

Jewish Community Foundation celebrates 40th anniversary



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Eric Gardiner, Susan Kabakoff.

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Five hundred members of the Jewish Community Foundation and other philanthropic leaders in San Diego gathered at Balboa Park's Museum of Man on May 31 for an elegant 40th anniversary celebration. The 40th anniversary is, according to Jewish texts and traditions, the symbol of a generation, a cycle and an opportunity for new understanding.

The location was ideal because of the exhibit "Journey to the Copper Age," a Holy Land archeological collection that originated in the Israel Museum had been newly installed at the Museum of Man. Dr. Thomas Levy, professor of archeology and Judaic studies at the UC San Diego, led the research expedition and the tours Thursday evening.

"You can see how vibrant archeology is in Israel and JordAn, and we have good news to tell about Israel through the archeology," said Levy.

The Jewish Foundation's Chief Executive Officer Marjory Kaplan, an Encinitas resident, was introduced by San Diego Mayor Jerry Sanders, as "the best in the business" of fundraising. She was able to report that the Jewish Community Foundation was now up to a quarter of a billion dollars in assets.

"It is truly joyful work to lead a foundation that makes such a difference," Kaplan said.

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