

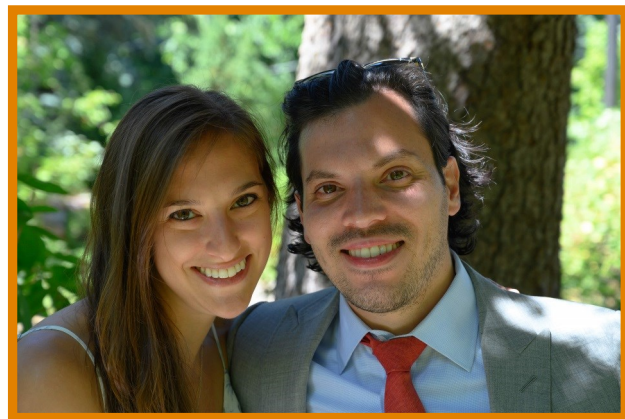
There is a place for you at Beth El. We Belong Together.

Beth El Newsletter
October (Tishrei/Cheshvan) and November (Cheshvan/Kislev) 2019/5780

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**OUR SIMCHA WOULD NOT BE COMPLETE WITHOUT YOU...
OUR BETH EL FAMILY.**



**PLEASE JOIN US IN CELEBRATING THE
AUF RUF OF OUR DAUGHTER
ELLIE
AND
DANIEL ARONHIME**

**SHABBAT MORNING
NOVEMBER 2, 2019
PARSHAT NOACH**

KIDDUSH LUNCHEON FOLLOWING SERVICES.

~RABBI AND HELENE KRUPNICK



The Beth El Night Hawks are our evening minyan regulars. They invite you to "make my minyan!"



Rabbi and Helene Krupnick led a group of Beth El members on a Jewish history tour of Copenhagen, Berlin and Stockholm.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Karen H. Schlessel President

Sulam for Strategic Planning (SSP) is off to an excellent, exciting start! Between the survey and community conversations, so much has been already accomplished. Kol ha'kavod to: David Backal, Past President and SSP Chair; Hedda Morton, Board Trustee

and SSP Co-Chair; the entire SSP Steering Committee; and YOU, all our Beth El community participants.

The objective is to involve our entire congregation in the development of a vision. This will move Beth El forward through our upcoming 100th anniversary and set the foundation for the next 100 years. Please continue to look out for SSP messages via email, Facebook, the Beth El News, and other means. There will be more opportunities to be a part of this journey!

What I am discovering is that the process itself is energizing. Personally, it has been a joy to participate in a community conversation and then interact with others as they depart from their community conversations. The activities of sharing experiences and thoughts, being truly heard, suggesting changes, and openly collaborating with people you may know well or maybe never met, is much more than a bonding experience. The bonding experience, however, should not be underestimated. This connectedness is what makes Beth El a uniquely special family. Members emerged from conversations exuberant, lingering near the Shabbat entrance to discuss ideas with one another.

After his community conversation and training, David Hulnick, a member of Beth El's Board of Trustees, wrote to me, "We talked about when you felt most connected and engaged to Beth El and I can honestly tell you that last night was a high point in that area for me." David added, "We will empower our members and allow them to feel like their thoughts and opinions matter and they will see that others share in how they feel."

What shining examples of David Backal's motto, "You do not belong the Beth El, Beth El belongs to you." and mine, "You are better because of Beth El, and Beth El is better because of you."

This is what engagement looks like!

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CLERGY CORNER



Hazzan Pomerantz-Boro



Rabbi Green

During the summer, I was invited to record a Speakers of Meaning podcast with Rabbi Richard Address. Our conversation spanned topics from prayer and music to High Holy Day liturgy and spirituality. It was an opportunity for me to share what inspires me.

What inspires you? Where do you feel sanctuary? When do you feel Gd's presence? When you feel challenged or disheartened, do you search for increased spirituality in your life?

As we approach this High Holy Day season, we are reminded to work on bettering ourselves and our world. We take time to be together as a community in our awesome shul. We may use this time to reflect deeply about our own spirituality and it might require hard work to get results.

One way we can rescue ourselves from disappointment and despair is to focus on blessings. Try to pray. Let ourselves think. Meditate. Close our eyes. Sing. Listen. Breathe deeply. Allow ourselves the opportunity to feel something bigger than ourselves. Have faith in our community. Bring healing and comfort to those around us. Feel grounded during difficult times. Make a friend. Smile. Be understanding. Know that our Beth El Family is here for us. We belong together.

I encourage you to write down a personal blessing and bring it with you to Ne'ilah at the end of Yom Kippur. We will collect all of the blessings inside of our magnificent ark and they will be brought to Israel with our confirmation class who will deliver them to the kotel in Jerusalem.

This summer, I found myself playing gaga and decorating mezuzot at the JCC Camps at Medford, barbecuing and hiking at URJ Camp Harlam, screening camper-made films and singing Rad HaYom at Camp Ramah in the Poconos, and learning about arts, sports, and Friday night matzo ball soup at Camp Saginaw. I will treasure these experiences, but my most meaningful camp visit moment this summer happened like this: I recognized and approached a student by the ropes courses, and someone with me called out their name. They looked up, saw me, took a moment to place me and then ran toward me with a grin from ear to ear. We embraced and then shared about our summer experiences thus far. It was mundane and yet it was magical... and I have enjoyed many similar moments with smiles and laughter, high-fives and selfies. I had come as a way of sharing that our Beth El family cares about our youth even when they are away at camp for the summer, and I was reminded again and again how much Beth El means to our youngest members and how a little taste of home means so much.

Shabbat

WEEKLY

Friday Night Live
Kabbalat Shabbat
6:00pm

Shabbat Morning
9:00am

Torah Talk
10:15-11:00am
Join Rabbi Green to
discuss fascinating
topics from our weekly
Torah portion.

Babysitting
9:30am - 12:00pm

FIRST FRIDAYS

Prayers And Pajamas
5:30pm
with Hazzan Pomerantz-
Boro and Rabbi Green for
families with kids ages 5
and under

SECOND & FORTH SATURDAYS

Junior Congregation
10:15-11:45am
with Chai Respes
for K - 6th Graders

THIRD SATURDAYS

Bim Bam Shabbat
11:00-11:45am
with Rabbi Green and
Rabbi Marshall for families
with kids ages 5 and under

THIRD FRIDAYS

Singles Shabbat
8:00pm



Wow! What an incredible beginning of the year! So much has been taking place I don't even know where to begin. Our ECC is in full swing and I love seeing the children, our future, engage in quality experiential learning. I am so thankful to be working with such a talented and creative team of teachers in our ECC. At our annual faculty retreat at the end of August, we

had a very inspirational day of learning where we worked on norms, smart goals, and curriculum development. Our theme for the teachers this year is *Kehillah* (community) and I am proud to say that our teachers are working together as a cohesive community. They have so much to offer and it has been a pleasure observing them share their love of learning with our youngest learners. I can't wait to continue watching them grow.

Religious School is off to a great start as well! I am also thankful to be working with our amazing Religious School teachers who are dedicated to sharing their love of Judaism with our students. At the Religious School and Hebrew High School teacher orientation, we focused on Relational Judaism and how to share that with our students in the classroom. Our opening day on September 15 was filled with activity as we welcomed back our students. We began our year with special activities for each grade level. In addition to visiting their classes, meeting their teachers, and seeing our friends, we had some special activities. Our youngest students in Pre-K through second grade helped make Sukkah decorations for the Beth El Sukkah. Our third and fourth grade students participated in an Israeli art program with visiting artist Avigayle Adler Katz, and our fifth and sixth grade students helped pack boxes for the Jewish Relief Agency. The entire school was treated with water ice from the BERS PTG as a welcome back gift.

Our High Holy Day Youth Program will include new features this year. We welcome back the Bible Players who will work with our students on interpreting the Bible and holidays with improve. Our kids will participate in meditation and holiday Yoga, and even social action projects.

And how can we forget about our Adult Education program? We kicked off the year with a trip to see Broadway's *Fiddler on the Roof* in Yiddish. We had 37 Beth El Members join us for a great day in NYC

with a delicious lunch prior to the show at Ben's Kosher Deli. Our Live and Learn series will begin November 5 and we hope you will join us on Tuesday evenings from 7:00pm-9:00pm as we study together about prayer and history. In addition, we are thrilled to welcome back Yaffa Fuchs who will teach a 6 week Hebrew reading course for beginners and intermediate students starting November 7.

In just a matter of weeks, we will be celebrating the national holiday of Thanksgiving. I love this holiday, but, in reality, every day is a Thanksgiving. Every day in our schools we teach about appreciation and thanking Gd for all the wonderful things we have been given. So as we enter into the Thanksgiving season, I want to say thank you to Beth El for allowing me to be part of this extraordinary community. I thank you for the opportunity to learn with our youngest learners to our oldest learners. It is truly a gift that we have the opportunity and freedom to come together as a community and learn about our tradition. As it says in Psalm 92: "*Tov L'hodot Ladonai Ulizamer Lasimcha Elyon*" "It is good to acclaim Adonai, to sing Your praise, exalted Gd." Let's follow these words and give thanks every day of our lives. I look forward to sharing more blessings with all of you.

Our new S.A.I.L Hebrew High School program began the year with a retreat at the JCC Camps at Medford. It was a day filled with team building, learning, crafts, and sports. It was an amazing way to begin our new year.



AYELET MITTELMAN—EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER PRINCIPAL



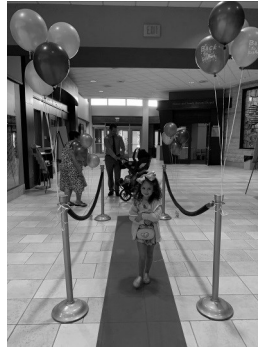
Our ECC is back in full swing! Everyone is so excited for the year ahead which promises to be full of new friendships, spectacular experiences, and loads of fun LEARNING!!!

Part of what makes this year so exciting is the addition of two wonderful new employees:

Caitlin Long is stepping into the role of a Threes Lead Teacher. Caitlin received her Masters in Early Childhood Education from Arizona State University. Caitlin loves working with young children. As she puts it, “I understand that early childhood is a unique time; one where growth happens on a daily basis, and the learning environment is imperative.” Caitlin is also certified in exciting “Outdoor Adventure” type activities, such as archery and zip-lining. Caitlin loves to be in nature, and incorporates that into her teaching. We are so happy to have Caitlin join our Lead Teach team here at Beth El.

Debbie Jeffreys is taking over our STEAM room by storm! Debbie comes to us after years of working as the STEAM supervisor for Lakeshore Learning. Her passion for STEAM, as well as her passion for Judaism, will create an incredibly unique STEAM program for our ECC students! Debbie has also worked within the Jewish preschool setting for many years, and is looking forward to a wonderful year with our ECC.

This year promises to be our most eventful year yet, and we can’t wait to see what comes along!



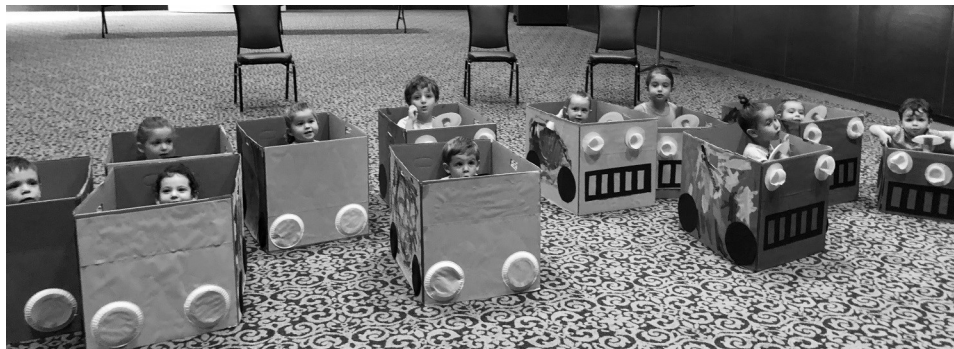
We had a wonderful back to school week, complete with red carpet, balloons, and buckets of cheer!



We were so lucky to have had all of the Beth El clergy celebrate the last Shabbat of camp with us!



Kindergarten learned about balance and instruments used for science with our new STEAM teacher, Debbie Jeffreys.



Our 3 and 4 year old campers enjoyed a “drive-in movie.” We don’t know who had more fun, the kids or the staff!



Who said only big kids could have fun at ECC?

CONNECTING TOGETHER

THANK YOU NANCY CUTLER



Beth El would like to extend a sincere thank you to Nancy Cutler for her many years as our dedicated Marketing Chair. Nancy was responsible for the majority of Beth El's marketing facelifts and branding efforts. She has been a tremendous source of creativity, expertise and insight. We have been so grateful to have her working with us on our website, logo, membership pieces, newspaper ads, press releases, signage and all synagogue marketing efforts.

Nancy is a passionate, dedicated, wonderful volunteer and asset to our community. In addition to her many Marketing Chair responsibilities, Nancy also co-chaired the recent Benj Pasek event.

We belong together, because of you!

Thank you, Nancy!



Amy Kaplan, Congregation Librarian

It's a must-see! The 30th annual Festival of Arts, Books, and Culture opens November 9, bringing a week of blockbuster programming. You will want to get your tickets ASAP, because many of these events will quickly sell out.

A few highlights:

Wednesday, October 30, 7:30pm

Bud Selig, former Commissioner of Baseball

Sunday, November 10, 7:00pm

Isaac Mizrahi, designer and TV personality

Tuesday, November 12, 7:30pm

I will be moderating a panel with authors whose books are made into film Ronald Balson, Eric Dezenhall, Pam Jenoff

Wednesday, November 13, 7:30pm

Nikki Haley, former US Ambassador to the United Nations

...and so much more! Over two dozen authors and entertainers. Call the JCC (856) 424-4444, ext. 1226 for details and tickets.



KEEP IN TOUCH THIS WINTER!

If you travel to Florida, or any other winter destination, we want to keep in touch with you!

Please send your winter address and travel dates to Melissa at mleibowitz@bethelsnj.org. Stay in touch while you stay warm!



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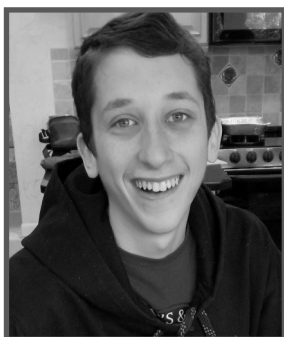
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JOSH CLAYMAN, 19, is entering his sophomore year at the University of Minnesota in the Twin Cities of Minneapolis-St. Paul. He wanted to attend a "Big 10" school in a large city and his academic scholarship made it that more inviting. The friendly atmosphere, social life, restaurants and access to the

Twin Cities that the university community provides has been a bonus. He travels around the beautiful large campus by bike. Tunnels are available in inclement weather.

Josh is studying statistics and data analysis, which he believes can open up many opportunities.

A graduate of Cherry Hill High School East, Josh attended Congregation Beth El's religious school through confirmation where he "made friends and learned about being Jewish." Josh joined and is active in his campus Hillel.

Since he is far from home, Josh appreciates the packages he receives from Beth El's College Connection program. His favorite items are the rabbi's letter and the chocolate in the form of Chanukah gelt.

MAZEL TOV!

B'NAI MITZVAH FAMILIES

ABBY & ROBERT BELAFSKY

BAR MITZVAH OF GRANDSON, NOAH BERMAN

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BIRTH OF GREAT-GRANDDAUGHTER, DAHLIA KATE YAFFA

IN THE COMMUNITY

DONNA FORMAN

helped organize and lead the 7th Annual P.A.L.S. camp program for Peers using AAC for Language and Socialization which she co-founded with speech-language pathologist, Ann Simon.



MARRIAGES & ENGAGEMENTS

YAFFA & JACK FUCHS

MARRIAGE OF SON, ARI, TO HILARY MACKLER

LORI & RICK GOLDSTEIN

ENGAGEMENT OF SON, ROSS, TO CHANA CRAWFORD

SELMA ELLIS

MARRIAGE OF GRANDDAUGHTER, RACHEL, TO MATT THOMAS

HOWARD JOFFE

MARRIAGE OF SON, ALEXANDER, TO KELLY MARIE JOHNSON

IRV OREL

MARRIAGE OF GRANDDAUGHTER

GLADYS & BARRY ROBBINS

MARRIAGE OF GRANDDAUGHTER, MADELINE WEISS, TO ANDREW WALLSTEIN

SPECIAL HONORS

MARC BACKAL

SERVED AS MEDICAL CHAIRMAN AND USA BANNER BEARER AT THE WORLD MACCABI GAMES IN BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

JILL TENDER

CHANTED HAFTARAH

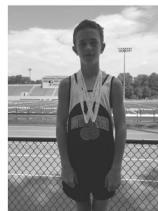
MELODY DIAS

WON SILVER MEDAL IN THE 16U REC TENNIS AT THE JCC MACCABI GAMES IN ATLANTA!



ARI GREENBERG

WON GOLD MEDALS AT THE ATLANTA JCC MACCABI GAMES IN THE ONE MILE AND THE 3200 METER RACES! ARI IS NOW THE RECORD HOLDER FOR THE 3200 METER - PREVIOUS RECORD WAS 12:22 AND ARI WON WITH AN IMPRESSIVE 11:36!



ALEX SCHWARZ AND DANNY SCHWARZ

COACHED THE SOUTH JERSEY 16U BASKETBALL TEAM TO GOLD AT THE JCC MACCABI GAMES IN DETROIT. BETH EL TEAM MEMBERS INCLUDED JAKE ATLAS, NOAH ROSE AND NATE WOLF!



CALEB UNTERLACK

RECEIVED THE MIDOT MEDAL FOR LEV TOV AT THE ATLANTA JCC MACCABI GAMES WHICH IS AWARDED TO SOMEONE WHO HAS THE DESIRE TO BE GOOD TO ALL.



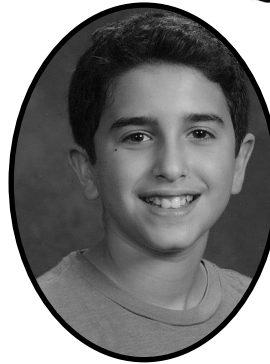


JACOB BERG

Son of Jodi & David Berg

October 12, 2019

Brother of: Elizabeth
Grandson of: Susan & Samuel Liebman, Jacqueline & Stephen Berg
Mitzvah Project: Collected and donated gently used tennis rackets for the "No Strings Attached Community Tennis Association."



JEREMY SHORE

Son of Kelly & Eric Shore

November 2, 2019

Brother of: Ben and Danny
Grandson of: Judith Cohen, Neece & Michael Shore, and Richard Cohen



CAMPBELL SCHWARZ

Daughter of Amy & Daniel Schwarz

October 19, 2019

Sister of: Alex and Danielle
Granddaughter of: Leah Weiss, Debbie & Ronny Schwarz, Connie & Michael LaRussa, Kathleen & Stanley Schwarz
Mitzvah Project: Raised money for the restoration and dedication of a Torah that survived the Holocaust. She will read her portion from the completed Torah.



ELI GRAY

Son of Nicole & Michael Gray

November 9, 2019

Brother of: Joshua
Grandson of: Rochelle Levy, Harvey Levy, Rhoda Karr, Elaine Gray and Paul Gray
Mitzvah Project: Collected and donated shoes for Soles 4 Souls.



SAMUEL BECKER

Son of Meredith & Andrew Becker

October 26, 2019

Brother of: Max and Elana
Grandson of: Susan & Dr. C Ivan (z"L) Gordon Barbara & Kenneth (z"L) Becker
Mitzvah Project: Collected and donated thousands of books to BookSmiles.



JESSICA LANDAU

Daughter of Nicole & Adam Landau

November 9, 2019

Sister of: Nate and Ben
Granddaughter of: Rhoda & Jerry London Leslie & Jerry Serlen
Mitzvah Project: Autism Walk and donated funds to Bancroft and Kingsway for students with special needs in honor of her brother, Ben.



MANUELA HASSMAN

Daughter of Andrea & Dr. Howard Hassman

October 26, 2019

Sister of: Kamila, Matthew, Ruben
Granddaughter of: Lillian & Joe Hassman, Amanda Perez
Mitzvah Project: Sponsored a family for a one-year stay at the Ronald McDonald House in Camden.



PAUL SHENKER

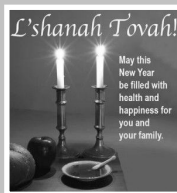
Son of Stacy & Marc Shenker

November 23, 2019

Brother of: Mikayla
Grandson of: Sally Shenker
Mitzvah Project: Collected dog food, toys, collars, leashes and harnesses for MatchDog Rescue.

New Years Greetings

2019/2020 5779/5780



- * Barbara & Marvin Backal & Family
- * Bronstein - Ravitz; Sharon, Bill, Richard, Ariel, Blake and Ryan Bronstein, Lisa, Andrew and Jessie Ravitz
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- * Merle & Ken Glass & Family
- * Cookie & Murray Matez
- * Sharon, Jay, Ben, Andrew, Shelby, Blakely Ruder
- * David Lieberman & Renee Rudolph
- * Ann & Bernie Miller and Family
- * Harriet Schulman and Family
- * Cookie & Allan Weinberg
- * Linda P. Weiss & Joshua R. Matusow and Families
- * Shirley Yaffa and Family

High Holy Day Flower Fund

2019/2020 5779/5780

In loving memory



- * Lois Asbell - in memory of all loved ones
- * Barbara & Marvin Backal - in memory of all loved ones
- * Melissa & Adam Benn
- * Sharon & Bill Bronstein - in memory of beloved parents, David & Fania Rotman
- * Selma Ellis - in memory of Bertram Ellis, Dorothy & Samuel Lepow, Judy & Norman Lepow
- * Michael & Nanci Epstein - in memory of Sis Levy
- * Merle & Ken Glass - in memory of all our departed loved ones
- * David Lieberman & Renee Rudolph
- * Cookie & Murray Matez - our parents
- * Ann & Bernie Miller - in memory of Molly & Al Miller, Lillian & Louis Levin
- * Harriet Schulman - Herman Harnick (father), Lillian Harnick Gleicher (mother) and Arlene Shupack (sister)
- * Shirley Yaffa - in memory of Jerry Yaffa, Rose & Samuel Wiesner, Irving Wiesner, Rose & Harry Yaffa



Beth El is an active participant in a charitable Endowment initiative under the auspices of the Jewish Community Foundation and funded by the Harold Grinspoon Foundation. Please remember Beth El when you do your Estate Planning. Our Committee will be happy to discuss various options with you. All of us thank those who have helped to ensure Beth El's future.

*Names in bold have formalized their commitment to Beth El

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Learn how you can help ensure Beth El's future!

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STRATEGIC PLANNING UPDATE



Forward-looking. Honest. Insightful. Engaging. These are just some of the words congregants used to describe recent Community Conversations organized by Beth El's strategic planning committee.

The discussions were part of the strategic planning process that Beth El is undertaking with help from the United Synagogue for Conservative Judaism (USCJ). Ten Community Conversations were conducted during August and September at Beth El and in volunteers' homes to solicit important feedback from congregants regarding their engagement in the synagogue.

"I was impressed by the positivity I heard from the participants," said Jeff Cohn, who helped as a scribe in one of the sessions. "It moved me to hear the warm thoughts, feelings, and stories that flowed easily through the conversation and I felt even more proud than I already was to be part of the Beth El family."

Jeff credits his participation in the session with inspiring him to find more ways to get involved, encourage others into the Beth El community, and help the synagogue thrive. "I hope the creative suggestions discussed during the sessions will come to fruition - they'll only make us even better," he added.

Those suggestions from the conversations, as well as feedback from a Congregational Survey for adult congregants shared over the same timeframe, will help to inform the direction for Beth El's strategic planning committee.

Next steps include the formation of special task forces, which will help to address issues identified in the feedback process. Look for more information to come on how you can participate in these task force opportunities and help the committee shape the future of Beth El.

To learn more about the Strategic Planning Process, visit www.bethelsnj.org/strategicplan. For questions, or to get involved in the committee, please contact David Backal at dsbackal@yahoo.com or Hedda Morton at heddamorton@gmail.com.

- Juli Mandel Sloves

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**List as of September, 2019*

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SUMMER AT CONGREGATION BETH EL



Adult Education Opportunities

LIVE & LEARN CLASS

A Deep Dive into Jewish Prayer and History

Tuesday evenings, 7:00-9:00pm
Taught by Beth El Clergy

November 5 - December 17

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HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL TORAH DEDICATION

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6—11:15AM

Join us for a beautiful ceremony dedicating this special Torah that was lovingly restored by the Schwarz family.

HABONIM 2.0 SUKKOT PARTY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16—6:30PM

A wonderful evening including a guest speaker.
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MEN'S CLUB STEAK & SCOTCH IN THE SUKKAH

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16—7:30PM

Don't miss our popular Sukkot event! RSVP required.

LET'S DO SHABBAT IN THE SUKKAH

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

Participate in the mitzvah of dining in the sukkah at our annual community-wide Shabbat. Details on page 14.

SINGLES SHABBAT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18—8:00PM

A welcoming service for all ages concluding with Oneg.

USY SUSHI IN THE SUKKAH (GRADES 8-12)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 —7:30PM

Sushi party at the home of our Youth Director, Alicia Drozen. RSVP required.

KADIMA SUKKOT EXTRAVAGANZA (GRADES 4-7)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20—12:00-1:30PM

Our younger youth group celebrates Sukkot with games, races, food, candy and more! RSVP required.

SIMCHAT TORAH CELEBRATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21—6:00PM

A community celebration of the Torah including dinner, drinks, dancing, children's parade and more!

LIBRARY DISCUSSION GROUP

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24—1:30-3:00PM

Participate in an open and engaging discussion on fascinating works, new and old with Amy Kaplan.

SISTERHOOD CHALLAH BAKE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24—7:00PM

Knead, braid and prepare your own Shabbat challah in the Beth El kitchen. RSVP required.

SISTERHOOD PAID UP MEMBERSHIP DINNER

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28—7:00PM

Be our guest! Discover table settings for every occasion.

NOVEMBER HIGHLIGHTS

YOUNG FAMILIES GROUP'S PARENT'S NIGHT OUT SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2—7:30PM

Young parents are invited to this fun mixer!

LIVE & LEARN WITH BETH EL CLERGY TUESDAYS, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 5—7:00PM

Details on page 12.

HEBREW READING CLASS WITH YAFFA FUCHS THURSDAYS, BEGINNING NOVEMBER 7—7:00PM

Details on page 12.

SINGLES SHABBAT FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15—8:00PM

A welcoming service for all ages concluding with Oneg.

TORAH FUND BRUNCH SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17—10:30AM

Celebrate and recognize our wonderful volunteers and help raise funds for the USCJ's institutions.

SOCIAL ACTION COOKING FOR CHESD WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20—6:00PM

Prepare, cook and package holiday meals for JFCS clients.

LIBRARY DISCUSSION GROUP THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21—1:30-3:00PM

An interactive and open discussion with Amy Kaplan.

COZIES FOR CHEMO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21—6:00PM

Join Habonim at this family-friendly social action event to create hand-tied fleece blankets for cancer patients.

TORAH ON TAP THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21—7:30PM

Study, sip and socialize with Rabbi Green & Men's Club.

LET'S DO SHABBAT FRIENDSGIVING FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22—Details on page 14.

HOUSE OF BETH EL WITH HAZZAN & COMPANY SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23—Details on back cover.

USY TURKEY TROT PARTY (GRADES 8-12) THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27 —7:30PM

Annual regional teen party at new location—Pump It Up, Marlton! RSVP required.

*NOTE: Healing Service will now be on December 11, 2019

*NOTE: Mitzvah Mall will now be on February 23, 2020



SISTERHOOD WOMEN'S RETREAT WEEKEND
It's Cool to Be Kind: A weekend devoted to Chesed with Hazzan Pomerantz-Boro
December 13-15, 2019 in Pendle Hill, PA

LOOKING
BACK AT...

RECENT BETH EL
EVENTS



On July 25, members of Beth El met up with Rabbi Green at the Voorhees Township's free **Rolling Stones Tribute Band** concert at Connolly Park.



On August 6, we had fun helping together at our final **splash pad party** of the summer! We packed food for Jewish Relief Agency, played and splashed in our wonderful splash pad!



On August 9, our clergy led a beautiful **Shabbat in the Park** at Challenge Grove Park in Cherry Hill. It was a meaningful service for all ages with yummy pre-Shabbat reception.



On August 15, we had a deliciously fun **Ice Cream Social** at Classic Cake in Cherry Hazzan Pomerantz-Boro, Rabbi Green, Rabbi Marshall and some of our staff members scooped for us!



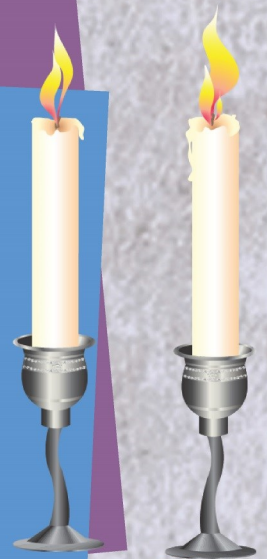
On August 16, Hazzan Pomerantz-Boro participated in a beautiful **Devotion By The Ocean** service down the shore. Prior to services, members gathered for a warm reception at the home of Cathy & Marc Backal.

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SHABBAT

Community family-friendly Shabbat for all ages!
6:00pm Services. 7:00pm Dinner.

- OCTOBER 18: SHABBAT IN THE SUKKAH
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AM = Shacharit (Morning)

PM = Mincha/Ma'ariv (Afternoon/Evening)

* = Mincha Only

^ = Friday Night Live (Kabbalat Shabbat)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 29 EREV ROSH HASHANAH 9:00AM 6:00PM 6:26PM	SEPTEMBER 30 ROSH HASHANAH DAY 1 8:30AM 6:00PM TASHLICH 7:00PM SANCTUARY 7:24PM	1 ROSH HASHANAH DAY 2 8:30AM 7:00PM	2 FAST OF GEDALIAH 7:15AM 7:15AM 6:45PM FAST ENDS 7:17PM	3 7:15AM 6:45PM	4 7:30AM 5:15PM* 6:00PM^ 6:20PM	5 VAYEILECH SHABBAT SHUVA 9:00AM 6:25PM
6 9:00AM 6:35PM	7 7:15AM 6:35PM	8 KOL NIDRE 7:30AM 5:00PM FAMILY SERVICE 6:30PM KOL NIDRE 6:12PM	9 YOM KIPPUR 9:00AM 12:00PM YIZKOR 4:45PM MINCHA 6:00PM NEILAH FAST ENDS 7:10PM	10 7:15AM 6:35PM	11 7:30AM 5:15PM* 6:00PM^ 6:07PM	12 HA'AZINU 9:00AM 6:15PM
13 EREV SUKKOT 9:00AM 6:00PM 6:04PM	14 SUKKOT DAY 1 9:00AM 6:00PM 7:03PM	15 SUKKOT DAY 2 9:00AM 7:00PM	16 SUKKOT CHOL HAMOED 7:15AM 6:20PM	17 SUKKOT CHOL HAMOED 7:15AM 6:20PM	18 SUKKOT CHOL HAMOED 7:15AM 5:15PM* 6:00PM^ 5:57PM	19 SUKKOT CHOL HAMOED 9:00AM 6:00PM
20 HOSHANA RABAH 9:00AM 6:00PM YIZKOR 5:54PM	21 SHEMINI ATZERET 9:00AM YIZKOR 6:10PM 6:53PM	22 SIMCHAT TORAH 9:00AM 6:10PM	23 7:30AM 6:10PM	24 7:15AM 6:10PM	25 7:30AM 5:15PM* 6:00PM^ 5:47PM	26 BERESHIT 9:00AM 5:50PM
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