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Rabbi Sholom Binyomin Ginsberg Speaks At Yeshiva Darchei Noam

Rabbi Sholom Binyomin Ginsberg, noted *mechanech*, author of *Principal's Principles* and writer for *Hamodia* and *Mishpacha*, delivered a professional development course at Yeshiva Darchei Noam.

Rebbeim and *moros* of Yeshiva Darchei Noam and Yeshiva Ohr Reuven joined together for one united cause: being *mechanech talmidim* at the highest caliber possible. Rabbi Ginsberg did an amazing job encouraging the joint staff to really listen to their *talmidim*, and hear what they want to say.

The topic was intensely discussed with many questions raised and answered, a testament to the dedication of the *rebbeim* and *moros* to their students.

Jewish Woman Entrepreneurs Holds Business Brainstormer Session

As a precursor to The Jewish Woman Entrepreneurs (JWE) 2015 business conference which took place on Sunday, October 18, and Monday, October 19, the JWE held a business brainstorming session in Monsey on Tuesday, October 1, at the home of Chaya Ruchy Gross at 27 Westside Avenue in Spring Valley. The session combined the group's insight, connections and expertise to forge a powerful problem-solving tool for individual challenges.

The Jewish Woman Entrepreneur (The JWE) is a national educational nonprofit organization, with a mission to promote financial stability among Jewish women by supporting them as they launch and sustain successful businesses and careers. JWE achieves this through offering access to business education, professional training and financial support.

JWE programs are tailored to meet their members' religious and social needs, with a focus on Jewish values and community leadership, while deepening members' commitment to positive change. The JWE does this through core-business training, local programming in their 12 city chapters, and a comprehensive mentoring program, with an annual national business conference tailored to the needs of *frum* women.

For more information on the JWE and their future events call 410-205-6599 or email Info@thejwe.com.



Rabbi Sholom Binyomin Ginsberg addressing the Yeshiva Darchei Noam workshop.

13th Annual Yahrtzeit Rachel Imeinu Video Monsey Showing

On Motzoei Shabbos, October 24 through Thursday, October 29, Monsey women and girls will participate in the annual global Rachel Imeinu all-new video presentation with a special 13th-year focus on the *Yud Gimel Middos* and how we can emulate Hashem's *Hanhagah* of mercy.

The video presentation will include an introduction by Harav Shmuel Kamenetsky and a message from Harav Yitzchok Dovid Grossman, the Chief Rabbi of Migdal HaEmek, founder and dean of Migdal Ohr educational institutions, and a member of the Chief Rabbinate Council of Israel who tells an inspiring story about the Six-Day War and Kever Rochel.

Harav Osher Weiss, *Rosh Kollel* of Machon Minchas Osher L'Torah V'Horaah and the author of the *Minchas Osher* — an *Av Beis Din*, *Rosh Kolllel* and *posek* — will also speak.

Featured speakers are Rebbetzin Tzipora Heller, internationally acclaimed educator and author of six popular books: *Here You Are*, *Battle Plans* and *This Way Up*; and noted and beloved lecturer Rebbetzin Tehila Jaeger. Both Rebbetzins will be speaking on "In These Difficult Times — What Should We Do?"

Monsey presentation locations and times are: Motzoei Shabbos, October 24, 9:30 p.m. at 20 Jon Leif in Chestnut Ridge, Sunday, October 25, at 1 Manchester Drive in New Hempstead, and at 22 Voyager Court in Forshay with an 8:15 p.m. start at both locations; Monday, October 26, 11 a.m., at 9 Willows Road located in the Willows (Forshay); Tuesday, October 27, 10:30 a.m. at 31 Deerwood Road in Wesley Hills; Wednesday, October 28, 11 a.m. at 6 Harriet in Spring Valley.

There will be another presentation that evening, 8:00 p.m. at 59 Olympia Lane in Olympia and Thursday, October 29, 10:30 a.m. at 28 Fairway Oval in New Hempstead.

The presentation is a fundraiser for *aniyei* Eretz Yisrael (the poor and needy of Eretz Yisrael), and all funds



Partial view of the crowd that participated at the Yeshiva Darchei Noam workshop.

will be distributed through Torah Umesorah's Aniyim Fund, under guidance of Harav Shmuel Kamenetsky.

Since its inception, the event has raised over \$1 million, together with matching funds. For more information on Project Ochel events, call 845-323-2004 or email dgrossman@projectochel.com.

Project Ochel Lecture Series

Project Ochel's next lecture series began on Tuesday, October 20 with Mrs. Karen Abeghdhedi who spoke on the topic of "The Miracles of *Asher Yatzar*."

On Tuesday, November 3, Rabbi Y. Y. Wenglin from Eretz Yisrael is scheduled to speak on the topic of "Finding G-d in Our World." Rabbi Wenglin graduated with a B.A. in history and literature from Harvard University and with a JD from the UCLA School of Law. After law school, Rabbi Wenglin joined the Manhattan law firm of Paul Weiss, working with mergers and acquisition. Despite the potential of Rabbi Wenglin's growth towards becoming a partner, he put corporate success on hold in order to learn more about his Jewish roots, and has been living in Israel, and lecturing all over the globe ever since.

Tuesday, November 10, Mrs. Dena Schoonmaker will address the topic of "Perfectionism and Competition." Mrs. Schoonmaker is a teacher, popular lecturer and relationship counselor as well as having been a staff member of Michlalah Jerusalem College for over 20 years. She teaches a number of courses and runs a counseling hotline for alumni where she deals with issues such as *shidduchim* and *shalom bayis*.

In addition, Mrs. Schoonmaker lectures extensively throughout the seminary circuit on topics of personal development through the eyes of the Torah. She is a regular respondent in

Mishpacha Magazine's "Advice Line" and has written for *The Klal Perspectives Journal*, a forum for discussion of challenges facing the Torah community.

Most recently, Mrs. Schoonmaker began a series of live *mussar vaadim* for women throughout Israel and has launched a *vaad* by teleconference so that anyone, anywhere, has the opportunity to participate.

The speakers for Tuesday, November 17 and Tuesday, November 24 have yet to be announced.

On all of the Tuesdays in December, (December 1, 8, 15 and 22) Mrs. Chani Juravel, MSW, founder and director of Lev V'Nefesh Institute, and noted lecturer, will present a new 4-part series on marriage.

All of the Project Ochel *shiuurim* take place at 31 Deerwood Road. Reminder emails are sent out the Monday before *shiuur*. For more information call 845-323-2004 or to sign up for Project Ochel email reminders, email dgrossman@projectochel.com.

Boys' Sunday Learning Program

The boys' Sunday Learning Program for grades four and up held its first learning session on Sunday, October 18. More sessions will follow on Sunday, October 25, November 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

The Learning Program sessions will take place at Bais Medrash Ateres Rosh at 16 Charlotte Drive in Wesley Hills. Learning can be done alone, *b'chavrusah* or with one's father. The program is dedicated as a *zechus* for a *refuah sheleimah* for Rabbi Reuven Alter Mordechai Berg. Sandwiches, drinks and snacks are provided.

To RSVP for the learning program (to assure there will be enough food available) call 845-362-1112, text 347-613-6130 or email njdavidson@gmail.com. To sponsor or help facilitate the learning program, contact Shmuel Pollack at Spollack@gmail.com.

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