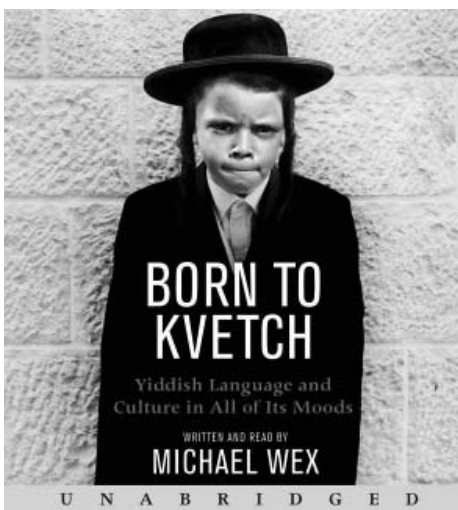




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**BORN TO KVETCH
THE PAPERBACK OF
THE BESTSELLER
NOW AVAILABLE!**

At KlezKanada we offer daily Yiddish language classes for everyone by Nicolai Borodulin and Peysakh Fizman, as well as the unparalleled insights of the World's Most Perfectly Developed Yiddishist, best-selling "Born to Kvetch" author **Michael Wex**. This year, Michael Wex will also be autographing copies of his just released paperback--available in the KlezKanada store along with many other "only at KlezKanada" items.. Don't be shy--bring your

Theodore Bikel programs planned

On May 28, the legendary Theodore Bikel headlined a fund-raising performance for KlezKanada's scholarship program at Oscar Peterson Hall in Montreal. Bikel's rousing performance was backed by his longtime accompanist Tamara Brooks, and KlezKanada faculty members Michael Alpert, Jeff Warschauer, Deborah Strauss, Josh Dolgin, Eric Stein, Alex Kontorovich, and scholarship student Eva Boodman. Bikel also performed for children the next day at the Jewish People's & Peretz School, kicking off KlezKanada's efforts to launch a more comprehensive educational outreach initiative within the Montreal Jewish day school system.

Here at KlezKanada, Theo will be participating in several programs starting tomorrow. Stay tuned for further news.



hardcover copies and he'll autograph those, too!

did you know?

This year's KlezKanada features participants from 23 states and 5 provinces in the United States and Canada, plus Estonia, the Ukraine, Russia, the Netherlands, Israel, Brazil.

This number includes:

33 clarinets

17 or 18 plucked strings

18 accordions

21 brass players

12 percussionists

5 flutes

5 or 6 cellos—a first time contingent, working with Matt Haimovitz.

Speaking of Matt, he'll be working with David Krakauer on a very interesting program bridging classical and Klezmer music.

מזל טוב! בת-מצוה

In another KlezKanada first, we are pleased to announce the Bat Mitzvah of **Ilana Dresder**, daughter of staff-member Sruli Dresder, on Monday night. All are invited.

Reporters Sought

Are you a writer? Can you report on KlezKanada events for the קלעזנייעס? Comfortable writing in יידיש or English, Russian, or some other language? Are you writing new poetry? Creating art or photographs? If so, please see **Ari Davidow**. The קלעזנייעס is published daily, distributed at lunch.

צער צווייטער יאלאכער לאעלקאנא צער אויסצונויב

אַ לויפֿ- אָדער שפּאַציר-
פֿאַרמעסט לטובֿת דעם
"קלעזקאָנאָדע-
סובסידיע-פֿאַנד"
צו פֿאַרשרייבן זיך, ווערן
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דער לויפֿרוטע, רעדט מיט
דזשאַן באַרץ!



THE SECOND ANNUAL KLEZKANADA LOVE TSUNOYE

**A Run/Walk
to benefit the
KlezKanada
Scholarship Fund!**

To **register**, to **volunteer**,
and to get **your band** a
primo spot on the course:
Please see **Joanne Borts**

ווער: לויפֿערס! שפּאַצירערס! קאָפּעליעס! וואָלונטירן!
פּאַטראָנען! קליזמאָרים פֿון כּל-המינים!
ווען: פֿרייטיק אין דער פֿרי, דעם 26סטן אויגוסט, אַן ערך
7:00, פֿאַר פֿרישטיק, פּערפֿעקט פֿאַר די וואָס שטייען אויף גאַנץ
פֿרי און די וואָס שלאָפֿן נישט בײַ נאַכט.
ווי לאַנג? 2.5 קילאָמעטער פֿאַר די וואָס שפּאַצירן, 5 קילאָמ-
עטער פֿאַר די וואָס לויפֿן.
Who: Runners! Walkers! Bands! Volunteers! Sponsors!
Klezmorim of all ages, shapes & sizes!
When: Bright and early Friday morning, August 25th—
7am-ish ... Before breakfast! Perfect for early-risers &
die-hard stay-up-all-nighters!!
How long is the race? 2.5K for the walkers, 5K for the
runners!!



Irving Fields special programs

We are extremely privileged to have with us at KlezKanada 2006 a living legend of Jewish and American popular music: pianist, composer and lyricist Irving Fields. In his ninth decade, Fields is still going strong as a fusion pioneer of the cocktail lounge, the society room, the recording studio and the concert hall. From his early years of NYC'S Lower East Side, Fields was a boy soloist with Cantor Yossele Rosenblatt, and began his Yiddish theatre career at age 10 in "The Galician Wedding" with Ludwig Satz and Jennie Goldstein. Mr. Fields will be featured in a special KlezKanada plenary session co-hosted by Josh Dolgin and DJ SoCalled, Monday, August 21, in the PM II period, and will grace our KlezKabarret at 11:00 p.m. that night in "Late Night Lounge with Irving Fields". Be there or be Skver! (For those who can't get enough, Mr. Fields can be heard six nights a week at Nino's Tuscany on West 58th Street in New York City.)