



The Tikva Store Record

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THE WORLD'S FIRST JEWISH POP-UP RECORD STORE

3191 MISSION STREET, SAN FRANCISCO

Local Newspapers Learn Yiddish

SAN Francisco press responded en masse to the December 1 opening of the Idelsohn Society's Tikva Records pop-up store in the city's Outer Mission district. The San Francisco Bay Guardian, the city's largest alternative weekly, called it a "nostalgic, far-out folk dream." The San Francisco Chronicle quoted Idelsohn Society co-founder and Tikva head David Katznelson, "I'm nuts, man."

Tropical Disease Predicted to Hit the City?

NO, it's members of the Cambodian-infused indie rock band Dengue Fever. Everyone but the drummer and saxophonist will be playing a rare stripped-down show at Tikva Records in San Francisco on December 10.



The 12's of Hanukkah: Records for sale at the Tikva store in San Francisco

Mezuzah Found on Mission Door!

MISSION District door, that is. On the opening night, December 1, of the Tikva Records concert and event series, Rabbi Micah Hyman of Congregation Beth Sholom officiated over the traditional nailing of the mezuzah to the door frame of the record store.

Cossacks Rampage; Bystanders Just Listen

THE first concert event of the Tikva Records series, on December 2, had Steve Berlin, saxophonist for Los Lobos, performing a new original musical score to the 1928 Russian silent film *His Excellency*. His five-piece band included veteran sidemen who've played with Captain Beafheart, Bill Frisell, and Tom Waits.

Every Day | Screenings of *The Canter's Son* and *Catskill Honeymoon*.

December 7 | Fool's Gold CD Release.

December 8 | A Tribute to The Burton Sisters.

December 10 | Members of Dengue Fever.

December 11 | Oral History Day

BREAKING: ANIMATOR RALPH BAKSHI (*AMERICAN POP*, *LORD OF THE RINGS*) DISCUSSED THE JEWISH ROOTS OF HIS WORK ON DEC. 3
EXCLUSIVE: THE BURTON SISTERS WILL PERFORM FOR THE SECOND TIME IN 55 YEARS ON DEC. 8
NEWS OF THE WEEK: KOSHER? OUR WEBSITE HAS A HANDY GUIDE TO EATING IN THE TIKVA RECORDS NEIGHBORHOOD.
IF YOU READ ONE THING TODAY: SEE CALENDAR OF EVENTS AT [HTTP://IDELSOHNSOCIETY.COM/CALENDAR](http://IDELSOHNSOCIETY.COM/CALENDAR)

HANUKKAH-SHOPPING MYSTERY SOLVED



CD: *Songs for the Jewish-American Jet Set: The Tikva Records Story 1950-1973*



CD: *Black Sabbath: The Secret Musical History of Black Jewish Relations*



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