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"Life Living Life" Now On Display at Sid Jacobson JCC

The exhibition is the work of renowned photographers Alan and Michael Sloyer and will benefit the JCC and its programming through the end of the year

East Hills, NY – Through the end of the year, Sid Jacobson JCC is proudly presenting a photography exhibition on-site entitled, "Life Living Life," which is meant to inspire people to reflect on why connection is core to our humanity and showcases the rich diversity of human culture and natural environments across Africa, Asia, the Americas, and beyond.

The exhibit is the work of Dr. Alan Sloyer, an award-winning photographer, and his son, Michael, a renowned Japan-based artist. "Life Living Life" is about seeing each moment as sacred and about gratitude for the human ability to turn conscious thoughts into smiles.

"We are beyond privileged to have the opportunity to work with Alan and Michael Sloyer and are honored to have their work hung in our halls," **said David Black**, **Sid Jacobson JCC's Executive Director**. "This exhibit is so powerful and so moving that we have already had such a wonderful response in the short time we have had it hanging in the halls of the building. We are appreciative of the Sloyers and all they are doing to draw attention to the work of our JCC, our staff, and member families all over Long Island. Like them, we believe that each moment of life is sacred and try to remember that each and every day. We hope that our members and all who walk our halls over the next month stop to admire the work and think of its meaning – and then consider purchasing a photo from the exhibit."

All of the proceeds from Life Living Life will be donated to Sid Jacobson JCC.

Michael Sloyer is a Tokyo-based photographer interested in capturing the world and its people in their pure forms. His work has been featured on various travel blogs and websites, including the *Huffington Post*. He is the author and editor of three photography books that explore photography as a means of human connection. He spent more than a decade on Wall Street as a derivatives trader and now works as a leadership coach at Upbuild.

Alan Sloyer is an award-winning New York-based photographer specializing in travel, landscape, and street photography. His photographs have appeared in many publications, including *The New York Times*, the New England Journal of Medicine, Chronos, Annals of Internal Medicine, and Shutterbug Magazine. When not behind the lens of a camera, he can be found training for his next triathlon, on the golf course, or at his gastroenterology practice in Great Neck.

About Sid Jacobson JCC

Sid Jacobson Jewish Community Center, the only full-service JCC on Long Island's North Shore, provides a full range of cutting-edge recreational, health, fitness, educational, cultural arts, and social services programs to East Hills and the surrounding community. Sid Jacobson JCC promotes Jewish identity and provides a comprehensive program based on Jewish values, traditions, heritage, and culture and is committed to enriching the lives of all individuals and families in its community.

Sid Jacobson JCC is a beneficiary agency of the UJA Federation of New York.

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