

NEWS
EVENTS
CALENDAR

AUG 2017

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HaMaagal
Monthly Newsletter of CBH



**HEVRA KADISHA
TRAINING
SUNDAY, AUG. 6
10AM**

**JOY LADIN
TUESDAY, AUG. 15
7:00PM**



Rosh Hashanah
September 20-22, 2017
Yom Kippur
September 29-30, 2017

Hallelujah, anyway.

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**HIGH
HOLIDAYS
HALLELUJAH,
ANYWAY.**

AUGUST CALENDAR 01.

All events at CBH unless noted

WEDNESDAY AUG. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

7:30AM Morning Chanting
at Mulberry Fields

FRIDAY AUG. 4, 7:30PM

Graduation Shabbat

SATURDAY AUG. 5, 9:30AM

Bat Mitzvah, Naomi Norton

SUNDAY AUG. 6,

10:00AM Hevra Kadisha Training at CBH

10:00AM Tu B'Av Partner Yoga at Phillip
Rush Center

MONDAY AUG. 7 & 21, 6:00PM

Meditation & Chant

FRIDAY AUG. 11, 7:00PM

Paint & Schmooze: Love Art

TUESDAY AUG. 15, 7:00PM

Joy Ladin: Journey of Understanding

FRIDAY AUG. 18

6:30PM Tot Shabbat

7:30PM Erev Shabbat Service

SATURDAY AUG. 19, 5:00PM

Bat Mitzvah, Elizabeth Cohen

TUESDAY AUG. 22, 7:00PM

Drop-in Grief Group

FRIDAY AUG. 25, 6:30PM

Shabbat Dinner

SATURDAY AUG. 26, 9:00AM*

B'nai Mitzvah, Ariel, Ian, & Julia Bouer-Schlitt
at CCUCC

*Note early start time

SUNDAY AUG. 27, 9:30AM

CBHCS first day

JOY LADIN: Journey of Understanding

TUESDAY AUG. 15, 7PM

Explore the intersections of gender,
religion, tradition, and community with
guest speaker and author Joy Ladin.
Ladin is the first openly transgender
employee of an Orthodox Jewish
institution.

Presented by Sojourn,
JF&CS, and Congregation
Bet Haverim

02.

HEVRA KADISHA TRAINING

SUNDAY, AUG. 6, 10AM-12PM

CBH is forming our own Hevra Kadisha,
a sacred community committed to the
hallowed and intimate responsibilities
of taking care of the deceased. All
congregants are invited
to participate in our initial
training.

03.

GRADUATION SHABBAT

FRIDAY, AUG. 4, 7:30PM

Join us for an uplifting and moving service
that honors CBH graduates, brings focus to
the transition process, and offers a blessing
for the graduates' next endeavors. We honor
the families as they transition, and we give
graduates an opportunity to reflect on their
relationship with CBH and
their Jewish roots.

04.

SUPPORTERS

GENERAL FUND

- Suzanne Eisenberg, IHO Gayanne Geurin
- Elissa Pichulik, IHO Gayanne Geurin
- Ken Alpern & Alison Kelly, to the CBH Chorus IHO Grant's bar mitzvah
- Paul Glickstein, a Pride Shabbat donation
- Bill Goren & Susan Gerber, IHO Maya's bat mitzvah
- Nili Larish
- Membership Committee, IHO Abbie Fuksman for her years of leadership on the Membership Committee
- Barbara Katz, a CBH Shul Shekels fundraising donation
- IMO Alex Houghtaling
 - Stephen Wagner
 - Sylvia Gross - "To a very special dad, my heart is with you always!"
 - Karen & Daniel Weinberg
 - David Gittelman
 - Cindy Solomon
 - Diane Dexter
 - Nancy Miller

SECURITY DONATION

- Emily McBurney
- Jenna Jordan & Robert Campbell
- Miriam Karp
- Barry Roseman
- Rachel Gordon
- Richard Stone & Elizabeth Cohen
- Avrum Weiss
- Chris & Kathryn Duval
- Marian Broida & Ruth Einstein
- Roy & Adrienne Black
- Amy Garnett
- Bryan Golson & Michael Gross
- Carrie Hausman
 - John & Sandy Dean
 - Dottie Cohen & Joel Friedman

- Suzanne Schultz & Marti Fessenden
- Jesse Bathrick
- Susan Simon & David Pomeroy
- Arthur Krasilovsky & Joen Bettmann

BUILDING FUND

- Faith Russler
- Gayanne Geurin
- Shelley Rose
- Leslie Kean
- IMO Alex Houghtaling
 - Marjorie & Steve Osheroff - We dedicate these funds to the memory of an incredible spirit of a young autistic teenager who taught the world around him about love.
 - Susan Kupferberg & Richard Mitchell
- Rebeca Quintana, IHO:
 - Bob Schwartz wishing him a speedy recovery
 - Andy Segal & Ellen Mazer's 35th anniversary
 - Diana Aleman & Marianna Kaufman's 45th anniversary
 - Zoe Amelia Bastarache's arrival
 - Oriel Kistenberg's arrival

RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

- Gayanne Geurin, thank you for Micah & Nomi's sheva brachot
- IMO Alex Houghtaling:
 - Joe Chancey
 - Esther Rechtman
 - Lois & Steve Wolf
- Susan Gerber & Bill Goren, IHO Maya's bat mitzvah
- Alison Kelly & Ken Alpern, IHO Grant's bar mitzvah
- David & Betsy Teutsch

VITA LEO BROWN CREATIVITY AND ARTS FUND

- Lisa Heimann & Jeffrey Jones
- Rebeca Quintana

YAHARZEIT DONATION

- Julie Fishman, IMO Samuel Zoss
- Bryan Golson & Michael Gross, in memory of Alexander Houghtaling, with deepest sympathy and with love
- Linda Hilsenrad, in memory of Floranne Hilsenrad Kerr
- Edward Rosenzweig, in memory of Ethyl Rosenzweig
- Nancy Miller, in memory of Alice & Bernard Miller
- Rebeca Quintana, in memory of Beverly Konter
- Ellen Mazer, in memory of Lorraine Mazer

STRINGS CONCERT DONATION

- Joe Chancey
- Marian Meyers
- Dianna Milhollin
- William Curns
- Jackie Sherman
- Kim Goldsmith
- Stacey Appelton
- Val Wolpe
- Susan & Stanley Tenenbaum
- Marianna Kaufman & Diana Aleman
- Nancy Miller
- Jesse Bathrick
- Lauren Rich
- Ellie Emerich
- Sandra Menes Ashe
- Jonathan Gelber
- Esther Rechtman
- Sandi Still
- Sanford Posner
- Reuben Haller

**HELP US FUNDRAISE
BY RECYCLING E-WASTE**



**Bring small electronics
to High Holiday
Services**

CBH is recycling inkjet cartridges, cell phones, digital cameras, ipads, ipods, hard drives, tablets, video games, and more. Bring yours and drop in the box at CBH and at High Holidays.

CELEBRATIONS

Maya Goren's Bat Mitzvah
July 8, 2017



HONORABLE MENSCHEN

Onegs Sponsors

- Ariela Freedman
- Jody Steinberg
- Joe Chancey
- Mike Vaughn
- Gina Gershon
- Michele Walsh

Drop-in Grief Group

- Marcy Leach

Program Leaders

- Elizabeth Cohen for leading Chant and Meditation
- Mark Podhorzer for hosting and leading Shabbat Dinner

Hamaagal Proofreaders

- Darcy Coty
- Paul Glickstein
- Bob Schwartz

ABOUT US

CONGREGATION BET HAVERIM is a Reconstructionist synagogue founded by lesbians and gay men, embracing all Jews and loved ones.

HaMaagal is the monthly newsletter of Congregation Bet Haverim, containing news, information, and items of interest for our diverse community.

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BIRTHDAYS

Aug. 1	Abby Gilbert	Aug. 10	Ephi Betan	Aug. 27	Isaac Bloom
Aug. 1	Coby Gilbert	Aug. 10	Susan Joss	Aug. 27	Jamie Goldberg
Aug. 1	Claire Goldman	Aug. 12	Danielle Wagner	Aug. 27	Noa Robertson
Aug. 1	Julie Lakric	Aug. 12	Bex Taylor-Klaus	Aug. 27	Marjory Greenbaum
Aug. 1	Adrienne Black	Aug. 13	Amy Kahn	Aug. 28	Joshua Vaughn
Aug. 2	Alexandra Jacobs	Aug. 13	Elaine Taylor-Klaus	Aug. 28	Patrick Crabtree
Aug. 2	Clare Rubin	Aug. 13	Lisa Heimann	Aug. 28	Laura Baldwin
Aug. 3	Walker Ravina	Aug. 13	Zoe Ravina	Aug. 28	Sydney Fessenden
Aug. 4	Gabriel Kay	Aug. 14	Brian Snook	Aug. 28	Roxy Johnson
Aug. 4	Grant Marquardt	Aug. 15	Gayanne Geurin	Aug. 29	Kobe Lev Cohen
Aug. 4	Isaac Wallack	Aug. 15	Heidi Whatley	Aug. 29	Avrum Weiss
Aug. 4	Jonathan Mermin	Aug. 16	Conley Scheer	Aug. 29	Sybil McWilliams
Aug. 5	Noah Sokoloff	Aug. 17	Dan Arnold	Aug. 29	Malaikah Leon
Aug. 5	Levi James Robertson	Aug. 17	Sherri Kornfeld	Aug. 30	Paula Bloom
Aug. 5	Bryan Golson	Aug. 17	Dale Stratford	Aug. 30	Jeffrey Kraus
Aug. 5	Hannah Friedenthal-Greene	Aug. 19	Rachel Cetron	Aug. 31	David Lewis
Aug. 6	Miriam Van Buren	Aug. 20	Gabriella Perlmutter	Aug. 31	Alexandra Balaji
Aug. 6	Marci Creath	Aug. 21	James Dexter	Aug. 31	Jeremy Kinnard
Aug. 6	George Houghtaling	Aug. 22	Jonathan Mitchell	Aug. 31	Marian Broida
Aug. 8	Susan Byers	Aug. 23	Linda Hilsenrad	Aug. 31	Jesse Krisel
Aug. 8	Herbert Gershon	Aug. 23	Alex McBurney	Aug. 31	Paige Lefont
Aug. 9	Marco Ernesto Caldas	Aug. 23	Grace Helen Frankel	Aug. 31	Sarina Krisel
Aug. 9	Tovah Melaver	Aug. 24	Lori Wilson		
Aug. 10	Suzanne Greenfield	Aug. 26	Ben Barber		
Aug. 10	Suzanne Sears	Aug. 27	Tobi Ames		

ANNIVERSARIES

Aug. 5	Eric & Lynn Tarnow	Aug. 21	Sarah Zaslav & David Borthwick
Aug. 9	Benjamin & Devora Reiss	Aug. 22	David & Bernice Cohen
Aug. 10	Gabriel & Melissa Kuperminc	Aug. 22	Marjorie & Steve Osheroff
Aug. 14	Susan Kupferberg & Richard Mitchell	Aug. 26	Amy & Will Robertson
Aug. 16	Laura & Meredith Griffith	Aug. 28	Mark Weinstein & Siciliana Delgado
Aug. 19	Martin Cetron & Maya Yodh		

MEMORIALS

DATE	NAME	REMEMBERED BY
Aug. 3	Susan Heinsohn	Jeannie Heinsohn
Aug. 4	Harriet Finkle	Malka Packer
Aug. 5	Sylvia Friedman	Dorothy Cohen
Aug. 7	Leland Bernard Cohen	Dorothy Cohen
Aug. 7	Leland Bernard Cohen	Shoshana Ben-Yoar
Aug. 7	Tali Twersky	Joanie Twersky
Aug. 9	Ruth Shapiro	Ken Alpern
Aug. 11	Lena Mae Rubenstein	Henry Lewis
Aug. 13	Eleanor Shlissel Osheroff	Marjorie Osheroff
Aug. 13	Eleanor Shlissel Osheroff	Steve Osheroff
Aug. 14	Sylvia Broida	Marian Broida
Aug. 21	Joseph Ezust	Stephanie Ezust
Aug. 21	Arthur Broida	Marian Broida
Aug. 21	Charles Obsusin	Alisa Obsusin
Aug. 22	Elinor G. Smith	Gina Gershon
Aug. 22	Phil Forthun	Kathryn Duval
Aug. 22	Elinor G. Smith	Herbert Gershon
Aug. 23	Alice Zophin	Neysa Nevins
Aug. 24	Judith Ann Chasen	Charles Chasen
Aug. 26	Lillian Pollak	Beth Laing
Aug. 26	Rita Lefkowitz	Diane Dexter
Aug. 27	Angela Sugar	Alan Sugar
Aug. 28	Theodore Broida	Marian Broida
Aug. 29	Allan J. Rosenberg	Suzanne Schultz
Aug. 30	Lorraine Mazer	Ellen Mazer
Aug. 31	Francine Cetron	Martin Cetron
Aug. 31	Edna Kean	Leslie Kean
Aug. 31	David Shalit	Eva Shalit
Aug. 31	Edward Spieler	Mark Spieler

VITA LEO BROWN AWARDS ANNOUNCED

We are delighted to announce that the Vita Leo Brown Fund for Creative Expression has selected three artistic endeavors to fund from its first round of applications.



Vita Leo Brown

Sarah Zaslaw, our resident violinist, will receive support to defray the cost of attending KlezKanada, the largest klezmer convocation in North America, where she will be able to receive instrument-specific klezmer instruction. We are thrilled to be able to support her ongoing education and know that her experience there will enhance the musical life of our community. Sometime this fall, Sarah will share with us what she has learned - stay tuned!

The Singing Sisters, a group of 5 CBH women who formed a self-directed singing ensemble in March 2016, will receive support to cover five hours of professional coaching in arrangement and vocal technique. This ensemble performs at CBH gatherings and lifecycles and out in the Atlanta community.

Finally, Tuwanda Muhammad received support to bring in local poet Miriam Jacobs to lead a workshop called "High Holiday Reflection: Poetry and the Psalms," where we will read and analyze specific Psalms that explore themes of reflection and renewal that are so central to Elul. At the conclusion of the workshop, members will write and share their own Psalms. The workshop will be held on Saturday, September 16, at 10:30am at CBH.

We are so glad to honor Vita's life by supporting the arts at CBH! The next round of applications will be reviewed at the end of the calendar year or early in 2018. Contact Amy at arobertson@cbhatlanta.org for more information. If you would like to contribute to this fund, you can do so online (go to the donation section and choose "Vita Leo Brown Arts Fund" from the dropdown menu) or via check (note "Vita Fund" in the memo line).

CBH
Fall Retreat
November 3-5

At Camp
Ramah Darom

Registration Is Open

<https://www.congregationbethaverim.org/retreat2017>





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HIGH HOLY DAYS 5778 - 2017

TICKETS: Services are ticket-free. Just come and find a seat. Seats fill up, so do come early.

Guests please RSVP online in advance at: <https://www.congregationbethaverim.org/guestrsvp>

LOCATION: All services will be held at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, 1790 LaVista Road NE, unless otherwise noted.

SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION: Watch announcements in September for more information on which services will have sign language interpreters.

CHILDREN: Children's services will be held Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur mornings.

There will be an Intergenerational Kol Nidre service, for all ages. Childcare is available for infants and children's programming is available for children up to age 10 for first day Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur morning. Register online or use form in this (August) mailing. SPACE IS LIMITED.

PARKING: There is a parking lot behind St. Bartholomew's, and it typically fills up during services. Parking throughout the neighborhood is permissible (but not on LaVista Road).

CBH TRADITIONS:

These are opportunities to experience a sense of belonging in different ways. Please participate as you are so moved.

Oneg - Please sign up to bring something to one of our onegs on Rosh Hashanah, or to the break the fast gathering. Look for the links to sign up in emails.

Yizkor Memorial Booklet - Submit names of loved ones to be read aloud during Yizkor Services. Online form available or use the form in this (August) mailing.

Memorial Table - On Yom Kippur, we will have a memorial table where you are invited to bring pictures or other mementos of those whom you are remembering. (All items can be collected when needed.)

Communal Al Chet - Submit your Al Chet to the community. It may be read aloud on Yom Kippur. Form available online and in this (August) mailing.



Volunteer to help (ushers, greeters, people to bring items to oneg & break the fast, & more.)

Email or call the office for more information. Sign up link can be found at High Holidays Central.

MORE INFORMATION AND FULL SCHEDULE CAN BE FOUND AT:

<http://congregationbethaverim.org/highholidayscentral>

AUGUST 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 7:30am Chanting	3	4 7:30pm Graduation Shabbat (GG/RJ) 	5 9:30am Bat Mitzvah Naomi Norton
6 10am Hevra Kadisha Training 10am Tu B'Av Partner Yoga at Phillip Rush Center	7 6pm Meditation & Chant	8	9 7:30am Chanting	10	11 7:00pm Paint & Schmooze: Love Art 	12
13	14	15 7:00pm Joy Ladin: Journey of Understanding	16 7:30am Chanting 7:00pm Board Meeting	17	18 6:30pm Tot Shabbat 7:30pm Erev Shabbat Service (RJ) 	19 5:00pm Bat Mitzvah Elizabeth Cohen
20	21 6pm Meditation & Chant	22 7:00pm Drop-in Grief Group	23 7:30am Chanting	24	25 6:30pm Shabbat Dinner (RJ/GG) 	26 9:00am* B'nai Mitzvah Bouer-Schlitt children at CCUCC *Note early start time
27 9:30am CBHCS first Day at FSA	28	29	30 7:30am Chanting	31	1 Shabbat in the Home	RJ = Rabbi Josh Lesser GG = Gayanne Geurin

Times subject to change. Please check for changes on online calendar.