

Temple Beth-El •
Brenda and Fred Friedman Family Foundation
Fifth Annual
When Pigs Fly!



**Kosher BBQ Cook-off
and Festival • May 18, 2014**
at the Levite Jewish Community Center, Birmingham



- Kosher BBQ Contest
- Live Entertainment
- Pickle Eating Contest
- Kids Zone
- Great Food and More!
- Mechanical Bull Riding
- Celebrity Judges

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Check the insert inside for the menu, schedule, and sponsor list!

Sunday, May 18th
11am-3pm



NEW LOCATION!
Levite Jewish Community Center
3960 Montclair Road, Birmingham

Event proceeds will support
educational and enrichment programs
for Temple Beth-El youth

Featuring Music By:
The Cohen Brothers & More!

RELIGIOUS SERVICE SCHEDULE

May 2	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:12 pm
May 3	Saturday morning Parshat Emor <i>Maftir: Michael Horwitz</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
May 9	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:18 pm
May 10	Saturday morning Confirmation/Senior Send-off Parshat Behar <i>Maftir: Confirmation</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
May 16	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:23 pm
May 17	Saturday morning Parshat Behukkotai <i>Maftir: Barry Dreyer</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
May 23	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:28 pm
May 24	Saturday morning Parshat Bemidbar <i>Maftir: Naomi Ivker</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
May 30	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:32 pm
May 31	Saturday morning Parshat Naso <i>Maftir: David Reznik</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
June 3	Erev Shavuot Services Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:35 pm
June 4	Shavuot 1st Day <i>Maftir: Julian Brook</i> Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
June 5	Shavuot 2nd Day/Yizkor <i>Maftir: Chevra Kadisha</i> Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
June 6	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:37 pm
June 7	Saturday morning Parshat Beha'alotekha <i>Maftir: Dalia Abrams</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
June 13	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:40 pm
June 14	Saturday morning Parshat Shelah lekha <i>Maftir: Roslyn Mannon</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm
June 20	Erev Shabbat Candle lighting	5:45 pm 7:42 pm
June 21	Saturday morning Parshat Korah <i>Maftir: Morton Stern</i> Shabbat Mincha	9:30 am 5:30 pm

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Message From Rabbi Konigsburg



There are many important meetings and events that happen daily at Temple Beth-El. It takes a lot of people and a considerable amount of time to cover all the different aspects of Synagogue life. But far and away, the most important activity at the Temple is our daily minyan.

The daily minyan is the heartbeat of the synagogue. It is here that people come to mark important life cycle events and to remember those family members who are gone. Those who are new to attending daily minyan sometimes see it as a difficult prayer service. Minyan is certainly an “acquired taste.” There is a rhythm to it that takes some time to fully understand. The prayer service for weekday morning, afternoon and evening are the basic building blocks of all the other services of the year; Shabbat, Rosh Hodesh, Festivals and even the High Holy Days are built on the foundation of the daily service.

But Minyan is also about the Rhythm of Life. Those who attend minyan develop a special kind of friendship that revolves around prayer. On the one hand, when someone is a mourner, and is saying Kaddish for the eleven months, the other daveners quickly open their hearts to the new comer. There is a natural understanding that they share because so many of them got their start at minyan in the same way. As families grow, the Minyan “family” shares the happiness and joy. When there is sickness or sorrow, we help carry some of the burden and pain. Some days are silly, some profound and at daily minyan we share them all.

As each of us grows spiritually, we all support our growth. Minyan is the safe place where we can practice our skills in the siddur and reading Torah. It is a place where we can learn together, make a mistake or two and not feel embarrassed. Minyan is a place where our successes are shared in a community of people who really understand how hard we have worked.

Minyan is a place of miracles. Every day there is a miracle of ten Jews, over the age of 13 who must walk in the door. There are mornings and evenings when we are sure that we will never make it and suddenly a stranger comes in with a friend or two and once again we have made our quorum. We have a short list of friends of the minyan who live or work nearby, who will accept a call and come to shul to help make the minyan so someone can say Kaddish. Why do they drop what they are doing and come? Because they understand the importance of making community and in some cases, they know that others once came when they called, and now they answer the call as a way of “paying it forward”.

Like any family, our minyan is made up of different kinds of Jews with different needs. Some come to pray. Some come for the sense of community. Some come to see friends. Some come to ask God for help, forgiveness or comfort. Some come to minyan for the mitzvah of making the minyan, and some attend to feel close to God at the beginning or end of their day.

We are looking for those who want to help us keep our minyan going. It is hard when we miss an evening or a morning because someone is away. Can you give a day or two (or more) and be a part of this special and holy community? Would you like to be a part of that daily miracle that brings ten to our door every day? We are there every morning at 7:00 am and every evening at 5:30 pm. It really does not take long to become a minyanaire, but it can make all the difference in your life. You will never be more appreciated for just being yourself, when you make it your habit to walk in that door.

We are waiting for you.

We want to express our deep gratitude for the love and support that has enveloped us during the weeks of my recovery from knee surgery.

The surgery was every bit as painful as everyone promised it would be...and physical therapy is no picnic...but I am working hard and exercising religiously, and making wonderful progress.

We are so very blessed to be a part of this amazing community. "Thank you" barely expresses our gratefulness.

-Michelle and Rabbi K

Message From President, Arlene Fisher



With this article, I say both hello and goodbye – hello, as I invite you to read my latest bulletin article; goodbye, as I invite you to read my last bulletin article.

I have some VERY exciting news to share with you! At the March Foundation meeting, the idea of a \$ for \$ challenge was proposed and approved, that for every dollar of increased membership commitment we receive, the Foundation would match up to \$20,000. This challenge should be a motivator for our board, staff and congregants to work toward increased commitments, knowing that the Temple will benefit from every added dollar by the Foundation. We continue to face challenging financial times. Our renewed faith in Temple Beth-El is palpable, and now what is needed is renewed, increased financial commitments from you, our members.

To better reflect the name of the position for which we are seeking the best candidate, it will now be known as Director of Congregational Learning; the Search Committee has conducted a recent phone and Skype interview with a candidate who is graduating from the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles, the West Coast seminary of USCJ. In April we brought a candidate, Rabbi David Siff, his wife and two young children. The Committee is evaluating each candidate and will hopefully have good news to report in the near future.

Since this will be my last column – the new Board will be installed June 1 – I want to take this opportunity to say thank you to all of you for bestowing upon me the honor of serving as your President these past two years. I won't lie – my presidency has had its share of “bumps in the road”, but I will also be honest by saying that it has been a labor of love! We have witnessed a rejuvenation with the arrival of Rabbi Konigsburg and Michelle. They are a true partnership with us, and they bring so much to us in the way of friendship, compassion, knowledge, and a genuine appreciation for having been chosen to lead us. I have been so fortunate to have a dedicated Executive Committee, Board and committees (both standing and ad hoc) working side-by-side with me, all with the same common goal – to make Temple Beth-El the best that it can be. My presidency has afforded me the opportunity to strengthen my ties with Temple Beth-El, to deepen my connection to Conservative Judaism, to broaden my leadership capabilities, and perhaps, most importantly, to get to know each of you better. I, like you, have chosen to be a part of the Temple Beth-El family– in my case, for over 40 years – and with each passing year, I have come to more fully embrace all that our Temple has to offer. I know that you will continue to show the respect that our Rabbi, his family, and our leaders deserve and work with them for a better future. This is our spiritual home – let us all take very good care of it!

SUMMER CONNECTION SCHEDULE

The next Connection Bulletin for Late June/July will be mailed by June 17th. Be sure to look out for important upcoming events!

TBE OFFICE CLOSINGS

The TBE Office will be closed on Monday, May 26th for Memorial Day.

We will also be closed for Shavuot beginning Tuesday, June 3rd at 2:00 pm and will reopen on Friday, June 6th.

Weekday Service Schedule

Daily Morning Minyan	7:00 am
Sundays & Secular Holidays	8:00 am
Daily Afternoon Minyan	5:30 pm
Saturday Afternoon Minyan	5:30pm

Message From Foundation Executive Director, Robin Gotlieb



I have been sharing with you all the things I have done since starting as the Executive Director of the Temple Beth-El Foundation. For this month's bulletin article, I decided to share what the **Temple Beth-El Foundation** has been doing!

- Allocated up to **\$10,500** to cover the expenses related to searching for TBE second clergy
- **\$10,000** contribution to enhance the beautiful Installation weekend for Rabbi Konigsburg
- Allocated up to **\$26,500** to repair two non-functioning HVAC units
- **\$4000+** paid to replace Cultural Center ceiling tiles
- **\$7100+** paid for the Religious School IT expenses
- **\$65,678** paid for 2nd installment of 2013/2014 annual allocation to TBE Budget
- **\$22,500** additional contribution from a designated TBEF fund to TBE Budget
- Joint Purim Program with Temple Emanu-El was supported with funds from the Reva and Joe Engel Young Adult Engagement Fund

AND that's just since **January 2014!** So as you can see, the Foundation contributes well beyond the established dollar amount of **4.5%** of the TBEF total assets.

While going through the files of TBEF, I found the **Philanthropic Development Plan 2010**. There is no argument that TBEF is meeting its mission to perpetuate Temple Beth-El and Conservative Judaism by sustaining a strong endowment. Among the goals established in that document, which I have enumerated below, we are **4 for 4!**

- To provide the financial support to meet needs which are beyond the scope of the congregation's basic dues and fee structure.
- To work cohesively with the TBE leadership to identify/quantify how the Foundation can provide financial support
- To operate professionally, ensuring accountability of how TBEF funds are managed and allocated
- To effectively communicate to the congregation the compelling needs warranting a strong foundation, as well as results achieved from grants/allocations

I look forward to continuing to meet and further exceed those same goals for today's congregation and the future.

The following generous contributions were received since our last bulletin:

- Marian and Myron Radwin made a generous contribution to **Jill Radwin Confirmation Trip Fund** in memory of their beloved son, Rusty, on his first Yahrzeit.
- Marian Radwin made a generous contribution to the **Jill Radwin Confirmation Trip Fund** in honor of Myron Radwin's special birthday.
- Joyce and Maury Shevin gave a Chai donation to the **Tenenbaum-Spielberger Tikkun Olam Fund** to express condolences to Loraine and David Reznik on the loss of their father, Joe Reznik.
- Susan and Billy Lapidus gave a Chai donation to the **Maxine and Stanley Lapidus Fund** in memory of Joe Reznik.
- Judy and Gerson May made a generous contribution to the **Meyer and Dorothy Shiland Adult Education Fund** in memory of their beloved father and grandfather, Meyer I. Shiland.
- Dorothy Shiland made a generous contribution to the **Dorothy and Meyer Shiland Adult Education Fund** in memory of Meyer Shiland, husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather on the occasion of his Yahrzeit.



As another successful school year comes to an end, plans for a new one begin!

As this school year comes to a close, I'd like to thank all of you that played a part in the success of our religious school (from our Board of Education and staff to our parents, grandparents, volunteers, sponsors, general supporters, and of course... our sweet religious school kids). Together, we have a lot to be proud of and have made great progress in improving our school.

As most of you know, my position as Education Director will end on July 1st and a new education director will be hired. Having been a part of the search committee for the next education director, I am confident that we will find the right person to lead our religious school to the "next level" of success. The plans for next school year have already begun, and I expect a smooth transition for our next education director. I am excited about the opportunity that this person will bring to our Religious School and to Temple Beth-El.

I'm grateful for the many new "little" friends and "not so little" friends that I have made over the last 2 years and for their parents. I've enjoyed getting to know so many families. Thank you for trusting me with your children and for giving me the opportunity to try to make a difference in the education of your children. I truly appreciate all the support!

-Maurine Halpern

Sunday, May 4

Last Day of Religious School Classes for grades 7-10 only

Teacher Appreciation and Awards Day Brunch: Join us as we announce the winners of our religious school awards and thank our teachers, staff and others that contributed to the success of our school. The program will begin at 11:00, followed by brunch, then dismissal at 12:00.

Sunday, May 11

Last Day for religious school classes for grades Pre K-6

Mother's Day: Come in for coffee and treats and let your child spoil you for a change!

Sunday, May 18

When Pigs Fly Kosher BBQ Cook-off & Festival: If you have a good recipe, are good with the grill, like to decorate, or simply like to have fun, join our Religious School BBQ team! It will be at the Levite Jewish Community Center this year on May 18th and will likely be the biggest event yet. Contact Maurine Halpern at 369-4489 for details.



Saturday, May 10

Confirmation: Mazel Tov to Molly Bloomston, Haley Lewis, Olivia Mannon, Jake Stein, Brian Weintraub, and Eric Weintraub on their confirmation.

Senior Send-off: All seniors are encouraged to attend this special Shabbat service as we wish them well on life's next adventure. Please email your student's name to egregory@templebeth-el.net so we can include him/her in the service.

Friday, May 30

Family Shabbat Ruach and Dinner (Honoring Grandparents): send me your grandparent's emails so I can send them an invitation to this special family Shabbat Ruach in their honor.

CONFIRMATION CLASS & SENIOR SEND OFF

TEMPLE BETH-EL
Religious School

Join us on Saturday, May 10th as we celebrate the confirmation of our 10th grade class and congratulate our high school seniors as they move on to their next phase in life.

2013-2014 Confirmation Class

Molly Bloomston

Daughter of Robin and Marc Bloomston

Haley Lewis

Daughter of Nancy and Doug Lewis

Olivia Mannon

Daughter of Rosalyn and Peter Mannon

Jake Stein

Son of Amy and Scott Stein

Brian Weintraub

Son of Meredith and Gary Weintraub

Eric Weintraub

Son of Meredith and Gary Weintraub



*The Kiddush Luncheon following Shabbat services
is sponsored by the families of the Confirmation Class*

Grandparent Family Shabbat Ruach & Dinner

Friday, May 30th

**Shabbat
RUACH**

Join us on May 30th for a special Grandparent Family Shabbat Ruach. Our casual service begins at 5:45pm.

Family Shabbat Ruach is an hour-long Friday evening service for both children and adults guaranteed to uplift your Ruach (spirit) and enliven your soul.

Bring your entire family as we joyously welcome the Sabbath in song and prayer. Dairy dinner to follow services. Cost is \$10 per adult, \$5 per child 5-13. Family Shabbat Ruach is a time to welcome Shabbat with family and friends following Friday night services.

To reserve your spot at the dinner, please visit www.templebeth-el.net or call the TBE Office at 933-2740 by Thursday, May 29th at noon.

Sisterhood **SISTERHOOD PURIM RAFFLE**

The Raffle Team consists of a very dedicated, “with-it” group of ladies, who managed to bring in over 60 great prizes! Thank you again to: Jan Jaffe, Ellen Sokol, Kim Mirelman, Ellen Bernstein, Freda Centor, Esther Schuster, Shea Halpern, Charlotte Corenblum, Melissa Zivitz, Vicki Lewis, Janet Reagan and Natalie Sikora. It takes a village!

Thank you to all who supported the Purim raffle. Here are prize winners:

\$150 Gift Certificate to Red Wing Shoes Keith Thompson	Two tickets to Alys Stephens Center Abrams	Semi-precious necklace from Louise Abrams Debbie Tuck
Larry Michalove's Children's Book Jason Ruha	Shampoo & Blow Dry from Angel Hair Salon Renee Singer	Purse from Betsy Prince Shirley Hasson
Men' Designer Sunglasses from Schaeffer Eye Center Bobbie Sokol	Facial from Rita Feldman Judy Monheit	\$150 Gift Certificate to Ocean from Southpace Properties Ashley Hugunine
Ladies' Designer Sunglasses from Schaeffer Eye Center Melba Epsman	Teeth whitening by Jeff Weissman Sharon Peetluk	One cake from Roz Bloomston Esther Brown
2 month pass to Jazzercise Joshua Berger	Gift Certificate to 32 Degrees Yogurt Samantha St. John	\$50 toward hair products from Oak Street Hair Group Jean Bearman
\$25 Gift Certificate to Smith's Variety Eileen Curtis	Cookie Cake from Great American Cookie Co. Sandy Stern	Pedicure from Nail Envy Brenna Casey
Pottery from Table Matters Mervyn Epsman	1 hour massage by Robin Gotlieb Brenda Friedman	One area of Botox from Dr. Al Cohn Len & Eileen Levin
Gift Certificate from Avo Restaurant Ashley Hugunine	Oxygen facial from Dr. Sarah Sawyer Melba Epsman	<i>My Father's Blessing</i> book by Ruth Siegler Beth Schaeffer
Vase from Suite Dreams Hazel Pizette	Purse from Town & Country Randy Bernstein	14K Gold Chai Necklace from Levy's Fine Jewelry Judy Monheit
\$50 Gift Certificate to Sisterhood Gift Shop Kerry Stein	Semi-precious necklace by Stephanie Bostwick Margaret Stern	Trumpet lamp from artist Reuben Halpern Virginia Heiman
3 Vaser Treatments from Ginsburg Dermatology Tori Baldwin	Notecards by Esther Levy Rhonda Siegel	\$50 Gift Certificate to the Summit Shirley Hasson
\$100 American Express Gift Card from Brenda & Fred Friedman Mary & David Kimerling	Necklace from Jeri Davis Pam Ruttenberg	Gift Certificate to A Little Something Boutique Jerry Sokol
Yoga Lessons from Villager Yoga Brenna Casey	Tote & matching wallet from Snoozy's Kids Phyllis Weinstein	\$25 Gift Certificate to Salsarita's Cheryl Azrin
\$25 Gift Certificate to Magic Muffin Ceil Herzel	Lunch for 2 from The Pita Stop Elise Bodenheimer	\$60 Gift Certificate to Oscar's Restaurant L.R. Newman
Art from Blue Willow Gift Shop Marjie Butler	Art by Toby Klein Vicki Lewis	\$60 Gift Certificate to Oscar's Restaurant Eileen Curtis
\$50 Gift Certificate to Invitation Place Felice Hirsch	Two LJCC Theater Tickets Stephanie Cosby	6-month LJCC membership Neil Sigmond
Longchamp Purse from Gus Mayer Shoe Salon Natalie Sikora	Boxing lessons from Martin Juarez Roz Mannon	\$50 Gift Certificate to Lilipad Renee Singer
Toys from Learning Express Naomi Fineberg	Semi-precious chain necklace from Andi Preston Sharon Kahn	Color, cut, & blow dry from Sanctuary Salon Lorraine Reznik
Gel Manicure from Majestic Nail Bruce Downs	Gift bag from David Barry's Tall & Big Eileen Curtis	Color, cut, & blow dry from Sanctuary Salon Phyllis Berk
Tonya Jones Salon Spa Pedicure Esther Levy	Four tickets to McWane Center Mark & Lynne Cohen	Grand Prize: Flat screen TV from Jacob Shevin with Standard Furniture Allen Halpern

Have You Moved? Changed Numbers?

Sisterhood



We are beginning to work on the 2014-2015 Congregation - Sisterhood Directory. If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please email Adrienne Brook at abbrook@bham.rr.com with any updates you would like to be included.

DONATIONS

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Aisic Hirsch**
A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Arnold Cotton**
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Joe Reznik**
From: *Hannah & Colin Helman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Marcia Cypress Kramer**
A Chai donation in loving memory of **Joe Reznik**
From: *Shirley & Ron Froehlich*

In loving memory of **Joe Reznik**
From: *Lynette & J.B. Mazer*

LEAGRAMS

Jacob Shevin: In appreciation of Standard Furniture for the donation of a flat screen TV for the Sisterhood Raffle

Robert Sher: Welcome to TBE as a new member

Marlene Shapiro: Welcome to TBE as a new member

Susan & Marcus Bruchis: Welcome to TBE as new members

Louis Tuck: Wishing you a complete & speedy recovery
Rochelle & Melvin Olshan: Mazal Tov to Molly for being elected to the Magic City BBG Board

Rabbi Konigsburg: Mazal Tov on your Installation

Sheila Friedman: Mazal Tov on your move to Mount Royal Towers

"Rabbi" Henry & Leah Lapidus: Mazal Tov on the marriage of your granddaughter

From: *Ralph Sokol*

Sherry Cherner: Mazal Tov on your special birthday

From: *Marissa & Harold Apolinsky*

Want to send a Leagram? Contact Leagrams Chair Melba Epsman at melbaepsman@att.net, 879-4042. Each Leagram is only \$3, and Melba is ready to fulfill your requests. They are a wonderful way to share a simcha or offer sympathy or wish someone a speedy recovery.

Sisterhood  Julie Bernstein

For putting together our
very successful Purim raffle!

SISTERHOOD GIFT SHOP



Shop the Sisterhood Gift Shop for your next Bar Mitzvah gift! It's hard to find things for guys, but we have them.

COMING SOON—New gifts for the Jewish home, weddings, and jewelry!

SHAVUOT SERVICES

Shavuot commemorates the anniversary of the day God gave the Torah to the entire nation of Israel assembled at Mount Sinai. It marks the conclusion of the Counting of the Omer, and its date is directly linked to that of Passover. Join us on the following days for services:

June 3	Erev Shavuot Services	5:45 pm
	Candle lighting	7:35 pm
June 4	Shavuot 1st Day	9:30 am
	Mincha	5:30 pm
June 5	Shavuot 2nd Day/Yizkor	9:30 am

FAMILY SHABBAT RUACH JUNE 20TH



Join us on June 20th for Family Shabbat Ruach. Our casual service begins at 5:45pm.

Family Shabbat Ruach is an hour-long Friday evening service for both children and adults guaranteed to uplift your Ruach (spirit) and enliven your soul.

Cost for meat dinner is \$12 per adult, \$5 per child 5-13. Family Shabbat Ruach Dinner is a time to welcome Shabbat with family and friends following Friday night services.

To reserve your spot at the dinner, please visit www.templebeth-el.net or call the TBE Office at 933-2740 by Thursday, June 19th at noon.

Got Perfect \$en\$e? She Does...Do You?

Grocery Store Gift Cards Available!

Make your grocery shopping easy and help TBE at the same time!
Purchase grocery store gift cards from TBE (\$ for \$) and the Temple makes money from your purchase.

Order your Perfect \$en\$e grocery store gift cards
(Publix and Western)
by calling the office at 933-2740
or order online at <https://www.templebeth-el.net/perfectsense/>



Guess who I am!

Last month's picture was
Jimmy Krell

Torah Fund Luncheon

Friday, May 16th
11:30 am



Minimum Donation: \$18 per person
All Associate Patrons, Guardians,
and Benefactors are our guests

Guest Speaker
Hillel Konigsburg
is a bright, young, aspiring
rabbinic student at the
Jewish Theological Seminary
and son of
Rabbi and Michelle Konigsburg

RSVP by May 9th
Hannah Helman, 967-9659
Arlene Fisher, 967-5459

CHESED HAPPENINGS



HELP US SERVE OUR GROWING MEMBERSHIP, DONATE A HIGH HOLIDAY MACHZOR

Our expanding membership rolls have created the need for additional prayer books for the High Holidays. The new Lev Shalem Machzor is a beautiful and interactive prayer book which has received widespread praise. If you would like to sponsor one or more books (\$72 each) to honor or remember someone, please contact the TBE office or make a donation at our website.

Your support will honor a loved one, and make the services meaningful for our congregants.



SHAVUOT BIMAH FLOWERS

We would like to express our deepest appreciation to the following congregants who have generously donated the flowers which adorn our Bimah.

In loving memory of our parents and grandparents, Bessie and Nathan Zivitz, Mavis and Herbert Doty, and Pearl and Leonard Lewis

From: *Melissa and Melvin Zivitz, Rachel and Kevin Zivitz, Jared Zivitz, and Amber and Robert Lewis*

THIS MONTH IN JEWISH HISTORY

1 Iyar – 2 Tammuz

- **14 Iyar** – Adolf Eichmann, charged with the implementation of the “Final Solution” in Nazi Germany was captured in Buenos Aires, Argentina in 1960
- **26 Iyar** – War breaks out between Israel and the Arab nations in 1967, the beginning of the “Six Day War”
- **6 Sivan** – First day of Shavuot, on this day the first Jewish sermon preached and published in America was delivered by Rabbi Hayyim Carigal in the Newport Synagogue in 1773
- **30 Sivan** – In a letter to Louis Marshall, Henry Ford retracted and apologized for the publication of the false and libelous “Protocols of the Elders of Zion” in the Dearborn Independent in 1927

SPEEDY RECOVERY

Best wishes for a speedy recovery and continued good health to:

Paul Grodner, Ralph Sokol

CONDOLENCES

With sympathy, we wish the following families peace and love during their time of sorrow:

Lois Mendelsohn

Mother of Linda Jenkins, Kenny Mendelsohn, Farrell Mendelsohn, Sister of Harold Apolinsky

Joe Reznik

Father of Bob Reznik, Tobie Axel, David Reznik, and Sara Krantz

May the families be comforted among the other mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.



Mazal Tov to the following on their Special Birthdays:

May

Michael Bogart, Stephen Crawford, Eileen Curtis, Vic Feigelson, Karl Friedman, Gary Gouse, Charles Lurie, Lenora Pate, Andrea Shapiro, Susan Stein

June 1-21

Ilene Axelroth, Scott Bloomston, David Broda, Wally Cohen, Charles Denaburg, Ricki Kline, Mark Nissenbaum

*Special Birthdays are published in the bulletin beginning with age 50 and every 5 years thereafter.



May

Julie & Dan Bachrach (10)
Robin & Fred Benjamin (25)
Robin & Marc Bloomston (31)
Tobie & Michael Bogart (31)
Sharon & Stephen Cook (12)
Vicki & Ira Flax (25)
Arlene & Milton Goldstein (47)
Vikki & Ken Grodner (31)
Nancy & Barry Hamric (14)
Carol & David Kahn (26)
Roslyn & Peter Mannon (22)
Polina & Leonid Mazur (18)
Kim & Daniel Mirelman (32)
Sherri & David Romanoff (28)
Esther Schuster & Allen Shealy (30)
Ellen & Kerry Stein (11)
Brenda & Steve Weinstein (37)
Michelle Bearman-Wolnek & Seth Wolnek (21)

June 1-21

Ilene & Sandy Axelroth (38)
Adrienne & Julian Brook (50)
Melanie & Alan Dillenberg (16)
Erin & Mark Dreyfuss (2)
Rhoda & Robert Feirman (57)
Pat & Alan Geldzahler (58)
Toby & Warren Gewant (46)
Anita & Gary Gouse (43)
Karen & Reuben Halpern (43)
Maurine & Jacob Halpern (15)
Shirley & Jack Hasson (48)
Ashley & Daniel Hugunine (13)
Naomi & Josh Ivker (19)
Sheree & David Kanter (36)
Lisa & Alan Kianoff (32)
Michelle & Randall Konigsburg (37)
Eileen & Len Levin (48)
Dede & Leroy Lurie (66)
Sybil & Larry Michalove (54)
Cindi & Michael Routman (14)
Zena & Lewis Schulman (39)
Ida Zonenberg & Genrikh Shicel (60)
Natalie & Albert Sikora (55)
Amy & Scott Stein (18)
Carolyn & Bernard Stern (33)
Sandy & Morton Stern (51)
Debbie & Louis Tuck (33)
Nan & Doug Unkenholz (35)
Dina & Lazar Yaker (39)

Join us for



A Beatles Shabbat

with Michael Levine and Bonnie Puckett of Sunmoon Pie

Friday, May 23rd
5:45 pm



In Honor of the 90th Birthday of Karl Friedman
Light fare and birthday cake to follow service

Sponsored by the Friedman Family and Charlotte Corenblum

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Please join us for a special
Kiddush Luncheon
Saturday, June 21st

In honor of our 55th wedding anniversary

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MAZAL TOV

Mazal Tov to **Sheree and David Kanter** on the engagement of their daughter Corie Alyse Kanter to Jackie McHugh, both of New York, NY. Jackie is the son of Mary and Bart McHugh of Donegal, Ireland. Mazal Tov also to grandparents Doris and Fred Kanter of Birmingham and Marion Feinstein and the late Speedy Feinstein of Spartanburg, SC.

Mazal Tov to **Carol Tuck** on the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson, Harrison Samet Tuck, son of Leslye and Marshall Tuck of Greensboro, N.C.

Mazal Tov to Whitney Kimerling on being named one of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30. Mazal Tov also to mother-in-law and father-in-law **Mary and David Kimerling**.

Mazal Tov to **Barbara and Howard Finkelstein** on the birth of their granddaughter Emily Josephine. Mazal Tov also to proud parents Amy Finkelstein and Myles Steiner.

DONATIONS

A Leaf on the Tree of Life has been donated in memory of

Aisic Hirsch

Dalia & Keith Abrams	Arlene Fisher	Sandra Jaffe & Barry Dreayer
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Phyllis & Joel Doobrow	Susan & Billy Lapidus	
Susan & Sidney Doobrow	Angie Gossett, Jerry Pilato & Sam Pilato	

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Caryn & Steven Corenblum	Toby Klein	Barbara & Howard Strosberg & family
Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman	Ricki & Lanny Kline	
Sallie & Bruce Downs	Leslye & Steve Lapidus	
Mervyn Epsman	Ilse Nathan	

Good Fortune Fund

A Generous donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Sylvia Berman** on her birthday
From: *Dian Diamond*

A Double Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Whitney Kimerling** on being named one of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30

From: *Mary & David Kimerling*

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Ricki & Lanny Kline** on the birth of their grandson Andrew Alexander Kline

From: *Sheri & Jimmy Krell*

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Rabbi Konigsburg** on his Installation
A Chai donation in honor of the **Ivker family**

A Chai donation in honor of the improving health of **Harry Asman**

A Chai donation in honor of the improving health of **Chris Jones**

From: *Geri & Bob Stone*

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Carol Tuck** on the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson Harrison

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Leslye & Marshall Tuck** on the Bar Mitzvah of their son Harrison

From: *Sue & Albert Tuck*

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Bert Bloomston** on his retirement

From: *Mickie & Victor Cohen*

Wishing Mazal Tov to **Sylvia Berman** on her birthday

From: *Lynette & J.B. Mazer*

Thank you to the **Installation Committee** for their leadership & energy

From: *Bob Greenberg*

Wishing Mazal Tov to **Sylvia Berman** on her birthday

Mazal Tov to **Joy & Robert Fleisher** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Brett Lewis

From: *Marian & Myron Radwin*

Temple Beth-El General Fund
Wishing a speedy recovery and continued good health to:

A Generous donation wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: *Mary & David Kimerling*

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: *Pam Ruttenberg & Arnold Shiland*

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: *Marian & Myron Radwin*

A Chai donation wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: *Shirley & Ron Froehlich*

Wishing speedy recovery to **Ralph Sokol**

From: *Sherri & David Romanoff*

Wishing speedy recovery to **Henry Lapidus**

From: *Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman*

Wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: *Jean Bearman*

Sherry & Jerry Cherner

Anne E. Cohn

Charlotte Corenblum & Karl Friedman

Sallie & Bruce Downs

Shirley & Paul Schlaff

Lynette & Alvin Slaughter

Joyce & Gaston Stein

Men's Club Children's Fund

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Joe Reznik**

From: *Sandra Jaffe & Barry Dreayer*

DONATIONS

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In honor of **Rabbi & Michelle Konigsburg's** Installation at TBE
From: Lisa & Alan Engel

Wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**
From: Dorothy Shiland

Thank you to **Rabbi Konigsburg** for the special birthday Aliyah
From: Sheree & David Kanter

In loving memory of **Marie Norton**
From: Jessie & Abe Schniper

Chesed Committee Fund

A Generous donation in honor of the **Chesed Committee** with thanks for the wonderful things they do & for the graciousness of all the members
From: Pauline Witt

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Roslyn Fingerman** on her Yahrzeit
From: Ellen Fingerman

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Jeri Davis** on the marriage of her son Brandon to Tanya Miles

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Sylvia Berman** on the marriage of her grandson Brandon to Tanya Miles

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Bobbye & Michael Seligman** on the engagement of their daughter Jodi to Michael Kriegsmann

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

A Chai donation wishing Mazal Tov to **Ricki & Lanny Kline** on the birth of their grandson Andrew Alexander Kline

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Louise Temerson**, beloved aunt on her Yahrzeit

From: Lisa & Alan Engel

Religious School Fund

A Generous donation
From: Rebecca & Josh Rothman

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Cookie Goldstein**

From: Jessie & Abe Schniper

Chico Bomchel Memorial Social Action Fund

A Very Generous donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**
From: Sangeeta & Shaily Lakhanpal

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From: Tommy Jackson

A Very Generous donation in honor of **Arthur Serwitz** with gratitude for his caring & compassion

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From: Adrienne & Julian Brook

A Generous donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Mary Farrar

A Double Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Joy & Robert Fleisher

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From: Sam Zuckerman & Cliff Wright

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From: Mary & Jay Cohen

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From: Rochelle & Mike Koslin

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From: Michael Applebaum

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Katie Dunn

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Phyllis Herman

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Denese & Jack Weiss

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Susan Swartz & Barry Zern

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Janet Gurwitsch

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Esther Lee Kimerling** on her Yahrzeit

From: Cookie & Bert Gurwitsch

In loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**

From: Sherry & Jerry Cherner

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Harriet & Gilbert Routman

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Karen, Dan, & Jack Weinrib

Wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

From: Karen, Dan, & Jack Weinrib

Joe Koplun Fund

In loving memory of **Theodore "Ted" Abrams**

From: Sandy Koplun

Bill Bernstein Memorial Fund

Thank you to **Caryn Corenblum** for all your support & caring

In loving memory of **Muriel Gershon**

From: Thelma Bernstein

Edie Wilensky Memorial Fund

In loving memory of **Elaine Weissman**

From: Eileen & Len Levin

In loving memory of **Arnold Cotton** Mazal Tov to **Ricki & Lanny Kline** on the birth of their grandson Andrew Alexander Kline

From: Ilene & Allan Wilensky

Rosemore/Goldstein Food for the Needy Fund

In loving memory of **Henry Spira**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit

In loving memory of **Iris Spira**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit

In loving memory of **Lynn Rosemore** on her Yahrzeit

From: Evelyn & Andy Rosemore

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Judge Joe Gilliland**

In loving memory of **Faith Donnelly** Wishing a speedy recovery to **Sherry Tourbin**

From: Marion Rosemore

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In loving memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

From: Joan Langer

Wishing speedy recovery to **Michelle Konigsburg**

In loving memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

In loving memory of **Joe Reznik**

From: Lynn & Bert Bloomston

Keith Altman Camp Ramah Scholarship Fund

A Most Generous donation

From: Lisa & Alan Engel

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bobby Tuck**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit

In loving memory of **Joe Reznik**

From: Carol Tuck

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bobby Tuck**, beloved father & grandfather on his Yahrzeit

From: Debbie, Louis, Allan, & Betsy Tuck

DONATIONS

Rita Laufman Youth Fund

In loving memory of **Chita Weintrob**
Mazal Tov to **Sylvia Berman** on her
special birthday

From: *Sherri & David Romanoff*

In loving memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

From: *Ilene & Sandy Axelroth*

Prayer Book Fund

Two High Holiday Machzors have
been donated in honor of **Rabbi**
Randall Konigsburg's Installation

From: *Natalie Levine*

A High Holiday Machzor has been
donated in honor of **Mervyn Epsman**
in gratitude of his friendship

From: *Liz & Mike Slive*

A High Holiday Machzor has been
donated in memory of **Shirley & Joe**
Senior, beloved parents on their
Yahrzeits

From: *Natalie & Albert Sikora*

A High Holiday Machzor has been
donated in memory of **Joe Reznik**

From: *Bobbie & Howard Sokol*

Memorial Fund In Loving Memory Of

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

From: *Sheri & Jimmy Krell*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

From: *Paul, Vikki, & Ken Grodner*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Albert Cohen**

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Leonard Schwartz**

From: *Sam Zuckerman & Cliff Wright*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Aisic Hirsch**

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Chita Weintrob

From: *Judy & Ed Rutsky*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Albert Cohen

From: *Rebecca & Josh Rothman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Albert Cohen

From: *Teresa Castellano &
Matthew Heffenan*

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Albert Cohen

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Albert Cohen

From: *Naomi & Ed Fineberg*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Albert Cohen

From: *Punky Burwinkle*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Cookie Goldstein

From: *Marsha Simon & family*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
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From: *Esther & Jerry Brown*

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From: *Pam Ruttenberg &
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From: *Jeannine & Aaron Altmann*

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Arnold Cotton

From: *Linda & Leonard Sherman*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Min Miller

From: *Debra & Jeff Lindy & family*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Min Miller

From: *Lleniece & Larry Baker*

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Aisic Hirsch

From: *Caryn & Steven Corenblum*

A Chai donation in loving memory of
Murray Binderman

From: *Mickie & Victor Cohen*

Marcia Kramer

From: *Anne E. Cohn
Eileen Curtis
Dolly & David Staff*

Chita Weintrob

From: *Jean Bearman
Dorothy Shiland*

Albert Cohen

From: *Sheri & Jimmy Krell*

Aisic Hirsch

From: *Tobie & Bernard Axel
Jean Bearman
Cherie & Bob Greenberg
Sandy Koplton
Sherri & David Romanoff
Bobbye & Michael Seligman
Dorothy Shiland
Maxine Sklute
Joyce & Gaston Stein
Susan & Michael Stein*

Arnold Cotton

From: *Susan & Stuart Padove
Joyce & Gaston Stein*

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From: *Harriet & Gilbert Routman
Lynette & Alvin Slaughter*

Murray Binderman

From: *Sandy Koplton*

Lois Mendelsohn

From: *Betty Anfanger
Marjie & Myron Butler
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Karl Friedman*

On Their Yahrzeits In loving memory of

A Most Generous donation in loving
memory of **Joe Apolinsky**, beloved
father on his Yahrzeit

From: *Harold Apolinsky*

A Very Generous donation in loving
memory of **Ruth Mirelman**, beloved
mother on her Yahrzeit

From: *Daniel Mirelman*

A Very Generous donation in loving
memory of **Ruth Mirelman**, beloved
mother on her Yahrzeit

From: *Simon Mirelman*

A Generous donation in loving
memory of **Joseph Mazer**, beloved
husband on his Yahrzeit

From: *Jane Mazer*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Herman Siegel**, beloved
father on his Yahrzeit

From: *Rhonda & Eric Siegel*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Meyer Laskin**, beloved
grandfather on his Yahrzeit

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Rosemary Laskin**, beloved
mother on her Yahrzeit

From: *Barbara & Mark Nissenbaum*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Ethel Gorlin**, beloved
mother on her Yahrzeit

From: *Helen Green*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Norman Hirschberg**,
beloved father on his Yahrzeit

From: *Ricki Kline*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Beverly Levy Marks**,
beloved mother on her Yahrzeit

From: *Julie Marks*

A Double Chai donation in loving
memory of **Louis Winick**, beloved
father on his Yahrzeit

From: *Deborah Tessler*

DONATIONS

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Roz Goldstein** on her Yahrzeit
From: Punky Burwinkle

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Frederick Ostroy**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit
From: Thea Ostroy

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rebecca Gershon**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Marian & Myron Radwin

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Melvin Greenberg**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit
From: Dorothy Greenberg

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rose Glick**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Morris Staff**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **David Glick**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Dolly & David Staff

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Sophie Winograd**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Errol Helfman

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Bertha "Fritzi" Rosenberg**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Toby Klein

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Seymour Romanoff**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Sherri & David Romanoff

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Mary Baker**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Debra & Jeff Lindy & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Rose Helman**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Colin Helman & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Annie Rotenstreich**, beloved grandmother on her Yahrzeit
From: Joy Fleisher

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Sarah Lischkoff**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Leonard Lischkoff**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Bill Lischkoff

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Abbey Benck**, beloved granddaughter on her Yahrzeit
From: Pam Ruttenberg

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Herman Siegel**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Susan & Harold Brooks

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Gustave Meyerowitz**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Sandy & Gene Siegal & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Vladimir Belotserkovskiy**, beloved brother on his Yahrzeit
From: Olga Belotserkovskaya & Al Belotserkovskiy

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Robert Degen**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Ellen Bruck

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Beatrice Binstock**, beloved mother on her Yahrzeit
From: Diane Smith

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Marvin Cohn**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Ethel Schoenberg**, beloved mother-in-law on her Yahrzeit

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Reuben Lipsitz**, beloved grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: Anne E. Cohn

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Stanley Hellman**, beloved husband on his Yahrzeit
From: Rosalyn Hellman

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Stanley Hellman**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Sharon & Stephen Cook

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Alexander Zinger**, beloved brother on his Yahrzeit
From: Boris Zinger & family

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Harvey Benjamin**, beloved father on his Yahrzeit
From: Stuart Benjamin

A Chai donation in loving memory of **Steve Browdy**, beloved father, grandfather, & great-grandfather on his Yahrzeit
From: The Browdy Family

Alexander Zinger, son
From: Semen Zinger

Goldie Krys, mother
From: Edward Krys

Bessie Shapiro, aunt
From: Sharon & Steve DeShazo

Paul Steinlauf, grandfather
From: Maxine Sklute

Faina Gershengorina, cousin
From: Tatyana Shitsel

Selma Spielberger, mother
Marie Scheuer, aunt
From: Joan Langer

Mary Ginsburg, aunt
From: Leslye & Steve Lapidus

Miriam Cohen, grandmother
From: Mickie & Victor Cohen

Jackie Riskin, niece
From: Natalie & Albert Sikora

Sam Tenenbaum, father
From: Sam Tenenbaum, Jr.

Vladimir Belotserkovskiy, son
From: Bronya Belotserkovskaya

Harvey Benjamin
Marvin Brother Rich, father
Joyce Rich Benjamin, mother
From: Bobbye & Michael Seligman

Simmie Cohen, mother
Barney Cohen, father
From: Marilyn Davis

Nathan Schwartz, brother-in-law
From: Norma Jean Long

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Ruth Siegler
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Phyllis Weinstein
Boris Yampolsky

YAHARZEITS

**Shabbat Emor
May 2-3**

Dyna Asman
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*Abe Baker
*Abraham Banks
*Sara Bearman
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Paul Blatt
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*Samuel Lemkin
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*Edward Schulman
Margaret Schwartz
*Sylvia Shiland
*Jennie Simon
Louis Stubblefield
Neville Wallace
*Freddy Weintraub
Joyce Weintraub
*Max Weintraub
*Simon Wolf
Muriel Zable
Samuel Zakuto
Itsk Zeltser
Bertha Zion
Sigmund Zion

**Shabbat Behar
May 9-10**

Leslie Allen
Abraham Altman
*Joe Axel
Harold Bank
David Biel
Rudy Blatt
Yefim Bubis
Ida Bubis Kishinevskaya
Louna Capouya
Esther Cohen
*Selma Cohen
Victor Cohen
*Sarah Copeland
*Clara Davis
*Arthur Frohman
Ethel Gayer
Arthur Goldberg
Fannie Goldman
Bessie Halpern
Roselle Harris
Nadja Idelman
*Harry Kirshner
Raya Kishnevskaya
*Abe Kravitz
James Labowitz
*Solomon Lepp
Ann Lux
Khaya Lyublinskaya
*George Markowitz
Max Matlick
Sadie Michelson
Natalie Morrow
Richard Nassau
Sophie Padawer
Marian Perel
Marian Muldawer Perel
*Barnet Randman
Fred Reed
*Fannie Royal
*Eugene Schwartz
*Rebecca Scurry
*Marion Siegel
*Rebecca Silverman
Leon Skurko
*Edward Isaac Stein
Alvin Tenenbaum
*William Torme
*Ruth Weinstein
*Rosa Weintrob
*Mores Wientrob
Max Wilson
Charles Wolf
*Rose Zimmerman
*Nathan Zivitz
Sam Zivitz
Lillian Zuckerman

**Shabbat Behukkotai
May 16-17**

Ann Adelson
Morris Applebaum
Pauline Ashkenazie
Sam Bank
Sol Berman

*Bryna Binderman
Sara Bitran
Ernest Burnick
Frances Cohen
*Ludwig Cohen
Ted Cohen
Thelma Coltan
*David Corenblum
*Annie Damsky
*Jennie Davis
*Thekla Dreyfuss
*Sarah Dube
*Lillian Edlavitch
Shirley Epstein
*Jill Feigelson Esrig
Roz Feigelson
Hyman Fishman
*Ethel Fleisher
Ferd Garfield
*Max Goldberg
*Gertrude Green
*Max Green
Harry Grodsky
Esther Grushko
*Bess Hirshman
Ida Itzkow
*Hodie Jaffe
Abraham Kessler
Sophia Koz
*Jennie Kravitz
Sam Leaf
Manuel Lean
Shirley Leventhal
Jacob Levine
*Louis Levy
*Herbert Lewitt
*Fannie Litt
Harris Lubel
Jerome Ludsky
Alvin Maisel
Pati Mandel
Louis Mannon
Elaine Mavrakais
Richard Morrison
*Leza Newman
*Oscar Newman
Helen Ostrovsky
Rose Overdank
*Israel Pelowitz
*Mary Pelowitz
Lena Pinkerson
Ligia Rascovsky
Audrey Rich
Ida Schoenbaum
*Morris Sher
Sally Sher
*Helene Silverstein
Bessie Simon
Helen Slansky
*Irvin Weintraub

**Shabbat Bemidbar
May 23-24**

Rose Anfanger
*Zelda Barnes
Gene Barth
Rhonda Broner

Estelle Bruchis
William Bruchis
Celia Clause
Abraham "Abe" Cohen
*Ida Cohen
Sylvia Corona
Charles Denaburg
*Harry Erdberg
Milton Fingerman
Isaac Franco
Gertrude Frankel
*Abraham Friedman
*Helen Geldzahler
Alfred Gessow
*Fannie Goldberg
*Bessie B. Goldstein
Rose Landers Goldstein
*Frank Green
Meyer Gruder
*Sholom Grusin
Milton Hillard
*Betty Hodges
*Feiga Kimerling
Frieda Kottle
Harriet Krentzman
*Mollie Lipsitz
*Jennie Lischkoff
*Clara Mazer
Samuel Meyerson
*David Moss
Mae Olshan
*Joseph Radoms
*Sidney Rosemore
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*Carole Sarasohn
Leonard Segal
*Annie Shiland
Esther Skurko
Allen Solomon
Bertha Stein
*Abram Stern
Marion Stern
*Rhoda Toranto
*Sissy Toranto
Israel Trestman
Rose Walters
*Sarah Weinstein
Barnett Weissman
Irving Weissman
Louis Zuflacht

**Shabbat Naso
May 30-31**

*Abraham Abkowitz
Bertha Breslin
Walter Carver
Morris Clause
*David Cohen
*Sarah Coplon
Elise Davis
*Maren Dell
Gustav Dobbie
*Tillie Eisenberg
Fanny Fishman
*Robert Frohman
Morris Green

*Lottie Grusin
Samuel Grusin
Hertzl Heiman
*Joan Holzman
*Abraham Jaffe
Alice Kallman
Morris Kazdon
Shirley Lane
Sybil Leaf
*I.M. Levin
*Lena Levin
Morris Levin
Solomon Liberman
*Julian Lichter
Linda Lindy
Earl Lipsitz
*William Lischkoff
Harry Lupion
Pearl Marbach
Celia Matlick
*Sol Miller
*Isadore Minnen
Dorothy Bieber Nomberg
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*Sara Weinstein
Constance Werbin
Julius Zeligson

**Shabbat Beha'alotekha
June 6-7**

*Henry Accortt
Allan Brown
Hyman Brown
Helen Bruck
Harvey Buchalter
*Etta Caine
Jeannette Capouya
*Morris Cooper
Loyce Coughlin
Eva Davis
Ellen Doneson
Myer Fasner
*Alexander Feinberg
*Rose Feinberg
Anna Feirman
Lil Frank
*Charles Frankel
*Goldey Goldberg
Paul Goldman
*Dora Goldstein
Lazar Golubov
Charles Harris
Sally Hirschfield
*Jeanette Hyatt

Yahrzeits

Ruth Kertzner
 *Irwin Koplon
 Samuel Lischkoff
 Helena Clause Lubel
 Richard Marks
 *Morris May
 Constance Mehلمان
 William Michalove
 Mildred Nassau
 Kathleen Olshan
 Edwin Pearlman
 Phillip Pisetzky
 *Anna Rafel
 *Ida Raskin
 *Doris Reich
 Al Reiss
 Minnie Roth
 *Robert Routman
 *Arthur Rubin
 *Sheryl Siegel
 *Hannah Slaughter
 Leon Smith
 *Amanda Stein
 Bernard Stelman
 *Anne Touro
 Edward Wein

Shabbat Shelah Iekha June 13-14

William Bernstein
 *Eli Blousman
 *Ida Bomchel
 Saul Bram

Jacob Brick
 Pearl Broner
 Reva Calesky
 *Hellen Cherner
 Charles Cohen
 Lee Cohen
 *M.I. Cohen
 *Max Corenblum
 Jack Dorsky
 Nathan Eiman
 Sarah Ettin
 *Dora Euchvitz
 Lil Fried
 Stan Fried
 Mary Gennis
 Aaron Gettinger
 *Sarah Ginsburg
 *Leonard Goldberg
 *Sara Gordon
 Daniel Greene
 *Irving Haberman
 Esther Harris
 Hyman Isaacs
 Freda Kallman
 K. Kaplan
 Lynda Kemeny
 *Nellie Koplon
 Nathan Kulpe
 Samuel Langer
 Ida Lapidus
 Louis Marcus
 Dona Mintsina
 *Libby Myer
 *Joshua Nissenbaum

*J. E. "Gene" Plotka
 Annie Reid
 *Michael Reis
 *Annie Rosenthal
 *Barbara Routman
 Ari Rutkoff
 Mary Schnair
 Helen Schnier
 Linda Schwartz
 Herman Schwarz
 Nellie Shapiro
 Harriet Stiegel
 Ruth Stomakin
 *Mose Temerson
 Pearl Tishler
 Ben Warner
 Philip Warren
 Rose Weiss
 *Harold Weslock
 *Harry Wise
 Charles Wreschner
 *Yetta Ziff

Shabbat Korah June 20-21

Jacob Allen
 *Edith Alpert
 Esther Altman
 *N. Bearman
 *Bernard Berk
 Louis Berman
 *Beatrice Bomchel
 *Selma Botnik

Ruth Bruchis
 *Breine Cohen
 *Fanny Cohen
 *Jacob Cooper
 Betty Culiner
 Louis Culiner
 *Samuel Edlavitch
 *Joseph Epstein
 Sadie Fasner
 Dora Feldman
 Matilda Franco
 *Gertrude Friedman
 Rena Gilman
 Gerry Goldstein
 Oscar Greenberg
 Robert Griffith
 *I. S. Grossman
 *Zelda Jacobs
 Harry Jaffe
 *Israel Jaffe
 Bernard Kahn
 Milton Kantor
 *Morris Karpe
 Harry Kartus
 Jack Kartus
 *Rita Capouya Kimerling
 *Ida Korpus
 Nathan Kottle
 *Benjamin Kurman
 Malcolm Lambert
 Hortense Levey
 *Isadore Lichtenstein
 *Chaje Lichter
 Sara Lupion

Noam Mazur
 *Meyer Miller
 *William Miller
 George Nelubin
 Marilyn Nowachek
 Avraam Reznichenko
 *Ernest Rosemore
 *Hyman Rosen
 Jerry Rosenthal
 Solomon Rousso
 *Shirley Senior
 Sol Shapiro
 *Samuel Silverstein
 David Simon
 *Sarah Sirote
 *Mary Slaughter
 *Sidney Sokol
 I. W. Spielberger
 Seymour Steinlauf
 Adeline Agrow Teich
 *Leon Toronto
 *Rachel Weinstein
 *William Weinstein
 *Rose Weslock
 Gussie Witt

**Denotes a perpetual
 memorial plaque in the
 Sanctuary given by
 family members.*

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

You Belong in Birmingham is hosting Second Sunday Dinners and Third Thursday Happy Hours. Each month on the second Sunday, dinner will be held at 6:30pm at a different location. Sunday, May 11 will be at Surin on Highway 280. Third Thursday will be held at Carrigan's on Thursday, May 15 at 5:30pm. Second Sunday in June will be on Sunday, June 8 at Rojo at 6:30pm, and Third Thursday will be held at Otey's on Thursday, June 19 at 5:30pm. No RSVP required for either event.

LJCC Joy Club: Join the LJCC Joy Club once a month for a delicious Kosher lunch and program at 12:15pm. For more information, contact Mindy Cohen at 879-0411.

Save the date for **Collat Jewish Family Service's 6th Annual Hands Up Together** on Thursday, May 8th at 7:00pm. The 6th Annual *Hands Up Together* will be held at the ASFA Day Theater and will honor Michael Saag and benefitting senior adults. Contact Collat Jewish Family Services (879-3438) for ticket and sponsor information.

Theater LJCC presents **Joseph and The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat**. With a crash of drums and a flash of light, we are pleased to bring you the musical storytelling about Israel's favorite son who is blessed with prophetic dreams. Lyrics by Tim Rice and music by Andrew Lloyd Weber. June 12 & 19 at 7:30 pm, June 14 & 21 at 8 pm, June 15 & 22 at 2 pm. For more information, contact Mindy Cohen at mcohen@bhamjcc.org or call 879-0411 ext. 233. Cost : \$15 Adults/ \$ 12 Students.

Men's Club Meet up at the J: Join us for coffee and meet the Gulf Southern Conference Commissioner, Nate Salant. Hear about his interesting experiences traveling the South as a Jewish Commissioner. Monday, June 30 at 10:30 am.

Community Education Series – Brown Bag Lunch and Learn. Join the LJCC on the 4th Tuesday of the month for a series of health related topics presented by Jay Jones from Home Instead Senior Care and co-sponsored by the LJCC & Fair Haven Retirement Community. CEU Credits available. June 24: Dementia 101- Understand the stages of Alzheimer's diseases and other dementias. July 22: Senior Fraud and Scams- Identify the top senior scams affecting our community and how to prevent them from happening. August 26: Stages of Senior Care- Your Step by Step Guide to Making the Best Decisions. All sessions are at noon.

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Confirmation & Senior Send-Off

Saturday, May 10th
Shabbat Services and Kiddush Luncheon

Celebrate the achievements of our Confirmation Class and our High School seniors
as we wish them well with their future endeavors

Kiddush luncheon is sponsored by the Confirmation class families

*Please send the name of your high school senior so we can be sure to include
them in this special service. Names should be sent to egregory@templebeth-el.net.



TEMPLE BETH-EL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING



Sunday, June 1, 2014
10:00 am

- Review of 2013-2014
- Recognition of outgoing President Arlene Fisher,
Executive Board Members and 2013-2014 Board of Directors
 - Election of 2014-2015 Board of Directors
- Review and Vote By-Laws Committee Recommendations

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