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Shabbos Pekudei March 15th & 16th 2024/6th Adar II

Friday, March 15 th		Shabbos, March 16th		Weekdays/Weeknights		Thursday, March 21st		Next Friday, March 22nd	
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Shacharis		Shacharis		Shacharis		Fast starts	5:44 am	Shacharis	
6:30/6:45v/7:10/8:00/8:45 am		Vasikin (MS) 6:29 am		Sun	6:42v/7:00/8:00/8:45 am			6:30/6:33v/7:10/8:00/8:45 am	
		Hashkama (DMBM)	7:15 am	Mon	6:20/6:40v/7:10/8:00 am	Shachris			
Plag	5:49 pm	NS	8:40 am	Tue	6:30/6:38v/7:10/8:00 am	6:00/6:35v/	/7:00/8:00 am	Plag	5:54 pm
Plag Mincha (MS)	5:34 pm	Main Shul (Siskind)	8:45 am	Wed	6:30/6:37v/7:10/8:00 am			Plag Mincha	5:39 pm
		Minyan (DMBM)	9:15 am	Mincha		Mincha	1:45/6:40 pm		
NS Mincha	NS Mincha 6:40 pm		Teen Minyan (Teen Room)					NS Mincha	6:50 pm
Mincha	6:45 pm	,	9:15 am	Sun -Wed	* <u>1:45</u> /6:55 pm	Maariv	0.05/10.00 pm	Mincha	6:55 pm
	·	Youth groups start	9:15 am	*NOTE TIME CHANGE		7:25/9:05/10:00 pm			
Candles	6:45 pm	SZKS	10:05 am	Shkia Time		Fast ends	7:53 pm	Candles	6:53 pm
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7:55 pm		7:45 am/5:40pm		Maariv:					
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		NS Mincha	6:25 pm		after Mincha,				
		Maariv	7:47 pm	Mon - Wed	,				
		Shabbos ends 7:55 pm		9:05/10:00 pm (8 pm maariv off for the season)					
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FROM OUR RAV:

L'chvodchem hayikarim loy"t – Shalom rav uveracha merubah.

We are extremely grateful to the local police for their superb performance last Sunday as their preparedness and allocation of resources and strong stand maintained the protesters in place limiting the disruption they caused. For us these events bring the peril and promise of Purim and Taanis Esther close to home and shed light on Chazal's assertion that joy and worry can live robustly together and that may well be the **"lot"** of this Purim.

PURIM PREPS

[] **Purim Potpourri** given by Dr. Phil Kazlow this Shabbos following mincha. Thank you, Dr. Phil.

Megilas Esther with Rav Elozor Preil who will share the insights of Rav Sorotzkin (aka moznaim l'atroah) and will take place at 9:15pm.

[] Iyun Halacha Chabura on Tuesday night 8:45 will study mishloach manos, seuda and drinking (מורח חיים סי׳ תרצ״ה). Chabura Thames chaburaspace; mekoros available in the shul lobby on Shabbos for advance limud be-chavrusa.

[] Matanos L'evyonim --[sorry this is not another shiur it's the real deal] In order to help you fulfill the mitzvah unquestionably and exquisitely I am distributing funds to hundreds of *aniyim* to be activated on Purim when you appoint me to be your agent and donate funds to the discretionary account for this purpose "chacham lev yikach mitzvos".

[] Home Bound on Purim? - We won't cook for you, but we will send you bl"n a baal koreh. Please let me or Sam Levi know.
[] Machatzis Hashekel - We will have machatzis hashekel prepared for you on Purim night in the lobby.

[] FAQ's for this Purim: We will begin maariv late next motzai shabbos to allow families to wait till after Shabbos to prepare for the evening and to drive to shul.

This Shabbos we welcome Rav Cohen's YU talmidim (Undergrad Chabura & Masmidim) who will be spending Shabbos with Rav Tanchum & Rebbetzin Yaffa. I am sure you will have an uplifting Shabbos. Thank you for joining us.

Mazal tov to Aliza & Roniel Weinberg and Adina & David Lederer on the birth of a grandson, born to Yonina & Dovi Lederer. Mazel tov to the great-grandparents Fran & Phil Friedman. Tegadluhu letorah lechupa ulemaasim tovim vetachnisuhu lebriso bezmano uveito

Mazal tov to **Leah & David Segelov** on the birth of their granddaughter, Yakira, born to Tamar & Feivel Segelov. *Tegadluha letorah lechupa ulemaasim tovim*.

Mazal tov to **Rabbi Neal & Laura Turk**, on the birth of a granddaughter, born to Talia & Yitzy Turk, of Baltimore. *Tegadluha letorah lechupa ulemaasim tovim*.

Mazal tov to **Chaya & Jonathan Siskind** and family on the bar mitzvah of **Chaim**. Mazal tov to the grandparents, Dr. Steven and Gail Siskind and Dr. Label and Minette Carl. *Taaleh maaloh maaloh bemaalos hatorah vehayira*.

Mazal tov to **Shoshana & Elliot Moskowitz** on the engagement of **Moshe** to Yocheved Witriol, daughter of Moshe Witriol of Kiryas Joel and Nechama & Yitzchok Wieder of Monsey. Mazal tov to the grandparents, **Leah & Sam Levi**. *Yaaleh hazivug yafeh veyivnu bayis neeman b'Yisrael*.

Mazal tov to **Orite & Daniel Rubenstein** on the engagement of **Isaac** to Rina Sharbat, daughter of Baruch & Zipora Sharbat from Jamaica Estates, Queens. *Yaaleh hazivug yafeh veyivnu bayis neeman b'Yisrael.*

Shabbos hi milinochem unechama kerova lavo. We extend birchas tanchumim to **Beth Stern** on the petira of her father, Richard Jacobs. Mr Richard Jacobs leaves a legacy of coveting his relationships with rabbonim and being a confidant of Rav Gedalya Dov Schwartz and Ybbch HaRav Moshe Snow and being a long-time leader of Shulamis School. Shiva ended Thursday.

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NORPAC hold the <u>new date</u> please: Please join our NORPAC Informational Meeting on Tuesday, **March 26, 2024**, at 8 pm at our shul. NORPAC leadership will explain the Mission, NORPAC's achievements, and how you can participate. This year's NORPAC Mission to Washington, D.C., is on Wednesday, 5/15. For more info or to register, go to Norpac.net.; questions call 201-788-5133. The need becomes greater with every newscast/podcast/simulcast - across all ages... no need to say more.

The Monday night blatt shiur on mesachte Rosh Hashanah begins the fourth perek this week. Less than 6 blatt till we finish. Join now to be part of the siyum. It will be a "no questions asked siyum" can you join now and eat meat during the nine days? Don't ask ...

SHALSHELET: This new yeshiva is turning for financial support to the broader community as they begin their first annual fundraising event on 3/31. This most recent addition to our constellation of schools has already been a game changer in the lives and the learning of the students and is a promising contribution to the welfare of our children and many far beyond our neighborhood. Please visit shalsheletnj.org/event for more information.

SHABBOS SHIURIM:

Daf Yomi: 5:30 pm Fridays on zoom; Shabbos day after Vasikin and hashkama, 7:45 am, and 1 hour before late mincha in Thames BM.

Agra D'Kalla with Rav Moshe Tzvi Weinberg in the NSBM at 8:20 am on Shabbos morning.

Following Nusach Sfard minyan, there will be post-davening tzibur learning for Eretz Yisroel.

The bas mitzvah girls will meet with Peshi for an oneg/shiur at our home at 3:45 pm.

At the shiur following mincha Dr. Phil Kazlow will discuss a Purim Potpourri.

WEEKDAY SHIURIM:

Daf Yomi: Sunday morning 7:30 am (NSBM); Weekday mornings: M, Th 5:30am & Tu, W, F at 5:40am; Evenings after 8 pm maariv and on zoom tinyurl.com/EveningDaf.

The Monday night Rosh Hashana shiur will discuss: (29b) more on fulfilling brochos for others.

PRE-PURIM -Tuesday night **lyun Halacha Chabura** spends the coming week on *sugyos* and *halachos* of *mishloach manos*, *seuda* and drinking (מית תרצ"ח). Chabura this **Tuesday night 8:45** in the Thames chaburaspace; *mekoros* available in the shul lobby on Shabbos for **advance** *limud be-chavrusa*.

Final Nach shiur on the 3 *neviim* of the Purim era who brought us back to Eretz Yisrael to rebuild:"Testing Hashem, with the Very Last *Navi...* until Eliyahu". Wed night 8:15-9 PM in the main shul, for men and women. Semichas Chaver meets on Wednesdays at 8:30 pm in the Social Hall.

Dov Adler's shiur on zoom at 9 pm.

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84327994208?pwd=RDI2eXdmQ2pUaW51cUFtU3hpNThTUT09

Thursday at 9:15-10 pm (note time change!) Rabbi Preil will discuss Megilas Esther with insights from Rav Sorotzkin in the DMBM.

Thursday night **Choshen Mishpat will not take place** as it requires too much concentration for a post-fast evening.

But parsha ... does not take a break - Thursday night Mikraos Gedolos: be"h will be on at 10:15 pm.

Thank you to the following for sponsoring learning and shiurim this upcoming week: Miriam & Yair Frankel, in memory of Yair's brother, משה איר אליהו איר אליהו, Stacey & Avi Horowitz, l'ilui nishmas Natan Yechiel ben Yosef Moshe HaLevi, Avi's father; Goldie Kikin and family, l'ilui nishmas Bob Kikin, הדליה זוסיא בן שלמה, Goldie's husband and father of Kalman, Nechama and Elisheva and Shari Koesterich, l'ilui nishmas Shlomo ben Tzvi, Shari's husband; Chaya bat Chaim, Shari's mother and Chaim Yakov ben Dovid Tzvi, Shari's father. For future sponsorships: https://www.bethabraham.org/sponsorship.html

The learning of Seder Nezikin is sponsored by Sharon & Michael Kronenberg, l'ilui nishmot HaRav Mordechai Yosef ben Azriel Zelig, HaRav Dovid Yitzchak ben HaRav Shimon Mordechai, and HaRabbanit Rivka bat HaRav Shimon Asher. The learning of Masechet Bava Metzia is sponsored anonymously in honor of R' Cohen and for Refua sheleima of Aharon Naftali Hertz ben Shaindel and Rochel bas Soroh Chaya Alta, and by Aryeh and Lisa Kurz in memory of his father אוני שראל ז"ל ליב בן ישראל ז"ל.

SHUL NEWS:

Last call: Matzah pickup on Sunday from 9-10:15 am in the old lobby.

Shul wide kiddushim on the following dates: **April 13** - Baby Girls kiddush, for new daughters or granddaughters. **May 11** – "Recover from Pesach" Kiddush. If you are interested in sponsoring, contact the shul office.

Ohel Avraham v. 30- Spring edition: We are beginning to work on the next Ohel Avraham (Volume 30). This issue will be dedicated to the holidays of Pesach and Shavuos as well as the themes of Achdus and Eretz Yisrael. The deadline for submission is Monday, April 1st. Please consider helping to sponsor the journal. 1/4 page = \$100, 1/2 page = \$250, Full page = \$500, Silver Page = \$1,000. To submit an article or to sponsor, please send an email to hatorahournal@gmail.com

Join the CBA WhatsApp Community. From there, you can access individual groups for announcements, youth updates, sisterhood events, shiurim and more! We hope to add more special interest groups over the next few weeks. Please join at tinyurl.com/CBAWhatsApp today!

FROM THE SISTERHOOD:

Come join the Sisterhoods of Beth Abraham and Ohr Hatorah for a **Hafrashas challah event led by Sari Jaroslawitz on March 20th** at Ohr Hatorah. Signup required, Register: bit.ly/RisingHigher

Welcoming Committee: Please contact Ilana Adams or Sarah Alter at welcoming@bethabraham.org if you are a new family or know of a new family that has moved into the community.

FROM THE YOUTH DEPARTMENT:

Mommy and Me will meet at 10:30 am in the new youth center!

Groups will take place in their regular locations with drop off at 9:15 and pick up promptly after minyan. There will be an early care option, beginning at 8:45, in the new youth center.

Our 5-6th grade boys program will take place in the New Youth center. Our 5-6th grade girls program will NOT take place this week.

We are so happy to hear the awesome feedback about all our new toys! We will continuously roll out new toys and games over the next few weeks. We hope this makes groups an even more special place for the children in shul.

If you would be interested in taking part, please reach out to youthdirector@bethabraham.org.

We are looking forward to our upcoming Purim events! Please look out for the flyers for more information. If you are interested in sponsoring any of these events, please reach out to youthdirector@bethabraham.org.

Parent-Child Shabbos learning will kick off next week, Shabbos Parshas Zachor

FROM THE TEEN DEPARTMENT:

Regular minyan this week.

COMMUNITY NEWS, CHESSED, EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

This Shabbat, March 16, at 5:30 pm at Keter Torah, Rabbi Dovid Gottlieb, Managing Director of Tzalash (an organization dedicated to helping soldiers maintain their religious commitment and emotional well-being during their IDF service), Rabbi of Kehillat HaEla in Ramat Beit Shemesh, and Ra"m at Yeshivat Har Etzion, will speak on "A View from the Trenches: Halachic Dilemmas Faced by Religious Soldiers." Following Mincha at 6:30 pm, Rabbi Gottlieb will speak at Seuda Shlishit on "Being Religious in the IDF: An Insider's Perspective."

Run For Their Lives -Teaneck, NJ: All Sundays – Until all the hostages are home. Join us at 10:00 am at Votee Park at Queen Anne Road and Court Street. Walk/Run 1 loop around at your own pace. Wear red & black. International flags welcome. #BringThemHomeNow.

Luggage 4 Israel/Chaverim Bergen County, collect essential supplies for Israel. One University Plaza, Suite 117, Hackensack, Mondays and Thursdays, 10 am - 3 pm. To purchase needed items: HERE. For volunteer opportunities and supply needs: WhatsApp group HERE. If you are flying to Israel and can take duffle bags (baggage fees will be paid for), please complete THIS FORM. For questions: https://luggage4Israel@gmail.com. We are now also collecting costumes for displaced families in Israel.

Rinat Yisrael presents: Nerot Resin Art Workshop—Mon., 3/18, 7:45 pm. Led by Dina Meyer of Dina Dee Design. Admission includes all materials to create a 12x8 resin art tray with handles. Pricing: Member-\$55/Person, Affiliate Member-\$60/Person, Non-Member-\$65/Person. To register or sponsor, go to https://www.rinat.org/nerot-art. Social Hall. Yael Goldfischer—Shabbat, 3/23, 5:35 pm. "Hidden and Revealed Identities in the Megillah" Main Shul.

Beit Midrash of Teaneck: Tuesday, 3/19, Our Parsha (10:30-11:30) shiur will be delivered by Rabbi Elliot Schrier. Our Jewish History shiur (11:45-12:45) will feature Dr. Ronnie Perelis of YU, who will give a 3-part series entitled: Exploring Sephardic History. Email BMTeaneck@gmail.com for details.

Learn Together, Daven Together, Grow Together. Thursday nights at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, Old Main Shul. 8 pm Maariv, 8:10 Divrei Chizuk (from a different RCBC rabbi each week) followed by 8:20 Tehillim.

YUConnects presents Gaining Clarity: A Conversation about Dating with Dr. Miriam Adler, Rabbi Josh Blass, & Malky Galler. Moderated by Rabbi Larry Rothwachs. A lively discussion addressing topics such as gaining clarity, feeling the chemistry and how parents can be most helpful. 8:00 PM Wednesday, 3/27 at Cong. Ohr HaTorah. Free admission and open to the entire community. RSVP required to maintain security. RSVP: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLScnUjpn15d4MA1_0DTq0fhSlg6 https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLScnUjpn15d

On Thursday, 3/28, at 7:30 pm, at Cong. Beth Aaron, Richard Corman, Chairman of the Board of the Michael Levin Lone Soldier Base, and Gavriel, a Lone Soldier in Israel, will speak. Gavriel will discuss his role in an IDF counterterrorism unit as well as his part as a Lone Soldier in a special force front-line recon unit during the current Gaza war. The Michael Levin Base serves 2300 young men and women who are Lone Soldiers or doing Sherut Leumi. Please register at https://www.bethaaron.org/event/LevinBase.

Federation's March Mega Food Drive collects and distributes over 25,000 pounds of food to more than 30 kosher and non-kosher food pantries all over northern New Jersey.

https://secure.ggiv.com/for/marchmegafooddrive2023/event/marchmegafooddrive2024/

Please join Ma'ayanot Yeshiva High School, 27th Annual Scholarship Dinner! Monday, April 1st, 6:30 pm at Keter Torah, honoring: Yosef & Lisa Rubinstein, Jeremy & Rebecca Kurz, Mrs. Chani Rotenberg, and Mrs. Shifra Schapiro. To donate and RSVP please visit, www.maayanot.org/dinner

This year's Etzion Foundation Special Dinner Event, honoring Rabbi Noah and Dr. Aliza Gardenswartz, will be on Tuesday, April 2 at Tribeca Rooftop. To register, please go to www.thegushdinner.org

Naaleh High School for Girls annual scholarship dinner will take place on April 2, at 6:30 pm in Keter Torah and will honor: **Jonathan & Mindy Neiss**, **Barry & Joy Sklar** Josh & Beth Schwartz and Dr. Danilelle Bloom.

If you have an announcement to add to the Shabbos announcement sheet e-mail it by **10 am Thursday** to: cba-announcements@groups.io **Important email addresses – cba-announcements@groups.io;** cholim@bethabraham.org; president@bethabraham.org; office@bethabraham.org; youthdirector@bethabraham.org; bethabraham+subscribe@groups.io; TeaneckShuls+subscribe@groups.io