read about, the good work being carried out.

We have members who attend meetings, on behalf of ICJW, at the UN in New York, Geneva and Vienna. We also have members on the Council of Europe and The European Women's Lobby.

At these meetings, we hear about the work that the Affiliates carry out and have the opportunity of discussing what is happening in Jewish communities around the world.

The next European Conference will be held in May 2020 and all members of the League are able to attend. Once the venue and itinerary are confirmed, we will inform all members and, if they wish to attend (self-funded) then they will be able to register.

GOODS FOR GOOD needs Hot Water Bottles URGENTLY for refugees in Greece who may be sleeping out in the cold!!

(Please check it's in 'as-new' condition and not leaking).

It's a small request which will have a big impact.

Nappies size 4 and sanitary towels are also urgently needed.

Please bring to the office or post or deliver to:

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NORTHWOOD GROUP ANNUAL BRIDGE LUNCH MONDAY, 14TH JANUARY 2019

Venue - Grims Dyke Golf Club,
Oxhey Lane, Pinner, HA5 4AL

Tea/Coffee at 10am and PROMPT START
at 10.30am, Salmon Lunch and Dessert

Price - £20 per head

To reserve your place, please contact
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