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CONGREGATION RODEF SHOLOM

"Congregation Rodef Sholom is a Reform congregation. We exist for our members and the greater community, respecting their diversity and wide range of beliefs, backgrounds, lifestyles, and needs."

Established May 12, 1867

Upcoming Events:

June

Board of Trustees Meeting
Wednesday, June 10, 2020
6:45 pm

Father's Day
Sunday, June 21, 2020

July

Rabbi Winnig begins as Interim Rabbi
Wednesday, July 1, 2020

Board of Trustees Meeting
Wednesday, July 8, 2020
6:45pm

Shabbat Welcoming Rabbi Paula Winnig
Friday, July 17, 2020
6:00 pm
Location to be determined

CONGREGATION RODEF SHOLOM
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PUBLISHED MONTHLY

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RABBI EMERITUS

Dear Congregants,

I want to share my gratitude with all of you during these unpredictable times. While I know it is difficult to remain away from our Temple during holidays, celebrations, and other lifecycle events, the safety of our congregants is our top priority.

Beginning June 1, 2020, Jenny Lloyd and I will begin to have modified office hours at Rodef Sholom. Prior to any visit, please contact the Temple to ensure we are there. If you need immediate access to the Temple Administration, please contact my cell phone (330) 719-8047.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you all soon!
Sarah

Congregation Rodef Sholom 2020 Annual Meeting Updated

Due to COVID-19 the Congregation Rodef Sholom Annual Meeting continues to be postponed until the State of Ohio, and Rodef Sholom leadership, deem it appropriate to meet as a larger gathering. The Congregation will be notified as soon as a date for the annual meeting is selected.

The 2020 Annual Meeting will include:

- Installation of members of the Board of Trustees
- Congregational vote on a revised Congregation Rodef Sholom Constitution
- Introduction of Interim Rabbi, Rabbi Paula Winnig

The following individuals are nominees which have been selected by the Nominating Committee for election to the Congregation Rodef Sholom Board of Trustee:

Aaron Hively	President	Doug Abbatiello	Trustee
Michael Rawl	Vice President	Neil Altman	Trustee
Robert Rawl	Treasurer	Milana Dimenstein	Trustee
Nancy Burnett	Secretary	Tedd Kunkle	Trustee
		Tod Newman	Trustee

All of the above nominees have indicated their willingness to serve Congregation Rodef Sholom, and if elected, they will serve with distinction.

Article VII, Section 6 of the Congregation Rodef Sholom Constitution states: "Nomination for any elective office may be made by petition of ten (10) members of the congregation in good standing, said nomination or nominations to be filed with the Secretary [via Executive Director] of the Congregation at least fifteen (15) days before the election. Notice of such nominations shall be [communcationed] to each member of the Congregation at least ten (10) days before the election."

All Congregation Rodef Sholom households will also receive a copy of the revised Constitution prior to the Annual Meeting. Congregants are encouraged to review the document and contact Executive Director, Sarah Wilschek, with any questions

JUNE SHABBAT SERVICES

Friday, June 5, 2020 at 6:00 pm

Torah Portion: Naso, Numbers 4:21—7:89

Virtual Lay Led Shabbat Service on Zoom with Elliot Legow

Friday, June 12, 2020 at 6:00 pm

Torah Portion: Beha'alotekha, Numbers 8:1—12:16

Virtual Lay Led Shabbat Service on Zoom with Mari Alschuler

Friday, June 19, 2020 at 6:00 pm

Torah Portion: Shelach Lekha, Numbers 13:1—15:41

Virtual Lay Led Shabbat Service on Zoom with Art Greenbaum

Friday, June 26, 2020 at 6:00 pm

Torah Portion: Korach, Numbers 16:1—18:32

Virtual Lay Led Shabbat Service on Zoom with Randy Goldberg

Please see Page 4 of the Bulletin for all the information on how to log in to each Virtual Shabbat using Zoom

CONGREGATION RODEF SHOLOM IS GOING VIRTUAL

CONGREGATION
RODEF SHOLOM

"ZOOM" INTO SHABBAT SERVICES

Lay Led Services for the month of June

Friday, June 5th | 6:00pm EST
Friday, June 12th | 6:00pm EST
Friday, June 19th | 6:00pm EST
Friday, June 26th | 6:00pm EST

Look for emails each week with login information for each Shabbat Service.

NEED ASSISTANCE?

Contact Sarah Wilschek for any help or guidance for getting onto zoom.

Email: swilschek@congregationrodefsholom.org
Phone: (330) 719-8047

If you would like to add the name of someone currently facing an illness to our MiSheberach list, please contact Sarah prior to 2pm on Friday.

Yahrzeits

In the rising of the sun and in its going down,
We remember them
In the blueness of the sky and in the warmth of summer,
We remember them

June 5, 2020

*Bernard Alpern
*Jennie Bleier
*Dr. Bernard Bloch
*Leslie Chentow
Yetta P. Cohen
James Della Penna
*Elaine Dreyfus
*Leo Ephraim
Barbara Goodman
*Harry Greenberg
Harry Greenberger
Phillip Klatman
*Isadore Kline
Henry Legow
*Gisella Levy
*Alfred Liebman
*Hannah L. Lustig
*William Manevich
*Morris Matlas
*D. Albert Mazer
Harry Milstein
*Milton Newman
Sadie Rawtiz
*George H. Rose
*Sylvia Wane Rosenberg
*Irene Rosenblum
*Simon M. Rosenblum
*Harry Schagrin Jr.
*Dr. Julius C. Speck
Frank Szabo
Beatrice Van Wye
*I.S. Weil
*Lillian Weiss
Florence Weller
Maurice Allen Young
Emmanuel Zauderer
Lillian Zolden

June 12, 2020

*Fred Alexander
Joseph Beltz
Ethel Cohen Biller
Abe H. Bleier
Mae Bostocky
Neita Burger
*Carla Drucker Cohen
*Irving S. Ehrlich
*Bertha Z. Engel
*Mabel K. Friedman
*Rosella Goldberg
Arthur Goldstone
*Roy Lambert Hartzell
Robin Hertz
Oscar Hoffman
Harry Kohan
*Louis Kohn
*Samuel Leshner
*Aaron Levy
*Rabbi Joshua Liebman
*Morris Malowitz
*Abraham Meritzer
*William Molesky
*Bert C. Newman
*Herbert W. Osgood
*Leon Howard Podolle
*Rachel Z. Rose
*Stella Rudolph
Charles H. Southwood
*Eva. F. Spiegel
AnnaBelle Storch
*Elaine August Strouss
Rebecca Weiss
*John Whalen
*Edgar S. Wilkoff
*Syd Ruth Zoss
*Bogdane Zoss

** Denotes permanent memorial plaque*

June 19, 2020

Bertha Beloff
*Susan L. Birnbaum
*Maree C. Bogen
*Grace Cotlar
*Marian L. Frankle
*Morris Gaffin
*Abe Garrick
*Esther Lang Glick
*Rachel B. Golden
Sadye Goldstone
*Eugene Green
*Herman Hershey
Ida Vinik Hertz
*Sidney Jacobson
Jeanne Kayne
*Alnma Keyes
Hannah Klatman
*Max Klein
*Stephen Samuel Krause
Harvey Kaskowitz
*Geraldine Kaye Lebby
*Emma Leopold
*Rachel W. Liebman
*Harold A. Livingston
*Lynne Goldberg Lockshin
Sophia Moses
Elizabeth O'Donnell
*Clara Fertig Podolle
*Herman C. Ritter
*Helen Rogovin
Betty Roland
*Lena F. Rosenblum
*Lewis S. Rosenthal
Alex Routman
Arthur Saltzman
*Ruth L. Shapiro
*Lillie Broida Solinsky
*Alvin Solyn
*Zelda S. Tamarkin
Jane Klein Thomases
Elizabeth Klatman Venger
Gerit Vossen
*William Wilkoff
*Anna Wilkoff

June 26, 2020

*Raymond Myer Alter
*Anna Ehrlich Ball
Samuel Black
*Barbara Ellen Bloch
Jamie Bress
*Helen Camens
*Henry Cooper
Saul Danino
Louis J. Davidson
Margaret Lloyd Davis
*Evelyn Wilkoff Felsenthal
Robert Frank
Jensen Gelbaum
*Samuel L. Gerson
Emil Haas
David Heimann
Donald Holloway
*Leonard Kirtz
Jeannette Klatman
Jadyn Erin Larky
*Thelma Sigal Lavern
*Roberta Jane Lev
Edgar Levin
*Samuel J. Louff
*Sol Lowendorf
Abe Mallen
*Yetta Matlas
*Judith Mendel
Joseph H. Moses
*Robert R. Muskin
Sally Ortman
*Myron Penner
*Esther Rabb
*Selma G. Riddle
Robert Rust
*Charles Sackerman
Reva Spector
*Harold B. Spero
Carl Stecker
Martin Stein
David Zolton

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June 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3 Executive Committee Meeting 5:00 pm	4	5 Lay Led Virtual Shabbat 6:00 pm	6
7	8	9	10 Board Meeting 6:45 pm	11	12 Lay Led Virtual Shabbat 6:00 pm	13
14	15	16	17	18	19 Lay Led Virtual Shabbat 6:00 pm	20
21 Father's Day	22	23	24	25	26 Lay Led Virtual Shabbat 6:00 pm	27
28	29	30				

RODEF SHOLOM SISTERHOOD NEWS

Prayer - Study– Network– Get Connected! The future is ours to create!

TOILETRY PROJECT

LITTLE THINGS MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE

Shampoos, conditioners, lotions, toothpaste, toothbrushes, dental floss, soaps, razors…small toiletries that you might pick up in hotels when traveling would be so appreciated by those in need. I have been distributing baggies filled with all of the above items to people at the Food Bank, Sojourner House, Homeless Shelters and others in need. I will pick up at the following drop off places: Jewish Community Center, Congregation Rodef Sholom, Temple El Emeth, Ohev Tzedek, Universalist Unitarian Church and Churchill Methodist Church.

An easy way to help in a big way. Thank you so much. *~Linda Palumbo*

CONGREGATION
RODEF SHOLOM
PRESENTS THE

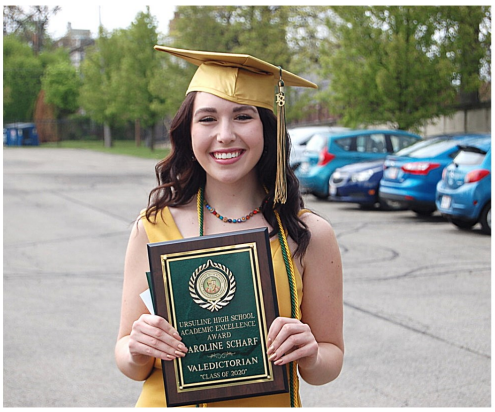
CLASS OF 2020
GRADUATES

Ava Shapiro attended The JCC preschool and Akiva Academy and is a 2020 graduate of Canfield High School. Ava is a member of the Canfield High School National Honor Society, she is the Vice President and Soprano section leader of the Chamber Ensemble of the Canfield Choir. Ava is also a senior class officer, Secretary of Y-Teens and was chosen to represent the Canfield School District at Buckeye Girl's State. Outside of CHS, Ava is a member of the Senior Company at Ballet Western Reserve, where she has studied ballet, jazz and tap etc. since the age of three. Ava is an active volunteer with our local United Way and has lent her enthusiasm and time to their Success After Six program, teaching ballet, bagging and distributing groceries for Success After Six families, and this year was a Report Card Mentor for students at Youngstown Community School, receiving the United Way's Rising Star award. Ava is still working with United Way during the Covid-19 pandemic, packing food for local shut-ins every week.

Ava is a member of Congregation Rodef Sholom, she is still undecided as to where she will be pursing a degree in English in the fall.Ava is the daughter of Sabrina and Sam Shapiro, brother Benjamin, grandparents Anita and Dick Shapiro and Marlene and Mickey Murphy.

Jacob Riberi graduated from the Ross School of Business at the University of Michigan, summa cum laude on May 1, 2020. He will continue his education at the Ross Business School in the fall to obtain his Master's degree . His future plans are to become a CPA and work in accounting.

Jacob is the son of Andrea Shapiro Riberi and the grandson of Anita & Dick Shapiro.



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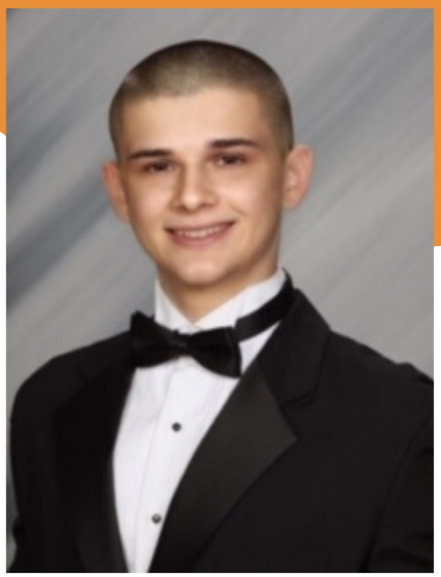
Caroline Scharf, daughter of Steven and Renae Scharf and grand daughter of Herbert and Jean Scharf, of blessed memory and Jerry and Wynette Stoner will be graduating from Ursuline High School as class Valedictorian. Caroline is a National Merit Commended Scholar. In addition to excellent performance academically, Caroline participated in numerous volunteer, leadership and extracurricular activities. In Speech and Debate she ranked 14th in Ohio in Declamation and was a state qualifier for congressional debate. She was on the National Honor Society Executive Board and NHS Link Crew, was an Ursuline Student Ambassador, and Varsity tennis team member. She participated in Youth Leadership Mahoning Valley, JCC LEAD, YWCA Bright Futures leadership training, and was a teen delegate to AIPAC.

Caroline will be attending Georgetown University in the fall where she plans to major in physics and english.

Elle Hendricks graduated with high honors from Skidmore College in Saratoga Springs, New York with a Bachelor of Science in Business and Management. Elle was a member of the National Championship Equestrian Team and was undefeated in her discipline. Elle will be starting her career at Dinesol Plastics as a Human Resources Specialist.

Elle is the daughter of Amy & Bob Hendricks Jr. and the granddaughter of Jeanne & Ken Fibus , Bob Hendricks Sr. and the late Barb Hendricks.



Jacob Sherman graduated from Boca Raton High School in Boca Raton, FL. Jacob will be attending the University of Florida starting this fall.

Jacob is the son of Rachel Sherman, the grandson of Carol & Bruce Sherman, and the great-grandson of Ethel Sherman. Jacob is the last of Carol & Bruce's four grandchildren to graduate high school.

Shawn Mallen has graduated from the Univeristy of California Santa Barbara with a Bachelor's of Science in Biological Science this past March.

He is the son of Laura & David Mallen and the grandson of Sandy & Gene Mallen.

Karsyn Berk graduated from Casal Aveda Institute and the next day the school was closed due to the Govenor's orders. Karsyn wants to pursue a cosmetology career locally after she obtains her license.

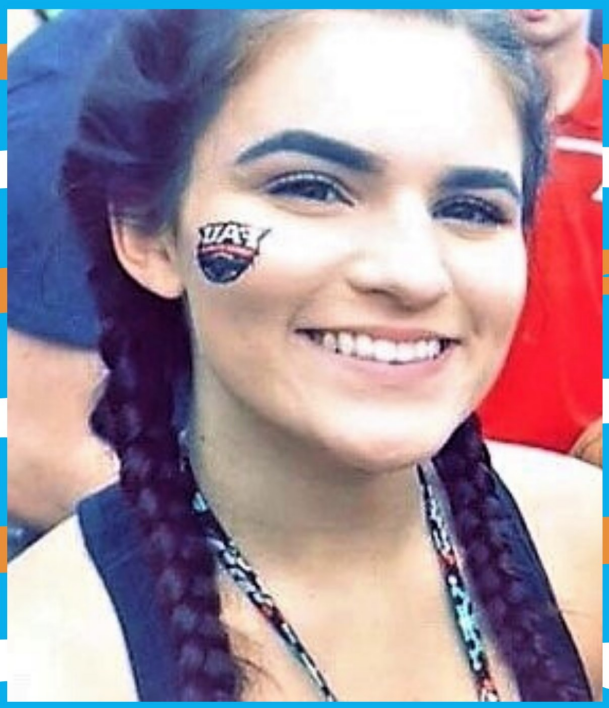
Reilly Berk graduated from Kent State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Management. She will start her Master of Business Administration through Cleveland State University this summer and hopes to work in the family business in Warren.

Jaden Berk graduated from Howland High School magna cum laude. He will be attending The Ohio State University in the fall to pursue a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Managment with hopes to alos work in the family business. Jaden was presented with the Moody Enterprises Scholarship through the Howland Community Scholarships Foundation.

Karsyn, Reilly, and Jaden are the children of Brigitt & Robert Berk, and grandchildren of Karen & Marc Rubin and the late Suzanne & Harold Berk.

Alexandra Newman recently graduated cum laude from Florida Atlantic University with a degree in Exercise Science and Health Promotion. She will be pursuing a Master's degree in Occupational Therapy.

Alexandra is the daughter of Kelly & Tod Newman and the grand daughter of Dianne & Bert Newman.



James (Jimmy) M. Rawl has received his Master's degree from SIT Graduate Institute in Intercultural Service, Leadership, and Management.

Jimmy is the son of Kandy & Bob Rawl, and the youngest brother of Robi, Michael, and Hollie.

Sam Baker graduated with Honors in Biology from the Honors College at Youngstown State University in May. He will be entering The Ohio State University School of Dentistry this coming August.

Sam is the son of Lori & Scott Baker of Gahanna, OH and the grandson of Nancy & Harvey Kayne and Phyllis & Don Goldberg of Sarasota, FL.

Alex Baker graduated as a Valedictorian of Gahanna Lincoln Hig School. Alex will be attending the Lindner College of Buiness Honors Plus Program as well as the Universit's Honors Program at the University of Cincinatti.

Alex is also the son of Lori & Scott Baker of Gahanna, OH and the grandson of Nancy & Harvey Kayne and Phyllis & Don Goldberg of Sarasota, FL.

Matthew Moamis received his Master's in Accounting this May from Kent State University. Matthew had completed his undergraduate degree in Accounting from Kent State last summer.

Matthew is the son of Melissa & George Moamis of Howland, OH and the grandson of Nancy & Harvey Kayne and Phyllis & Don Goldberg of Sarasota, FL.

Kathryn Pataki graduated from the University of Pittsburgh with a Master's of Arts in Sociology. She will continue her studies at the University of Pittsburgh to obtain her PhD.

Matthew Pataki graduated from the University of Rochester with a Bachelor of Science degree.

Matthew and Kathryn are the children of Sherri & Ira Pataki, and grandchildren of Donna Painter, the late Walter Painter, and the late Judy & Richard Pataki.

Benjamin Weiss graduated Summa Cum Laude from Canfield High School. Ben was the Treasurer of the Canfield High School National Honor Society chapter. He was a section captain, squad leader, and band manager for the Cardinal Pride Marching Band, as well as a varsity captain of the Canfield Lacrosse Team. Ben will be attending the University of Cincinnati to major in Biomedical Engineering.

Morgan Weiss graduated from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor's of Science in Health Sciences as well as minors in both disability studies and neuroscience. Morgan was a staff member and mentor in College Mentors for Kids as well as a member of Delta Zeta sorority. Additionally, as a member of Mountaineer's Club, she participated in trips across the United States promoting environmental appreciation and protection. During her four years at OSU, she explored her passion for service by volunteering at Nationwide Children's Hospital, Flourish Integrated Therapy, and Buck-I-Serv. Morgan was inducted into Bucket and Dipper Junior Class Honorary and was elected as their AOSCH (Association of Class Honoraries at Ohio State) representative. Morgan's next steps include serving in AmeriCorps NCCC program beginning in July 2020. After that, she hopes to go to graduate school to pursue a career in pediatric occupational therapy.

Ben and Morgan are the children of Wendy and Stephen Weiss. Grandparents are Sue Weiss, Alan and Victoria Goldstine, and Ava and John Davin.

MAZEL TOV TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS ON THEIR
***JUNE ANNIVERSARIES*:**

June 2nd:	**Pam & Sam Bernstine (41 years)**	June 19th:	**Marilyn & Stephen Sniderman (54 years)**
June 4th:	**Karen & Marc Rubin (53 years)**	June 20th:	**Joan & Lawrence Pass (61 years)**
June 5th:	**Jeanne & Ken Fibus (64 years)**		**Pam & Jeff Cohen (44 years)**
	Lisa & Shani Vaturi (32 years)	June 22nd:	**Cyndi & Nicholas Katz (40 years)**
	Kelly & Bruce Tamarkin (27 years)		**Lisa & Grady Long (18 years)**
June 7th:	**Denise & Lee Weisberger (40 years)**	June 23rd:	**Amy & Michael Gelfand (34 years)**
June 8th:	**Kimberlyn & Marty Hume (35 years)**		**Kim & Bill Trachtman (29 years)**
	Mindy & Richard Epstein (7 years)	June 24th:	**Melissa & George Moamis (30 years)**
June 9th:	**Charlene & William Kunkel (58 years)**	June 26th:	**Carol & Alan Friedkin (44 years)**
June 11th:	**Judy & David Waldman (48 years)**	June 27th:	**Elaine & Jerald Rudick (49 years)**
June 12th:	**Sandra & Ronald Roth (60 years)**	June 28th:	**Toni & Steven Schildrout (56 years)**
June 14th:	**Jan & Stu Strasfeld (45 years)**	June 29th:	**Stephanie & Tom Shapiro (24 years)**
June 17th:	**Paula & Carl Moses (47 years)**		

Mazel Tov to the following members for a ***special* birthday** in ***JUNE*:**

June 3rd:	Ray Lev	June 14th:	Sheila Schecht
June 6th:	Yale Levy	June 15th:	Joe DeSalvo
June 11th:	Alan Steinberg	June 19th:	Nicholas Katz
June 13th:	Diane Schwartz		

BARUCH DAYAN HAMET

PRAISED BE THE JUDGE OF TRUTH

It is with sorrow that we note the death of our members:

Walter Painter
William Rosenblum

We extend our heartfelt condolences to our members who have lost loved ones:

Edith Gorsky
Mother of David Gorsky

May their memory be for a blessing and may their loved ones be given comfort and strength.

Todah Rabbah ~ Many Thanks!

- Congregation Rodef Sholom would like to give a huge Todah Rabbah to Rabbi Muller's Retirement Committee for all their hard work on planning Rabbi's farewell. We know that the current social climate made it difficult for everyone, and we appreciate all the effort. Co-Chairs, **Renae Scharf** and **Carol Sherman**, **Sam Bernstine**, **Sally Blau, Daniel A. Chernek** (Daniel designed the beautiful cover to Rabbi's Special Bulletin), **Richard Epstein**, **Debbie Heiman**, **Chuck Hersh**, **Linda Knox**, **Marcia Levy**, **Karen O'Malia**, **Kandy Rawl**, and **Audrey Schwebel**.

TZEDAKAH CIRCLE

Endowment Fund

In celebration of:

Sue Weiss' Special Birthday

Dianne Newman's Special Birthday

In loving memory of:

Bill Shapiro

By Louise & Fred Kannensohn

In celebration of:

Sue Weiss' Special Birthday

In loving memory of:

Bill Shapiro

By Linda & Fred Knox

In loving memory our Canadain Cousin:

Marsha Shaboor

By Sue & Herb Soss, Sandi Sachs, and Robert Katz

In loving memory of:

Seymour Lipkin

By Hilari & Andy Lipkin

In loving memory of:

Bill Shapiro

By Yetta & Paul Gluck

In loving memory of:

Atty. Robert B. Weimer

By Carole & Bill Weimer

In loving memory of:

George Livingston

By Laura & Dave Gorsky

In loving memory of:

George Livingston

In celebration of:

Dianne Newman's Special Birthday

By Lynn & Peter Mendelson

Marilyn's Mitzvah Meal Fund

In loving memory of:

Marty Oyer

By Susie & Charlie White

In loving memory of:

Bill Shapiro

By Barbara Kirkorsky

In loving memory of Mother/ Grandmother:

Norma Yecies Shagrin

By Mark & Kim Shagrin Buckley and Family

In loving memory of:

George Livingston

By Ilene Malasky-Frankle

In loving memory of parents:

Dorothy & Marvin Winkelstein

By Inez Heal

Social Action Fund

In loving memory of:

Joe Hanna

By Yetta & Paul Gluck

Music Fund

In loving memory of:

Urbana Escandon

Elena Rebon

Margaret Reese

By Kathy Zoss

Brotherhood Fund

In loving memory of:

Bert C. Newman

Reva Spector

By Dianne & Bert Newman

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In loving memory of:

James Della Penna

By Sharon & Ron Della Penna

JCC Reopening Details

JCC Main Campus | Open Now

JCC Early Learning Center | Opens June 1st

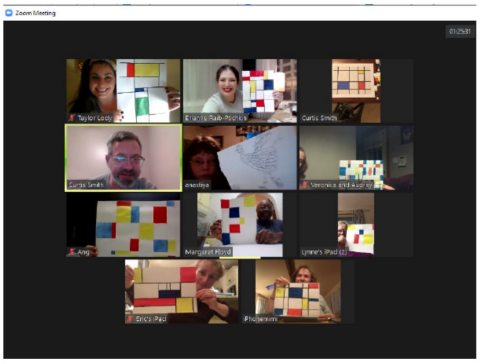
JCC Day Camp | Opens June 1st

JCC Logan Campus | Opens June 6th

The fitness center, Group X, Aqua X, open swimming, and pickleball are all available at the main campus. Visit jccyoungstown.org for listings of all in person and virtual classes and lectures. You may find all safety protocols for each campus at jccyoungstown.org.

PAUL & YETTA GLUCK SCHOOL OF VISUAL ARTS

Paul & Yetta Gluck School of Visual Arts classes are being offered via Zoom. Register online at jccyoungstown.org.



Free Weekly Art Lessons

The Paul & Yetta Gluck School of Visual Arts is proud to present the community with free weekly art lessons. Register for the classes of your choice at jccyoungstown.org to receive class access codes. Device with camera and internet access required. Supplies available to purchase.

Youth
Dates: Tuesdays, June 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30
Time: 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.
Cost: Free & Open to All; Donations Accepted

Adults
Dates: Tuesdays, June 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30
Time: 2:00 - 2:30 p.m.
Cost: Free & Open to All; Donations Accepted

Monthly Gatherings: Craft & Kvell

Gather with friends and work on your latest craft project! Derived from Yiddish, kvell is to be extraordinarily pleased or proud. So come socialize at a safe distance with us, show off your knitting, cross stitch, etc., or try your hand at a new craft. Bring your own supplies for this monthly event, held on the last Wednesday of every month. Want to join us virtually? Register online at jccyoungstown.org/visualarts for Zoom Virtual Classroom information.
Dates: Wednesdays, June 24, July 29, & August 26 | Time: 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.
Location: Adult Lounge

NEWMAN LEVY SPEAKER SERIES

Movie Viewing: "Beating the Odds: The Al Rosen Story"

This documentary tells the story of Al Rosen, one of the most feared sluggers in baseball in the 1950's. A Golden Gloves boxer, the Cleveland Indians third baseman led the American League in homers with 37 in his rookie season and won the AL Most Valuable Player Award. Rosen has generally been considered as one of the three top Jewish baseball players of all time.
Date: Tuesday, June 23 | Time: 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. | Location: Multi-Purpose Room

Virtual J-Away Program

This program is designed to assist Jewish homebound older adults in the Youngstown area who are in need of an exercise program. The Jewish Community Center personal trainers will create individual exercise plans and train clients in their own homes. We now offer virtual J Away training using programs such as Facetime or Zoom. This will help keep our Jewish seniors active and healthy during this unprecedented time. Eligible participants will be identified based on financial and physical needs and their ability to travel.
Cost: $3.50/session | If you are interested in participating or have questions, please call Jaron Howell, at 330.746.3251 ext. 153 or email jhowell@jewishyoungstown.org.

Fit Time With Amy
Join Amy on Facebook Live where she will answer any questions you may have for your home workout or dietary needs.
Date: Thursday | Time: 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Mindfulness Group: Listening to Your Body

Improve your emotional and physical well-being and learn to manage stressful situations with licensed social worker Shay Kahani-Erez.
Dates: Mondays, June 1, 15, & 29 | Time: 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.

CAMP JCC 2020

READY FOR THE #BESTSUMMEREVER?

Camp JCC provides a safe, fun environment for campers to build lifelong friendships through exciting adventures and quality care. Our Camp JCC team is committed to giving your child an unforgettable summer and we look forward to making your family part of the Camp JCC family!

VISIT JCCYOUNGSTOWN.ORG/CAMP FOR
Registration | Detailed Camp Descriptions | Pricing Information | FAQs | Photo Gallery

CONTACT US
camp@jewishyoungstown.org | 330.746.3250 ext. 152

VIRTUAL LECTURES

ACCESSING VIRTUAL LECTURES THROUGH ZOOM

Computer: Visit the website zoom.us and click "join meeting." Type in the access code provided. When you join, Zoom asks if you want to join with video. If you have webcam capabilities, choose that option. Next, Zoom asks if you want to join with your computer audio. Again, you want to make sure that your computer has that capability.

Smartphone: If you have a smartphone, you can download the Zoom app. Tap join and enter the access code provided

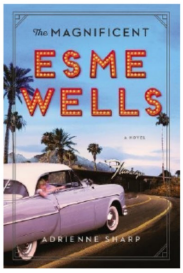
Phone: If neither of the other Zoom options are possible for you, you can use your telephone to call in. You won't be able to see the call participants, but you can hear them and be a part of the conversation. Dial 929.436.2866 and enter the access code provided.

A Bissele Yiddish

Chaya Kessler, Director of Jewish Studies at Kent State, will give a fun lecture about her first language, Yiddish. Learn a bit of history, a few idioms, and maybe a juicy curse as she shares stories and jokes.
Date: Thursday, June 11 | Time: 6:00 p.m. | Access Code: 921 8111 6822

I'm Going Home: Ethnic Records and the Jewish Immigrant Experience

Dr. Randall Goldberg, Member of JCC's Board of Directors and Director of the Dana School of Music, will discuss Yiddish songs recorded during the immigration boom of the early twentieth century and how they have been transformed and re-recorded to reflect the changing identity of American Jews.
Date: Thursday, June 18 | Time: 6:00 p.m. | Access Code: 981 5988 7820



JCC Book Club: "The Magnificent Esme Wells" & Meet the Author: Adrienne Sharp

Narrated by 20-year-old Esme, "The Magnificent Esme Wells" moves between pre-WWII Hollywood and postwar Las Vegas. Esme chronicles the rise and fall of her complicated parents, as well as her own painful reckoning with love and life. Adrienne Sharp is the author of several books., essays and stories.
Date: Tuesday, June 30 | Time: 5:50 pm | Access Code: 957 6751 0206
Purchase your own book or borrow a copy from JCC library. To borrow the book, contact Gon Erez at gerez@jewishyoungstown.org or 330.746.3250 ext. 159.

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