



Voices Israel Group of Poets in English

ABOUT VOICES

The Voices Israel Group of Poets in English started in response to a letter from Leslie Summers published in the Jerusalem Post, July, 1971. The founding members, Leslie Summers, Reuben Rose, Moshe Ben-Zvi and Jacob Katwan held their first meeting in August of that year. The goals of Voices are to provide an outlet for writers of English poetry in Israel, to encourage new poets in their art and to promote international friendships through poetry.

MEETINGS

Since then, Voices has flourished and presently has about 180 paid-up members from Israel and abroad. Voices meetings are held every month in Jerusalem, Tel-Aviv, Haifa, Netanya/Sharon, Upper Galilee, Western Galilee, Bet Shemesh, Gush Etzion, Beersheva, London and Berlin.

NEWSLETTER

Voices publishes a monthly Newsletter detailing the times and locations of our monthly poetry meetings. The newsletter also includes members' poetry.

THE VOICES WEBSITE

The Voices Israel website (<http://voicesisrael.com>) contains details of our latest events, copies of newsletters and information regarding our annual poetry anthology and the Reuben Rose Poetry Competition.

POETRY WORKSHOPS

Calendar events include regular workshops, with professional guest poets and presentations by our own members.

VOICES ANTHOLOGY

Every year Voices publishes an anthology of poems submitted by members and other poets from Israel and abroad. A panel of judges led by the joint editors selects the best poems from those submitted. Submission guidelines are published on our website <http://voicesisrael.com>

THE REUBEN ROSE POETRY COMPETITION

The Reuben Rose Annual Poetry Competition held by Voices offers substantial cash prizes and the opportunity for winning poems to be published. Details are available on our website <http://voicesisrael.com>

VOICES OFFICERS

The current Voices officers are: Susan Olsburgh, president; Helen Bar-Lev, assistant president, Avril Meallem, secretary; Chanita Millman, treasurer; Ezra Ben-Meir, poetry page editor; Susan Rosenberg, membership coordinator. Contact details of the officers can be found at the bottom of the page.

JOINING VOICES

Joining Voices Israel at an annual subscription of NIS100 or US\$35 will entitle you to a copy of the anthology at no extra charge. You will also receive the monthly newsletters and be eligible to participate in monthly poetry readings and in poetry workshops that are held several times annually. To join, please send your subscription to Voices Israel treasurer:

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION / RENEWAL OF CONTACT DETAILS (circle applicable)

Please fill out the form below to renew your membership details or to apply for a new membership in Voices Israel:

Name

Address

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Phone (home)

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Please send this form by regular mail or email to Chanita Millman, 15, Shachar street, Beit Hakerem, Jerusalem 96263, Israel [millmanm@zahav.net.il].

If you have not yet paid your membership dues for 2016, kindly enclose payment of NIS 100 (overseas members - \$35).



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