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| |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | **[logo](http://www.ojotc.org/)** | **NEWS FROM OJOTC**  **Rosh HaShannah – Yom Kippur – Sukkot Edition** | [facebook_logo](http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#!/group.php?gid=295585681723) |   **October 6, 2019**  **7 Tishrei 5780**   |  | | --- | | **It’s time to start thinking about Boston**    **The 2020 AOTA Conference and Expo**  **Will be in Boston**  **March 26-29**  **At the Boston Convention and Exhibition Center**  **415 Summer Street**  **Mark this date on your calendar: December 11th.**  **That’s when registration and hotel reservations will open….**  **------**  **Once again OJOTC will organize a Shabbat meal program at one of the conference hotels.. so watch your e-mail for details…**  **The Call for Papers for the 2020 AOTA Conference is now closed….**  **But…..There is a Fall Call for Papers:**  **Here are the details.**  **Mid-October: Updated templates for Late-breaking research Posters; Critically Appraised Papers; Conversations that Matter, Fellowship Best Practices, and Occupation Stations submissions.**  **Late October to Late November: Fall Call for Papers**  **Late October to Mid-December: Review Period Open**  **Mid-January: Acceptances announced via email**  **For further details e-mail** [conference@aota.org](mailto:conference@aota.org). |  |  | | --- | | **AOTA HAS ANNOUNCED THE KEYNOTE SPEAKER FOR CONFERENCE**  **SHE IS PERFORMER ALI STROKER**    **Ali Stroker was a grooundbeaking performer when she became the first actress in a wheelchair to appear on a Broadway stage, as Anna in the 2015 revival of “Spring Awakening”.**  **Then, in 2019 she became the first actress in a wheelchair to win a Tony Awrd for her role as Ado Annie in “Oklahoma”.**  **As a humanitarian and advocate she is a co-chiar of Women Who Care, which supports United Cerebral Palsy of New York City.**  **She is also a foundring member of the anti-bullying campaign “Be More Heroic”.**  **Ali’s inspiring work is reflected in her motto: “Making Your Limitations Your Opportunities”.**  **Ali Stroker will be greeting attendees after the Welcome Ceremonies at Conference.** |  |  | | --- | | Do you have an OT friend or colleague who does not know about our OJOTC organization?  Then them about us – and encourage them to become a member.  It’s free (as you know)  Tell them to e-mail us at [OJOTC@hotmail.com](mailto:OJOTC@hotmail.com)  Better still – send them a copy of this e-newsletter and a link to our web site [www.ojotc.org](http://www.ojotc.org) |  |  | | --- | | **New OJOTC Yom Tov Calendar**  **More than 10 years ago, OJOTC published a 10-year Yom Tov Calendar that many members have given to their colleges and/or employers.**  **We have updated that calendar.**  **It now runs through 2025.**  **Send us an e-mail at** [**calendar@ojotoc.org**](mailto:calendar@ojotoc.org) **and we will send you a .pdf copy of the calendar.**  **Or e-mail us and let us know who we should send a copy to you.** |   **Coast to Coast…**  **..and border to border.**  **We now have OJOTC members all across the United States, in 26 different states, from New York to California, from Florida to Oregon.**  **That’s in addition to Israel and Canada.**  **And we are still growing.**  **If you are not a member, sign up today.**  **Just follow this link:** [**http://www.ojotc.org/id2.html**](http://www.ojotc.org/id2.html)  **Membership is free, and the larger we grow, the more influence we have in representing our religious needs.**  **MMj02970310000[1]**  **E-Mail Addresses**  **Are you changing your e-mail address? Make sure to let us know. Most e-mail servers don’t forward mail (like the U.S. Postal Service does.**  **Send us your new address to** [**members@ojotc.org**](mailto:members@ojotc.org)  **(And, of course, if you know of OT’s or OT Students who should be on our list, tell them to send us their names and e-mail addresses.)** |