



# BALTIMORE ISRAEL COALITION

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DECEMBER 2018

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**COMMUNITY EVENTS**  
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**4TH**

**JSTREET PRESENTS: AMBASSADOR WENDY SHERMAN  
DISCUSSING HER NEW BOOK, "NOT FOR THE FAINT OF  
HEART: LESSONS IN COURAGE, POWER, AND PERSISTENCE"  
| 7:00 P.M. | MASON HALL, 3101 WYMAN PARK DR.**

Join JStreet Baltimore to hear from one of the most prominent diplomats of the last quarter century and native Baltimorean: Ambassador Wendy R. Sherman. With introductory remarks by former Maryland Senator Barbara Mikulski, Ambassador Sherman will discuss her new book -- Not For the Faint of Heart: Lessons in Courage, Power and Persistence -- and explore her experience as lead negotiator of the Iran Deal and how being a woman in diplomacy and politics has shaped her worldview.

**5th**

**AABGU PRESENTS "THE NEGEV: THEN AND NOW" | 7:00  
P.M. - | QUARRY LAKE CLUBHOUSE**

Join us to hear about the ever-changing Negev and enjoy a special presentation of the Negev in the 1960's, followed by a presentation about how Ben-Gurion University of the Negev is developing the region. Bolstered by private enterprise, Beer-Sheva is quickly becoming the cyber security capital of Israel and the world. The IDF is moving its training bases and elite intelligence units to the Negev. Come and learn about how a region that comprises some 60 percent of Israel's landmass and only 10 percent of the population is changing the future of Israel.

24th

**JVC PRESENTS MITZVAH DAY! | WEINBERG PARK HEIGHTS  
JCC AND ROSENBLOOM OWINGS MILLS JCC**

Join the community in doing good together on Community Mitzvah Day-  
December 24-25, 2018- projects for volunteers of all ages! Registration  
opens Wednesday November 28, 2018 at  
[www.jvcbaltimore.org/mitzvahday](http://www.jvcbaltimore.org/mitzvahday)

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**Upcoming Events - January**  
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9th

**MIDC PRESENTS MARK RICCOBONO | 5:30 P.M - 7:00 P.M  
| BENDER JCC OF GREATER WASHINGTON**

Featuring Mark Riccobono, President, National Federation of the Blind, on  
his recent trip to Israel with technology powerhouses OrCam and  
Mobileye. Live demo by OrCam on breakthrough artificial vision  
technology.

13th

**BJC, BIC, JMM, AND CJE PRESENT: THE LAND WE ALWAYS  
DREAMED OF: THE JEWS, THE HOLOCAUST, AND THE  
YEARNING FOR A HOMELAND | 3:00 P.M - 4:00 P.M |  
COMMUNITY ROOM AT THE PARK HEIGHTS JCC**

Join the Baltimore Jewish Council, Baltimore Israel Coalition, Jewish  
Museum of Maryland, and the Center for Jewish Education as we explore  
Yad VaShem's new exhibit "They Say There Is A Land: Longing for Eretz  
Israel During the Holocaust." Presented by Stephanie McMahan-Kaye.  
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