

Jim Boswell DISTINGUISHED CIVIC LEADERSHIP AWARD



Jim Boswell has been the Administrative Director, Physician Services for Texas Health Presbyterian Hospital Plano since 1995. Deeply rooted in Collin County politics and the community, Jim has served on many local organizations including the Plano City Council and Plano Economic Development Board. He also served as director of the Plano Chamber of Commerce. Jim received the Civic Volunteer of the Year award in 1987, the Plano Citizen of the Year Award in 1992, and a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Plano Chamber of Commerce in 2009.

Jim is married to Myra, his wife of 34 years, and lives in Plano. Jim has been a long-time friend of Chabad of Plano/Collin County, and we are grateful for his vision and his support.

Chabad is pleased to present the Distinguished Civic Leadership award to Jim Boswell at our Celebration 18.

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CHABAD OF PLANO: A HOME FOR JEWISH LIFE AND LEARNING

Chabad of Plano / Collin County welcomes Jews from every background, observance level, and affiliation. Our goal is to encourage Torah study, commitment and Jewish pride. Our center is a meeting place for religious, social, recreational and educational events; a place for you and your family to discover the joy and meaning of Jewish living. This year, we are marking 18 years of service to the Plano / Collin County community. With G-d's help, we have grown to provide a host of programs out of our beautiful and modern Lang Chabad Center:

Complete Synagogue Services
Sunday Hebrew School
Gan Israel Day Camp
Jewish Women's Circle

Adult Education / Jewish Learning Institute
Community Holiday Celebrations
Shabbat and Holiday Dinners
Teen and Youth Clubs

Lev Devorah Chesed Committee
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CELEBRATING 18 YEARS
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HONORING THE LANG FAMILY



THE CHAI AWARD Cantor Morris Lang

Born in Krasnik, Poland, Cantor Lang was a teenager when he was incarcerated in concentration camps for six years. Following his liberation and emigration to the United States, Morris began a long and distinguished career as a Cantor, educator, and entertainer. He was married to the late Pearl Wizenfeld Lang for more than 53 years and had three children, Sarah Dekelbaum and the late Abe and Philip Lang. For many years, he served as Chabad of Plano's Cantor for the High Holiday services.



THE ETERNAL LIFE AWARD Abe Lang, *Of Blessed Memory*

Abe was born in Brooklyn, New York, in 1951. He was one of the founders and CEO of Mattress Giant, which he fostered to become a national chain. When Abe met Rabbi Block, he was inspired to become a visionary for the growth of Chabad of Plano, donating the land and raising funds. The Lang Chabad Center was established in memory of his grandparents who were victims of the Holocaust. Abe is survived by his daughter, Jennifer, engaged to marry Michael Schiff, and sons Joshua and Jamie.



THE ETERNAL LIFE AWARD Philip Lang, *Of Blessed Memory*

Phil was born in 1957 in Williamsport, Pennsylvania. He served as president and CEO of Mattress Giant and under his leadership, he expanded the chain to over 200 locations nation-wide. After Abe's passing, Phil assumed a leadership role in carrying out his brother's dream of building a home for Chabad. He gave generously to the project and encouraged others to do the same. Phil dedicated the Lang Chabad Center in 2001 in memory of his grandparents and Abe. After his untimely death in 2004, his daughters, Miriam and Lenore, followed in his footsteps to continue their support for Chabad of Plano.

CHABAD OF PLANO/COLLIN COUNTY

Cordially invites you to attend our

CELEBRATION 18 DINNER & AWARDS CEREMONY

Honoring

THE LANG FAMILY

CHAI AWARD *in honor of* Cantor Morris Lang

ETERNAL
LIFE
AWARD

in beloved memory of Abe Lang *presented to his daughter* Jennifer Lang

in beloved memory of Philip Lang *presented to his daughters* Miriam and Lenore Lang

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Sunday, May 16, 2010 | 3 Sivan 5770

5:00 p.m. Cocktails and Buffet Dinner

6:45 p.m. Awards Presentation and Guest Speaker Rabbi Yosef Y. Jacobson

The Lang Chabad Center, 3904 West Park Boulevard, Plano, Texas

\$36.00 per person

Reservations and dedication opportunities with enclosed card

WORLD-RENOWNED
DYNAMIC SPEAKER

Rabbi Yosef Y.
Jacobson



Rabbi Jacobson is one of the most sought after speakers in the Jewish world today. He serves as the spiritual leader of Congregation Beit Shmuel in Brooklyn and is the dean of www.TheYeshiva.net, teaching via the Web the largest Torah classes in the world today, with tens of thousands of students globally. He is the first Rabbi to give the keynote to the 4,000 U.S. military chaplains and the 34,000 employees of the National Security Agency. He serves as editor in chief of the largest Yiddish-English weekly, *The Algemeiner*.

We will also be celebrating
the Grand Opening of
MIKVAH MEI MENACHEM

dedicated in honor of
Dr. Yitzchok and Leah Block