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# Generations of the Shoah International Newsletter October, 2016

Dear Members and Friends,

This month *GSI* celebrates its anniversary. The first edition of this newsletter was distributed in October 2002. We have grown considerably since then to become the largest Holocaust survivor family organization in the world. We also serve as the bridge between the survivor community and the major Holocaust institutions/museums/memorials. We thank you, our members, for your continuing support.

There is still time to register for the joint *GSI*, World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust and Descendants and Kindertransport Association conference in Los Angeles, CA, November 4 – 7, 2016. Keynote speakers this year will be Robert Krell (Founder of the Vancouver Holocaust Education Centre), Stephen Smith (Executive Director, USC Shoah Foundation), E. Randol Schoenberg (past President of the LA Museum of the Holocaust and attorney in the Woman in Gold art case), Michael Berenbaum (Holocaust scholar) and Rabbi David Wolpe (Senior Rabbi of Temple Sinai in LA). For more information and registration: www.genshoah.org/pdfs/gsi\_2016\_registration\_packet.pdf

Please remember to send in your Kristallnacht program information. A link to our guidelines for publication is provided in the box below. There is no cost, but we ask you use our format and not submit flyers or press releases. *GSI* is an all-volunteer organization with no paid staff so we please make it as easy as possible for us to collect and share the information we publish monthly.

We hope you will take a moment to read the very special announcements we have posted below. There is also information for survivors from France in the restitution section below.

As we approach the Jewish New Year we hope you all will be inscribed in the Book of Life for a Good New Year.

#### Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)

Membership in our interactive leadership listserv is open to leaders / representatives of *landsmanschaft* and other Holocaust-related groups. If your local survivor, second generation or third generation group has not yet delegated a representative to join the *GSI* interactive online discussion / listserv group, please join us now. We already have dozens of members throughout

the US and from other countries. This global interactive listserv is the fastest way to reach the survivor community: genshoah@gmail.com.

For event submissions: <a href="www.genshoah.org/contact\_gsi.html">www.genshoah.org/contact\_gsi.html</a>. Please fill out the information requested in the text areas and submit it to us at <a href="genshoah@gmail.com">genshoah@gmail.com</a>. You must send us your information no later than the 23rd of the month if you wish for it to appear in the upcoming month's issue.

To search the newsletter by geographic area: search by country for programs outside the USA or use the city and / or state abbreviations for those in the USA.

Visit our *GSI* website at <u>www.genshoah.org</u> for updated information on new books, films, helpful links to Holocaust-related organizations and institutions, etc. Survivors, their children and grandchildren are welcome to post contact information for their local groups on our website.

*GSI* has an "open" Facebook Group that anyone can join and invite others to join. Feel free to introduce yourself to your brothers and sisters in the survivor community and communicate directly with them without having to be cleared by a third party. Use the group to find old friends and relatives. Join us and meet new friends. Our page is visible to Facebook members at <a href="http://tinyurl.com/clhxsf">http://tinyurl.com/clhxsf</a>. Joining Facebook is free and easy: <a href="http://tinyurl.com/clhxsf">www.facebook.com</a>.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

There were several efforts made on behalf of Holocaust survivors on Capitol Hill in Washington, DC in September. U.S. Rep. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R-FL), Chairman of the Subcommittee on the Middle East and North Africa, made the following statement after S.Con.Res. 46 passed in the Senate by voice vote. S.Con.Res. 46 - expressing support for the goal of ensuring that all Holocaust victims live with dignity, comfort, and security in their remaining years, and urging the Federal Republic of Germany to continue to reaffirm its commitment to comprehensively address the unique health and welfare needs of vulnerable Holocaust victims, including home care and other medically prescribed needs – is the Senate companion to H.Con.Res. 129, a measure introduced earlier this year by Rep. Ros-Lehtinen and Rep. Ted Deutch (D-FL), Ranking Member of the Subcommittee on the Middle East and North Africa, which passed in the House by a vote of 363-0 on June 7, 2016. Statement by Ros-Lehtinen:

"The House took another step today in showing our steadfast commitment to Holocaust survivors. With the House and Senate now having passed the same concurrent resolution urging Germany to reaffirm its commitment to comprehensively, transparently and immediately address the needs of all Holocaust survivors, Congress has signaled that our ally Germany can and must do better. The announcement by the Claims Conference and Germany earlier this summer that all caps on home care needs were to be lifted has been found to be less than accurate. The current process has been wanting and riddled with problems, and that is why Germany must move to fulfill its obligations to all survivors directly and comprehensively. Holocaust survivors have lived through the worst days imaginable – they deserve justice and they deserve to live out their days in dignity and comfort."

With the momentum from the unanimous Congressional resolutions urging Germany to provide full funding for survivors' needs, some members of Congress agreed to re-introduce legislation

to allow survivors and family members to go to US courts to seek enforcement of insurance policies sold by global insurers such as Allianz, Generali, and others to European Jews before World War II.

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We are grateful to Representatives Ileana Ros-Lehtinen, John Garamendi, and Brad Sherman, and Senators Bill Nelson and Marco Rubio, for filing identical House and Senate bills on September 28, 2016, to overcome the court decisions that deprived survivors and family members of their basic rights as American citizens. These bills send the message that Holocaust survivors' voices, rights, and interests deserve to be honored and respected by the Government of the United States, and that corporations who profit from atrocities will always be held accountable for their wrongs.

As a practical matter, there is very little chance for the bills to be enacted in 2016. But these leaders are prepared to make an all-out effort to push this legislation in early 2017 when the new Congress convenes. It will be necessary for all of you and your friends, family, and other survivors and 2Gs to step up efforts in the coming weeks and months to get your Members of Congress and Senators to sign on as co-sponsors and push hard for the legislation to pass.

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House passes bipartisan resolution honoring Elie Wiesel

Ros-Lehtinen Urged Germany To Honor Its Obligations To ...

Ros-Lehtinen Measure Calling upon Germany to Fulfill its ...

US House calls on Germany to 'fulfill moral obligation' to ...

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Schindler Factory to become Museum

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On Sunday, February 26, 2017 the Holocaust survivor community in Las Vegas will celebrate a very special B'nei Mitzvah. Since the full measure of a man's days is considered to be 70 years, a man can have a 2<sup>nd</sup> Bar Mitzvah as of age 83. For those survivors who could not have a Bar Mitzvah during the war years, this will be their opportunity. Women generally did not become Bat Mitzvah before the Shoah so this will be a first for them. On this date all the survivors in the Las Vegas area will be invited to participate in this service.

We selected this particular Sunday for the Rosh Chodesh (beginning of a new month) service which will allow us to have music and take photographs. It will also make it easy for the Sunday school children, especially the pre- Bar / Bat Mitzvah students, to join us.

We invite other communities to follow our example. We come together to observe commemorations. This time we will come together to celebrate a *simcha*. For more information contact Esther at GSI@genshoah.org.

# RESTITUTION

The US Department of State announced the establishment of a second-round filing period for the U.S.-France Agreement compensation program to give claimants who may have missed the original deadline an opportunity to submit a claim. The second-round filing period opened on September 15, 2016 and will close on January 20, 2017. Program requirements remain the same, and payments for eligible second-round claims will be made out of the funds remaining after all eligible first-round claims have been paid.

Please see this media link released by the State Department's spokesperson: www.state.gov/r/pa/prs/ps/2016/09/261975.htm

Furthermore, the link to the State Department's website with relevant application information remains the same: www.state.gov/deportationclaims. On this website, you will find Frequently Asked Ouestions and Answers and information on how to make a claim.

My office would very much appreciate if you can help spread the word on the extension of this program. Please post a banner on your websites and include links to the media note and State Department website. For those organizations with chapters overseas, please be sure to spread the word through your organization so that potential claimants living abroad can learn of this program and its extension. Also, if your organizations have newsletters or other social media outlets, please post this information.

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# **UPCOMING CONFERENCES**

9th Annual Powell-Heller Conference on Holocaust Education

#### Women and the Holocaust

October 17 – 19, 2016 Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA

For more: Dr. Beth Griech-Polelle, griechba@plu.edu, www.powellhellerconference.com

#### **Teaching the Holocaust**

October 30 – 31, 2016 Hastings College, Hastings, NE

For more: Nebraska Holocaust Education Consortium

# World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust and Descendants (WFJCSHD),

Generations of the Shoah International (GSI) and **Kindertransport Association (KTA) International, Intergenerational Conference** 

November 4 – 7, 2016 Warner Center Marriott, Woodland Hills, CA

To register: www.genshoah.org/pdfs/gsi 2016 registration packet.pdf For more information: www.holocaustchild.org, holocaustchildla2016@gmail.com,

genshoah@gmail.com

#### Fall Conference for Educators

# **Teaching About the Holocaust and Other Genocides**

December 11, 2016

11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/l\_teachers\_development.html.

# The Jewish Refugee Problem During the Shoah (1933 – 1945) Reconsidered

December 18 – 20, 2016 Yad Vashem, Jerusalem, Israel

For more information: research.institute@yadvashem.org.il Call for Papers Application

# **UPCOMING WORKSHOPS & SEMINARS**

# FAQS: Teaching about the Righteous Among the Nations with Practical Applications

October 6, 2016

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Kean University, Union, NJ

For more: www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/100616faq.pdf

# How Should We Perform the Troubled Past? A Weekend of Concerts and Conversation

October 8-9, 2016

Colburn Conservatory, Los Angeles, CA

For more: www.colburnschool.edu/page.cfm?p=3110

#### **Cecile Seiden Seminar Series: Meet the Author**

October 19, 2016 4:00 - 7:30 pm

Aidekman Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ

For more: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194

# Children of Willesden Lane - A Refugee Story

October 27, 2016

4:00 - 8:00 pm

Holocaust Resource Center of Kean University, 1000 Morris Ave, Union, NJ Registration through Facing History and Ourselves: Children of Willesden Lane - New Jersey

#### **Echoes and Reflections**

October 28, 2016 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

ADP Center for Learning Technologies, Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ

For more: www.state.nj.us/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/102816Echoes.pdf

### **Genocide Prevention through Education**

November 2, 2016 4:00 – 7:00 pm Raritan Valley Community College, Branchburg, NJ

For more: www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/110216sem.pdf

#### **Echoes and Reflections**

November 4, 2016 8:30 am – 3:00 pm

East Valley Middle School, 4920 N. Progress Rd, Spokane, WA

For more: www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/events/286-teacher-seminar-echoes-11-4-16

#### **Election Day Professional Development**

## Elie Wiesel's Night

November 8, 2016 8:30 am - 2:30 pam

Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/l\_teachers\_development.html.

## **Echoes and Reflections: Teaching about Anne Frank**

November 11, 2016 8:30 am – 3:30 pm Historical Society of Princeton, Princeton NJ

For more information: http://echoesandreflections.org/events/program-in-princeton-nj/

# Teacher's Workshop The Resettlement of Survivors of Genocide, Crimes Against Humanity and Mass Atrocity

November 17, 2016 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Ramapo College of New Jersey, Mahwah, NJ

For more: holgen@ramapo.edu

#### **Children of Willesden Lane - A Refugee Story**

November 29, 2016 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY

For more: www.mjhnyc.org/l teachers development.html. Registration through Facing History and

Ourselves: Children of Willesden Lane - New York

#### **Echoes and Reflections Training**

December 2, 2016 8:00 am – Noon JCC, 333 S. 132<sup>nd</sup> Street, Omaha, NE

For registration: <a href="http://ihene.org/echoes-and-reflection-dec-2/">http://ihene.org/echoes-and-reflection-dec-2/</a>

# Localization of Videotaped Testimonies of Victims of National Socialism in Educational Programs

January 9 – 11, 2017

Kardinal Konig Haus, Vienna, Austria

For more: www.erinnern.at/bundeslaender/oesterreich/termine/call-for-participation-workshop-on-videotestimonies-of-victims-of-national-socialism

# Gender and Sexuality in the Holocaust

January 9 - 13, 2017

US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC

For more: www.ushmm.org/research/competitive-academic-programs/faculty-seminars/jack-and-anita-hess-seminar-for-faculty

# **Echoes and Reflections and Elie Wiesel's Night**

April 5, 2017 3:30 – 7:30 pm

Historical Society of Princeton, Princeton NJ

For more: www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/040517Echoes.pdf

# Medicine in the Holocaust and Beyond

May 7 – 11, 2017 Western Galilee, Israel

For more: www.medicineaftertheholocaust.org

# UPCOMING EVENTS

Now – October 2, 2016— Virginia Holocaust Museum, 2000 East Cary St, **Richmond, VA** US Holocaust Memorial Museum exhibit *Deadly Medicine: Creating the Master Race.* More: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=MATEXDEADMEDTX00616

Now – October 20, 2016—City of Santa Fe Arts Commission Community Gallery, 201 Marcy St, **Santa Fe, NM** 

Exhibit: Stitching Our Stories: Connecting Immigrant and Local Communities through Story Cloths and Conversation. For more: <a href="http://artandremembrance.org/our-work/public-programs/stitching-our-stories/">http://artandremembrance.org/our-work/public-programs/stitching-our-stories/</a>

Now – October 24, 2016—Hessian State Archives, **Darmstadt, Germany**German language exhibition of the International Tracing Service: *Wohin sollten wir nach der Befreiung?" – Zwischenstationen: Displaced Persons nach 1945* ("Where should we have gone after the liberation – Transit stops: Displaced Persons after 1945"). For more: <a href="https://www.its-arolsen.org/aktuell/veranstaltungen/veranstaltungen-detailseite/news/detail/News/eroeffnung-dp-ausstellung-in-darmstadt/">https://www.its-arolsen.org/aktuell/veranstaltungen/veranstaltungen-detailseite/news/detail/News/eroeffnung-dp-ausstellung-in-darmstadt/</a>

Now - October 31, 2016—Center for Jewish History, 15 W 16<sup>th</sup> St, **New York, NY** Exhibit: *Stolen Heart: The Theft of Jewish Property in Berlin's Historic Center, 1933 - 1945*. For more information: <a href="https://www.cjh.org/p/42">www.cjh.org/p/42</a>

Now – October 31, 2016—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street, **New York, NY** Exhibit: *Portugal, the Last Hope: Sousa Mendes's Visas to Freedom.* For more please see the Press release, www.cjh.org/p/42

Now – October 31, 2016—Holocaust Center for Humanity, 2045 2nd Avenue, **Seattle, WA** US Holocaust Memorial Museum exhibit *Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals 1933–1945*. For more: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=TENZPRCHOMO0916

Now – November 13, 2016—Stockton University Art Gallery, L-Wing, **Galloway**, **NJ** Exhibit: *Drawing Against Oblivion: Portraits of Children of the Holocaust* by artist **Manfred Bockelmann.** For more: <a href="http://intraweb.stockton.edu/eyos/page.cfm?siteID=188&pageID=123">http://intraweb.stockton.edu/eyos/page.cfm?siteID=188&pageID=123</a>

Now - November 18, 2016—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, **Whippany**, **NJ** Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Art Exhibit: *Commonalities*, donated works of art by Yonia Fain, Marsha Marx, John Less, and Chas Palminteri which all share a common theme of the Holocaust. For more information: <a href="www.jfedgmw.org/access/access-federation-92016/art-exhibit-presents-common-thread-of-holocaust">www.jfedgmw.org/access/access-federation-92016/art-exhibit-presents-common-thread-of-holocaust</a>.

Now – January 8, 2017— Bullock Texas State History Museum, 1800 Congress Ave, **Austin, TX** US Holocaust Memorial Museum exhibit *State of Deception: The Power of Nazi Propaganda*. For more: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=TESTEDCPTION

Now – January 31, 2017—US Holocaust Memorial Museum, **Washington**, **DC** Exhibit: *Some Were Neighbors: Collaboration & Complicity in the Holocaust*. For more: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=TESWNCOLLCOMP0814

Now – March 2017—various locations in **Houston, TX** Handcrafted butterflies from around the world are on display across Houston to memorialize the 1.5 million children who died in the Holocaust. For more information: http://hmh.org/butterflies

October 2, 2016, 6:00 pm—Museum of the History of Polish Jews, **Warsaw**, **Poland** World premiere of the film *Don't Cry When I'm Gone* followed by Q & A with film's producer **Zygmunt Sieradzki** and director **Slawomir Grunberg**. For more: eopawska@polin.pl

October 6–30, 2016—Palazzo Italia (Römischer Hof), Unter den Linden 10, **Berlin, Germany** Fourth annual *Berlin Foto Biennale*, featuring a special section about the *Memory of the Holocaust and The Second Generation* with works from **Aliza Augustine**, **Beth Burstein**, **Via nne Rea**, **Quyen Pfeifer**, and **Sebastian Holzknecht**. For more: berlinfotobiennale.com.

October 9, 2016, 1:00 pm—Museum of Jewish Heritage, **New York, NY** Speaker Series: Testimony from German-born Holocaust Survivor **Ruth Pagirsky**. Free with museum admission. For more information: www.mjhnyc.org/v\_general\_speakers.html

October 9, 2016, 9:00 am—Jewish Federation of Southern NJ Annex Building, **Cherry Hill, NJ** *4th Annual March of Remembrance*, featuring a performance of *Life in a Jar: Irena Sendler*, *The True Story of a Holocaust Hero* at 10:30 am. Fees. For more information: www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/100916March.pdf

October 9, 2016, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL 75th Anniversary Commemoration:** *Babiy Yar Massacre,* commemorating the Holocaust in the former Soviet Union, with speakers, music, documentary footage, presentation of the new *Never Heard Never Forget* book, and intergenerational education workshops. Free. Reservations required: <a href="https://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events</a>

October 13, 2016, 4:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL Educator Open House,** featuring self-guided tours of Museum exhibitions, free resources and program information, and a chance to network and build future partnerships. Refreshments are included. Free admission for teachers and administrators. Advance registration required; <a href="https://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/pages/for-educators/educator-open-house/">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/pages/for-educators/educator-open-house/</a>

October 13, 2016, 7:00 pm—Rowan University, Savitz Hall, Room 245, **Glassboro**, **NJ** Documentary Screening: *Complicit:* The Untold Story of Why the Roosevelt Administration Denied Safe Harbor to Jewish Refugees, followed by discussion with director **Robert Krakow** and St. Louis survivor **Eva Wiener**. For more:

www.nj.gov/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/101316Complicit.pdf

October 15, 2016, 1:00 pm—Yale University, New Haven, CT

Poles and Jews/Jews and Poles: Life Through the Centuries. A Cinematic Perspective. Screening of the film Karski & The Lords of Humanity followed by Q & A with film director Slawomir Grunberg. For more: <a href="mailto:krystyna.illakowicz@yale.edu">krystyna.illakowicz@yale.edu</a> or <a href="mailto:www.jankarski.com">www.jankarski.com</a>

October 17, 2016, 7:00 pm—New School for Social Research, 66 W. 12<sup>th</sup> Street, **New York, NY** Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity* followed by Q & A with film director **Slawomir Grunberg.** For more: <a href="mailto:koziura.karolina@gmail.com">koziura.karolina@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:www.jankarski.com">www.jankarski.com</a>

October 17, 2016, 8:00 pm—Henry Crown Hall, Jerusalem Theater, **Jerusalem, Israel** World premiere of *A Twentieth Century Passion*, an oratorio composed by survivor **A. Peter Gary** to commemorated the Holocaust and honor the 1.5 million children who perished. For more: <a href="https://www.a20thcenturypassion.org">www.a20thcenturypassion.org</a>.

October 19, 2016 – February 15, 2017—California African American Museum, 600 State Dr, **Los Angeles, CA** 

US Holocaust Memorial Museum exhibit: **Politics, Race, and Propaganda: The Nazi Olympics Berlin 1936.** For more:

www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=TENZOLYMPICS1016

October 19 - 21, 2016, 1:00 pm—Wiener Library for the Study of the Holocaust & Genocide, 29 Russell Square, **London**, WC1B 5DP, **England** 

Lunchtime tours as part of the Bloomsbury Festival. For more: lsidebotham@wienerlibrary.co.uk

October 19, 2016, 6:00 pm—Johannesburg Holocaust & Genocide Centre, 1 Duncombe Rd, Forest Town, **Johannesburg, South Africa** *Surviving Stalin: Mord Perlov's Escape from the Gulag.* Mord Perlov, in conversation with Michael Kransdorff, on his personal story of surviving in a Soviet gulag. Hear about Jewish life in Lithuania before the Holocaust, the history of Jewish deporations to communist Labour Camps, and the story of Mord's escape. RSVP <a href="mailto:kim@jhbholocuast.co.za">kim@jhbholocuast.co.za</a>

October 23, 2016, 12:30 pm—Holocaust Memorial and Tolerance Center of Nassau County, 100 Crescent Beach Road, **Glen Cove**, **NY** 

Film: *My Italian Secret*, the story of sports idol Gino Bartali and other courageous Italians who rescued Jews, partisans and refugees from Nazi-occupied Italy. Suggested donation. RSVP to Deborah Lom at (516) 571-8040 or dlom@hmtcli.org.

October 24, 2016, 4:00 pm— Learning Center, Room 28, Drew University, **Madison, NJ** *Comparative Cinematic Racism:* **Dr. Larry Greene,** Professor of History at Seton Hall University, will compare the role of gender and race in the films *Birth of a Nation* and *Jud Süß*. For more: <a href="www.drew.edu/chs/wp-content/uploads/sites/56/Larry-Greene-flyer-20162.pdf">www.drew.edu/chs/wp-content/uploads/sites/56/Larry-Greene-flyer-20162.pdf</a>

October 26, 2016, 11:00 am—Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center of Nassau County (HMTC), Welwyn Preserve, 100 Crescent Beach Road, **Glen Cove, NY** *Can Holocaust Trauma Be Inherited? The Complex Genetic Legacy of the Second Generation*, a discussion with HMTC Scholar-in-Residence. **Linda F. Burghardt**, Ph.D. For more information contact HMTC at (516) 571-8040 or visit <a href="www.hmtcli.org">www.hmtcli.org</a>

October 26, 2016, 2:30 pm—Stockton University Art Gallery, L-Wing, **Galloway, NJ**Panel Discussion in association with *Drawing Against Oblivion* exhibit. For more information: <a href="http://intraweb.stockton.edu/eyos/page.cfm?siteID=188&pageID=123">http://intraweb.stockton.edu/eyos/page.cfm?siteID=188&pageID=123</a>

October 26, 2016, 7:00 pm—Chizuk Amuno Congregation, 8100 Stevenson Rd, **Pikesville, MD** *Stolen Legacy: Nazi Theft and the Quest for Justice.* For more information: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=MAPPBALTMR1016

October 26, 2016, 7:00 pm—The Holocaust Museum & Education Center of Southwest Florida, 4760 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 7, Sandalwood Square, **Naples FL** Film Screening *Enemy of the Reich:* The Noor Inayat Khan Story is a moving account of a young Muslim woman who sacrificed her life to combat the brutal domination of Nazi Germany. For information / RSVP: genshoahswfl@icloud.com or 239-963-9374

October 27, 2016, 12:00 noon—Sheraton Seattle, Seattle, WA

**Voices for Humanity Luncheon** with speakers Holocaust survivor **Steve Adler** and Sudanese survivor **Nyayan.** Fees. For more information <u>Amanda@HolocaustCenterSeattle.org</u> and to RSVP: <u>www.holocaustcenterseattle.org/voices-for-humanity-registration/view/form</u>

October 27, 2016, 4:00 pm— Dorothy Young Center for the Arts, Room 106, Drew University, **Madison, NJ** 

*Conversation with a Witness:* Auschwitz survivor **Hedy Brasch.** For more: www.drew.edu/chs/wp-content/uploads/sites/56/Hedy-Brasch-flyer-20161.pdf

October 27, 2016, 6:00 pm— Mamaroneck Beach & Yacht Club, 555 South Barry Avenue, **Mamaroneck, NY** 

Holocaust & Human Rights Education Center Annual Benefit Dinner honoring The Rosenshein Family. For more: Millie Jasper, (914) 696-0738, www.hhrecny.org

October 27, 2016, 6:30 pm—Bondi Cinema, <u>O Queen Elizabeth Drive, Bondi Beach New South Wales</u> <u>2026</u>, **Sydney, Australia** 

Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity* followed by a Q and A with director **Slawomir Grunberg.** For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a> or <a href="mailto:grunberg@logtv.com">grunberg@logtv.com</a>

October 27, 2016, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, **Whippany**, **NJ**Opening Reception for Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Art Exhibit: *Commonalities*, with Chas Palminteri, the only exhibited artist still living. For more information: <a href="https://www.jfedgmw.org/access/access-federation-92016/art-exhibit-presents-common-thread-of-holocaust">www.jfedgmw.org/access/access-federation-92016/art-exhibit-presents-common-thread-of-holocaust</a>.

RSVP: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or 973-929-3194

October 27, 2016, 7:00 pm—Bender JCC of Greater Washington, **Rockville, MD** Film: *50 Children: The Rescue Mission of Mr. and Mrs. Kraus*, the riveting story of Gilbert and Eleanor Kraus, who, in 1939, embarked on a risky mission to rescue 50 Jewish children from Vienna and bring them to the United States. **Scott Miller**, Director of Curatorial Affairs at the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum will speak following the film, as will the film's writer, director, and producer, **Steven Pressman**. Fees. For more: 301-770-4787.

October 30— November 13, 2016 — **New Brunswick, Piscataway, Princeton, NJ** Seventeenth Annual **Rutgers Jewish Film Festival:** including films that address issues of the Holocaust and memory. For tickets/more information: <a href="http://bildnercenter.rutgers.edu/film">http://bildnercenter.rutgers.edu/film</a>

October 30, 2016, 10:00 am — Cinepolis Cinema, 3165 Rt 46 E, **Parsippany, NJ** Documentary screening: *Shanghai Ghetto*, followed by Q&A with Shanghai ghetto survivor, **Peter Engler.** Fees. For tickets and more information, contact Temple Beth Am at 973 887-0046.

October 30, 2016, 2:00 pm — <u>Event Cinemas</u>, **Sydney, Australia**Documentary Screening: **Don't Cry When I'm Gone**, followed by Q&A with Polish Australian producer, **Zygmunt Sieradzki**, and director, **Slawomir Grünberg**, For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a>

October 30, 2016, 3:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie**, **IL** Exhibit opening: **Lost Stories**, **Found Images: Portraits of Jews in Wartime Amsterdam** by **Annemie Wolff**, a series of photos taken during the German occupation of the Netherlands. The exhibition relates the stories of the German-born Dutch photographer, of each person whose 1943 portrait is included, and the discovery of their identities 70 years later. The opening features remarks from **Jacqueline Shelton-Miller**, an exhibition organizer and the daughter of one of the portrait subjects. Reservations required: <a href="www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events</a>

October 31, 2016 – February 26, 2017 — Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL** 

Exhibit: Lost Stories, Found Images: Portraits of Jews in Wartime Amsterdam by Annemie Wolff. For more: <a href="https://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/</a>

October 31, 2016, 6:00 pm—Symphony Hall, **Boston, MA** *Terezin Music Foundation Silver Anniversary Gala Concert.* Tickets online or 857-222-8263

November 1, 2016, 7:30 pm—92nd St Y, Lexington Ave at 92nd St, New York, NY *Denial* — *The Holocaust on Trial*, a discussion with **Deborah Lipstadt**, **Floyd Abrams** and **Bret Stephens** moderated by **Thane Rosenbaum**. For tickets and more information: <a href="https://www.92y.org/Event/Denial">www.92y.org/Event/Denial</a>

November 2, 2016, 6:00 pm—The Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London**, WC1B 5DP, **England** *Roundtable: Making a Difference: Critical Responses to the Refugee Crises Then and Now.*Speakers will reflect upon the historical examples of the work of Bertha Bracey and Eleanor Rathbone in working and campaigning for refugees in the 1930s and 1940s, and consider parallels with the present day situation, and the problems that such campaigners may encounter in attempting to gain sanctuary for victims of war, oppression and persecution.

For information and to reserve your place: www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=279

November 2, 2016, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL** *Women in the Holocaust.* **Dr. Rochelle Saidel**, author, Executive Director of Remember the Women Institute, and Research Fellow at the International Institute for Holocaust Research at Yad Vashem, will explore the changing roles and unique challenges women faced during the Holocaust. Reservations required; <a href="www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events</a>

November 2, 2016, 6:45 pm—Classic Cinemas, <u>9 Gordon Street, Elsternwick Victoria 3185</u>, **Melbourne, Australia** 

Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity*. For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a> or <a href="mailto:grunberg@logtv.com">grunberg@logtv.com</a>

November 6, 2016, 7:00 pm—White Meadow Temple, 153 White Meadow Rd, **Rockaway**, **NJ** *Kristallnacht Commemoration*, featuring the film, *Margit - Not A23029* and choral selections performed by *HaZamir North Jersey*. For more information: www.state.nj.us/education/holocaust/programs/kristallnacht/110616Temple.pdf

November 7-11, 2016— College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, **Morristown, NJ 26**<sup>th</sup> **Annual Week of Holocaust Remembrance:** Holocaust-related "In-Class Faculty Sessions" open to the community. For more: <a href="https://www.cse.edu/holocaustcenter">www.cse.edu/holocaustcenter</a> or call (973) 290-4351.

November 7, 2016, 7:30 pm—Dolan Performance Hall, College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, **Morristown**, **NJ** 

26<sup>th</sup> Annual Week of Holocaust Remembrance: an Interfaith Kristallnacht service of remembrance, featuring keynote speaker, **Dr. Mary Boys**, Dean of Academic Affairs and Skinner and McAlpin Professor of Practical Theology at Union Theological Seminary, testimony from Kristallnacht survivor **Erwin Ganz**, music, and prayers. Dessert reception will follow. For more: www.cse.edu/holocaustcenter or call (973) 290-4351.

November 8, 2016 – January 17, 2017, 6:30 – 8:30 pm— The Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London**, WC1B 5DP, **England** 

Course: *Genocide After the Holocaust* taught by Kingston University Professor in Holocaust and Genocide Studies **Philip Spencer.** Fees. For more: <a href="www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-on?item=272">www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-on?item=272</a> or contact Neta Lavee at <a href="mailto:nlavee@wienerlibrary.co.uk">nlavee@wienerlibrary.co.uk</a>/

November 9, 2016, 12:00 noon—Law Library Media Center, LM 240 Madison Building, Library of Congress, **Washington**, **DC** 

Forgotten Transports. Film director, political scientist and historian Lukáš Přibyl documented every word of witnesses to the Holocaust by painstakingly researched visual materials and created a series of four award-winning documentary films which trace the history of Czech Jews during the period of World War II. For more: <a href="mailto:gtev@loc.gov">gtev@loc.gov</a>, 202-707-8814 or <a href="mailto:gshi@loc.gov">gshi@loc.gov</a>

November 9, 2016, 5:00 pm— Classic Cinemas, <u>9 Gordon Street, Elsternwick Victoria 3185</u>, **Melbourne, Australia** 

Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity*. For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a> or <a href="mailto:grunberg@logtv.com">grunberg@logtv.com</a>

November 9, 2016, 6:30 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, **Skokie, IL** *Kristallnacht* **Commemoration:** Historian **Richard Breitman** will address US government reaction to those events, and Kristallnacht survivor **Marianne Schwab** will reflect on her experiences. Reservations required: <a href="www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events">www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events</a>

November 9, 2016, 8:00 pm—National Museum of American Jewish History, 101 South Independence Mall East, **Philadelphia**, **PA** 

*Kristallnacht* Commemoration: Philadelphia premiere of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity* followed by Q & A with film director **Slawomir Grunberg.** For more: <a href="mailto:oantsis@gershmany.org">oantsis@gershmany.org</a> or <a href="mailto:www.jankarski.com">www.jankarski.com</a>

November 10, 2016, 12:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, **Whippany**, **NJ** Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Annual *Kristallnacht* Commemoration in the Wilf Memorial, followed by lunch and learn with Holocaust Survivor **Ted Comet**. Lunch provided. For more information: <a href="holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org">holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org</a> or call 973-929-3194.

November 10, 2016, 12:00 noon—Pickford Theater, Madison Building, Library of Congress, **Washington, DC** 

*The Judische Kulturbund Project:* Multimedia presentation and live musical performance in cooperation with the Goethe-Institut and the Rabin Chair Forum of George Washington University. To understand the project's vision of how the Kulturbund is relevant today, see a short video at <a href="www.judischekulturbund.com/shared-stories/">www.judischekulturbund.com/shared-stories/</a>. For more: <a href="mailto:gshi@loc.gov">gshi@loc.gov</a>

November 10, 2016, 6:30 pm—Deer Creek Country Club, **Deerfield Beach, FL** NEXT GENERATIONS **Opening Social.** For more information: <u>betashe1@att.net</u>

November 11, 6:30 p.m.—Temple Emanu-El of West Essex, 264 Northfield Rd, **Livingston NJ** *Annual Kristallnacht Commemoration*: A powerful and memorable night of memory, music, and reflection with keynote speaker, Holocaust survivor **Carl Dubovy**, For more information: www.emanuel.org/community/holocaust/ or call (973) 992-5560.

November 13, 2016, 1:00 pm—Temple Beth Sholom, **Las Vegas, NV** *Kristallnacht* commemoration with keynote speaker **Martin Goldsmith**, Sirius XM personality and author of *Alex's Wake*. For more: <a href="mailto:etfinder@gmail.com">etfinder@gmail.com</a>

November 13, 2016, 1:30 pm—Gratz College, **Melrose Park, PA**Teach In: **Holocaust Denial: History on Trial** with keynote speaker **Deborah Lipstadt.** For more: www.gratz.edu/news/entry/deborah-lipstadt-at-gratz-for-holocaust-teach-in-inbox-x

November 14, 2016, 7:00 pm—North Suburban Temple Beth El, **Highland Park, IL** Film screening of *Claude Lanzmann: Spectres of the Shoah*. For more: www.ushmm.org/events/spectres-highland-park.

November 14, 2016, 7:00 pm—Temple De Hirsch Sinai, 1441 16th Avenue, **Seattle, WA** *Stolen Legacy: Nazi Theft and the Quest for Justice.* For more information www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=WCPPSEATLE1116

November 15, 2016, 4:00 pm— Learning Center, Room 28, Drew University, **Madison, NJ Annual Kristallnacht Commemoration** featuring screening of the film, *The Night of Broken Glass*, with guest speaker **Erwin Ganz**, witness to Kristallnacht. For more: www.drew.edu/chs/wp-content/uploads/sites/56/Erwin-Ganz-Flyer-20162.pdf

November 15, 2016, 7:00 pm—Temple Sholom of Chicago, 3480 N. Lake Shore Dr, **Chicago, IL** Film screening of *Claude Lanzmann: Spectres of the Shoah.* For more: www.ushmm.org/events/spectres-chicago

November 15, 2016, 7:00 pm—Contemporary Jewish Museum, **San Francisco**, **CA** *Stolen Legacy: Nazi Theft and the Quest for Justice*. For more information: www.ushmm.org/events/stolen-legacy-sf

November 16, 2016, 6:30 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 W 16<sup>th</sup> St, New York, NY *Out of the Ghetto: Struggle, Resistance and the Human Spirit*, a discussion about the monumental project to publish the entire Oyneg Shabes Archive, with Eleonara Bergman, Samuel Kassow and Robert Shapiro. For more: <a href="www.yivo.org/Out-of-the-Ghetto">www.yivo.org/Out-of-the-Ghetto</a>. RSVP Required: <a href="fmohrer@yivo.cjh.org">fmohrer@yivo.cjh.org</a> or (212) 294-6143

November 16, 2016, 7:00 pm—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, **Whippany**, **NJ** Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest's Real to Reel Holocaust Film Series: *What Our Fathers Did: A Nazi Legacy*. For more information: <a href="holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org">holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org</a> or 973-929-3194.

November 17, 2016, 12:00 noon—Pickford Theater, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Madison Bldg, Library of Congress, **Washington**, **DC** 

Book talk: *GIRL: My Childhood and the Second World War*, with award-winning Israeli writer and illustrator, **Alona Frankel.** This memoir describes how Alona survived in hiding in Poland. For more: <a href="mailto:gtev@loc.gov">gtev@loc.gov</a> or <a href="mailto:gshi@loc.gov">gshi@loc.gov</a>.

November 17, 2016, 7:00 pm—US Holocaust Memorial Museum, **Washington, DC** Lecture: **The Polish Police: Collaboration in the Holocaust.** For more information: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=MALEVINELEC1116

November 18, 2016, 12:00 pm— Classic Cinemas, <u>9 Gordon Street, Elsternwick Victoria 3185</u>, **Melbourne, Australia** 

Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity*. For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a> or <a href="mailto:grunberg@logtv.com">grunberg@logtv.com</a>

November 19, 2016, 4:00 pm—Michigan Theater, 603 Liberty, **Ann Arbor, MI** Screening of the film *Karski & The Lords of Humanity* followed by a Q & A with film director **Slawomir Grunberg.** For more: genez@umich.edu or www.jankarski.com

November 20, 2016, 2:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 W 16<sup>th</sup> St, **New York, NY** *Family Secrets:* Jewish-Christian Relations and the Holocaust, with Professor **Katharina von Kellenbach** and **Pastor Heidi Neumark**. For more: <a href="http://programs.cjh.org/#">http://programs.cjh.org/#</a>

November 21, 2016, 2:00 pm—Lido Cinemas, <u>675 Glenferrie Rd, Hawthorn Victoria 3122</u>, **Melbourne, Australia** 

Screening of *Karski & The Lords of Humanity*. For more: <a href="http://jiff.com.au/">http://jiff.com.au/</a> or <a href="mailto:grunberg@logtv.com">grunberg@logtv.com</a>

November 22, 2016, 6:30 pm—Center for Jewish History, 15 W 16<sup>th</sup> St, **New York, NY** *Norman Manea Celebration*, honoring the work and influence of Norman Manea, Holocaust survivor and one of the most important contemporary Jewish-Romanian-American writers. For more: <a href="https://www.yivo.org/Honoring-Norman-Manea">www.yivo.org/Honoring-Norman-Manea</a>

November 22, 2016, 7:30 pm—South County Civic Center, Jog Road, **Delray Beach**, **FL** NEXT GENERATIONS **Holocaust Film Series**. For more: patekman1@aol.com

November 23, 2016, 6:00 pm—Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London**, WC1B 5DP, **England** 

Encounters with Albion: Britain and the British in Texts by Jewish Refugees after 1933, a discussion with Anthony Grenville about his forthcoming book which analyses the image of British society as conveyed in over 50 texts by Jewish refugees from Nazism - novels, memoirs, autobiographies, diaries and collections of letters. The book's opening chapters run parallel to the Wiener Library's exhibition A Bitter Road and visitors will have the opportunity to view the exhibition before the talk. For tickets: <a href="https://www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=280">www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=280</a>

November 27, 2016, 3:00 pm—<u>Centrepointe Theatre</u>, 101 Centrepointe Dr, **Nepean, ON, Canada** 

Film screening of *Disobedience: The Sousa Mendes Story*. Q & A following the screening led by **Louis-Philippe Mendes**, grandson of Aristides de Sousa Mendes. Tickets by donation. For more information contact: <a href="mailto:emoscoe@jewishottawa.com">emoscoe@jewishottawa.com</a>

November 28, 2016, 1:00 pm— Wiener Library, 29 Russell Square, **London**, WC1B 5DP, **England** 

**PhD and a Cup of Tea:** *Wiener Library Documents Section 532.* Ph.D. candidate **Miriam Schulz**, will discuss her research on the Wiener Library's Documents Section 532 — the archive of the as yet unknown, first Jewish historical committee documenting the Holocaust in Eastern Europe. For information and tickets: <a href="www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=282">www.wienerlibrary.co.uk/Whats-On?item=282</a>

November 29, 2016, 7:00 pm—Camden County College Blackwood Campus, Civic Hall, Connector Building, **Blackwood**, **NJ** 

Documentary Screening: *Germans and Jews* followed by a discussion with the filmmakers. For more: <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/112916Film.pdf">www.state.nj.us/education/holocaust/programs/workshops/112916Film.pdf</a>

December 13, 2016, 7:00 pm—B'nai Torah Congregation, 6261 Southwest 18th St, **Boca Raton, FL** *A Relentless Pursuit: Bringing Holocaust Perpetrators to Justice.* For more information: www.ushmm.org/online/calendar/eventDetails.php?event=SERELPURBR1216

# **FYI...FOR YOUR INFORMATION**

#### **FYI...** Online newsletters

Sir Martin Gilbert book club www.martingilbert.com/sir-martins-book-club-newsletter/

**FYI...** I am researching the repatriation of Jewish emigrants who escaped from Nazi Germany to the Soviet Union. Some of them were retained in the SU until the 1950s. They were freed in late 1955 and sent to Western Germany together with German prisoners of war, as a result of

Adenauer's Moscow Mission in autumn of 1955. It is known that at least 15 of them arrived in Germany, e.g. Max Broniatowsky with daughter Evelyn and son Hans; Leon Lewitan, Horst Liebmann and Harry Osters from Berlin. If anyone knows these persons and other 1955/56 remigrants, their names, personal data and their whereabouts after repatriation, please contact me. I appreciate any piece of information whatsoever. Please email <a href="wmensing@t-online.de">wmensing@t-online.de</a> — Wilhelm Mensing, Bonn/Germany.

FYI... World Organization of Bukovina Jews and Descendants, based in Israel, focuses on documenting, restoring and preserving Jewish heritage sites from Bukovina (Romania, Ukraine, Moldova and Bessarabia), including the treacherous route that Jews, expelled from their homes during the Holocaust, were forced to take to Transnistria. Our goal is to remember the life that was left behind; provide future generations with a taste from the past and bring it into their lives today; either by historical trips to restore Jewish cemeteries or to see what remains of Jewish culture in those countries, to share survival stories, pictures or even recipes from 'back home'. We welcome your participation in this modern, interactive world community newsletter. Yochanan Ron Singer, Chairman of the Board and President For more please contact Carol Elias: Email: carol8helen@gmail.com

**FYI...** July 5-19, 2017. An exciting and affordable summer study and travel institute sponsored by the Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies (CHGS) and open to the public: "World War II and the Holocaust in Central Europe." The study and travel institute will explore select themes

of World War II and the Holocaust as they unfolded in Central Europe and includes 12 days of group travel to explore historical and geographical sites, museums, and culture Berlin, Dresden, Theresienstadt/Terezin, Prague, Brno and Budapest. The public, family and friends are all welcome. Get on our mailing list by emailing cmauriello@salemstate.edu.

*FYI...* 2017 **Journey on the Road to Freedom** remembrance tour from Bordeaux, France to Lisbon Portugal, organized by the Sousa Mendes Foundation. The dates of the trip are June 24-July 4, 2017 and the cost is \$2800. This trip retraces the footsteps of the Holocaust rescuer Aristides de Sousa Mendes and the refugees of 1940. For more information or to sign up, here is the link: <a href="https://www.sousamendesfoundation.org/journey-on-the-road-to-freedom">www.sousamendesfoundation.org/journey-on-the-road-to-freedom</a>

FYI...For the latest on the Baltics: <a href="http://defendinghistory.com/welcome-to-defending-history">http://defendinghistory.com/welcome-to-defending-history</a>

**FYI...** For information on the adult March of the Living, which will be April 19, 2017, <a href="http://motl.org/programs/adults/">http://motl.org/programs/adults/</a>

FYI... Videos, audios and /or slideshows of interest:

<u>Inside Germany's 'neo-Nazi village' of Jamel (BBC)</u>

Mein Kampf, Nazi badge, Hitler pix: 1934 Nazi time capsule found in Poland

Nazi-era coins, photos, Hitler's book found in Poland

Hitler pix, Mein Kampf, badge & coins: Nazi time capsule uncovered in Poland

What can we learn from a Nazi time capsule? (National Geographic)

Hitler's 3-mile-long abandoned Nazi resort is transforming into a luxury ...

WJC VIDEO: The Babi Yar nightmare

Chicago family donates prized papers to U.S. Holocaust Museum

First Person 2016: Halina Peabody

First Person 2016: Irene Weiss

First Person: Holocaust Survivors On Raising A Family

Holocaust survivor shares story of those who hid her from the Nazis

A Personal Quest for Justice: The Origins of Genocide and Crimes Ag...

Almost Lost: The Heinemann Legacy (Before, During, and After the Holocaust)

Meet Joel Sollender, the Jewish Prisoner of the Nazis Taking It to Donald Trump in Hillary's Latest Ad

A Holocaust music video that the world must see – Israel ...

**FYI...** Articles in the news...Note: links were active when the newsletter was written but some links may now have been deactivated by the publisher. If any link doesn't work, you can look for the story using a search engine, e.g., <u>Google</u>, <u>Yahoo</u> or others.

The power of memory and the United Nations

Website launched to inform country's Holocaust survivors ...

Holocaust Survivors' Needs Grow, and Aid Is Slow to Catch Up

World's oldest man, a Holocaust survivor in Israel, to celebrate bar mitzvah 100 years late

113-year-old Auschwitz survivor to celebrate his Bar Mitzvah which he missed a century ago

World's Oldest Man—a 113-year-old Israeli Holocaust Survivor—To Celebrate His Bar Mitzvah

World's Oldest Working Journalist, 90-Year-Old Holocaust Survivor Noah Klieger, Fears Nazi Genocide Will Be Forgotten in 50 Years

Meet the Israeli Olympian who survived the Holocaust and the Munich massacre

'Where The Holocaust And The Nakba Meet'

Would You Hide a Jew From the Nazis?

The Holocaust told from the perspective of a teddy bear

A Ukrainian city remembers its Jewish past (Deutsche Welle)

Why Ukraine's newest Holocaust memorial is so important

Ronald S. Lauder: Why Holocaust remembrance matters today

'We are here to try to learn the lessons of the past, but also look to the future'

Six Cups: A Wedding Present, a Family History, and Ukraine ...

World Jewish Congress to co-organize events on 75th anniversary of Babi Yar massacre

On Babi Yar's 75th Anniversary, a Jew Joins Forces With Ukraine's Far Right

Jutta Limbach, former German chief justice and chair of art restitution panel, passes away

German judge on hot seat for helping survivors? - Jewish Week

German Judge Avoids Punishment for Helping Survivors Get Pensions

Controversy mounting as Auschwitz trial in Germany stalls amid legal wrangling

Charges of foot-dragging as Auschwitz medic, 95, set to return to court

'Nazi Grandma' holocaust denier Ursula Haverbeck sentenced to jail

German court jails 87-year-old Holocaust denier

German court drops case against woman, 92, who worked at Auschwitz

German court jails 87-year-old Holocaust denier

The Jewish 'Avengers' Who Tried to Poison Hundreds of Nazi Prisoners After World War Two

Joseph Harmatz, leader of Jewish 'Avengers' of Nazis, dies at 91

Jewish World War II 'avenger' Harmatz dead at 91 - Associated Press

Joseph Harmatz, one of last Jewish 'Avengers,' dies at 91

10 Myths About the Nazis (Watch)

New generation shifts Holocaust conversation in 'Germans & Jews'

Right-populist party's strong showing in Berlin voting seen as 'Nazi renaissance'

German Jews See 'Nazi Renaissance' in Far Right Breakthrough in Berlin

20 years of 'Stolpersteine' - msn.com

Last surviving Nuremberg prosecutor donates \$1M to US Holocaust museum

The improbable story of the man who won history's 'biggest murder trial' at Nuremberg (Washington Post)

Archive of Signatures and Photographs of Nuremberg War Trials to be Auctioned

After seven decades fighting genocide, this 96-year-old prosecutor is still hard at work

Finding His Place, Reluctantly, in the Tribe of Judaism

The Jewish museum in a town with only one Jew in it - The Forward

Looted painting from Hitler's wall went up for Auction earlier this year

Will Victims of Nazi Art Thieves Finally Get Justice?

Hitler's Island Beach Resort in Germany Opens for Vacationers

Human bones found near former Berlin Nazi research site

<u>Chilling – Human Samples from Evil Nazi Joseph Mengele's Collection Discovered in Munich Museum Archives</u>

Nazi Monster Heinrich Himmler's Diaries Throw Light on the Workings of His Evil Mind

Heidegger Was Really a Real Nazi

Amazing Photo Collection Of The Fuehrerbunker in Berlin

Breaking blitzkrieg: How crystal meth fueled Hitler's conquest of Europe

Blitzed: Newly Translated Book Will Show How Crystal Meth Sustained the Third Reich in World War Two

Adolf Hitler — The evil mastermind, the 'super junkie'

Adolf Hitler: Dictator and Drug Addict

Hitler's Vision Of Germania Still Casts Its Long Shadow Over Berlin

Notorious Nazi Julius Streicher – The Evil Voice Of Anti-Semitism

A Nazi Donald Duck? The Epic 1943 Disney Satire "Der Fuehrer's Face"!

87-year-old 'Nazi Grandma' to serve jail time

German nationalist lawmaker lashes out at Jewish activist

German nationalist probed for selling Nazi-era memorabilia

Iconic works by expressionist Kirchner go on show in Berlin

WJC President Ronald Lauder hosts Austrian Chancellor Christian Kern, thanks him for being 'true friend of Israel and Jewish people'

The danger in Poland's frontal attack on its Holocaust history - Macleans.ca

Poland Is Poised to Put 'Bad' Historians of the Holocaust in Prison

Finding My Own Truth As Poland Rewrites Holocaust History

'Demon' Is a Holocaust Ghost Story That Bravely Confronts Poland's Past

A synagogue is born in a little Polish town, but no Jews are left

Archaeologists in Poland dig up Nazi time capsule with war-era artifacts

'Perfectly Preserved' Nazi Time Capsule Unearthed In Poland

Nazi "time capsule" from 1934 found, opened in Poland

Nazi-era time capsule unearthed in Poland

Nazi Time Capsule From 1934 Unearthed in Present Day Poland

Nazi Time Capsule Opened In Poland, But It's Missing a Movie From 1934

Nazi Era Time Capsule Opened By Archaeologist: Perfectly Preserved Copies of Mein Kampf Included!

Nazi Gold Train: Major Dig in Poland Comes Up Empty, Treasure Hunters Vow to Continue the Search

5 Lesser-Known Facts About the Most Notorious Nazi Death Camp – Auschwitz

When Four Prisoners Escaped Auschwitz by Stealing A Car And Driving Out The Front Gates

Witold Pilecki – The Incredible Story of The Man Who Volunteered for Auschwitz

The 96-Year-Old Barber of Auschwitz Retires — After 6 Decades in Business

Mickey Mouse figurine resurfaces near Auschwitz

Chilling Drone Footage of Auschwitz-Birkenau, the Notorious Nazi WW2 Death Camp

Lviv remembers its Jewish past

Lviv opens Jewish memorial on former historic synagogue - JTA

The Horror of the Lwów Ghetto in WW2

Polish artist finds 19th-century Jewish scripture in garbage heap

Israeli ambassador hosts Polish priest accused of anti-Semitism

Stones Of Remembrance In Lithuania | Huffington Post

Hope for change in Lithuania

75 years later, Jews are back to a town in Lithuania

Holocaust Commemorations Planned Throughout Lithuania This Weekend

Hungary blocks Holocaust denial sites

US congressman & Holocaust survivor's daughter returns Hungarian award in protest

Hungary award returned after 'racist' writer honoured

**Hundreds Protest Vandalism of Budapest Holocaust Memorial** 

Former antisemitic Hungarian MP who discovered Jewish roots to make Aliya

Why This Former Anti-Semite From Hungary Is Moving to Israel

Former far-right Hungarian pol with Jewish roots is moving to Israel

Plans to remove pigsty on site of former Nazi camp in Czech Republic

There's A Reason This Holocaust Survivor Goes Back To His Synagogue In Greece Every Summer

The recurring need to recall Anne Frank

Woman's dying wish ends Dutch Jewish cemetery's century of disuse

Brussels adviser who likened Israel to ISIS and Nazis tenders resignation

Scholars Uncover Secret Message from Mussolini

Italian fans boo Israeli anthem, give Nazi salute at World Cup qualifier

The French count who saved a Jewish family from the Nazis - Jerusalem Post

The Catholic, French count who saved a Jewish family from the Nazis

The women in WWII Paris who 'did what they had to' for survival

A French survivor seeks honors for his Rosh Hashanah rescuers

Art meets history in homage to legendary French Jewish dealer

Brexit prompts some Jewish Britons to reconcile with German roots - Reuters

US-run fund begins reimbursing survivors shipped to Nazi camps via French trains

Story of Jewish sisters murdered in Auschwitz revealed by family who rescued their dolls - Daily Mail

UK veterans outraged Churchill's home converted to Nazi HQ for new movie

UK Jews urge Livingstone expulsion from Labour Party after he reaffirms Hitler remarks

UK's Labour suspends Jewish donor for likening Nazis to Corbyn leadership

British Labour Party activist questions Holocaust Remembrance Day, existence of anti-Semitism

Britain's secret WWII plan: Stink bomb Hitler

Hitler supporters in UK hand out food to 'white-only' homeless people

**David Irving Sticks to His Script** 

Boasting 'Hitler was right,' Neo-Nazi's set up 'whites only' food bank in Scotland

Kirk quest to find Jewish girls saved by 'Scotland's Schindler'

Will belonging to Scot who died in Auschwitz found in ...

Jane Haining: Scottish Missionary Hero Who Died in Auschwitz Revealed

Documents 'shed light' on Scotswoman killed at Auschwitz - BBC News

Last wishes of a Scot who died in Auschwitz

Holocaust heroine's will, lost photos, unearthed in Scotland

Scottish Jews memories of the holocaust to feature in new heritage centre

Report: Tenured Holocaust Denying Professor Asked by Canadian University to Resign, Following Outcry by Jewish Group

Kindertransport survivor fights at UN to bring Syrian refugees to the US

Meet the American couple who saved refugees during WWII

Museum honors non-Jews who saved lives during the Holocaust

10 inspiring Jews who died in 5776

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