



Wembley Synagogue

Press Release

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77 years of serving the community

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Continuing a 15 year old tradition, Wembley United Synagogue held its popular and well attended Communal meal and Tikkun Leil this Shavuot. During the meal talks and divrai torah were given by Rebbetzin Anna van den Bergh on “The Wandering Jew”, Morris Wiseman on “Why was *Matan Torah* on the seventh of Sivan not on the Sixth” and Ziggy Reisman on “The Halachic acceptance of a twelve-month pregnancy”. Following the communal meal, which ended just before midnight, the all night learning session continued with a further series of sessions lead by Dr Jerome Cohen who spoke on “The second day of Yom Tov”, Professor Brian Cowan on “Science and Religion”, Leigh Lewis on “Gamatria, King David and predictions for the winner of the World Cup” and Rabbi Martin van den Bergh on “Personal religion and spirituality”.

The evening/ morning concluded with an extra early morning shacharit service.

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