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Holiday greetings from **Joseph Amzallag**, National President



Since we began commemorating Hanukkah, the candles lit each night during the celebration have become synonymous with the spirit of hope and a way out of the darkness.

In these post-covid times, we can only be grateful to return to our routine.

The candles we will light during the next eight days of Hanukkah must remind us that many of the little things that we have taken for granted or considered insignificant, are not as trivial as we think, starting with the prohibition of celebrating holidays with family, traveling, going to school, work, restaurants, meeting with neighbors, going to the movies, celebrating weddings between guests, or even burying those who have left us according to our ancestral rites and customs.

None of them expected that it would burn for eight days in a row, and so, Hanukkah became a symbol of optimism. Thanks to the solidarity and generosity of community members, we can envision a future where the beams of hope are as bright as the glows shed by the Menorah candles.

The pandemic has passed, but the sanitary, technological, and security challenges are still present, as we are regularly reminded.

The energy, commitment, and confidence in our organization, as well as the support we have received throughout this year, are the promise of an even greater future, and for that, I would like to thank each and every one of you.

Hanukkah Sameah

Vœux de bonnes fêtes **Joseph Amzallag**, Président national

Depuis que nous avons commencé à commémorer la Fête de Hanoucca, les bougies allumées chaque soir lors de la célébration sont devenues synonyme d'espoir et de sortie des ténèbres. En ces moments de post-covid, on ne peut que se réjouir de retrouver notre routine.

Les bougies que nous allumerons pendant les huit prochains jours de Hanoucca doivent nous rappeler que beaucoup de petites choses que nous avons pris pour acquis ou considéré comme étant insignifiantes ne sont pas si futiles qu'on le croit - à commencer par l'interdiction de célébrer les fêtes en famille, de voyager, d'aller à l'école, au travail, au restaurant, de se réunir entre voisins de quartier, d'aller au cinéma, de célébrer des mariages entre invités, ou même d'enterrer celles ou ceux qui nous ont quitté selon nos rites et coutumes ancestrales.

Aucun ne s'attendait qu'elles allaient brûler huit jours d'affilée. C'est ainsi que Hanoucca est devenue un symbole d'optimisme.

Grace à la solidarité et la générosité des membres de la communauté, nous pouvons envisager l'avenir avec des lueurs de l'espoir aussi claires que les lueurs émises par les bougies de la Ménora.

La pandémie est passée, mais les défis sanitaires, technologiques, ou liés à la situation sécuritaire sont toujours présents comme nous le rappelle régulièrement l'actualité.

L'énergie, l'engagement, et la confiance dans notre organisation, ainsi que le support que nous avons reçu tout le long de cette dernière année, sont la promesse d'un avenir encore meilleur, et je tiens à en remercier chacun d'entre vous.

Hanoucca Sameah

Joseph Amzallag,
National President / Président national

MDA Takes Part in International Multi-Casualty Drill



MADRID, SPAIN

Magen David Adom recently took part in an international multi-casualty drill in Madrid. Three scenes simulating incidents of varying magnitude were used for the large-scale exercise. As part of the drill concluding the annual disaster workshop arranged by the Madrid Municipality, 1,200 emergency personnel, including staff from MDA and EMS crews from Great Britain, The Netherlands, Mauritania and Norway took part in the exercise. Other participants included the city emergency and security services, various hospitals, military forces, the Spanish National Police, and the Civil Guard.

During the drill that lasted seventy minutes, the emergency crews were called to deal with scenarios, includ-

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ing shootings, explosions and hostage situations in three different scenes: a hotel, a bus, and a supermarket. A hundred or so patients were evacuated to hospitals under police escort, with routes being cleared by the respective agencies where hospital staff took over the treatment. 600 medical staff took part in the exercise along with sixty ambulances, fire trucks, police cars, three helicopters, a plane, and rescue dogs. The exercise was preceded by a session arranged by MDA and SAMUR Protección Civil

Madrid within the European Union's "No Fear" response project. Chaim Rafalowski, Disaster Management Coordinator with MDA, spoke during the session about the complexities of treating victims of disasters and terror attacks:

"Part of the aims of this exercise is to understand that in today's reality, emergency medical teams who arrive at these complex scenes are faced with life-threatening situations. We must prepare the teams to comprehend what they are facing, how to make educated

decisions to ensure their safety, and how to save lives while under threat."

At the end of the exercise, SAMUR Education & Research Manager Dr. Ervigio Corral Torres commented: "Magen David Adom's team's professionalism is an example to teams from other countries, both in dealing with complex scenes and also with patient treatment."

MDA Director General Eli Bin shared his sentiments on the joint exercise: "Magen David Adom is always ready to help and lend a hand anywhere in the world. Multi-casualty disaster management has unfortunately become MDA's expertise over the years, and we share our knowledge and experience globally, anywhere we can help save lives."



MDA Makes its A.I. Dispatch Software Available to Hatzalah Organizations

ISRAEL

Taken from the November 8, 2022 article in Israel National News

Magen David Adom showcased its AI-powered dispatch software to Hatzalah organizations from across the United States at the Hatzalah Expo in New Jersey. Israel's national paramedic organization sees the cutting-edge technology it has developed as central to the organization's success as Israel's fastest lifesaving service.

Versions of the system already dispatch MDA and the Israel Fire & Rescue Service, as well as the Philippine Red Cross. The software also serves as an interface that connects the Israel Police and the Israel Defense Forces to Israel's other emergency services. Hatzalah South Florida, which serves the Palm Beach, Broward, and Miami-Dade counties in the Sunshine State, is also adopting a version of the software optimized for medium and smaller-sized EMS organizations for its dispatch operations.

"MDA's dispatch system is unparalleled in terms of its use of artificial intelligence and machine learning to direct lifesaving resources — EMTs, paramedics, ambulances, and other equipment



to the scene of an emergency," said Ido Rosenblat, Chief Information Officer for Magen David Adom and himself a Medevac paramedic who oversees dispatch technology at MDA. "The technology is too good not to share with other lifesaving organizations."

"We value our relationships with the Hatzalah movement in Israel and America and look forward to providing our lifesaving technology wherever needed. It was built out of necessity after learning harsh lessons responding to terrorist and rocket attacks and emergencies during war," said Rosenblat.

At 80-years-old, Alex is Still Saving Lives

ISRAEL

Alex Michigan just celebrated his 80th birthday and will mark fifty years of volunteering with Magen David Adom. As a senior paramedic riding a Medi-Cycle, Alex regularly goes out on emergency calls and is a key asset to the organization.

Alex began his journey with MDA in 1970. During the bombings of Tiberias and Beit Shean by the Jordanians, he arrived at the MDA Tiberias station and began evacuating the wounded to the Poriah Hospital on his own. When he returned from the hospital, station manager Boaz Norkin told him, "For now, you stay



here", and Alex never left. Over the years, Alex has worked in the organization in a variety of roles, including being national and deputy head of the MDA delegation to Oklahoma.

"There is one event that I will never forget," Alex says, "It was nearly



thirty years ago. A truck was driving in the descent of Tiberias when the brakes suddenly stopped working. I got there first and we started to rescue the children who had very serious injuries. This was a particularly bad accident because the truck

flipped over and no one was wearing seatbelts."

At the age of eighty, Alex continues to go out for emergency calls and works on duty in the Intensive Care Unit. When asked why he continues volunteering at his age, Alex answered the following: "MDA is like a bug - in the good sense of course. There is something unique about helping people, in the spirit of volunteering, and of course in the right to save the lives of the injured and sick. My wife and daughter are pressuring me to get off the motorcycle, but I can't."

CMDA Holds “First 7 Minutes” Training Seminar in Montreal

MONTREAL

On October 25th, CMDA held a live training seminar for the Montreal community at the historic Spanish & Portuguese Synagogue. CMDA’s “The First 7 Minutes” is a training seminar in emergency and crisis response that is designed for all community members, with or without prior medical training. The program was designed by MDA to better respond to terror attacks and natural disasters and help reduce casualties as much as possible.

CMDA was honoured to welcome Raphael Herbst, Senior Paramedic & Canada-Desk Representative with MDA Israel, who conducted the seminar. “The First 7 Minutes” is based on seven basic principles of response. Some of the principles may sound obvious, but as Raphael explained during his presentation, a person’s emotional state in the midst of a crisis can change a lot. Something as simple as calling 911 (101 in Israel) cannot be over-emphasized. In one of the simulations during the presentation, Raphael asked four individuals to step outside and one person to play the role of a 911 dispatcher. One by one, the four individuals witnessed a different emergency on screen and then had to call 911 for help. As Raphael expected, all those who called for help failed to mention key details of the events to the dispatcher.



This is a reality MDA sadly encountered in 2014 when a terrorist hijacked a tractor at a construction site in Jerusalem and reeked havoc by ramming into pedestrians and flipping a bus over. The attack ended when two police officers managed to shoot the attacker, but sadly, one victim was killed and five were injured. As Raphael explained, several emergency calls came into MDA’s call center with reports of car accidents, but it took MDA roughly twenty-five minutes to understand that all the calls were connected to one terror attack.



Special Training Program for Montreal’s Israeli Consulate



The day after the seminar, CMDA National Executive Director Sidney Benizri and Eastern Region Director Samuel Moyal joined Raphael Herbst for an exclusive presentation at the Israeli Consulate in Montreal. The presentation was specially designed for the consulate staff and diplomats to enhance the security and emergency protocols already in place. Raphael conducted several simulations, gave a CPR refresher, and even went through the Consulate’s first-aid kit to point out key items to use in case of injury.

MDA is Israel’s only national EMS and also serves as Israel’s Red Cross member. No EMS organization in the world has greater knowledge in the field of crisis and emergency response. MDA offers “The First 7 Minutes” training in dozens of countries around the world and sharing its knowledge with other EMS organizations and communities can only benefit humanity.

MDA Israel and Toronto's EMS Service

TORONTO

On October 27, Canadian Magen David Adom held an informative parlour evening at the home of Dr. Steve and Kathy Samuel. Shani Azulai, Deputy Consul General of Israel in Toronto and Western Canada, addressed the crowd on the subject of the budding friendship and cooperation between MDA Israel and Toronto's EMS Service. She also discussed the role of the Consulate in facilitating these talks and elaborated on the amazing cooperation between the Consulate and CMDA in exporting MDA's technology and know-how to various Canadian health markets.

Raphael Herbst, Senior MDA Paramedic and Canada Desk Representative in Israel, provided an eye-opening presentation on the current state of affairs of Magen David Adom and specifically, its vital role during and after the pandemic.

Guests were treated to an array of delicious hors d'oeuvres and deserts and the presentation concluded with a unique gift presented to the Samuels in gratitude for their warm and generous



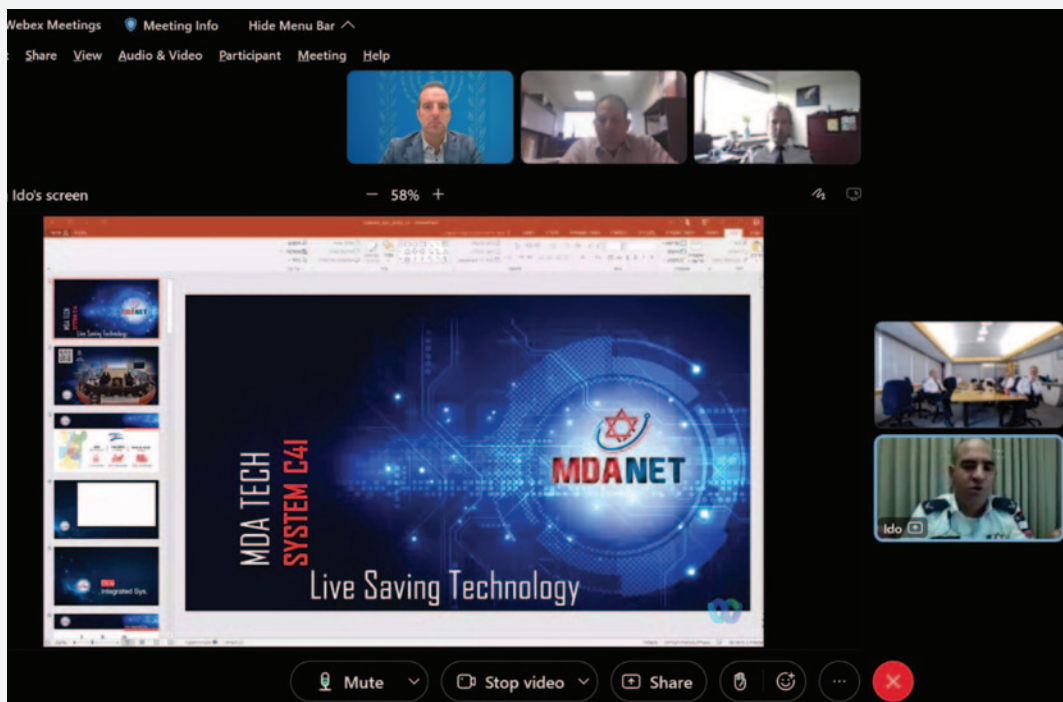
hospitality - an artisan crafted mezuzah embossed with the insignia of MDA's new underground

National Blood Centre, recently inaugurated in Ramle, Israel.

New Friendships are Saving More Lives

TORONTO

On September 19, 2022, Magen David Adom was asked to host a special presentation for the entire leadership of the Toronto Emergency Management System. Over WebEx, a two-hour discussion was held between Tel Aviv and Toronto. Following up on an in-person meeting held with both CMDA and MDA representatives along with Israeli Consul General Idit Shamir back in June, MDA and Toronto EMS are teaming up to improve Toronto's emergency services. Specifically, the introduction of video and text for live calls, new real-time technologies, and specialized information sharing were all discussed.



Volunteerism Begins Young and Lasts a Lifetime

TORONTO

My involvement with MDA began in 1991 at the age of eighteen. My father, who was born in Israel and was active in the MDA Montreal chapter, was certain that a life in medicine was my destiny. I was not so sure (I was scared of blood!) that it was for me, and decided to test this out for myself.

Seeing my father's passion for volunteerism with MDA, it seemed like the perfect opportunity was to volunteer as a student medic at the Jerusalem MDA Headquarters. For ten weeks, I lived, slept and ate in that station, and went on numerous ambulance calls. Having been granted access to people's homes, I was a direct witness to some of the incredible challenges that Israelis face on a daily basis. I thought that I would find the actual medical cases to be fascinating, but it was the



Raphael Herbst, Senior MDA Paramedic & Canada Desk Representative and Dr. Dalia Rosen at MDA's new National Blood Centre in Ramle, Israel.

privilege of working with some of the kindest and hardest working people I would ever meet who instilled in me a deep passion to help others.

Upon my return home, I realized that pursuing a career in medicine was a natural next step and I deeply credited my experience in Israel as the catalyst. I graduated as a physician from the University of Toronto Medical School in 1997 and I currently

work with patients who struggle with addiction and mental health disorders.

As a busy single mom of three beautiful children, I struggled to find the time to give back as a thank you to my experience in Israel until recently. This year, I got involved with CMDA's Toronto Gala, which raised funds in support of MDA's new National Blood Centre in Ramle, Israel, a facility I was lucky to be given a tour of it

this summer. I was also privileged to be given the honour of touring the new MDA Jerusalem head station, which has been beautifully renovated and modernized since I worked there 31 years ago. Some of the same people I worked with in 1991 are still there and remember working with us young Canadian volunteers.


Volunteering at the walk with Israel in May 2022 with my daughter was an amazing experience for her as we got to ride in the back of the ambulance at the kickoff of the Walk.

I have always dreamed of going back to Israel as a physician and volunteer on the ambulance once again. I am excited to soon be able to do so, and I will be forever grateful for the role that MDA has played in my life.

Thank you

Dr. Dalia Rosen, B.Sc., M.D., CCFP, FCFP


Students Show their Love for MDA with School Projects




Project Give Back
Aryeh Belzberg
Eitz Chaim schools
Magen David Adom
May 11, 2022

Dear Hershel Recht
 Hello Hershel my name is Aryeh I am a grade 4 student at Eitz Chaim schools. I was assigned a project to teach my class. Magen David Adom touched my heart because it is interesting exciting and saves lives. I told my class about blood vessels and MDA's work. I gave my class the things you gave me. I did a activity on MDA with trivia. I learned that MDA's average in 2020 with emergency calls was 70 seconds. Thankyou for saving lives.

Best regards
AB
Aryeh Belzberg




Aryeh Belzberg



Project Give Back
Aviv Ben-Izhak
Associated Hebrew Schools
Magen David Adom
June 1, 2022

To whom it may concern,
 I am Aviv a grade 4 student at AHS. I was assigned a project to teach my class about a charity that touched my heart. my parents are from Israel and I want to learn more about Israel. For my lesson, I created a speech and shared what the charity does and created a game. I hope you continue to help others.

Sincerely
Aviv



Aviv Ben-Izhak

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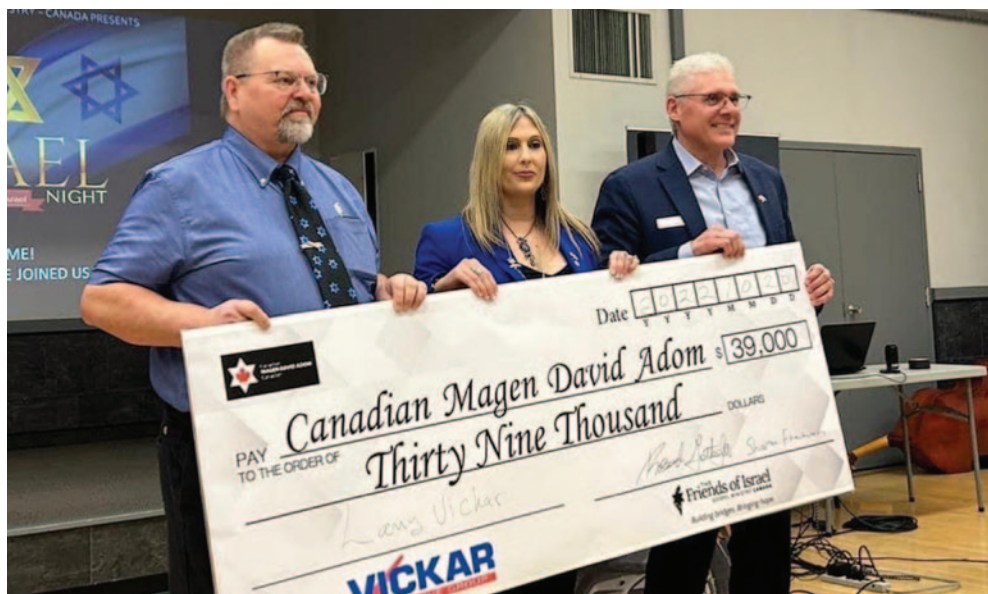
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FOI and CMDA - Celebrating a Love for Israel



WINNIPEG/CALGARY

Friends of Israel Canada (FOI) partnered with CMDA on two very successful “Honour Israel Night” events in support of Magen David Adom (MDA). On September 22, the first of the two events took place in Winnipeg with a large crowd of Jewish and Christian community members in attendance. It was an uplifting evening filled with music and inspiring words and there was even a special presentation where Ami Bakerman of CMDA along with Andrew Voth and John Plantz of FOI accepted a large cheque of \$39,000 on behalf of CMDA. During the evening, one lady very emotionally commented, “I am recording this on my phone to send to Israel because they will never believe something like this is happening!”

The following month, more than 300 people filled a large community-hall for an epic “Honour Israel Night” in Calgary. “This is our opportunity to bring the Jewish and Christian communities together,” said Robert Gottselig, Canadian Director of FOI, who traveled from Regina to Calgary for the special evening. Mr. Gottselig’s heartfelt message included an apology to the Jewish community for wrongdoings in the past. It was very moving and brought Fanny Wedro, 95-year-old Holocaust survivor and founder of the CMDA Calgary chapter, to tears.

There were wonderful live performances, including some original music by John and Irene Plantz who made a special trip from Winnipeg for the celebration. John and Irene were there because

they coordinated a fundraising campaign with FOI in Manitoba and Winnipeg philanthropists Larry and Tova Vickar. The Vickars graciously donated \$19,500 to CMDA which was matched dollar-for-dollar by FOI for the purchase of an Emergency Medi-Cycle.

With the substantial help of FOI in Alberta, CMDA Western Region also raised funds to donate an Emergency Medi-Cycle, which will soon be on its way to Israel. “We’re so grateful to the wonderful people from Friends of Israel for their friendship and support. They are making a real difference,” said Sharon Fraiman CMDA Western Region Director.

“This is what makes a night like this worthwhile, everyone working together to ensure not only lives are being saved but a message to people of Israel that they are loved and supported from places as far away as Canada. The Friends of Israel plans to do this again for Israel’s 75th birthday next year,” said John Plantz, FOI Director of Field & Staff in Canada.

CMDA Western Region Paramedic Don Sharpe also spoke about his experiences while serving with MDA in Israel and the valuable lessons we can learn in Alberta about emergency response. “It was a very special and wonderful evening,” said Sharon Fraiman who credits volunteers including Larry Mitchell, Jeff Shaw, Haim and Josette Fraiman, Itzik Likver and Robert Soto for making it so successful. She also had a special thank-you to bakers Caulin Shaw and Eleanor Mitchell for the wonderful cakes and refreshments.



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Winnipeg Chapter Holds Another Successful Telethon



WINNIPEG

On November 6, the Winnipeg chapter held another successful telethon. It was successful not only because of the continued generosity of Winnipeggers, and not because most of the volunteers are seasoned, but because the motto of the telethon has fully sunken in. Giving people a great way to help Israel and all its citizens – to help save lives in Israel – there is no greater mitzvah.

As more volunteers arrived, people got into the groove, making call after call, not getting discouraged by being turned down, and thanking everyone that made a donation. They sometimes got a “thank you for doing this”, as people understand that it’s not easy. Along the way, some volunteers called people they know and talked about life in general, laughed with them, shared news, and at the end, gave them an opportunity to help send another ambulance from Winnipeg to Israel. One of the pleasant surprises happened toward the end as one of the donors mentioned she wanted to use securities and business assets to buy an ambulance.

A big thank you to the telethon coordinator, Daniel Glikman, and all of the volunteers, some of whom called people from their homes and businesses, and thank you Sharon Fraiman for your ongoing support.

Ami Bakerman

Chair, CMDA Winnipeg Chapter



VISITS TO ISRAEL

We would like to thank all our wonderful and generous donors who recently visited MDA facilities in Israel



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Jay Leider – Thornhill, ON

Sons of Jacob Shalom Lodge – Richmond Hill, ON

Esther Schwartz – Thornhill, ON
Celebrating my beloved children Danny & Cindy 50th Wedding Anniversary

Irving & Barbara Green Family Fund – Toronto, ON

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Penny Offman – Toronto, ON
Honouring Judy & Larry Tanenbaum's Wedding Anniversary



EMERGENCY MEDI-CYCLE

Alan & Michelle Abrams
Toronto, ON

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Jacob & Hillary Greenbaum
Julie Greenbaum & Robert Zassman
Claire Greenbaum**
Montreal, QC

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Mireille & Albert Hamaoui
Montreal, QC

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Honouring Elana Cherney & Paul Mitchell

Dr. Dalia Rosen – Toronto, ON
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Michael & Ruth Birenbaum – King, ON

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In honour of Drs Rael Klein, Saul Isserow, Michael Frankel

Rhoda & Michael Aronson – Ottawa, ON

Sharon Batshaw – Calgary, AB

Shelley & Rob Cohen – Calgary, AB
In honour of Fanny Wedro's Birthday

Sam Lieblein – Montreal, QC

Anna & Joseph Mendel – Montreal, QC

The Michael Nozick Family Foundation – Winnipeg, MB

Jason Nyman – Cote St. Luc, QC

Clara Sayegh – St. Laurent, QC
*In honour of her Birthday
In memory of Yaheskel Sayegh z"l*

Rosalie & Harold Schwartz – Nepean, ON
In honour of Dr. Barry & Cindy Schwartz's 50th Anniversary

Ken Wasserman – Edmonton, AB
In honour of his wife Annella Wasserman

Bernard Junger – Montreal, QC
In honour of Nathan Rosenshein

Miriam Goldstein – LA Foundation Goldstein – Toronto, ON

Dr. Daniel & Marcia Rappaport – Toronto, ON

Thelma Orzeck – Toronto, ON

Deborah Stocker and Family - Toronto, ON
Celebrating Harold Stocker's 80th Birthday

Jonathan Joseph – Thornhill, ON
In memory of Annette Edelstein z"l

L & V Charitable Fund – Toronto, ON

Myra Merkur – Toronto, ON

Jill & Tom Weinberger – Toronto, ON

Frances & Stephen Kraft – Toronto, ON

Heather & Marvin Ellison – Toronto, ON

TOWARD THE PURCHASE OF URGENTLY NEEDED MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

INTRAOSSUEOUS GUN

Susan Albersheim – Vancouver, BC
 David Ashkin – Calgary, AB
 Beth Zion Congregation
 – Cote St. Luc, QC
*In honour of Simon & Fagey
 Rossdeutscher and Harry & Judy
 Rossdeutscher*
 Fred Bettman – Cote St. Luc, QC
 Howard Davidow – Edmonton, AB
 Jacob Fichten – Montreal, QC
 Clara & David Ginsburg – Richmond, BC
 Marc Hunter – Sidney, BC
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 – Pointe-Claire, QC
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 – St. Laurent, QC
 Michel Siritsky – Montreal, QC
 Mitchell Sutton – Thornhill, ON
 Rodeen Stein – Toronto, ON
In memory of David Stein z”l
 Olga & Howard Wolfe – Toronto, ON
 Alex Keronovic – Thornhill, ON
 Joseph Gemeiner – Toronto, ON
 Leo Adler – Toronto, ON

SPECIAL GIFT

Mr. & Mrs. Yossi Shemesh
 Toronto, ON

SPECIAL BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY WISHES

Arlène & Henri Abitan
 – Montreal, QC

Mazel Tov on the occasion of their
 70th birthdays

Carole & Mayer Diamond
 – Cote St. Luc, QC

Mazel Tov on the occasion of their
 50th Wedding Anniversary

Faigel & Lenny Shapiro
 – Calgary, AB

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 Rachel Neumann z”l*
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David Stein z”l
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Loving Father, Special Zaidie
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 Loyal Supporter of MDA and Israel

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 – Toronto, ON

Dear Brother and caring Uncle

Fanny Dorothy Laufer z”l
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