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PLANNING THE HIGH HOLY DAYS SERVICES

by Rabbi Alon Leukovitz



When I studied at Tel Aviv University I took a class on American Jewish History. My assignment was to write a paper on the Reconstructionist Movement (which I hate to admit, but until that time, I had not heard of). The first book I read, which is one of the many reasons that directed me eventually to Rabbinical School, was Mordecai Kaplan's "Judaism as a Civilization" (published in 1934). The first line of that book reads: "Before the beginning of the 19th century, all Jews regarded Judaism as a privilege; since then most Jews have come to regard it as a burden."

I remember a friend telling me that he considers it a miracle that he remained Jewish. "I hated Hebrew School more than anything else I can remember from those years," he said. "And when I complained to my parents about how boring school was and how mean the teachers were my father's response was, 'Listen, I went to Hebrew school when I was your age, and I hated it. It was boring and the teachers were mean, but my parents made me go. And now you're going to go to Hebrew school just like I did.""

Hebrew Schools have come a

long way since, but sometimes I get the impression that many Jews still believe that anything authentically Jewish must be painful, difficult and somber, otherwise it is not the "real thing." It is not a new phenomenon and some rabbis in the last 500 years have been trying to change it.

One of those rabbis was Rabbi Isaac Luria (known as the Ari). The Ari was one of the most important rabbis in our history. He lived in the middle of the 16th century in the city of Safed (Tz'fat), in Israel. In one of his most puzzling statements, he said that the festival of Purim has greater holiness and sanctity than Yom Kippur. Some understood this as a mere exaggeration attempting to elevate the importance of Purim. I understand him differently. I think that Rabbi Luria is trying to teach us that to make the High Holy Days more meaningful and spiritual we must borrow the key element of joy from Purim and apply it to the Days of Awe.

Rabbi Luria teaches us that there are two primary emotions that lead us in our spiritual journey. One is awe and the other is love. Both are necessary and that's why we refer to God as avinu malkeinu, our "parent" and our "King." God is simultaneously very close to us and, yet, very separate and removed from us. We feel awe when we perceive God as the Eternal One, Maker of Heaven and Earth, whose essence is far beyond our ability to grasp. But it is love that draws us close. We

understand how love leads to joy, but I believe that awe does it too. The way I understand awe is as a mixture of fear and extreme joy and appreciation. Remember the first time you saw the Grand Canyon or Niagara Falls?

Many of us grew up when Services were very somber, as someone told me last year, "I loved the Services even though they were a bit too happy for my taste." I have to admit that I never saw happy as the opposite of serious. We believe that there is a time to be solemn, a time to laugh and a time for all the emotions in between. Therefore, we work hard when we plan the Services for the High Holy Days to strike a balance between all the emotions mentioned above. We do it through the prayers we choose, the readings, our comments throughout the Service and the variety of melodies. I hope that you find Services this year as meaningful as we do.

Gali and I wish you and yours a sweet new year.

Shanah Tovah,

Rabbi Alon Levkovitz

CELEBRATE SHABBAT AT TEMPLE BETH AM in September

Friday, September 1

"Our Stories are Ours,
Whether We Like Them Or Not"
6:30pm
Pre-Service Reception:
Shabbat Social at 6:30pm—join us for mingling and drinks
7:00pm
Shabbat Service

Friday, September 15

"Should We Forgive When They Didn't Even Apologize?" **7:00pm** Shabbat Service with Birthday Blessing Friday, September 29 8:00pm Kol Nidre Service *ticket required*

Friday, September 8

"Can We Be Grateful When Disappointed?" **5:30pm**Kids Shabbat (see page 15) **7:00pm**Shabbat Service
with Torah reading

Friday, September 22 7:00pm Shabbat Service





Do you have a birthday in September?
Join us on Shabbat:
Friday, September 15 at 7:00pm
for a special birthday blessing

You Had Me at Challah!

Temple Beth Am's Monthly Challah Baking Group September Flavor: Apples & Honey

Did you know Temple Beth Am uses 17-35 Challahs every week??

We knead your help!

Join Chef Eric one Tuesday a month.

We'll bake for the Temple, learn a little Jewish, and everyone will take home a loaf of their own.

No experience necessary.

Space is limited. Reservation a must.

Upcoming dates: Sept. 12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14

When: Tuesday, September 12, 11:00am-12:30pm

Where: Temple Beth Am Kitchen

What: Braid and Bake Challah!

How: RSVP to Danna Cohen dcohen@templebetham.com 561.747.1109

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

by Bruce Cohen

Well, it is September again, Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are right around the corner. To those of you who have returned your completed Voluntary Financial Commitment (VFC) membership card, I want to thank you. Many of you have stepped up and increased your Commitment, and we truly appreciate that! To anyone who hasn't had a chance to send back their VFC card, please note that this year, High Holy Days tickets will only be sent if you have filled out the VFC card and have made your Commitment to the **Temple**. Remember to fill out the payment portion of the VFC card for it to be considered complete. If you have misplaced the VFC card, don't worry, a copy of the card is on the back page of the Scribe. If you have any questions, call the Temple at 561-747-1109 or email tba@ templebetham.com.

I am writing this article as the summer is winding down, our kids are starting back to school and programs have begun at Temple Beth Am. This year there are even more programs than ever for all ages, and with the High Holy Days starting September 20th we want to help all our congregants learn more about them. One of the best ways to find out about what is going on and how you can get involved is Temple Beth Am's website and social media. If you go to www.templebetham.com you will find some of the most helpful information on what is going on at the Temple. And with our **new** website platform it is even easier to navigate on mobile devices because it now automatically resizes to your screen. Just tap on "Calendar" and you will see all the programs, classes, holidays and Services you can take part in. So, instead of me talking about everything going on at the Temple in September, which you can find in this month's Scribe, you are able to see most everything that is scheduled through the end of June

2018. Now there may be changes to the schedule from time to time but we are constantly updating the calendar. There is another great thing you are now able to do and that is sign up for specific events at the Temple as well as pay for them online. As an example: if you go to the online calendar to September 16th and click on Selichot, read down and you will see "sign up," which will take you to an event form, then to Paypal to make a payment. This will allow you to pay by Paypal, or if you don't have a Paypal account, you can pay by Credit Card—quick and easy.

Then there are our social media apps like Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Pinterest which are a wonderful way to see, hear and keep up to date. You might even find one of your favorite recipes or tips to help you with a B' nei Mitzvah or



holiday. We would love you to friend us and follow our social media feeds.

The Board of Directors as well as the entire staff at Temple Beth Am would like to wish you and your family a Happy Holy Days season and look forward to seeing you at Services.

L'Shanah Tovah, Bruce Cohen bcohen561@gmail.com

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The Month of Elul

A Time to Reflect

Join us as together we open ourselves up to the spirit of the High Holy Days. Through special prayers, meditations and songs, we enter the month of Elul, the 30 days prior to Rosh Hashanah beginning on Friday, August 25. We invite you to our special themed Shabbat Services—culminating in Selichot—to celebrate this time of spiritual reflection.

Shabbat Services - 7pm

The Land of Second Chances
August 25

Our Stories are Ours, Whether We Like Them or Not **September 1**

Can We Be Grateful When Disappointed?

September 8

Should We Forgive When They Didn't Even Apologize? **September 15**

Selichot - September 16

6:00pm Dinner

6:30pm Movie:

In Our Hands: The Battle for Jerusalem

8:00pm Service



Selichot Selichot Saturday Sept. 16

6:00pm - Dinner

Prepared by Chef Eric Weiner. \$18/pp. RSVP by 9/8.

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Green Salad Crispy Stuffed Chicken Soup du Jour Challah

Roasted Potatoes

Wine

Green Beans Almondine

Dessert

6:30pm - Movie



"In Our Hands," a movie in honor of the 50th anniversary of the battle for Jerusalem.

This is the story of Israel's 55th Paratrooper Brigade and how Israel Defense Forces risked everything. With firsthand interviews and historical reenactments, this powerful docudrama focuses on the commitment and sacrifice of the

soldiers who reunited Jerusalem.

Come for the dinner, the program, the Service or all three!

The program and Service are free, but please RSVP for dinner. You can pay using the form below or online at templebetham. com/selichot-dinner-rsvp

8:00pm - Service

Selichot sets the stage for the High Holy Days. Through beautiful melodies and prayers, the Service introduces us to the seasonal themes of weness and compassion.

Reservations for Dinner Due by Friday, September 8

Name: Phone Number:

Number of reservations at \$18 each: _____

Amount total:

Credit Card type (circle one): Visa Mastercard Discover AmEx Account # Exp. Date

Or send check payable to:

THE HIGH HOLY DAYS

Read this for a rundown of all our exciting events this season!



Here's what we have going on this season:

Saturday, September 16

Selichot

Eat, sing, pray, breathe High Holy Days

6:00pm Dinner (RSVP required) 6:30pm Program (no ticket required) 8:00pm Service (no ticket required)

Wednesday, September 20

Erev Rosh Hashanah

8:00pm

Thursday, September 21

Rosh Hashanah

10:00am Morning Service 2:00pm Children's Service LIVE

(no ticket required) (birth-K)

3:00pm Young Families' Service (1st-6th) 4:30pm Tashlich on the beach at Ocean Cay Park (Marcinski Rd. & A1A)

Friday, September 29

Kol Nidre

8:00pm

Saturday, September 30

Yom Kippur

10:00am Morning Service

2:00pm Children's Service LIVE

(no ticket required) (birth-K) 3:00pm Young Families' Service (1st-6th)

4:15pm Afternoon Service

Yizkor (no ticket required) Blowing the Shofar Break-the-Fast

by Debbie Baseman

Selichot Saturday, Sept. 16



Selichot sets the stage for the High Holy Days. Through beautiful melodies and prayers, the Service introduces us to the seasonal themes of forgiveness and compassion.

Preceding the Service, everyone is invited to join us for dinner and a film that will start the celebrations of Israel at 70. After the program, we will begin our Service with a musical Havdalah ceremony and dress the Torah scrolls in their holiday covers.

Come for the dinner, the program, the Service or all three!

6:00pm Dinner (RSVP required)*

6:30pm "In Our Hands," a movie in honor of the 50th anniversary of the battle for Jerusalem

8:00pm Service

*The program and Service are free, but please RSVP for dinner (\$18 per person) by Friday, September 8 by sending your check to Temple Beth Am (note Selichot on the memo line). See page 7 to RSVP or go online to www.templebetham.com/ selichot-dinner-rsvp.



www.templebetham.com

Tashlich Thursday, Sept. 21

Grab your blanket and picnic dinner and join us for our annual Rosh Hashanah tradition, as we let go! Free yourself of the wrongs you don't want to carry into the new year, by taking part in the Jewish custom of casting them into the sea.

Come together with the Temple Beth Am community for this informal ritual at Ocean Cay Park (Marcinski Road and A1A). We'll have a short meaningful Service and bid farewell to the year with moments of personal reflection, as we toss bread into the water and watch the waves carry it away. Following, we'll hang out on the beach with new and old friends! Children are invited to join Youth Director, Amanda Feld, for sandcastle building and beach games.

Beach attire recommended.



THE HIGH HOLY DAYS FOR CHILDREN

Take-a-Break: for Kids 6-12 years old

During Rosh Hashanah (9/21) & Yom Kippur (9/30) Morning Service

HaMakom will be providing breakrooms throughout the Service. Children ages 6-12 can take a short stretch, socialize and get out their shpilkes, before returning to sit with their parents. These rooms will have quick games and activities, as well as refreshments for children needing a breather from the Service.

*Children's Service LIVE: 2:00pm

A lively Children's Service **appropriate for children birth through kindergarten and their families** *during Rosh Hashanah* (9/21) *and Yom Kippur afternoon* (9/30). Imagine High Holy Days Services in a room full of families with young kids. We sing, we tell stories, no one minds if your kids make a little noise, do a little dance or don't know the words. Let's put the Holiday back in Holy Day.

*Young Families' Service: 3:00pm

New this year during the day of Rosh Hashanah (9/21) & Yom Kippur (9/30):

A specially designed Service for **families with elementary school aged children** to enjoy the High Holy Days together. Led by Rabbi Alon, Cantor Jessica and Rabbinic Intern Brett, these interactive Services will weave together rituals, prayer, music and stories into an engaging and age-appropriate High Holy Days for you and your children.

If your kids have outgrown the Children's Service, but not yet ready to sit through the morning Service, this one's for you!

(Join us at 4:30pm for Tashlich on the Beach at Marcinski Road & A1A following the Service.)

*No tickets required. No cost. Open to all.

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Babysitting is available as follows:

Morning Services: <u>Potty-trained</u> through kindergarten **Afternoon/Evening Services:** <u>Potty-trained</u> through 2nd grade

A snack will be provided. The cost is \$5 per child per Service. Please call 561.747.1109 or email debbiebase@aol.com to RSVP.

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Child's name & age:		
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Parent's name:		Parent's cell number:
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9/20 Erev Rosh 9/21 Rosh Hash	Hashanah Service nanah Morning Service	 9/29 Kol Nidre Evening Service 9/30 Yom Kippur Morning Service 9/30 Yom Kippur Afternoon Service

Register by: September 13, 2017

Return form to TBA: 2250 Central Blvd., Jupiter FL 33458 561.747.1109

THE HIGH HOLY DAYS

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High Holy Days Sisterhood Flower Fund

Donor's name:	
	We/I would like to sponsor flowers for Rosh Hashanah
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	We/I would like to sponsor flowers for Yom Kippur
	We/I would like to sponsor flowers for whenever they are needed
	during the High Holy Days.
	A contribution of \$75 is suggested
	Deadline: September 6, 2017
	Please send this form and a check made payable to:







Ushers Wanted!



Can you spare a little time and help us during the High Holy Days? We need volunteers to help us check tickets, hand out books and meet and greet guests during all our Services. If you would like to help, please contact Brad Roffer at (772) 380-5559 or email at bradrtba@gmail.com.

Sisterhood of Temple Beth Am c/o Sharon Rosen 185 Barbados Dr. Jupiter, FL 33458

Dedicate a High Holy Days Prayer Book

Would you like to dedicate a High Holy Days prayer book? You can dedicate a book in memory of, in honor of, or in appreciation of someone; or come up with other words. Doing so will help us offset the costs of our new High Holy Days Books. You can dedicate a prayer book for \$36 each.

Dedicating a Prayer Book is a great way to honor, remember or show your appreciation for someone. Your dedication will appear on the front inside cover of our new High Holy Days Prayer Book.

Example of a dedication:
This prayer book is dedicated to
Temple Beth Am
by John & Jane Doe
in honor of their children
Suzie & Bobby

This book is dedicated by (your name)	
Circle one: In honor of In memory of In appreciation of Other (indicate what you wish us to write)	



Young Families Service

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Chedule Rosh HaShanah

Thursday, September 21 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Join us at 4:30pm for Tashlich on the Beach at Marcinski Road & A1A following the Service.

Yom Kippur

Saturday, September 30 3:00pm - 4:00pm

No tickets required. No cost. Open to all. If your kids have outgrown the Children's Service, but not yet ready to sit through the morning Service, this one's for you!

Questions?
Please contact Education Director Alissa Frankel
561.747.1109 or afrankel@templebetham.com.



We need your help! We'll be building the Sukkah and cleaning up the community garden. Come lend a hand or two!

Kabbalat Shabbat in the Sukkah

Friday, October 6 - 6:30pm

Welcome Shabbat in the Sukkah, shake the etrog and lulay and enjoy a pre-Shabbat reception.

HaMakom 3rd - 6th Brade Family Sukkot BBQ Tuesday, October 3 - 6:00pm

Decorate the Sukkah while enjoying a delicious BBQ!

The One School Sukkot Family Program

Wednesday, October 4 - 5:00pm - for ages 2-5

Make crafts, have dinner and sing songs with Mr. Brett and learn about Sukkot with Rabbi Alon.

HaMakom K - 2nd Brade Sukkah Decorating + Popsicles Sunday, October 8 - 11:00am

Simchat Torah Service & Blow Party Friday, October 13

Enjoy a pizza dinner at 5:30 and a 6:00pm Simchat Torah Service (unroll the Torah!) followed by a dance party and ice cream bar!





SIMCHAT TORAH GLOW PARTY FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 6PM

5:30pm Pizza Dinner 6:00pm Service & Unrolling the Torah Followed by Dance Party and Ice Cream Bar

FREE. EVERYONE IS WELCOME.

DRESS TO GLOW: Wear white or neon and dance the night away, with a DJ, games, prizes and surprises.



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HIGH HOLY DAYS FOOD DRIVE

Run by our high school youth group JAMTY

Benefitting Alpert Jewish Family and Children's Service.

On the High Holy Days and Sukkot, we pause for reflection and thanksgiving. Hunger is real, even in our area. On Yom Kippur, tradition challenges us to feed the hungry. Let us share what we would have otherwise eaten on Yom Kippur and more!



Help make it a happier year for those in need by performing the mitzvah of tzedakah.

Bags distributed during Rosh Hashanah Services.

RETURN FILLED BAGS TO TRUCK AT TEMPLE BETH AM ON KOL NIDRE OR YOM KIPPUR.

All food should be currently dated, unopened and non-perishable. Kosher items preferred. No condiments or salad dressings other than mayo.

PRIORITY ITEMS INCLUDE

Spaghetti/pasta & tomato sauce, canned tuna, peanut butter, jelly, mayo, cereal, toothpaste, deodorant, shampoo, laundry detergent, toilet paper, paper towels, applesauce, canned fruit/vegetables/potatoes and vegetarian soups & pasta sauces.



Lotsa Helping Hands create community

Dear Friends,

We are re-introducing **Lotsa Helping Hands** to Temple Beth Am's community. Lotsa Helping Hands is a web-based volunteer organization platform that we use to alert our core of volunteers when the need arises. At this time, we are using it to offer support to families who are going through a rough patch, like health crisis (but not only!), by providing dinners for a limited amount of time.

If you wish to participate, and help out by making and delivering a meal, you can sign up for Temple Beth Am's Lotsa Helping Hands community. Please send me an email at galilevkovitz@gmail.com so I can send you an email invitation with easy to follow directions.

If you cannot reach me, please contact **Carol Sleeper** at csleeper@templebetham.com.

Thanks for lending a hand,

Gali Levkovitz galilevkovitz@gmail.com

P.S. If you feel that your family could benefit from this communal service or you know of someone in our Temple Beth Am community including The One School, please also email either Carol or me. We all go through rough times. We don't have to do it alone!

COPING WITH THE HIGH HOLY DAYS AFTER THE DEATH OF A LOVED ONE

Wednesday September 13 5:30-7:00pm

The High Holy Days are almost here and you're not sure of how that makes you feel. If you have experienced the death of a family member or friend within the past two years the holidays might be daunting, for example: facing yizkor for the first time, the person will not be seated next to you as in the past, or you're not sure you want to host your annual Rosh Hashanah dinner or festive break-fast.



Attend this workshop, facilitated by Harriet Vogel, author of SAD IS NOT BAD, Reform Jewish educator and professional grief counselor. She will help you explore these many issues, validate your concerns and educate you in a safe, supportive environment. Light refreshments will be served.

To sign up, call the Temple Beth Am office (561.747.1109), email <u>tba@templebetham.com</u> or visit www.templebetham.com/coping-high-holy-days-after-loss-workshop-registration

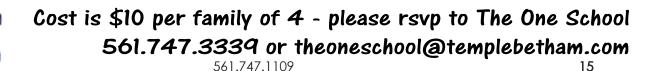
Kids Shabbat Back to School edition!

Friday, September 8

5:30pm







SISTERHOOD SCOOP

by Lois Remick

"Here's to the Ladies Who Lunch," a rather bawdy song sung by Elaine Stritch from the Broadway Show, Company. My way of reminding all Sisterhood members to join us for our monthly lunch. We meet at 12 noon on the third Tuesday of the month and each attendee pays for their lunch. However, if you are celebrating your birthday during that month, you are the guest of Sisterhood! How is that for a benefit of membership! Our September lunch out will be on Tuesday, September 19, at Carmine's Coal Fire Pizza at 4575 Military Trail, #101 (a block or so after Donald Ross Rd.). Reservations must be made at least 3 days prior to the lunch in order to alert the restaurant to the number dining. Please call Carole Levine at 561.339.3909, or email her at iptrcaro@comcast.net with your reservation. Because the venue for lunch may change every two months or so, please read your Scribe for any updates.

We Need Your Help

Sisterhood needs your help during the High Holy Days (see below). If you can help, please contact Maril Levy at 561-249-6046.

Erev Rosh Hashanah, Wednesday, Sept. 20:

(at the conclusion of the Service) Pass out Tzedakah cans and Food Drive bags.

Rosh Hashanah Day, Thursday, Sept. 21:

(at the conclusion of the Morning Service) Pass out Tzedakah cans and Food Drive bags to those who did not attend the Evening Service.

Rosh Hashanah Afternoon, Thursday, Sept. 21:

(at the conclusion of the Children's Service, about 2:45pm) Pass out goodie bags to children.

Thank you to all who attended the Lunch and Movie on July 30. Once again, Chef Eric provided an array of delicious food and we thank him for this. We regret that the sound system did not work properly for all to enjoy the movie. However, if you would like to borrow the movie for your home viewing, please contact Maril Levy at maril@family-levy.com.

We hope that you will send in your 2017-2018 Sisterhood Membership dues as soon as possible as we are printing a Sisterhood Directory and we would like to include all members. If you would like to pay your dues by credit card, please contact our Treasurer, Carole Levine at iptrcaro@comcast.net or at 561.339.3909 and give her information needed.

SAVE THE DATE... the annual Celebrating Sisterhood Brunch and Author will be Tuesday, **December 5, 2017** at Temple Beth El in West Palm Beach. Abigail Pogrebin, author of My Jewish Year: 18 Holidays and One Wondering Jew, will be the keynote speaker. We hope to have many TBA members attending as your Sisterhood is a sponsoring organization of this event. If you were at this event last year at our Temple, you know that it is a delicious feast for mind and body. A flyer with further information will be in the October Scribe.

Tzedakah Cans: We would greatly appreciate the return of filled Tzedakah cans to the office as we use the funds to sponsor scholarships to Camp Coleman as well as for other Temple Beth Am sponsored events for children.

Before I end, I want to ask each of you to think about how Sisterhood has provided you with something special. It



could have been an event where you met somebody who is now a friend; it may have been helping with a mailing and feeling you were part of the Temple; perhaps it was attending the annual paid-up-luncheon and enjoyed meeting others for the first time. It could also be enjoying reading the Scribe and wanting to support the work of Sisterhood. Whatever your desired level of participation, we want you to know that our meetings are open to you, and we hope you will attend. They are held on the first Tuesday of the month at 1:00pm in the Social Hall at TBA.

Further, if you have 2 to 3 hours a month to give of your time and talent, please consider assisting in planning and helping with our events.

Last, as I had written in the previous *Scribe*, your Sisterhood Board is "looking for a few good women" to consider joining the Board. This is most important to the future success of your Sisterhood. If you are interested, please call **Maril Levy**, Membership Chair, at 561.249.6046, maril@family-levy.com.

Let there be Peace on Earth,

Lois Remick

MEN'S CLUB HAPPENINGS

by Harvey Silverman

On behalf of the Men's Club I wish all our Men's Club members, all our TBA members, all our friends, acquaintances, and supporters a very happy, peaceful, and contented New Year—Shanah Toyah.

As we look back on our Men's Club year, I see a highly successful 12 months under the stewardship of our former Men's Club President, **Bruce Cohen**, now Temple Beth Am President. The highlight of the year for Men's Club was undoubtedly our **significant** financial contribution to Project Chidush coupled with the record attendance for our Man of the Year Breakfast honoring Mark Slifkin.

None of this would be possible without the dedicated support of our loyal Men's Club members who volunteer their service, time, and wisdom to "getting the job done." They show up behind the scenes in the kitchen or out front serving the congregation, for TBA events or for The One School, be it Sunday mornings, Friday nights at the beach, or any other time that the Men's Club is needed. These are the folks who make Men's Club a reliable service organization for our Temple.

Thank you Men's Club volunteers.

Now, what are we planning for 5778 (2017/18)?

We start our year with a Wednesday evening "night out" dinner (for couples or singles) **August** 30 at 6:00pm at Carmine's La Trattoria (PGA Blvd.) hosted by Harvey Silverman, followed by a Saturday evening "kick off the season" dinner on October 21 at Brio in the Gardens Mall at **6:00pm** hosted by Bob and Nanci Hochman, followed by a **Sunday** "Sports" Breakfast on October 22 at 9:30am hosted by Mark Slifkin featuring Barry Weinberg, Sr. Medical Advisor for the St. Louis Cardinals (see page 22 for details). Those events will be quickly followed by our Business Networking Program on Wednesday, October 25 at 5:30pm hosted by Mel Wolfe. See page 23 for more details.

Our Annual Sunday Breakfast honoring our Veterans will be held on November 12 at 9:30am hosted by Bob Hochman.

Sunday, January 21 at 9:30am will feature a "Town Hall Style"



breakfast meeting with Rabbi Alon and TBA President Bruce Cohen.

Saturday, March 17 at 6:00pm we will again be featuring our always popular Progressive Dinner hosted by David and Mary Elias followed on Wednesday, March 28 at 7:00pm by another Business Networking Program.

Sunday, April 8 at 9:30am brings another Sunday Breakfast and Yom HaShoah Program, and we close the year with a May Golf Tournament (exact date to be announced).

As you can see, we have a busy program schedule and we look forward to seeing all our Temple members and their guests at these events.

Harvey Silverman

JAMTY Cafe

Sundays at 9:00am and Tuesdays at 4:30pm

Enjoy a meal before Religious School! Cards are available to purchase that offer our selection of food at a discount. Proceeds go toward the youth group scholarship fund!



The JAMTY scholarship fund gives our youth the ability to receive financial assistance for youth events and NFTY regional events. With the help of our community and raising money, we are able to continue creating meaningful moments for our youth to enjoy and build connections to Judaism.

We need high school volunteers to run the café! Contact Amanda Feld to help: afeld@templebetham.com.



MATERNAL EMOTIONAL SIGNALING... WHAT WE SAY WITHOUT WORDS

Dr. Jennifer Milone

DOUBLE BOARD CERTIFICATION
CHILD & ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY AND ADULT PSYCHIATRY

Please join Dr. Milone for a discussion on Maternal Emotional Signaling:
What We Say Without Words.
This presentation will describe the emotional communications between a mother and child. We will discuss how mothers can successfully use these communications to help their children regulate their emotions and manage anxiety.

Jennifer Milone, M.D. is double board certified in both Child & Adolescent Psychiatry and Adult Psychiatry.

Dr. Milone graduated with honors from the University of Florida where she majored in Psychology and Biochemistry. She completed her medical training at the University of Florida College of Medicine where she graduated with honors in research. Dr. Milone went on to complete her Psychiatry Residency & Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Fellowship at The Menninger Department of Psychiatry at Baylor College of Medicine.

Dr. Milone's areas of expertise include:

mood disorders, anxiety, women's mental health, trauma, ADHD & PTSD. She is currently in practice at Treasure Coast

Primary Care in Stuart, Florida.





Monday, August 28th 9:15am

How do you communicate emotionally??

Cost: \$5
Workshop Fee

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SOCIAL ACTION

ST. GEORGE'S SOUP KITCHEN

Thank you to all our new and old members who attended TBA's Open House and stopped by our Social Action Table to say "hello" and sign up for volunteering. We will be calling you.

Many people asked if their young children can volunteer at the Soup Kitchen. This activity is for adults and children over 13.

On the 3rd Monday evening of each month, a handful of volunteers serve over 200 hot, healthy dinners to the needy at St. George's Episcopal Church in Riviera Beach. The meals are prepared in the kitchen at Temple Beth Am on that Monday afternoon.

We are **ALWAYS** in need of new volunteers. If you can't volunteer on a Monday evening, but would like to help, PLEASE drop off boxes of penne pasta or elbow macaroni (no substitutions) to the Temple.



HELP US FEED THE HUNGRY.

If you would like to volunteer, contact Lauren Weinstein at luvbanjo@gmail.com or Eric Weiner at eweiner@templebetham.com

Our next soup kitchen will be SEPTEMBER 18th, 5:30pm to 6:30pm.

Lauren Weinstein and Eric Weiner

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Jennifer Milone and Anthony Camerino and their children Sophia and Nicholas from Jupiter

Norma Kritchman and her son Lenard from Jupiter

Nikki and Stephen Gordon and their daughter Sarah from Palm Beach Gardens

Christine Davis and her daughter Sadie from Palm Beach Gardens

Lisa Lauer Strauss and Larry Strauss and their children Landon and Finley from Palm Beach Gardens

Shelley and Burt Newman from Palm Beach Gardens

Jackie and Rob Davis and their son Evan from Teguesta

Renee and Larry Shawe and their daughter Ava from Palm Beach Gardens

Erica and Adam Sadowski and their children Tyler and Evan from Palm Beach Gardens

Jennifer and Ronald Goldin and their children Seth, Nathan and Lila from Jupiter

Marcia and Gilbert Fisch from Palm Beach Gardens



Sharon Seidenberg from Jupiter

Jamie & Ivan Tarasuk and their children Arielle, Daniel & Noah from Palm Beach Gardens

Alice & Henry Oberman from Palm Beach Gardens

Marci Katz and her son Liam from Jupiter

Phyllis & Bob Levin from Hobe Sound

Tracy & Lee Cohen and their children Ty and Max from Palm Beach Gardens

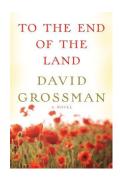
Gayle & Steve Kernkraut from Palm Beach Gardens

Lisa & Marc Malloy and their children Noah and Dylan from Jupiter

Welcome back Lisa & Ed Harrisburg and and their children Samantha and Matthew from Jupiter

Welcome back Jill & Patrick Dooley and their children Rylan and Asher from Jupiter

SUMMER BOOK CLUB



SEPTEMBER MEETING: Monday, September 11th at 10:30am at TBA

BOOK SELECTION: MAKING TOAST

LUNCH: To Be Announced

Roger Rosenblatt - When his daughter, Amy—a gifted doctor, mother, and wife—collapses and dies from an asymptomatic heart condition, Roger Rosenblatt and his wife, Ginny, leave their home on the South Shore of Long Island to move in with their son-in-law, Harris, and their three young grandchildren: six-year-old Jessica, four-year-old Sammy, and one-year-old James, known as Bubbies. Long past the years of diapers, homework, and recitals, Roger and Ginny—Boppo and Mimi to the kids—quickly reaccustom themselves to the world of small children: bedtime stories, talking toys, play dates, nonstop

questions, and consequential thought. Though reeling from Amy's death they carry on, reconstructing a family, sustaining one another, and guiding three lively, alert, and tender-hearted children through the pains and confusions of grief. As he marvels at the strength of his son-in-law, a surgeon, and the tenacity and skill of his wife, a former kindergarten teacher, Roger attends each day to "the one household duty I have mastered"—preparing the morning toast perfectly to each child's liking.

With the wit, heart, precision, and depth of understanding that has characterized his work, Roger Rosenblatt peels back the layers on this most personal of losses to create both a tribute to his late daughter and a testament to familial love. The day Amy died, Harris told Ginny and Roger, "It's impossible." Roger's story tells how a family makes the possible of the impossible.

For additional information, please contact CK Tenenbaum 561.744.3010

Yoga with Yael



Location: Temple Beth Am 2250 Central Blvd. Jupiter, FL 33458 Questions? Call 561.747.1109

Wednesday Mornings 9:15am - 10:15am or Wednesday Evenings 6:00pm -7:00pm

All adult ages and experience levels welcome (modifications available).

Open to anyone and bring your own mat or use one of ours.

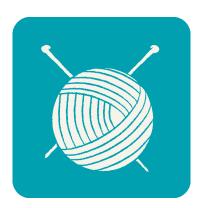
Classes are \$12 each or \$100 for 10 classes.

Yael Lawrence, MS BC-DMT is a Board Certified Dance Movement Therapist and has experience teaching all ages how to strengthen their bodies and minds.

For more information or to register, Please contact Yael at ylawrence@templebetham.com.

Activities for All

THE KNITTING CLUB



Do you knit, crochet or needlepoint?

Join the Knitting Club! All levels and abilities welcome.

We will meet once a month at 10:30am at TBA.

Our next meeting is Monday, September 18 at 10:30am

We will now be knitting for <u>Jupiter Medical Center</u>, so we need as many people to join us as possible!

Contact Leona Usher for more information at 561.694.0290

MAH JONGG CLUB



Cracks, Bams and Dots! Enjoy an afternoon of play & light refreshments.

Now offering Mah Jongg lessons on Wednesdays from 11:00am to 12:30pm

Play with us Wednesdays at 12:45pm

Call Dotty Wisch at 561.746.7017 or email dottywisch@comcast.net or call Toby Zeichner at 561.745.0395

Is your gently used Mah Jongg set looking for a new home? If so, TBA would like to adopt it. Bring it with you the next time you come to Temple. Thanks!

Young At Heart Group Cocktail Party Mixer

Wednesday, September 6 at 3pm



FREE drinks & hors d'oeuvres

Mingle & make friends

Suggest future events for the group

Everyone's welcome

To RSVP, contact Leona Usher at 561.694.0290

Y.A.L.A. Young Adult Lifestyle Activities



Temple Beth Am's YALA offers casual events for young adults and their friends to share relationships and interests to Judaism.

You're invited: Brunch & Bible
Join us at Rocco's Tacos on PGA Blvd. for brunch!

Saturday, September 9 at 11:00am

Meet new friends, enjoy mimosas and discuss connections we have, as young adults, to the Hebrew Bible.

RSVP is required by Friday, September 8.

FREE Guacamole! Food and drinks not included.

MENS CLUB SPORTS BREAKFAST

October 22 - 9:30am

Featuring

BARRY WEINBERG

Sr. Medical Advisor for the St. Louis Cardinals

With a long history as a trainer, Barry Weinberg is currently the Senior Medical Advisor for the St. Louis Cardinals. He will be speaking about baseball and his current position while attendees enjoy a delicious breakfast of Bagels and Lox (and all the trimmings).

To sign up, please use the form below. Call the office with reservations: 561.747.1109 or email tba@templebetham.com. Any questions, contact Mark Slifkin at 561.222.8350 or mslifkin7@comcast.net.







Men's Club Sports Breakfast - Sunday, October 22 - RSVP by Monday, October 16

Name(s):	
Phone Number:	
Number of reservations at \$10 each:	
Amount total:	
Check #	

Send check payable to:

TBA Men's Club, 2250 Central Blvd., Jupiter, FL 33458

BUSINESS NETWORKING



<u>How:</u> Attend Temple Beth Am's Men's Club sponsored Business Networking Evening Co-sponsors: Gordon & Doner, joined by Jeff Klatzko with Merrill Lynch, M Dental, Vargas Orthodontics, etc.

When: Wednesday, October 25, 2017

Doors open at **5:30pm** • Event starts at **6:00pm**. Self-Introductions Optional • Meet & mingle until 8:00pm • Doors close at 8:30pm

RSVP required: \$10/person. Bring business card or written information Includes choice of a beer or wine; snacks; finger foods and a chance to win door prizes RSVP to: Bob Hochman at 917.807.8086 or nabobone@comcast.net. You may also pay by credit card by calling Bob at 917.807.8086. Or, you can fill out and submit the form below with your check.

TBA Men's Club Sponsored Busin	ness Networking Evening • Wednesday, 10/25/17 • Space is Limited
I	will attend. My phone number is
Attendees joining me are:	
Enclosed is my check in the amou	unt of \$ made out to TBA Men's Club
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BAT MITZVAH OF SARA FELDMAN



It is with tremendous love, pride and excitement that we announce Sara Feldman will be called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on September 2 at Temple Beth Am.

Sara's understanding of people around her coupled with a maturity beyond her

years since she could talk, has led her to be known as a child with an "old soul." The warmth and loving nature she exhibits continues to be a trait that draws people of all ages to her and that smile (especially now with no braces) lights up a room.

Sara is an honor roll student at Jupiter Middle School. She devotes two hours every morning before school, now going on her third year, as a teacher's helper for elementary children 2nd grade and under. She participated in a year of beach cleanup and played piano for two yearly performances to raise funds for Grace Notes Music Foundation. For Sara's Mitzvah Project she chose to continue working with children but in a different capacity. She had the desire to work with children that were sick and volunteered to be with the kids housed at the Quantum House. The Quantum House helps lessen the burden on families, whose children from all over the world come to Palm Beach County to receive treatments for serious medical conditions, by providing housing. We are so proud of the impact Sara makes by reading, working on art projects or just playing games with these kids. For the past year, she lights up their day when she comes to visit and we believe they have had the same effect on her.

In between all this volunteer work Sara enjoys gymnastics, swimming and is learning guitar. During her spare time when we actually can get the phone away from her, she loves photography, going to the beach, listening to music, watching re-runs of "Friends" and watching various Netflix series. Hanging with her friends is probably one of her favorite things to do, many of whom have grown up with her at Temple Beth Am and some have known her since she was 2 years old. She will not admit it, but she even sometimes loves to hang with her sister Rachel. Her "sissy" has been so lucky to have such a caring, responsible (and sometimes more over protective than mom) big sister.

We would like to thank Rabbinic Intern Brett Tancer, Rabbi Alon Levkovitz, Terri Berryman and Cantor Jessica Turnoff Ferrari along with all of Sara's Temple Beth Am teachers for helping to prepare her for this day. A special shout out for Paula Deakter, where in her preschool this journey began. Temple Beth Am has been like a 2nd home for our children. You are family and we are blessed to have you in our lives.

We are so incredibly proud of you Sara and can't wait to celebrate!!!!

Jackie and Sam Feldman



BAR MITZVAH OF CHARLIE SPUNGIN

It is with love, happiness and pride that we announce our son, Charles Andrew Spungin, will be called to the Torah as a Bar Mitzvah on Saturday, September 9, 2017 at Temple Beth Am.

We are looking forward to celebrating this joyous occasion with Charlie's older brothers, Jason and Jarrett Simon, extended family and friends.

Charlie is a seventh grade student at The Benjamin School. His academic achievements are outstanding. He has been elected to the Student Council for the last 3 years. Charlie spends a lot of his free time playing basketball. This past season he had the opportunity to compete in New Orleans, Atlanta and Virginia. His team finished 3rd in the nation. Charlie enjoys hanging out with family, friends and our four dogs.

We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to Rabbi Alon Levkovitz, Cantor Jessica Turnoff Ferrari, Rabbinic Intern Brett Tancer and all of his religious school teachers for all their time and support in helping Charlie prepare for this momentous day.

Jamie and Marc Spungin

KVELL & TELL

Mazel Tov to **Stuart & Phyllis Fierman** on the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson **Jared Fierman**

CONDOLENCES

Harold Kay and family on the loss of his mother, **Yetta Kay**

Gladys Chleck and family on the loss of her husband **David Chleck**

Irwin Friedenberg and family on the loss of his wife **Lois Friedenberg**

Lee Fox and family on the loss of his sister **Wendy Fox**

ISRAEL TRIP

If you are interested in joining Rabbi Alon and Gali on the trip of a lifetime to Israel for 12 days in the summer of 2018, **please email** galilevkovitz@gmail.com for more information.

MISHPACHA FAMILY CENTER NEWS



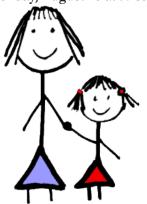
by Yael Lawrence check out great pictures on our blog: http://templebethamjupiter.blogspot.com/p/family-center.html Keep updated on our Facebook group: Temple Beth Am Mishpacha/Family Center

NEW PARENT EUCATION WORKSHOP

Maternal Emotional Signaling... What We Say Without Words

> Dr. Jennifer Milone Double-Board Certified in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry and Adult Psychiatry

Monday, August 28 at 9:15am



Please join Dr. Milone for a discussion on Maternal Emotional Signaling: What We Say without Words. This presentation will describe the emotional communications between a mother and child. We will discuss how mothers can successfully use these communications to help their children regulate their emotions and manage anxiety.

Cost: \$5 Workshop Fee

Sponsored by: Jennifer Milone, MD & The Temple Beth Am Family Center

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

"Childhood is something precious to be celebrated and shared. You'll be amazed to see your child's individual journey of discovery and learning.'

FALL 2017 Toddler Enrichment Program (TEP) (12-30 months)

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

> FALL #1 TEP Session 8/18/2017 - 10/13/2017(NO CLASS 9/1, 9/8, 10/6) Cost: \$150/6 week session

FALL #2 TEP Session 10/27/2017 - 12/22/2017(NO CLASS 11/24)

Cost: \$200/8 week session

Fall Bundle: Sign up for both Fall #1 & #2 Sessuibs and save \$50

One time TEP Registration Fee of \$25 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.

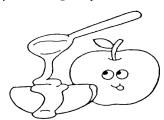
BABY/TODDLER APPLES & HONEY ROSH HASHANAH CELEBRATION

Thursday, September 14 4:30-5:30pm

Bring your Babies, Infants & Toddlers to celebrate the Jewish New Year with an Apples & Honey Project, Rosh Hashanah Treats, Songs & Stories (open to ages 0-3... siblings welcomed)

> Cost: \$10 per family Dinner to follow included

Please RSVP to Yael ylawrence@templebetham.com



PARENT

EDUCATION

2017-18 PARENT EDUCATION SERIES AT TEMPLE BETH AM MISHPACHA/FAMILY CENTER

• Maternal Emotional Signaling...What We Say without Words

Dr. Jennifer Milone - Double Board Certified in Child & Adolescent Psychiatry and Adult Psychiatry

Monday, August 28, 2017 9:15am

 What Predicts School Success? It's not IQ Dr. Myles Cooley

Monday, October 9, 2017 9:15am

• The Kindergarten Dilemma Dr. Heidi Cherwony, Mind & Body Doctor Monday, November 6, 2017 9:15am

• Taking Care of Yourself while Taking Care of your Children Dr. Carrie Lager Monday, February 5, 2018 9:15am

The Temple Beth Am Mishpacha/Family Center Parent Education Series is dedicated to bringing relevant & thought provoking topics to a community forum for the purpose of promoting child well-being, developmental success & parental support. Expert presentation & interactive discussion in the field of Child Development are the backbone of this series. There is a minimal workshop fee for all workshops. *dates/topics subject to change*

YOUTH GROUP NEWS



WELCOME BACK!

Lounge Night & You

The start of a new school year also brings the start of a new program, lounge night!

Lounge night offers our middle schoolers and high schoolers time out of their busy schedules to enjoy dinner and an informal program with their friends as they build connections with the Temple *outside* of a religious school setting. It is the experiences during this period of their lives that define how they continue their Jewish identity as an adult. Offering a casual night at the Temple where they create memories that entice them to participate in even more at Temple Beth Am is our mission. We invite your students to join us as we enjoy each other's company!

JAMTY (9th - 12th Grade) Tuesdays 6:30 - 8:00pm

JAMTY Junior (6th - 8th Grade) Thursdays 6:30 - 8:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS:



JAMTY (9th - 12th grade)

MYSTERY LIMO – SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

NFTY-STR FALL KALLAH – OCTOBER 13-15

register at southerntropical.nfty.org

JAMTY Jr (6th - 8th grade)



AMAZING RACE - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24



Cochavim (3rd - 5th grade)

BBQ IN THE SUKKAH - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3

Questions & RSVP: afeld@templebetham.com

NEW Hamakom Clubs

PJ Our Way Book Club

4th – 5th graders

Read and explore books together in fun and creative ways.

Cost: Free! Tuesdays 4-4:30pm 9/26, 10/24, 11/28, 12/19





Cook the Book

Kindergarten – 3rd graders

Create and eat food crafts to learn about bible stories and the Jewish holidays.

Sundays 12-1pm 9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22

HaMakom Playhouse

4th - 6th graders

Play theatre games, learn basic acting and have fun while practicing and performing a short story of a classic Jewish tale.

Sundays 12-1pm 9/10, 9/17, 9/24, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22

Sunday clubs cost: \$50 (includes lunch & supplies)

Sign Up Now! Space is limited.

RSVP & Payment to Temple Beth Am
Attn. Alissa Frankel 561,747,1109



Learn Jewish. Live Jewish.

Lego Club

Kindergarten – 3rd graders

Create, build and express your creativity with Jewish themed lego builds.

Sundays 12-1pm 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 12/3, 12/10

Arts & Crafts

2nd – 4th graders

Make your own Jewish keepsakes using different modalities.

Sundays 12-1pm 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 12/3, 12/10

A Taste of Israel

4th - 6th graders

Learn how to make traditional Israeli classics.

Sundays 12-1pm 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 12/3, 12/10

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A MESSAGE FROM THE ONE SCHOOL PTO

by Jessica Deakter. PTO Secretary

It is unbelievable that the 2017-2018 school year is already underway! Thank you to everyone who attended our Ice Cream Social. It was great to see all of our new and returning families. And a big thank you to **Stacey LaPlaca** for her outstanding work to make this event a success!

Parents, let's kick off the new school year—Please mark your calendar for our PTO Kickoff Event at Grimaldi's on SEPTEMBER 6th at 6:30pm.

We are REALLY excited to introduce The One School PTO's 2017-2018 Board!! This is going to be a fun and exciting year.

Natalie Johns Montijo, President Stacey LaPlaca, Vice President Jessica Deakter, Secretary Jackie Ranaldo, Treasurer Stephanie Stankiewicz, Gala Coordinator Our Adopt-A-Class program is underway! Thank you to all the families who have already adopted a class. Donations are still being accepted and are truly appreciated. All donations received go directly to the specified class. The Adopt-A-Class donation forms went home in your Welcome Bag on the first day of school. Forms are also available in the office.

Our next BAKE SALE is Monday, September 18, 2017 from Noon-3:00pm in The One School lobby. The One School will have monthly bake sales with treats baked by the children and their families. Special thanks to this year's Bake Sale Coordinators, Samantha Gestal and Lynsey Zelickson.

If you have any questions regarding the PTO or would like to volunteer please email me at pto@templebetham.com.

Volunteering is a great way to stay involved with your child's school and have some fun with other parents. I have enjoyed being part of The One School PTO for several years and I know this year will be the best yet!

Important Dates:

Wednesday, Sept. 6, 6:30pm – PTO Kick-Off @ Grimaldi's

Wednesday, Sept. 14, 5:00pm

– Apples & Honey Family Program

@ The One School

Monday, Sept. 18

– Bake Sale

@The One School

PTO Meeting Dates: October 23, January 22 and April 16 at 9:15am



Please join us for

The One School PTO Kickoff Event Wednesday, September 6 at 6:30pm

At Grimaldi's Pizzeria

Downtown Gardens - 11701 Lake Victoria Gardens Ave. Palm Beach Gardens

Parents - Let's get together and KICKOFF the new school year!!!

Pizza and Wine will be served!! **Parents Only**



RSVP by Sept 1 to

pto@templebetham.com

Please include your child's name and class name in your RSVP



This Rosh Hashanah, I Challenge

Two essential parts of preparing for

Rosh Hashanah, our clean slate for

the year, is asking forgiveness from

(mental or written) of the ways we

anyone we wronged and making a list

fell short since the last time we heard

the shofar. Ideally that hard work of going to friends, family, and anyone else deserving of our forgiveness happens in the weeks leading up to Rosh Hashanah. By the time Yom Kippur rolls around 10 days later, we should be ready to confess our mistakes as a community, having already considered our personal paths to teshuva, repentance, and how we will do better this year.

You to Focus on the Positives

Early Childhood Director

THE ONE SCHOOL NEWS SEPTEMBER

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

• Monday, September 4: Labor Day - No school

• Friday, September 8, 5:30pm: Kid's Shabbat – Back To School (see page 15)

• Thursday, September 14

4:30pm: Apples and Honey for toddlers 0-2 years old

5:00pm: Dinner for all ages (\$10/family; RSVP to The One School)

5:30pm: Apples and Honey for 3-5 years old

• Monday, September 18, Noon-3pm: PTO Bake Sale in The One School lobby

• Wednesday, September 20, 12:00pm: Early dismissal for Erev Rosh Hashanah

• Thursday, September 21, 2:00pm: Rosh Hashanah Children's Service (no school)

• Friday, September 29, 12:00pm: Early dismissal for Kol Nidre

• Saturday, September 30, 2:00pm:

Yom Kippur Children's Service (no school)





The One School had a super duper ice cream social on Thursday, August 10th-Everyone visited their classroom and met their new teacher and classmates!!

If, like me, you're the kind of person with a high capacity for guilt, you probably find that task easy, too, since we already felt badly about it during the year. I regret contributing to any gossip. I regret listening to any gossip. I regret not helping individuals or organizations more than I could have.

I find that children, perhaps through nature and nurture, also have no problem (OK, after some prodding) coming up with people deserving of apologies and ways they could have behaved better during the year.

In Rabbi Joseph Telushkin's book "A Code of Jewish Ethics Volume I: You Shall By Holy," he suggests that in addition to focusing on our transgressions before Rosh Hashanah, we also make a list of the good we did this year. He provides a sample prayer modeled after the Al Chet ("For the sin I committed by...") recited on Yom Kippur. Instead of "For the sin I committed," he starts each line

with, "For the mitzvah we (or I) performed." He ends the prayer with these encouraging words: "All these things, God, please remember and inspire us to do more acts like these in the year ahead."

I find the "For the mitzvah I performed" exercise a great exercise for children. We are not just focusing on mistakes, but position actions, encouraging our kids to think of their good deeds as well. But the power of focusing on both the mistakes and the positive actions we performed this year is about

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as powerful of a Rosh Hashanah preparation that you can get.

One mitzvah that is a major mitzvah for Rosh Hashanah is to hear the shofar. The shofar is our spiritual wake-up call. It would not be required every year if we were expected to have lived flawlessly.

For the mitzvah I performed I shared with my community the importance of focusing not only on our mistakes, but also positive actions for the year!

Paula Deakter

SEPTEMBER YAHRZEITS

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September 7 Alex & Saluja Goldman

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September 10 Fred & Michele Locke

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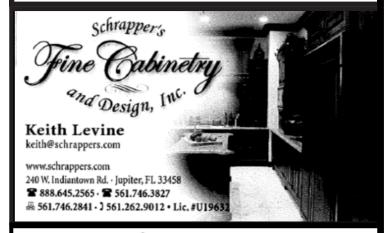
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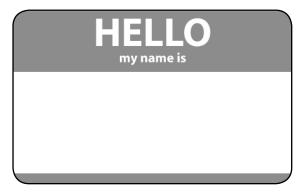
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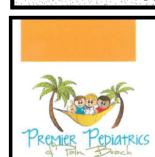




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