

## KZ/RCOS Tu B'Shvat Seder

**Sunday, February 1, 7:00 pm**

Come celebrate the New Year for the Trees with a joint Tu B'Shvat seder, featuring special fruit from Ha'Aretz.

Location: KZ/RCOS, 555 Warwick Dr., Wyomissing

## JCC ROMEO

**Tuesday, February 3, 12:00 pm**

"Retired old men eating out" meets monthly. Join in for camaraderie and conversation. Newcomers are welcome to attend.

Location: Paolo's, 2480 Lancaster Pike, Reading

## JFS Friendship Circle

**Thursday, February 5, 1:00 pm**

Meet Federation's new program director: Adi Shalev Smitheman, who was our schlcha for 3 years. She will tell us about herself and her background. Lunch is \$7 at 1pm, free program at 2pm.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## KZ World Wide Wrap

**Sunday, February 8, 9:00 am**

Join our men and women around the world in our annual world wide wrap as they put on tefillin in a show of unity.

Location: KZ, 555 Warwick Drive, Wyo.

## JCC Arts, Culture, and Ideas

**Monday, February 9, 1:30 pm**

Join Dr. Brian Kopell, Dr. Sanjai Sinha and Leslie Shlachter to unpack the current research on longevity- the number of years we live and healthspan- the years we live free from disease and disability.

Location: The Highlands, 2000 Cambridge Ave., Wyo

## JCC Noontime Knowledge

**Wednesday, February 11, 12:00 pm**

Next up in the Reading Jewish Film Series: Among Neighbors, a documentary, follows the only living survivor from a Polish town where all of the Jews were murdered... after the Nazi defeat.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## The Eli Lipsker Musical Tribute

**Sunday, February 15, 6:30 pm**

Location: Chabad, 2320 Hampden Blvd., Reading

## JCC Great Decisions

**Monday, February 16, 10:30am**

Prepare to discuss the world for 8 weeks on Monday mornings from 10:30am -12pm until April 6.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## JCC Reading Jewish Film Series

**Tuesday, February 17, 7:00pm**

Shoshana a thriller inspired by real events, a British police officer and a Jewish woman fall in love amidst the political turmoil of 1930s Tel Aviv.

Location: GoggleWorks, 201 Washington St., Rdg.

## JFS Friendship Circle

**Thursday, February 19 1:00 pm**

Thursday Film Festival, "Albert Brooks: Defending My Life" by Rob Reiner. Documentary film 90min follows the life of Albert Brooks from his early childhood in a showbiz family through his years in the industry. Lunch 1pm Movie Starts at 1:30.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## Back to Life Farm

**Thursday, February 19 7:00 pm**

A co-founder of "Back to Life Farm", will share his personal story behind a healing home for veterans with PTSD, where recovery happens through caring for rescued animals. An evening of listening, hope, and support.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## Pajama Havdalah

**Saturday, February 21, 6:00 pm**

PJ Library & RCOS invite all families to a special Havdalah with craft, dinner, story time and Havdalah service. Wear your pajamas!

Location: RCOS, 555 Warwick Drive, Wyo.

## JCC Movie Monday

**Monday, February 23, 1:00 pm**

The Farewell Party: An unlikely funny story of a group of friends at a Jerusalem retirement home who decide to help their terminally ill friend. Word spreads and people ask for help, and the friends are faced with a life and death dilemma.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Reading

## Literatour Noontime Knowledge

**Tuesday, February 24, 12:00pm**

Literatour Berks author Richard Kreitner tells the intertwined stories of six American Jews who helped share a tumultuous time and illuminates the shifting dynamics of Jewish life in America.

Location: JCC, 1100 Berkshire Blvd., Wyomissing

## Chabad: An evening of Fragrances

**Tuesday, February 24, 7:00pm**

Create your own signature fragrance and learn the mystical meaning of scent.

Location: Chabad, 2320 Hampden Blvd., Reading

Upcoming events offered by the Jewish Federation of Reading/Berks (listed as JCC, JFS, JFR), Kesher Zion Synagogue (KZ), Reform Congregation Oheb Sholom (RCOS), and Chabad-Lubavitch of Berks (Chabad).

To learn more about any event listed here, read articles throughout the Shalom or see our online calendar at readingjewishcommunity.org/calendar. Contact 610.921.0624 or info@jfreading.org with questions.