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Dear PHA Members and Friends

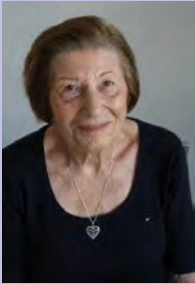
Phoenix Holocaust Association hopes you plan to attend Yom HaShoah on Sunday, May 5 as well as the Reading of the Names on Monday, May 6. Both of those events are at the Ina Levine Jewish Community Campus (Scottsdale Road and Sweetwater). On Tuesday, May 7 at 7 pm, we are sponsoring a documentary film entitled *Four Winters: A Story of Jewish Partisans Resistance and Bravery in WW2*. I am looking forward to seeing this film as there has not been very much exposure to this aspect of resistance during the Holocaust. This story is personal for me. My father and his brothers were partisans and lived and fought in the woods outside of Lublin, Poland for two and a half years.

I hope many, many people will see *Fiddler on the Roof* at the Phoenix Theatre, on June 2nd for Community Night. Phoenix Holocaust Association has been selected as the company's charity for June! Sunday, June 23 (1:30 pm), PHA will host local survivors (and their drivers) for a performance. Tickets are provided by the Claims Conference.

I am looking forward to seeing you at some or all of the planned Yom HaShoah events May 5-7 and/or the May Café Europa luncheon. Your participation is vital to our organization.

Best regards,

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A beautiful article published for Passover on the front page of the Arizona Republic featuring local Holocaust survivor Rise Stillman and PHA members Zohar Raz and Frank and Hana Lange. Thank you, Paul Rockower and Leslie Feldman, for putting this wonderful article together.
To read the article visit:
<https://phxha.com/newsroom/>



We are proud to announce that PHA has been nominated in Jewish News Readers Choice Contest as one of the best Nonprofits. To vote for PHA visit:
<https://readerschoice.phoenixcjp.org/>

Upcoming Events

Live, In-Person Screening of *Four Winters*: The Story of the Jewish Partisan Resistance and Bravery in WWII. May 7, at 7PM (MST) At AZJHS 122 E Culver Street, Phoenix, AZ. This essential documentary tells the stories of the Jewish partisans who took up arms against Hitler's war machine. Despite extraordinary odds, over 25,000 Jews fought the Nazis and their collaborators from deep within the forests of Eastern Europe. The last surviving partisans tell their stories to director Julia Mintz who shines a spotlight on their bravery through interviews, archival footage, and historic war records. Register: <https://www.azjhs.org/four-winter>.

Fiddler on the Roof: Phoenix Holocaust Association is proud to have been chosen as Phoenix Theater's Community Partner for the month of June 2024. As such, all PHA members and friends have the opportunity to purchase tickets to the 7:00pm Sunday, June 2nd performance of *Fiddler on the Roof*. Our PHA Holocaust survivors and their drivers will be seeing a daytime performance on June 23 in lieu of a Café Europa luncheon that month. All other PHA members and friends are encouraged to join us at Community Night on June 2nd. Tickets for June 2nd performance: <https://tinyurl.com/3j6je7au>



Program funds partially from a grant of the Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany

Café Europa

May 19, 2024 @ 1:00pm
Beth El Congregation

Please see enclosed flyer for details

Donations

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In Memory of Sam and Bronia Bronkesh
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Local Survivors Speaking Around the Valley



Holocaust survivor Rise Stillman with teacher Barbara Epstein and Cochise principal Sheila Miller. Rise spoke to nearly 100 5th grade students at Cochise Elementary.



PHA board member Tony Fusco and Holocaust survivor Eva Bruder Hance. Eva spoke to students at Issac Middle School.



Do you have any good news or announcements to share? Maybe you noticed typo? Please contact me, Elaine Goldenthal @480.330.1547 or elainegoldenthal@yahoo.com