Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council

2008

Installation & Awards Reception

Sponsored by

Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation

Honoring

Hon. Barbara Clark
William Frumkin
Jeffrey Gurdus

Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

Sunday, October 26, 2008 – 27 Tishri 5769 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Bellerose Jewish Center 254-04 Union Turnpike, Floral Park, New York 58-20 Little Neck Parkway, Little Neck, NY 11362 (718) 225-6750 facsimile: (718) 423-8276 www.northeastqueensjewish.org Email: info@northeastqueensjewish.org

An association of synagogues and other religious, education, fraternal and community organizations, the Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council (NEQJCC) covers Bay Terrace, Bayside, Bellerose, Douglaston, Floral Park, Fresh Meadows, Glen Oaks, Hillcrest, Holliswood, Hollis Hills, Jamaica Estates, Little Neck, New Hyde Park, Oakland Gardens and Queens Village (north).

A beneficiary of UJA-Federation, the NEQJCC works closely with the Metropolitan Council on Jewish Poverty ("Met Council"), Samuel Field/Bay Terrace Y, Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation ("Parker"), Queens Region-Hadassah and Jewish Community Relations Council of Greater New York ("JCRC").

NEQJCC projects include maintaining a community calendar, neighborhood development, Jewish continuity including Shalom Bayit/Healthy Marriage, Lay Leadership, social action, promoting involvement and volunteer opportunities, fostering intergroup understanding and building a multi-cultural coalition. The Council combats anti-Semitism and discrimination, sponsors forums with major public figures, Jewish cultural events, open discussions with local Rabbis and represents community concerns. Its newest program, the *Harmony Initiative* or "*Hī*" represents a collaboration funded by the City Council, State Senate and Assembly including the Office of the Queens District Attorney, the City Commission on Human Rights and the Northeast Queens Branch-NAACP.

The Council helped form the NORC-WOW, a pilot program to serve seniors in one and two family homes. The Council publishes a (four-fold, 8.5 by 14-inch) brochure, *You Can Have It All*, touting life in northeast Queens communities, also available through its website.

Annual programs include its Installation of Officers and Awards Reception (sponsored by each fall by Parker), the lighting of the largest Chanukah Menorahs in Queens, *Hi* Pre-Passover and Fall Food Drives, Toy Drives and Coat Drives sponsored by the Y, Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation and Met Council, and a Purim Carnival at the Y.

Each Spring, the Council holds its Annual Legislative Forum, co-sponsored by Parker, Met Council, JCRC and Queens Hadassah, at the Y. In 2002, 2004 and 2008, the Council, together with Queens Hadassah, hosted the Ben Yeduda Street Comes to Bayside, an Israeli Gifts Fair, which attracted thousands of visitors who purchased direct from Israeli merchants.

Visit the Council's Website at www.northeastqueensjewish.org

PROGRAM

Masters of Ceremonies

Corey B. Bearak, Esq., Chairman, & Jack Friedman, President, NEQJCC

Star Spangled Banner and Hatikvah

Yoel Sharabi

Welcomes

Jack Friedman, President, NEQJCC Jeffrey Berzon, President, Bellerose Jewish Center Michael N. Rosenblut, President and CEO, Parker Jewish Institute

Invocation

Rabbi Jerome Dattelkramer, Spiritual Leader, Bellerose Jewish Center

Introductions

Corey B. Bearak, Esq., Chairman, NEQJCC

Installation of Officers

Hon. David I. Weprin, Chair of the City Council Committee on Finance

Presentations:

Award for Outstanding Service to the Community of Queens Hon. Barbara Clark

Presented by NYS Assembly Member Rory Lancman, 25th A.D.

Award for Outstanding Service to the Community of Northeast Queens Jeffrey Gurdus

Hon. Hon. Frank Padavan, Vice President, Pro Tempore, NYS Senate

Award for Outstanding Service to the Community of Greater New York William Frumkin

Presented by Samuel Field Y CEO Dr. Steve Goodman, NEQJCC Trustee

Rivka Fox Youth Awards Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

Presented by Hadassah Queens President Renee Freeman

Remarks

Jack Friedman, President, NEQJCC

Birchat Hamazon

Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council

2008/2009 OFFICERS

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Jeffrey Gurdus
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Past Honorees:

2006:	Hon. James Gennaro	Susan Friedman	Jack Friedman
2006:	Hon. David I. Weprin	Michael Rosenb	olut Corinne Steel
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	Harold Goldberg		Jonathan Bearak
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1994:	Anne Lupkin		
1992:	Hon. Elizabeth Holtzman		Dr. Arnold Honig

David I. Weprin

Council Member 23rd District Chair, Finance Committee



Thanks
The Northeast Queens
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and congratulates the honorees:

Barbara Clark, William Frumkin & Jeffrey Gurdus Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

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Our warmest congratulations to

Hon. Barbara Clark William Frumkin Jeffrey Gurdus Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

on their well-deserved honors.

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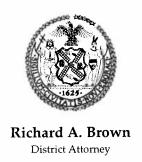
for sponsorship, publicity and support for the parade, and its ongoing efforts to identify important community causes and unify community organizations to address them.

In 2004, one hundred members of three synagogues marched under the umbrella of the Council.

In 2008, more than 425 members of more than 12 synagogues and organizations joined us.

On Sunday, May 31, 2009, we hope to have a contingent of 600 marching together to show our love and support for Israel. We invite you to march with us to show your love and support for Israel. It will be a day you'll not forget.

- **♯** Bay Terrace Jewish Center
 - *₱ Bellerose Jewish Center*
- # Hollis Hills Jewish Center
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 - *‡* Little Neck Jewish Center
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October 17, 2008

Mr. Corey Bearak, Esq. Chair, Executive Committee Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council 58-20 Little Neck Parkway Little Neck, New York 11362

Dear Corey:

Congratulations to you and the Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council on the occasion of your Installation Breakfast and Awards Reception.

The Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council plays a critical role in enriching Jewish community life through its vast array of cultural, educational and social action programs. It fosters intergroup understanding, promotes Jewish continuity and encourages community involvement and neighborhood development. Whether it is sponsoring food drives, educational forums or holiday events, the Council is an active and important force for improving the quality of life in Northeast Queens.

I also want to acknowledge the outstanding individuals that you have chosen to honor at this year's reception. Assemblywoman Barbara Clark, William Frumkin, Jeffrey Gurdus, Danielle Longueira and Jeff Goldberg are exceptional individuals and true communal leaders who, through their tireless devotion, have made a tremendous difference in the lives of those who live and work in Queens County. I join you in recognizing their efforts and extending our gratitude to each of them.

The Council has developed a close and productive relationship with my office for which I am grateful and I look forward to continuing and expanding that relationship in the future.

Warm regards.

Richard A. Brown
District Aftorney

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The Samuel Field Y
Congratulates
Northeast Queens
Jewish Community Council
and Honorees

Assemblywoman Barbara Clark
Jeffrey Gurdus
and our own

William Frumkin

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Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

Rivka Fox Youth Awardees

For Their Outstanding Dedication &

Service to Our Community

The Board & Staff of the Samuel Field Y



In Roving Memory of Rivka Fox z'l



My best friend and closest ally

Your smile and laughter

Passion and intellect

Accompany me on my journey through life.

I will always love you.

My Congratulations

to the Outstanding Honorees, Barbara Clark, Jeffrey Gurdus, William Frumkin,

and Rivka Fox Youth Awardees, Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

- Dr. Sandra Alfonsi

Congratulations

to

Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council,

and

its officers,

Corey

Jack

Helene

Ethel

Corinne

Herb

Marilynne

Jeff

Steve

and Ron.

And to my fellow Honorees,

The Outstanding

Assemblywoman Barbara Clark

and

my fellow past president Jeffrey Gurdus,

and

Rivka Fox Youth Awardees,

Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

- Bill Frumkin

Northeast Queens
Jewish Community Council
Congratulates our Honorees for
Outstanding Community Service:
Hon. Barbara Clark,
our Y's William Frumkin
and our own, Jeffrey Gurdus
and our Rivka Fox Youth Awardees:
Danielle Longueira and Jeff Goldberg

We also appreciate generous support of everyone joining us at today's reception.

You help make everything we do possible.

Please note all those who took ads in recognition of our distinguished honorees and in support of our community organization.

Thank You to the Organizations and Individuals who purchased full tables today:

Bellerose Jewish Center
Jack Friedman
Danielle Longueira's Family and Friends
Mike Nussbaum/ Queens Tribune
Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care & Rehabilitation
Samuel Field Y
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Outstanding Service to the Community of Queens

Hon. Barbara Clark

Elected to the New York State Assembly in November 1986, Barbara M. Clark represents the communities of Bellerose, Cambria Heights, Hollis, Queens Village, St. Albans, and part of Floral Park in the 33rd Assembly District. During her tenure, she has been a tireless, effective advocate for the needs of children, families, and the elderly. She has been a leader in education reform, day care and community development. A self-described "public servant," Assemblywoman Clark is readily accessible to her constituents. She devotes much of her time to creating institutions, policies, and programs that foster stability and growth. One such creation: converting the large, struggling Andrew Jackson High School into an impressive and progressive campus of four small magnet high schools.

Assemblywoman Clark, having been an active parent of four children who graduated from NYC public schools, is a leading advocate for parents having a statutory role in education policymaking. She was a primary sponsor of the 1996 School Governance Law, which mandates parental involvement in decisionmaking.

An active supporter of the Campaign for Fiscal Equity (CFE) lawsuit against the New York State, she has been unrelenting in her battle to change the State's inadequate and inequitable school finance system. In January 2001, State Supreme Justice Leland DeGrasse ruled, and the Court of Appeals affirmed, New York's school finance system as discriminatory and unconstitutional. Assemblywoman Clark was the only state legislator to testify at the trial.

Assemblywoman Clark has held a number of leadership positions in the State Legislature. She chaired Assembly Standing Committees on Aging, State and Federal Relations and the NYS Legislative Women's Caucus, a bipartisan organization of women legislators from both the Senate and the Assembly. She is presently the Chair of the Education Committee of the Black, Puerto Rican and Hispanic Caucus, a member of the Majority Steering Committee, and Assistant Majority Whip. Her current committee service includes Children and Families; Education; Labor; and Libraries & Education Technology. She has also sponsored significant pieces of legislation on education, health and consumer fraud.

Nationally, Assemblywoman Clark served as Vice-Chair of the National Conference of State Legislators' Education, Labor and Job Training Committee, and member of its Human Services Committee. As a member of the Education Partners, a public policy group of the National Conference of State Legislators, she assists state legislators and other policymakers throughout the country in making decisions about education policy, particularly in the area of finance.

Assemblywoman Clark, a coal miner's and health care administrator's daughter, was born in Beckley, West Virginia. She and her husband, Thomas Clark, Jr., have four adult children, Jan, Crystal, Thomas III, and Brian, and two granddaughters, Taylor and Lauren.

Outstanding Service to the Community of Greater New York

William Frumkin

William Frumkin started his accounting career in 1963 in private accounting working for a multinational company. After switching to public accounting in 1970 he found a firm that piqued his interest. In 1981 he became a shareholder of that firm, which after two mergers, evolved into Frumkin, Lukin, & Zaidman, CPA's P.C.

He has developed expertise in the areas of real estate developers, construction contractors, wholesalers, retailers, and manufacturers, medical and legal field. Additionally, he specializes in business consulting with small businesses and individuals.



Bill brings his expertise to his nonprofit activities as well. He is the former president

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the Samuel Field Y and continues to be a vocal board member serving as its Chairman of the Board. There he provided the impetus in the agency's acquisition of Camp Poyntelle/Lewis Village. In addition, Bill is a member of the Network Commission's Organizational Review Committee and the Task Force on Agency Capacity and Excellence.

He received a BA from Queens College, and has also completed graduate courses at Baruch College.

Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council extends its own

Thank yous

to our hosts, Bellerose Jewish Center,

and our reception sponsor, The Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation

And wishes an hearty Mazel Tov to our honorees

Outstanding Service to the Community of Northeast Queens

Jeffrey Gurdus

Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council elected Jeffrey Gurdus as its 8th president in May, 2001. He served longer than any predecessor through May 2008. He is currently a Trustee.

Jeff was born in the Bronx and moved to Queens 41 years ago. He attended Flushing High School and continued his education at Pace University. He currently works as Director of Community relations for Ambassador Publications and is recognized among his peers for superior skills in the advertising marketing and sales field.

He has been an active member of the Bellerose Jewish Center for many years and has served as a Trustee and a Community Relations Chairperson as well as a Delegate to the NEQJCC.

As an active community volunteer, Jeff is presently an officer in the Queens County Line Democratic Association and past Chancellor Commander of the Knights of Pythias Franklin Delano Roosevelt Lodge #613. He has coached and managed the Little Neck Douglaston Little League and Mid-Queens Basketball League and is a concerned member of the North Hills Civic Association.

When Jeff is not working and serving his community, he is enjoying fishing, sports, computers and spending time with a family that he is very proud of. His son Jason, recently married, is a Hofstra Law School Graduate who was the published in the Hofstra Law Review. His daughter, Lauren is a Queens College junior and has often worked at the Samuel Field Y. Jeff, his lovely wife Sydell, and Lauren make Little Neck, Queens their home.

CONGRATULATIONS TO JEFFREY GURDUS

FOR ALL YOUR HARD WORK AND DEDICATION TO NEQJCC

WE ARE ALL VERYPROUD OF YOU

LOTS OF LOVE FROM

SYDELL, LAUREN, JASON & JODI

Danielle Longueira

Danielle Longueira, a sophomore at Queens College, majors in Early Childhood Education and Sociology. She graduated from Mary Louis Academy, a college preparatory high school in Jamaica Estates. At Mary Louis, Danielle's involvements included student government, the Italian club, and captain of her graduating class during Spirit Week for three consecutive years.

In 2005, Danielle was nominated by one of her teachers to attend a National Young Leadership Conference in Washington, D,C. for 11 days, where she was taught leadership skills and political insight.

Danielle has been an active member of the Samuel Field Y since 2004, beginning as a Counselor in Training (CIT) at the day camp. She moved up to Junior Counselor in 2005 and has been a Counselor since 2006. Danielle was a member of the Y's Teen Council where her activities included Project Hope (delivering groceries to elderly people who are unable to get their own groceries), Super Sunday (a telethon to help raise money for the UJA Federation), the MS and Alzheimer's Walks, and Bowling to Strike Out Diabetes.

She works part time as a counselor for after school day care, as well as Speisman basketball (a program that helps youths in grades 7-9 learn the fundamentals of the game and how to play/ work together on a team) and helps out around the Y as much as possible, whenever needed.

Working at the Y has helped Danielle to realize that for her career, she wants to be a teacher. She loves working with children, and the Y is an environment that enables her to experience the behaviors of many different types of children.

Jeff Goldberg

18 year-old Jeffrey Goldberg currently attends the University at Buffalo.

As of now he plans to study sociology as an entry level major for law school.

What is there that one can say Jeffrey Goldberg, one might ask?

What follows are some words that others have been heard to use to describe him fondly:

Friends and family alike call him intelligent, caring, giving, friendly, warm hearted, trustworthy, focused, and just do not stop in their accolades.

People have told me I am a great person leaning towards a very bright future.

He states, "I can't disagree since I have been privileged to grow up in a great neighborhood and in a great family."

Teen council at the Samuel Field Y has been a huge part of his life the past three years.

With this wonderful community service group, he has achieved many great things such as participating in walks for causes, bake sales, phone-a-thons, fundraisers for charities and more.

He devoted many hours during high school and plans to continue giving back to the community for the rest of his life.

Bellerose Jewish Center congratulates

the officers of the NEQJCC for 2008 - 2009.

and the honorees.

We are especially pleased to offer congratulations to two members of the BJC family:

Honoree - Jeff Gurdus, former president of NEQJCC

and

incoming president Jack Friedman.



THE CITY OF NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE MAYOR NEW YORK, NY 10007

October 26, 2008

Dear Friends:

It is a great pleasure to welcome everyone to the Installation of Officers and Awards Reception hosted by the Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council.

New York is the most important site of the Jewish Diaspora — and it is through the economic, social, cultural, and civic initiatives of this organization that our City's Jewish community continues to unite with a shared dedication to tikkun olam. Today, we come together to recognize an esteemed group of honorees — William Frumkin, Assemblywoman Barbara Clark, Jeffrey Gurdus, Danielle Longueira, and Jeff Goldberg — for their invaluable contributions to our City's spiritual community and the Jewish tradition.

On behalf of the City of New York, I commend these individuals and everyone involved with the Council for their tireless efforts to support the thriving Northeast Queens community. Please accept my best wishes for an enjoyable event and continued success.

Sincerely,

Michael R. Bloomberg

Michael & Rember

Mayor



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is very proud and wishes to congratulate

CORINNE STEEL and

honoree WILLIAM FRUMKIN

on their outstanding service to NEQJCC and to the Jewish community at large

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Hon. Barbara Clark

Jeffrey Gurdus

Danielle Longueira & Jeff Goldberg

on their Outstanding Service to the Community

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Congratulates & Honors Jack Friedman

on his appointment to the office of President

and Best Wishes to this year's honorees

Assemblywoman Barbara Clark
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Chairman of our
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Bearak, for their
efforts in making
today a great success.

Congratulations to this year's honorees.

With admiration,

Ann Margaret Carrozza, Esq.

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Congratulations Jeff Gurdus for your years as President of Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council.

Best wishes to the other honorees



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For their dedication and support to our community.

Keep up the Good Work!

Congratulations

Jeffrey

on receiving this outstanding award.

We are extremely proud of you and know that you will continue to serve the Jewish community.

Love,

Mom, Dad and Alyssa

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Jeff Goldberg

and

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AFFILIATIONS

- - **★** NEQJCC is a beneficiary of UJA Federation **★**

HATIKVAH

Kol od ba-lei vav pe-ni-mah, So long as still within

Ne-fesh Ye'hu-di ho-mi-ya, the inmost heart a Jewish spirit sings,

U- le-fa-a-tei miz-rach ka-di-ma, So long as the eye looks eastward,

A-yin le-tsi-yon tso-fi-ya, gazing towards Zion,

Od-lo a-ve-da tik-va-tei-nu, our hope is not lost

Ha-tik-va she-not al-pa-yim, that hope of two-thousand years

Li-he-yot am chof-shi be-ar-tsei-nu to be a free people in tour land

Be-e-rets, tsi-yon Vi-ru-sha-la-yim, the land of Zion – and Jerusalem

Upcoming NEQJCC Events

NEQJCC *Harmony initiative* Toy Drive

Donate unwrapped, new (original containers) toys at Samuel Field Y, 58-20 Little Neck Parkway, Little Neck, NY 11362 through November 21. For information, call (718) 225-6750x247

Festival of Lights Community Hanukah Party and Harmony initiative Coat Drive Kickoff

Sunday, December 14, 2008 - 22 Kislev 5768 (kickoff 12:30 p.m.) 1:00 p.m. at Samuel Field Y, 58-20 Little Neck Pkwy, Little Neck, NY 11362 [Synagogues contact Gail Eisenberg about how you can participate]

Chanukah Menorah Lightings

Sunday, December 21, 2008 - 17 Kislev 5769 Chabad of Eastern Queens, 211-05 Union Turnpike, Hollis Hills.

Thursday, December 25, 2008 - 21 Kislev 5769 Chabad of Northeast Queens, 212-12 26th Avenue, Bay Terrace, NY 11360

For more information, call NEQJCC at (718) 225-6750 x247

Purim Carnival

Annual Harmony initiative Pre-Passover Food Drive "Kickoff"

Sunday, March 1, 2009 - 5 Adar I 5769
12:30 p.m. (Kickoff) 1:30 p.m. (Carnival) at Samuel Field Y, 58-20 Little Neck Pkwy.
For additional information, call (718) 225-6750
[Synagogues contact Gail Eisenberg about how you can participate]

Legislative Forum 2009 (with Queens Civic Congress): "The Race for Mayor"

Sunday May 18, 2008 - 13 Iyar 5768 9:30 a.m. at Samuel Field Y, 58-20 Little Neck Pkwy. Free Light Breakfast courtesy of Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation

Israel at 60 Celebration

Sunday, May 17, 2009 - 23 Iyar 5769 Sponsored by Northeast Queens Jewish Community Council and Queens Region Hadassah

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Salute To Israel Parade

Sunday, May 31, 2009 - 8 Siyan 5769 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York Join our synagogues and other members in planning our participation For more information please call: (718) 225-6750 x247

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