Nefesh Mountain
Where Jewish Spirit and Soul Meet Bluegrass
A concert to fund Jewish summer experiences for kids

Saturday February 23, 2019 at 8:00 p.m.
Congregation Kol Ami, 3919 Moran Rd., Tampa, FL 33618

Nefesh Mountain is an effective blend of bluegrass, Hebrew and a little bit of country. Like a blanket passed down as a family heirloom, the results are warm and comfortable. Nefesh Mountain is a game changer. They open people’s hearts while bringing us all along for the journey of their lives.

“Bluegrass and Jewish Traditions Meet and Fall Madly in Love”
— Bluegrass Today

“Crisp, Refined, Timeless Bluegrass”
— The Bluegrass Situation

Dessert reception following concert catered by Nosh Caterers.

Advance Tickets

Individual:
Adults $36
Students $10

Sponsors:
(includes 2 tickets)
Gold $175
Silver $155
Bronze $135

To purchase tickets or to become a sponsor, call the Kol Ami Office at 813-962-6338 or visit www.kolami.org/donate-payments

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Message from the Rabbi

By Rabbi Howard Siegel

Shortly after turning age 51 (and that was a few years ago!), I competed, as a swimmer, in my first Senior Olympics in Houston, Texas. Some 20 years later, I still compete when the opportunity presents itself.

On that particular day I joined 71 other participants in the swimming events in the Senior Olympics swim meet. We were seeded in heats according to our reported times. Among the competitors (between the ages of 51-86) were former collegiate swimmers and at least one former Olympian (age 65 & still faster than most!). Then, there were the “really” inspiring participants.

One woman, age 76, who competed in a number of distance events, was to have a hip replaced the next day (she finished all her events & even won some medals for her age group). Jack, age 76, competed in 7 events involving 4 different strokes (sprints & distance). I consider myself in good physical shape, but I wouldn’t have been able to compete in 7 events in the same day!

There was Delores, a 64-year old woman, who wasn’t very fast, nor particularly graceful with her strokes. In fact, in the 200-yard backstroke event, Delores finished 4 minutes after the next-to-the-last swimmer.

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It didn’t matter. Everyone rooted for Delores and she acknowledged her fellow participants with a smile and a question, “When’s the next event?”

No one pretended they were turning the clocks back on time. Most of the participants (myself included!) displayed gray (or graying) hair, a little more flesh in the hip areas, wrinkles here-and-there, and a few more aches, pains, and occasional groans (not to mention a forthcoming hip replacement). Still, it would be easy to mistake the spirit of these people for those decades younger. The goal of these Olympians was maybe to live longer; but certainly, to live better!

The Book of Deuteronomy teaches, “Tiv’hor B’Hayim—Choose Life!” Now I know what it means. And, yes, I won two silver medals and one bronze!

Rabbi Howard Siegel

Request from Rabbi Siegel

Please keep us informed of significant events in your family life. It is our desire to be of help and service to you in times of special need. It is especially important that we know of those in the hospital, and assisted living or nursing homes, so that we can visit and they may be included in a prayer for recovery at Shabbat Services.
Every year at this time, the Board convenes a Nominating Committee to do the holiest of work for our “Kehillah Kedoshah” – our holy congregation: identify a group of willing members to lead our congregation. As we learn in Pirke Avot 2:16, “It is not [our] responsibility to finish the work, but neither are [we] free to desist from it.”

As each year passes, this task grows increasingly difficult as fewer and fewer people are willing to step up and say “Hineini!” – “Here I am,” as Abraham first did so many thousands of years ago. Perhaps, it is just another sign of the times. Perhaps, people are too involved in their secular lives to volunteer at Congregation Kol Ami. Perhaps, we have grown too comfortable by having two clergy on our bimah who we expect to take on many of these roles. Regardless of the reason, if we want our Congregation to continue to be a thriving source of Jewish ritual, education and socialization, we MUST step forward and assume the reigns of leadership! As we know all too well, clergy come and go, presidents come and go, but, we, the members of Congregation Kol Ami are the constant. We MUST be the ones who say “Hineini!” and be the light unto our community – an Ohr L’Kehilah – to lead by example, creating an energy that engages those around us and give others reason to join the excitement!

Engagement, however, does not start with assuming a committee chair position. Expecting people to leap at leadership roles without experience is a fool’s errand. Engagement must begin with serving on a committee – learning what the committee is all about, learning the processes that go into making a specific committee function. We can no longer encourage committees of one. Doing so only perpetuates the status quo – a congregation that consistently turns to the same people to do the heavy lifting. This ultimately leads to burnout. There are many committees on which you can volunteer, depending on your interests and skills: Adult & Family Education, Cemetery, Chai Guys / House, Chavurah, Fundraising, Ma’asim Tovim, Membership, Religious School Board, Ritual, Security, Social Action, Social Programming, Youth Advisory Council, to name a few. Doing this committee work is the best way we can develop tomorrow’s leaders today!

If anything you read here moves you to action, which I hope it will, if you are interested in serving on a committee, please reach out to me (avi@kolami-board.org) or Mitch Weiss, Executive Director (execdirector@kolami.org) and we will connect you with the appropriate people to learn more about which opportunities exist where and how to best get involved.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our current nominating committee – Cathy Grossman (Chair), Amy Binder, Marc Tindell, Mario Rodriguez, Jon Zimmer – for their extraordinary efforts putting together an exciting slate of officers and trustees that will lead us for the next two years, along with advisors to lead for the next year. Our brightest years ARE in front of us! The Future is Here, We are It!
Life Cycle Events

If you wish to have a life cycle event included in the ChaiLites, please contact Joanna Paley at least 2 weeks before the 1st-of-the-month publication date at 813-962-6338 or email frontoffice@kolami.org.

Mazel Tov to:

William Kasenetz and his family on him becoming a Bar Mitzvah.

Rita and Ronald Schonwetter on the marriage of their daughter, Rachel, to Cary Kraft.

Judy and David Zaritt on the marriage of their daughter, Goldie, to David Kerstanski.

Hamakom Yinakhem, Condolences to:

Mical and Karla Solomon and Amy Solomon and their families on the passing of Freda Miriam Brod, their beloved grandmother, great grandmother, and great-great grandmother.

Shabbat & Services at Kol Ami

February Candle Lighting

February 1 ......................... 5:52 p.m.
February 8 ......................... 5:57 p.m.
February 15 ....................... 6:03 p.m.
February 22 ....................... 6:07 p.m.

February Torah Portions

February 2 .................... Mishpatim
February 9 .................... Terumah
February 16 ................ Tetzaveh
February 23 ................ Ki Tisa

Weekly Service Schedule

Friday Evenings .................. 6:30 p.m.
Shabbat Mornings ............... 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Minyan .................. 9:15 a.m.
Mon.-Thurs. Minyanim ........... 7:30 p.m.

Congregation Kol Ami
Jacobson-Wolf Camp

2019 Yellow Candle Scholarship

Yellow Candle & Jacobson-Wolf Camp Scholarships are made available to the young people of our congregation who are participating in Jewish summer camps & programs, such as Ramah, USY on Wheels, and USY Pilgrimage. Programs must have quality Jewish content and observe Kashrut. Need-based, as well as merit scholarships are available.

To obtain an application, please contact:
Mitchell Weiss, Executive Director
(813) 962-6338
eexecdirector@kolami.org

Applications must be completed & returned to the office by Friday, March 15, 2019.

2019 Yellow Candle Scholarship

27 Nisan 5779
May 2, 2019

This yellow candle emphasizes the unusual & profound pain we feel as a community as we recall the lives of six million martyrs.

By lighting this candle at sundown on May 1st, we declare that the memories & souls of our loved ones still remain a light in our lives.

If you would like us to send you a Yom HaShoah Yellow Yahrzeit Candle, please contact the office at (813) 962-6338 or FrontOffice@KolAmi.org

*No contribution is required to receive a candle*

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SAVE THE DATE!
RABBI SEARCH WEEKEND

February 8-10, 2019

Rabbi Rachel Blatt
Candidate for Rabbi Position
Schedule of events TBA

Rabbi Rachel Blatt has been serving as the Assistant Rabbi and Director of Lifelong Learning at Beth Israel Congregation of Owings Mills, Maryland since 2014. Born in New York and raised in Clearwater, Florida, she grew up in the Conservative Movement. After completing her undergraduate work at the University of Central Florida, Rabbi Blatt received her MA in Jewish Education at the William Davidson Graduate School of Jewish Education at the Jewish Theological Seminary. She received her Ordination from the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies at the American Jewish University in Los Angeles, California. She enjoyed many summers working at Camp Ramah Darom and Camp Ramah in California.

Rabbi Blatt wants us to know that in order to make sense of today’s world, in every Jewish setting she strives to create an environment where Jewish values are baseline assumptions of behavior, and text study is a way of conversing with thousands of years of family. She is married to Rabbi Marc Blatt and they are the proud parents of 8 year-old twins, Hannah and Tova, and 3 year-old Rafi.
SAVE THE DATE!
March 29-31

Rabbi Joel Wasser Memorial
Scholar in Residence Weekend

Congregation Kol Ami, Sisterhood and Brotherhood

cordially invite you to the

Rabbi Joel Wasser Memorial Scholar in Residence Weekend

with special guest
Rabbi Arnold Resnicoff

March 29 - 31, 2019

COMMUNITY FOOD BANK

Requests for food increased 20% in 12 months
Now serving more than 5,700 families annually

Fill a Grocery Bag
with non-perishable food (no glass)
Tuna • Peanut Butter • Pasta • Cereal • Canned Fruit • Cookies • Rice • Beans

Write a Check
to Tampa Jewish Family Services
Enables agency to purchase food when it’s needed.

Donate a Gift Card
($10 or $20)

Thank you for helping to provide essential services to those in our community who need it most. For more information about the TJFS Community Food Bank, contact Lea Merrill Davidson-Bern, Food Bank Director and Volunteer Coordinator, at 813-960-1848.
House Highlights

1. A video doorbell has been installed at the school in order to gain entry. Thank you, Jenn Halls, for the great idea.

2. We received approval from Homeland Security to go forward with our plan to install 11 cameras. This is in addition to the 21 cameras that we already have on our property. The installation will take place at the beginning of March.

3. An inspection by an outside company has been done for all of our emergency lights and exit signs, and we are in complete compliance.


5. New flowers have been planted around the trees at the school. Thank you to Sheila and Brian Shaw for their donation and to Amy Binder for planting.

Future Projects

1. Power washing the Nicole Kleban Memorial Garden and South side of property.

2. Doing cleaning maintenance to our Star Memorial in the Nicole Kleban Memorial Garden.

3. Landscaping clean-up at the Chapel entranceway.

Security Spotlight

by Jon Zimmer

After the horrific event in Pittsburgh, where an evil man murdered innocent people at a synagogue, I noticed a surge in articles online from all parts of the country, all basically: “(insert city) area synagogues step up security.” I was looking to see if I could pick up any ideas from other shuls. While I am glad our Jewish brethren are taking security seriously and recognizing potential threats, I didn’t learn any new tricks. By no means am I being critical or speaking lashon hara, but most of what I read were things like “we are looking into having local police at Shabbat services.”

Kol Ami has had Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Department officers at every service and largely attended events for the last five years. We have a lead officer who organizes the various deputies that we employ to watch us during services, school events, and more. We have worked with security personnel at the local JCC, the Department of Homeland Security, and Hillsborough County. Recently, an officer told us that we were “ahead of the game” when compared to other synagogues and churches in the area.

I write this not to give ourselves a pat on the back, or to commend the great job that our Executive Director, Mitch Weiss, and our VP of House Committee, Mike Korenvaes, have done, but rather to assure the congregation that we at Kol Ami have taken security seriously for quite a while and are always looking to improve. We are fortunate to have such a supportive congregation that is always warm, gracious, and welcoming to our officers that assist us and that keep a keen eye out for any irregularities.

Mike, Mitch, and I are always looking for ways to improve security and have reached out to different synagogues, executive directors, and other trusted organizations. We welcome any suggestions or words of advice from our congregants. Thanks again for making Kol Ami a safe place to be!
For more information on any TOLL classes, please call Kol Ami at 813-962-6338 or email frontoffice@kolami.org.

### Shabbat in February

**Gutsy Torah with Rabbi Siegel**  
Saturdays, February 16 and 23 at 8:30 a.m.  
- A weekly Shabbat morning discussion of the Torah portion of the week with some attitude. A wonderful way to learn there is more to Torah than meets the eye!

### Sundays in February

**The Kushner Series**  
Book Review & Discussion with Rabbi Siegel  
Sunday, February 10, 7:00-8:00 p.m. at Carrollwood Barnes & Noble.  
- “How Good Do We Have To Be? A New Understanding of Guilt and Forgiveness”

**Israel Today** with Ephraim Graff  
Sunday, February 24 at 10:00-11:00 a.m.  
- The Syria Mess – Who’s Who and the Impact on Israel

### Tuesdays in February

**L’Chaim – Sharing Life’s Lessons**  
Tuesdays, February 5, 12, 19 and 26 at 11:00 a.m.  
- Discussion topics vary with a different leader each week. Friendly group sharing our life’s lessons. Everyone is welcome.

**Judaism 101 with Rabbi Siegel**  
immediately followed by **Beginning Hebrew**  
Tuesdays, February 5, 12, 19 and 26 at 8:00 p.m.  
- Everything you wanted to know about Judaism from birth to death, celebration to celebration, slavery in Egypt to freedom in the modern State of Israel, and more! Each week will cover a new topic and discussion based on the text *Living Judaism* by Rabbi Wayne Dosick.

### Wednesdays in February

**“Good Ole’ Fashioned Bible Study” with Rabbi Siegel**  
Wednesdays, February 6, 13, 20 and 27 at 11:00 a.m.  
- Each week a different topic of Torah study will be discussed utilizing articles written by contemporary Rabbis and Bible scholars. Among the weekly topics of Torah discussion will be: Justice, women, ecology, land of Israel, relations with Gentiles at home and abroad, War and Peace, and many others!

### Thursdays in February

**Talmud Study with Rabbi Siegel**  
Thursdays, February 7, 14, 21, and 28 at 10:30 a.m.  
- Swimming in the Sea of Talmud: Talmud Study with Rabbi Siegel  
- “How about taking a dip in the sea of Talmud (Jewish Law)?” Jewish Law confronts everything from Capital punishment to How to Make Rain. There is seldom a dull moment in this learning. This is open to everyone from beginners thru experts. Texts are provided.
KoAmi Sisterhood

Congregation KoAmi Invites All Sisterhood Members & Guests to Our Mah Jongg Tournament

Sunday, March 24, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
at The Grand Ballroom at Aston Gardens, Tampa
12951 W. Linebaugh Ave., 1/4 mile east of Race Track Road

$40 per person includes continental breakfast and lunch. Breakfast is at 9:00 a.m. with tournament play at 9:25 a.m.

Door Prizes
Prizes will be awarded to the highest winners.
Reserve your place early – space is limited.
Your check is your reservation.

BRING YOUR MAH JONGG CARDS!
Questions? Email sisterhood.kolami.tampa@gmail.com
Make checks payable to Kol Ami Sisterhood and mail to:

Kol Ami Sisterhood
3919 Moran Rd., Tampa, FL 33618

KASHRUT CLASS

Kol Ami Sisterhood Mah Jongg Tournament
March 24, 2019

Name

How many seats? ______________________________ Amount enclosed: $________________________

Address

Phone number

Email address

Willing to be East? (please check) ☐ Yes ☐ No
Willing to bring a Mah Jongg set? (please check) ☐ Yes ☐ No

All reservations and checks must be received by Sunday, March 17, 2019

Kol Ami Sisterhood

ISRAEL TODAY

WITH EPHRAIM GRAFF

A DISCUSSION-BASED SERIES ON CURRENT EVENTS IN AND SURROUNDING ISRAEL
Topics will include:
The Syria Mess – Who’s Who & the Impact on Israel
The Upcoming Israeli Elections
Netanyahu Investigations & Police Recommendations
Tunnels into Israel from Gaza & Lebanon
US Disengagement from the Middle East

CLASS MEETS ONE SUNDAY PER MONTH AT 10 - 11AM
STARTING ON FEBRUARY 24
MAR 10 | APR 28 | MAY TBD | JUNE TBD
Email EGruff0424@aol.com for more info!
Hamentaschen Baking Day with Sisterhood

Sunday, February 24, 2019
8:30am-12:30pm

Join Sisterhood and Kol Yeladim students as we bake hamentaschen!

Volunteer times:
8:30 - 9:30 - Prep for Baking
9:30 - 10:15 - 5th & 6th Grade Baking
10:15 - 11:00 - Pre-K - 2nd Grade Baking
11:00 - 11:45 - 3rd & 4th Grade Baking
11:45 - 12:30 - 7th Grade Baking, Cleanup

Items to donate by Wednesday, February 20th:
- Duncan Hines Moist Deluxe Classic Yellow Cake (marked Parve)
- Parve Fillings (apple, chocolate chips, apricot, cherry, etc.)
- Cash Donations can be left in the front office or school in a sealed envelope marked "Sisterhood"

Please RSVP with your time slot by Wednesday, February 20th
to Cindy Korenvaes at sisterhood.kolami.tampa@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE!

Sweet Tomatoes Night

Monday, February 25
4:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Watch for your flyer!

Sisterhood Needleworkers

The Sisterhood Needlework Group meets every Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at Kol Ami and on occasional Sunday mornings. It is open to everyone and provides crafters an opportunity to socialize, exchange information, and learn new techniques.

One of the current charity projects the group participates in is Warming the World, a local nonprofit organization that provides hats to newborns around the world. Hats can be knitted or crocheted; however, many of our group prefer to use a circular loom. Last year, the organization sent hats to six states (IL, TN, MS, AL, FL and MN), Puerto Rico, Ecuador, Brazil, Iceland, Guam, Burundi, Somalia and the American Heart Association, several organizations that help mothers worldwide, and one organization that helps babies locally.

For information about the Sisterhood Needlework Group or contributing to Warming the World, contact Carol Tarica at carol.tarica@yahoo.com.

Let Sisterhood share your Simcha!

Does your family have a Bar or Bat Mitzvah coming up? Celebrating a special Birthday, Anniversary, Baby Naming or other Simcha? Would you like to sponsor a Kiddush or Kiddush luncheon?

For more information about Sisterhood Simcha Kiddush prices, please contact Sisterhood: sisterhood.kolami.tampa@gmail.com.
Kol Ami Brotherhood

By Barry Dvorchik - Brotherhood President

On Saturday, February 23, 2019, Brotherhood is sponsoring a bluegrass community wide concert featuring Nefesh Mountain. The critically acclaimed acoustic/bluegrass band Nefesh Mountain blends American Appalachian traditions with the beautiful heritage of Jewish culture. Together with their unique background, Nefesh Mountain has become the pioneer of a transcendent new genre, touring internationally with their music and fusing these seemingly disparate worlds with songs and spirituals in English and Hebrew alike.

From Austin to Waco, from Nashville to Memphis, to NC and GA, NY, CA, Canada, Israel, Australia and more, Nefesh plays to a wide variety of audiences and the result is always the same – STANDING OVATIONS!

Sue and I stumbled into a Nefesh Mountain Concert when we were at a Bar Mitzvah in Washington, DC in 2017. It was a triple Bar Mitzvah, so we didn’t think much about the crowd. But we were wrong. It was the synagogue’s Concert Night. I was taken aback by the 300+ crowd, so I asked some locals whether this was the usual response to their Concert Night. They said no, usually they got 40-60 people to attend. So I said, why the huge numbers? They simply said…it’s Nefesh Mountain!

In a sanctuary that held 300 people, there were more than 350. The ruach was amazing. So, grab your jeans and be there, Saturday night, February 23rd, at 8:00 p.m.

The concert is being advertised in the Jewish Press of Tampa, The Hillel Academy newsletter, the Shabbat Shalom newsletter and in synagogues around the area. DON’T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY! Don’t be the one who is left out because you delayed in ordering your tickets. Not only will you feel good but you will do good as the proceeds go to assist our Kol Ami kids with a Jewish summer experience. Don’t delay, call the Kol Ami office and order your tickets or better still, become a sponsor. FEEL GOOD…DO GOOD!

Preview the music by clicking here.

(Brotherhood cont’d. on next page)
WORLD WIDE WRAP DAY

Join us, along with Kol Yeladim Students, on Sunday, February 3, 2019 as we unite with other congregations around the world in celebrating the mitzvah of Tefillin! Rabbi Siegel will give a short talk about tefillin and its history. He will be joined by members of the Brotherhood, who will help demonstrate and teach the proper wrapping technique to participants. There will be a Minyan service, with bagels and light refreshments to follow!

9:00 - 9:30am Learning about Tefillin
9:30 - 10:00am Minyan
10:00 - 10:30am Light Brunch
10:30am 3rd - 7th Graders return to Kol Yeladim Classes
Please join us for our next Howard Kanter Kiddush Fund Luncheon on Saturday, February 26, 2019. This complimentary luncheon is catered by Nosh Caterers and is also open to non-members in the greater Jewish Community.

Although members are not required to RSVP to attend, we do ask that any non-members who plan to attend contact the Kol Ami office at (813) 962-6338 to make reservations so we can prepare appropriately.

The Kiddush Fund, created by Kol Ami member Howard Kanter (z”l), provides one Kiddush Luncheon per month on a Shabbat that does not have a Kiddush Luncheon sponsored by members or another committee of the synagogue.

Your extra donations (in addition to your usual contributions to Kol Ami) help insure this effort for years to come. Donors are recognized in the Weekly Watch and Shabbat Shalom the week of the sponsored luncheon.

We hope to see you on Saturday, February 26. Also, please be sure to mingle and introduce yourself to someone you don’t know at these wonderful opportunities to make new friends and enjoy fellowship with your Kol Ami family.

Tampa Jewish Family Services Community Food Bank

Tampa Jewish Family Services (TJFS) food distribution is offered once a month at the agency’s Citrus Park and Brandon locations.

Distribution dates for February are:

Citrus Park: February 7
Brandon: February 14

Both locations offer emergency food bank distribution on weekdays by appointment only. Pick-up for both services must be arranged in advance by calling 813-960-1848. Please help spread the word in your community that this service is available in Citrus Park and Brandon. If you would like to make a contribution, please drop off canned goods or a monetary donation to the agency’s Citrus Park location at 13009 Community Campus Drive, Tampa, FL 33625. Brandon location is Congregation Beth Shalom, 706 Bryan Rd, Brandon, FL 33511.

TJFS will never turn away an individual or family in need.

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Shalom, My Holy Friends! is a bound compilation of Rabbi Wasser’s (z”l) sermons as he delivered them from the bimah here at Congregation Kol Ami.

Just Published!
The Academy at Kol Ami

We invite all 8th - 12th graders to join us for a year of discussion and learning. Classes will meet at Kol Ami on Sunday mornings, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Grades 8/9 and 11/12 meet once per month.
Confirmation (10th Grade) meets twice per month.

For more information, Academy dates, or to register, please visit the Post B’nai Mitzvah Class on the Kol Ami website.

8th / 9th Grade
The 8th and 9th grades will be instructed by Rachel Degani. We will engage the students through discussions that will bring Pirkei Avot, the ethics of our fathers, and Torah to the forefront of their lives. We will also include some young adult Jewish book studies and writing from a Jewish perspective.

Confirmation (10th Grade)
Confirmation will be instructed by Rabbi Siegel. The Kol Ami Confirmation program will be a program of Jewish and American Civics! The late U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice, Louis Brandeis said, “We must learn to be better Jews by first learning to be better Americans.” This year’s class will explore the basics of democracy and government in a uniquely Jewish way.

The culminating event will be a 4-day trip to Washington, DC to meet with politicians, Jewish activists, and experience “up close and personal” the workings of the Federal government, and how teenage Jews can make a difference. (Trip pricing and dates will be available soon.)

Brunch with the Rabbi (11th / 12th Grade)
The 11th and 12th grades will be instructed by Rabbi Siegel. We will be using a curriculum based on Jewish “middot” utilizing Jewish texts, short films, interesting narratives, and classroom discussion. High school can be filled with confusing and difficult events and even more difficult decisions. Our Academy program will help to bring Jewish values and perspectives to light which will help to guide them through these times.

Kids’ Konnections

By Jennifer Halls, Education Director

The weather has been crazy this winter, many hot and sunny days, many rainy days, and even a few cool days, but here at Kol Yeladim, it is always a perfect 72 degrees, sunny with a 0% chance of rain! Our students have been working hard and enjoying the weather outside. We spend time in nature learning about Tu B’Shvat, how we should appreciate the natural world, and making sure we take time to relax and enjoy our surroundings. Our students completed a nature scavenger hunt using iPads and phones to take pictures, as not to destroy nature. We finished our studies with a wonderful Tu B’Shvat Seder led by Rabbi Siegel. The students always enjoy trying new fruits that originate in Israel.

The Annual World Wide Wrap Day sponsored by our Brotherhood will be held on February 3rd. Our 3rd-7th grade classes will learn how to wrap Tefillin and even get to make Tefillin to practice using! It is a great joint activity that keeps our traditions going, from generation to generation. Mentioning traditions… as it is our Kol Yeladim tradition, we will be in the kitchen with Sisterhood for Hamentaschen baking again, on Sunday, February 24th. You know what that means – it is almost time for PURIM!!!

This year’s Purim Carnival will feature a Fiddler on the Roof Purim Spiel, games, food and more! We are always looking for people to help plan, set up, and clean up the carnival. If you are interested, please email Abby at kolamiadmin@kolami.org.

By now, you should have received report cards for first semester. Please feel free to call or touch base with us if you have any questions or concerns. If you would like to schedule a conference, please send an email and I will work with you to make it happen.

Upcoming Events
2/1.........PreK-2nd Grade Class Shabbat (Friday Night)
2/2.........Shabbat School (6th and 7th Grade Only)
2/3.........World Wide Wrap Day with Brotherhood
2/10.......No Sunday School (Hillsborough County Fair Day)
2/16.......No Sunday School (Presidents’ Day)
2/24.......Hamentaschen baking with Sisterhood

With all that is happening this month at Kol Yeladim, we look forward to seeing everyone at Shul! Be sure to also enjoy our Florida winter and make some time to get out and enjoy nature with your family and friends!
William Kasenetz
February 23, 2019 / 18 Adar I, 5779

William Kasenetz is a 7th grader at Carrollwood Day School, having also attended Hillel Academy through 5th grade. A self-described “fun, exciting, and intelligent person,” William’s idea of perfect happiness is “being at home with a vanilla milkshake at my side, whilst sitting at my computer playing video games.” William loves snowboarding, ice skating, computer programming and video games. He also likes to volunteer at the Feeding Tampa Bay Program with his mom, where sorting and packaging food for food-disadvantaged families in Hillsborough County is done.

William’s mitzvah project “helps kids in foster care by providing them with a new or gently-used duffle bag. When kids move from foster homes, they usually put their belongings in black garbage bags. I wanted them to have something they can call their own.” He hopes to make this an annual project.

William has family coming to his bar mitzvah from Washington, DC and throughout Florida. Mazal tov to William!
On January 20th, USY and Kadima celebrated Tu B’shvat in the tree tops at an outdoor ropes course called TreeHoppers. TreeHoppers is an obstacle and ziplining course located in the beautiful forest in Dade City. Aside from enjoying the beautiful view, USYers and Kadimanicks learned what their minds and bodies are capable of on challenging ropes and obstacle courses. We are proud to say that almost all participants finished one of TreeHoppers toughest course, Black Diamond, and some even attempted their most challenging course, Double Black Diamond. Double Black Diamond starts with a rock climbing wall that only 30% of people who try actually make it past. Then of those 30%, only 25% actually finish the entire course. We are proud to have 3 participants that made it up the rock wall, and 2 who actually finished the course. This is quite a mind-over-body victory and a great example of what a positive attitude and some discipline can accomplish.

Boneem and Chaverim had a blast playing laser tag at QZar and are looking forward to spending time with Kadima painting at their Color Wheels event at Rodeph Sholom on Feb 24th.

(Youth Groups continued on next page)
Kadima had a ton of fun celebrating Tu B’shvat in the tree tops of zip line and obstacle course, TreeHoppers. They are very excited to join USYers at Yom Islands of Adventure on Feb 17th and Boneemers, painting at their Color Wheels event.

USYers had a busy month volunteering at Metropolitan Ministries on Jan. 13th and celebrating Tu B’shvat at TreeHoppers on Jan. 20th. They are ramping up for their annual Sub-Regional Convention on February 1-3rd and Yom Islands of Adventure on February 17th.
**February 2019 Events & Happenings at Kol Ami**

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| **Monday, February 4** | Executive Committee Meeting | 7:30 p.m. |

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**Wednesday, February 20**
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Kol Yeladim Religious School ..........................................................5:00 p.m.
Kashrut Class ........................................................................8:00 p.m.

**Thursday, February 21**
TOLLL: Talmud Study with Rabbi Siegel ................................................10:30 a.m.

**Friday, February 22**
Shabbat Services ..............................................................................7:30 p.m.

**Saturday, February 23**
TOLLL: Gutsy Torah with Rabbi Siegel ........................................8:30 a.m.
Shabbat Services (Bar Mitzvah of William Kasenetz) ....................9:30 a.m.
Kiddush Luncheon in honor of William Kasenetz’s Bar Mitzvah ..........12:00 p.m.
Nefesh Mountain Concert .................................................................8:00 p.m.

**Sunday, February 24**
Kol Yeladim Religious School ........................................................9:00 a.m.
Kol Yeladim & Sisterhood Hamentaschen Baking .........................9:00 a.m.

(Sunday, February 24, events continued in next column)

TOLLL: Israel Today Series with Ephraim Graff .........................10:00 a.m.
Confirmation: 10th Grade .........................................................10:30 p.m.
Chaverim & Boneem Program ..................................................1:00 p.m.

**Monday, February 25**
Sisterhood Sweet Tomatoes Night ....................................................4:00 p.m.
Congregational Annual Meeting ....................................................7:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, February 26**
TOLLL: L’Chaim – Sharing Life’s Lessons ......................................11:00 a.m.
Sisterhood Needle Workers ............................................................1:30 p.m.
TOLLL: Book Club ........................................................................7:00 p.m.
TOLLL: Judaism 101 with Rabbi Siegel .........................................8:00 p.m.

**Wednesday, February 27**
TOLLL: “Good Ole’ Fashioned Bible Study” with Rabbi Siegel ..........11:00 a.m.
Kol Yeladim Religious School ........................................................5:00 p.m.
Kashrut Class ................................................................................8:00 p.m.

**Thursday, February 28**
TOLLL: Talmud Study with Rabbi Siegel ........................................10:30 a.m.
Yahrzeits

Shevat Yahrzeits

26 Robert Shor
Miriam Pastel
27 Mark J. Reader
Marion Kaplan
Hannah Rubin
Joseph Shapiro
28 Alan Shapiro
Selma Abrahams
Schwaid
Esther Sussman
Max Friedman
29 Harris Meisel
Terry Miller
Mel Benstock
30 Joe Reingold
Elaine Katz
Salomon Wainberg

Adar 1 Yahrzeits

1 Victor Kurjan
Marian Cohn
Mildred Kauffman
Fingerhut
Frieda Korenvaes
2 Leonard Visher

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Once a month, we celebrate all of our members’ birthdays and anniversaries for that month. Your name(s) and birthday or anniversary will be included in the Shabbat Shalom and you will be invited up to the bima for a special treat.

The February Birthday / Anniversary Shabbat will be celebrated on Friday, February 8, at Shabbat services, starting at 6:30 p.m. Be sure to join us!

February Birthdays

1 Elizabeth Echelman
2 Malka Isaak
3 Ellen Ehrenpreis
Keaton Bennett
4 Elizabeth Horwitz
Justin Kuhn
Ilana Levy
Miriam Rattes
6 Deborah Greenberg
Shaina Shuford
Abigail Cross
Charlie Chagares
Leopold Finsterwald
Louis Sachs
Mannie Adelson
Samuel Weinapple
Shoshanna Davos
Rod Heiser
Pearl Wainberg
Gladys Weider
Helen Goldsmith
Rose Blieden
Lewis Hark
Roger Jaye
Gloria Lepler
Henrietta Gallun
Chernin
Robert Graney
William Goldchain
Evelyn Ronis
Mario Rodriguez
Bernard Dvorchik
William Valins
Nathan Bisk
Eli Cross
Meyer Klayman
Gertrude Hirschberg
Victor Sherman
Dorothy Levy
Miriam Ruth Kempler
Bessie Hark
Blanche Sefkin
Gubin
David Blecher
Yetta Levinson
Herb Goldstein
Manya Vinokur
Laurel Naomi Swerdin
Jaime Wainberg
Harvey Sanders
Esther Dvorchik
Stanley Aarons
Bess Goldberg
Helen Vitt
Effie Bayer
Miriam Bittker Rock
Clark
Ruth Pross
Robert Kraselnsky
Morris Radin
Samuel Yeuson
Benjamin Drezner
Emanuel Hinds
Honey Frick
Charles Singer
Daniel Heyman
Rosalyn Goldman
Bernard Hymes
Gabriel Lessinger
Evel Schilit
Sam Pearlstein
Charles Teblum
Gertrude Schorner
Dorothy Ackerman
Myer Sefkin
Harry Bern
Rena Waks
Suzanne Roseman
Leah Levy
William Morgenstern
Murray Daniels
Sadie Zichlin
Molly Aarons
Maxim Lieber
Jack Ward
Charles Hoffman
Estelle Rabin
Sara Garvis

February Anniversaries

3 Leslie & Tsila Lee
4 Robert & Sheila Shapiro
6 Darren & Paola Kasenetz
Lloyd & Abrea Firestone
8 Sheldon & Judith Goldberg
10 David & Francine Lazarus
12 Bruce & Linda Shanker
15 Kenneth & Marcia Hark
16 Jonathan & Jennifer Zimmer
16 Fred & Roberta Lipschutz
27 Max & Dora Rattus

20 Lauryn Solomon
36 Abby Solondz
Ethan Pliskow
21 Rachel Howell
Devyn Broverman
Aviel Kalin
22 Audrey Crampton
24 William Kasenetz
Amy Feder-Binder
25 Elliott Grossman
27 Nelly Vinokur
Alissa Zimmer
Ruth Kline
20 Harry Bern
Rena Waks
Suzanne Roseman
22 Leah Levy
William Morgenstern
Murray Daniels
Sadie Zichlin
23 Molly Aarons
Maxim Lieber
Jack Ward
Charles Hoffman
Estelle Rabin
Sara Garvis

27 Max & Dora Rattus

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Donations

Rabbi’s Discretionary Fund

IN HONOR OF
Dolores & Ted Sheps on the birth of their 6th Grandchild, Aaron Phillip Caplan
By Sheri & Bill Peterson
Rabbi Siegel & Ellen Lefkowitz on the birth of their 10th Grandchild, Lillian Dorothy Siegel
By Cindy & Mike Korenvaes
Carol & Mark Jaffe
IN MEMORY OF
Father, William Hyatt
By Henry & Susan Hyatt
Frank Principe, Husband of Michelle Winarsky
By Sheri & Bill Peterson
Father, Philip Krischer
By Jeffrey & Jamie Krischer
Father, Herbert D. Levenson
By Roslyn Willis
Father, Joseph Weisman
By S. Gilbert & Marilyn Weisman
Father, Joseph Pullman
By Enid & Richard Dembo

General Fund

IN HONOR OF
Rabbi Siegel & Ellen Lefkowitz on the birth of their 10th Grandchild, Lillian Dorothy Siegel
By Brian & Sheila Shaw

IN MEMORY OF
Frank Principe, Husband of Michelle Winarsky
By Carol & Mark Jaffe
Mildred Weinberg Radin, Mother of Debby Greenberg
By Carol & Mark Jaffe
Mildred Weinberg Radin, Mother of Debby Greenberg
By Beverly Fink
Sheila Rudd
Marc & Sheryl Tindell
Frank Principe, Husband of Michelle Winarsky
By Mark & Carol Jaffe
Mother, Iran Aghai
By Cameron & Judith Tebbi
Father, Mehdi Tebbi
By Cameron & Judith Tebbi
Rena Waks, Mother of Sheila Shaw
By Erma & Skip Ruffkess
Daughter, Susan Rudowsky
By Jack & Rochelle Rudowsky
Daughter, Ronnie Rudowsky
By Jack & Rochelle Rudowsky
Grandmother, Helen Lubin
By Carol & Mark Jaffe
Grandfather, Mort Feder
By Carol & Mark Jaffe
Grandmother, Rachel Teicher
By Mark & Carol Jaffe
Grandfather, Isidore Jaffe
By Mark & Carol Jaffe
Brother, Harry Paul
By Linda Goldstein

Howard Kanter Kiddush Fund

IN MEMORY OF
Mother, Beatrice Hymes
By Susan & Ron Pross

Jay Fink Library Fund

IN MEMORY OF
Father-in-Law, Martin Fink
By Beverley Fink
Grandmother, Sylvia Weiss
By Carolyn & Matt Fink

Joyce & Morris Schonwetter College Outreach Fund

IN HONOR OF
The Marriage of Rachel Schonwetter to Cary Kraft
By Jamie & Jeff Krischer
By Rita & Ron Schonwetter
Jonathan Schonwetter
By Rita & Ron Schonwetter
Sara Schonwetter & Eddie Shainin on their Anniversary
By Rita & Ron Schonwetter

Judith R. Sobel Adut Ed / Ritual Endowment Fund

IN HONOR OF
Rabbi Siegel & Ellen Lefkowitz on the birth of their 10th Grandchild, Lillian Dorothy Siegel
By Sheri & Bill Peterson
Rina Donchin

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IN MEMORY OF
Frank Principe, Husband of Michelle Winarsky
By Rina Donchin

Landscaping Fund

GET WELL WISHES TO
Stanley Bush
By Jamie & Jeff Krischer

IN MEMORY OF
Grandmother, Henrietta Whitehorn
By Cindy & Mike Korenvaes

Larry Wasser Fund

IN MEMORY OF
Grandfather, Jonah B. Dubowsky
By Marilyn & Alan Daniels

As a service to our members, we are offering the opportunity to honor loved ones’ anniversaries, birthdays, other special occasions, or to express your gratitude for someone’s kindness. With a donation of $25 we will procure a quarter-page spot in the Chai Lites.

If you are interested, contact Mitch at execdirector@kolami.org

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**Ma’asim Tovim Fund**

**IN HONOR OF**
- Sybil Zitrin’s 90th Birthday  
  By Sharon & Dave Cross
- Ted & Delores Sheps on the birth of their Great Grandson, Aaron Philip Caplan  
  By Cindy & Mike Korenvaes

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Aunt, Lois Rivkin  
  By Deborah & Wayne Greenberg
- Mother-In-Law, Rose Friedman  
  By Ilona Friedman
- Grandfather, Robert McCullough  
  By Audrey & Adam Shor

**Mike Eisenstadt Simcha Fund**

**IN HONOR OF**
- Debbie Eisenstadt on the birth of her Granddaughter, Mackenzie  
  By Sheri & Bill Peterson
- Carol & Mark Jaffe
- Cindy & Mike Korenvaes

**Nicole Kleban Fund**

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Nicole Kleban, Beloved Daughter of Arthur & Janet Simon  
  By Bonnie & Richard Hoffman
- Mimi & Alan Aaron, & family
- Carol & Sam Weinstein
- Mary & Larry Herman
- Aunt, Fani Freiman  
  By Mimi & Alan Aaron

**Prayer Book Fund**

**IN HONOR OF**
- Rabbi Siegel & Ellen Lefkowitz on the birth of their 10th Grandchild, Lillian Dorothy Siegel  
  By Marc & Terry Rosenwasser  
  Walter Sanders

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Father, Max Berger  
  By Lewis & Ileana Berger
- Grandfather, Murray Fisch  
  By Murray & Sara Fisch
- Wife, Rachelle Herzog  
  By Herb Herzog
- Grandmother, Mary Fisch  
  By Murray & Sara Fisch
- Mother, Irene Strauss  
  By Beverly & Mike Stevens

**School Fund**

**IN HONOR OF**
- David Caine on his Bar Mitzvah  
  By Amy Wasser
- The Marriage of Goldie Zaritt to David Kerstanski  
  By Jamie & Jeff Krischer

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Father, Isidore Scheier  
  By Roslyn Lieberman
- Brother, Bernard Scheier  
  By Roslyn Lieberman
- Manny Donchin, Husband of Rina Donchin  
  By Jody Sampson-Nair & Prakash Nair
- Lila Sampson  
  By Jody Sampson-Nair & Prakash Nair
- Father, Irving Bayer  
  By Jamie & Jeff Krischer

**Yahrzeit Memorial Fund**

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Frank Principe, Husband of Michelle Winarsky  
  By Alan & Karen Borden
- Cousin, Gloria Mound  
  By Shirley Schwartz
- Mother, Sarah Terebelo  
  By Rochelle & Jack Rudowsky
- Father, Phillip Kaufman  
  By Patti & Lloyd Morgenstern
- Mother, Sondra Morgenstern  
  By Lloyd & Patti Morgenstern
- Grandmother, Dorothy Horowitz  
  By Patti & Lloyd Morgenstern

**Yellow Candle Fund**

**IN HONOR OF**
- Jacob Chernin on his Bar Mitzvah  
  By Amy Wasser

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Father, Allan Laffer  
  By Dennis & Ellen Laffer

**Youth Fund**

**IN MEMORY OF**
- Grandmother, Patricia Cottrille  
  By Jody & Yoav Rappaport

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**Kol Ami’s KAMEL Program**

Sponsored by Ma’asim Tovim (Good Deeds) Committee, the Kol Ami Medical Equipment Loan (KAMEL) Program pairs up congregants who are willing to loan their currently unused medical equipment to other congregants who are in need of such equipment on either a short- or long-term basis.

If you have extra equipment (e.g., canes, walkers, wheelchairs, shower chairs, grab bars, etc.) you are willing to lend, or if you would like to borrow equipment, please contact Ma’asim Tovim Chair, Sue Dvorchik at susiedv1@gmail.com or contact the Kol Ami office at (813) 962-6338. We will try to make the “shidduch” (match)!
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- Invisalign
- In-House Laboratory
- Cosmetic Recontouring
- Porcelain Inlays/Onlays
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- Full Dentures
- Partial Dentures
- Root Canal Therapy
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