

# KOL B'NAI AVIV

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# קול בני אביב



## *B'nai Aviv Gala Celebration Honoring Lanee & Lee Friedel Save the Date! Saturday, February 3, 2018*

Please make your plans to attend a very special event at B'nai Aviv as we honor Lanee & Lee Friedel at our Gala on Saturday, February 3, 2018. Our relationship with this incredible couple dates back to the very beginning of B'nai Aviv. This year's Gala will be a true celebration of our past, present and future. As we honor a couple who had the vision and leadership to enable B'nai Aviv to grow and become a beacon of Conservative Judaism, as well as an integral and thriving part of the South Florida Community.

The Gala Celebration is also a chance to take a glimpse into our future and to ask our members and friends to honor the Friedels by helping us build upon their efforts and continue to fulfill our mission.

In addition, to applauding Lanee & Lee, the Gala serves as our major fundraiser for the season. We are planning a few special opportunities to recognize the Friedel's important role in our congregation and the greater South Florida community. An Honor Committee is being formed and we will be creating a Scroll of Honor and a special Tribute Book will be prepared as a memento of this joyous event celebrating the Friedels.

We will also be asking each of you to make a contribution and be as generous as you can be. All gifts will be acknowledged in our Tribute Book and everyone will be recognized for their participation. We will also be holding a Silent Auction at the event, so any donations will be well-appreciated. We are looking for a variety of items including artistic items, sports memorabilia, sporting event tickets and/or vacation getaways. Your generosity helps support the ongoing vital work of our synagogue, sustaining the programs that serve our congregation, and enhancing our relationship with the greater South Florida Jewish community. We are proud of the achievements of B'nai Aviv over the past 29 years and recognize that our impact could not have been possible without your support.

So please, plan on attending the Gala in honor of the Friedels and think about how you would like to participate. We are also inviting you to please be a part of the 2018 B'nai Aviv Gala Committee! We invite you to help plan, execute and be an integral part of our annual Gala.

If you have any questions or suggestions, please e-mail Lara Cohen at [cohen1023@gmail.com](mailto:cohen1023@gmail.com).  
More details coming soon!



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Rachel Willis



## From the desk of Jamie Cohen... Membership V.P.

My name is Jamie Cohen and I am fortunate to be the VP of Membership for this year. My husband, Mitch, and our family have been members of B'nai Aviv for 20 years. Our two boys are alumni of the ECEC, had their Bar Mitzvahs here and participate in our youth programs. It is safe to say that B'nai Aviv is our home away from home!

Last year's board recognized a lack of members at the age of 40 and under. Therefore, a new membership category was created to encourage people and families in this age bracket to become members and enjoy the full benefits of belonging to a Synagogue. At this time, I am happy to report that we have 40 new members that have joined our Kehillah since July 1, 2017! These new members consist of thirteen Under 36 Family memberships, seven Under 36 Single memberships, thirteen Family Memberships, two Single memberships, four Senior Family Memberships and one Seasonal Membership. Welcome to all of our new members!

There are plenty of ways to be involved at B'nai Aviv. We have activities for all ages! Please check out the weekly Enez that is emailed directly to your inbox every Thursday afternoon. Pick any thing that interests you and please join in. It is that easy. We are also looking to start up new clubs or groups that may interest our members. Some ideas are a B'nai Aviv Walking Club, a Young Families Division or a Book Club. If you have any thoughts or questions on how to start something new at B'nai Aviv, please contact me via email at [jamac6@me.com](mailto:jamac6@me.com). I look forward to hearing from you!

L'Shana Tova to our entire membership and hope to see you at our home away from home because

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Membership V.P.

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**Sunday****Monday****Tuesday****Wednesday****Thursday****Friday****Saturday**

# November 2017

**1**

Zumbini 9:30 am

HAZAK Program  
1:00 pm

Torah Talk 12:00 pm

USY 7:00 pm

**2**Hebrew High  
6:30 pmMaking the Leap ;A  
program for 11th &  
12th graders and  
their parents  
7:30 pm**3**ECEC Tot Shabbat &  
Dinner 6:00 pmShabbat Eve  
Services  
6:30 pm**4**Shabbat Services  
9:15 amB'nai Mitzvah of  
Alyssa & Erin  
GreenbaumKadima Late Nite  
8:00pm**5****Daylight Savings  
Time**

Religious School

Mitzvah Meals  
9:30 amECEC Holiday  
Boutique 8:00 am

Chalutzim 11:30 am

**6**Sisterhood  
Game Day  
1:00 pmSisterhood Board  
Meeting 7:00 pmLearn to Read  
Hebrew 7:00 pm**7**Religious School  
4:30 pmRitual Committee  
Meeting 7:00 pmKadima  
6:15 pm**8**

Zumbini 9:30 am

Torah Talk 12:00 pm

USY 7:00 pm

**9**Hebrew High  
6:30 pmStandWithUs  
7:00 pm**10**Shabbat Eve  
Services 6:30 pmGuess Who's Coming  
to Shabbat? 7:30 pm**11**Shabbat Services  
9:15 amB'nai Mitzvah of  
Jolie Cahen &  
Stephanie Tillinger**12**

No Religious School

Social Action Blood  
Drive 9:00 amKadima Basketball  
Tournament 10:30 am**13**Sisterhood Game  
Day 1:00 pmLearn to Read  
Hebrew 7:00 pm**14**

Kadima 6:45 pm

Israel Committee Mtg  
7:00 pmExecutive Committee  
Mtg 7:00 pmSelf Defense Class at  
Premier Martial Arts  
7:00 pm**15**

Zumbini 9:30 am

Torah Talk 12:00 pm

USY 7:00 pm

Gala Committee  
Meeting 7:00 pm**16**Hebrew High  
6:30 pmSisterhood Speaker  
"What Women Need  
to Know" 7:00 pm**17**Shabbat Eve  
Services  
6:30 pm**18**Shabbat Services  
9:15 amBat Mitzvah of Alana  
Doobrow

Goldberg Baby Naming

USY All-Nighter  
7:00 pm**19**

Religious School

Bar Mitzvah of Sam  
Rothbard

Chalutzim 11:30 am

USY Basketball  
Tournament 11:30 am**20**Sisterhood Game  
Day 1:00 pmLearn to Read  
Hebrew 7:00 pm**21**

No Religious School

**22**

No Torah Talk

USY + Kadima  
7:00 pm**23**Thanksgiving Day  
Office Closed**24**

Office Closed

Shabbat Eve Services  
6:30 pm**25**Shabbat Services  
9:15 am**26**

No Religious School

**27**Sisterhood Game  
Day 1:00 pmLearn to Read  
Hebrew 7:00 pm**28**Religious School  
4:30 pmKadima Board  
Meeting 6:45 pm**29**Business Networking  
Meeting 8:15 am

Torah Talk 12:00 pm

USY 7:00 pm

Board Meeting  
7:00 pm**30**Hebrew High  
6:30 pm





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December 12, 2017  
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## *From the desk of Rich Cohen, President*

Our secular calendar tells us that this month we celebrate Thanksgiving. It is a great holiday as we get to be together with family and friends and eat good food. Sounds familiar? As Jews, we celebrate many Jewish holidays where we give thanks for what we have and for the people we get to share our time with and have fantastic meals.

At B'nai Aviv, we want to celebrate with you every month, week and day of the year. Our focus is you and in making our community stronger, more vibrant and dedicated to our Judaic values. The blessing of "just being together" is huge as there are places where that is not possible. It is something we cannot, and should not take for granted. We must do what we can to make it last for generations. Our family of congregants needs the support of each of us every day, in times of simcha and in times of stress. We must be there for each other.

On behalf of our Board of Directors, I thank you for all of your giving during the past year and look forward to your participation as we continue to celebrate our lives together. This is your community. Your caring for each other and your participation in your own meaningful way will guarantee that we have many more events to share together. It is up to each of us to volunteer, donate and get more involved. Tell us what you would like to do, and we will do it together. I promise you that the benefits to all of us will exceed your efforts.

B' shalom,

*Rich Cohen,*

President, B'nai Aviv

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**Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup>**

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Children *under age 13*

**Shabbat Services: 6:15 pm**

**Shabbat Dinner: 7:30 pm**

**Adults: \$36.00 per person**

**Children ages 3-13: \$20.00**

*Children under age 3: free*

*Please return this form to the office with payment by November 24<sup>th</sup>*

Names of all attendees: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of adults (\$36 pp): \_\_\_\_\_ Number of children (\$20 pp): \_\_\_\_\_

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Dear B'nai Aviv Families,

We know you are all beginning to think about the Holidays, and believe it or not, Hanukkah is almost here.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind you about JAFCO (Jewish Adoption and Foster Care Options). JAFCO is an organization that is specifically designed to support Jewish children in the foster care system. There are many people who may be surprised at the large amount of Jewish children who are in foster care in Broward County. Make a child's dream come true!

Look for the **Dreidel of Dreams** in the lobby. Take a paper dreidel and purchase the item that is written on it. Return the purchased item (unwrapped) to the synagogue office by

**Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>**

All purchased items will be delivered to JAFCO in time for Hanukkah.

For more information please contact  
JAFCO representatives

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# October & November B'nai Mitzvahs



**Jonathan Cohen was called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on October 28, 2017.** Jonathan celebrated this very special day with his parents, Taly and Baruch, his sisters, Inbar and Adi, his grandparents Tamy and David Keinan, his aunt and uncle Sarit and Matthew Klein together with their children and the relatives and many friends that came from near and far. Jonathan is an eighth grade student at Falcon Cove Middle School enrolled in the Gifted Program. In his free time, he loves to play basketball and football, spend time with his friends, and relax at home playing his video games. We wish to thank Rabbi Watstein, Cantor Lieberman and Sol Hettena for their support, patience, and guidance in making this journey such a rewarding and memorable experience. We are so proud of Jonathan for all of his accomplishments so far, and know he is destined for a wonderful future ahead. Mazel Tov Jonathan. We love you very much!

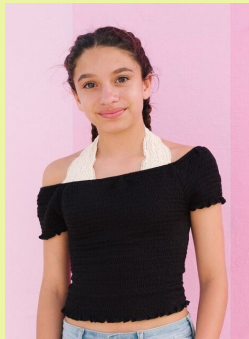


**Aaron Tavalacci was called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah October 28, 2017.** Aaron is a 7th grade student at the Posnack School. He enjoys video games, reading, and playing the guitar. Aaron is excited to share his Mitzvah Project with his good friend, Sam Rotbard. Together, Aaron and Sam are raising money and awareness for Together We Rise, an organization that helps children moving into the foster care system.



**Noah Reed Solomon was called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017.** Noah was surrounded by the love of his family including his parents, Eric and Meri; brothers, Drew and Jacob; grandparents, Nana and Papa Bob Glick, Papa Ronnie and Grandma April; Uncle Comie and Aunt YeaYea, Uncle Rick and Aunt Ronni; and first cousins, Brobro, Morgs, Becca, and Sammy. Additionally, the Weston Kibbutz, family from the West Coast to the East Coast, and many more special family and friends helped celebrate Noah's commitment to his faith.

Our family is honored to be a part of B'nai Aviv and all that our Synagogue has to offer. We are especially thankful for all of the support Noah has received in this journey. We are grateful for the guidance we've received from Rabbi Adam, Cantor Bill, Sol Hettena, the ECEC and religious school teachers, Todd Morchelies and the amazing office staff.

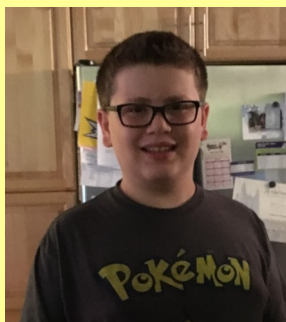


**Alyssa and Erin Greenbaum will be called to the Torah as B'nai Mitzvah on November 4, 2017.** We are so proud of Alyssa and Erin as they become b'not mitzvah. The girls have grown up at B'nai Aviv. They started here in the 2's class and continued through the preschool and the religious school. They are active in the youth group and enjoy all events and youth conferences. The girls currently attend Falcon Cove middle school where they are both honor students.

What is so special about Erin and Alyssa are their personalities. They are both very outgoing and people gravitate towards them. They are great friends and sisters to their siblings. They celebrate their simcha with their parents, Shareen and David, their siblings Noah and Danielle and their grandparents Bela and Ben and Shelly and Edward.

We know that with such a strong understanding of their Jewish identity Erin and Alyssa will continue to make their family and their Jewish community proud for years to come.





**Samuel Rothbard will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Sunday, November 19, Rosh Chodesh Kislev.** Sharing in this simcha will be his parents, Nancy and Len Rothbard, his grandparents Sanford and Sharon Rothbard, Jane and Art Adler, and many other friends and family from near and far. Sam is an 8th Grade Honor Student at Tequesta Trace Middle School.

He loves reading, his dog Benji, digital technology, and a good joke. We would like to express our gratitude to Rabbi Watstein, Cantor Lieberman, Laurie Kandel, and all of the excellent teachers at B'nai Aviv who have guided Sam along this journey.



**Jolie Michele Cahen will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on November 11th, 2017.** She will be sharing this special day with her parents, Charlene and Bryan Cahen, her brother, Ian Cahen, her grandparents Norma & Howie Cahen and Bernice & Jay Swartz; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. Jolie is a 7<sup>th</sup> grade student at Falcon Cove Middle School in Weston. Her hobbies include cooking and baking.

For Jolie's Mitzvah project, she is collecting items and supplies for a non- profit organization that she wants to start called Cups For Kids. Even though Jolie isn't old enough yet, it will be a way that she can make kids in hospitals or kids that don't have a forever home smile. Jolie has a box in the front of the temple with papers that say what is needed. If you can donate please do!

We would like to express our appreciation to Rabbi Watstein, Cantor Lieberman, and Sol Hettena for all of their support and guidance as Ian becomes a Bar Mitzvah. We are very proud of Jolie on her special day.

Scenes from  
**Party in the Hut**  
Sponsored by  
the B'nai Aviv  
Men's Club  
Saturday,  
October 7th





## From the desk of...

### Mindy Bernstein, ECEC Director



We are off to a great start and we are Full STEAM Ahead! Now that we learned all about the holidays, we continue to learn and have fun with all our activities.

It is always amazing to watch children as they make new friends. Our preschool students are so open and welcoming to new children that it really touches the heart. They embody the spirit of “b'ruchim habaim,” welcoming.

Our infant program is sold out and we have beautiful 3 month olds to love, nurture and watch them grow here. The children are enjoying our new Science STEAM curriculum and activities. We added Hebrew gardening along with learning about Tikun Olam to our curriculum this year. We have planted cucumbers and tomatoes. The children are enjoying watering the vegetables and watching them grow.

Come join us for our new Saturday ShabbatTot Together program once a month. We will enjoy our Shabbat spirit together with our youngest children (ages 2-7). The next one is October 28 followed by November 18 from 10:30 – 11:15 am located here in our ECEC wing.

I wanted to say a special thank you to the Parent Committee for continuing to work so diligently to improve our ECEC and volunteering their time for the children and the staff.

*B' Shalom! Mindy*





# Family & Friendsgiving

A B'nai Aviv ECEC & B'nai Aviv Young Families Committee Event

Please join Us for an Outdoor celebration on  
Sunday, November 19, 2017 from 4pm-6pm.

We will celebrate on the field outside  
the B'nai Aviv Early Childhood Education Center.

Enjoy a catered, Kosher Thanksgiving feast,  
as well as fun games and activities.

Price is \$36 per family of up to five.  
\$12 per additional person.



Please RSVP to [ECEC@BnaiAviv.org](mailto:ECEC@BnaiAviv.org) or via  
the Family&Friendsgiving Event Page on Facebook.  
Please cut and return the bottom portion of this  
flyer to the ECEC Office with your payment.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #/ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# of people attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# FUNdraising Friday

## Introducing our First FUNdraising Friday!

Shop and Support the B'nai Aviv Early Childhood Education Center!  
The B'nai Aviv ECEC will be showcasing locally made products throughout the year. A portion of the proceeds raised on each FUNdraising Friday will be donated to the B'nai Aviv ECEC.  
(All proceeds from PTO Bake Sales will benefit the ECEC).

The first FUNdraising Friday will take place on:

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Complete this form and return with payment to the ECEC Office to pre-order your cookies.  
Cookies will go home with your child on November 17, 2017.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# of Cookies: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_







## From the desk of Eliot Tillinger... Religious School Director

Although the hurricane presented some unique challenges, our religious school staff and students picked up right where they left off. They continued seamlessly through beautifully taught high holiday lessons that ensured every age classroom was able to nicely participate in our Junior Congregation.

Our religious school now has room parents for each grade level classroom; sincere thanks to Michelle Diamond, one of our parent volunteers, for facilitating the volunteer parents. The added support will result in enhanced communications and family participation for our inclusive events.

Our newest program, called Stay and Schmooze, provides a wonderful opportunity for our religious school families to get to know each other better in a friendly atmosphere, while enjoying a fresh bagel, coffee and tea. When dropping off your children for Sunday classes, come inside and enjoy the warmth and company of many other families. Our next Stay and Schmooze is scheduled for **Sunday, December 3rd**, we hope you will join us.

We are excited that Cantor Lieberman began working closely with our sixth grade students, providing enriched alignment of our school's intermediate grades curriculum. We are already preparing for our annual Chanukah celebration party. The first night of Chanukah falls on a religious school day, **Tuesday, December 12th**. We will host a super celebration for our entire congregation, including a live DJ and MC with dancing, fresh hot latkes for all, make your own ice cream sundaes, dreidel games, children's activities centers and a custom hand made Chanukah menorah contest with prizes awarded for creativity and uniqueness. As our classrooms begin their student projects, volunteers will soon be needed to assist students.

The inaugural Shabbos Squad was a tremendous success; all of the children were wonderfully engaged in a Shabbat service led by our USY President, Ethan Lieberman. Students were excited throughout and Rabbi Watstein's participation further inspired everyone. The next Shabbos Squad is scheduled for **Saturday, November 18th at 10:15 am**. Make plans now to join us for an awesomely rewarding Shabbat experience! Thank you to all of our parents and families who volunteer, both on and off campus; your support enhances the success of all of our religious school students.

*B'Shalom, Eliot*

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monthly program,  
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## From the desk of Todd Morchelies .... Youth Director

Happy November!

These past couple of months have been very eventful. Of course, things got a late start due to hurricane Irma, but everyone has jumped back in and we are having a blast.

In October, B'nai Aviv USY and 8th Graders hosted the SATO Sunday event, a Silent Disco for the entire sub-region and everyone had an amazing time. We were able to raise a lot of money for Tikun Olam and we collected loads of socks for the homeless.

In November, Kadima and USY will be joining the rest of the sub-region on the night before Thanksgiving going to The Ninja Lounge. This is going to be a lot of fun and we encourage everyone to attend.

Shabbos Squad with the USYers is off to an amazing start. Please join us on select Shabbat mornings for an amazing Shabbat experience and fun for kids, by kids. On **Saturday night, December 16th** the Youth Commission and USY will be running a unique fundraising event for the David Lindenbaum Scholarship Fund; an adult Casino Night. Sponsorships are available and we are looking to raise maximum funds at this event.

For more information regarding any of our youth programs, please contact me at [todd@bnaiviv.org](mailto:todd@bnaiviv.org) or visit our youth website at [www.bausybees.com](http://www.bausybees.com).

*B'Shalom Todd Morchelies*



PHOTOGRAPHY



# **Kadima Basketball Tournament**

**Sunday,  
November 12<sup>th</sup>  
10:30<sup>am</sup>**

**Double Elimination**

**Entry Fee: \$25**  
*(includes lunch and team shirt)*

**Evaluation Dates:  
October 29<sup>th</sup>  
or November 5<sup>th</sup>**  
*(You only need to attend one date)*

**11:30<sup>am</sup> - 12:30<sup>pm</sup>**

**Please register by October 24<sup>th</sup>  
at [www.bausybees.com](http://www.bausybees.com)  
Open to both boys and girls.**



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**CASINO NIGHT**

**Saturday, 12.16.17 at 8pm**

**Admission \$36 per person**

◆ \$25 in casino chips ◆ Light appetizers ♥ Lavish dessert buffet ◆ 1st drink free ■ Silent auction

♠ ♦ **CASINO NIGHT** ♥ ♣  
Saturday, December 16, 2017 at 8pm  
AT B'NAI AVIV

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High Roller	16 tickets, Event Sponsor	\$1800
All or Nothing	8 tickets, Prize Table or Bar Table Sponsor	\$540
Royal Flush	4 tickets, Black Jack or Poker Table Sponsor	\$250
Black Jack	2 tickets, Name Recognition	\$180
Double Down	1 ticket, Name Recognition	\$72
General Admission	1 ticket	\$36

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*To RSVP by December 6, 2017 or to make a donation  
Please visit [www.bausybees.weebly.com/casino](http://www.bausybees.weebly.com/casino)*

*All proceeds to benefit*  
**THE DAVID LINDENBAUM  
YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP FUND**



## FROM THE DESK OF...

**CORINNA BLACK-KUSHNER, SISTERHOOD PRESIDENT**

Now that the holidays and hurricanes are behind us, Sisterhood is back of track focusing on providing great programs and events for all of our members. We began the year with our private tour of the Craig and Barbara Weiner Holocaust Reflection and Resource Room at Nova's Holocaust library. This was an opportunity for us to take our knowledge about the holocaust to a whole new level. I urge anyone who hasn't been to definitely check it out, it is quite powerful. On a much lighter note- we finally had our long awaited comedy kickoff. We had so many wonderful women at this event, with a whole lot of laughs, good food and fun- it was a huge

success and provide for some much needed stress relief. If you missed either of these events, not to worry- we have many more opportunities for you to get involved.

Our Monday game days have become very popular. We have decided to extend our schedule through the end of the year. Whether you have a group or want to join in one- whatever your game, you are welcome to join us every Monday from 1-4. For more information contact Carol Brown at [caroljgb@yahoo.com](mailto:caroljgb@yahoo.com).

Our next event will be November 16th @7pm. This is the first lecture in our women's education series. The event is sponsored by Vitas and presented by Esther Cohen. She will show a short film called "Being Mortal- It starts with a conversation," which is based on the bestselling book. The discussion after will focus on the realities of aging and how to break the barriers of conversation. This is open to the entire congregation and community.

On December 3, 6 & 7, we will be having a girl's day (or night) at Painting Fiesta. The pictures we paint are Hanukkah themed and each date offers a different picture to paint. Join us for any or all of the days.

We are looking for volunteers that would like to bake for our weekly Onegs. If you would like to get involved please contact Louise Allen [louisejfl@gmail.com](mailto:louisejfl@gmail.com). No experience necessary!

We are looking for dinner hosts for our January 20th annual Progressive dinner. If you are interested in the hugely popular event please contact Dana Isbitts at [danaaisbitts@gmail.com](mailto:danaaisbitts@gmail.com) or Lisa Rosenberg @[dlsrosen@hotmail.com](mailto:dlsrosen@hotmail.com)

I encourage all B'nai Aviv women to join our Sisterhood and help support and strengthen our Synagogue.

**Next board meeting is NOVEMBER 6 @ 7pm!!!!**

*B'Shalom, Corinna Black- Kushner*

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE SISTERHOOD EVENTS!

Thursday, November 16th - "What Women Need To Know" Speaker Series Part I  
"Being mortal- understanding end of life needs"

December (3,6 & 7)- painting party (space is limited)

Saturday, January 20th - Progressive Dinner (looking for host volunteers)

Thursday, February 22nd - Color War game night

Sunday, February 25th - Purim basket assembly

Thursday, March 15th - "What women need to know" Speaker Series Part III

Saturday, April 14th - Draw down party; A Limited Raffle Event

Friday, May 18th -Saturday, May 19th - Sisterhood Shabbat

Sisterhood board meetings are:

November 6th, December 4th, January 8th, February 5th, March 5th, April 9th, May 7th  
(subject to change)





The B'nai Aviv Sisterhood  
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VITAS Healthcare presents

# Being Mortal

## It Starts With a Conversation

*Based on the Emmy-winning PBS documentary  
based on the book by Dr. Atul Gawande*



Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup>  
at 7:00 pm

Come join us for this short video presentation and  
round table discussion about the realities of aging,  
and the barriers to end of life conversations.



Moderated by Esther Cohen,  
VITAS Jewish Community Liaison

*Light refreshments will be served.  
Please RSVP to [sisterhood@bnaiaviv.org](mailto:sisterhood@bnaiaviv.org)*



## B'nai Aviv Sisterhood invites you to unleash your inner Picasso...



Join us at Painting Fiesta  
in Weston ~ \$40 per person

Please RSVP by event date to  
[sisterhood@bnaiviv.org](mailto:sisterhood@bnaiviv.org) by  
November 20, 2017

Paint the Dreidels  
Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1:00 pm

Paint the Menorah  
Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

Paint the Hamsa  
Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm

*Light refreshments will be served. Class size is limited.  
If you have any questions please contact carol brown [caroljgb@yahoo.com](mailto:caroljgb@yahoo.com).*



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# *Save the Date*

*The Sisterhood of B'nai Aviv invites you to the  
2018 Progressive Dinner*

*Saturday, January 20th at 7 pm.*

*Registration dates and instructions to follow.*

*Questions can be directed to:*

*Dana Isbitts  
danaisbitts@gmail.com*

*Lisa Rosenberg  
dlsrrosen@hotmail.com*

# 2018 NATIONAL MAH JONGG LEAGUE CARDS!



Help B'nai Aviv Sisterhood raise money and order your 2018 Mah Jongg card.

1. NMJL price: \$8.00 for standard print. \$9.00 for large print.
2. The cost is same as if bought directly from National MJ League or a store.
3. You will receive your card directly from the National Mah Jongg League.
4. You will get your card as soon as they print and mail them. (Late March)
5. Sisterhood receives a donation back from the Mah Jongg League!!!

Deliver the completed form along with payment to B'nai Aviv or email your form to  
Debbie Freedman at [debtfreed1@aol.com](mailto:debtfreed1@aol.com)

If you Email the form to Debbie, please mail in your payment to Sisterhood at B'nai Aviv  
1410 Indian Trace, Weston FL 33326

Check payable to B'nai Aviv SISTERHOOD or cash only. Sorry, NO CREDIT CARDS

Please take orders from your Mah Jongg friends who may not be members!

## DEADLINE TO ORDER: JANUARY 19, 2018

Please complete the information below for EACH person ordering card.  
Cards will be mailed to each person, so we need each person's COMPLETE address.  
(Print as many copies of the form as you need)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

QUANTITY: \_\_\_\_\_ Standard Print @ \$8.00 each \_\_\_\_\_ Large Print @ \$9 each \_\_\_\_\_



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# **Hazak December**

**Dinner &  
Musical Entertainment**

**by Andy Susman**

***Wednesday,  
December 6<sup>th</sup>  
at 5:00 pm***

**Catered Kosher Dinner: Tossed Salad, Roast Chicken,  
Sweet and Sour Meatballs, Green Beans, Noodle Kugel  
& Delicious Dessert**

\$20 per person- Reservations due by November 27th

Submit your check payable to B'nai Aviv to the office.

*Please indicate Hazak dinner on check.*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Number Attending \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_





1  
Gary Bell  
JoAnne Lieberman

2  
Alberto Bejar  
Jody Horwitz  
Richard Kardon  
Helene Lieberman  
Richard Orlan  
Israel Pressman  
Deborah Weston

3  
Lauren Alperstein

4  
Tammy Fayne  
Ethel Ginsburg  
Jill Margulies  
Paula Udell

5  
Jenee Evans  
Erica Friedland  
Shirley Golen  
Myrna Hert

6  
David Eiglarsh  
Matthew Soff

7  
Avriel Cohen  
Baruch Cohen  
Steven Fayne

8  
Jay Cohen  
Jerry Zaks

9  
Jamie Cohen  
Kevin Perry

10  
Elaine Blattner  
John Flint  
Linda Kaner  
Norman Krameisen  
Shelly Mishal  
Mandana Rostamian

11  
Annette Gutt  
Brenda Horowitz  
Rica Leibowich  
Annette Miller

12  
Eva Mishkoff  
Ena Rottblatt  
Sheri Schour

13  
Raquel Baumgartner  
Jill Garcia

14  
Howard Samson

15  
Reba Amdur  
Brian Gavsie  
Marci Gelman

16  
Joseph Lipsky

17  
Marisel Alhadeff  
Hal Etkin

19  
Jason Chandler  
Steven Enfield  
Jared Gamberg  
Marc Miller  
Belinda Reitman

20  
David Gilden  
Julius Ramo  
Debbie Rosenberg  
Lisa Samuels

21  
Benita Ross  
Donna Schwartz  
Paula Schwartz

22  
Larry Jaffe  
Arlene Levy  
Stephen Rottblatt  
Carolyn Shapir  
Yelena Tacher  
Rena Wasserman

23  
Karen Benson  
Manuel Diner  
Marjorie Sachs

24  
Terry Berger  
Mary-Ellen Spiewak

25  
Marie Nirenberg

27  
Barry Freeman  
Tom Pelegrin

28  
Jeff Dinetz  
Geraldyn Elam-Epstein

29  
Leah Daub  
Robyn Metz  
Jeffrey Sandler

1  
Emmanuel & Isabel Herzog

2  
Grant & Jamie Horwitz  
Lawrence & Belinda Reitman

3  
Michael & Jennifer Salad  
Thomas & Jody Vitucci

4  
Andrew & Jennifer Douglas

5  
Boris & Vicki Kushnir  
Jonathan & Carolyn Shapir

6  
Marc Borem & Karen Borushok  
Eric & Deana Feingold

7  
Eli & Linda Bick  
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8  
Roy & Ellen Oppenheim  
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Mark & Rhonda Siegel  
Clive & Linda Verblow

9  
Ken & Erica Gardner

10  
Aaron & Jaclyn Behar  
Troy & Tammy Modlin

11  
Andrew & Susan Brody

12  
Mark & Jill Margulies

13  
Steven & Suzanne Brenners  
Ray & Frieda Caldes  
Paul & Paula Udell

15  
Sanford & Carmen Reinhard  
Bruce & Joanne Roberts

16  
Alan & Allison Koplo

17  
Frederick & Minette Herman

18  
Adam & Leslie Levinson



19  
Skip & Heidi Klauber

23  
Manuel & Eileen Higer  
Frank & Sharon Lerner  
Ariel & Evelyn Segall

25  
Sanford & Sharon Rothbard

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Stuart & Raquel Belfer  
Scott & Esther Cohen

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David & Judy Appel

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Jack & Niva Alboukrek  
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29  
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*"The Greatest Mitzvah is Tzedakah"*  
~Talmud~

***Donations Received September 28, 2017 - October 26, 2017***

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**Happy Birthday to:**

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Steven & Faye Schachter

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Benson Rakusin & Ingrid Fils Rakusin

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**In Memory of:**

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Alan Schuh

**Carol Chermak, beloved mother**  
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**Fred Koran, beloved father**  
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**Lida Klasner, beloved mother**  
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Eleanor Morris

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Merna Gross

**David Raps, beloved husband**  
Mildred Raps

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## Yahrzeit Fund (Continued from page 24)

**Dale Vinicur, beloved step-daughter**  
Miriam Vinicur

**Anna Vinicur, beloved mother-in-law**  
Miriam Vinicur

**beloved Harold Vinicur**  
Miriam Vinicur

**Philip Vinicur, beloved husband**  
Miriam Vinicur

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Phyllis Millman

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**Be a Kiddush Sponsor** We invite you to **Sponsor our Weekly Shabbat Kiddush**  
**Birthday? Anniversary? Upcoming Wedding?**

Celebrate by being a co-sponsor of our weekly Kiddush on Shabbat morning after services.  
Please call the office for more information or to reserve your date.

**954-384-8265**



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Friday evening	6:30 pm
Saturday morning	9:15 am
Sunday morning	9:00 am

**Daily Morning Minyan at B'nai Aviv**  
Monday-Friday 7:30 am

**Daily Minyan at Posnack JCC**  
Monday-Thursday Evenings 7:30 pm  
Sunday Mornings 8:30 am

### You Can Have an Aliyah on Shabbat in honor of your birthday!

Although there is usually a  
Bar or Bat Mitzvah each Shabbat, the first  
Aliyah is always reserved  
for the congregation.

If you would like this Aliyah, please call the  
synagogue office two to three weeks prior to  
the requested date.



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**Monday-Thursday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm**  
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### B'nai Aviv Mission Statement:

B'nai Aviv is dedicated to serving and nurturing the spiritual, educational, cultural and social needs of its members in an egalitarian environment framed by Conservative Judaism.

Our synagogue is committed to providing these services in an atmosphere of warmth and mutual caring within a congregational family who share a deep-felt desire to promote and ensure the continuity of Jewish life, to perform tzedakah, and to support the State of Israel and the United States of America.