

SHAVUOT – BRINGING IN THE BOUNTY OF THE LAND!

GOOD TO KNOW!

Amiel Tours Corporate Volunteer Project.

Amiel Tours has started a bi-weekly volunteer project with the **Lasova** non-profit organization, at the Kadima after-school youth center in Or Yehuda. Volunteers from Amiel join the grade-school students as they do homework, play games and do special activities, in an aim to form special bonds that many of these disadvantaged youth do not receive at home.



NEW PROMOTIONAL OFFERS... LAST CHANCE TO BUY TICKETS!

JERUSALEM OPERA FESTIVAL

June 24 & 25, 2015

L'Elisir d'Amore by Donizetti, to be performed at the exquisite Sultan's pool overlooking the lit walls of Jerusalem's Old City.

[read more and special offers... click here.](#)



THE ISRAELI OPERA FESTIVAL AT MASADA

June 4-13, 2015

Puccini's Tosca

Carl Orff's Carmina Borana.

LAST MINUTE special Package

15% discount - only \$340 per person

1 night at Lot Hotel, Dead Sea

Including 1 ticket to Tosca - level 2.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

ISRAEL FESTIVAL

May 28-June 18, 2015 in Jerusalem

Featuring classical music, Israeli music, dance performances and theatre.

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JERUSALEM FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

June 3-11, 2015

The old city of Jerusalem comes to life in the evenings when the city is illuminated.

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FESTIVALS & HAPPENINGS

PRIDE PARADE TEL AVIV - JUNE 13

Celebrating gay pride in Tel Aviv - one of the hottest gay spots on the planet!



TEL AVIV WHITE NIGHT

June 25, 2015

One of the biggest cultural nights of the year in 'the city that never sleeps', featuring amazing events taking place throughout the night across the city, from beach concerts and parties, to special exhibitions and tours.



JERUSALEM WINE FESTIVAL –

August 17-20, 2015

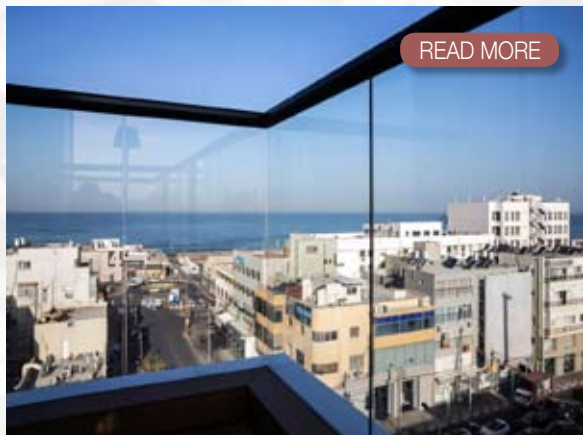
A celebration of Israeli wine in honor of the **Israel Museum's** 50th anniversary



NEW ON THE HOTEL SCENE

YAM HOTEL TLV - Breeze & Ease

The Atlas chain introduces their new boutique hotel in Tel Aviv located close to the famous New Tel Aviv port.



EUROPA 1917 HOTEL TIBERIAS

– the new gem in Tiberias! For a calm stay in Old World charm overlooking the tranquil waters of the Sea of Galilee. The rooms are beautifully appointed, the bathrooms luxurious and the food delicious – all in a central Tiberias location. The Hotel is kosher.



RESTAURANTS TO CHECK OUT!

SHVIL IZIM - At the foothills of the Judean Mountains, surrounded by cultivated fields, sits Shvil Izim, a **family goat farm** with a dairy restaurant, which includes a boutique dairy for the production of yogurt and cheese, rural delicatessen, olive grove, events garden and terrace overlooking the beautiful pastoral landscape.



TIBI'S AT VERED HAGALIL RESORT

- Rated as the **number #1 restaurant in North Israel** by Time Out Israel, the restaurant overlooks the horse stables and the Galilee hills and offers a fabulous alpine-chalet vibe. Opened in 2013 by renowned chef Chaim Tibi, formerly of Muscat restaurant, the restaurant specializes in steaks from the Golan Heights and also offers good options for vegetarians.



WILHELMINA TEL AVIV

Situated in one of the refurbished buildings right in the center of the trendy **Sarona compound**, Wilhelmina offers a creative Mediterranean menu, based on fresh local produce.



MAKING THE DESERT BLOOM

DESERT IRIS SUITE-HOTEL, Yerucham, offers an oasis that is also an exit point for those going on desert tours, activities in nature, adventure tours and so forth. The Desert Iris Hotel was established as a combination of a Zionist vision with a social-economical one. A substantial part of the Hotel's revenue will be invested in the local community towards the development of its education and economy.

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LONE FARMS OF THE NEGEV

The Ramat-Negev Farming Project (The Wine Route) was initiated in 1997, in order to **bolster the settlement of the Negev** according to the vision of David Ben-Gurion and upon historical and archeological evidence of settlements that existed in the area during the Nabatean and Byzantine Periods. Family farms in the Negev engage in agriculture and tourism, and the farms owners live on-site. Many of the farms are open to the public, and visitors to the Negev are welcomed to tour the farms, taste its produce and enjoy the unique life style they offer.



THE CULINARY QUEENS OF YERUHAM

Yeruham is famous for its hospitality, and this is an opportunity to enjoy it using all senses. Sumptuous **ethnic meals at the home of your hostess** spiced with her personal story create a rich human, cultural and culinary experience, which also empowers the women personally and economically.



NEW PROGRAMS AND PACKAGES BY AMIEL!

TIBERIAS INTERNATIONAL MARATHON JANUARY 8, 2016

We are pleased to offer attractive package during the "fastest marathon below sea level", at the Sea of Galilee, Tiberias.

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NEW!!!

SPECIAL CHRISTIAN HOLY LAND PROGRAM FOR GROUPS

Winter 2015-2016 – only **\$699** per person!



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YOGA TOUR THROUGH ISRAEL

November 29-October 6, 2015

Talia Peretz, Yoga champion, is taking you on a Yoga Tour through Israel



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RECOMMENDED SITES ESPECIALLY FOR SHAVUOT!

Tulip Winery - The winery integrates the production of quality wines with **social responsibility**, located on a mountainside in **Kfar Tikva (Village of Hope)**, a small pastoral settlement whose population consists of people with special needs. The winery aspires to enable members of the community to develop and realize their potential.

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Shuk Bites – discover Israel's array of **markets and flavors** with the Shuk Bites cards, now available in:

Jerusalem – Old City and Machne Yehuda Markets
Tel Aviv – Levinski, HaCarmel Markets and the Flee Market

Ramla Market

Nazareth Market

Great activity for both FITs and Groups.



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Kibbutz Ortal agricultural tours

Professional agricultural tours in the north of the **Golan Heights**. The kibbutz's agriculture consists of high quality vineyards, orchards of apples, cherries, peaches and nectarines, flower fields, kettle, a cowshed and a dairy farm, and chicken farms. Hear the story of the kibbutz and about kibbutz life, and visit the various branches of agricultural.



TRADITIONAL CHEESECAKE RECIPE FOR SHAVUOT

by Rachel Spigelman, Amiel Tours Marketing Team

Ingredients

cake

- 1 kg/2.3lbs cream cheese (5%-9%)
- 1 container sour cream (approximately 1 cup)
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 Tbs Vanille extract
- 3 Tbs Flour
- 2 eggs

base

- 1 cup crushed Lotus/other cookies
- 3 Tbsp. melted butter
- 3 Tbsp. sugar

Mix base ingredients together and press down in spring form pan.

Place into freezer until the Cheesecake blend is ready to be added.

Add Cake ingredients, one after the other.

Add eggs last, but do not over mix.

Bake 10 minute at

220C/430 F, and then

20-30 minutes at lower heat 180C/350F.



SHAVUOT HOLIDAY – MAY 24

The Amiel office will be closed from Thursday afternoon 21 until Monday morning, May 25.

Please meet us at:

Top Resa (Paris)

29 September-
02 October, 2015
<http://www.iftm.fr/site/GB>



TTG Rimini

08-10 October, 2015
<http://www.ttgincontri.it/en-en>



ITB Asia-Singapore

21-23 October, 2015
<http://www.itb-asia.com/>



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