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Jewish Family & Child Service

SIPS & SWEETS

May 19, 2022

**Honoring Eva and Leslie (z"l) Aigner and
celebrating Jewish Family & Child Service,
its clients, and its supporters.**

Providing stability & hope

Welcome to Sips & Sweets

Our much-anticipated evening finally has arrived: Thank you for attending Sips & Sweets! Tonight we celebrate Jewish Family & Child Service, providing **stability** and **hope** since 1947 to so many in our Jewish and greater Portland communities.

Our lively program also celebrates featured speaker Lisa Schroeder, founder of Mother's Bistro & Bar, who believes JFCS is part of the village that helps care for families, and our honorees, Eva and Leslie (z'l) Aigner, who survived the Holocaust and then made Portland home 65 years ago after escaping Hungary at the dawn of its revolution.

We also celebrate you, our supporters. Your generosity is the reason we are here, the reason we thrive, the reason we can continue to serve. Please give generously tonight and have a tasty time at Sips & Sweets!

Thank you so much.



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Tonight's Program

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Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici

FEATURED SPEAKER

Lisa Schroeder
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INTRODUCTION OF HONOREES

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HONORING EVA AND LESLIE (Z"L) AIGNER

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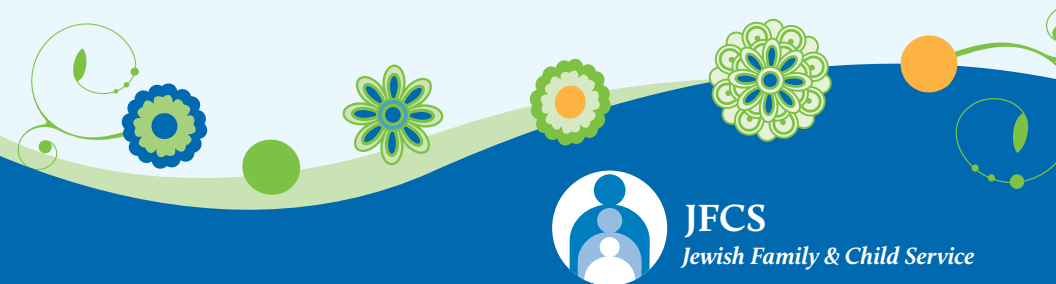
Larry Holzman and Elana Stampfer Emlen, *Event Chair*

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FAREWELL

Larry Holzman and Elana Stampfer Emlen



Honoring: Eva and Leslie (z”l) Aigner



Eva grew up in Budapest, Hungary. A survivor of the Budapest Ghetto during WWII, Eva had the fortune after liberation by the Russians to be reunited with family members in Hungary but then learned all those remaining in Czechoslovakia had perished and her father was killed in a Hungary-based forced-labor camp. In 1956, she married Leslie (z”l), and that same year the Hungarian Revolution

broke out; soon thereafter, the couple escaped over the Hungarian/Austrian border. They made their way – and their lives – in Portland, where they began speaking out against Holocaust denial. Today a JFCS client, Eva was the vice-chair of the project to build the Oregon Holocaust Memorial, dedicated in 2004.

Leslie survived the Budapest Ghetto and Auschwitz, where his mother and sister died in the gas chambers. He later was sent to sub-concentration camps in Germany, where he eventually contracted typhus and nearly died. He was liberated in 1945 from Dachau by the Americans, weighing just 75 pounds. Upon his return to Hungary, he learned most of his family had been murdered in the Holocaust.

After local Holocaust deniers became vocal in the late 1980s, Les and Eva both began sharing their story with hundreds of thousands of audience members, work that Eva continues today. They have two children, four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Les (z”l) died in August 2021 at the age of 92 and his memory will forever be a blessing. *Photographs of the Aigners courtesy of Sankar Ramen*



Featured Speaker: Lisa Schroeder

Lisa Schroeder is executive chef and owner since 2000 of award-winning Mother's Bistro & Bar in downtown Portland. She also is a cookbook author, French-trained chef and has appeared on TV. A proud mother and grandmother, Lisa is actively and philanthropically involved in our community.



Remarks: Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici

Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici (1st Congressional District) includes among her top legislative priorities strengthening public education, ensuring resources for educators and students, civil rights and reversing our climate crisis.

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in accordance with Jewish values.



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provides a week of meals delivered to a Survivor who is home-bound

\$1,600

covers transportation and tickets for a Café Europa outing for 40 Survivors

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