Dear Members and Friends,

This month we again pause to remember the events of Kristallnacht. To those of you who continue to work to preserve this history and the memories of the survivors, we give our heartfelt appreciation.

The New York Jewish Week has reported that representatives of the Dutch National Railway have agreed to meet with Jewish leaders to discuss the issue of more than 100,000 Jews whom the railroad transported to their deaths in Nazi concentration camps during the Holocaust. The article appears below (see Netherlands) and we will have more information as this develops.

Thank you,

Generations of the Shoah International (GSI)

Membership in our interactive leadership listserv is open to leaders / representatives of landsmanschaften 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 USA and from other countries. This global interactive listserv is the fastest way to reach the survivor community: genshoah@gmail.com.

For event submissions: www.genshoah.org/contact_gsi.html. Please fill out the information requested in the text areas and submit it to us at genshoah@gmail.com. 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 areas in the USA.

All times listed below are local unless otherwise stated.

Visit our GSI website at www.genshoah.org 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 [www.facebook.com/groups/genshoah/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/genshoah/). Joining Facebook is free and easy: [www.facebook.com](http://www.facebook.com).

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

On November 18 and 19 (Monday and Tuesday), representatives of the Mémorial de la Shoah in Paris will be in New York City meeting with survivors from all countries, as well as their family members, to scan treasured photographs and documents of all types. The scanned images will become part of the permanent collection of Mémorial de la Shoah, the preeminent repository of Holocaust archives in Europe. Scanning will take place by appointment at the Selfhelp Community Services, Inc., 520 Eighth Avenue, 5th Floor, New York, NY.

To make an appointment in the US contact nlefenfeld@gmail.com or cell phone: 301.908.2757. In France: lior.smajda@memorialdelashoah.org or cell phone: 33 1 53 01 17 28.

**REPARATIONS / RESTITUTION**

Rubio, Rosen, Scott Introduce Legislation to Restore Holocaust Survivors' Rights

**UPCOMING CONFERENCES**

**World Federation of Jewish Child Survivors of the Holocaust & Descendants**

*GSI / KTA Conference*

November 1 – 4, 2019
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

**Rokhl Overbakh: The Bridge Between Wartime and Postwar Testimony**

November 3 - 4, 2019
Sterling Memorial Library, Yale University, 120 High Street, New Haven, CT

**The Holocaust and Europe:**

*Research Trends, Pedagogical Approaches and Political Challenges*

November 4 – 7, 2019
Das Institut für Zeitgeschichte, Munich, Germany

**The 75th Anniversary of the Liberation of Auschwitz**

January 26 – 29, 2020
Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial and Museum, Poland

For more: 212-335-0544 or delegation@preserveauschwitz.org.
50th Anniversary Scholar’s Conference on the Holocaust & the Churches

**The History and Future of the Holocaust and its Memory**
   March 7 – 10, 2020
   University of Texas at Dallas, Dallas, TX

**Approaching the History of Internment:**
Reconsiderations of Wartime Britain and Beyond
   March 16 – 18, 2020
   IAS Common Ground, Institute of Advanced Studies, Ground Floor, South Wing, University College London, Gower Street, London WC1E 6BT

**Liberation 75**
Global Gathering of Holocaust Survivors, Descendants, Educators and Friends
   May 31 – June 2, 2020
   Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Toronto, Ontario, Canada

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**Upcoming Workshops, Seminars & Webinars**

**Election Day Professional Development for Teachers**
   November 5, 2019 9:00 am - 2:30 pm
   Museum of Jewish Heritage – A Living Memorial to the Holocaust, New York, NY

**Should the Jews Keep Quiet?**
American Jewish Leaders & the Holocaust
   November 10, 2019 9:30 am - 5:30 pm
   Menachem Begin Heritage Center, Jerusalem, Israel

   Gumpert Teachers’ Workshop
   **In Hiding: Saving Jewish Lives in the Holocaust**
   November 14, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
   Ramapo College of NJ, 505 Ramapo Valley Road, Mahwah, NJ

   Professional Development Workshop
   **Global Implications of Genocide**
   November 18, 2019 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
   Annunciation Center, College of St. Elizabeth, Morristown, NJ

**Between Enemy Combatant and Racial ‘Other’:**
Nazi Persecution of Soviet POWs
   January 6 – 10, 2020
   US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Washington, DC
“Writing to let you know…”

A Scholarly Workshop on Letter from the Holocaust

February 24 – 27, 2020
Memorial de la Shoah, Paris, France

Call for Papers A Scholarly Workshop on Letters from the Holocaust

New Approaches in German-Jewish Studies, Refugee and Migration Studies & Public Representations of German and/or German-Jewish History and Culture

March 26 -27, 2020
Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

UPCOMING EVENTS

Now – November 7, 2019—W.T. Woodson High School, 9525 Main St, Fairfax, VA
Performance: Letter to Sala. Based on the true story of a young girl’s survival in Nazi labor camps and the secret letters she risked her life to keep. Purchase tickets here

Exhibit: Ordinary Treasures: Highlights from the Museum of Jewish Heritage Collection, inspired by the Museum’s original Core Exhibition and by the Museum publication To Life: 36 Stories of Memory and Hope. Free one-hour guided tours available Tuesdays at 3:00 pm.

Now – December 31, 2019—Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th Street, New York, NY
Exhibit: The Art of Exile: Paintings by German-Jewish Refugees, featuring works from the Leo Baeck Institute’s art collection made by German-speaking Jewish artists while they were in exile.

Exhibit: The Number on Great-Grandpa’s Arm, featuring the short HBO documentary accompanied by rotoscope animation which brings the film’s archival footage and photos to life.

Now – January 12, 2020—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL
Special exhibit: Revealed: Life Behind the Ghetto Walls, Memory Unearthed: The Lodz Ghetto Photographs of Henryk Ross

20th Anniversary Exhibit: Learning to Remember, highlights of some of the most compelling, thought-provoking, and historically significant exhibitions presented by the Museum in the last two decades.

Now—August 30, 2020 — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Exhibit: Auschwitz. Not long ago. Not far away. The most comprehensive exhibition dedicated to the history of Auschwitz and its role in the Holocaust ever presented in North America, bringing together over 700 original objects and 400 photographs of Auschwitz, from over 20 institutions and museums around the world.
November 2, 2019, 6:00 pm—Politics & Prose/Union Market, 1270 5th St, NE, Washington, DC
Max Hirshfeld Sweet Noise: Love in Wartime.

November 3 – 17, 2019 — New Brunswick and Princeton, NJ
Twentieth Annual Rutgers Jewish Film Festival, including films about the Holocaust.

November 3, 2019, 11:00 am— Hebrew Union College, 1 West 4th Street, New York, NY
3GNY Intergenerational Brunch with a panel discussion featuring three generations of the Berliner family. Purchase Brunch tickets here.

November 4 - 7, 2019— College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, Morristown, NJ
29th Annual Week of Holocaust Remembrance: Holocaust-related "In-Class Faculty Sessions" open to the community. Special events throughout the week using the lessons of the Holocaust to discuss ways in which we can all combat contemporary hatred.

November 4, 2019, 2:00 pm — Midtown Manhattan, New York, NY
The JDC and the Jews of Alsace and Algeria, 1940-1963, presented by Lauren Henry, Doctoral Candidate and 2019 JDC Archives Fellowship recipient. RSVP is required for location details.

November 4, 2019, 7:30 pm—Dolan Performance Hall, College of Saint Elizabeth, 2 Convent Rd, Morristown, NJ
Interfaith Kristallnacht Commemoration featuring keynote lecture Kristallnacht: Crescendo and Overture delivered by Professor Peter Hayes, and testimony from Holocaust Survivor Mark Schonwetter and his daughter Ann Arnold. Dessert reception will follow. Registration required.

November 5, 2019, 7:00 pm—Ahmanson Auditorium, University Hall, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA
Annual Kristallnacht Commemoration - Loyola Marymount University RSVP 310-338-1917.

November 5, 2019, 7:30 pm—Shapiro Memorial Synagogue, AJU’s Familian Campus, 15600 Mulholland Dr, Los Angeles, CA
Heather Morris author of Cilka's Journey. Fees. For more: (310) 440-1572; wcce@aju.edu

November 6, 2019, 4:00 pm—Mead Hall Founder’s Room, Drew University, Madison, NJ
Kristallnacht Commemoration, with Dr. Joseph Eisinger, Kindertransport survivor and author of Flight and Refuge: Reminiscences of A Motley Youth.

November 6, 2019, 7:00 pm—Manhattanville College, 2900 Purchase Street, Purchase, NY
13 Drivers’ Licenses tells the story of students from a small German village discovering drivers’ licenses taken from Jews by Nazis during the Holocaust. An exhibit will display the license photos, photos of the homes people left behind, and photos of their families and descendants. Presentation by one of the descendants, Lisa Salko, For more: mjasper@hhrecny.org

November 6, 2019, 7:00 pm—Mitchell Hamline School of Law, Conservatory Room 147, 875 Summit Avenue, St. Paul, MN
From the Nazis to the Neo-Nazis with Fred Amram, Holocaust survivor, and Dr. Ellen Kennedy, World Without Genocide. Fees.
November 7, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL

**Kristallnacht: Beginning of the End, End of the Beginning.** The program includes Hazzan Benjamin A. Tisser, candle lighting, and “Silenced Voices” by Black Oak Ensemble, recently discovered string trio pieces by Jewish composers, all but one of whom died in Nazi-occupied Europe. For more: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

*Snapshots From a Lost World*, a discussion with Dr. Ann Weiss, author of *The Last Album: Eyes from the Ashes of Auschwitz-Birkenau*.

November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — Ulrich Recital Hall, University of Maryland, College Park, MD


November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — Lloyd Ultan Recital Hall, Ferguson Hall, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

**Piercing the Silence: Holocaust Memories and Lessons in Concert** with 2G Janet Horvath.

November 7, 2019, 7:00 pm — All Faiths Chapel, Chapman University, Orange, CA

**An Interfaith Service of Remembrance for Kristallnacht, 1938 - 2019**

November 8, 2019, 12:00 noon— Mumford Room, James Madison Memorial Building (6th floor Rm 649), Library of Congress, 101 Independence Ave, Washington, DC

Performance of Ladino music, the Sephardic Jewish language now endangered because numerous speakers were killed in the Holocaust. Sarah Aroeste, Shai Bachar, and Ellie Falaris Ganelin perform and offer educational commentary. For more: gshi@loc.gov.

November 9, 2019, 7:00 pm— The United Church, Washington, DC


November 10, 2019, 10:00 am - 9:00 pm— Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

Day-Long Commemoration of the 81st anniversary of Kristallnacht, the Night of Broken Glass; museum admission is free.

November 10, 2019, 12:00 noon— Temple Beth Sholom, 10700 Havenwood Ln, Las Vegas, NV

**Kristallnacht Commemoration** with Rabbi Felipe Goodman and Ty Perry of the Friends of Israel Gospel Ministry. For more: etfinder@gmail.com

November 10, 2019, 12:30— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL

**Survivor Talks – In Our Voices.** Holocaust survivors tell their stories. For more: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org)

November 10, 2019, 1:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

**Stories Survive Speaker Series**: Hear World War II veteran Eugene Polinsky discuss his experiences flying secret missions for the OSS supporting resistance groups in occupied Europe. RSVP requested.
November 10, 2019, 2:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Third Annual Dr. Yaffa Eliach Lecture: *The World of Auschwitz*, with Dr. Debórah Dwork, Founding Director of the Center for Holocaust and Genocide Studies at Clark University. Family members of Dr. Eliach’s will also speak about pioneering research and singular life.

November 10, 2019, 2:00 pm — Sperling-Kronberg-Mack Holocaust Resource Center at Midbar Kodesh Temple, Henderson, NV
Book Release/Author Presentation and Art Exhibit for *A Victory for Miriam! The Little Jewish Girl Who Defied the Nazis*, by Joanne D. Gilbert and Miriam M. Brysk. For more information: jdgilbert18@msn.com.

November 10, 2019, 2:00 pm—Temple Emanu-El, Arguello & Lake Street, San Francisco, CA
**Commemoration of Kristallnacht** featuring *The Mitzvah Project*, a Holocaust-themed one-person play and lecture, written and performed by Roger Grunwald.

November 10, 2019, 3:00 pm—Shaare Shamayim, Philadelphia, PA

November 10, 2019, 7:00 pm—Adath Shalom, 841 Mountain Way, Morris Plains, NJ
**Kristallnacht Commemoration** with guest speaker Maud Dahme, Holocaust survivor and educator. For more information: call 973 539-4440 or email MLR161@optonline.net

November 11, 2019, 2:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
**Stories Survive: An Eyewitness Account of Kristallnacht**. Hear Kristallnacht survivor Ruth Zimbler’s first-person account of Kristallnacht.

November 11, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
**Kristallnacht History & Significance: Talk With Natalia Aleksiun**, Associate Professor, Touro Graduate School of Jewish Studies, will discuss the history leading up to Kristallnacht, and the impact of Kristallnacht on the religious, economic, and social dynamics of Jews within Nazi Germany.

November 12, 2019, 1:30 pm—Ramapo College, Alumni Lounges SC138, Mahwah, NJ
**Experiences of Refugees Coming to America Related in Their Own Words** with Lee T. Bycel, Sinton Visiting Professor of Holocaust, Ethics and Refugee Studies at the University of San Francisco and author of *Refugees in America: Stories of Courage, Resilience, and Hope in Their Own Words*.

November 12, 2019, 7:00 pm—122 E. Culver Street, Phoenix, AZ
Screening of *Bogdan’s Journey* which deals with the events in Kielce, Poland in 1946. November 12, 2019, 7:00 pm—FIC Chapel, Wallace All Faiths Chapel, Chapman University, Orange, CA
Performance: *Etty* adapted and performed by Susan Stein.
November 13, 2019, 6:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
3GNY visits Auschwitz Exhibit: Not Long Ago. Not Far Away. Hear from some of 3GNY’s WEDU (We Educate) participants who will share their grandparents’ stories of survival in Auschwitz and discuss how they use those stories to educate high school students about the atrocities of the Holocaust. Fees. Purchase Exhibit tickets here

November 13, 2019, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Book Launch: Tehran Children: A Holocaust Refugee Odyssey, with author Mikal Dekel, daughter of one of the children who found refuge from the Nazis in Iran.

November 13 & 14, 2019, 7:00 pm — St. Ann & the Holy Trinity Church. 157 Montague St, Brooklyn, NY
Performance of scenes from Peter Weiss’ play The Investigation, a searing piece of theater adapted from the Frankfurt Auschwitz Trials of 1963–1965, followed by guided discussions about the lasting impact of mass murder on individuals, families, communities, and countries.

November 14, 2019, 6:30 pm—Sydney Jewish Museum, 148 Darlinghurst Rd, Darlinghurst, Australia
Kristallnacht Commemoration: Courage to Speak with Dr. Stephen D. Smith, Executive Director of the USC Shoah foundation. For more: Suzanne.green@nswjbd.com

November 15 – 23, 2019—Greater Washington, DC
40 Years of Filmmaking: An Aviva Kempner Retrospective. Daughter of Holocaust survivors Aviva Kempner will be featured at the Washington Jewish Film Festival.

November 15, 2019, 4:00 pm—Gateway Lecture Hall, Ocean County College, Toms River NJ
Remembering Kristallnacht: a commemoration with guest speaker Sami Steigmann, Holocaust survivor and educator.

November 17, 2019, 1:30 pm—Millburn Free Public Library, 200 Glen Ave, Millburn, NJ
Remembrance Through Music: Commemorating The Kristallnacht, featuring two songs written to anonymous poems that survived the Holocaust which were found in the family archive by the son of Holocaust survivors Mark Mayerowitz, who will discuss their discovery.

November 17, 2019, 1:30 pm—Holocaust Documentation & Education Center, 303 N. Federal Hwy, Dania Beach, FL
Film Screening: Exodus 1947. Fees. RSVP: 954-929-5690 x304, education@hdec.org. Opportunity to view the traveling exhibition Israel: Then & Now after the screening.

November 17, 2019, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie IL
Citizen 865: The Hunt for Hitler’s Hidden Soldiers in America. Debbie Cenziper, Washington Post investigative reporter, discusses efforts by “Nazi Hunters” in the Justice Department’s Office of Special Investigations to bring to justice Nazis who fled to the US after World War II. For more: www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events
November 17, 2019, 2:30 pm—Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church, 625 111st Ave. N., Naples, FL
Kristallnacht Commemoration with Rabbi Stephen Fuchs, son of a Kristallnacht survivor, and kick-off to Butterflies of Hope and Remembrance. For more: genshoahswfl@gmailcom

November 17, 2019, 3:00 pm—Beth El Congregation, 8215 Old Georgetown Rd, Bethesda, MD
Forgotten Transports: Testimonials of Bystanders to Deportations with (3G) Lukas Pribyl and musical performance by the Danville Quartet. Fees. For more: gennafterevents@gmail.com

November 17, 2019, 3:00 pm—Northbrook Public Library, Northbrook, IL

November 17, 2019, 7:00 pm—B’nai Tzedek Congregation, 10601 S. Glen Rd, Potomac, MD
Screening of The Righteous Gypsy with Jakov Sadler. Fees.

November 18, 2019, 12 noon—Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, Whippany, NJ
Holocaust Council of Greater MetroWest Bagels & Books: Something Beautiful Happened by Yvette Manessis Corporon, about the people of a small Greek island who hid a Jewish family during WWII. Bagels and coffee provided; bring your appetite for a discussion. For more: holocaustcouncil@jfedgmw.org or call 973-929-3194.

November 18, 2019, 3:00 pm & 8:00 pm—Center for Jewish History, New York, NY
Film Screening: The Righteous Gypsy, the story of the only Gypsy woman honored by Israel as Righteous among the Nations. https://programs.cjh.org/

November 18, 2019, 6:00 pm — Sotheby’s, 1334 York Ave, New York, NY
Lisbon: Harbor of Hope for Jewish Refugees, presented by Dr. Marion Kaplan, three-time National Jewish Book Award winner and Skirball Professor of Modern Jewish History at New York University, followed by reception and optional tour of the Judaica Collection at Sotheby's.

November 19, 2019, 7:00 pm—Birnbaum JCC, 775 Talamini Rd, Bridgewater, NJ
3GNJ Movie Night: Who Will Write Our History, the story of the Warsaw Ghetto’s Oyneg Shabes Archive, followed by Q&A with Dr. Adara Goldberg, Director, Holocaust Resource Center at Kean University.

November 20, 2019, 2:30 and 7:30 pm—Kravis Center for the Performing Arts, West Palm Beach, FL
The Night Concert

November 21, 2019, 4:00 pm—Luskin Conference Center, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA
Tehran Children: A Holocaust Refugee Odyssey with Mikhail Dekel, Professor of English and Comparative Literature at CUNY. For more: cjssrvp@humnet.ucla.edu

November 21, 2019, 6:30 pm—Wiener Holocaust Library, London, UK
Being Human 2019: Discovering Lost Children after World War II
November 21, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie, IL

_They Shall Be Counted: The Theresienstadt Ghetto Art of Erich Lichtblau-Lesky._

Museum Chief Curator of Collections Arielle Weininger will discuss Lichtblau-Lesky’s illustrations and Holocaust survivor and toy inventor Ivan Moscovich will touch on how art and imagination can serve as a form of resistance. For more: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

November 21, 2019, 7:30 pm—Iona College, Spellman Hall, 715 North Ave, New Rochelle, NY

Kristallnacht Commemoration - *Hitler’s Furies: German Women in the Nazi Killing Fields* with guest speaker Wendy Lower.

November 24, 2019, 1:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY

_Spiritual Resistance in Auschwitz_, with Judith Tydor Baumel-Schwartz, Director of the Arnold and Leona Finkler Institute of Holocaust Research at Bar-Ilan University, who will share the extraordinary story of a shofar that survived the horrors of Auschwitz and a Nazi death march, as well as other forms of spiritual resistance during the Holocaust.

November 24, 2019, 2:00 pm — Center for Jewish History, 15 West 16th St, New York, NY

_One of the Greatest Untold Stories of WWII: A Decade-Long Quest after My Father and a Quarter Million Other Holocaust Refugees_, with Mikhal Dekel, author of _Tehran Children: A Holocaust Refugee Odyssey_. [https://programs.cjh.org/](https://programs.cjh.org/)

November 24, 2019, 2:00 pm— Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie IL

Film & Discussion: *Memories of the Eichmann Trial._ David Perlov’s 1979 Israeli documentary showcases trial witnesses, Holocaust survivors and others directly involved in the Eichmann case. For more: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

November 24, 2019, 4:30 pm—Miami Dade College, Room 8203, 300 NE Second Ave, Miami, FL

_Never Forget: True Stories of Resistance_. Eric Lichtblau’s *Return to the Reich: A Holocaust Refugee’s Secret Mission to Defeat the Nazis*, is an eye-opening, unforgettable narrative of World War II heroism. Debbie Cenziper’s _Citizen 865: The Hunt for Hitler’s Hidden Soldiers in America_ tells the gripping story of a team of Nazi hunters at the U.S. Department of Justice.

December 1 - 29, 2019—Museum of Jewish Heritage, 36 Battery Pl, New York, NY

_The Sorceress_: One of the very earliest works of Yiddish theatre, this operetta’s restored orchestrations are based on pre-Holocaust musical arrangements which were saved from destruction at the hands of the Nazis by the famed “Paper Brigade” of the YIVO in Vilna.

December 2, 2019, 8:00 pm—The Shul Sanctuary, 9540 Collins Ave, Surfside, FL

Concert: *Violins of Hope Strings of the Holocaust.* Fees. For tickets 305-866-0203.

December 5, 2019, 6:30 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie IL

_Propaganda, Power, and Persuasion: Creating, Defining and Targeting “The Enemy”._ David Welch, Director of the Centre for the Study of Propaganda and War at the University of Kent (England), will speak to the power and perils of propaganda throughout history, and why combating it today is so critical. For more: [www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)
December 8, 2019, 2:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie IL
Book & Author – Survivor Café: The Legacy of Trauma and the Labyrinth of Memory
Elizabeth Rosner accompanied her father on three trips back to Buchenwald. These served as the basis for her critically acclaimed book. Book signing.  [Website](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

December 10, 2019, 5:45 pm—Roosevelt House, 47 - 49 East 65th St,  New York, NY
Screening of *Nobody Wants Us*, the true story of how Eleanor Roosevelt intervened to save the Jewish refugees on the SS Quanza because of her conviction that they were not “undesirables,” as labeled by the US State Department, but “future patriotic Americans.” Reservations required.

December 12, 2019, 2:00 pm — Midtown Manhattan, New York, NY
*Sardines to the Ghettos: Relief Food Parcels for Jews in Occupied Europe during the Second World War*, presented by Dr. Jan Láníček, Senior Lecturer in Modern European History at the University of New South Wales in Sydney, Australia. and 2019 JDC Archives Fellowship recipient. RSVP is required for location details.

December 15, 2019, 2:00 pm—Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, Skokie IL
Lodz Ghetto Through the Eyes of a Survivor.  Hear the personal stories of three survivors who once called Lodz their home, and for whom the photographs of Henryk Ross have special significance. For more:  [Website](http://www.ilholocaustmuseum.org/events)

December 19, 2019 – February 2, 2020—Morris Museum, Morristown, NJ
*Painting to Testify: Early Post-Liberation Works by David Friedman*

December 19, 2019, 2:00 pm — Midtown Manhattan, New York, NY
*The Thread that Binds: Personal Correspondence and Relief Aid in the Camps of Occupied France, 1940-1944*, presented by Dr. Stacy Veeder, Visiting Assistant Professor at the College of Charleston, focusing on modern France, Holocaust and genocide studies, and 2019 JDC Archives Fellowship recipient. RSVP is required for location details.

January 10, 2020, 11:30 am—Clive Daniel Home, 1351 NW Boca Raton Blvd, Boca Raton, FL
Bagels & Books: *At the Wolf’s Table* by Rosella Postorino facilitated by Greta Brewer.  [Register](#)

January 12, 2020, 11:00 am—Chula Vista Heritage Museum inside the Chula Vista Civic Library, Chula Vista, CA
Opening of *Remember Us The Holocaust (RUTH)*. Exhibit looks at the life of 12 survivors who settled in the Southbay of San Diego.

January 16, 2020, 7:00 pm — Museum of Jewish Heritage, New York, NY
Performance of scenes from Peter Weiss’ play *The Investigation*, a searing piece of theater adapted from the Frankfurt Auschwitz Trials of 1963–1965, followed by guided discussions about the lasting impact of mass murder on individuals, families, communities, and countries.

January 20, 2020, 11:30 am——JCC MetroWest, 760 Northfield Ave, West Orange, NJ
New Jersey Jewish Film Festival Extra: *Joachim Prinz: I Shall Not Be Silent*
FYI... For Your Information

FYI... Online newsletters
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FYI... The Crocus Project 2018/19
The Crocus Project is an initiative by the Holocaust Education Trust Ireland which provides yellow Crocus bulbs for young people and students aged 11 years and older to plant in memory of the 1.5 million Jewish children who perished in the Holocaust and thousands of other children who were victims of Nazi atrocities. The yellow flowers recall the yellow Stars of David that Jews were forced to wear under Nazi rule. The Crocus blooms around the end of January, in time for International Holocaust Memorial Day (27 January). Since starting in Ireland in 2005, participation has grown to 12 European countries. In time we hope all EU member states will participate in this project. For more: [www.hetireland.org](http://www.hetireland.org)


FYI... For the latest on the Baltics

FYI... Articles, videos, podcasts and slideshows in the news…Note: links were active when the newsletter was written but some links may now have been deactivated by the publisher. If a link doesn't work, you can look for the story using a search engine, e.g., [Google](http://Google), [Yahoo](http://Yahoo) or others.

Across Borders: International
Europe's oldest Holocaust survivors
World's Largest Holocaust Archive is Now Making Their Records Available to Everyone on the Internet
Holocaust denial not a human right, European court rules
First UN Study On Anti-Semitism Is ‘Call-out To The World’
Senior rabbi warns about rise of anti-Semitism in Europe
The Holocaust and Sephardic Jews

Argentina
Argentina Holocaust museum takes custody over Nazi artifacts
Argentina Holocaust museum takes custody of secret stash of Nazi artifacts
'Counterfeits or Falsifications': German Investigators Say Argentine Nazi Finds Are Fakes -

Australia

Bestselling Author Accused Of Betraying Holocaust Survivor
Forced to Kiss the Shoes of a Muslim Classmate, Called A ‘Dirty Jew’: Antisemitic Bullying Exposed at Australian Schools
Jewish boys taunted in shocking cases of anti-Semitic bullying at Melbourne schools
‘They don’t want to call it antisemitism’
Josh Frydenberg urges more Holocaust education after antisemitic bullying attacks
In Response to Anti-Semitic Bullying, Australia Calls for Greater Holocaust ‘Focus’
Bullying has ‘escalated alarmingly’
‘Cilka’s Journey’ has turned out to be stubborn Aussie novelist’s Achilles heel

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Is Antwerp Finally Ready To Reckon With Its Role In The Holocaust?
Hidden in a Monastery; Saved by His Birthmark
Belgium's new and first female prime minister is Jewish
Belgium’s first female prime minister is the daughter of a Holocaust survivor
In Belgium, Jewish leaders worry that anti-Semitism has become kosher
Belgian parade mired in anti-Semitism prints Jewish caricatures for participants
Belgian parade’s Jewish float was anti-Semitic but not intentionally racist, government says
Belgian Jewish Leaders Hit Out at Government-Funded Anti-Racism Body Over Antisemitic Carnival Images

Bulgaria

Nazi flags, children with swastikas and pro-racism banners: Inside the club football culture in Bulgaria

Canada

Holocaust survivor to share stories with Fernie - BC Local News
A Small Ray Of Hope At Dachau
Holocaust Survivor Rabbi Aryeh Rosenberg Dies at 98
Brief / Rabbi discovers swastika, anti-Semitic graffiti scrawled on Canadian synagogue
Out of the Ashes Comes a Legacy of Kindness
Reclaiming his heritage
Were Jewish collaborators victims or perpetrators?
Diamond: The resiliency of Jews and the tenacity of our enemies
Burakowski: ‘Never again, never forget’ may actually have a chance
Horowitz: Who studies the Holocaust today?
Holocaust testimony aims to reach Canadians who have forgotten
Martin Luther and the Holocaust

Egypt
Egypt parliament speaker praises Hitler to defend government spending

France
How Jacques Chirac started France’s reckoning with the Holocaust
Opinion: Jacques Chirac’s courage: Acknowledging France’s role in the Holocaust
Forgotten female spymaster led French Resistance’s largest intelligence ring
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