BAYTOWN JEWISH COMMUNITY NEWS

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HADASSAH-B'NAI B'RITH—WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, DINNER/INSTALLATION MEETING
AT K'NESSETH ISRAEL COMMUNITY BUILDING.

COCKTAILS AT 6:30---DINNER AT 7:00---INSTALLATION AND VISITING

SINCE THE DINNER IS TO BE PREPARED BY US ALL, PLEASE CONTACT
SHIRLEY GOOD(424-924) or RUCHELLE MALLEY(427-7039) AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE SO THEY CAN COORDINATE THE MENU.

THIS IS THE LAST MEETING UNTIL SEPTEMBER—LET'S TRY TO MAKE
IT AS BIG AS THE FIRST ONE THIS SEASON WHEN ONLY THREE MEMBERS
WERE ABSENT.

OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED: HADASSAH—GERTRUDE TETER, PRESIDENT
RUCHELLE MALLEY AND RACHEL CARLSON, VICE-PRESIDENTS, CAROL
WAILEN, SECRETARY AND JEAN ROSENBAUM, TREASURER
B'NAI B'RITH—ARTHUR CHASNOFF, PRESIDENT, MICHAEL BLEYZER,
VICE-PRESIDENT, LEON PAINE, SECRETARY-TREASURER AND JERRY FRAM,
CHAFLAIN.

K'NESSETH ISRAEL CONGREGATION—FIRST FRIDAY FAMILY SERVICE, 8:00 PM.
JUNE 5, JULY 3, AUGUST 7 and SEPTEMBER 4. HOSTESSES WILL
BE SELECTED AND NOTIFIED FOR EACH MONTH.

HADASSAH ANNOUNCEMENTS........Jean Rosenbaum asks that Hadassah members
consider participating in the San Jacinto Hospital Volunteer Program that
a very few members have been maintaining for the past several years. All
that is asked is 3 hours (9-12) on Sunday mornings once a month. This ser­
vice has been welcomed by the hospital staff and the volunteer
group, who are given their chance to attend their religious services. Call
Jean (424-8765) for further details and to volunteer for a most worthwhile
community service.

Gertrude Teter suggests that those who contribute to the Patron's Page of
the HADASSAH YEARBOOK might want to give CHAI ($18), but states that any
amount will be appreciated. She asks that those who are selling ads please
try to finish collecting for them and to turn in the information and money
to Ruchelle Malley by June 1. She further states that the yearbook is
the chapter's major fund-raising project and that the participation of all
the membership is needed. She suggests that members try to obtain new ads
from businesses they patronize.

This is the last issue of the BJCN until September. I want to thank Jean
Rosenbaum for making the reproductions and to wish all of you a good summer....DT

For Your Information

Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, views with
alarm the increased manifestations of anti-Semitic and neo-Nazi activities
in the United States and around the world.

We are deeply troubled by the growing number of overt anti-Semitic
attacks against Jews and Jewish institutions in the United States, in­
cluding physical attacks on Jews, desecration of Jewish cemeteries and
vandalization of synagogues and schools. The readiness of significant
numbers of people to vote for candidates who are avowed anti-Semites is
another cause for our concern.

We are also troubled by the growing neo-Nazi activity in Europe, par­
ticularly the steady increase in anti-Semitic incidents in France, cul­
nimating in the bombing of the synagogue on Rue Copernic in Paris.

We believe that the proliferation of anti-Israel and anti-Zionist
propaganda, abetted by the attacks on Zionism in the United Nations and
European actions which have accorded legitimacy to the PLO, is a direct
cause of the increase in anti-Semitism throughout the world.

We, therefore, pledge our support to educational, legislative and
other effective efforts to combat the growth of anti-Semitism, anti-Zionism
and neo-Nazism wherever it may appear.

We must further strengthen the understanding of Jewish values, stress
the importance of Jewish education and ensure the unity of the Jewish people
to better equip ourselves to combat the resurgence of anti-Semitism in
our midst.