Dear Haverim and Haverot,

Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are soon upon us. We look forward to being with all of you to celebrate the Creation of the Universe and the re-creation of ourselves. This process of re-creation is not easy. In modern American parlance re-creation has become recreation, a time to divert ourselves from our occupations. But real recreation should lead to re-creation, the opportunity to take stock of ourselves outside of our daily routines. This is what this holiday season is all about.

Every year we are given new opportunities to re-examine how we are doing as human beings. It’s a simple idea, but not an easy one to implement. How do we go about this process of teshuva, return and recalibration? By now all of us know that in our tradition we use the word **khet**, missing the mark, rather than sin, as a way of understanding what we are aiming for. We want to hit the bull’s eye. We want to get back the trajectory of our lives as far as we can control it.

Rabbi Akiva tells us that hakol tzafui avai hareshut netunah, all is foretold but permission is granted. This is the paradox that we all live with, free-will and determinism. On Rosh Hashanah we are privy to the big picture, the universal laws that govern our existence, the physical constraints that we have as mortals. There is no escape from our ultimate demise, no escape from the tides rushing to the shore, to the gravity that keeps us moored to this planet. On Rosh Hashanah we marvel at the Universe.

During the days leading to Yom Kippur, however, we are granted permission to examine and choose how to navigate our lives. We choose how we relate to each other. We choose how to express our connection to our tradition. We choose to study or not to study. We choose to be conscious of what and how we eat. We choose how to act in the world so that when we make mistakes we take responsibility for those mistakes. We present these errors to our family and neighbors and ask their understanding and pardon. We know deeply within us that true teshuva, as our tradition teaches, has to be more than lip service; that it has to be a re-Creation of our

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behaviors, a commitment not to react to the same situation as we had before.

On Yom Kippur we communally place all of these errors before our Creator, acknowledging that our trespasses insult not only those who are near to us, but effect the balance of the cosmos. On Yom Kippur we are granted an opportunity to reflect together in community on what binds us together, as Jewish human beings. The ritual component of Jewish life is the glue that binds us and on Yom Kippur we also look for a way to re-Create ourselves to the beauty of our traditions.

How do we make these traditions part of our lives and the lives of our children and friends?

Traditions are kept alive by practicing them on a regular basis. It is by adopting these traditions into our lives that we insure that the path of teshuva will be paved with more than good intentions. Through our participation in our TBZ community we bring our Jewish hearts, voices, and actions into the marketplace of ideas. Never has there been a time in Jewish history when our contribution as Jews to our society is more necessary. Never has there been a time when these contributions will be more appreciated. We can no longer afford to be generic. We have a brand name that reverberates far beyond our small numbers. We have a reservoir of wisdom, beauty and knowledge that permits us to face the challenge of re-creating ourselves and the world, if only we can re-Create our deep connections to our core-identities. This is what we will be doing together in this High Holiday season. Good luck to us all.

My family joins me in wishing you a shana tovah umetukah—a good and sweet year; a zis un gezunt yohr—a sweet and healthful year.

May we be inscribed and sealed in the Book of Life.

Reb Moshe

Condolences

- To Enid Shulman on the death of her aunt, Adora Guggenheim.
- To Jenni Seicol on the death of her aunt, Barbara Gordon Spiegel.
- To Eduardo Stern and Sheila Katz on the death of Eduardo’s father, Enrique Stern.
- To Jim and Susan Snider on the death of Jim’s mother, Miriam (Rubin) Snider.
- To Mark Housman on the death of his mother, Charlotte Housman.

May their souls be bound up in the Bonds of Eternal life.

HaMakom yenakhem otam im shear avlei Tziyon vYrushalayim.

Mazel Tov!

- To Ellen Brodsky and Ted Rybeck on the bat mitzvah of their daughter, Emma.
- To Barbara Moss on the engagement of her daughter, Ayesha Cammaerts to Gabe Malseptic.
- To Evelyn Stein-Karchmer and Mauricio Karchmer on the bar mitzvah of their son, Alan.
- To Jonathan Golden and Kim Davidson on their wedding.
- To Zina Pelzman on the birth of her third great-grandchild, Shai Gidon Pelzman.
- To Joe Sousa and Vera Ventura on their wedding.
- To Lisa and Daniel Barrett on the bat mitzvah of their daughter, Sophia.
- To Katie Britton, Allan Telio and big sister Lucy on the birth of a new baby boy, Eli Jaques.
- To Farron and Sue Levy and big sister Ayalah on the birth of a baby girl, Sabina Lea.
- To Audrey and Jack Kadis on the birth of a granddaughter, Beatrice Mae Kadis Neighly.

Welcome to Our New Members!

Isaac Borenstein
Arturo Falck and Julia Freedson
Thank you!

We would like to thank out-going Yeladim Chair, Katherine Gergen-Barnett, LGBT Chairs, Mark Blogier and Lisa Lovett, and Family Table Chair, Maurice Meddoff for their service. We look forward to their continued contributions to TBZ.

Save the Date

Sunday, November 18, 7:00 pm
Interfaith Service in celebration of Thanksgiving
First Parish Church of Brookline
382 Walnut St
Brookline
Co-Presidents' Message
David Cherenson & Jenni Seicol

More than three months have passed since we became Co-Presidents of TBZ. It has been a busy time, with many meetings and phone calls, and even more email! We’ve tried to be at every TBZ event, meeting, or gathering, to really know what is happening. We’ve also been participating steadily in the transition of TBZ from our current governance structure to a new one that will begin in December (you can read much more about that on page 16 of this Koleinu).

It has been a time of learning for us, of listening, of decision-making. We are gradually getting used to how it feels to be in a very public role, where people associate us with what they like at TBZ, and what they don’t, as it should be.

We thought we would take a few moments to let you know what we appreciate about TBZ, what we truly believe has value here, what we are willing to do our best to help sustain and hopefully make better.

For us, it starts with community. The caring and support that people here have and give to each other is what keeps many of us coming back regularly, and volunteering our valuable time. We realize that everyone’s experience is different. Some people feel part of the community very quickly, while others feel that they are on the periphery. We want TBZ to be what you need, to be a place where you can give and receive, and be received, in a way that feels good. Please, if there is something you want, some way that you want to participate or be connected, let someone know—one of us, the Rabbis, the Office. We are here to help you.

We honor the intention that many of us bring to Shabbat, to make it a day when we attempt to allow our best and truest selves to come forth, and just be. It is such a blessing that we have a community of people from such varied Jewish (and non-Jewish) backgrounds, and that we can joyously come together during Shabbat each week—to sing, meditate, learn, discuss, celebrate, grieve and pray.

We appreciate the consciousness and caring many of us have for the world around us outside of TBZ, and our desire to help create a sustainable environment where people can live together in peace.

We feel blessed to be around children, and to see them experience the simple joys of being together, of singing and reflecting, asking questions, learning, and sharing the cycles and milestones of a Jewish life.

Most of all, we are grateful to all of you, for your caring and support, your good wishes, your willingness to help when asked, to praise when pleased, and to forgive when disappointed. We love the strength and tenacity of this community. It has served us well these past thirteen years, and it is our belief and hope that it will continue to do so. In this New Year, we wish you health, happiness, and prosperity, and we thank you for being part of TBZ.

L’Shana Tova,
Jenni & David

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High Holiday Ushering
by Audrey Kadis

If you have attended High Holiday services at TBZ, you know the important role that that ushers play to ensure that services run smoothly and to make congregants and visitors alike feel the friendliness that is such an important part of TBZ. On behalf of the congregation, I am asking you to help during the High Holidays this year. We need ushers for all services so no matter which services you attend, you will be able to find a convenient time to participate. The commitment is 2 hours or less. If you have volunteered in the past, we hope you’ll join us again and if you haven’t volunteered please give it a try since ushering will enrich your High Holidays experience.

To volunteer simply go to http://www.mysignup.com/tbzhighholidayushers and select the time(s), location(s) and role(s) you want.
Message from Rav Claudia

Dear Haverim v’Haverot,

I write this column as I begin my sixth year as rabbi at TBZ. One of my goals during this time has been to develop programming for families and their children. With the help of lay leaders and a shared vision, our community has become a home for many new families with children.

Over the past few years, even if you have not participated in our Yeladim programs, you have certainly heard about them in our weekly announcements. I would like to use this opportunity to share a more detailed description of our vision and our programming.

Due to a large increase in families joining TBZ over the last four years, we have done a lot of thinking about the way we structure these programs. Recently we have decided to change the name from Yeladim (children) to Mishpachot (families). The programs that we create in this context are not just for our children but for all of us - adults and children alike. The new name is a small change that is meant to reflect the larger vision.

As a congregation that values experiential education, all our programs are based on the notion that through deeply experiencing a joyful, living Judaism we will be able to successfully engage both children and adults in Jewish life and community. Instead of compartmentalizing education into a traditional Hebrew School or Family Program model, we believe that every experience at TBZ, whether on Shabbat or holidays, at Torah study or in Beit Rabbaban, is an opportunity to help our members build connections to each other, to TBZ and to engage more deeply in Judaism and Jewish life. Our primary intention is to invite families to be part of the greater TBZ community, creating opportunities for children and parents to learn at levels and moments that suit them.

I would like to share what our Mishpachot program includes, especially for those of you who may not have had the opportunity to participate in much of this programming:

- Shabbat services for children
- Friday night Kabbalat Shabbat service with our neighbors at 1550 Beacon Street (Hebrew Senior Life)
- Friday night dinners
- Family Services with the whole congregation
- Family Holiday programs
- Mitzvah Day
- Holiday Deliveries of packages to our neighbors at 1550 Beacon Street
- A community retreat
- A BBYO chapter for our teenagers
- the Bnei-Mitzvah program
- and last but not least our “Hebrew school” program that we call Beit Rabbaban.

We hope that the sum of all this programming allows for children and families to learn and experience Judaism in a holistic way.

I am also very excited to share with you that we have been selected as a Program Experimentation Project (PEP) by CJP. This means that CJP sees our program as an important and innovative model that other communities can learn from and has provided us with a significant grant that will help us to further develop our programs. I am also delighted to let you know that Suzie Schwartz, who has been the Beit Rabbaban (TBZ’s Hebrew/Religious school) coordinator for the past year, will be working with us at TBZ in a more extensive way. She will continue to be responsible for Beit Rabbaban and for leading Mishpachot Services. In addition she will help us to continue to develop the overall vision and all Mishpachot programming. Suzie is our new “Beit Rabbaban and Mishpachot coordinator” and she can be reached at beitrabbaban@tbzbrookline.org.

It is very exciting to see the growth and changes of our Mishpachot community and programming. TBZ continues to be the inclusive, dynamic congregation whose members are committed to each other, to joyful, participatory worship, and to Torah study, spiritual growth, and the pursuit of social justice. Families with children joining our community have further enhanced the uniqueness of our kehilah. I am grateful to so many members of the congregation, the board and to the past and present Yeladim committee chairs and members for their support, vision and hard work. I can not name every one of the many people that have worked towards these goals, but please know how much I appreciate all of you.

I am also deeply grateful to Reb Moshe for our shared vision in realizing these goals and to the whole TBZ community for trusting us and forgiving any mistakes we have made and will continue to make as we move forward.

I look forward to seeing you all at High Holiday services and throughout the year. My family and I wish you a Shana Tova Umetukah, a year of fulfillment, health and sweetness.

Rav Claudia
Tikkun Olam Group
by Galit Schwartz

Creating Opportunities for TBZ to Make a Difference in the World as a Jewish Community

The TBZ Tikkun Olam Group (or TOG) is excited to prepare for the coming year. Our agenda is packed with ways to make a difference. In 2011-2012, we were involved in several projects related to hunger, from hands-on gardening for food pantries (http://gainingground.org/) and the Walk for Hunger (http://www.projectbread.org) to the Family Table Mitzvah Day and the Global Hunger Shabbat with AJWS (American Jewish World Service). We hope to continue with these endeavors while expanding into other areas of Tikkun Olam, both locally and globally.

In our meetings we grapple with questions of how to make Tikkun Olam an integral part of TBZ. Through learning and discussion our group is developing a shared vision. In the upcoming year, we will be exploring and planning ways to repair the world through Sustainability, Self-Sufficiency, Education, Ethical/Value-Based Choice, Policy/Advocacy, and Economic Justice. This opens up many opportunities.

We welcome all TBZ members to join the TOG meetings. We usually meet every six weeks and there are many ways to become involved. Do you see yourself making a difference in any of these ways? Would you like to join discussions that bring other pursuits to the table?

We have created a Google Group to stay connected. The TBZ Tikkun Olam email group is for members who would like to share information and discussions about events and opportunities for TBZers to be involved in social justice at TBZ and outside TBZ. If you are interested in joining it please e-mail our TOG chair Judy Schechtman at j_schecht@hotmail.com. If you would like to get involved please let us know.

**SAVE THE DATES FOR TIKKUN OLAM EVENTS THIS COMING FALL:**

* **September 15**, TBZ Member Nikki Decter, board member of the Jewish Labor Committee, will speak at Shabbat Services about Labor issues.

* **GBIO** (Greater Boston Interfaith Organization) is organizing a senatorial debate in **October** – we will keep you posted about the date. We hope to have a large TBZ representation.

* **November 2 & 3**: 3rd Global Hunger Shabbat – more details to come.

* We will be planning a TOG half-day retreat in **mid-November** for people to share their vision about Tikkun Olam and TBZ. Stay tuned!

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**Thank you!**

- To Ginni Hamburg for bringing our bulk mail to the Newtonville Post Office.
- To Reb Moshe and Anne Waldoks for lox they provided for the Kiddush IHO the 50th anniversary of Reb Moshe’s bar mitzvah.
- To Sue Goldberg for her donation of wine and grape juice.

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**STAY CONNECTED!**

There are many ways to Stay Connected to TBZ.

**Haverim:** If you are a TBZ member, and you don’t receive our emails, contact the TBZ office and be added to the list. The list is called Haverim, and pertains only to shul-business.

**Kehilla** is a list that is open to everyone—members and non-members. It offers information about TBZ, as well as events in the larger Jewish community, Israeli affairs, and personal postings concerning jobs, recommendations, apartments, etc. It is an open forum, available to anyone who registers with Yahoo Groups. To subscribe, send an email to: TBZ-kehilla-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

**Tikkun Olam**

The TBZ Tikkun Olam email Group (TOG) is for TBZ members who would like to share information and discussion about events and opportunities for TBZers to be involved in social justice both within the shul and in the larger community. To join this group, email Judy Schechtman: j_schecht@hotmail.com

**TBZ Parents**

The goal of this group is to provide an easy way for TBZ families with children to communicate with each other, find out about shul events, let others know about local family-friendly goings on, and discuss issues related to raising Jewish children. Email Jenny Berz to join: jberz@gmail.com

LIKE US on Facebook and invite your friends to do so also. It is a great way to spread the word about everything that is happening at the shul. Look for Temple Beth Zion, Brookline, MA.
News from the Development Committee
Carol Kamin and Sue Kahn, Co-Chairs

Thank You and Looking Forward

Thanks to you for supporting the needs of the TBZ community so generously. As the Development Committee co-chairs, we are so grateful for your support and encouragement. Just over 75% of our members made gifts at some point during the year, which is a new record, and we exceeded our dollar goal, as well.

Our goal for this coming year is for our membership to have 100% of our members participate in making a gift that is personally meaningful. As some of you know, it is the TBZ tradition that no one will ever be turned away from TBZ for financial reasons. Since membership dues and fees cover only 75% of our expenses, it’s critical that everyone gives something. Participating at some level is an opportunity for each of us to affirm and act on our common commitment to strengthen and grow our loving TBZ community.

Our Development Committee is growing and now includes Jane Liebschutz, Marjie Siegel, and Sara Smolover. We are looking forward to the High Holiday season and to the year ahead as a time to talk about how best to build on everything that is good and beautiful about TBZ and we welcome your participation.

Many Thanks,
Carol (carol.kamin@gmail.com)
Sue (susanrkahn223@aol.com)

Simkhat Torah

Monday Evening, Oct 8
6:00 pm Mishpachat Program (see p. 12)
7:00 pm Join us as we UNFURL the ENTIRE TORAH in our sanctuary. We will complete this year’s Torah Cycle and begin the new Torah Cycle once again.
Weather permitting, we will then proceed to our steps and with Torahs held tightly in our arms, dance in the streets to the accompaniment of a KLEZMER BAND.

Tuesday Morning, Oct 9
9:00-10:00 am Shacharit and Hallel
10:00-11:30 am Hakofot led by Reb Ebn Leader
11:30 am until we finish Torah Reading, time for silence, and Mussaf

You will have an opportunity to experience the Hakofot the way they were envisioned in the Mystical Tradition as a meditative and spiritual practice, an ongoing dance that celebrate’s the Jewish people’s relation to Torah.
Rabbi Ebn will again facilitate this process in which the dancing and chanting of Simkhat Torah become a preparation for the central element of the ritual, which is the reading of the last words of Devarim and the first words of Bereshit.

We will chant one song, repeatedly, for each of the seven hakofot, and dedicate each one to a step through the symbolic sequence of the Sefirot, from Hesed through Malkhut.
We dance in a circle, following each other and the Torah.
While this model does not put as much emphasis on the traditionally “fun” aspects of Simkhat Torah, it will hopefully allow for the emergence of another kind of joy and appreciation for the place of Torah in our lives.

Save the Date

High Holiday Prep
Sunday, Sept. 9
2-4:00 pm
Come help with the transformation:
Roll Torahs
Put away Siddurim
Put out Makzorim (High Holiday Prayer Books)
Hang signs
…and more!

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Adult Learning at TBZ
by Reggie Silberberg, chair

As always we had a fruitful year of TBZ adult learning opportunities with an array of eclectic courses taught by our rabbis, Reb Moshe and Rav Claudia, and Rabbis Ebn Leader, Natan Margalit, Or Rose and Meir Sendor as well as our Shabbat morning Torah Study, a Chanting Torah course, the Women’s Study Group, the Women’s Day-Long Retreat and our TBZ Book Club. Our co-sponsored learning initiatives included the Coolidge Corner Me’ah Collaborative; The Three Abrahamic Faiths with Andover Newton Theological School and other local churches; and monthly Shabbat afternoon meditation retreats, a day-long meditation retreat, and our first ever weekend Shabbat meditation retreat in Essex with Nishmat Hayyim: The Jewish Meditation Collaborative of New England.

Now in our preparation to observe High Holy Days with renewed energy that guides us toward Teshuva during the month of Elul, I am reminded of something I recently read by Rabbi Aryeh Ben David in reference to Jewish education, “…Personalizing Jewish wisdom. Bringing Jewish wisdom into our hearts and into our lives. Allowing Jewish wisdom to make us better Jews and transforming us into our best selves. This is the key to our future…”

We plan to have many exciting learning opportunities for the upcoming year. Our rabbis and guest rabbis will teach and we will continue with the TBZ Book Club, Meditation offerings including a second Meditation Shabbat away at Essex, Me’ah, and Shabbat morning Torah Study. As well we will continue with Women’s Study and a second Women’s Day Retreat. We are delighted that a new course offering on Israel, “Engaging Israel: Foundations for A New Relationship” (a program of the Hartman Institute, a collaboration of TBZ, the KI, Temples Sinai and Ohabai Shalom) has been fully subscribed. However, we are forming a waiting list; please sign up if you are interested.

Brookline Community Selikhot
Motzei Shabbat - Saturday evening
September 8, 9:30 pm-1:00 am
at Temple Beth Zion, 1566 Beacon Street

For a soulful beginning to the High Holy Day season, we will join together with other Brookline Jewish communities at TBZ for an evening of engaging learning and inspiring prayer. Please come join us for all or part of the evening.

9:30-11:30 pm: Classes
11:30 pm - 1:00 am: Selikhot service
led by Rabbi Ebn Leader and Becky Wexler

Adult Learning at Family Ed Sukkot
The Holiday of Joy and Vulnerability
with Rabbi Natan Margalit
Sunday, September 30, 10:45 – 11:30 am

We are excited to continue offering adult learning sessions at some of the Family Education programs offered by the Mishpachot Committee on Sunday mornings. These sessions are open to all adults in our community!

TBZ member, Rabbi Natan Margalit, is the founder of Organic Torah, a resource for living wisdom in a complex world. To learn about Organic Torah go to organictorah.org

Faith and Doubt: Towards a Personal Jewish Theology with Reb Moshe
Tuesdays, October 16, 23, 30, & November 6 from 7:00-9:00 pm

During this 4-week discussion/workshop, we will have an opportunity to develop our own personal theologies. We will discuss questions such as: What do we mean when we say God in our siddurim? What is our way of connection to the Divine? And more...

Recommended reading:

- Jewish Theology in Our Time—A New Generation Explores the Foundations and Future of Jewish Belief (Ed. E. Cosgrove, Jewish Lights)
- Radical Judaism -Rethinking God and Tradition (Rabbi Arthur Green, Yale)

Please register by October 9
Women's Study Group  
with Rav Claudia  
Oct 29, Nov 28, Jan 16, Mar 6, Apr 8, May 22

The Women’s Study Group will continue to meet monthly (see dates below) to learn about issues concerning women and gender. This group is open to all women of our congregation. Participants are invited to come to one or all sessions. A theme for the year will be announced shortly as well as sub themes for each meeting. Stay tuned!

Shabbat Afternoon Meditation Retreats  
with Bobbi Isberg & Yoheved Sheila Katz  
Sept 22, Parashat Vayeilech/Shabbat Shuva,  
Oct 27, Parashat Lech-Lecha  
1:30 – 5:30 pm for both retreats

Save the Dates

- **TBZ Adult Learning course with Rav Claudia** (content to be announced soon):  
  Mondays, Nov 26, Dec 3, 10, 17, 7:30 – 9:00 pm

- **Adult Learning Sessions at Family Ed**  
  Sundays, Dec 9, Jan 27, Mar 17, 10:45 – 11:30 am

- **Second Annual TBZ Women’s Day Retreat**  
  Sunday, Feb 10, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

We would love to know what you would enjoy learning so that we may be able to include that in the future. Please contact Reggie Silberberg at tbzadultlearning@gmail.com. In closing, we wish everyone a sweet, sweet Shanah Tovah with many blessings for the new year.

Rosh Hodesh

We are pleased to announce that the Rosh Hodesh group will begin, starting with Rosh Hodesh Heshvan. Our first meeting will be held Sunday, October 21 at TBZ.

We extend an invitation to all TBZ women to attend the first session, which is the only one open to all women without having to make a commitment for the year. After the October session, the group will be closed until next fall.

Group members (new and old) are asked to commit to attend for the entire year, with the understanding that sometimes there are unavoidable conflicts. Your commitment helps to create community, friendship and trust among the participants.

The group meets at TBZ from 7-9:00 pm, on the Sunday evening closest to the Rosh Hodesh date for each month. Each session is co-lead by Rav Claudia and one of the participants. The sessions include a combination of study, ritual, sharing, sometimes creative projects and a lot of singing.

Rosh Hodesh is a special opportunity for women to connect with other women, explore your spiritual path, share experiences, joy and pain, learn, sing and celebrate together in an intimate setting.

The dates for the year are:

- **Heshvan**: October 21  
- **Kislev**: November 11  
- **Tevet**: December 9  
- **Shvat**: January 13  
- **Adar**: Women’s Day Retreat: February 10.  
- **Nisan**: March 10  
- **Iyar**: April 7  
- **Sivan**: May 12  
- **Tamuz**: June 9
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PINAT MISHPACHOT

We have changed our name from Yeladim (children) to Mishpachot (families). For more information about this change, read Rav Claudia’s message on page 5.

We are excited to welcome Jenny Berz who will be joining Evonne Meranus as the new Co-Chair of our Mishpachot Committee. Jenny and her family have been members of TBZ since 2010. She has been actively involved with the Beit Rabban program, which both of her children attend. This past year she initiated a partnership between TBZ and Birthday Wishes, a local non-profit, in order to bring a social justice component to the Beit Rabban program. She looks forward to continuing her work bringing social justice themes and learning to Beit Rabban classrooms, in addition to co-chairing the Mishpachot committee with Evonne. When not at TBZ, Jenny works with children and adults in her clinical psychology practice in Brookline Village.

We would also like to express our gratitude to our out-going Yeladim chair Katherine Gergen-Barnett who has worked diligently these last two years. Katherine’s energy and ideas added so much to the development of both our programming and our community. Katherine will continue to be involved with the Mishpachot Committee and the TBZ community. Thank You Katherine!

New TBZ’s Parents Google Group

We have created a new google group called “TBZ Parents”, to provide an easy way for TBZ families with children to communicate with one another. Whether your child is at Beit Rabban, a Jewish Day School, or not currently in a religious school, you will be able to ask questions about events at TBZ, let others know about local family-friendly events, discuss issues related to raising Jewish children, and more. If you have any questions or would like to join this group, email our Mishpachot Co-Chairs, Jenny Berz (jbberz@gmail.com) or Evonne Meranus (evonnemeranus@comcast.net). We hope you take advantage of this group as a way to keep in touch and continue building connection among ourselves.

September/October Mishpachot Calendar

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Deliveries of Holiday gifts to our neighbors at 1550.
Sunday, September 9, 10:00 am
Meet at the entrance to 1550 Beacon Street.

Simkhat Torah Program for Children
Prior to Service in the Sanctuary

Monday, October 8, 6:00 pm
(service in the sanctuary begins at 7:00 pm)
September-October Special Programs

Join us at TBZ for the 1st Family Ed program of the Year

We will prepare for the Holiday of Sukkot

Sunday, September 30, 10:30am-12:00pm

Light Brunch will be served

We will learn about the mitzvah of “Hachnasat Orchim”, welcoming visitors, and decorate our Sukkah. The activity will include learning with Rabbi Natan Margalit on “Sukkot: The Holiday of Joy and Vulnerability” from 10:45-11:30 am.

TBZ member Rabbi Natan Margalit is the founder of Organic Torah, a resource for living wisdom in a complex world. To learn about Organic Torah go to organictorah.org.

To volunteer with food set-up and clean-up, contact Kathy Kates at kpinklady@yahoo.com.

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Fall/Winter Calendar

(Occasionally there are changes- please check our website for updated information, and to see the calendar for the whole year.)

We will continue to hold bi-monthly Mishpachot Shabbat services: October 13 & 27, November 10, December 8 & 22, January 12 & 26, February 9.

All Tfilot Mishpachot services meet at 11:30 am.

• Efrochim (babies, toddlers, preschoolers and K) led by Suzie Schwartz.
• Ktantanim (grades 1-4) led by Micha Shapiro.
• Bnei Mitzvah (grades 5-7) led by Becky Wexler.

SAVE THESE DATES

• November 17, 11am-12:30 pm: Family Service for the whole community in the Sanctuary
• October 19, November 30, January 4: Early Kabbalat Shabbat Services at 1550 at 5:30 pm (note time change).
• October 19: Early Kabbalat Shabbat Service will be followed by a family dinner at TBZ. Registration required. More information to follow.

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Mishpachot High Holiday Services

Rosh Hashanah Day 1: Monday, Sept. 17
10 am – 11 am Preschool and K (Community Room)
10 am – 11 am Grades 1-4 (3rd flr)
11:30 am – 12:30 pm Grades 5-7 (Community Room)

All Yeladim Services conclude with our children joining the community in the Sanctuary to hear the shofar.

Yom Kippur – Wednesday, September 26
10 am – 11 am Preschool and K (Community Room)
10 am – 11 am Grades 1-4 (3rd flr)
11:30 am – 12:30 pm Grades 5-7 (Community Room)

Babysitting for ages 7 years and under

Rosh Hashanah
Day 1 8:30 am – 11:00am: 11:30 am – 2:30 pm
Day 2 9:00 am – 1:30 pm

Yom Kippur
Kol Nidre 5:45 pm – 7:45 pm; 8:15 pm – 10:15 pm
Yom Kippur All day

SUNDAY & HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

for Efrochim, Ktantanim & Tzeirim (babies-grade 5)

We will continue offering Adult Learning sessions at some of the following Holiday Family Education programs. These sessions are open to ALL ADULTS in our community.

• September 17: Rosh Hashanah Yeladim Services
• September 26: Yom Kippur Yeladim Services
• September 30: 10:30 am -12:00 pm: Sukkot program for families with Adult Learning session
• October 3: 5:30 - 6:30 pm: Potluck in the Sukkah (Beit Rabban)
• October 8: 6:00 pm, before the Community Service: Simkhat Torah program
• November 4: 10:00 am and 1:30 pm Pottery workshop with Sasha
• December 9: 4-6:00 pm Hanukah Party with Adult Learning session
• January 27: 10:30 am -12:00 pm Family Tu B’shvat Seder & with Adult Learning session
• February 24: Purim carnival & Megilah reading for families

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BABYSITTING (children 7 and under, 10:30 am -12:30 pm, 3rd floor)

We will continue offering babysitting during many Shabbat Morning services. These are excellent opportunities for parents who would like to join the Service in the Sanctuary for a longer period of time. Check High Holiday schedule for High Holiday babysitting details.

September 8, 22; October 6, 20; November 3; December 1, 15; January 5, 19; February 2,16
A Time to Birth: Childbirth Education with a Jewish Twist
Co-Sponsored with Congregation Kehillath Israel
Instructor: Rabbi Shira Shazeer
Tuesdays 7:00 - 9:15 pm: 7 meetings
Oct 30, Nov 6, 13, 20 & 27, Dec 4 & 11 at Congregation Kehillath Israel, Brookline
Plus Dec 18, optional 8th session at Mayyim Hayyim
Cost: $180 - Most Insurance companies will reimburse for this

Prepare for the birth of your baby in the context of Jewish Community. Learn about the normal labor and birth process, pain relief and management options, relaxation skills, understanding your options and communicating with your caregiver and your partner. At the same time, explore the themes of childbirth education from a Jewish perspective and discover your personal way to connect with the miracle of birth in a supportive pluralistic environment. By the time your baby arrives, you will have had the chance to create a birth plan and a plan for your baby’s bris or welcoming / naming ceremony that reflects your vision of the family you are building. You will form a mini-community of emerging families to support each other through birth, bris, babies and beyond. You will also have a chance to learn about the local Jewish Community and what it has to offer as you transition to life as a young family. For more details and to register visit http://www.jewishbirthnetwork.com/a-time-to-birth.html.

Rabbi Shira Shazeer is the founder of the Jewish Birth Network, a graduate of the Rabbinical School of Hebrew College, and has trained in Childbirth Education through Childbirth International. She loves planning and facilitating Jewish life-cycle rituals, and has a passion for creating ceremonies that reflect the individuals involved. She sees pregnancy and birth as safe, holy, and powerful moments which, when experienced with presence and intention, transform individuals and couples, launching them into the joys, challenges and responsibilities of parenthood.
### HIGH HOLIDAY SCHEDULE OF SERVICES 5773/2012

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**5:30 pm:** TASHLICH - CLEVELAND CIRCLE RESERVOIR  
(Beacon St opposite the old Water Works building)

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**YIZKOR** 3 pm - 3:30 pm SANCTUARY  
**MINHKHA** 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm SANCTUARY

**STUDY SESSIONS** 4:45 pm – 5:45 pm Location TBA

**NE’ILAH** 6 pm - 7:25 pm The Closing of the Gates, SANCTUARY

**BABYSITTING FOR AGES 7 YEARS AND UNDER (SMALL DINING ROOM)**

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TBZ’s Next Steps: 
Inviting Nominations for 
New At-Large Board Positions

by Evelyn Frankford, Larry Kraus & David Cherenson

This fall, TBZ will take its next steps as we move to a new leadership, Board, and committee structure that provides a strong base for our dynamic community, enhances member participation, and encourages emerging leaders. Our goal is to make it easier to get involved, bring members closer together in a broad range of activities, and provide support through on-going training and team-building.

In our most recent community meeting last spring, we presented and discussed a proposed new set of Bylaws that will provide a structure to achieve these goals. At our late fall community meeting on December 2, 3-5 PM (babysitting provided), we will vote on the proposed new Bylaws and on a slate of Officers and at-large Board members that will carry us through this transition.

We urge you to go to the TBZ website where you will find both the proposed Bylaws and a 1-1/2 page summary of them. You will find the link to these at the center bottom of the Home Page in a pink box (http://www.tbzbrookline.org).

To promote the teamwork we seek, a Board structure has been designed that comprises two co-presidents; five Vice Presidents, each responsible for an operational area (Programming, Ritual Practices, Member Relations, External Relations, and Finance and Administration); and eight at-large members, together responsible for more long-range areas. Under the new Bylaws, a Nominating Committee will function year-round to identify potential new leadership.

As provided for by the proposed Bylaws, we have created a special process to accomplish this transition, including identifying candidates for the new leadership positions. The Co-Presidents, Jenni Seicol and David Cherenson, in consultation with Reb Moshe and Rav Claudia, have identified a roster of Vice Presidents. The process of identifying candidates for the eight at-large Board positions will be led by a Transition Team of the Co-Presidents, plus Larry Kraus and Bobbi Isberg. We invite TBZ members to suggest people they think would be suitable for these new at-large Board positions. If you are interested in being considered, let us know that, too. Nominations from the whole community for the at-large slots will be open through September 15th, by sending an email to nominating@tbzbrookline.org. The Transition Team will make its recommendations to the existing Board for approval, and the community will vote on the proposed slate at the December 2 meeting.

The overall charge to all Officers and Board members is “to oversee and provide substantive leadership...within his or her area of responsibility” and to serve as channels of communication. An essential quality that we seek is the ability to support committee chairs, other project leaders, and members; to help develop the next generation of leadership; and to coordinate with other activities across TBZ. We will be offering Leadership Development/Training to support the people who take on these activities.

The eight at-large Board members will be collectively responsible for four broad areas – Strategic Planning, Leadership Development, Governance/Nominating, and Fundraising. The role of the at-large Board members is to encourage and facilitate the participation of community members in these areas, to provide leadership and coordination in them, and to be a resource to the various committees and groups that are the lifeblood of volunteer activity at TBZ. Terms are two years, with a maximum of two consecutive terms. In this first term only, to stagger the expiration dates, four of the eight positions will be for one year.

Jenni and David, along with the Leadership Development Task Force and the Transition Team, wish everyone Shana Tova and anticipate that this New Year will bring joyful changes to our vibrant community.

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Moving Forward: TBZ’s Timeline

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Fran Shtull Adams
Mrs. Nancy Allmansky
Jerome Avorn & Karen Tucker
Philip Bakalchuk &
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Diane Balser
Richard Bankhead
Dr. Zvi & Kathryn Bareket
Charles & Janice Barquist
Deborah Bennett
Ms. Louise Berenson
Morton Berenson
Ilan & Ilana Bikel
Mark Blogier
Arnold Bornfriend
Mariam Bowen
David Breakstone
Dennis Briskin & Trudy Hartman
Steven & Amy Summit Broder
John Burstein & Molly Silver
The Butcherie
Judith Caplan & James Roberts
Chaverim Shel Shalom
Edward & Ruth Cogen
Debbie Cohen
Howard Cohen & Myra Musicant
Randi Cohen & Bill Coblenz
Naomi Cotter
John & Jane Daniels
Aaron & Janice Darsa
Marie Dieringer
Marcia Drector
Jonathan & Tamar Duke-Cohan
Bernard Dworzman
Jack Elferman & Fern Fisher
David & Jeralyn Ellowitz
Diana Engel
Samuel & Anne Freeh Engel
Neil & Leora Faiber
Susan Farber
Noah Fasten & Phyllis Brawarsky
Joan Fine
Sherry Flashman & Lee Cranberg
Arthur I. Fox
Evelyn Frankford
Arthur & Myrna Freedman
Stanley & Marion Freedman-Gurspan
Bella Freydina
Joan Friedman
Lester Gardner
Jonathan & Lauren Garlick
Andrew H. Goldberg &
    Suzi Wodyslawska
Jonathan Golden & Kim Davidson
Robert H. & Gayle Golden
James Goldman &
    Ronna Tapper-Goldman
Stevan & Nina Goldman
Marcia Goldstein
Rachel Goodman
Hinda Goodstein
Michael & Tania Gray
Alan Greenberg
Rachel Gurvitz
Marie Hermann
Dr. Philip Hershberg
John Higgens & Elizabeth Anderson
Leonard & Barbara Jacobs
Gerald Joseph & Rene Romano
Jack & Audrey Kadis
Tom & Kathy Kates
Paul Katz & Linda Bradt
Maggie Keohan
Adam Kessel & Rachele Rosi-Kessel
Daniel Kirschner & Susan Kahn
Ellen Klapper
Jonathan Klein & Amy Schottenfels
Rabbi Daniel & Jennifer Klein
Douglas & Thalia Krakower
Rav Claudia Kreiman &
    Rabbi Ebn Leader
Lawrence Kraus & Sara Smolover
Sandra Krumsolz
Pnina Lahav
Yana Lapkin
Ruth Leabman
Judah Leblang
Judith Lepor
Lori Levi
Daniel Levitt & Ariadne Valsamis
Steve E. Lewis
Steven & Marilin Miller Lipman
Matthew Lippman &
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Alberta Lipson
Polina Lokshina
Judith Mabel
Mark Magid
Daniel & Beth Silverberg Marx
Rebecca Mautner
Mayor & Bronislava Maystrovsky
Maurice Medoff
Billy Mencow & Amy Mates
Jordan & Evonne Meranus
Gloria Michelson
Alex Milstein & Leeza Kapuler
Sharon Morgenbesser
Barbara Moss
Ora Catering Inc.
Martin & Susan Paley
Lily Pelzman
Zina Pelzman
Inwin & Gloria
    Joan Pless
Bernard A. Plovnick
Isaac & Olga
    Podjarski
Jon Pollack &
    Fiona Epstein
Julie Reuben &
    Lisa Lovett
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• Ellen Brodsky and Ted Rybeck IHO the bat mitzvah of their daughter, Emma.
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• Samuel and Anne Freeh Engel to honor and thank the TBZ community for a year of extraordinary support and loving kindness.
• Jonathan Golden and Kim Davidson IHO their Aufruf.
• Arnold Bornfriend IMO his very dear friend, Jane Dashef Weinstock.
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• Joe Sousa and Vera Ventura IHO their upcoming wedding.
• Diane Balser IHO the yahrzeit of her father, Paul Balser.
• Diane O’Donaghue and Kimbell DiCero IHO their 1st anniversary.
• Barbara and Leonard Jacobs IHO their children and grandchildren.
• Phyllis Brawarsky and Noah Fasten IHO the yahrzeit of Phyllis’ father, Jack Brawarsky.
The High Holiday Season is coming!

Selikhot Service: Sat, Sept. 8 (see p.8)

High Holy Day Prep Day: Sun Sept 9, 2-4pm (see p.7)

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Erev Rosh Hashahah: Sun, Sept 16
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