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***Kibbutz Yizre'el***

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| **CONDOLENCES TO MARNINA GROSS AND FAMILY****ON THE PASSING OF HER SISTER****YEHUDIT GILBOA****Kibbutz Yizre’el** |

**MAZAL TOV**

* To **Gal and Amit Harpaz** on the birth of their son. Mazal Tov to **Noga and Omer**, the grandparents and a special Mazal Tov to **Daniel Harpaz** on the birth of his great grandson. Mazal Tov to the whole family.
* To **Pamela Peretz** on her marriage to Adial Shargai. Wishing you great happiness in your new lives together.

**INTRODUCTION TO OUR NEW FAMILY DOCTOR**

**Alon Larian**, aged 36, married to Yael, father of two boys (Tom and Aviv). Originally from Kibbutz Yaron and now living in Timrat.

Completed his medical studies at the Technion, worked in Kibbutz Ein Hashofet. Gilad, and the clinic in Yokneam. Has been working for a year in the nursing home in Kibbutz Gvat.

Dr. Larian has always wanted to work in a clinic in a kibbutz framework since this is the kind of community he grew up in.

Dr. Larian notes that in the beginning it will take time for him to get to know his patients and so appointments may run over time allocated but asks to understand this situation. He feels that his work in our clinic will be a significant challenge and he hopes that together with the staff of the clinic, they will be able to provide medical service of the best quality for the members of the community.

**MAZKIRUT MEETING 8.11.2021**

1. **The Financial Structure of the Water System**: Yizre’el’s water system does not run economically according to the demands of the Water Authority. As a result, we pay more for our water and do not get subsidies that would come to us. We lose about 150 thousand shekel a year because of this. It was suggested that we get in line with the Water Authority. The discussion on this subject has not come to a close.
2. **The Tzernicovaski Family has brought an appeal** against the decision of the Planning Committee in regards to the renovation of their house. After hearing the family’s side of the appeal and the Planning Committee’s view it was decided to make a through investigation into what it means to take out a building permit for the requested addition in terms of time, delay with the renovation of the block, the cost, the implications on the community, and of course check the feasibility of building this addition taking into account putting heavy equipment into the area and laying foundations. After all this data has been presented a decision will be made.
3. **Continued discussion on Temporary Groups**: The purpose of the meeting wasn’t clear. Some thought it was an opportunity to present their suggestions for groups to be accepted, others thought criteria would be discussed, and still others wanted a decision about the continuation of the Shnat Sherut groups. It was decided that at the next meeting in two weeks’ time, people would present their suggestions for the group they are promoting in an organized manner and a decision would be made.

**NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE**

**Mourning Committee**: **Sigal Perling** asked to end her term as head of tis committee. Many thanks to Sigal for heading this sensitive and important committee with such dedication.

**Galya Shemi and Na’ama Baum** also asked to end their term on this committee.

Any member who is interested in heading this committee or joining it, should contact a member of the Nominations Committee.

**The Committee for New Enterprises**: The names of the Enterprise Representative: Tamar Senker and the Public Representatives: Momi Cohen and Anna Abramovitch will come up for approval at the General Meeting.

**THE PLANNING COMMITTEE**

1. **The planning Committee must give approval for all awnings and store rooms.**

Approval was given to the following requests to put up an awning.

 The Baum family, the Baor family, the Brustein and Adler families,

 The Levi family (Kobi and Yifat) received approval to build a storeroom.

1. **Requests by Branches and Committees:**
* The Dog Welfare Committee: A few options as to a location for the dog garden were considered and the place recommended is between the road entering the kibbutz and the dairy under the area of the silage storage.
* Fencing around houses to keep the dogs in – The Planning Committee does not approve of them.
* The Rugby Moadon wants an approved place to set up a form of mobile housing for the rugby trainers. The area of the parent housing was suggested.
* Approval was given for the pub to put up a store room for the equipment of the food truck.

**THE COMMITTEE ABOUT OWNING A DOG**

* The planning committee did not accept the 3 suggestions put forward for the location of the dog garden. Their suggestion near the dairy is being checked out.
* In the next few weeks, we will purchase stands with bins and plastic bags to collect dog droppings. The stands will be positioned around the kibbutz.
* Two successful rounds of inoculation of dogs have been carried out.
* It has been reported that dogs are let free at night so it has been decided **that in November the dog catcher will be asked to come at night.**
* A file on every dog is being set up. Forms to be filled in by dog owners will be posted on Kehilanet.
* 4.12.2021 Channukah - 6th candle, A HAPPENING - Watch Out for It.

**THE CHEVRA COMMITTEE 3/11/2021**

Ganadi and Yifat have taken over from Nachem Levin in the coming period.

The committee has gone over the results of the survey and is preparing for the open public meetings where the results of the survey will be presented and discussed.

**21/11/2021 The first open public meeting.**

23/11/2021 A marathon meeting to discuss the material that was raised in

 the first open meeting and prepare for the second open

 meeting.

8/12/2021 Meeting to rehearse what will be presented at the second

 open meeting.

**9/12/2021 Second open public meeting.**

 **Presentation of the recommendations of the committee.**

13/12/2021 Mazkirut meeting

27/12/2021 General Meeting

29-30/12/2021 Ballot vote.

At the first public meeting, the mandate given to the committee by the Mazkirut will be presented. The procedures, the committee used with sub committees, will also be presented and a summary of the information from the survey. It is hoped that all members attend because the subject affects all of us.

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| ***WAZE******MANY THANKS TO SHLOMO LEVI WHO HAS ENTERED LOCATIONS IN KIBBUTZ YIZRE’EL IN WAZE.******CLIENTS AND GUESTS WILL BE PLEASED TO FIND PLACES ON THE KIBBUZ.******JUST TELL THEM WHAT TO WRITE.******The full updated list is in the Hebrew newsletter.*** |

**BMUSIC**

**19.11.2021** Trip to the Haifa Auditorium for students, parents and teachers to a concert of the Haifa Symphony Orchestra since the concert links up with the annual topic for this year Music of Spain.

Leaving the Music School at 8:30 (transport provided).

**Channukah Holidays: 30.11.2021 – 5.12.2021).**

**17.12.2021** Workshop for students and teachers – Virtuoso Festival.

**27.12.2021** Concertino No. 3 at 20:00.

**HUMAN RESOURCES**

**“RABASH”: Ehud Cohen** asked to complete his term of officeand move on to other things. We thank Ehud and wish him well. We are now looking for his replacement.

**Racheli Arava** is interested in meeting with members personally to hear what they have to say, what they need, what they dream about, any critical comments etc.

During December she is available on Sundays from 17:00 – 21:00.

**English is Fun - with Rahel**

Words humorously redefined – concluding:

***Cellfish (adj.)*** An individual who talks on his\her cellphone even when doing so is rude or inconsiderate of other people

***Re-tired (adj.)*** I was tired yesterday and I'm tired again today.

***Proofreading (v.)*** We do it best after we've hit "send"

***PhD (abb.)*** Permanent Head Damage

***Jokes (n.)*** They are really funny in my head but when I say them out loud, they are not funny anymore.

***English teachers (n.)*** People who put more thoughts into a novel than the original author ever did.

***Etc (abb.)*** End of thinking capacity.

***Autocorrect (n.)*** A little elf in your phone who is trying so hard to be helpful, but is in fact quite drunk.

***Bysexual (n.)*** Being single for so long that you don't even remember what it's like to have romantic\sexual feelings.

***Tradition (n.)*** Peer pressure from dead people.

You are what you eat, bullshit! I don't remember eating anxiety and back pain.

I think I want to say yes, but don’t want to be held accounted if the answer is no.

*Still life: Your body uses 300 muscles to balance itself when you're standing still.*

*If you take a plant with you on a long airplane flight, it, too, will suffer from jet lag.*

*If you feed beer to a laboratory rat, it will live six times longer than a rat that drinks only water.*

*In her entire life, Spain's Queen Isabella (1451 – 1504) bathed twice.*

*Penalty for stealing a rabbit in 19th century England: seven years in prison.*

 *……………..more next week*

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| ***TRIP TO THE DESERT******Friday 19/11/2021*** Leaving at 7:30Hike along the streams 8 km Difficulty: middling Time: 5-6 hrs***Saturday 20/11/2021*** Home at about 19:00Circular Hike - 9 km. Difficulty: basic Time: 6-7 hrsTrip for Young Generation upwards. |

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| ***KIBBUTZ TRIP TO THE DESERT******FRIDAY – SATURDAY******19-20/11/2021******The trip is for the Young Generation upwards*** |