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***Kibbutz Yizre'el***

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**BEST WISHES** to **Ca’anan Dolinko** on his recruitment to Zahal. We wish you every success in your new endeavour.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Inbal Adler** who has been elected to the position of Head of the Third Age Cluster. Good Luck!

**BREAK-INS:** There have been break-ins to homes in Moshav Avital, Dvora and Gan Ner. Please don’t leave your homes open and don’t keep large sums of cash money at home. If your home is broken into, call 100 and report it immediately.

Brent Abramovitch

**REFRESHER ON THE CORONA REGULATIONS:**

Because of the rise in the number of cases, here is a reminder of the regulations.

1. Wear a mask that covers the nose and mouth when in a closed space.
2. Only people with a green pass are allowed to enter the dining room (with the exception of Yizre’el children up to the age of 12).
3. Guests with a green pass may enter the dining room. Children up to the age of 3 are exempt.

Help us keep everyone safe and lead a regular routine life.

**UPDATES FROM THE KOLBO**

There is a wave of price rises in Israel and the world. In 2022 prices are expected to rise. We are doing our best to keep the prices down with our suppliers. It is suggested that people should try out new products which may be cheaper than the more well-known ones, but just as good.

Please continue to advise us of products that have run out or ones you would like to see in the KolBo. We promise to check them out.

The Garden Branch has planted flowers and shrubs at the entrance to the KolBo. Please help us keep it beautiful and ensure that our children do so too.

The staff of the KolBo is coming together and we hope that soon we’ll be able to add more hours of service.

**THE DENTAL CLINIC**

Our clinic treats patients from Yizre’el, our children and patients from outside so you may recommend our clinic to people outside the kibbutz.

At the end of the month, Dr. Vasam Ezrike will be leaving. We thank him for his devoted and caring treatment of his patients and we wish him success in the future.

Our team today: Dr. Hasan Zoabi – general dentist

Dr. Sutita Disthaferon – orthodontist

Dr. Gideon Hecht – surgeon

Zahava Rozilio – dental assistant

Shlomit Yanai – dental hygienist and Head of the Dental Clinic

From January, Dr. Oren Halva-Gepso, graduate of Hadassah Jerusalem Dental School will be joining the team.

The dental clinic has accessories and dental products for mouth hygiene which can be bought at reasonable prices.

For any requests or comments, you are welcome to contact Shlomit Yanai

052-3756021.

**GENERAL MEETING 15.12.2021**

**Agenda: Temporary Groups on Yizre’el**. This subject has been discussed many times at the Mazkirut and the information was presented to the General Meeting for discussion before the vote. A vote was taken:

Shnat Sherut – 106- for / 33 against / 7 abstained

Habonim Dror – 96 for / 34 against / 16 abstained

**It was decided to accept both groups.**

**ECONOMIC COUNCIL 20/12/2021**

Approval of the budget to build the Cottage Neighborhood.

Approval was given for the budget of 7,501,829 shekel.

The cost of the infrastructure will be funded from the infrastructure fund 9293,612 shekel), the cost of building will be divided as such: 50% will come from the building fund (3,603,829 shekel) , 50% from bank loans (3,603,829 shekel).

A vote was held - 30 for / 6 against / 1 abstention

In a few weeks-time work will begin. We will endeavour to build quickly, efficiently and professionally. Good luck to the new tenants.

**English is Fun - with Rahel**

**Subject: OXYMORONS ­–** figure of speech with pointed conjunction of seeming contradictories.

random order good grief

decaffeinated coffee

bottom-up cold as hell

old news even odds

humane slaughter working holiday

lead balloon poor health

living dead start quitting

educated guess student teacher

larger half infinity and beyond

bitter sweet wireless cable

jumbo shrimp virtual reality

plastic silverware less is more

original copy unbiased opinion

fight for peace clearly misunderstood

found missing same difference

military intelligence alone together

organized chaos vegan with meat flavor

only choice growing smaller

impossible situation extinct life

deafening silence a little bit pregnant

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