

## SUNDAY • JUNE 23<sup>TH</sup>

Temple Beth-El • 3610 Dundee Road • Northbrook

JGSI ANNUAL MEETING  
*Plus* "KVELL AND TELL"

**12:30 P.M.** Research, Internet, and genealogical help from JGSI volunteers. Browse our JGSI library, and check out books.

**2:00 P.M.** JGSI's president, Debbie Kroopkin, will present the annual report. "Kvell and Tell" will feature five members sharing family history, discoveries and research tips.

- "Shlomo and the General," a short family history play by JGSI member Gail Duberchin (writer name Gayle Ann Weinstein), will be read by JGSI members Sandy Kiferbaum and Dennis Aron.
- Debbie Kroopkin will speak about the genealogical value of Social Security applications.
- JGSI member Bena Shklyanoy has a presentation of which she says the following: "My mother's surname is unique for her family only. Why? And why that particular name? Unrelated out-of-the-blue chains of events supplied both a huge branch to my tree and the origin of the name."
- JGSI member David Sterlin will present his personal experience of discovery with an unexpected solution.
- Marty Fischer, JGSI vice president-publicity, has an addendum to a previous presentation about his mother's life in Cuba called "Statelessness: My Immigrant Family's Story."

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JGSI members Ava Cohn, Martin Fischer, Steven Flack, Michael Karsen,  
and Debbie Kroopkin will be speaking at the conference.

**Are you Attending the IAJGS International Conference in Cleveland?  
Will you be driving? Do you need a ride?  
Please let us know! Hope to see you there.  
Call 312-666-0100 or email [info@jgsi.org](mailto:info@jgsi.org).**

### FUTURE MEETINGS

- August 11 - Hebrew Benevolent Society Cemetery Tour - 3919 N. Clark Street, Chicago - 11:00 A.M.
- August 25 - "More Stories about Things I've Learned from Doing Genealogy" - presented by Zalman Usiskin
- September 15 - "A Guide to Sephardic Genealogy" - presented by Genealogist Sarina Roffé
- October 27 - "Resources for Jewish Genealogy in Chicagoland — What's New" - presented by Mike Karsen
- November 17 - Presenter, Curt B. Witcher of the Allen County Public Library

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED — email: [info@jgsi.org](mailto:info@jgsi.org)

Membership Committee, and Website and Database management.

DO YOU NEED A RIDE to a JGSI meeting? We have volunteer drivers - call 312-666-0100

### DUNDEE ROAD CLOSURE BEGINNING IN APRIL THROUGH OCTOBER

The Illinois Department of Transportation will begin construction on the intersection of Dundee and Lee Roads in the Village of Northbrook. Dundee Road will be closed to through traffic between Waukegan Road and Skokie Boulevard during construction. Willow Road or Lake-Cook Road are alternates. Work scheduled to be completed at the end of October.

*JGSI Meetings are free and open to the public.*  
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