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Kiddush:

Kiddush this Shabbat is sponsored by Janet & Benjamin Steinberg in honor of the aufruf of their son, Jonathan.

This Shabbat:

Parshat Vaetchanan Shabbat Nachamu

- Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:00pm
- Candle Lighting: 7:50pm
- Shalom Bayit: 7:00am
- Shacharit Main Tefillah: 8:30am
- Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:28am
- Learning Service: Resumes in fall
- Listening Room: 6:10pm
- Parsha Shiur: 6:50pm
- Mincha (Main/Sephardic): 7:35pm
- Maariv/Shabbat Ends: 8:52pm

Weekday Times

• Shacharit:

Sun: 8:30am

Mon/Thur: 6:40, 8:00am

Tues/Wed/Fri: 6:45, 8:00am

• Mincha/Maariv:

Sun - Thur: 7:50pm

Next Shabbat:

Parshat Eikev

- Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:00pm
- Candle Lighting: 7:42pm
- Shacharit Main Tefillah: 8:30am
- Mincha (Main/Sephardic): 7:10pm
- Maariv/Shabbat Ends: 8:43pm

Mazal Tov To: Janet & Benjamin Steinberg on the aufruf of their son, Jonathan. Mazal tov to fiancé Ariela Weinberger and to Penina & Thomas Weinberger.

Michelle & Eitan Nidam on the birth of a boy.

Annette & Val Karan on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Nili Kilimnick, of Rochester, New York. Mazel Tov also to parents Suzanne Karan & Yosef Kilimnick and siblings, Doniel, Yonah and Raanan.

Welcome New Members: Suzy & Dan Vogel

This Shabbat @ The Bayit

Drasha: Rav Ezra

Between Mincha/Maariv: "Mystical Tefilla in Traditional Sources" with Hillel Broder.

HIR Youth Department

SUMMER GROUPS: 10:00am - 11:30am: Shabbat morning groups continue through the summer.

TOT SHABBAT: 10:30am

TOT SHABBAT LUNCH: For families with children ages 0-4: Join us on August 19th for Shabbat Lunch immediately following Tot Shabbat. More details at www.thebayit.org/totlunch.

BECOME A YOUTH GROUPS LEADER! The Youth Department wants YOU! Join your friends and become a part of our team of teen leaders. Welcoming applicants now. Teens in 8th grade and above who are interested in becoming group leaders either over the summer or next year should reach out to David Fain.

SHABBAT AT THE ATRIA: 12:15-12:45pm: Have Shabbat Lunch as a family and bring Shabbat joy & song to our neighbors at the Atria. Families can visit right after davening at HIR from anywhere between ten minutes before lunch to having Shabbat Lunch at the Atria. David is happy to answer any questions or join you for the first visit to introduce you to residents. Sign up at <https://goo.gl/s2S57J>.

For assistance, please contact: David Fain, Youth Director - David@thebayit.org.

Women's Accessory SWAP - This Sunday, August 6th.

New and gently used jewelry hats, clips, sun/reading glasses/frames, scarves, gloves, belts, pocketbooks, bags. Minor jewelry repairs can be made on the spot. Watch batteries available. Donations and volunteers needed for this event. Contact coordinator Kathy Goldstein at KathyandAhron@gmail.com. Donate without taking. Take without donating. Donate your time setting up, cleaning up or delivering leftovers. Sun 8/6/17 @ HIR (use driveway entrance). **Set up/drop off 5:30pm. Swap 6-8pm.**

Next Shabbat @ The Bayit

Drasha: Rabba Anat

Farewell Seudah Shlishit for Shira Berkovits & Ari Spiro

We are honoring Drs. Shira Berkovits & Ari Spiro as we celebrate their many years of leadership and friendship in, and service to, our Bayit! Come say goodbye to them at Seudah Shlishit next Shabbat at 7:30pm.

Register & sponsor at www.thebayit.org/shlishi.

Mark and Lauren Aruty Adult Bnei Mitzvah Celebration

Sunday, August 20, 9:00am - 10:30am: Let's celebrate our beloved Mark & Lauren who bring so much spirit to our Bayit. Please join us for words of blessing and a light breakfast. RSVP at www.thebayit.org/aruty.

Upcoming Riverdale Blood Drives

Wednesday, August 9th, 4:00pm - 8:00pm, at the Riverdale Temple, 4545 Independence Ave.

Sunday, September 10th, 9:00am - 3:30pm, here at the Bayit.

Whole blood can only be donated every 56 days.

Please take advantage of **one** of these opportunities to save a life!



This Week's Classes @ the Bayit

Joe Hoch z"l Memorial Daf Yomi Shiur with Rabbi Dov Linzer meets 7:30am - 8:30am Sun. - Fri. and Shabbat after Mincha in Room 3-7. Open and accessible to all. You are invited to join at any time!

Shabbat Classes

8:05am - Midrash Hashavua w/ Rav Avi
6:10pm - Listening Room w/ Myra Estelle
6:50pm - Parsha Shiur w/ Rav Dan (Main Sanctuary)
After Mincha - Mila Ba'Parasha at Beth Aharon. "Heshbon - הֶשְׁבֵּן"

Hebrew Classes with Sara Kinberg*

Monday - 7:30pm - Advanced Hebrew Ulpan (at the Atria)
Wednesday - 7:30pm - Intermediate Hebrew Ulpan (Lobby)
Thursday - 7:30pm - Biblical Hebrew and Siddur Study (Lobby)

*Sara Kinberg is an experienced Hebrew teacher. For info and guidance on placement, please call Sara at 718-548-2461. Payment made directly to the teacher.

Happenings @ the Bayit

Dedicated in Memory of Henry and Goldie Guttman z"l Abraham & Sarah's Tent, Sponsored by Joe Guttman (co-sponsors welcome): Join us this Shabbat for our open communal dinner co-sponsored by Janet & Benjamin Steinberg in honor of the aufruf of their son, Jonathan. To see which Shabbatot are available for sponsorship and to choose your week, go to www.thebayit.org/tent, or email James Lapin at tent@hir.org.

Riverdale Community

Infertility & Pregnancy Loss Support Groups

Pregnancy Loss Group For Women (co-sponsored by NechamaComfort): 3rd Monday of the month. 8:00 - 10:00pm in the RJC board room. For details contact Aimee Baron, MD at aimeebaron1818@gmail.com or nechamacomfort@gmail.com or Rabba Anat at rabbaanat@thebayit.org.

RSVP is not necessary, but is appreciated. We will always meet, regardless of the size. All meetings will take place at the Riverdale Jewish Center, 3700 Independence Avenue, Riverdale NY 10463.

Coping with Conception: A Men's Group for Dealing with Infertility Issues: Monthly group at the Beatman Center, 521 W. 239th St. Group is re-forming - for more information, please contact Rav Steven (ravsteven@thebayit.org) or Dr. Altman (joshaltmantherapy@gmail.com).

Riverdale Mikvah Hours: 718-549-8336

Friday Night: 40 minutes after candle lighting. No appointment is necessary but please be on time.

Saturday Night: 10:00pm - 11:15pm. (Next week: 9:45pm - 11pm)

Sunday - Thursday Night: 8:30pm - 10:30pm. (Closed 7/31 night)

Keilim Mikvah: Open from 7:00am to 7:00pm only.

Aliyot at the Bayit

Have a guest or special occasion coming up? Contact Bayit Gabbai, Hillel Jaffe to arrange for aliyot and other kibbudim. Gabbai@hir.org.



HIR GIFT CARDS - Support our Bayit by purchasing Gift Cards - Buy it for the Bayit! For more information on volunteering or to place an order, email giftcard@hir.org or call Shira Gordon at 718-549-5280. **NOTE: Purchases do not cost you anything extra.** Moss Cafe is now participating in the HIR Scrip program and is offering the Bayit a 10% rebate on the gift cards.

THE BAYIT

The Hebrew Institute of Riverdale – The Bayit – is an open Orthodox synagogue serving the entire Jewish community by warmly embracing all Jews, regardless of affiliation, commitment, orientation or background. It is affectionately known as the "Bayit," which is a home – a place of love and welcome. We are known nationally for bringing spirituality into the synagogue; activism on behalf of the oppressed; youth and teen engagement; learning programs; and work on behalf of the elderly, the homebound, and those with developmental and physical challenges.

If these words resonate with you, if our Bayit has touched your life, then please join our growing membership.

BUSINESS ADVERTISING IN THE BAYIT BULLETIN*

Promote your business to Bayit Bulletin readers in the first bulletin of every month. Contact the office at 718-796-4730 or office@thebayit.org for more information.

*HIR's posting of any advertisement shall not be considered an endorsement of the advertiser, or of the product or service involved.

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Thank You!

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped package sandwiches for the BJCC food pantry!

Pair of Tefillin Found

Mitchel Herstic found a pair of Tefillin on the street in North Riverdale. If you believe it is your pair, email him at mhhersticlaw@aol.com.

Calendars Have Arrived!

The new Jewish calendars have arrived. Pick up your copy in the Bayit office.

BEYOND THE BAYIT - August 4 - 11, 2017

ATRIA SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE: Atria Riverdale is running a back-to-school supply drive to make sure students at Eugenio Maria De Hostos Microsociety School in Yonkers, NY have the tools they need for the coming school year. The drive will continue throughout August. Items such as pencils, composition note books and backpacks are of much need to this Yonkers public school. Additional useful supplies for these students and their classrooms include baby wipes, paper towels rolls, Lysol or Clorox wipes, antibacterial hand soap, dry erase markers and glue sticks. Any donations from our supportive community members may be dropped off at Atria Senior Living of Riverdale at 3718 Henry Hudson Parkway, Bronx, New York 10463. You may leave them in the care of Averi Kelly, Atria Riverdale's Engage Life Director, who with the help of Atria residents will deliver the supplies directly to the school. For more information on how to participate in the school supply drive, call 718-432-2448. For more information about Atria Riverdale, visit them online at atriaseniorliving.com.

MONDAY NIGHT SOFTBALL IS BACK! Step up to the plate for our weekly informal softball game with other Riverdale synagogues. Every Monday during the summer, until **8/28/2017**, we will meet in Seton Park (Independence Ave. & 232nd St.) for a pickup softball game, starting at 6:30. Adults and kids 11-years-old and older are invited to play. All are welcome to watch and cheer. It's a relaxing and fun way to spend a summer evening and create community in Riverdale! For more information, please contact to Yoni Schwab (yni.schwab@gmail.com) or James Lapin (jameslapin@gmail.com).

ALDERBROOK POOL: A limited number of memberships are still available at the Alderbrook Pool, a unique, peaceful oasis in the heart of Riverdale. Check us out today at www.alderbrookpool.com. Featured in New York Magazine (see <http://nymag.com/guides/summer/2015/swimming/>). For further info contact Dov Weinstock at alderbrookpool@gmail.com or 917-848-8914.

FAMILY CAMP AT YAVNEH: Kosher family vacations don't have to break the bank! Get out of the city and spend time in the great outdoors with your family and friends. If you enjoy amazing activities - like the fishing tournament, challah baking, wine tasting and tie dye shirt making along with eating delicious kosher food and spending quality Shabbat time with family and friends, then Family Camp at Yavneh can't be missed! Spaces are filling so act quick! And as an added bonus you don't have to do laundry or cook for five whole days! **Aug. 23-27**, with pre-camp beginning on Aug 21st. For more information call 603-942-5593, visit our website at www.campyavneh.org or send Efrat Assulin an email at efrat@campyavneh.org to register.

RIVERDALE Y:

SUNDAY MARKET: The Riverdale Y Sunday Market is back at the Riverdale Kingsbridge Academy until December 3rd! The market promotes local vendors and fresh produce. There will be Toddler Dance Jam once a month. More information at www.riverdaley.org/sundaymarket.

SARAH LILY ADOPTION FUND: As part of its mission to strengthen families, and promote Jewish identity and continuity, The Riverdale Y has established the Sarah Lily Fund for Adoption that provides two \$5,000 grants annually to help Jewish families being formed by adoption. Applications are considered in May and November each year. For more information please visit www.RiverdaleY.org/SarahLilyFund.