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Kiddush:

No Kiddush this Shabbat.

To sponsor a future Kiddush, please contact Seth Aronson - kiddush@hir.org.

This Shabbat:

Parshat Matot- Masei

- Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: **7:10pm**
- Candle Lighting: 8:09pm
- Shalom Bayit: 7:00am
- Shacharit Main Tefillah: 8:30am
- Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:18am
- Learning Service: resumes in fall
- Listening Room: 6:30pm
- Parsha Shiur: 7:10pm
- Mincha (Main/Sephardic): 7:55pm
- Maariv/Shabbat Ends: 9:12pm

Weekday Times

- **Shacharit:** Sun: 8:30am
Mon/Thur: 6:40, 8:00am
Tues/Wed: 6:45, 8:00am
Fri (Rosh Chodesh): 6:30, 8:00am
- **Mincha/Maariv:**
Sun - Thur: 8:15pm

Next Shabbat:

Parshat Devarim

- Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: **7:10pm**
- Candle Lighting: 8:05pm
- Shacharit Main Tefillah: 8:30am
- Mincha (Main/Sephardic): 5:30pm
- Maariv/Eichah: 9:30pm

Mazal Tov To: Shani & Meir Lindenbaum on the birth of a son. Mazal tov to big sister Sammy and to the entire family.

Alisa & Michael Brown on the engagement of Adiel to Lishai Purrio. Mazal tov to grandmother Renee Gladstone, Lishai's parents, Orly & Dirk Purrio, and the entire Brown and Purrio families.

Condolences To: Barry Stern on the loss of his father, Sam Stern. Shiva will be observed until Monday Shacharit, July 16th at 5040 Arlington Ave., Bronx, NY 10471.

Welcome New Members: Jill Berkin & Eric Rose.

The entire Bayit community mourns the passing of Joe Guttman z'l. We will gather on Sunday morning at the Bayit from 9:00am - 11:00am to share memories of Joe.

This Shabbat @ The Bayit

Welcome to the Drisha Kollel - In lieu of a drasha, we will have Breakout Shiurim immediately following Tefillah

- Dr. Sam Lebens on "The Riddle of Rational Regret" in the Lower Level Beit Midrash
- Ms. Miriam Gedwiser on "The Devotion of Your Youth: Jeremiah's Prophecy for Troubled Times" on the women's side of the Main Sanctuary
- Rabbi Daniel Reifman on "Protesting at the Movies in Petach Tikva: Lifnei Iver and the Limits of Modern Liberalism" on the men's side of the Main Sanctuary

5:30pm Rabbi David Silber in conversation with Ms. Miriam Gedwiser on "Drisha: Past, Present, and Future" (Main Sanctuary)

6:30pm at Beth Aharon Rav Avraham Piperno on "B'sha'ara shel Romi: The Jews of Italy" (2nd floor BM). This talk will be primarily in Hebrew.

Between Mincha/Maariv: Dr. Shana Strauch Shick on "The History of the Ezrat Nashim from the Temple to American Suburbia"

HIR Youth Department

SUMMER GROUPS: 10:00am - 11:30am (unless otherwise noted): Shabbat morning groups will continue to be offered throughout the summer. Summer groups are friendly and relaxed and support a fun, social environment with Tefillah and Torah.

Locations:

Nursery: Room 3-4 Pre K/ Kindergarten: Rooms 3-5/3-6
1st/2nd grade: Room 3-3 3rd-6th: Room 3-1

TOT SHABBAT: Will continue throughout the summer at 10:30am.

BECOME A YOUTH GROUPS LEADER! The Youth Department wants YOU! Join your friends and become a part of our team of teen leaders. Teens in 8th grade and above who are interested in becoming group leaders should reach out to Rav Ezra at ravezra@thebayit.org.

Summer Classes at the Bayit

This Summer we will be learning about the 5 Megillot and Sefer Yonah. Each week will cover a different book. The classes will take place at 10am on Tuesday mornings and, unless otherwise noted, will be repeated following Mincha/Maariv on Tuesday nights.

This Tuesday, July 17th - Kohelet w/ Rav Ezra.

Saturday Night - Sunday, July 21 - 22: Tisha B'Av 5778

Join us for meaningful programming on the fast of Tisha B'Av.

Fast Begins: Sat. night at 8:22pm **Maariv and Eicha:** Sat. night at 9:30pm
Shacharit: Sun. at 8:30am **Mincha:** Sun. at 1:45, 7:35pm
Maariv: Sun. at 8:40pm **Fast Ends:** Sun. at 9:06pm

Youth program Sunday, 8:00am - 12:45pm

Register @ www.thebayit.org/avyouth

For the full schedule of tefillot, shiurim, chesed programs and films and to review the Laws and Customs of the 3 weeks visit www.thebayit.org/tishabav.



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! Visiting students, please mail office@thebayit.org for access code.

Shabbat Classes

8:05am: Midrash Hashavua w/ YM student Livya Tinstit
Immediately After Mussaf - Torah To Go, A weekly brief 15 minute Torah learning w/ Ariel Freidenberg
6:30pm: Listening Room w/ Myra Estelle (Lower Level Beit Midrash)
7:10pm: Parsha Shiur w/ Rav Dan (Sanctuary)
After Mincha at Beth Aharon: Mila baParasha. Basic (and love of) Hebrew is sufficient. (2nd Floor Beit Midrash).

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.

Free Summer Spanish Course for Beginners (Adults)

Wednesdays, July 11th - August 15th at HIR
 10:00am - 12:00pm

For more info please email Rhonda Stock at stockrhonda7@gmail.com.

Happenings @ the Bayit

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

Learning Service with Rav Dan will resume in the fall.

HIR Connect

HIR Connect is a new initiative to connect people in our shul community. With the long summer Shabbat afternoons as well as upcoming Yom Tov afternoons, HIR Connect is looking to connect people who would appreciate the company of others. If you would like to visit people or you would enjoy a Shabbat/Yom Tov visit, please email your interest in participating to: Visits@HIR.org (or call the Shul office, 718-796-4730). Please include your name, phone number and whether you would like to visit people or have people visit you.

Riverdale Mikvah Hours: 718-549-8336

www.riverdalemikvah.com

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

Saturday Night: 9:30pm - 11:00pm.

Sunday - Thursday Night: 8:30pm - 10:45pm.

Keilim Mikvah: 7:00am - 6:00pm.



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.

CSS (Community Security Service)

You've seen the CSS security team in front of the Bayit securing and deterring. Many of you have told us "Thank You" as you enter and leave the Bayit. The best way to say thank you is to join the team.

To volunteer and apply for a future training course please visit <http://lcss.memberlodge.org/> and click on "cadet application."

For any questions write to tzvib@thecss.org.

Food Collection for Tisha B'Av Chesed Project

For this year's Tisha B'Av Chesed project we will be preparing jars with hearty soup mix for the BJCC food pantry. We are collecting donations of different ingredients for this chesed project until July 17th. Please drop-off the following items in the Bayit coatroom: non-MSG soup mix, lentils, split peas, barley, and small elbow pasta. Questions? Contact Yael Oshinsky, Program Associate, at yael@thebayit.org or 718-796-4730 x116.

Tisha B'Av Mincha Prayer Service at Isaiah Wall

Sunday, July 22 - 2:00pm - Isaiah Peace Wall (First Ave. & 43rd St., Opposite UN).

There's so much to pray for this Tisha B'Av. Join us for an outdoor traditional Mincha prayer service led by Rav Avi and make your Tisha B'Av meaningful! Please bring your prayer book; tallis and tefillin if possible.

New Bereavement Group in Riverdale:

Coping with loss and grief can be difficult, challenging, and often isolating and lonely. If you, or someone you know, is interested in joining a bereavement group, please contact Arona Berow, Bayit social worker, at 212-632-4735, or aberow@jbfc.org.

Do you know someone who needs any of the following? Would you like to volunteer for any of these committees?

Meals For Ill Members:

Jackie Binstock: 718-543-9135, jacalyn.binstock@gmail.com

Shiva: Beth Braunstein: braunsteinbeth@gmail.com

Bikur Cholim: Ruth Licht: 718-796-3491, ruth.licht@outlook.com

Meals for New Parents: Shira Billet: sbillet@gmail.com

Meals after Pregnancy Loss: Shira Billet: sbillet@gmail.com

Hospitality and Welcome: welcome@thebayit.org

Bayit Band: Bayitband@hir.org

Green Committee: Ann Rauch, green@hir.org

Child Protection Committee:

Shira Gordon and Ann Lapin, childprotection@thebayit.org

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.

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.

BEYOND THE BAYIT - July 13 - 20, 2018

RIVERDALE Y: 5625 ARLINGTON AVE, BRONX, NY 10471:

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 in Metropolitan New York being formed by adoption. Application deadlines are May 31st and November 30th of every year. For more information please visit www.RiverdaleY.org/SarahLilyFund.

SUMMER OUTDOOR POOL MEMBERSHIP: Memberships are available at the Alderbrook Pool, a unique, peaceful oasis in the heart of Riverdale, now with a newly renovated and expanded deck. 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.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE IN RIVERDALE: Save 10% on NY Auto Insurance for 3 years!!! Reduce up to 4 points on license. When: Wednesday, **7/18/2018** at 6:30pm. Where: THE RIVERDALE MINYAN 4545 Independence Ave, lower entrance. Cost: \$60/person (cash or check). To reserve your spot and for information: 718-339-1300 or haloleasing@aol.com.

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NECHAMA COMFORT: Everyone is invited to join us on Monday **7/23/2018** for our 2nd annual Nechama Comfort dinner honoring the memory of our children and raising funds to support our work. Nechama Comfort is a nonprofit organization that helps families who have experienced infant and pregnancy loss. For more information visit: www.nechamacomfort.org.