

The Naomi Praver Kadar International Yiddish Summer Program Schedule

General Information:

Our reception and opening session on **July 2** will be held between 9:00 and 11:00 in The Max Webb Family School of Languages Building, Room 001 on the ground floor. Afterwards we will proceed to the classrooms. **Please note that on the first day classes end at 14:30.**

Yiddish Language classes will be held from **9:30-11:00** and from **11:30-13:00** on the following dates:

From July 3 to July 6
From July 9 to July 13
From July 16 to July 20
From July 23 to July 27

Classrooms will be assigned at reception on July 2.

Classes will be held regularly in The Max Webb Family School of Languages Building.

Teaching staff:

Beginners (for English speakers)	Mr. Daniel Birnbaum
Beginners (for Hebrew speakers)	Ms. Esther Rollansky
Intermediate I	Dr. Alexandra Polyan
Intermediate II	Ms. Lea Skiba
Intermediate III	Dr. Miriam Trinh
	Mr. Eliezer Niborski
Intermediate IV	Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin
	Mr. Eliezer Niborski
Advanced	Prof. Yitskhok Niborski
	Prof. Avraham Novershtern
Advanced Seminar for Research Students:	Prof. Marc Caplan
	Prof. Yitskhok Niborski
	Dr. Miriam Trinh

Optional homework assistance will be available for one hour, immediately after class, from July 3 to July 23, in Room 103, in The Max Webb Family School of Languages Building.

Afternoon lectures and workshops will be held in Room 103 in The Max Webb Family School of Languages Building.

The afternoon lecture series, “Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers”, will be conducted by Prof. Justin Cammy. Students are encouraged to read the texts in advance of each session.

Conversation classes will be conducted by Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin for students of the Intermediate classes 1 and 2; by Ms. Esther Rollansky for students of the Intermediate classes 3 and 4; and by Dr. Miriam Trinh for students of the Advanced classes. The level of the conversation class may not necessarily correspond to the level of the regular class if there is a discrepancy between speaking and writing performance. In such cases, students will be screened individually and assigned to a conversation class based on their speaking ability.

Sign up sheets will be distributed for participation in all cultural events. Please make sure to sign up so that we know how many students plan to participate in each event, and make arrangements accordingly.

Our Program Coordinators Talila Eylon and Jasmine Inbar will be happy to answer any questions and to assist with any request.

Schedule

Sunday, July 2

9:00-10:15

Registration – Room 001, Ground floor of the Max Webb Family School of Languages Building.

10:15-11:00

Official Opening of the Summer Program

(Webb 001)

Greetings: Prof. Raanan Rein - Vice President,
Tel Aviv University

Ms. Ilana Kurizki, The Naomi Foundation

Professor Hana Wirth-Nesher - Director,

The Goldreich Family Institute for Yiddish Language,
Literature, and Culture, Tel Aviv University

Professor Avraham Novershtern - Director ,

Beth Shalom Aleichem

11:00-12:30

Classes

13:00-14:30

Classes

Monday, July 3

14:00-15:30

The Naomi Praver Kadar Annual Lecture:

Dr. Nahma Sandrow:

“Yiddish Theater: Enlightened and Enlightening”

(in English)

The Cymbalista Jewish Heritage Center Auditorium

Tuesday, July 4

14:00-15:30

Conversation Classes:

Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102

Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105

Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103

Wednesday, July 5

14:00-15:30 Lecture Series: Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers
 Prof. Justin Cammy, Smith College
 Lecture 1: Rethinking Bergelson's *Three Center*
 Dovid Bergelson, *Three Centers* (1926)
 (in English) Webb 103

Thursday, July 6

14:00-15:30 A Symposium to mark the publication of *Raising
 Secular Jews: Yiddish Schools and their Periodicals for
 American Children 1917-1950* by Dr. Naomi Prawer
 Kadar
 Prof. Yael Darr, The Child and Youth Culture M.A.
 Program of the School of Cultural Studies, Tel-Aviv
 University: "A Tale of Two Narratives: The Holocaust
 as told to Jewish Children in Yiddish and in Hebrew in
 the Early Postwar Years"
 Prof. David Roskies, Chair in Yiddish Literature and
 Culture, Jewish Theological Seminary; Visiting Professor
 of Yiddish Literature and Culture, Hebrew University of
 Jerusalem: "Some Thoughts on the Invention of a
 Yiddish Childhood"
 Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin: Yiddish Children's Songs
 (In English) Webb 103

20:00 Dinner and musical performance with Esti Nissim
 at The Council for a Beautiful Israel
 HaYarkon Park, 80 Rokach Blvd., Tel Aviv

Friday, July 7 No summer program activities

Saturday, July 8 No summer program activities

Sunday, July 9

14:00-15:30 Lecture Series: Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers
 Prof. Justin Cammy, Smith College
 Lecture 2: Cultural Capitals of Yiddishland: Warsaw,
 Vilna and Beyond
 (in English) Webb 103

Monday, July 10

14:00-15:30 Conversation Classes:
 Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102
 Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105
 Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103

19:30 Musical Program: “Mir Zingen Vayter”
 With participants in the “Nechama Lifshitz
 Workshop for Yiddish Songs”
 At Tzavta Theater, 30 Iben Gabirol St., Tel Aviv

Tuesday, July 11

14:00-15:30 Yiddish Song Workshop
 with Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 103

Wednesday, July 12

14:00-15:30 Lecture Series: Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers
 Prof. Justin Cammy, Smith College
 Lecture 3: Yiddish Modernisms, East and West: Moscow,
 Kiev, Berlin
 (in English) Webb 103

Thursday, July 13

14:00-15:30 Conversation Classes:
 Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102
 Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105
 Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103

Friday, July 14 No summer program activities

Saturday, July 15 No summer program activities

Sunday, July 16

13:15-14:00 Group Picture on stairs of Beit Hatfutsot

14:00-15:30 Conversation Classes:
 Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102
 Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105
 Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103

Monday, July 17

11:00 & 13:00 Yiddish Book Sale
 In front of Webb 001, on the ground floor

14:00-15:30 Lecture Series: Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers
 Prof. Justin Cammy, Smith College
 Lecture 4: Yiddish in the Americas: The New York
 Center and Minor Centers North and South of the
 Border
 (in English) Webb 103

Tuesday, July 18

- 11:00 & 13:00 Yiddish Book Sale
 In front of Webb 001, on the ground floor
- 14:00 – 15:30 Lecture: Prof. David Roskies, Chair in Yiddish
 Literature and Culture, Jewish Theological Seminary;
 Visiting Professor of Yiddish Literature and Culture,
 Hebrew University of Jerusalem: “Yiddish Orality in the
 Age of Digital Reproduction”
 (In English and Yiddish)
 Webb 103.

Wednesday, July 19

- 14:00-15:30 Lecture Series: Yiddish Literary Cities and Centers
 Prof. Justin Cammy, Smith College
 Lecture 5: Yiddish in a Jewish State and Contemporary
 Virtual Yiddish Centers
 (In English) Webb 103
- 16:00-17:30 Yiddish Song Workshop
 with Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 103

Thursday, July 20

- 14:00-15:30 Conversation Classes:
 Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102
 Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105
 Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103
- 18:00-20:00 Walking Tour with Yaad Biran: “With Sutzkever in Old
 Jaffa” (in Yiddish)
 Meeting Point: Jaffa Port, Café Loveat.

Friday, July 21 No summer program activities.

Saturday, July 22 No summer program activities.

Sunday, July 23

14:00-15:30 Conversation Classes:
Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 102
Ms. Esther Rollansky, Webb 105
Dr. Miriam Trinh, Webb 103

Monday, July 24

14:00-15:30 Yiddish Song Workshop
with Dr. Yuri Vedenyapin, Webb 103

Tuesday, July 25 No afternoon activity.

Wednesday, July 26

19:30-21:30 Reception and Musical Program:
Gershon Leizeron and his band:
“Alone in the Forest - In vald aleyn”
Guest singers: Dori Engel and Miri Ragendorfer
Levontin 7 Club, 7 Levontin St., Tel Aviv

Thursday, July 27

13:30-15:00 Festive Closing Event with Student Participation
Webb 001