



ISRAEL CANCER RESEARCH FUND

LOS ANGELES CHAPTER

2006 ICRF Annual Fundraising Dinner Thursday, December 7th

MARK YOUR CALENDARS !!!

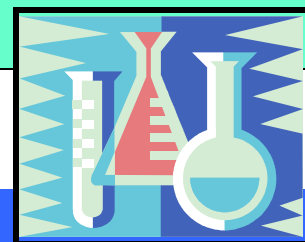
This year, our Annual Dinner will pay tribute to Israel and our ICRF scientists whose strength, resilience and commitment will ensure a vibrant future of peace, health and prosperity. This year, our Honorees will include well known oncologist Dr. Lee Rosen. There will be many aspects including a new venue, ICRF scientist Dr. Yoav Henis, and a special tribute to Israel. More information will follow in the weeks ahead.

Plan To Join Us For
The 6th Annual
Visions

Monte Carlo Night
Saturday Night
October 7th, 8:00 pm
(Petersen Automobile Museum)

Honoring
Dr. Walker Ozar

(With special guest:
Robert Schimmel,
star of HBO's comedy
special "Unprotected")



Women of Action Luncheon Highlights

The 11th Annual Women of Action Luncheon held on **June 7th** at the Beverly Hills Hotel brought together over 400 donors and supporters in support of ICRF's grant program. The Keynote was delivered by noted political, policy and media analyst, **Rosalie Zalis**. The Honorees included **Norma Fink**, who received a special Lifetime Achievement Award in recognition of her work as a legendary fashion designer, Rodeo Drive pioneer; **Barbara Hayden, M.D.**, noted plastic and reconstructive surgeon and breast cancer survivor and **Linzi Glass**, entrepreneur, philanthropist and author.



L to R: Rosalie Zalis, Jacqueline Bell, Barbara Hayden, Bill Robbins, Norma Fink, Linzi Glass



Norma Fink, Deputy Consul General, Yaron Gamburg



Norma Fink and Special Guest the "Young Frank Sinatra"



Carol Connors and Friends

Upcoming Programs Partners in Research

October 11th featuring
Philomena McAndrew, M.D.
Focus on new advances in
treating breast cancer

December (date TBD)
Featuring ICRF Past President
Barry Rosenbloom, M.D.

Recent Partner in Research Programs

May 4, Dr. Lee Rosen discussed prevention and the latest treatment for colon cancer.



June 21, Dr. Charles Forscher and Beverly Hyman Fead led a discussion about the doctor & patient relationship.

Partners in Research Committee members include Norman Chandler Fox, Chairman, Dorothy Chilkov, Lauren Kotler, Michael Simon, Dominique Steinberg and Dr. Tehila Umiel.



(The Kotler extended family in the Winner's Circle!)

ICRF Goes to the Races on April 30th honored dedicated community leaders **Dr. Robert and Helaine Kotler and their daughters Lauren and Lindsey**. Since 1980, when Lauren was diagnosed with childhood leukemia, the Kotler family has focused much of its fundraising efforts on behalf of ICRF.

The 2006 event set a new record, raising sufficient funds to support both the Patty Franklin Fund for breast cancer as well as a new project grant that will be utilized in the newly-opened lab of Dr. Aaron Chiechanover, one of Israel's 2004 Nobel Laureates.



Maria Herskovic, Suzanne Ponder and family with Bill Robbins and Track Official

ICRF Awards \$1.655 Million!!

For 2006-2007, ICRF will be funding 52 grants including 3 Professorships, 8 Fellowships, 12 Career Development Awards and 29 Project Grants. This brings total funding to 1,578 grants totaling over \$33 Million.

LEADERSHIP TIDINGS

Our condolences to;
Patti and Les Bell on the passing of Patti's mother, Marge Mohr

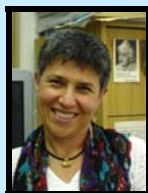
Simone Katzeff on the passing of her beloved husband Irving

Congratulations to Michael Rosenmayer on his recent engagement.

Best wishes to Lea Purwin D'Agostino on her upcoming retirement.

Visiting Israeli ICRF Funded Scientists

On May 21 & 22, Dr. Shifra Ash met with donors, Board members and supporters through a variety of events including a brunch hosted by Greg and Amy Bell. Dr. Ash is on the faculty of the Sackler School of Medicine (Tel-Aviv University) and the Schneider Children's Medical Center. The focus of her current research, for which she received an ICRF grant, is developing a new immunotherapy approach to treating neuroblastoma in children.



July 21-24, Dr. Drorit Neumann shared a weekend with ICRF which began with a Shabbat dinner hosted by ICRF Board member, Jill Ullman. Dr. Neumann shared news of her research and the latest trends in Israel. She is a remarkable scientist having received numerous awards and recognitions including the Allon Fellowship, TEVA Pharmaceutical Industries Young Scientist award, Maria Ascoli award prize for the achievements in research as well as several distinction prizes for outstanding teaching at the Sackler Medical School. She has also authored over 40 original research publications and review articles in scientific journals and books

