

*Cultural Council of the
Jewish Federation of
Grand Rapids*

*2012-2013 Spectrum Series
Membership Form*

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State/Zip _____

Email _____

Membership Benefits and Privileges

_____ Underwriter, \$500 and up: Free admission
to all programs for five adults

_____ Patron, \$250 - \$499: Free admission
to all programs for four adults

_____ Sponsor, \$125 - \$249: Free admission
to all programs for three adults

_____ Family membership, \$100: Free admission
to all programs for one two adults

_____ Individual, \$50: Free admission
to all programs for one adult

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____

Payable to **The Jewish Cultural Council**

Please mail this form with your check to:
The Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids
Spectrum Series

2727 Michigan St. NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506

Tickets will be mailed to you upon receipt of your
check. For questions regarding your tickets,
please call The Jewish Federation office at
616.942.5553

**Tickets to individual events are \$15 for adults,
\$5 for college students
and children up to 18 are free.**

**ROYCE DEANS
& TALI FARCHI**

**Painting to Music at the UJS Israeli
Restaurant**



Sunday, April 14, 2013

12:30 pm

**Temple Emanuel
1715 East Fulton**

Artistic duo Royce Deans of Traverse City, Michigan and Tali Farchi, an Israeli artist residing in The Netherlands, will delight us with their abstract paintings inspired by Jewish and Israeli music performed by live musicians. Tali and Royce have performed their painting to music shows and workshops all over the world including Europe, South Africa, Israel, USA, and Canada.

They appeared in ArtPrize 2011 with their entry *ArtPrize Jukebox*, and were part of ArtPrize 2012 with their entry *The Looking Box*. This is a unique opportunity to see the artistic creation process in action, and also to purchase a truly unique work of art!

Lunch cost and menu TBA - details to follow

Grand Rapids, MI 49506

2727 Michigan NE

Cultural Council of
The Jewish Federation
of Grand Rapids



*Jewish Cultural
Council*

*2012-2013
Spectrum Series*

Saturday, December 15, 2012

YEVGENY KUTIK

Violin concert and personal story

Sunday, January 20, 2013

NATHAN GUTTMAN

**"Palestinians and Jews from
Arab countries refugees"**

Sunday, April 14, 2013

ROYCE DEANS & TALI FARCHI

**Painting to Music at the
UJS Israeli Restaurant**

4TH EVENT TO BE ANNOUNCED

This series is sponsored by The Rosenzweig-
Coopersmith Foundation And private donors

Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids
2727 Michigan St NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506
(616) 942-5553
www.jfgr.org

YEVGENY KUTIK

Violinist

A concert and personal story



Saturday, December 15, 2012
7:30 pm

EGR High School - Little Auditorium
2211 Lake Drive SE

At age twenty four, Russian-American violinist Yevgeny Kutik has become a sought-after artist on the concert stage worldwide. In his German debut with the WDR Radio Symphony Orchestra, Yevgeny "enraptured the crowd" with his performance. Yevgeny's other performances have included appearances with the Tokyo Vivaldi Ensemble in Japan, and a return appearance with the Boston Pops Orchestra and Keith Lockhart. As a recitalist, he appeared at the Verbier (Switzerland) and Oberstdorfer (Germany) festivals and made his debut on the prominent Dame Myra Hess Series in Chicago. He has also performed recitals in San Francisco, Washington D.C., Miami, Tokyo, Munich, Montreal and New York.

In 2012, Marquis Classics released Kutik's highly acclaimed debut CD - *Sounds of Defiance*, featuring the music of Shostakovich, Schnittke, Achron and others.

Yevgeny was born in 1985 in the former Soviet Union to a family with strong Jewish roots. Growing up at that time, Yevgeny and his family were constantly affected by the rampant anti-Semitism present in daily Soviet life. Seeing a future of only limited potential and freedom for their children, in 1990 Yevgeny's parents made a very brave decision to abandon everything and start a new life in the USA.

Dessert reception to follow.

NATHAN GUTTMAN

"Palestinian and Jewish Refugees"



Sunday, January 20, 2013
10:00 am

Temple Emanuel
1715 East Fulton

Nathan Guttman will discuss the history of the Palestinian and Jewish refugees since the founding of the State of Israel, along with a bipartisan bill presently under consideration by the U.S. Congress that addresses the plight of Palestinian refugees as well as Jews who fled from Arab countries.

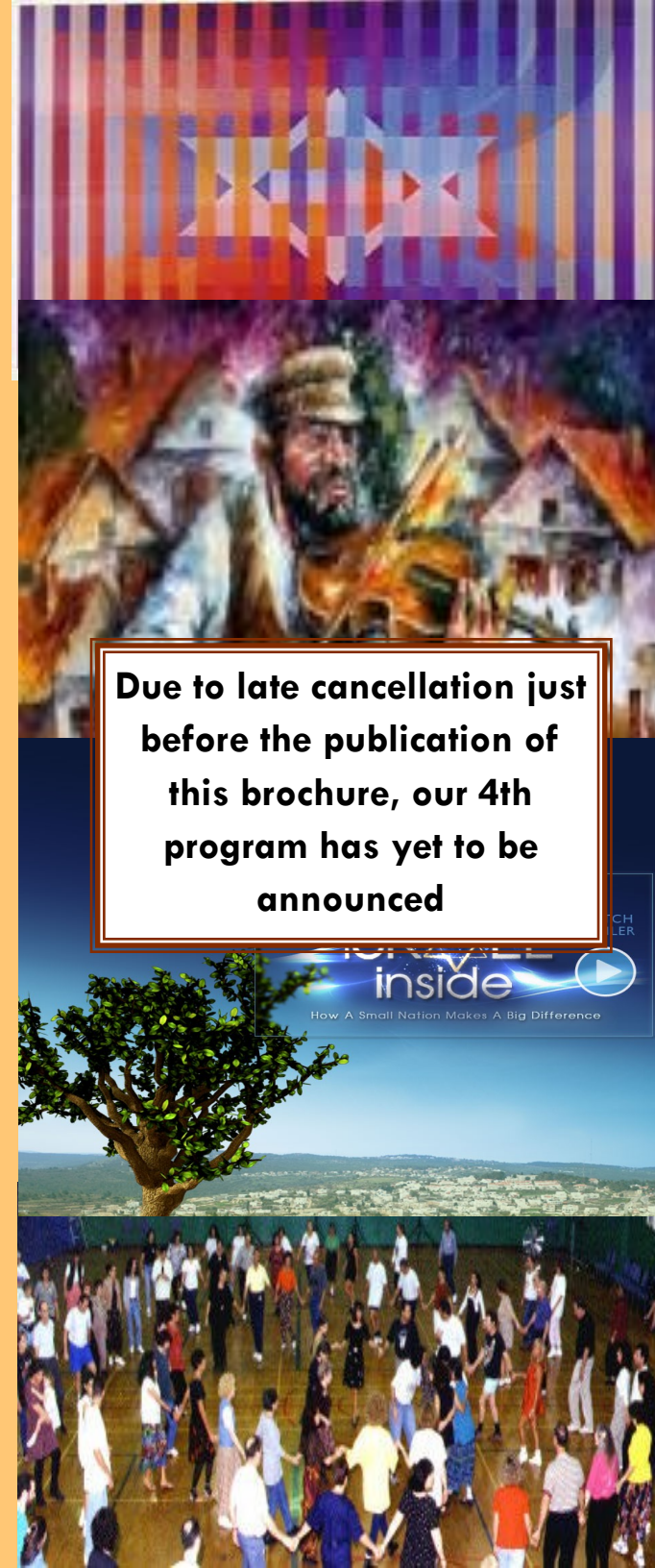
Nathan Guttman is the Washington bureau chief for *The Forward* newspaper, America's leading independent Jewish publication and U.S. reporter for Israeli TV Channel 1, Israel's public TV network.

Since 200, Nathan is based in Washington DC where he served as bureau chief for Israel's Haaretz newspaper and for the *Jerusalem Post*, before joining *The Forward* in 2006.

In Israel, Nathan served in several key positions, including chief editor of Channel 1 TV's evening news, features editor at Haaretz daily and diplomatic correspondent for IDF Radio.

Nathan is a graduate of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Dessert reception to follow.



Jewish Cultural Council Thanks

2011-2012 Supporters

BENEFACTOR

The Rosenzweig-Coopersmith Foundation

UNDERWRITER

Julian & Judith Joseph
Sherman-Hay Family
Jerry & Judy Subar
Marilyn Titche

PATRON

David & Heather Alfonso
Norm & Marilyn Leven
Lanny Thodey

SPONSOR

Mario & Talia Atias
Roger Beutner
Leonard & Eileen Newman Foundation
Barbara Robinson
Dr. Darrel Rosen
Wayne & Diane Titche

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP

Robert & Cynthia Doniger
Jonathan & Christine Golden
Lori Jacobs
Bob & Elaine Lipshutz
Jim & Sheryl Siegel

SINGLE MEMBERSHIP

Izak Dimenstein
Beverly Manes
Flory Silverstein
Eleonor Vierheilig

Despite our best intentions and efforts, sometimes arrangements go awry. If necessary, we reserve the right to change or cancel events or locations.