

Sharsheret honors creative endeavors

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TEANECK — Sharsheret, a national non-profit organization supporting Jewish women dealing with breast cancer, will recognize the creative contributions of this year's guests of honor at its annual benefit luncheon on Sunday at the Marriott Glenpointe Hotel.

This year's honorees share a common bond of having produced something creative in an effort to support women and their families who face breast cancer.

Breast cancer survivors Rochelle Hirsch and Naava Parker, both of Englewood, wrote a book that helps children deal with their emotions when a parent is ill. They were the co-authors of "Lumps and Bumps," a book that uses rhyming verse that addresses the issue of breast cancer from a child's perspective.

Suffy Rudman, of New York, a volunteer award recipient, used her talents to support the organization.

As a vocalist, she produced her debut album, "Believe," a collection of songs for women, by women. All sales proceeds will benefit Sharsheret's programs.

The luncheon is expected to attract more than 400 guests from across the Tri-State area.

The founder of Sharsheret, attorney Rochelle Shoretz, lives in Teaneck.

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