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Wedding

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Sherri Allison Weissman, daughter of Jayne and Ronnie Weissman of St. Petersburg, and Lucas Jacob Levine, son of Chesna Levine of Coral Springs and Bruce Levine of New York City, were married April 17.

The wedding ceremony was on St. Pete Beach with the reception following at the Sirata Beach Resort.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Florida and Nova Southeastern University with a master's degree in Medical Science, Physician Assistant. She is a P.A. with Emergency Medical Associates of New



Jersey in the emergency room at the Clara Maas Hospital in Belleville, NJ.

She is the granddaughter of Dotty Goldblatt and Chuchie Weissman, both of South Pasadena.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Florida Atlantic University. He is currently a Business Development Manager for Staples in the Corporate Offices in Englewood, NJ.

He is the grandson of May Levine, of Tamarac.

The couple resides in Englewood, NJ, and plans to honeymoon later in the Fall.

Weinberg Village inaugurates Eight over Eighty Award

Weinberg Village has launched an "Eight over Eighty Award" program to recognize eight seniors, 80 years or older, who have long dedicated their time and talents to making significant contributions to the Jewish and general community of Tampa or elsewhere.

Synagogue and community leaders nominated 26 men and women for the honor. Of this group, the Eight over Eighty Selection Committee chose the first eight individuals to be honored.

The inaugural Eight over Eighty are Nellye Friedman, Roberta Golding, Walter Kessler, Ruth Klein, Sylvia Krone, Doris Rosenblatt, Judith Szentivanyi, and Jack Wiesenfeld.

Judith Mish, Weinberg Village Eight over Eighty Award chair, announced that the eight will be inducted in the Weinberg Village Jewish Senior Hall of Fame at its

inaugural Eight over Eighty Dessert Reception on Sunday, Oct. 31 at 3 p.m. at Congregation Schaarai Zedek.

As part of the induction ceremony at the Eight over Eighty Dessert Reception, a short autobiographical film will elaborate on the life and activities of each honoree.

In addition, The Eight over Eighty Committee will publish a Mazel Tov Recognition Book in which family, friends, and colleagues can recognize the accomplishments of these individuals. Money raised by the event will serve as a fundraiser for the Weinberg Village Facility Enhancement Fund and the Harry & Jeanette Weinberg Endowment at T.O.P. Jewish Foundation.

The Weinberg Village Facility Enhancement Fund, a vision of honoree Roberta Golding who started the fund with a challenge grant, will help to renovate the assisted living facility. The Weinberg Endowment provides much needed subsidies and supportive services for Weinberg residents with limited

resources.

Located on Tampa's Maureen & Doug Cohn Jewish Community Campus, Weinberg Village is a subsidiary of the Tampa Jewish Federation.

The Eight over Eighty Selection Committee, chaired by Paula Zielonka, included Judith Mish; Lili Kaufmann; Judith Rosenkranz; Steve Weinberg, president of the Weinberg Village Board of Managers; and Gary Gould, Chief Executive Officer of the Tampa JCC and Federation.

Those willing to help with planning the Eight over Eighty event should contact the chair at judithmish@hotmail.com or Dan Sultan, Weinberg Village marketing director, at dan.sultan@jewishtampa.com.

For more information about Weinberg Village Assisted Living Residences programs and services call Sultan or Barbara Gerson, executive director, at (813) 969-1818 or toll free at (866) 595-3857 or visit www.weinbergvillage.com.

Heritage Springs social club formed as meeting place for Jewish seniors

By DANIEL FEINGOLD
Jewish Press

Looking for an easy way to meet other Jews in the community, two Pasco County women started a social club in their 55 and older community. Now more than a year later, 90 residents in the 1,300-home development in Trinity have joined the Shalom Group of Heritage Springs.

The group has held many social events throughout the past year, including a trip to Biloxi, a boat ride and lunch on the *Calypso Princess*, a barbecue at Anclote Beach, and an Italian night with a DJ and Neil Diamond impersonators. The trip to Biloxi received such a great response, organizers say the group will be going once again in November.

The Shalom Group was the brainchild of Heritage Springs residents Sharon Goldman and Judi Zimmerman, who were not content with the Jewish community's simple monthly get togethers.

"I wanted more than just breakfast once a month," Goldman said, noting that the breakfasts were never well-attended.

When the breakfasts ended in April 2009, Goldman and Zimmerman formed the Shalom Group.

In what Goldman described as a "workshop brunch," approximately 50 people showed up at her residence to eat, mingle, and brainstorm ideas for potential future social events.

While many of the Shalom Group's events are social, members also spend their time helping the community.

The group collected gift cer-

tificates from various stores and distributed them through Jewish Family Services. Members have also done volunteer work for Rabbi Shalom Adler of Young Israel Chabad of Pinellas and Rabbi Yossi Eber of Chabad of West Pasco.

A few women in the group, nicknamed the Mitzvah Mavens, visit people in hospitals and help those in need by spending time with them or assisting with errands like grocery shopping.

To be a member of the Shalom Group, you must be a resident of Heritage Springs. However, the group does hold events that are open to the public.

Last year the group hosted a Yom Kippur break-the-fast dinner in the community's clubhouse. The dinner was open to all members as well as their family and friends. Some 100 people were in attendance.

The Shalom Group will again be hosting a break-the-fast on Saturday, Sept. 18 at the Heritage Springs Club House.

Prior to the High Holidays, the group is planning a trip to the Show Palace theater on Sunday, Aug. 29. This event is open to the public as well. The group welcomes singles, couples, Jews and non-Jews.

Goldman enumerated at least three reasons for residents of Heritage Springs to join the Shalom Group: "to meet each other, have a good time and to help somebody."

There is a one time \$5 charge to become a member of the organization. For more information or to become a member, contact Judi Zimmerman at (727) 372-4649 or Sharon Goldman at (727) 376-9998.

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