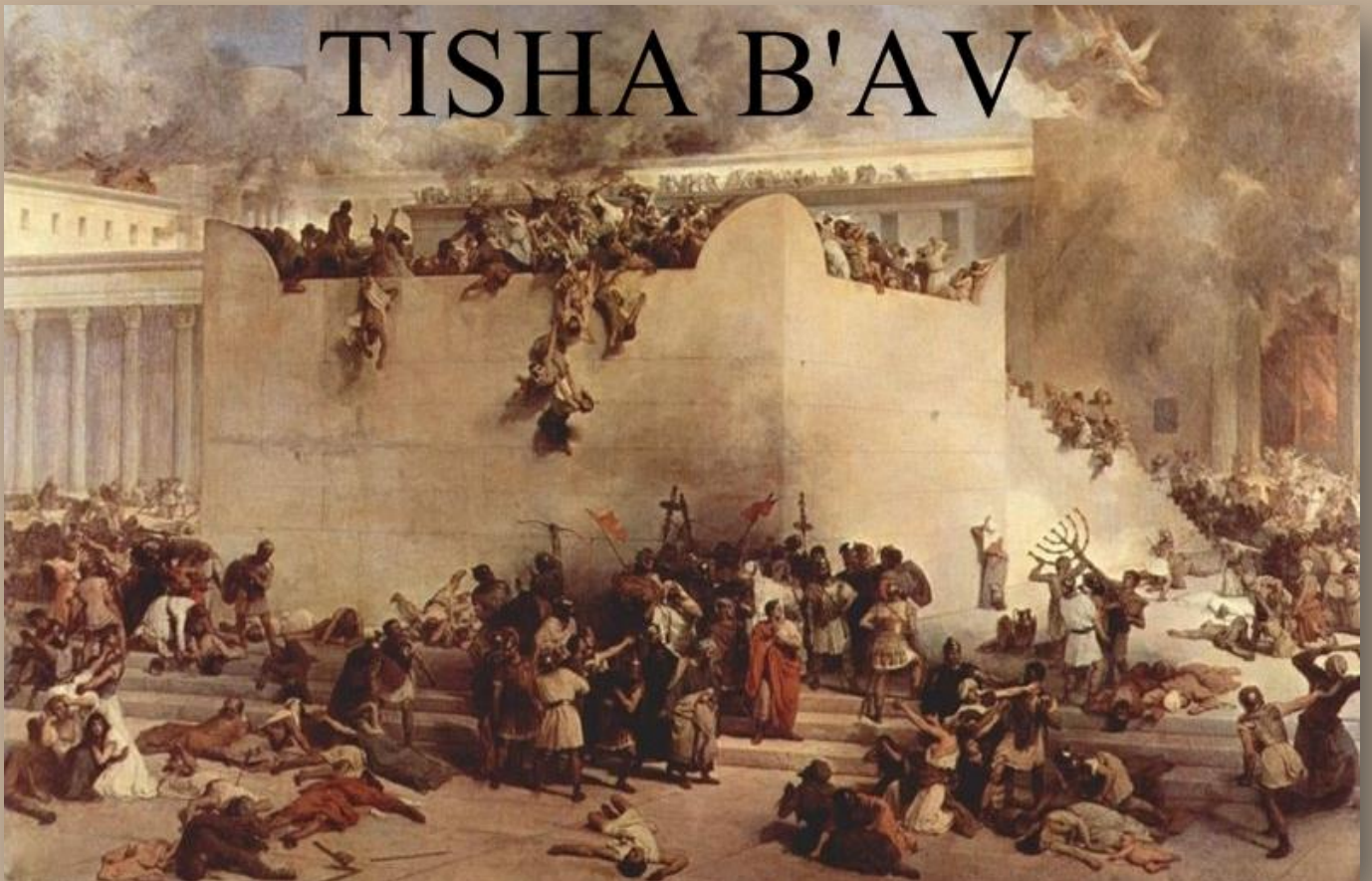




WIZO AVIVA Doing What Matters
newsletter

JULY 2021



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SAVE THE DATE



18 July – Tisha B'Av

**25 July, 2pm – Meet my most inspirational friend at our
Afternoon tea meeting, 1 Sun Place, Chapel Hill, see
page 6 for details**

18 August, 2:30PM – European Masterpieces Exhibition

19 August, 2PM – European Masterpieces Exhibition

22 September –Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers bus trip

*Due to changing Covid-19 restrictions,
any of these functions may be cancelled
or postponed in future.*



JOIN OUR TEAM
**WE HAVE A
POSITION VACANT**

**ARE YOU MOTIVATED TO HELP?
ARE YOU GOOD WITH FIGURES?
ARE YOU CONFIDENT WITH COMPUTERS?
WE HAVE A POSITION VACANT!**

Job Title: Honorary Treasurer

Job Description:

- Sending out computer generated invoices
- Checking bank balance online at least once a week
- Receipting payments online
- Writing a yearly balance sheet.

Hours: average 1-2 hours a week

Reward:

Our eternal gratitude, (it's a voluntary position)

Phone Susan 0421 018 209 or Email: wizoaviva@hotmail.com

WIZO QUEENSLAND NEWS



The Executive

Recently WIZO Queensland held its AGM in Buderim at Buderim Gardens. Pam Huppert was re-elected unanimously as State President .

Congratulations ...

to Sylvia Lipski who was awarded the prestigious Rebecca Sieff Award for outstanding dedication to WIZO, the Zionist cause and the people of Israel in the spirit of its founder Rebecca Sieff.



WELCOME...

to our newest WIZO Aviva member,
Sandra Schuptar.

Thank you for supporting WIZO and
we look forward to seeing you often.

EUREKA!

On 1 June, the Eureka Street \$3,000 Furniture Voucher Raffle was drawn at the head office of [Eureka Street Furniture](#). The winning ticket was No. 002579. Inge Marcus, a past WIZO Queensland president, now residing in Sydney, won the voucher which she said she would give to her granddaughters to share. Enormous thanks go to [Gillian and Nathan Brisblat](#) for their extreme generosity. Fiona from the McGregor Store was rewarded for selling the most tickets in store. \$18,000 was raised for Makom Balev, (which means a place in the heart), and is WIZO Australia's project that provides emergency housing and treatment for young women at extremely high risk in Beersheba.



Left to Right Gillian Brisblat, Fiona from the McGregor Store, Rosemary Solomon holding the winning ticket, and Pam Huppert

Meet my Most Inspirational Friend, Rachel



I first met Rachel over 38 years ago when we both lived in Bondi. We became instant friends.

Rachel has certainly faced more than her fair share of hardships.

Just over eighteen years ago, she lost both her legs in a train accident at Sydney's Central Station. Ten years later, she was declared legally blind after losing sight in her left eye. She had already lost sight in her right eye years earlier

due to a detached retina.

Yet despite these awful misfortunes, she refuses to give up on life.

Today, she walks on two prosthetic limbs and the aid of a walker, and boasts a "full calendar" of social activities.

"Life is a gift," said the single mother who lives in Bondi. "It's not what happens to you — it's how you deal with it that matters. You can sit and feel sorry for yourself, or you can deal with what you've got and do your best. I just enjoy being alive."

All things being equal, at 2pm, Sunday 25 July, you can meet Rachel at our afternoon tea meeting at my home, 1 Sun Place, Chapel Hill.

EUROPEAN MASTERPIECES

FROM THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, **NEW YORK**



Spanning 500 years, 'European Masterpieces from The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York' offers a breath-taking journey from the 1420s and emerging Renaissance to conclude at the height of early twentieth century post-impressionism. This once-in-a-lifetime opportunity also allows visitors to experience works by painters such as Rembrandt, Rubens, Turner, Degas, Renoir, Cézanne, and Monet, direct from The Met's collection – one of the finest collections of European painting in the world, the majority of which rarely leave permanent display in New York.

WIZO Aviva is organising a visit to this exhibition at GOMA, guided by our beloved, Lee McNamee.

Wednesday 18 August at 2:30pm

Strictly limited to 10 people

Reply now to guarantee your place.

Phone Susan 0421 018 209 or email wizoaviva@hotmail.com



Tickets can be purchased in advance by direct deposit to WIZO Aviva Com Bank, BSB: 064118, Account No: 00906885. Please include your name and the word "GOMA" as a reference so we know who to send the receipt to.

SENATOR AMANDA STOKER EVENT



Thank you everyone for your support, those who attended, those who donated and those who provided the afternoon tea.

Your 2021 membership subs are now due.

\$40 is all it takes to renew your WIZO Aviva Membership.

You can make your payment by cheque or direct deposit

And don't forget to sponsor your husbands, daughters and granddaughters by including their \$40 WIZO Membership.

So that we can update our database, please email us the following details.

Name:.....

Address:..... Postcode:.....

Phone:..... Mobile:.....

Preferred E-Mail Address:.....

**Details if paying by Direct Deposit & Internet Banking
Commonwealth Bank, BSB: 064118, Account No:
00906885, Account Name: "WIZO Aviva"
*Please include your name and the word "subs" as a
reference so we know who to send the receipt to.***

**Please make cheques payable to "WIZO Aviva"
and post to *WIZO Aviva, 1 Sun Place, Chapel Hill 4069***

If you have already paid, please disregard this notice.

**On behalf of the women and children of Israel,
we thank you for your continued support.**

WIZO Aviva invites you on a full day bus trip to...
the Toowoomba Carnival of Flowers



**One day only,
Wednesday
22 September 2021
\$45 Pensioners
\$65 Adults**

**As this is a bus tour
seats are strictly limited
so you must book and pay
for your tickets before
16 September 2021, but remember,
the early bird catches our bus!!**



- ***Departing Sinai College at 9am***
- ***Break at Picnic Point where morning tea can be purchased***
- ***Visit 2 gardens.***
- ***Spend lunchtime in Queens Park where food can be purchased or bring your own picnic lunch.***
- ***Visit another 1 or 2 gardens, depending on time***
- ***Back to Picnic Point where afternoon tea can be purchased.***
- ***Return to Sinai College, Burbank between 4 and 5 pm***

Contact Susan Segal now on 0421 018 209

Email wizoaviva@hotmail.com

**Pay directly into WIZO Aviva Commonwealth Bank Account
BSB:064118, Account No: 00906885, Account Name: "WIZO Aviva"**

Strictly limited to 10 passengers

The Missing Link



Please find some interesting links below:

Talk about Change!

A new President, a new Prime Minister and for the first time in Israel's history, something extraordinary – a NEW religious Arab Muslim party (Ra'am) in Israel's ruling coalition government. People can disagree on multiple issues of what is evolving, what they cannot disagree is where it is heading – CHANGE.

[Read this article by David E. Kaplan](#)

Will Israel's new gov't make changes for the ultra-Orthodox?

We can expect to see three changes, two of which will push ultra-Orthodox men into the labour market.

[Read the Jerusalem Post article here](#)

In Every Generation

Jews know too well the dangers of antisemitism as it changes from generation to generation.

[Read this article by Rolene Marks](#)