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# The Hub

Your bridge to Jewish Edmonton



## A MESSAGE FROM CEO STACEY LEAVITT-WRIGHT



As we enter the month of September and prepare our hearts and homes for the High Holidays, I'm reminded of the strength and resilience of our Jewish community. This season calls us to reflect, renew, and recommit—to our values, to each other, and to the future we are building together.

At the heart of this future is our United Jewish Appeal (UJA) Campaign, As One: Together, which fuels the vital work of our Federation and our partners. From supporting vulnerable populations to strengthening Jewish education and immersive experiences, from countering antisemitism and investing in security and advocacy, your generosity makes it all possible. This year, your support is more critical than ever.

When your volunteer canvasser phones you, asking you to fulfill the mitzvah of tzedakah

by supporting our community, please answer their call!

We still stand in unwavering solidarity with Israel, especially as we hold in our hearts the hostages who need to be returned to their families. Their plight reminds us of the importance of unity and collective action. We pray for their safe return as we also go on sending strength to our partnership communities in the Galilee Panhandle, who are returning home and are on a long path to rebuilding.

Here in Edmonton, we are proud to be advancing a bold vision with the development of our new Jewish Community Centre—a space that will serve as a hub for connection, culture, and care. We are establishing an endowment for operating purposes, ensuring it is going to be a beacon of Jewish life for generations to

come.

We also maintain a deep commitment to safeguarding our community by working closely with law enforcement and security partners to ensure the protection of our institutions and gatherings. We are actively advocating for policies that uphold our rights, reflect our values, and support the flourishing of Jewish life in Canada.

This is a time for solidarity. Whether through giving, volunteering, or simply showing up for one another, each of us plays a role in shaping a vibrant, secure, and inclusive Jewish future.

May this season bring you and your loved one's strength, sweetness, and peace.

Shanah Tovah

Register for our upcoming events at [jewishedmonton.org](http://jewishedmonton.org).



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LOAY ALSHAREEF

**Jewish Arab Reconciliation**  
The Future of Peace in the Middle East,  
and the Fight Against Extremism



Thursday, September 25  
7 p.m.  
Free

Register now



Generously supported by a grant from the Government of Alberta

Alberta

Hillel  
Edmonton

Marking  
October 7<sup>th</sup>

Sunday, October 5  
Doors open at 4:15 p.m.  
Program at 5 p.m.

Register now



In partnership with:



HILLEL  
KICKOFF

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18



REGISTER NOW



MKT BAR + FARE  
8101 GATEWAY BLVD  
7 P.M.

- Pizza + snacks
- First drink free!
- Games
- Meet new people!



Hillel  
Edmonton

PJ and  
Shalom  
Playtime

REGISTER NOW  
FOR PROGRAMS AND  
PLAYTIME FROM  
OCTOBER TO APRIL  
[jewishedmonton.org](http://jewishedmonton.org)



Open play time  
for families with  
young children

Two Sundays each month  
9:30-11:30 a.m.  
Talmud Torah School  
Gymnasium  
\$70 for the whole season or  
\$40 for October to January or  
February to April



A Deep Dive with Jonny Daniels

Join us for a powerful conversation with a globally recognized  
advocate as he shares his insights into the Middle East and  
the fight against antisemitism.

Tuesday, October 21  
7 p.m.  
Free  
Register now



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