

Profiles

Stephen J Cohen – President



We have continued to grow as a Kehilla and a family spirit seems to be imbued within us.

As a community we have celebrated quite a number of s'machot since the last issue of Geshet. I have lost count of the number of visitors that have attended our shul on these happy occasions and that have come up to me to congratulate the congregation on what has been achieved here.

As we all know you only get out what you put in. On behalf of us all I would like to thank the Rabbi and Ruthie, my executive and council, the ladies guild for all their continued hard and selfless work and of course my wife Gillian for all her support.

Looking forward - we hope to be part of the Hale Israel Family Shabbaton in February. This is our chance as a community to show our solidarity with Israel. I urge you seriously to consider being a part of it.

Security once again has become a major issue. I know that we can count on all members to assist when called upon for an immediate and unquestioning response.

Finally Gillian and myself wish you all a happy and healthy Yom Tov and may the ensuing year be one of continued growth, s'machot and above all peace and security for all Israel.

State of the Nation Review

We're doing good and me grammar has continued to improve.

Presidential life is so busy, busy, busy. It has taken me nearly six months to write this. Anyway must go now as I am so busy, busy, busy. By the way - as you all have nothing to do perhaps you can assist me in a decision. I have acquired a fun day out driving (wrecking) either a :

1. Ferrrrrrrrri
2. Rally Car
3. Formula 3 Racing Car
4. Cheshire Housewife 4 x 4 off road SUV squirrel crusher.

As I cannot make my mind up can you please e-mail me by 31st October.

My family have also given me a flight in a micro light gizmo with a range of 2000 miles - are they trying to tell me something?

"Thankfully, our President's literacy in no way reflects his ability to lead the Community! Eds"