

Live & Learn!

15 April 2018 @ Menorah

The Northern Learning House



11.00-12.15	<p>JSENSE is an exciting new educational services provider set up as a registered charity to address the Special Educational Needs of children and young people.</p> <p>B'nei mitzvah class with Emily Carp</p>
12.30-13.30	<p>Incorporating popular music into prayer with Alex Baker Melodies for our prayers change over time; here we will discover how we can incorporate secular songs and melodies for services. One example might be the way Psalm 150 can be put to the melody of Jeff Buckley's "Hallelujah." As well as introducing new melodies this can be especially helpful for occasions, when many guests aren't familiar with the regular repertoire.</p>
	<p>A glimpse of Israeli society through rap with Jo-Ann Myers Join me as we travel back in time to Israel in 2004, where we will encounter a musical (hip-hop) phenomenon that took place. Through a particular song, I will connect you to Israeli culture, its people, politics and music bringing the realities of that time to life. This is an informal and interactive workshop. All are welcome.</p>
13.30-14.30	Lunch
14.45-15.45	<p>Poetry as prayer: words that connect with Sara Moon A session exploring how poetry can be used to elevate our 'prayer practice' both personally and in community.</p>
	<p>The Sunderland conundrum: why are Jews moving closer together? With Keith Kahn-Harris Jews across the world are increasingly abandoning once-sustainable small communities and moving to concentrated Jewish neighbourhoods. Some of the reasons for this are clear, but there is also a mystery - what I call 'The Sunderland Conundrum': Why is it that, in a globalising world, Jews - of all people - are huddling closer together?</p>
	<p>Making Jewish music interesting for children with Alex Baker</p>
16.00-17.00	<p>What we don't know about British Jews with Keith Kahn-Harris With plenty of surveys and statistics about British Jews, not to mention the constant discussion of British Jews in newspapers, books and online, it sometimes seems as if we live our lives under a microscope. Yet there are still vast areas of British Jewry that are rarely researched, written about or even discussed. This session invites participants to explore this mysterious terra incognita.</p>
	<p>Understanding and implementing differentiation and learning for all in our classrooms with Jo-Ann Myers This hands-on workshop will explore how we can be better equipped to face the challenge of teaching a class with students who are at different levels. Participants will leave with a better understanding of how learning for all impacts on the work we do and a number of differentiated teaching and learning strategies.</p>
	<p>Creating meaningful and engaging services with Rabbi Robyn Ashworth-Steen At this session we'll explore our Shabbat services and ways to bring <i>kavannot</i> (intention) to our prayer. We'll mine some of the rich resources on hand to weave engaging services and talk about what works and what doesn't!</p>

Free!

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