SCOTT RICHMAN OP-ED: DON'T BLAME JEWS FOR POLIO'S COMEBACK

ADL/NYNJ Regional Director Scott Richman has a new op-ed in The New York Daily News titled "Don't Blame Jews for Polio's Comeback." Richman argues against the blame placed on Jewish communities for the resurgence of polio, emphasizing the role of misinformation and fear in perpetuating such narratives.
York Daily News. In "Don't blame Jews for Polio's comeback", Scott writes about the dangerous trend of stereotyping the Orthodox and Hasidic Jewish communities in times of public health crises, most recently with Polio.

THE OATH KEEPERS DATA LEAK: UNMASKING EXTREMISM IN PUBLIC LIFE

ADL's Center on Extremism (COE) released a new report on the Oath Keepers based on the membership data released in September 2021 by the non-profit journalist collective, Distributed Denial of Secrets. ADL's analysis uses the leaked data to highlight the number of individuals who signed up for or expressed support for the Oath Keepers who hold elected office, work in law enforcement, serve in the military and are emergency service personnel.

For more information about the recent report, listen to ADL NY/NJ's recent From the Frontlines podcast for an interview with Alex Friedfeld, one of COE's Investigative Researcher.
NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH: IDEAS FOR EDUCATORS

National Hispanic Heritage Month honors the achievements, contributions, culture, and history of Hispanic and Latin American people. The month-long celebration begins on September 15 commemorating the anniversary of independence for five Latin American countries: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua.

RESOURCES & TOOLS

VOTING RIGHTS AND THE 2022 ELECTION

The promise of our democracy can only be made real when we ensure that every voice is heard. ADL supports nonpartisan efforts to encourage voting and make voting safe and accessible, so that everyone is able to take part in
this critical aspect of our democracy. This is especially important as we work to overcome obstacles that could negatively impact fair access to the ballot.
Presented by ADL Connecticut & ADL Democracy Initiatives

Voting for a Healthy Democracy: Exercising our Fundamental Rights
Thursday, October 6 at 7pm

ADL Senior Vice President of Democracy Initiatives, Eileen Hershenov, will moderate a discussion with the authors of the book, 100% Democracy, The Case for Universal Voting. Learn about why ADL supports expanding voting options and how we can take steps to ensure recognition of voting as a fundamental civil right and a solemn civic duty.

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E. J. Dionne Jr.
Author, Senior Fellow, syndicated columnist for the Washington Post

Miles Rapoport
Author, Senior Practice Fellow in American Democracy, former CT Secretary of State

"100% Democracy, The Case for Universal Voting"
is available for purchase at RJ Julia Booksellers.
Click here to purchase now.

Join us for the live webinar via zoom:
Thursday, October 6th, 2022
7:00 P.M. | ET

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ADL NY/NJ Twitter Spotlight:

- ADL NY/NJ joined in celebrating Neil Golub for his 70 years of service to the community. We're so grateful for Neil's support of ADL's A World of Difference & No Place For Hate programs in schools across New York State.

- Know your rights this High Holiday season. If you need to request time off work or school or are looking for some guidance, check out our helpful resource which answers common questions about religious accommodation.

- Appalled to see a 4th incident targeting Rutgers AEPi in the last 18 months, this time on Rosh Hashanah, the Jewish new year.

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Stay up to date on ADL's on ADL's efforts to fight antisemitism and hate by following NY/NJ Regional Director Scott Richman's weekly podcast, From the Frontlines.

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