



Congregation Bnai Yeshurun Weekly Shabbat Announcements

April 5-12, 2019

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Shabbat Times

זמני שבת

Candle Lighting	7:04 pm	הדלקת נרות
Mincha Only	5:15	מנחה בלבד
Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat <i>NM</i>	6:45	מנחה וקבלת שבת
Carlebach Minyan <i>BM</i>	7:00	מנין ניגוני קרלבך
Mincha & Kabbalat Shabbat <i>OM</i>	7:10	מנחה וקבלת שבת
Moroccan mincha	7:10	מנחה נוסח מורקו

Latest <i>Shema</i>	9:44 am	סוף זמן ק"ש
Hashkama	7:00 am	השכמה
Ashkenaz - <i>Social Hall</i>	8:30	נוסח אשכנז
Sefard - <i>Beis Medrash</i>	8:30	נוסח ספרד
Ashkenaz - <i>New Main</i>	9:00	נוסח אשכנז
Moroccan - <i>Ogden Building</i>	9:00	נוסח מורקו
Ashkenaz - <i>Old Main</i>	9:15	נוסח אשכנז
Teen Minyan - <i>Social Hall</i>	9:00	מנין נועד
Jr. Congregation (<i>SH Stage</i>)	9:25	מנין לכתות ה' וו'
Youth Supervised Play	9:00	גן ילדים
Youth Groups (N-4 th grade)	9:20	כיתות נועד
Mommy & Me - <i>Nursery Wing</i>	10:15	אמהות ותינוקות

Daf Yomi - Manny Adler	7:30 am	דף היומי
Mishna Yomit (Sanhedrin)	6:05 pm	משנה יומית
Ramban al Haparsha - R' Pruzansky	8:15 am	רמב"ן על הפרשה
Gemara Shiur - R' Frank Breslau & Dr. Joey Bench	8:50 am	שיעור בגמרא
Minchas Chinuch - Manny Adler	After Sefard	מנחת חינוך
Rav Kook - Josh Notkin	6:35	שעור רב קוק

Shabbat Mincha	1:45 & 5:30 pm	מנחה
Manny Freed z"l Parent Child Learning	4:45 pm	הורים וילדים
Moroccan Mincha	6:45	מנחה נוסח מורקו
Mincha & Shiur	7:05 pm	מנחה ושיעור הרב
R' Weinberger's shiur, "The Hagaddah Killer" following mincha		
Ma'ariv	8:10	מעריב

Next Shabbat Candles	7:05 & 7:12 pm	הדלקת נרות
Mincha	6:45 & 7:15 pm	שבת מצורע מנחה

March Board Meeting Addresses Rabbinical Contract, Youth Program

At its March 27th monthly meeting, the Board of Directors focused on two primary issues, both of which are deemed to be critical factors in our shul's future success and continued growth: rabbinical leadership and the scope and quality of our youth programming.

In February, our Board of Directors unanimously passed a resolution requesting the Executive Committee to enter into contract negotiations with Rabbi Zahtz. As Rabbi Zahtz explained when he addressed the members last month, he would like to remain on the rabbinical team, but not as the **מרא דאתרא**. With Rabbi Pruzansky's planned departure in mid-2020, the shul's lay leadership wanted to ensure continuity of rabbinic leadership during our selection of a new **מרא דאתרא** and to help his initial orientation and integration into Bnai Yeshurun.

The Executive Committee requested that the Board recommend to the membership a new four-year contract, which represents a three-year extension for Rabbi Zahtz and a title change to Associate Rabbi. The Board of Directors voted to support the recommendation of the Executive Committee. The Board will again review and, ultimately approve the terms of a new contract. The length of the contract is subject to full membership approval.

The entire membership will be asked to approve the contract extension in a three-day online vote during the coming week. Since Rabbi Zahtz still has one year on his current contract, the vote will be to approve Rabbi Zahtz as our Associate Rabbi from August 2019 thru July 2023. The Board urges every member to participate in this important vote.

The Board also heard Vice President Doron Katz present a detailed update on the extensive upgrading of virtually every aspect of our youth programming over the past nine months. Katz began with a brief homage to Rabbi Dovid Kaminetsky a"h, who inspired our youth programs and led our Teen Minyan for so many years. (Bnai Yeshurun will be hosting a community-wide unity Shabbat on June 1st at which time the youth of all our community's shuls will come together in tribute to Rabbi Kaminetsky's legacy.)

When the current shul administration took office ten months ago, they established the objective of making our David Frohlich z"l Youth Department the benchmark towards which other shul youth programs would aspire. Katz described the addition of experienced leadership, improvement in our facilities, enhanced training and recognition of group leaders, new programs for underserved segments of our youth (e.g., a Shabbat morning Mommy and Me program for those too young to attend youth groups, a new *minyan* for 5th and 6th graders under the leadership of Rabbi Ezra Stone (which has quickly grown to an attendance of 50-60 youngsters every Shabbat)). Details of the plan and progress will be included in our upcoming pre-Pesach Bi-Monthly Bulletin.



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Special Events

אירועים מיוחדים

- CBY is proud to participate in Yesh Tikva's Fourth Annual Infertility Awareness Shabbat with over 100 synagogues across the world. This Shabbat aims to give infertility a "voice" and to spread awareness in the Jewish community. Too often, infertility is a silent struggle, such that we may not even be aware when those close to us are suffering. The goal of this campaign is to increase sensitivity towards our fellow Jews who dream of becoming parents. More information is available at YeshTikva.org.

Mazal Tov

מזל טוב

- Ben & Marion Bashist and Evelyn Morris on the birth of a granddaughter, a daughter to Deena & Shelley Morris.
- Beth & David Chesir on the birth of a grandson, a son to Melanie & Evan Chesir of Chashmonaim, Israel.
- Evelyn & Elliot Gellman on the forthcoming marriage of their grandson, Jordan Gellman, to Molly Levi.
- Ann & Nathan Gottlieb on the recent marriage of their grandson, Yisrael Levy to Hadassah Schwartz.
- Sallie & Ernie Levi on the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Molly Levi, to Jordan Gellman.
- Phyllis & Rabbi Michael Miller on the birth of a granddaughter, a daughter, Nesyah, to Nitza & David Jerome, in Efrat, Israel.
- Ruth & Samuel Stern on the birth of a grandson, a son to Shuli & Adam Karoll of Jerusalem.
- Simie & Herb Weinberger on the engagement of their grandson, Ben Rosenberg, to Leora Mehlman of Kew Garden Hills.

Condolences

נחומים

- Esther Berezin on the loss of her beloved father, Samuel Gross a"h.
- Hana Katz on the loss of her beloved brother, Shimon Sack a"h.

CBY Notes

- Anyone interested in giving a Siyum on Erev Pesach should speak to Rabbi Pruzansky
- CBY Annual Shaimos Collection. This Sunday, April 7; 4:00-7:00 pm. Supermarket bag-\$18; Wine box-\$25; Garbage bag-\$40. Payment in cash or check to CBY.
- Monday, April 8th join Rabbi Zahtz and bake your own Shmura Matza at the Streit's Matza Factory in Orangeburg, NY. \$30/person. To sign up visit www.bnaiyeshurun.org/shmura-matza-baking.html.
- The Teaneck Orthodox Retiree Association (TORA) pre-Pesach lunch & lecture in the CBY Social Hall on April 9,

with R' Zev Goldberg. "10 Inspirational Ideas to Share at Your Seder." Lunch at 12:00; lecture at 12:45. Please register at www.bnaiyeshurun.org/tora

- 10th Annual Gala Kiddush Luncheon is Shabbat April 13th. Register & donate at bnaiyeshurun.org/galakiddush. This is a wonderful opportunity for the entire shul to join together and is an extremely important fundraiser for the shul. Please show your Hakarat Hatov by attending & by pledging generously. Please contact Jon Bendavid if you can help with set up, serving or clean up.
- April 13th Rabbi Pruzansky's Shabbat HaGadol Drasha, "Pesach & Questions", following the 6:40 pm mincha. Thank you to the Rosenbaum & Sugarman families for sponsoring.
- Pre Pesach Kashering: Monday, April 15th, 6:00-9:00 pm. This service is for people to kasher their tableware & kiddush cups. Pots, pans, & candlesticks will NOT be kashered.

BNOT

- BNOT's Zimrat Nashim taking place this Shabbat in the Triple Classroom at 5:30 pm.
- Pre-Pesach Boutique will be held this Sunday, April 7th 5:00-9:00 pm. Great gift items available! Please volunteer to help at the boutique contact bnot@bnaiyeshurun.org.

David Frohlich z"l Youth Department

- This week's Tot Shabbat will be led by **Randi Wartelsky**, Shabbat morning at 10:15 am in the Nursery classroom. Play Time until 10:45; 10:45-11:00-Tot Shabbat Program; 11:00 am- Snack.
- There will be a special Dunkin Donuts Rosh Chodesh Kiddush for Jr. Congregation.
- Pre-Pesach Youth Event at Urban Air, for grades K - 6th, on April 14th 9 am-12 pm. \$25 by April 7th/\$30 after. Includes admission, pizza & socks. Reservations required, visit: www.rinat.org/form/youth-pre-pesach-event-2019.html

TEENS

- Teen Kiddush after davening & Seudah Shlisheet following the 7:05 pm mincha this Shabbat.
- The CBY Teens are selling Shmura Matza. Price is \$26.50/lb. Order at www.bnaiyeshurun.org/holidays by **Sunday, April 7th**. Pick-up on Monday, April 15th, 6:30-8:30 pm on the social hall stage. Delivery also on 4/15. Contact Aliza Schachter at alizaschachter@gmail.com.

Online voting on the contract extension for Rabbi Zahtz will take place on April 8th -10th. If you do not receive voting instructions on Monday, please contact the shul office. All full members are encouraged to cast their vote.



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Weekly Davening Schedule

	Sun. April 7	Mon. April 8	Tues. April 9	Wed. April 10	Thu. April 11	Fri. April 12	
Earliest tefillin – 5:35 am Latest Shema – 9:44 am Mincha Gedola - 1:31 pm	ב' ניסן	ג' ניסן	ד' ניסן	ה' ניסן	ו' ניסן	ז' ניסן	
דף היומי	חולין ק"לא	חולין ק"לב	חולין ק"לג	חולין ק"לד	חולין ק"לה	חולין ק"לו	
Daf Yomi	7:00 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	
Shacharit - Old Main		6:05	6:15	6:15	6:05	6:15	שחרית
Shacharit - Beis Medrash	6:25	6:20	6:30	6:30	6:20	6:30	
Shacharit - Old Main	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	7:00	
Shacharit - Beis Medrash		7:20	7:30	7:30	7:20	7:30	
Shacharit - Old Main	8:00 KAVANA	8:00	8:00	8:00	8:00	8:00	
Shacharit - Old Main	9:15	8:50	8:50	8:50	8:50	8:50	
Shacharit – New Main	7:30 8:00 8:50						
Mincha - Beis Medrash	1:45, 4:30 & 6:00 pm	1:45 & 6:00 pm	1:45 & 6:00 pm	1:45 & 6:00 pm	1:45 & 6:00 pm	5:15	מנחה
Mincha - Old Main		7:15 pm	7:15 pm	7:15 pm	7:15 pm		
Mincha – New Main	7:15 pm						
Ma'ariv - Old Main	9:00	9:00	9:00	9:00	9:00		מעריב
Ma'ariv - Beis Medrash	10:01 11:00	10:01 11:00	10:01 11:00	10:01 11:00	10:01 11:00		

*Note the changes in location for the Sunday minyanim.

Beis Medrash Program	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Yitzchak Yaakov Kollel Boker			6:20-7:00 am	6:20-7:00 am		6:20-7:00 am
Daf Yomi	7:00 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am	5:30 am
Mishna Yomit	8:30 am			7:45 am		
R' Zachtz shiur-"Olam Ha'avodah"			9:10-9:20 pm			
Kids Shiur on Melachim	9:30 am					
Daf Yomi B'Halacha Chavurah			8:30 pm			
R' Meir Shalem		9:35-10:45 am				
Night Seder			Open Learning 8-10 pm			
Rav Elkin (Moroccan minyan)		8-9:30 pm				
Hilchos Shabbos -R' Yosef Weinberger		8:30-9 pm				
Rav Goldwicht – Parsha			8:30 pm			
Senior Lunch & Learn				1-2:30 pm		
Rambam's Mishneh Torah – R' Meier				8:15 pm		
Tzurva Merabanah – R' Pruzansky				8:15 pm		
R' Sobolofsky- Halacha				9:15 pm		
Navi Chavurah-R' Schachter-Sefer Shoftim			8:15-9 pm			
Mishna Torah Chavurah-R' Jason Finkelstein			8:15-9 pm			
Parsha with R' Moshe Tzvi Weinberg					8:15 pm	
Semichat Chaver Program-R' Schachter					8:45 pm	
Pearls of Chassidus on the Parsha-R' Jason Finkelstein					9:15 -10 pm	
Parsha & Halacha w/ R' Taubes					10:15 pm	



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Mevarchim HaChodesh

שבת שמיני/פרשת פרה
מברכים החודש

Urban Air Trampoline Park

Sunday, April 14
9am-12pm

Ahavath Torah, Arzei Darom, Beth Aaron, Beth Abraham, Bnai Yeshurun, Keter Torah, Rinat Yisrael & Young Israel Of Teaneck

Invite all children in Kindergarten through 6th grade to a Pre-Pesach Youth program at Urban Air in South Hackensack

\$25 with advance reservations (by April 7)
\$30 per child (after April 7)
Includes admission, socks and pizza lunch

Reservations required; space is limited, so reserve early by visiting:
<https://www.rinat.org/form/youth-pre-pesach-event-2019.html>

CBY PRESENTS

BNOT'S Pre-Pesach Boutique

Sunday, April 7, 2019

CONGREGATION BNAI YESHURUN SOCIAL HALL
641 WEST ENGLEWOOD AVE. • TEANECK, NJ

5:00-9:00 pm

Featuring gift items such as:
HATS • CHILDREN'S/ADULT CLOTHING
JEWELRY • JUDAICA • TABLEWARE • LINENS
BOOKS • TOYS • WIGS
AND MORE...

CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL BNOT@BNAIYESHURUN.ORG



Rabbi Pruzansky giving the Kids' Sunday Morning Shiur in the BM.

WEEKLY KIDS SHIUR - SUNDAYS 9:30 AM
(geared to grades 4 thru 6)

Study *Sefer Melachim* and relive one of the most exciting periods of Jewish History: Dovid HaMelech, Glory of Shlomo HaMelech, Building the *Beit HaMikdash*, Splitting the Kingdom of Israel, Eliyahu HaNavi

Bagels and doughnuts will be served

Taught by Zev Halstuch

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Community Announcements

- The community is invited, this Friday night 4/5, to a Oneg/Tish with the Biale Rebbe at the Levy home, 400 Edgewood Ave at 9:00 pm.
- This Shabbat, at Seuda Shlishit, following Mincha at 6:55pm at Keter Torah, R' Dr. Reuven Mohl, will speak on the new Faith & Freedom Passover Haggadah, which he compiled & edited, taken from the writings of R' Eliezer Berkovits, z"l.
- This coming Sunday, April 7, at 10:30 AM, the BMOB youth department will host an "Exotic Animal Show". The show will take place in the social hall (371 South Prospect Ave.) Cost is \$7 per child.
- Project S.A.R.A.H 13th Annual Breakfast Sunday April 7th, 9:30-11:30 AM at Keter Torah Honorees: Dr. Ephraim & Dr. Chava Casper, R' Menachem & Mrs. Sarah Genack, Mrs. Mandy Richman. Keynote Speaker: Saranne Rothberg - "How to Use Humor, Laughter & Play as Your Personal Stressbusters". The event is free & babysitting & valet parking will be provided. For reservations: www.ProjectSARAH.org.
- Yad Leah MEGA North Jersey Clothing Drive for Israel - Sunday, April 7th. Donate your clothing to needy families in Israel. Boys, Girls, Mens & Womens clothing in EXCELLENT condition is desperately needed. Also collecting gently-used linens, towels, tablecloths, handbags, backpacks, shoes & all outerwear. Suggested Donation: \$36 to help defray shipping & distribution. Ahavath Torah in Englewood 9 am-3 pm; Teaneck Jewish Center 9 am -3 pm; Beth Abraham in Bergenfield, 9 am-3 pm. Questions? info@yadleah.org or 973-955-0861.
- Tomchei Shabbos is collecting 5 pound packages of matzo at 421 Churchill Rd., Teaneck. (porch door)
- Please join the Etzion Foundation Annual Dinner on April 7 at the Grand Hyatt Hotel, celebrating the 50th Year of Yeshivat Har Etzion & the 20th year of Migdal Oz. There will be a special Exhibition & Dinner Program celebrating the Past, Present & Future. There will also be a Conference preceding the dinner, featuring faculty, alumni & alumnae in communal leadership positions. Please go to www.thegushdinner.org to register. For info contact the Etzion office at 212-732-4874 or email usoffice@haretzion.org
- The topic for this week's Shviti seder limud at Beth Aaron is "The Obligation of Simcha on Yom Tov Nights." R' Sason Gabay will lead the shiur & the chabura. The program is held on Sunday mornings in the Beit Midrash, at 9:00 a.m. A light breakfast will be served at 8:45 a.m. For more information contact Mordy Ungar, 201-741-3920, m_ungar2@yahoo.com.
- The Beit Midrash of Teaneck (BMT), located at 70 Sterling Pl., provides an interactive Talmud Torah learning experience for men with flexible schedules on Mondays & Wednesdays between 9:15 a.m. & 12:45 p.m. This week, seder begins at 9:15 am; at 10:00 a.m., R' Ronen Dvash will give a shiur on Gemara Brachot; at 11:00 a.m., R' Steven Weil will discuss: "Anatomy of the World's First BDS Movement" (M), & "The Fascinating World of the Pesach Haggadah" (W); at 12:00, R' Hayyim Angel will give a shiur on Sefer Haggai. Source sheets provided by contacting BMTteaneck@gmail.com
- The Sisterhood of Beth Aaron & Lamdeinu are co-sponsoring a free pre-Pesach shiur with Miriam Krupka Berger on Tuesday, April 9, at 8:00 p.m., in the shul. Her topic will be "The Four Loves of Shir ha-Shirim: Can We Be Friends with God?" The program is open to both men & women. Light refreshments will be served.
- Yeshivat Hesder Sderot dinner on April 10th at Lincoln Square Synagogue, honoring Debby & Mark Teicher. 6:00 pm buffet dinner, 7:30 pm program followed by dessert.
- Donate blood! TABC is hosting a blood drive on Thursday, April 11th from 10:30 am to 4:30 pm. Walk-ins welcome! Kosher snacks for all donors! Please bring ID & eat before donating.
- Rabbi Baruch Simon, Rosh Yeshiva at RIETS, will offer a Pre-Pesach shiur on Thursday, April 11, at 8:15 pm, at Congregation Beth Aaron, when his topic will be "Haggadah Insights: Torah for the Seder."
- For over 88 years, the JBI Library has enabled visually impaired people to participate in the Passover Seder, by providing FREE Large Print Haggadot. If you or someone you know needs a Large Print Haggadah this year, please call JBI toll-free 1-800-999-6476 before April 12 & they will be happy to send you a Large Print Haggadah, completely free of charge. Questions or more info contact 1-800-433-1531 ext. 127.
- The Jewish Community Council of Greater Teaneck invites you to Survivors & Survival, a special observance of Yom Hashoa, on Wednesday, May 1, at 7:30 pm at Teaneck HS, w/speaker Toby Levy. A pre-event reception honoring the survivors will be at 6:00 pm. The names of those who perished will be read aloud. To sponsor, please send your contribution of \$25 or more to Sharon Penkower Kaplan, 534 South Forest Dr., Teaneck. For info, teaneckjomhashoa.org.



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- If you have unwanted seforim sitting at home, The Seforim Guy will pick them up free of charge! Email us your name, address, & ideal pickup time at info@theseforimguy.com or text (201) 207-9968
- Teaneck Bat Mitzvah Dress Gemach-Donate your daughter's dress or gown to our local Bat Mitzvah dress gemach. OR Borrow a dress or gown: choose from a beautiful assortment of lightly worn dresses. Contact Renee S. at: bmdressgmach@gmail.com (in conjunction with Project Ezra)
- Rebbetzin Leah Kohn gives shiur on Mondays at 10:00 am at 1510 Jefferson St. There is no charge, donations to the JRC are appreciated.
- Mrs. Chani Juravel leads a women's chavura on the topic "Bereishis-a Study in Relationships" on Wednesdays at 11:00 am at the Jacoby home, 271 Briarcliffe Road. \$10/class.
- Nitzanei Noam located in Bnai Yeshurun, is accepting applications for its 2-3-year-old summer program. Experienced head counselor, fun junior counselors, outdoor climbing & play area, outdoor water play, dynamic daily programming & learning, music, yoga & more. Hours are 9:00 am-3:00 pm with early drop off & late pick up available. For info www.yeshivatnoam.org, call Morah Joyce Buckman at 201-836-6871, or email her at jbuckman@yeshivatnoam.org
- Ongoing collection of full-size shampoo, conditioner, body wash & bar soap that is distributed to community members in need. Drop off at 578 Grenville Ave. purple box located at the right-side door. For info contact Gila gr5thkid@msn.com.
- Do you know any teenagers who want to make a difference in people's lives? Who want to learn about their Jewish heritage? The Hebrew Home at Riverdale is accepting applications for their L'Dor V'Dor Summer Internship program, from July 1-26, M-F, 9-5 pm. Those who complete all program requirements will receive a \$500 stipend. For info, please call 718.581.1416 or email LDorVDor@hebrewhome.org
- Please RSVP & join us for the following programs at the Federation building, 50 Eisenhower Drive, Paramus: Addressing Anti-Semitism through Education on 5/15, 4:00-6:00 pm and Fight the Scammers: an Intergenerational Seminar on 5/29, 6:30-8:00 pm. Yom HaShoah Commemoration on 5/1 at 6:00 pm at Fair Lawn Jewish Center. Go to www.jfnnj.org to register. Contact Ariella Noveck | Director, JCRC (201) 820-3946.
- Brunch with Alan Dershowitz on Sunday, May 5, 10:00-11:30 am. 9:30 am-Registration & Brunch at The Rockleigh. RSVP & reserve your spot early at jnf.org/nnjbrunch \$54 per person.
- HotShots Sports Camp w/R' Steven Penn & Chaim Sussman. Dir. of Basketball Chad Mekles. Register now for June 24th or Aug 19th. Discounts available & an early bird special. Go to hotshotssportscamp.com.
- Bris Avrohom will once again be hosting Pesach Sedarim for many of the Jewish-Russian families living in the Bergen County areas. There will not be a communal seder in Teaneck, but Pesach Seder meals will be delivered to Teaneck families. There will be communal sedarim in Fairlawn & elsewhere. The participation of the Teaneck Community is helping to underwrite the costs. Please consider being a sponsor at one of the following levels: - Sponsor one family Seder \$54 - Sponsor two family Sedarim \$100 - Event Donor \$180 - Event Patron \$360 - Event Benefactor \$500. Please make checks payable to Bris Avrohom & send them to Joel Strauss, 611 Grenville Avenue, Teaneck, NJ 07666. For more info please contact R' Kanelsky of Bris Avrohom at Rabbi@Brisavrohom.org or 908-289-0770.
- Mental Health & Addiction Symposium: Eliminating Stigma. Sunday, May 5 at Yeshivat He'Atid, 1500 Queen Anne Rd 9:00-11:30 a.m. The keynote address will be delivered by Dr. Norman Blumenthal & Lisa Twerski, LCSW, on stigma, its impact on the community, & ways to combat it. This is an opportunity to participate in several sessions led by professionals on topics including sexual abuse, suicide, vaping, marijuana, mood disorders, peer support, & ways to approach loved ones with concerns. This event is co-sponsored by Communities Confronting Substance Abuse & Refa'enu. For more info: email time2talkaddiction@gmail.com or go to our website www.time2talkaddiction.org, for those who have loved ones affected by addiction or substance abuse. Just a reminder that both CCSA & Refa'enu offer free support groups. Contact dena@refaenu.org for people with mood disorders & their loved ones
- Join the Federation's flag raising programs in honor of Israel's Independence Day! RSVP to DavidS@JFNNJ.org. Thursday, May 9th at 11:30 am Bergen County Administration Building
- New Jersey NCSY will be hosting its Annual Bergen County Scholarship Breakfast on May 12th. This year's honorees are: Debbie & Orin Golubtchik, **Valerie & Etan Mirwis**, Nechama & Steven Pudell, Meredith & Kenny Yager. The event will take place at the home of Horn home, 465 Winthrop Road, Teaneck, at 9:00 am.