

Brandeis Beat

March, 2010



Women's Seder

Wednesday, March 24, 2010

Valley of the
Sun Jewish Community Center

This year we are collaborating with the JCC for our Women's Seder. It will be held on Wednesday March 24, 2010 at the Valley of the Sun Jewish Community Center. Rabbi Sadie Rubin will officiate this inspirational day. Please bring your mothers, daughters, friends, grandmothers and granddaughters to share the women's point of view of the Passover Seder.

Time: 11:00 am check in – Program: 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

**Valley of the Sun Jewish Community Center
12701 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85254**

Cost: \$36 Members of BNC or JCC \$40 Non-members

A kosher buffet lunch (*but not kosher for Passover*) will be served. Please make checks payable to the JCC and mail to the above address or call 480-483-7121 ext.1230 with your credit card. Call Suzanne Swift with questions: 480-483-7121 ext.1205. See additional information on page 7.

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Return by March 15 to Valley of the Sun Jewish Community Center,
12701 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85254. Attention: Suzanne Swift

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

JCC member (\$36) _____ Brandeis member (\$36) _____

Member of neither organization (\$40) _____

Proceeds to benefit the Phoenix Scholarship Fund

President's Message



Dear Members,

This year we will be celebrating the 20th anniversary of Book & Author. In a word, it will be fabulous! Each year, I can't believe it can get any better, but the committees always manage to "top this"! From the authors, the boutiques, the silent auction, the food, the Bookmark cocktail party (the night before) and the outstanding "Writers Can Cook Too!" cookbook, it will be wonderful. Kudos to Merrill Kalman, Joanie Small, Carol Kern and Sue Karp and everyone on all of the committees for the great job.

Passover-one of my favorite holidays begins on Monday, March 29th. Our chapter will celebrate this meaningful time of the year with our Second Annual Women's Seder, which will be held on March 24th at the JCC in Scottsdale. This year we are doing this event in conjunction with the Adult Services & Cultural Arts Department of the JCC. I've seen the menu and it will be wonderful. Our service will be led by Rabbi Sadie Rubin who will lead us through a merry Seder of liturgy, song, and dance. This event will sell out quickly, so I urge you to gather your friends to make your own table and get your reservation in early.

See page 7 for more information.

Best wishes to everyone for the coming holiday! – Iris

Mission Statement

Brandeis National Committee is dedicated to providing philanthropic support to Brandeis University, a distinguished liberal arts and research university founded by the American Jewish community. Its membership is connected to the University through fund raising and through activities that reflect the values on which the University was founded: academic excellence, social justice, nonsectarianism and service to the community.

Open Chapter Program

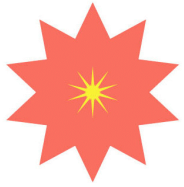
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Temple Solel

6805 E. McDonald Dr., Scottsdale AZ 85253
 Bill Straus, Regional Director of Phoenix ADL will be speaking on "An Overview of Hate".
 Come hear this dynamic speaker and partake of desserts provided by your fellow members.
 We'd Love To See You All There!



Please remember to bring your food donations to all events to help the Paradise Valley Emergency Food Bank. The need is great!



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