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presents:

Hymie Reichstein & John Diener









"The Story of Ottawa's Jewish Community"

John Diener, a native Ottawan is the son of a Holocaust survivor, Nathan Diener, and a former Montrealer, Reba Luterman. Researching his family tree for 10 years. vice-president of JGS Ottawa, he on the board of directors of Gesher Galicia, and shtetl leader for the town of Grzymalow, Ukraine. Mr. Diener has been involved with the photography and databasing of the two Jewish cemeteries in Ottawa, as well as those in Kingston and Cornwall, working in partnership with Hymie Reichstein, among other related projects.

Hymie Reichstein, born in Montreal moved to Ottawa after graduation from McGill University. He retired in 1995. Active in the Jewish Community, he was President of Congregation Machzikei Hadas, continues to be active in the Shul and is currently the treasurer of the Ottawa Jewish Community Cemeteries and treasurer of Ottawa Torah Institute, a High School Yeshiva. In the Jewish Genealogical World, he is a founding member of the Jewish Genealogical Society of Ottawa, its first treasurer and has been the President for the last 9 years.

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