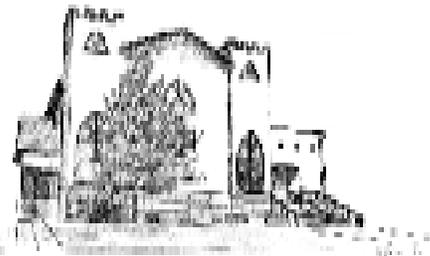


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Minutes of Congregation Tiferes Israel A.G.M. - Sun. Jan 29 - 2013.

Meeting started at 1:40 p.m., 26 members in attendance.

1. Approval of agenda. Jack Haller moved to adopt the agenda, seconded by Peter Gergely. Adopted unanimously.

2. Minutes of AGM meeting of February 12, 2012 : read by secretary Anne Jochelman. Motion to adopt these minutes, Jack Haller and Carole Savage. Approved.

3. Various reports

a. Rabbi's Report by Rabbi Yagod. Rabbi reports he is in Moncton the second weekend of each month. He has inspected the kosher section of the Superstore. He is on the list of chaplains at the hospital. Rabbi and his wife have visited the sick, and is ready to continue visiting when he is notified.

Rabbi would like to see greater attendance at minyans during week. Suggest we ask those who come occasionally if they could come more often. Pleased to see new immigrants, especially those who are helping with the minyans; appreciate the newcomers and Monctonians who can read the Torah.

He talked about what has been happening here. He praised the good works of the immigration committee and the new migrants here. Moncton is doing very well for a small community. He urged the people of Moncton to take the immigrants in hand and make them feel connected. He remarked on the success of the summer camps for the youngsters, and the success of Rosh Hashanah, and the Sunday minyanim breakfasts. He thanked everyone for their efforts and cooperation. He also reminded the community that Jewish members in relation with non-Jewish spouse are welcome as usual.

Rabbi reminded the meeting that he is not perfect, and apologizes for anything he did, any mistake he made was not done intentionally.

b. Sisterhood Report , Betty Rubin, in her 4th year as president. She described many shul events that brought members and newcomers together: The August 2012 Bar B Q at her home attracted many members and newcomers. Many of these people especially Israelis

and also community friends enjoyed the Chanukah dinner.

Joan Mayer and Goldie Johnson have taken responsibility to co-chair special catering events. Betty reminded the meeting that a new commitment for fundraising for the shul was needed. Approved by the meeting.

Jack Haller questioned amount in sisterhood account-presently \$5000.

Question re existence of Sick and Visiting committee-presently inactive. Rabbi & his wife visit the sick when they are notified. Francis suggested reestablishing this committee. Joan Sichel suggested also visit newcomers.

c. Immigration Committee Report, Nicole reported visits of potential immigrant families in last year. Four families are due to come in April, and com wants to invite 5 more in 2013.

Ruth Fuller wants to collect supplies for new families to use in their early days in Moncton, before their own furnishings etc arrive.

She is looking for storage for these items.

Immigration committee is not a job agency (in answer to question are there jobs for these people). Nicole said they try to accept "employable" immigrants, who would potentially be involved in the shul/community, from Israel, France etc. We are not required to support them financially, but to help them find jobs and integrate them. The organization CAFI, which serves as the French MAGMA, is more prepared to help immigrants find jobs: Most from Israel, France. We now have regular minyanim thanks to Israelis; Lior reads the Torah; we are grateful for their help. We want to look at Argentina eventually.

d. Rebbetzin report: Josh Makarov, first Bar mitzvah in 3-1/2 years. Rebbetzin reports progress in Cheder: had cheder kids take part in shabbat services, to integrate kids into minyan give them more shul experiences Summer camp well attended.. Jack Haller is the parent-cheder liaison. Hope to get children of new families into cheder. Rebbetzin thanked parents & grandparents of cheder children for their encouragement.

e. President report. Francis Weil gave his report. See a copy below after the minutes ...

Jack Haller thanked Francis for all his work done inside and out of shul. Applause .

Addition to President Francis Weil report. Regarding former members of shul who have left; how can non-members be buried here? Payment of membership etc, to be discussed.

Also, for people who leave Tefillin and Tallitim in shul: we are setting up a facility where locked boxes will be available for secure storage of these items.

As well, he reminded the meeting that finances are tight for the shul and he thanked those who have made donations above and beyond their dues. He welcomed the new members who have come here, from states where their governments have been the support their shuls and religious institutions, which is not the case here in Canada. He says we need the new people to understand our situation, and contribute to help keep us going.

4. Treasurer report. Carole Savage is the treasurer; computer records were dealt with by Michael Rinzler (absent today). As the previous accountant made an error, Michael moved our account to Stevenson and partners. Dues recd this year-\$102,000: some members died, moved away, or quit. A few new members did join and paid dues in lower range. Expenditures were \$126,600. Donations and receipts are up. Bad debts continue to be counted, even though these accounts receivable are 3-4 years old. Members with dues unpaid for one year are not eligible to sit on board. As far as we know, all the board members have paid their dues.

Myer said we should start endowment funds, and estate planning, to encourage members to arrange to leave gifts to the shul in their will. Letters will be sent to community again, with more follow-up. Financial Report moved to accept: John Sichel, John Flanagan. Approved.

5. Nomination committee report. Irving Schelew has not re-offered due to ill health; Rowen Shinder has agreed to be new director. The following members have agreed to stand for the Board.

- Myer Rabin, President
- Francis Weil, Vice-president
- Jordan Davidson, Past-past-president
- Carole Savage, Treasurer, (assistant, accounting side-John Sichel, not voting member)
- Anne Jochelman, Secretary
- Tut Gorbert, Chevra Kaddisha,
- Ivan Cohen, Gabbai,
- Betty Rubin, Sisterhood

Directors: David Rinzler, John Flanagan, Rowen Shinder, Joan Mayer

Motion to ratify slate proposed by Jack Haller, seconded by Nicole Haller. Adopted.

6. New business. New President Myer Rabin made a few comments. He thanked Francis Weil for all the work he had done for the community. He continues to encourage cooperation in the community, would like to see more fund raising, and endowment funds to help with the future of Tiferes Israel. He also encourages better participation in minyan on Monday and Wednesday, and thanked the Immigration committee for the new families that have joined us and are taking part in the shul.

Meeting adjourned 3:15 p.m.

Prepared by Joan Sichel,
for Anne Jochelman, secretary.
Feb 23, 2013

*INSERT President's report here: **President's Report 2013***

Some of the things done:

- writing 5 bulletins a year,
- sending emails to inform the community of events coming,
- welcoming prospective immigrants,
- attending pastoral care meetings at the hospital,
- giving tours of the synagogue to non-Jewish groups,
- dealing with the pre-school and Cheryl, the head teacher, who is a very nice lady.

This year was uneventful; you can find most of what happened in the synagogue by reading the bulletins written in 2012.

We have lost some very good members or former members. Hyman Rose, Charlie Gorber, Joseph Naylor, Harry Lampert will be dearly missed. One of our members, Dr Maïcas, lost his dear father.

Our membership has also diminished because some left the congregation, either for they moving away or for some other reasons.

On the positive side we have gained a few new members and hope to gain a few more in the year coming.

Very often we have the minyanim mainly because of the 5 or 6 or 7 new members from Israel. Toda raba!.

As you will be able to see, looking at the financial statements, several of our members choose to donate above and beyond their regular dues. I want to thank them for being so generous. I prefer not to name them, but they know who they are... A round of applause...

The board has taken measure to control the burial of non-members in the cemetery. We have decided that it will be far from cheap...

We can all be thankful to have a good core of devoted members who make sure that

- the minyanim continue every week, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday

-the activities continue... such as Holocaust Memorial, thank you Nancy and Victoria, activities such as Summer BBQ, Sukkah building, Hanukah dinner... Thank you Betty and your great crew from sisterhood.

-the education of our children continue... Thank you Rebbetzin and the parents/grandparents involved. The board has decided to charge a small cheder fee to the parents.

Lastly I do have to thank very sincerely all those who have helped through the year. Carole Savage and Harry Gorber for the daily tasks, often thankless. The building would not be what it is without Harry Gorber, David Rinzler, John Flanagan and Jordan. The website would not be what it is without Peter, the Minyanim would not be what they are without Joan (who is coming every Shabbat and works hard on the kiddushes), Theodore ..., there are three people, Ivan, Lior, Morris who have been doing the leining when the Rabbi is away..., Pinny is a great help..., Reuben Cohen and Joe Rinzler are in Shul every Shabbat although they are not spring chicken anymore..., and many others.

The Sunday brunch would not be what it is without Anne J.

This year will be the year where Tiferes Israel congregation will have its first centenarian, long life to Amos!

One additional point: it is about the constitution. Right now we are limited to 4 directors on the board, in addition to the 4 members of the executive, the gabbai, head of 'hevrah kaddisha and president of sisterhood. I understand that some would like to be involved and I am thinking to ask for a change in our constitution so that the present number of 4 directors can be changed to a number of directors between 4 and 6 ... this way, if we have several people who want to join the board, we can have them all ... no need to discourage people who want to serve ... something to think before next year AGM...

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MAOS CHITIM

"Maos Chitim" means "money for wheat". It is an established custom for every city to make a collection to supply the poor with their Pesach needs. This custom has the weight of law.

To donate to our Synagogue Maos Chitim fund, do it together with the Chametz form.

**Refuah Sh'leima, best wishes
to all who are not well**

Holocaust Memorial
Sunday, April 21, 2:00 pm
Main Speaker:
Dr. Israel Unger

**Do you care about our planet?
Our ONLY planet!**

**Do you want your children and
grandchildren to have an Earth on which
to live?**

**Then *PARTICIPATE* in some of the events
of**

EarthDay Moncton-Dieppe-Riverview.

April 21, 2013

**Farmers Market, 10 am – 5 pm
Lots of activities for kids. Prizes.**

All the details at

<http://www.monctonearthday.com/>

Events to come, mark your calendars

June ?? – July ?:

Tiferes Israel Day Camp

Contact Ahuva Yagod yagod.h@gmail.com

More details to come

The Pesach Calendar for Moncton 5773

Sunday, March 24

Formal search for Chametz..... after 8:12 pm

Monday, March 25

Nissan 14

Fast of the Firstborn

Shacharit followed by a Siyum & Breakfast at 7:30 am

Stop Eating Chametz..... before 11:00 am

Sell & Burn Chametz..... before 12:15 pm

Mincha & Maariv..... at 7:20 pm

Light Yom Tov Candles before 7:37 pm, **Seder I** after 8:14 pm

Tuesday, March 26

1st day of Pesach

Shacharit..... at 9:00 am

Nissan 15

Mincha & Maariv..... at 7:40 pm

Begin counting the Omer,

Light Yom Tov Candles and **Start Seder II** after 8:23 pm

(light from existing flame)

Wednesday, March 27

2nd day of Pesach

Shacharit..... at 9:00 am

Nissan 16

Mincha..... at 8:00 pm

Yom Tov ends at 8:25 pm

Sunday, March 31

Eve of 7th day of

Mincha & Maariv..... at 7:00 pm

Pesach

Light Yom Tov Candles before 7:27 pm

Monday, April 1

7th day of Pesach

Shacharit..... at 9:00 am

Nissan 21

Mincha & Maariv..... at 7:45 pm*

Light Yom Tov Candles at or after 8:32 pm

from existing flame

*: Mincha might be at 7:00 pm (announcement will be made in Shul)

Tuesday, April 2

8th day of Pesach

Shacharit (including *Yiskor* prayers) at 9:00 am

Nissan 22

Mincha..... at 8:30 pm

Pesach ends..... at 8:33 pm

Please wait before eating old Chametz to allow time to buy it back on your behalf.

Time table for religious services, April, May, June, July, August.

❖ Every **Monday, Wednesday** and **Friday at 7:00 p.m.** and every Shabbat morning at **9:00 a.m.**

❖ **For Pesach, check table page 3.**

❖ Time for **Havdallah**: look at <http://tiferesisrael.com/davening.html>

Yahrzeit for April-May-June-July

Keep and post for future reference

Reggie Lackman	Nisan 10	Mar 21	Sarah Attis	Iyar 5	Apr 15	Lilian Ruch Pass	Sivan 9	May 8
Jake Rubin	11	22	Bessie Goldie Rinzler	7	17	Barry Cohen (Ivan's)	9	18
Fruma Rubin	12	23	Lillian Freeman Kay	11	21	Kalman Glustein	12	21
Max Eli Rinzler	14	25	Rose Medjuck	11	21	Esau (Zack) Miasnick	13	22
David Singer	14	25	Rebecca Kanner	15	25	Sam Sherman	14	23
Evelyn Block	15	26	Elizabeth Gorber	17	27	Frank Takiff	14	23
Abie Block	17	28	Harry Hans	17	27	Mendel Greenblatt	15	24
Hyman Jochelman	18	29	Ken Mayer	17	27	Clarisse Boghen	18	27
Helen Jochelman	18	29	Sarah Hannah Kanner	19	29	Yacov Shinder	19	28
Channa Sheina Pfeffer	19	30	Reuben Rubin	23	May 3	Harold Berelovitch	20	29
Hyman Brumer	20	31	Walter Berelovitch	26	6	Jacob Lampert	21	30
Bessie Greenblatt (Berelovit	21	Apr 1	Sonia Slovisky	26	6	Max Kirsh	21	30
Bill Davidson	25	5	Bernice Davidson	27	7	Myron (Mickey) Attis	26	Jun 4
Gerald Birnbaum	25	5	Shmuel Leib Savage	27	7	Annie Ada Smith	28	6
Louis Berelovitch	26	6	Joseph Cohen	28	8	Rachel Parelman	Tamuz 2	10
Maurice Block	27	7	Isaac Druckman	29	9	Louis Ruch	2	10
Goldie Slovisky Braunstein	27	7	Alexandre Sternbach	29	9	Minnie Savage	3	11
Eli Ruch	Iyar 1	11	Annie Maizen	Sivan 1	10	Mayme Jacobson	7	15
Louis Attis	3	13	Freda Selick	1	10	Max Kanner	8	16
Sarah Rubin	4	14	Sarah David	5	14	Chaim Rubin	10	18
Rifka Lipton	4	14	Lily Leah Attis	8	17	Ezra Rose	11	19

Yahrzeit for July-August-September

Gen.YZ R.S. Durbyan	Tamuz14	Jun22	Leonard Gorber	Av 7	Jul 14	Morris Gorber	Av 28	Aug 4
Harry Ross	14	22	Jezdimir Tosic	11	18	Hyman Mark	29	5
Benjamin Kanner	16	24	Morton Attis	12	19	Michael Baig	Elul 1	7
Hazel Rose Gorber	16	24	Harry Kirsh	12	19	Adelle Rubin	3	9
Vera Block	17	25	Dorothy Mark	15	22	Sarah Gorber	4	10
Jacob Selick	20	28	Jacob Coleman	16	23	Nathan Fine	6	12
Mary Lackman	21	29	Dora Miasnick	16	23	Morris Carnat	9	15
Aleck Maizen	27	Jul 5	Elizabeth Rubin	17	24	Jacob Kirsh	12	18
Abe Levine	27	5	Ben Attis	17	24	Mary Ruch	12	18
Annie Selick	28	6	R. Stanley Greenberg	19	26	Gordon Fischel	13	19
Ivan Levine	Av 1	8	Saul Rubin	20	27	Jack Brodie	13	19
R. Menachem Kutziner	2	9	Molly Birnbaum	21	28	Wilfred Gorber	14	20
Sam Gorber	2	9	Ethel Kirsh	22	29	Claire Weil	19	25
Hyman Rose	4	11	Isaac Boruch Rubin	24	31	Dora Klimitz	20	26
Moses Aaron Greenblatt	5	12	Channa Rubin	25	Aug 1	Esther Fine	20	26
Louise Cohen	5	12	Pauline Greenblatt	26	2	Steven Jacobson	20	26
Joseph Attis (vet.WWII)	6	13	Allen Bernick	27	3	Elchonon Schelew	21	27



**HOLOCAUST
A COMMUNITY
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YOM HASHOAH 2013**

***YOU ARE INVITED TO MONCTON'S ANNUAL
HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL SERVICE ON***

SUNDAY, APRIL 21 AT 2 PM

WITH GUEST SPEAKER

DR. ISRAEL UNGER

TIFERES ISRAEL SYNAGOGUE

THERE WILL BE PRAYERS, LIGHTING OF MEMORIAL CANDLES AND
FELLOWSHIP.

ISRAEL UNGER WILL BE AVAILABLE TO SIGN HIS BOOK.

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ISRAEL UNGER WAS BORN IN 1938 IN TARNOW, POLAND, AND IMMIGRATED TO CANADA IN 1951. HE IS DEAN EMERITUS OF SCIENCE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW BRUNSWICK. ISRAEL UNGER WAS ONE OF FIFTY HOLOCAUST SURVIVORS TO BE HONOURED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA IN 1998 IN CONNECTION WITH THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS. HE WAS THE EDUCATIONAL ADVISOR FOR ATLANTIC CANADA FOR THE FRIENDS OF SIMON WIESENTHAL CENTER FOR HOLOCAUST STUDIES. LIKE ANNE FRANK, ISRAEL UNGER AND HIS FAMILY HID FOR TWO YEARS IN AN ATTIC CRAWL SPACE. AGAINST ALL ODDS, THEY EMERGED ALIVE. NOW, AFTER DECADES OF SILENCE, HE HAS TOLD HIS STORY IN THE BOOK *THE UNWRITTEN DIARY OF ISRAEL UNGER*.

**Please fill the form below to sell your Chametz for Pesach.**

*Do it in such a way that we receive it **before** Sunday March 24 at 5 p.m.*

*Don't forget to donate for **Maos Chittim**.*

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**SALE OF CHAMETZ for 2013 /5773**

RABBI YITZCHOK I YAGOD 18 Mill St Mars-Hill ME 04758 [rabbiyagod@yahoo.com](mailto:rabbiyagod@yahoo.com)  
610-905-2166 / 207-217-1094/ 506 874-0606

I/We, the undersigned below hereby appoint Rabbi Yitzchok I Yagod to act as my/our agent to sell my/our chametz and any admixture of chametz and any derivative thereof, and food forbidden by the laws of chametz on Pesach and any particles of chametz and flavors of chametz even those that are found in cooking utensils, all of these:

I/we appoint and give full authority to Rabbi Yitzchok I Yagod to sell to any non-Jew he chooses or to any agent he designates even up to 100 agents and does whatever is needed sell the aforementioned chametz in accordance with Halachah. Rabbi Yitzchok I Yagod is appointed as my/our agent to have full authority and discretion to act and ensure that the sale of this chametz is to be done with all the halachic requirements to ensure that the sale is valid under the laws of the Torah and as well valid under the relevant local laws of the government of the domiciles of the undersigned and of the location of the chametz.

The chametz will be sold on Erev Pesach 5773 and will fully belong to the non-Jew over the entire period of Pesach and including the day before Pesach until 2.5 hours after Pesach whereupon the non-Jewish owner of the chametz can decide to terminate the sale and forfeit the deposit paid, thus practically returning the Chametz to where it came from.

Please sign and return this form to the Rabbi, at: rabbiyagod@yahoo.com 18 MILL ST MARS-HILL, ME 04758, U.S.A.

It has to be received by the Rabbi by 5 p.m., Sunday, March 24th 2013. NO LATER!

Please enter below your info & sign:

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Location(s) of Chametz

1. ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, PROV \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated value of chametz \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Additional locations here:

2. ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, PROV \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated value of chametz \$ \_\_\_\_\_

