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Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center Announces Film Premiere

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Galloway Township, NJ- The Sara and Sam Schoffer Holocaust Resource Center of the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey announces a film premiere for Atlantic and Cape May Counties, "*Blessed Is the Match: The Life and Death of Hannah Senesh.*" This event is co-sponsored by Facing History and Ourselves, which is an international educational and professional development nonprofit organization, and the Milton and Betty Katz Jewish Community Center.

The film will be presented on Thursday, **May 14, 2009 at 7:00 pm at the Milton and Betty Katz Jewish Community Center** located at 501 North Jerome Avenue, Margate, NJ 08402. The event is free and open to the public. After the film presentation, there will be a discussion led by Dr. Mary Johnson, Senior Program Associate for Facing History and Ourselves.

This powerful documentary, produced by Katahdin Productions, is the first full-length feature about Hannah Senesh. In 1944, Senesh parachuted into Hungary as part of a Jewish rescue team from Palestine. Senesh's writings and photographs are highlighted in the film. The movie was filmed in Hungary, Israel and the Czech Republic.

For NJ educators, grades K- 12, 2.5 Professional Development Hours (PDH) will be offered. Each educator will receive a teacher's guide for the film.

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