



Northern  
Regional  
Conference



## Wizo Nahalal High School Tuesday, August 23, 2016

Looking forward to going Back to School



### Schedule:

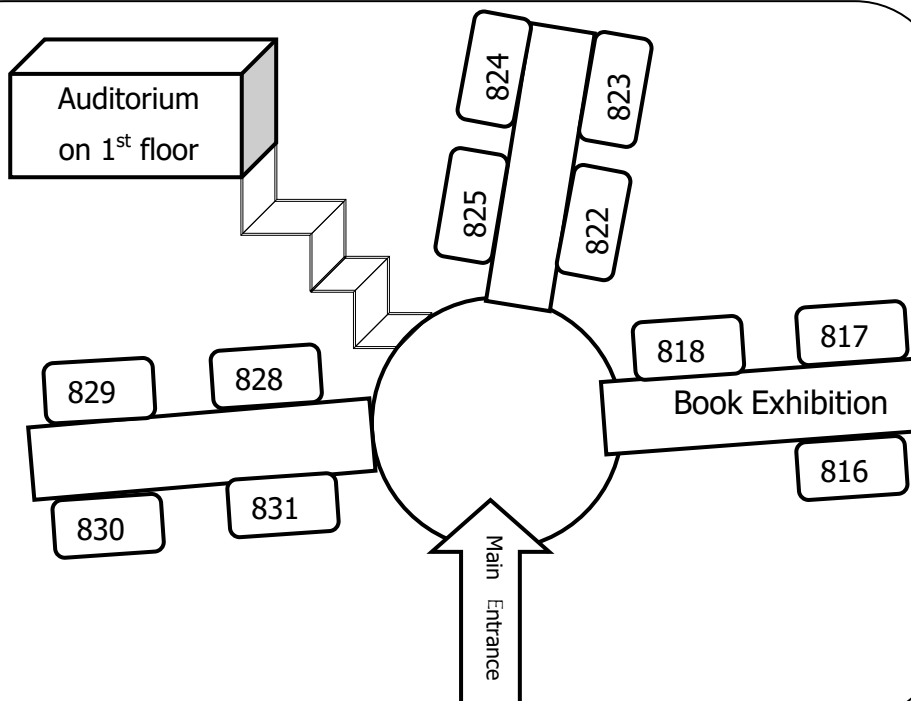
9.00 - 9.45	Registration, Book Exhibition
9.45 - 10.00	Greetings & Welcome to Nahalal - Judy Bitton (English Coordinator)
10.00 - 10.30	Opening Lecture, Dr. Tziona Levi, our new Chief Inspector
10.30 - 11.20	Plenary Session - Jane Cohen
11.20 - 11.45	Break and Browsing
11.45 - 12.30	Parallel sessions 1
12.30 - 13.15	Lunch break
13.15 - 14.45	Parallel sessions 2

### Conference Fees

ETAI members:	50 NIS
Non-members:	100 NIS
Student* member:	40 NIS
Student* /Senior :	80NIS
* valid student card	

You are kindly requested to wear your name tags.

Plenty of free parking available.



Sandwiches on sale (15 NIS - correct change appreciated) during Break / Lunch.

Numbers limited. First come, first served. Or bring your own ....

Materials exhibition - open all day. Don't miss it.

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*Communities of Speaking*

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*@ the MALL - successfully integrating mobile devices*

Our role as English teachers is to assist each of our students to learn English to the best of their ability. Mobile Assisted Language Learning (MALL) enables teachers to utilize students' hand-held devices, to engage and empower all learners, to achieve English language success. It is easier than you think!

11.20 - 11.45 Break and Browsing

<b>Parallel Sessions I</b>	<b>11:45 – 12:30</b>	<b>Audience</b>	<b>Room</b>
<b><i>Bracha Deutscher</i> Vocabulary Teaching</b>	From theory to practice. Research, rationale, strategies and stories from the field. How to effectively engage learners in the vocabulary acquisition process.	Elem, JH, HS, TT	823
<b><i>Howie Gordon</i> It's all about the BASS! U2 can Web2</b>	The internet is the buzz. There is so much out there. How can we cope? In this session I will point you in the right direction. What to look for and how best to use the internet, to enhance our English lessons.	Elem, JH, HS, TT	822
<b><i>Shelly Ganiel</i> Making Vocab and fun Puzzles</b>	Your students can learn to make their own crossword and word search puzzles. These puzzles are easy to make, help students practice vocabulary and encourage them to work on the computer in English. These puzzles can also be made by the teacher. There will be handouts of sample puzzles.	JH, HS	824
<b><i>Michele Ben</i> Getting to know you with games and poems</b>	Teaching a new class? Teaching an old class? Here are a number of activities using games and poems that can help you become acquainted with, or deepen your acquaintance with, this years' crop of pupils.	JH, HS	825
<b><i>Francine Widerker</i> A Comparative Analysis of Teachers' Materials with Ministry Approved Coursebooks</b>	I will present the results of my research in which I compared advantages and drawbacks of literature units composed by teachers with units from Ministry approved textbooks.	HS, TT	828
<b><i>Aviva Hazor</i> Activities for the Opening of the School Year</b>	This workshop suggests hands-on activities to begin the school year. Get to know your students, Get to know the teacher and Get to know your new school activities will be presented in a fun and active way. Organization tips for the teacher and for the pupil will also be discussed.	JH, HS	831

**12.30 -13:15 Lunch Break**

A limited number of sandwiches will be on sale for 15 NIS..... Or bring your own!

<b>Parallel Sessions II 13:15 – 14:45</b>	<b>Audience</b>	<b>Room</b>
<p><i>Leah Doryoseph and Micki Zaritsky</i>  <b>Tech Tricks for your Teaching Toolbox</b>            Come try a few new apps and get ideas to start the year with a few new tricks. Kahoot and Quizlet are just two of the many wonderful technological tools we can use in the classroom.</p>	JH, HS, TT	831
<p><i>Lori Roth</i> <b>Classroom Crazyness</b>  <b>A Fresh Look at Classroom Management.</b> Teachers will learn a new tool that I have developed called a "lesson autopsy". Teachers will explore interactions in the classroom and how they can approach challenging behavior more productively. They will learn to effectively analyze "what went wrong" and how to avoid problematic behaviors in the future.</p>	Elem	823
<p><i>Howie Gordon</i> <b>Calm on the Western Front</b>            Ideas that work in the classroom. Demonstration of materials from 3rd grade through 8th grade. Use of songs, drama, storytelling, games, computers, videos, karaoke in the classroom. You too can have effective learning in calm, organized classes. Hands on activities guaranteed.</p>	Elem, JH, HS, TT	824
<p><i>Michelle Korenfeld</i> <b>Weave Creativity into your Teaching</b>  <b>Raising Successful and Happy Students!</b> Come to revitalize your teaching skills and materials for better students' attitudes and grades. Creative thinking weaved into everyday classes will motivate the students to improve literacy skills, making learning more fun, engaging, and meaningful. Get energized towards next school year with playful tools motivating learners towards excellence.</p>	Elem	825
<p><i>Tami Aviad</i> <b>Online Tools to Promote Vocab Use in Writing</b>            The workshop will start with a brief presentation of some research results pointing to the limited development of our students' use of vocabulary and various grammatical structures in their writing. We will then move on to experience several practical and online tools to help students and teachers alike maximize their lexical and grammatical abilities in writing.</p>	JH, HS, TT, EAP	822
<p><i>Debbie Gabai</i> <b>Getting to grips with Diplomacy</b>            This session will present the main objectives of the Diplomacy major while relating to the many concerns that there are in bringing the major to your schools. As one of the pilot teachers, I will show and discuss examples of activities, events and content while sharing tips and experiences.</p>	HS, TT	828

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**We wish you an enjoyable and interesting conference!**

**Conveners:** Tracy Piada, Fran Sokel, Jennifer Spigelman, Gail Singer, Debbie Gabai, Kara Tanzer

## **Directions to Wizo Nahalal High School**

The school is situated at the entrance to Moshav Nahalal, turn left at the mini-roundabout. Follow the outer road to get to the large main car park at the end (keep to the road on the left, not where the pupils' bus stops are).

**By bus:** The school is situated half way between Haifa and Afula. It is on the 301 Superbus route (grey bus). Buses run every 20 – 30 minutes and the journey takes about 30 minutes. The bus route starts / ends at Afula Bus Station and Lev HaMifratz, Haifa Bus Station. Get off at the Moshav Nahalal bus stop (not the Nahalal Junction bus stop). It is a 5 min walk to the school entrance.

For people coming from the center of the country, use the 826 Egged bus route (going to Nazareth Illit). It leaves from the central bus station in Tel Aviv and stops at Arlozorov, Gllilot, Herzilya, Netanya, Olga Junction. You need to get off at the Nahalal Junction bus stop and it is a 10 min walk to the school.

**By train:** The nearest train station is Lev HaMifratz, Haifa. Transfer to the Bus Station and then catch the 301 Superbus (grey bus) in the direction of Afula. Get off at the Moshav bus stop, not the Nahalal Junction bus stop.

### **By car:**

**Route 6** – travel to the end (Ein Tut) and follow directions for Yokneam. Continue on 70 until the Hatishbi Junction, then turn right towards Nazareth / Migdal Ha'Emek (also Tiberius). At Hashomrim Junction, turn right and continue straight on 75 passed Alonim and Ramat Ishay in the direction of Nazareth / Migdal Ha'Emek / Afula. At the Nahalal Junction, turn right towards Afula, the Moshav is on the right after 1km.

**Coastal Road** – Turn off at Zichron Yacov, continue straight in the direction of Yokneam then follow directions as above.

**From Haifa** – At the Yagur Junction, travel in the direction of Yokneam until the Ha'Emekim Junction. Turn left in the direction of Tivon and Nazareth. Continue until the Hashomrim Junction (75) and travel straight in the direction of Nazareth / Migdal Ha'Emek / Afula as above.

**From the north** (Golani Junction / Somech Junction) – travel to the Hamovil Junction and continue in the direction of Yokneam / Tel Aviv. Take the turn off at Bet Zarzir (Karbiya) and travel through Bet Zarzir until the Nahalal Junction. (NB: 1<sup>st</sup> roundabout – turn left under the bridge, 2<sup>nd</sup> roundabout turn left towards Givat Ela / Nahalal.) At the Nahalal Junction, continue straight in the direction of Afula, the Moshav is on the right after 1km.

NB: If you miss the Bet Zarzir turn off, continue straight until the Yishay Junction and turn left. You will then be on 75 in the direction of Nahalal Junction.

**If you need help, ring Tracy (054-4486598)**

### **Abbreviation Key**

Elem = Elementary

JH = Junior High

HS = High School

TT = Teacher

C = commercial

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