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On the fiftieth day after Passover we celebrate the festival of Shavuot. Even though the Torah mentions the agricultural nature of Shavuot (as the concluding festival of the grain harvest) the ancient rabbis added a new meaning and celebrated it as the anniversary of the giving of the Torah at Mount Sinai. Traditionally, the book that is read on this holiday is the Book of Ruth which is one of the most beautiful books in the Bible. However, a careful reading of the book makes it an odd choice for a festival commemorating the giving of the Law because at its core is a story about breaking the law.

While the Torah is normally very welcoming of the stranger, for historical reasons, it instructs the Israelites to avoid any contact with the nations of Ammon and Moab. As the Book of Deuteronomy (23:4-4) says: "No Ammonite or Moabite shall be admitted into the congregation of the Lord; none of their descendants even into the tenth generation shall ever be admitted into the congregation of the Lord because they did not meet you with food and water after you left Egypt...".

The Moabites were off-limits, yet the book of Ruth is named after a Moabite woman who was the great-grandmother of King David, from whose family will come the Messiah. Yes! The Messiah in our tradition is a descendant of a Moabite woman, a people the Torah abhors.

The beauty of the Book of Ruth is that it presents us with situations in which the easy way is to follow the law but the right thing to do is to break it. Ruth, after losing her husband, was left with Naomi, her aging, bitter, poverty stricken mother-in-law. Considering all legal, logical and practical reasons, she should have stayed with her own family in Moab and start a new life. But instead, she chose to accompany her mother-in-law back to Ancient Israel, where she would endure a life of extreme poverty and the status of a detested foreigner. Ruth chose a way of loving kindness at the price of her self-interest. The Israelites in the story also acted kindly towards her rather than adhering to the biblical law quoted above. Contrary to the Torah's instructions, they admitted her to "the congregation of the Lord". She was permitted to glean for food in their fields as if she were a local resident. The field owner, Boaz, who hears how devoted and caring Ruth has been to Naomi, orders his workers to protect her and eventually marries her.

The Talmud has a staggering principle saying that "to do God's will you may violate a Torah commandment" (*et la'asot l'adonai heferu Toratecha*), according to which it is permissible to break a Torah's commandment in order to do what is right. It is not that the observance of the Law, the Torah, is of no great concern to the Jewish people – quite the contrary. It is the essence of Judaism. But on the festival celebrating the giving of the Torah, we are taught that the only way to live by the law is to know when to go beyond it.

At the core of the Torah is God's expectation of us to act compassionately and empathetically towards our fellow human beings. Any other behavior must be challenged even if it is written in the Torah.

B'Shalom,

Rabbi Alon Levkovitz

2013 PHONATHON



Debbie Baseman

Thank you to the following **Temple Beth Am Benefactors** who gave generously to our Phonathon this year.
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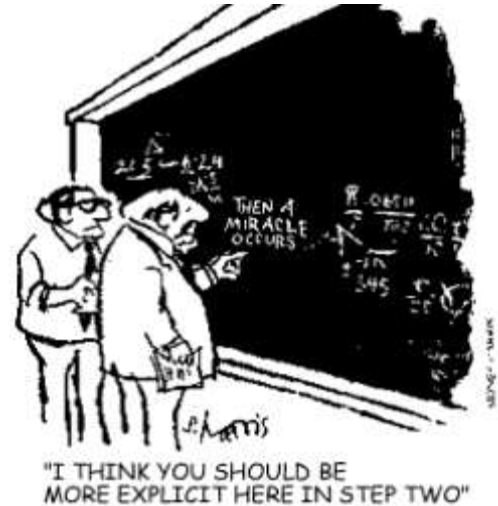
Hal Baseman



Dear Temple Beth Am Scribe Aficionados:

This year has been a good year at Temple Beth Am. A lot of positive things happened and more are on the way. We had some memorable special Temple events, including the summer pool party, open houses, Maya's Bat Mitzvah, record High Holy Days and Thanksgiving Interfaith Services, the Temple's 30th Anniversary, the Purim Carnival and the Shabbaton, to name a few.

All of this happening while we implemented a bold new voluntary financial commitment, Kulanu, outreach and volunteer engagement programs. The Religious School expanded an innovative Skype teaching program and the Preschool became The One School. And more plans are underway for new landscaping, an irrigation/well water system, future building improvement and expansion, sound system improvement, and so on.



These programs and projects do not just happen by miracle. Dedicated staff, volunteers, and careful planning make it happen. I want to take this opportunity, on behalf of the congregation, to thank those people and committees at Temple Beth Am who plan, organize, and do what needs to be done. You are noticed and appreciated.

Speaking of great events: If you attended the **Second Night Passover Seder**, you know what I am talking about. Thank you to **Rabbi Alon, Cantor Jessica and Brett Tancer**, the staff, all of the volunteers, shoppers, cooks, servers, custodial crew, and especially **Carol Sleeper and her committee, Nava Viniar, Leona Holland, Enid Kaufman, Judi Ross, Arline Slifkin** for planning and organizing this very enjoyable Kulanu Temple event. And **thank you to Zac Kushner and Jason Rogers** for creating the Haggadah that was used for our Seder.

And speaking of glitzy, great events: Last month, the PTO honored **Bruce and Maureen Cohen** at their Night Out Gala. What a great party and a fantastic job by the PTO crew. Can't wait until next year.

Now back to business - Board update: In April, I reported that the Board approved the Nominating Committee Report. Let me give you some more details. The Committee was chaired by past Temple President, **Bruce Cohen**. It included current Board member **Carol Carswell** and non-Board members **Ellen Vargas, David Elias, and Tom Ross**. The slate they recommended and the Board approved includes **Gwen Berry, Carol Carswell, Bruce Cohen, Cathy Drourr, Mary Elias, Jerry Holinstat, and Cubby Steinhart**. If elected, they will join remaining Directors **Leona Usher, Amy Russell, Brian Cohn, Mark Slifkin, Ellen Vargas, Fran Sachs, Liz Denmark**, and me.

Other Board Actions: At the March meeting the Board authorized the pre-publication purchase of the new CCAR High Holy Days Prayer books. The Board also approved a modified Temple budget for 2014/2015.

Annual Meeting: By this time, you should already have received a letter announcing the **Temple's Annual Meeting**, to be held on **Sunday June 1st at 10:00am** in the Sanctuary. Breakfast will be provided by Men's Club. Please attend, as a quorum is needed to approve the new Directors. If you cannot attend, please contact the office for an absentee ballot. In addition, there will be presentations on the budget, departmental updates, awards presentations, and some Q&A.

Staffing Update: Please join me in welcoming **Zac Kushner**, Temple Engagement Coordinator. Zac comes to TBA by way of the 92nd Street Y in New York and years of non-profit/volunteer coordinating services in New Orleans. If you haven't met Zac yet, I am sure you will soon.

Enough for now. Contact me if you have any questions at 561-676-3940 or halbaseman@comcast.net.

B' Shalom, Hal

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT:

Nava Viniar



This month we'll get to know a little bit about TBA volunteer, **Zoe Chia**.

Zoe is the JAMTY president at Temple Beth Am and is also a Madricha for the Hebrew School in the 4th grade class. I was just informed that she now works with Brett as a song leader in the Hebrew School and gets to work a little with all the grades.

Zoe was born in New York and moved to Palm Beach Gardens in 2004. Her parents are both Israeli and she has a younger brother, Omri, who is 13 years old.

NV: What is your favorite way to spend Saturdays?

ZC: On Saturdays I love to go to the beach, if the weather permits.

NV: What would be your dream job?

ZC: My dream job would be to work for the United Nations.

NV: Where will you be attending school in the fall, and what will you be majoring in?

ZC: I'll be attending the Florida State University in the fall. My double major will be political science and Middle Eastern studies. After I graduate, I would like to go to Law School.

NV: What is your favorite TV show?

ZC: I love watching Charmed. I think I've seen all 8 seasons 3 times!!

NV: With summer coming up, what kinds of things do you like to do?

ZC: Over the summer I usually go to camp or Israel. This summer I'm going to the URJ Camp Coleman as a staff member so I am very excited.

Zoe – We wish you all the best of luck in your future studies!!



SISTERHOOD SCOOP

Lois Remick

Your Sisterhood has been busy with tzedakah:

- Contribution to MyClinic....a free clinic for those who have no insurance or finances to get medical care. This Jupiter MyClinic is open one day per week and we feel it is an important part of our community.
- Camp Coleman.....once again, Sisterhood is donating funds to help with scholarships for our Temple children to help their parents pay for this important Jewish experience.

Please stay tuned to our *Scribe* messages this summer as we will be announcing where and when our Opening Event will be taking place. Some of the venues we are exploring are the Morikami and the Norton Museums. The event will include the tour and lunch and will be in October.

We would also like Sisterhood members to be aware that we are donating food to El Sol. Each month Sisterhood members who attend the monthly meetings are donating certain food items that evening. For the month of May it is Rice.

Throughout the coming year, we will have one time projects which we hope Sisterhood members will give their time to. Coming up will be the Selichot Dinner. We would like 3 members to come forward and help with the buying of cake from Costco; arranging the food from CR Chicks..... and helping out the night of Selichot in handing out the candles. So.....I am ready to take your offer of help (believe me it will not take much of your time)...and a member of the Board will be on your committee to help! So call Lois Remick at 627-7736...and give the Sisterhood a gift of your time and talent. Thank you.

Kulanu!

Lois

***THANK YOU FOR MAKING THIS YEAR'S 2ND NIGHT POTLUCK
SEDER A WONDERFUL EVENT***



TOP OF THE HILL GANG VISITS TEAPOTS AND TREASURES

Marjorie Wolfson

Intimate describes the ambience at Teapots and Treasures Café where 13 lucky ladies participated in High Tea. All enjoyed cozy conversations, and a sumptuous assortment of teas, scones, finger sandwiches, and delectable desserts.

This event was arranged by The Top of the Hill Gang, a group of people at their peak who crave experiences unavailable elsewhere. Past adventures included an outing to Busch Wildlife Refuge with lunch, and a wine tasting.

All are welcome to participate in these events. Stay tuned to the Temple Beth Am web site and the *Scribe*.



**Friday Night, May 16th at 7:00pm
Shabbat Service with:**

- Torah Reading
- A little “learning”
- & Birthday Blessings

Wine & Cheese Reception prior to Service at 6:30pm



Temple Beth Am proudly invites you and your neighbors to our annual Congregation & Community Celebration of Israel's Independence



Yom HaAtzmaut Celebration and Shabbat Service at the Beach

Friday, May 9th ~ 5:30pm

The Beach and Pavilion at Marcinski Road & A-1-A, Jupiter
FREE Barbecue provided by Men's Club

This year we would like to start a new tradition - wear BLUE and/or WHITE for Israel! Please note, due to road construction, please check routes to beach and allow for enough travel time. Bring chairs or a blanket.

Everyone is welcome!



No Shabbat Service at the Temple building on this evening.

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TBA SOCIAL ACTION/ MAY 2014 "THE THIRD PILLAR" NEWS

FAMILY PROMISE: Please sign up to serve a meal, plan an activity or stay overnight when we host families the week of **May 11-18th**, at Oceanview Church in Juno Beach. Sign up by emailing Debby or Lois, or on the chart in the Temple lobby. See the below descriptions and the chart in the Scribe & in the lobby. We are also **looking for a few people to help coordinate--GREAT OPPORTUNITY to get more involved in your Temple & community!!**

*A struggling family, running low on hope
hanging by a thread, trying to cope.
So much stress, our lives a mess
Wondering.....
"How are we going to get out of this?"
Time's running out, we're losing our home,
Where we'll go next is sadly unknown.
All too quick, that day came upon us
But by the grace of God
We found Family Promise.*

Written by Shara (Family Promise guest)

On **Tuesday, May 6th** at **6:00pm**, we will have a "refresher" volunteer training at the FP Day Center (1003 Allendale Rd. WPB, FL 33405). This session will be especially helpful for volunteers who have not previously had a training session. We will carpool from TBA. Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP to Debby or Lois.

DEBBY BAKER AT 748-3688, debbysbaker@gmail.com, OR
LOIS REMICK AT 627-7736, lorem47@bellsouth.net.

ST. GEORGE'S: Thank you to our April volunteers (to be listed next month)! We serve dinner at St. George's the third Monday of each month. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Marcy Isdaner at marcy@campmataponi.com.

WHAT IS FAMILY PROMISE? Family Promise of North/Central Palm Beach County ("FP") partners with the interfaith community to help local homeless children by empowering their families to regain self-sufficiency. With over 180 networks throughout the U.S., FP impacts many lives by housing, feeding and providing tools and resource links to families. TBA hosts families at Oceanview Church in Juno Beach 3-4 weeks per year. The families arrive on Sunday afternoon. YOU can help in the following ways:

- **Meal Host:** bring dinner (or breakfast or lunch on the weekend) to the church and eat with the families.
- **Activity Host:** On the weekend, we need hosts to be there with the families and interact with the children (walk to the beach, bring games, etc.).
- **Overnight Host:** The EASIEST job- you just SLEEP! Stay in a private bedroom (converted from a classroom) on a comfy inflatable bed—free room & board! You can leave & be home by 7:00am
- **Shoppers:** We need a few shoppers each week to purchase breakfast and lunch foods.
- **Laundry:** At the end of the week, we wash the sheets and towels to be ready for the next hosting.

The guest families arrive at the congregation (in our case, Oceanview), and our volunteers provide and eat dinner with them. An overnight volunteer stays overnight. In the morning, the FP van picks up the families and transports the children to school, the parents to work if they have jobs, or to the Day Center (off of Belvedere in West Palm Beach) to meet with our Family Service Coordinator. At the Day Center, they can use computers to look for jobs, housing, and other resources. We also have laundry and shower facilities.

Around 5:00pm, the van brings the families back to the congregation for dinner and the evening. This routine is repeated daily. The family stays at each congregation for 1 week, and moves to the next congregation on Sunday. The average stay in the program is 30-90 days. **ALL OF OUR GRADUATES ARE STILL INDEPENDENT!**

SOCIAL ACTION (cont.)

Audrey Ades, Debby Baker & Marcy Isdaner

FOOD PANTRY: We continue to provide food to Jupiter Head Start and other local families in crisis. We delivered a record 1,200 lbs. of food (a combination of our donations and food from the Palm Beach County Food Bank) to the Jupiter Outreach Center in April! Thanks for your continued support! We also receive donations from vendors at the Green Markets. Please contact Robin Schafler (rschafler@aol.com) or Marcy Isdaner (marcy@campmataponi.com) if you can pick up food from the PBC Food Bank and deliver to Jupiter on Tuesdays at 10:00am, or help with Green Market pickups.

Please consider donating to the SOCIAL ACTION FUND in honor of loved ones or a special occasion. You will be doing a double mitzvah!



In a gentle way, you can shake the world. –Mohandas Gandhi



Family Promise

Building communities, strengthening lives.

TBA TEAM VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

POSITION Approx. TIME	Sunday May 11	Monday May 12	Tuesday May 13	Wednesday May 14	Thursday May 15	Friday May 16	Saturday May 17	Sunday May 18
BREAKFAST (Weekdays, overnight host does)	Families arrive later afternoon	X	X	X	X	X	Breakfast Host 8:15am- 11:15am <u>Donna Wexler</u>	Breakfast Host 8:15am- 11:15am _____
LUNCH HOST Weekend only	3:30pm- 5:00pm <u>Debby Baker</u> 247-5195	X	X	X	X	X	11am- 2:15pm _____ 2:00pm- 5:15pm _____	11am- 2:15pm _____ 2:00pm- 4:15pm _____
DINNER HOST (1 per night) 5:00pm- 8:00pm	_____	<u>Debbie Smith</u>	<u>Debbie Tassone</u>	_____	<u>Essingers</u>	_____	_____	Families leave for the next host facility around 4:00pm
OVERNIGHT HOSTS (1-2/ night) 7:45pm- 7:00am	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	7:45pm- 8:30pm _____	_____
Shopper	<u>Cathy Drourr</u>	_____	_____	<u>David Sherman</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
Laundry (at end of wk)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	<u>Herb Gildenhorn</u> 493-8946

THANKS!! Contacts: Lois Remick-- 627-7736 lorem47@bellsouth.net; Debby Baker--247-5195; debbysbaker@gmail.com

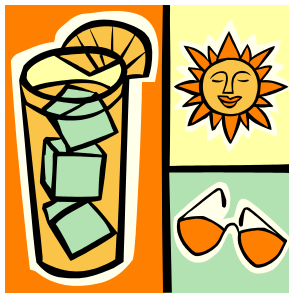
If you could only sense how important you are to the lives of those you meet; how important you can be to the people you may never even dream of. There is something of yourself that you leave at every meeting with another person. -Mr. (Fred) Rogers

TORAH TALK

Nourish the Mind and Satisfy the Soul

**Torah Talk will be going on
hiatus and will resume after
the High Holy Days.**

Enjoy your summer!



MAH JONGG CLUB



MAH JONGG CLUB Wednesdays at 12:45pm

Cracks, Bams, and Dots! Oh, my!

Interested in joining a Mah Jongg Club
here at Temple?

Call Joan Weinberger at 775-1408 or email
julianjoan@aol.com

The Mah Jongg club is offering lessons to those
who would like to learn or refresh their
skills. Those who already play are also invited to
join our group. Please call or email Joan
Weinberger for more information or reservation.

Julianjoan@aol.com

**The Mah Jongg Club will be taking a break
from June 4th - August 27th.**

CEMETERY PLOTS

Did you know that as a benefit of Temple membership, you can purchase cemetery plots for yourself and your family at a significantly discounted price? Temple Beth Am has reserved a limited number of cemetery plots in the Garden of Abraham section at the Star of David Cemetery and Funeral Chapel of the Palm Beaches (formerly known as Menorah Gardens).

The price of a plot purchased from Temple Beth Am is \$1,500. If you went directly to the Star of David, the price to purchase a plot is \$2,995. Please note that this price is for a plot only. You will need to see a funeral director for information for additional services and charges.

Remember, **the number of plots is limited** so if you wish to take advantage of this benefit and purchase a plot, please contact Margot in the Temple office at 561-747-1109 and she will gladly help you.

MEMORIAL PLAQUES

How can you honor your deceased loved one?

By placing your loved one's name on the Memorial Board in the Sanctuary.

When you do this, a light on their plaque will be lit on their Yahrzeit (anniversary of their death) and their name will be read from the Bimah.

Their light will also be lit on Yom Kippur and their name will always be included in the Yizkor Book during the High Holy Days.

Even when you are gone, your loved one will not be forgotten. Plaques are \$500.

Call the Temple at 747-1109 to place your order.

KINDERGARTEN PREVIEW

Temple Beth Am Religious School Presents:

PRESCCHOOL GRADUATION CELEBRATION
PANCAKE & ICE CREAM BRUNCH EXTRAVAGANZA

MAY 18



11am—1pm

Join us for an interactive day of fun and
learning presented by our Kindergarten class.

Free pancake and ice cream brunch (and mimosas for mommy and daddy!)

BOOK CLUB

Carole Meshil

The last meeting for this season will take place on May 5th, 10:30am at Temple Beth Am. We will be discussing *The Jerusalem Maiden* by *Thalia Carner*.

The Jerusalem Maiden is a coming of age novel exploring the role that religion, faith, and family have on one girl's hopes and dreams for her own future. Esther struggles not only with what her family and culture expects but her own personal beliefs in God and how they could bring so much heartache as well as joy. The author's rich details subtly place the reader on the scene. The book is beautiful and will provide many opportunities for personal reflection.

Lunch at a restaurant will be after the meeting. We hope you will join us.



RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

David Sherman, MJEd
Director of Education



Shalom!

This year has flown by! Where did it go? Sunday, May 4th is our last day of classes for the year – we'll just have to wait for next September to get back into it. Going to be around this summer? Good! Life at the Temple is NOT over – please check the Temple website each month to keep up with the summer goings-on. *As always, here is my plug for parent involvement:* If you have any hobbies or talents that you would like to share with the students, please let me know. Having parents volunteer in the RS makes it better for all involved. I also would love to hear of any ideas which might enhance your children's learning experiences here at Temple Beth Am's Religious School – all ideas are welcome!

This has been an amazing year of learning! Those of you who have attended any of the *Shabbat Services* where our students help lead can attest to that - each grade was... spectacular! We welcomed many new families into our TBA family and the children are now part of the gang. Our Israeli Shlichim (voluntary emissaries) helped to instill a love of Israel in the students and Miss Yael helped keep us dancing to the beat. Mr. Brett got the students singing with gusto each Sunday at *kehillah* and on Tuesdays helped them learn the prayers by actually having a mini-service experience. We went on field trips, enjoyed *Shabbat* at the park as part of our *Shabbaton*, and had field day events at the end of each semester. All in all, we had our children living Judaism each week and they loved it! Our Skype program, once again, was a huge success – our students' level of confidence soared so that we will expand it next year to also include our 6th graders.

Registration info... We have done our best to integrate current student and family information onto the forms but still ask that you carefully review all pre-printed info and supply any changed or missing info on the forms. Hopefully, you will have picked your forms up over the past few weeks – if not, we will mail them out in mid-May. **Shalom Chai** registrations will also be mailed out in May for those who did not pick theirs up.

The last day of classes this year is **Sunday, May 4th** for the Kindergarten – 6th grades. **This year we will be holding Maccabbia Games!** There will be a lot of action – relay races, singing, Jewpardy games... a fun way to remember all that we've learned this year. We will begin with an all-school assembly in the Sanctuary, starting at 9:30am, followed by The Games, and we will finish at noon with a hot dog (and salad) lunch, provided by our wonderful Men's Club.

Thank you **to all the parents** who helped out during the year – at Tuesday pizza, with class activities, and who contributed to the year-end teacher gifts. We have a wonderful team of gifted, dedicated educators who give their all to our children – your act of giving gifts was noted and appreciated.

Have a wonderful summer – please give me a call or just drop by if you want to discuss any issues involving your family and our Religious School.

L'hitraot - David

KVELL & TELL

Mazal Tov to **Lois & Richard Remick** on the birth of their grandson Maxwell, born on April 3, 2014 to Kate & Jeremy Remick.

Congratulations to **Lacie Greenwald** who took 1st place in the U14 division giant slalom & 3rd place in the U14 division slalom and **Brett Greenwald** who took 2nd place in the giant slalom and slalom events in his age group at the Nature Valley NASTAR ski championships.



JAMTY NEWS



MAY 2014

NFTY-STR- Spring Kallah!

JAMTY teens had a blast at a weekend Kallah put together by NFTY-STR! The teens took part in meaningful programs, explored their Jewish identity, and connected with new friends! We also had the honor of watching Gray Newfield being inducted as the 2014-2015 Regional Board President!



How do I join?

Please contact
Heather Weisbrod
for information on
how to join
JAMTY
(9-12 grade),
JAMTY Jr.
(6-8 grade),
and **Cochavim**
(3-5 grade)!

Contact information:
youth@templebetham.com
or 561-312-5310.

JAMTY May Schedule:

5/8: JAMTY Hangout: Youth Lounge 5:30-7:00pm
5/17: JAMTY Jr. Event, details to follow.
5/18: JTI Night of Stars 4:00pm-6:00pm
5/20: Cochavim Event 3:30-5:00pm
5/22-5/25: Camp Jenny at Camp Coleman.
5/29: JAMTY Hangout: Youth Lounge 5:30-7:00pm

THE ONE SCHOOL PTO

Amy Russell, President

Thank you to everyone that supported our Night Out on Saturday, March 29, 2014. Our Denim & Diamonds Gala Event, honoring **Bruce & Maureen Cohen**, was a huge success.

A special thank you to **Yael Lawrence**, our event chair, who made the evening a night to remember. To all our volunteers, thank you for your support. And...thank you to our sponsors who committed to the event:

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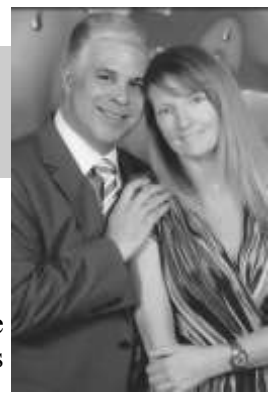
Our last book fair of this school year will open on Wednesday, May 7th. Please stop by to shop our wonderful selection of books. Thank you to our wonderful chairs, **Amanda Baughman, Krisztina Ergas and Jennifer Shakerdge**, for making our book fairs fun for all of our families.

We have continued to have a blast at our monthly bake sales. **Most recently, we have added delicious items (herbs/vegetables) from the Community Garden.** Thank you to **Krisztina Ergas, Dawn Loren, Kerrie Rhoades**, and our bakers, for making the bake sale and herb/vegetable table so special for everyone who comes. Our next bake sale is Friday, May 30, 2014.

Our PTO meetings continue to bring many families together to discuss The One School, our children and activities in the Temple. **Our last PTO meeting for this school year is May 12, 2014.** Your input and suggestions are welcomed and appreciated.

Thank you to all families and friends of Temple Beth Am and The One School who have showed their continued support and love for our children. We truly appreciate it!

THANK YOU FROM MAUREEN & BRUCE COHEN



A big thank you to Amy Russell, Yael Lawrence, the Gala Committee and entire Preschool PTO Board:

For those of you who attended the **Preschool's Annual Night Out Gala**, you were fortunate to see first hand what an amazing job the PTO did. If you weren't there, we would like to say a few words about the evening, and a big thank you to all of those involved.

The Night Out was such an incredible night for us, our family, and our friends. It could not have been more meaningful to us. The venue, the decorations, the food, the entertainment.....I could go on and on...were all amazing! You went above and beyond in every way.

Gali Levkovitz and Liz Cohn, your words were heartfelt and meant a lot to us. We love our Temple, we loved our preschool experience, and were thrilled to be able to celebrate with you all at such a fun occasion.

It was such a nice surprise to see the photo book you had made with our family pictures. That was truly remarkable, and a wonderful reminder of this great evening that we will have forever!

Thank you for the lovely gifts, thank you for all your hard work, and thanks for the honor!

Bruce and Maureen





Paula Deakter
Early Childhood Director



May Happenings at The One School

- ♦ **National Teacher Appreciation Week:** Please take the opportunity to thank your child's teachers for all that they do during the week of May 5th. Our teachers spend countless hours preparing innovative and interactive lessons that will reach every child in some way. A card made by your child or a handwritten note from you would mean so much.
- ♦ **Scholastic Book Fair:** It's time for our Spring Book Fair and just in time, because everyone needs a new book to read! Stop by between May 7th and 14th and take a look at all of the new titles that are available. Then pick something out that you and your child can read together, or donate a book to the classroom of your favorite teacher.
- ♦ **Mother's Day & Father's Day Shabbat Celebrations:** Please join us as we recognize and celebrate all of our parents on one of these two special mornings. The Mother's Day Celebration will take place on Friday, May 9th at 9am and we will celebrate Father's Day on Friday, May 23rd at 9am. Please note that this is a rescheduled date for Father's Day.
- ♦ **Parent/Teacher Conferences:** It's that time again, to meet with your child's teachers to discuss the progress your child has achieved in the second half of the school year and how far he or she has come since last August. Our teachers take the time necessary to put together comprehensive information about the skills achieved and this is your opportunity to ask about what you can do during summer vacation to maintain those skills. Conferences will take place on Wednesday, May 21st between 5-8pm.
- ♦ **Shining Stars' Graduation & Luncheon: SAVE THE DATE!** The Shining Stars' Graduation ceremony will take place on Tuesday, June 3rd at 11am in the Sanctuary, followed by a Graduation Luncheon in the Social Hall at 12noon. Be sure to bring your camera and lots of tissues!

Upcoming Events

May 5-9 National Teacher Appreciation Week
 May 6 Yom Haatzmaut—Israel Independence Day
 May 7-14 Scholastic Book Fair sponsored by the PTO
 May 9 Mother's Day & Shabbat Celebration 9am
 May 12 PTO Meeting in Chapel 9:15am
 May 21 Parent/Teacher Conferences 5-8pm
 May 23 Father's Day & Shabbat Celebration 9am
 May 26 **NO SCHOOL Memorial Day**
 May 30 PTO Bake Sale at dismissal
 June 3 Shining Stars' Graduation 11am; Luncheon 12 noon
LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
 June 4 Shavuot
 June 5 Teacher Work Day
 June 9 Summer Camp & Summer VPK begin 9am



We would like to take this opportunity to express our most sincere thanks and deepest gratitude to Denim and Diamonds Night Out Chair, Yael Lawrence, as well as her tireless team of parent volunteers, for planning and executing a beautiful event this year. Not only did everyone in attendance have a wonderful social evening, but the money raised will go a long way in providing our school with much needed amenities. We cannot express how grateful we are for all of the committee's hard work in making this a truly memorable night for everyone.

Egypt never rocked like we did at The One School's Mock Seder Passover Program on April 9th. Thank you parents for coming out and sharing this special morning with us! We had a lot of fun re-telling the story of the Exodus from Egypt, and even tasted a little bit of traditional Passover foods.



Temple Beth Am Mishpacha/Family Center

Check out our Upcoming Events & Fun Parenting Tips on our Facebook group: *Temple Beth Am Mishpacha/Family Center*

Yael Lawrence



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**Our Spring Family
Classes are off to a
GREAT start!!
Tot along Yoga**



Lil' Signers



Tiny Kids Art Class



**Toddler Enrichment
Program**



Excited to announce the TBA Mishpacha/Family Center SUMMER 2014 FAMILY CLASS SCHEDULE

Lil' Signers: Baby Sign Language Class (0-18 months)

Thursdays 9:15-10:00am Instructor: Lea Luzon MS, CED

Summer Session 6/12/2014 - 7/31/2014 (no class 7/3)

Cost: \$70 for each 7 week session

Baby sign language aids in communication with your pre-verbal baby. Singing & SIGNING leads to increased vocabulary & advanced cognitive skills. Baby Sign Language gives you a glimpse into your baby's world. Share their joy as they figure things out. Witness their creativity as they combine signs in new ways.

Toddler Enrichment Program (TEP) (12-30 months)

Fridays 9:15-10:45am Instructor: Yael Lawrence MS BC-DMT

Summer TEP Session 6/13/2014 - 8/1/2014 (no class 7/4)

Cost: \$140 for 7 week session **a one time registration fee of \$25 is due at time of payment**

This is a great introduction as your toddler prepares for preschool. This mommy & me class exposes your child to new social situations & classroom experiences, which provide an easier transition to a structured learning environment.

a minimum of 4 families are required for classes to run

**To register for classes, workshops & events
contact Yael Lawrence: ylawrence@templebetham.com**

Spring 2014 Family Class Schedule

Tot Along Yoga...yoga for mommies & bring your lil' one along **NEW CLASS**

Tuesdays 9:30-10:15am Instructor: Yael Lawrence MS BC-DMT

Spring Session 4/1/2014-5/27/2014 (8 week session) Cost: \$80 for each 8 week session

Lil' Signers: Baby Sign Language Class (0-18 months) *NOTE NEW TIME*****

Thursdays 9:15-10:00am Instructor: Lea Luzon MS, CED

Spring Session 4/3/2014-5/22/2014 Cost: \$80 for each 8 week session

Tiny Kids Art Class with Kids Need More Art (18 months-4 years old)

Thursdays 9:30-10:30am

POP into Spring - Spring Series: April 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, May 2nd, 8th, 15th, 22nd

\$120 for the 8 week Spring Series

To Register go to: <http://www.kidsneedmoreart.com/jupiter/tiny-kids/>

For more information please contact Karen Nobel @ 561-746-4576

Toddler Enrichment Program (TEP) (12-30 months) - THIS CLASS IS FULL

Fridays 9:15-10:45am Instructor: Yael Lawrence MS BC-DMT

Spring TEP Session 4/4/2014 - 5/30/2014 Cost: \$180 for 9 week session

All classes can be prorated for the remaining of the spring session

For class details please check out the website www.templebetham.com

And please check out our blog page at: <http://templebethamjupiter.blogspot.com/p/family-center.html>

**MAY 3, 2014
BAT MITZVAH OF
HANNAH THOMAS**



We announce our daughter, Hannah Kane Thomas, will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on May 3, 2014.

Hannah is in the 7th grade at Jupiter Middle School, where she has managed to make the Honor Roll every quarter. Atop of her studies, Hannah is a competitive swimmer for the Jupiter Dragons Swim Team. She swims 6 days a week and has dreams of making it to Junior Nationals and swimming for a state university. She also plays the trumpet for the school band. Hannah enjoys hanging out with friends, going to the mall, babysitting, watching football, and TLC programming (ugh!).

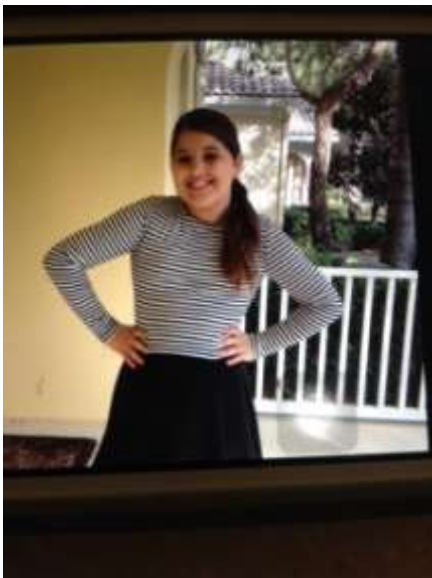
Hannah attended camp at Camp Highlander, where her Mom and Uncle attended. She loved camp, but her passion remains with swimming.

The mitzvah project that Hannah has chosen to highlight is raising funds to donate to Connie Foundation by making chocolate dipped pretzel rods and selling them to classmates. Connie Foundation is an amazing, local organization that distributes grants to women in treatment for breast cancer. Monies for this organization go towards things as big as rent money to as small as a bus pass for transportation to treatment. Hannah's love of sweets and affection towards the cause made this project a no brainer!

We are so grateful for the love and guidance that Rabbi Alon, Cantor Jessica, Brett Tancer, and the entire Jewish community have given to our daughter over the years.

Fondly,
Francois and Risa Thomas

**MAY 24, 2014
BAT MITZVAH OF
MADISON KRIEGER**



With love and happiness, we are proud to announce the Bat Mitzvah of our daughter, Madison Hope, on May 24, 2014.

Madison is a 7th grade student at The Benjamin School. Besides her academic interests, she enjoys playing volleyball and basketball. One thing we know for sure is how much Madison loves shopping and hanging out with her friends. This year Madison will be spending her third summer away at Camp Pinewood in North Carolina.

We always knew that Madison had a passion for children. For her mitzvah project, Madison, in coordination with JAFCO, led a drive at our Temple to provide children with Chanukah gifts. This drive helped provide the children in the JAFCO community with their Chanukah wishes. With our Temple community's response,

Madison collected over 150 gifts for the JAFCO children.

We want to sincerely thank Rabbi Alon, Cantor Jessica and Brett for helping Madison prepare for her special day. Along with Madison, her brother, Hunter, and sister, Bryce, can't wait to celebrate this occasion with friends and family.

Marla and Peter Krieger

MAY 17, 2014
BAT MITZVAH OF
LACIE GREENWALD

Hi, this is Lacie Greenwald. My mitzvah project is called "Animals Last Hope". I raise money by doing carwashes, and as much as I can to help a dog and save its life. I help animals that need surgery or need medical attention in order for them to be adoptable. I mostly help in Kill shelters which kill animals if they don't get adopted in a certain amount of time. I love animals and that's why I'm enjoying my mitzvah project. I feel so happy when I save an animal. No animal should suffer.

There was this one dog I saved named Chomper. I know his name makes him sound vicious but he's a sweetheart. His family and neighbors were sitting in the backyard when the neighbor had a tennis ball in her hand. The girl put it extremely close to her neck and Chomper the puppy bit her neck. The little girl needed to go to the hospital. Poor Chomper had to be put in a kill shelter even though the neighbors said "its fine". I found out the story and raised money for Chomper so he could safely go back to his owners.

This story made it to the newspaper and there was an article written about it. For more information, go to <http://m.tcpalm.com/news/2013/jun/14/chomper-goes-home-photo-gallery/>.

Lacie Greenwald



We are proud and honored to celebrate the Bat Mitzvah of our daughter, Lacie Judith Greenwald. Lacie is an Honor Student at Jupiter Academy in Jupiter Florida.

Lacie is very busy in her free time with Soccer and Ski Racing. She recently won the United States Championship in Giant Slalom for the 2nd straight year in Aspen Colorado. Lacie hopes to one day represent the United States and Temple Beth Am in the Olympic Games and bring home the GOLD.

In her free time, she likes to spend time with her friends and family enjoying events from Scuba Diving to Zip lining to quiet mall days. We are so proud of Lacie's mitzvah project "Animals Last Hope" in which she is saving many animals lives helping them to be adoptable again. We are so proud of all you have accomplished in such a short time Lacie.

A special thanks goes out to Rabbi Alon, Brett Tancer and the teachers at Temple Beth Am for all of your help in preparing Lacie for this incredible day.

Brett and Jeneane Greenwald

**MAY 31, 2014
BAT MITZVAH OF
MADISON JULIA PINCUS**

We are so excited to announce the Bat Mitzvah of Madison Julia Pincus on May 31st.

Madison attends Duncan Middle School's Academy of Finance and is active with the FBLA program. She is also very active with swimming. It is a huge part of Madison's life. She has been swimming competitively since she was 8 years old and swims for the Jupiter Dragons Swim Team. In her free time, Madison enjoys relaxing, going to the beach, shopping and hanging out with family and friends.



Madison is a sweet and kind girl with a huge heart. She loves to babysit neighborhood children and enjoys volunteering at her former elementary school, Marsh Point, to help the teachers and students.

Words cannot express how proud we are of our daughter. Watching her grow into a beautiful young lady, inside and out, has been a pleasure. We love her so much and look forward to all the wonderful things she will continue to accomplish throughout her life.

Many thanks to Brett Tancer, Cantor Jessica, David Sherman and Rabbi Alon for their time, encouragement and dedication in helping to make this a successful and memorable day for our family!

With happiness and joy,

Carrie and Jonathan Pincus



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

George & Brenda Lane
from Palm Beach Gardens

Tory & Jordan Fried
from Palm Beach Gardens



GOING UP NORTH FOR THE SUMMER MONTHS?

Please give the office a call and let us know when you are planning on leaving and planning on coming back. We would also like your up north address and phone number so we can keep in touch.

**Erev Yom Ha'Zikaron
Sunday, May 4, 2014 at 6:00pm**

Commemorate fallen soldiers & victims of acts of hatred.

A panel discussion featuring veterans of the major Israeli conflicts ('48, '67, '73, '82 and '06).
The program will be moderated by Peter Weisz.

May 1– May 3

Max Sandler: Father of Emile Sandler
 Frances Volner: Mother of Mary-Ann Siegel
 Irene Palumbo: Mother of Carol Mahramus
 Richard Brautigam: Brother-in-law of Judy Bloom
 Mark Cohen: Father of Bruce Cohen
 Milton Flamm*: Friend of the congregation
 Sally Miller*: Mother of Bob Miller
 Milton Oshins: Husband of Carole Levine
 Victor Ruben: Father of Rene Friedman
 Hyman Sandler: Father-in-law of Linda Sandler
 Sophie Schwartz: Mother of Leon Schwartz &
 Grandmother of Madeline Morris
 Betty Weinstein: Mother of Gladys Gottlieb

May 4– May 10

Alice Madanick: Mother of Charlie Madanick
 Oscar Rosenberg*: Father of David Rosenberg
 Deborah Jacob: Mother of Albert Jacob
 William Levin: Father of Maxine Essinger
 Laura Nason: Mother of Mickey Berman
 Irving Warmstein: Stepfather of Jonathan Rubin
 Morris Isenstein: Father of Joseph Isenstein
 Salomon Sabbah: Father of Joyce Drew
 Katherine Schwartz: Grandmother of Harriet Schaffer
 Joseph Wexler: Father of Mort Wexler
 Charles Lewis: Father of Carla Lewis
 Esther Borenstein: Mother of Phyllis Fierman
 Ruth Greenbaum: Mother of Rhea Exizian
 Arthur Levin: Father of Howie Levin
 Marc Silverberg*: Son of Pat & Alan Silverberg
 Bobby Barr: Wife of Jack Barr
 Ray London*: Mother of Gwen Tanner, Grandmother of
 Robin Silvers & Great-Grandmother of Jason Silvers
 Maria Nixonsohn: Grandmother of Naomi Goldberg
 Louise Cox: Grandmother of David Cox
 Maxwell J. Goldberg*: Husband of Shirley Goldberg
 Louis Rand*: Father of Enid Lewis
 Bernice Schaffer: Mother of Alan Schaffer
 Aaron Tarsches: Father of Brud Tarsches

May 11 - May 17

Bernard Cohen: Father of Mitchell Cohen
 Bonnie Perloff Fowler*: Friend of the congregation
 Dr. Joseph S. Friedman: Father of David Friedman
 Maurice Friedman: Father-in-law of Rene Friedman
 Carl Frumin*: Relative of Esther Hartman
 Reuben Gilbert: Father of Marjorie Wolfson
 Sidney Hilcoff: Father of Stephan Hilcoff
 Jack Kiken: Father of Doris Kiken
 Vincent Palumbo: Father of Carol Mahramus
 Freda Price: Mother of Nanci Hochman
 Pearle Moscovitz Feinman: Mother of Audri Schiller
 Molly Lebit: Mother of Joyce Ageloff
 Carl Newman: Father of Joseph Newman
 Lena Rosuck*: Aunt of Alberta Volk & Herman Volk
 Tillie Sandler: Grandmother of Emile Sandler
 Beverly Manoff: Mother of Stuart Manoff
 Charles Silvers*: Father of Jerry Silvers & Grandfather of
 Jason Silvers

May 11 - May 17 (continued)

Ida Caras: Mother of Frieda Alter
 Lester Erlanger: Father of David Erlanger
 Robert Brody: Uncle of Rachel Brody
 Samuel Aaron Minde: Father of Barry Minde
 Tilly Silverman: Mother of Enid Goldsmith
 Sarah Wolfe*: Mother-in-law of Mark Lemelman
 Betty Foley: Former mother-in-law of Linda Posner
 Abraham Greitzer: Grandfather of Emile Sandler
 Saul Meissler: Son of Bobbie Meissler
 Estelle Siegel: Mother of Morton Siegel

May 18 - May 24

Robert Fineberg: Brother of Leona Usher
 Harry Harr: Grandfather of Rosalie Grass
 Gertrude Horowitz: Grandmother of Joel Engelhardt
 William Kaye: Father of Bennett Kaye
 Irwin McDaniel: Father of Jean Aronson
 David Orandle: Husband of Marsha Orandle
 Dr. Hyman Roosth*: Husband of Elinor Roosth &
 Father of Kenneth Roosth
 Lou Weinstein: Father of Marjorie Gildenhorn & Grandfather of
 Cheryl Baldwin
 Samuel Levine: Father of Carole Levine
 Clare Gutterman: Grandmother of Robert Gutterman
 Jenny Rabinowitz: Relative of Gali Levkovitz
 Howard Carswell: Husband of Carol Carswell
 Sadie Gordon: Mother of Ruth Stavisky
 Teresa Moncarz: Mother-in-law of Seth Honowitz
 Harry Buan: Father of Annette Zigelsky
 Jean Eisenberg: Mother of Natalie Siegel
 Max Hochman: Father of Edward Hochman & Elliot Hochman
 Melvin Marks: Son-in-law of Ruth Dubrowin
 Florence Newell Solomont: Mother of Edie Wolf
 Helen Becker: Mother of Nina Nemerofsky & Grandmother of
 Tracy Nemerofsky
 Julia Fierman: Mother of Stuart Fierman
 Eva Orandle: Mother-in-law of Marsha Orandle
 Leonard Sollo: Father of Harriet Schaffer

May 25 - May 31

Ruth Gulko*: Mother of Jacquelyn Halderman
 Abraham Weiner: Brother of Gerald Weiner
 Michael D. Yonkers: Son of Ed & Cathy Yonkers
 Alvin Gitlitz: Husband of Roz Gitlitz & Father of Dena Gitlitz
 Donald Lines: Brother of Jo Smith
 Mark Silver*: Father of Stanley Silver
 Irene Schenkler: Cousin of Edith Kaplan
 Nettie Hardt: Sister of Mort Wexler
 Ruth T. Snell*: Wife of Hy Snell
 Milton Mohl: Father of Mim Davis
 Sally Novick: Mother of Rena Mittenberg
 Rachel Sollo: Mother of Harriet Schaffer
 Samuel Sommers: Father of Elaine Kaufman
 Selma G. Yonkers: Mother of Ed Yonkers

WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR DONATIONS

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Sisterhood of Temple Beth Am

Evelyn & Marvin Slotkin-in honor of the birth of Maxwell Remick

Mary-Ann Siegel-in memory of Frances Volner

Caring Community

Stanley Willner-in memory of Morris Willner

Marcia and Roger Beutner-wishing a speedy recovery to

Rosalie Grass

Betty Miller-in memory of Edward Miller

Cheryl Baldwin-in memory of Jean Weinstein

General Donation

Leona Holland-in memory of Esther Mograbi

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Joetta Schneider-in memory of Yitzchak Fishbein and

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Sue & Dan Freedland-in honor of the birth of Maxwell Remick

Harriet & Donald Schaffer-in honor of Herbert Hodess' special
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Jackie & Harvey Baseman-in memory of Claire Kurnitsky

Mortgage Elimination Fund

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Nate & Marilyn Finkel-in honor of the birthdays of William Levier,

Dave Jacobs & Flora Kletzky

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Shirley Goldberg-in memory of B. Louis Blumberg

Carole & Daniel Myerson-in memory of Tanya Myerson

Marion & Milton Prigoff-in honor of Debbie & Hal Baseman

Lynn & Robert Gutterman-in memory of James N. Gole

Carol Carswell-mazal tov to Lois & Richard Remick on the
birth of their grandson, Maxwell

CONDOLENCES TO:

***Stacey Runfola on the loss of her husband,
Richard Runfola.***

***Brian & Liz Cohn on the loss of his
brother-in-law, Richard Runfola.***

***Sandy Cohn on the loss of her son-in-law,
Richard Runfola.***

***Barry & Wendy Cohn on the loss of
his son-in-law, Richard Runfola.***

***May God send comfort to those in
mourning.***

Music Fund

Colleen & Craig Goldenfarb-in honor of their daughter

Dani's Bat Mitzvah

Harriet Vogel-in memory of Henry Schwartz & Joanne Weiss

Marilyn & Hal Becker-in appreciation of Harriet & Donald
Schaffer's hospitality

Carole Levine & Jose Alvarez-in honor of Lois & Richard
Remick's new grandson, Maxwell

Carole Levine-in memory of Milton Oshins

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Carol Carswell-wishing Gladys Gottlieb & Joel Weinstein much
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Carol Carswell-wishing Maya Levkovitz congratulations on
her acceptance to Dreyfoos School of the Arts

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Robin & Alan Schafner-for the Food Pantry

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Karen & Bob Feller-wishing Fran & Emile Sandler a
happy Passover

Karen & Bob Feller-wishing the Temple Beth Am clergy &
the congregation a happy Passover

Karen & Bob Feller-in honor of the birth of Maxwell Remick
Richard Remick-in memory of Benjamin Remick

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Deborah Baker	1	Krisztina Ergas	17	Marcia Beutner	29
Carole Greene	1	Mark Golzbein	17	Shirley Goldberg	29
Michael Idlis	1	Alex Krieger	17	Rena Mittenberg	29
Joseph Kissil	1	Stuart Manoff	17	Amy Shainman	29
May Zelner	1	Eleanor Titelbaum	17	Madison Krieger	30
Ruti Lifshitz	2	Lacie Greenwald	18	Ilia Mogilevsky	30
Daniel Liss	2	Samuel Kasmai	18	Winston Ng	30
David Moss	2	Jenna Meinbach	18	Consuelo Weinstein	30
Liam Rodgers	2	Ella Ergas	19		
Trevor Senzon	2	Graham Gilbert	19		
Orin Shakerdge	2	Gladys Gottlieb	19		
Ralph Van Baalen	2	Randy Levitt	19		
Eric Becker	3	Julia Lubarsky	19		
Nathan Bock	3	Samantha Short	19		
Rylan Dooley	3	Seth Freeman	20		
Jana Taylor	3	Harmon Garfinkel	20		
Andrea Weinberg	3	Fredrick Locke	20		
Jacob Cornelius	4	Madison Pincus	20		
James Frank	4	Julian DiFilippo	21		
Brandon Hass	4	Esther Hartman	21		
Kathleen Azeez	5	Forrest Sleeper	21		
Zoe Goldenfarb	5	Scott Friedman	22		
Matthew Hartman	5	Lauren Hoffman	22		
Elle Klatzko	5	Meryn Rubenstein	22		
Ashley Popiel	5	Jordan Fischer	23		
LeRoy Rodgers	5	Eric Levine	23		
Nancy Berman	6	Toby Zeichner	23		
Brooke Fishman	6	Sabrina Cohen	24		
Brett Greenwald	6	Jared Kaler	24		
Ken Beer	7	Solomon Koved	24		
Branden Gould	8	Marilyn Levy	24		
Michele Locke	8	Eric Newman	24		
Asher Shaya	8	Richard Remick	24		
Lew Minsky	9	Jonah Schwab	24		
Joshua Sandquist	9	William Toback	24		
Hannah Baldwin	10	Patricia Wecht	24		
Gary Pepper	10	Zachary Brookmyer	25		
Elinor Roosth	10	Jordan Kroyter	25		
Alon Levkovitz	11	Maxim Mogilevsky	25		
Sydney Rosenberg	11	Brett Rosenberg	25		
Larry Diamond	12	Larry Alintoff	26		
Jay Gelman	12	Zina Bereck	26		
Rachel Salinger	12	Jared Bucker	26		
Fredda Steidle	12	Madison Elman	26		
Jordan Teitelbaum	13	Jacob Heston	26		
Laurie Toback	13	Celeste London	26		
Devyn Adler	14	Stephen Cole	27		
Robert Gutterman	14	Emma Hurvitz	27		
Andrew Taylor	14	Jules Popiel	27		
Hannah Altman	16	Daniel Rosenberg	27		
Stuart Fierman	16	Doris Ackerman	28		
Irena Kroyter	16	Skylar Alterman	28		
Tahel Laviv	16	Joshua Kopit	28		
Marsha Loewenstein	16	Joshua Murray	28		
Asher Dooley	17	Evan Rosen	28		
		Lauren Weinstein	28		
		Herbert Wender	28		

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Lewis & Audri Schiller	1
Ron & Leona Holland	2
Jeff & Martha Satinoff	3
David & Mary Elias	4
Ken & Jen Beer	7
Gregory & Alyson Nathan	9
Anthony & Stephanie Shaya	10
Jason & Jennifer Coleman	11
Ron & Edie Wolf	11
Alex & Sarrie Katz	12
Brett & Tracy Nemerofsky Basinski	13
Steve & Maura Miller	15
Larry & Donna Diamond	16
Stanley & Carol Willner	16
Jimmy & Amy Frank	19
Ira & Kim Fialkow	20
Jeff & Karin Elman	21
Matty & Ruth Rosenberg	21
Paul & Lauren Weinstein	21
Barry & Jody Minde	23
Nathaniel & Cathy Drourr	24
Ed & Dorothy Ann Fischman	24
Bob & Pamela Friedman	24
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John & Cheryl Baldwin	26
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Memorial Day) 9:30 Religious School 12:00 Religious School Teacher's Staff Meeting	28	29 5:00 Religious School 5:30 Family Hangout 6:30 Shalom Chai Last night of R/S & Shalom Chai	30 12:45 Mah Jongg 7:00 Choir practice	1 10:00 Sisterhood meeting	2 7:00 Shabbat Service with choir	3 5:00 Afternoon Service and Bat Mitzvah of Hannah Thomas
4 9:30 Rel. School 9:30 6th gr-Miami Last day of R/S followed by lunch 6:00 Yom HaZikaron prog.	5 Yom HaZikaron (Israel Memorial Day) 10:30 Book Club meeting	6 Yom HaAtzmaut (Israel Independence Day)	7 Book Fair 12:45 Mah Jongg 6:30 Men's Club meeting at TBA 7:00 Choir practice	8 Book Fair 5:30-7:00 JAMTY hangout	9 Book Fair 9:00 P/S Mother's Day celebration 5:30 Yom HaAtzmaut on the Beach (NO Service at Temple)	10
11 Mother's Day TBA Hosts Family Promise	12 Book Fair TBA Hosts Family Promise 9:15 PTO meeting	13 Book Fair TBA Hosts Family Promise	14 Book Fair TBA Hosts Family Promise 12:45 Mah Jongg 7:00 Choir practice	15 TBA Hosts Family Promise	16 TBA Hosts F/P 6:30 Wine & Cheese recept. 7:00 Shabbat Service, Torah reading, B'day blessings	17 TBA Hosts F/P 10:00 Morning Service and Bat Mitzvah of Lacie Greenwald JAMTY, Jr event
18 TBA Hosts Family Promise 11-1 Community Wide Kindergarten Preview 4:00 JTI Night of Stars at TBA	19 5:00 St. George's Soup Kitchen 7:00 Board Meeting	20 3:30 Cochavim Event	21 12:45 Mah Jongg 7:00 Choir Practice 5-8 The One School Parent/Teacher conferences	22	23 9:00 P/S Father's Day Celebration 7:00 Shabbat Service	24 5:00 Afternoon Service and Bat Mitzvah of Madison Krieger
25	26 Memorial Day Office/ The One School closed	27	28 12:45 Mah Jongg 7:00 NO Choir Practice	29 5:30-7:00 JAMTY hangout	30 12:00 PTO Bake Sale and Green Market 7:00 Shabbat Service	31 5:00 Afternoon Service and Bat Mitzvah of Madison Pincus

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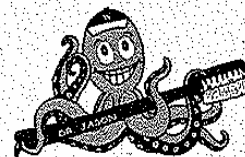


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