



JEWISH FEDERATION
& FOUNDATION
OF ROCKLAND COUNTY



JEWISH FEDERATION'S PROGRAMS OVERCOMING HATE & ANTISEMITISM

It has become increasingly evident over the last two years that the Rockland Jewish community is uncommonly placed in both vulnerability and opportunity as the entire American Jewish community grapples with a rising tide of hate and antisemitism. With over 400 Jewish institutions and a Jewish population density (31%+) higher than any other county in the US, the challenges - in terms of security, policy, wellbeing and confidence - are unique.

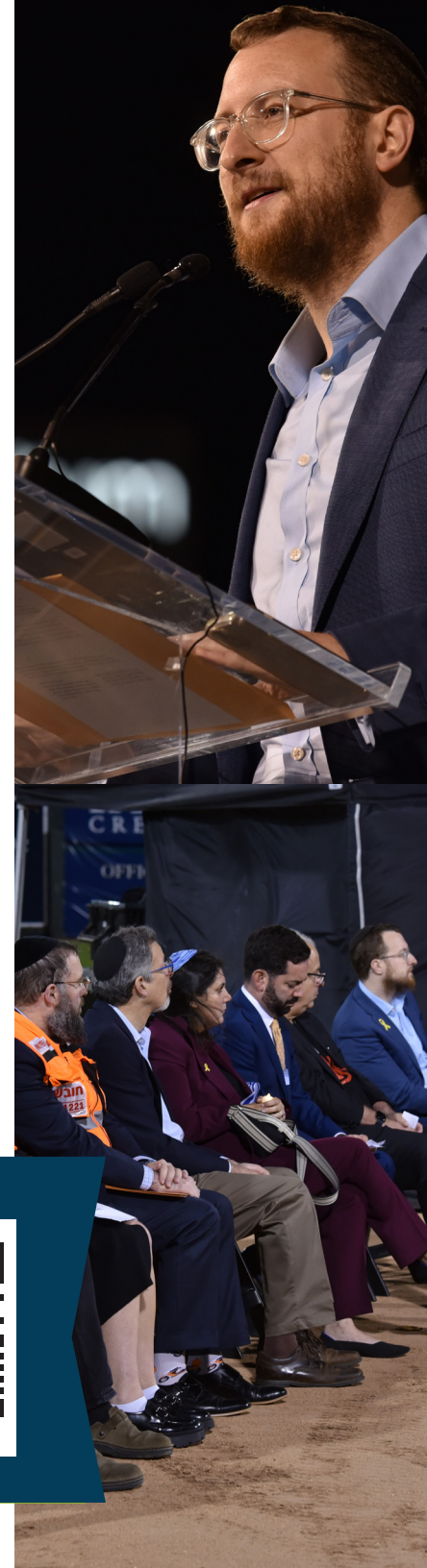
Addressing the needs of this large and diverse Jewish community is a key role of the Jewish Federation of Rockland. Federation's role as convener, consensus builder, program coordinator, and security provider mandates continuing and sustained programming, reflecting the needs of all elements of the community in understanding the challenges of the moment and rising to them.

Past stand-alone and partnered programming has included **Understanding Antisemitism in Progressive Spaces** with **Joe Roberts**, dialogue with representatives of the **Muslim Women's Speakers Bureau**, and regular community briefings with local and international experts like retired IDF Colonel **Grisha Yakubovich** and Honest Reporting CEO **Gil Hoffman**.

Federation will continue to develop and deliver programming that meets the challenges of the day, partnering with synagogues and other places of worship, as well as bringing together the entire community for commemoration or celebration. Federation's Oct. 7th, 2024 one-year memorial brought together over 1,500 community members. The size, scope, and location of each program differs, but the goal is to build the community's knowledge and resilience in the face of hate.

Your support will enable us to reach a broad audience, creating more programming and content, and providing more opportunities for the community to come together to confront hate and antisemitism. Sponsorships of \$2,500-\$5,000 will support most individual or series of programs.

To inquire about your potential interest in sponsoring this initiative, please scan the QR code to the right or contact the Federation at 845.362.4200 ext.180.





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The Jewish Federation & Foundation of Rockland County is the organization representing the full breadth of the Jewish community. **A key element of our Mission is Overcoming Hate and Antisemitism.**

ADDITIONALLY, WE ARE DEDICATED TO:

ADVOCATING

for the safety and security of the Jewish community through our relationships with local, state and federal elected officials

BUILDING

relationships with Rockland community groups of various religions, ethnicities and backgrounds to collaborate and support one another

PROVIDING

grants to partner organizations in their work to strengthen community:

- *Holocaust Museum & Center for Tolerance and Education's programs* to overcome antisemitism and hate, educating tens of thousands of school children throughout the region annually
- *Rockland Jewish Family Service's Cafe Europa* gathering and Shabbat food deliveries for Holocaust Survivors, and provision of a Kosher food pantry
- *Rockland Community College Hillel* program for Jewish students to come together to celebrate Jewish culture and peoplehood
- *JCC Rockland's* programs for seniors, children and participants of all backgrounds

STRENGTHENING

connections to and support for the people of Israel with fundraising, cultural programming and missions to Israel

CELEBRATING

the breadth and beauty of Jewish identity including in community-wide holiday and festival events and programs