

Community

New members of community



Dor Hadash photo

Dor Hadash held its annual "Hanukah on Ice" party at the Schenley Ice Rink, and the congregation invited members of the Pittsburgh Bhutanese community to join them. The Dor Hadash Religious School and their social action committee are working this year with the Bhutanese refugees, who are being settled in Pittsburgh by Jewish Family & Children's Service.

Toys bring happiness to refugee families



Jewish Family & Children's Service photo

My Little Outback owners Todd and Erin Schachter organized a toy drive to benefit the children of refugee families resettled by Jewish Family & Children's Service. When refugees come to America, they typically come with little more than the clothes on their backs and a limited understanding of America's vast and complex culture. JF&CS meets them at the airport and takes them to the apartments they've established for them, and refugee services staff work to help the families successfully resettle in the Pittsburgh community. Pictured, from left, are My Little Outback staff member Walter Drennan with JF&CS refugee caseworkers Ximena Martinez, Dawn Zuckerman and Benedict Killang.