

BETH AVRAHAM YOSEPH OF TORONTO CONGREGATION

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THE JOSEPH AND FAYE TANENBAUM SYNAGOGUE CENTRE

A Family Synagogue Emphasizing the Warmth of Torah Tradition

BAYT WEEKLY BULLETIN



| FRIDAY SCHEDULE- | -MAY 21 th | SHABBOS SCHEDULE – MAY 22 th | | |
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| CANDLE LIGHTING SHKIA MINCHA/KABBOLAS SHABBOS | Not Before 7:10 PM Not After 8:25 PM 8:43 PM 7:00 & 8:35 PM | LATEST SHACHARIS AMIDA MINCHA/ MAARIV | 9:30 AM 10:44 AM 8:35 PM 8:45 PM 9:30 PM | |

MAZEL TOV:

- Simon & Linda Cymbalista on the birth of a grandson, Yakir Moshe, to parents Yishai and Rebecca Kurtz. Mazel Tov to grandmother Debbie Kurtz and to great grandparents Dr. Norman and Judy Tennenbaum.
- Sandra Winiarz, Claire Subar great- grandmothers, Miriam Winiarz, Aryeh and Leah Simon, grandparents, Rabbi Yosef and Tzeporah Simon on the birth of Atara Malka on erev Shavuot.
- Arielle & Chaim Rosner on the birth of a daughter, a granddaughter to Larry & Grace Weltman and Rabbi Yonah & Sarah Leah Rosner and a great granddaughter to Rabbi Yitzchak & Rivka Zryl.
- Zev & Enny Herskovits on the birth of a son, brother to Jamie, Rosie and Leo. Mazel tov to the grandparents Sam & Brenda Herskovits and Jimmy & Simona Kadoch.

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OFFICE HOURS

The office will be closed, May 24th for Victoria Day

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE | זמני השבוע

Earliest time for Tallis & Tefillin: Sun - Fri: 4:45am - 4:41am Sof Zman Krias Shema: Sun - Fri: 9:30am - 9:28am



This week's bulletin is sponsored by:

Simon & Linda Cymbalista on the birth of a grandson, Yakir Moshe. Mazel tov to the parents Yishai and Rebecca Kurtz, to grandmother Debbie Kurtz and to great grandparents Dr. Norman and Judy Tennenbaum.



DONATIONS:

We are taking donations for online shiurim and event dedications. If you'd like to dedicate a shiur or event in memory or honor of a loved one, please click here or contact Shimon Szmuszkowicz shimon@bayt.ca

PLEASE CLICK HERE TO DONATE TO OUR SPECIAL CRISIS CAMPAIGN

Shiur Sponsorships:

Elie & Sylvia Wolfson, in honour of the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Yaakov Menachem (Kovi) son of Jessica and Shlomo Ressler.

Yvonne Berman, on the Yahrzeit of Leah bas Yitzhak, Issy z"l mother and his brother Chaim Alter ben Yosef Leib. May their neshamas have an Aliyah.

Harry & Hyla Borenstein, in memory of Leonard Korobkin z"l may his neshama have an aliya, and IN HONOUR of the first birthday, of LEV JUDE on May 22 son of Danya and Jonah Koplowitz from Saba and Savta.

Chaim & Yehudit Levy, in memory of the 5th Yahrzeit of Chaim's father, Gavriel Ben Mordechai z"l.

Fred & Rina Winegust, in memory of Sam Isenberg, Simcha Pinchas ben Pesach ve Rivka z"I father of Rina Winegust.

Leon & Patricia Rucker, in memory of Rabbi Korobkin's father, Leonard Korobkin z"l. Marni Morris for sponsoring last Saturday's shiur.

DVAR TORAH BY RABBI METZGER

cmetzger@torontotorah.com

Why do the Nesiim, princes, get a 12-day holiday for simply bringing some wagons and oxen? Why is each of their korbanot listed with such exacting and identical detail?

The Nesiim come forward with their suggestion of using wagons to aid the Leviim's transport materials for the Mishkan on the "day that Moshe finished putting up the Mishkan." (Bamidbar 7:1) Rashi explains that this is Rosh Chodesh Nissan of the second year. This is the very same Rosh Chodesh Nissan where Aharon's sons Nadav and Avihu died by fire from G-d for offering an Eish Zarah, foreign fire, turning the inauguration of the Mishkan into a day of fear and apprehension. When the Nesiim step up and ask G-d if they can voluntarily make a donation towards the collective betterment of the Mishkan, they are showing that there is still a place for individual contributions in the Mishkan. G-d isn't angry at the Jewish people and denying their efforts in constructing the Mishkan, rather G-d accepts the Nesiim's offering and declares a holiday in their honour. Thus, paving the way for the Jewish people to respectfully relate to the Mishkan and ask before making changes, a notion worthy of celebration.

BAYT COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

BAYT's COVID-19 Protocols incorporate Health Canada and Province of Ontario guidelines by reference.

Signing Up for a Minyan at BAYT

Members wishing to attend a minyan at BAYT should sign up in advance via SignUp Genius. Minyanim are open to members only. Please only sign up people from your household. When you sign up to attend a minyan at BAYT, <u>you expressly agree to strictly follow BAYT's COVID-19 protocols without exception</u>. Other shuls' protocols are not relevant to your decision to attend a minyan at BAYT. Please cancel your sign up and do not attend minyan if you are unable to attend for whatever reason.

While Attending a Minyan at BAYT

- Wear a face covering such as a non-medical mask (see below).
- <u>Do not congregate with others during or after davening</u>. Come to BAYT to daven and please leave quietly. The serving of any food or beverages (e.g., Kiddush Clubs) is not allowed at this time.
- <u>Do not crowd when leaving BAYT</u>. Please leave the building single file and socially distanced 2 metres apart. Once outside BAYT, please walk away from the doors so others can leave quickly and safely.
- Avoid touching doors and door handles. Doors through which you need to pass are open. Please do not touch the doors, as you may cause them to close. If a door is closed, please let the facilities staff know.
- <u>Sit in designated seating</u>. In the main shul, sit only in seats marked with green tape on back of the seat. Please do not sit alone in a group of green taped seats. Do not move chairs around in other minyanim.

When Not To Sign Up for or Attend a Minyan at BAYT

- 1. You or a "close contact" are awaiting a COVID test result;
- 2. you were in "close contact" with someone who tested positive for, or who has any symptoms of COVID-19;
- 3. you were in "close contact" with anyone in self-isolation (even if asymptomatic) including anyone in your household. This includes children in self-isolation due to a COVID-19 case in school or a carpool;
- 4. you have been outside of Canada within the past 14 days;
- 5. you were around others (e.g., workplace, other minyan or gathering) and did not practice proper social distancing and/or masking, even once, within the past 14 days; or
- you feel unwell or have any acute illness, even if you or your doctor do not believe you have COVID-19.

"Close Contacts" Include

- 1. Someone with whom you have been within 2 metres for more than 10 minutes;
- 2. Someone who lives in your household or provides care to you;
- 3. Someone with whom you have had close physical contact including a handshake; or
- 4. Someone who accidently coughed, sneezed or spit on you while talking with you.

If you or a "close contact" have any common symptoms of COVID-19, please get a COVID test, STAY HOME, self-isolate and advise "close contacts" with whom you were in close physical contact with in the prior 48 hours to monitor their health and to self isolate. <u>Do not sign up for a minvan</u>.

Face Coverings (Such as Non-Medical Masks)

The Province of Ontario Emergency Order <u>requires</u> the use of "a face covering (non-medical mask, such as a cloth mask) in public indoor spaces and whenever physical distancing is a challenge." with limited exception. <u>Upon entry into and while inside BAYT everyone should wear a face covering such as a mon-medical mask, including the ba'al tefillah (who leads prayers) and ba'al korei (who layns from the sefer Torah).</u>

Health Canada advises that a "non-medical mask or face covering" should:

- fit securely to the head with ties or ear loops;
- maintain its shape after washing and drying;
- be made of at least two layers of tightly woven material (such as cotton or linen); and
- be large enough to cover the nose and mouth completely and comfortably without gaping.

Any type of plastic face shield or mouth/nose covering by itself does not replace a face covering or mask because it does not completely cover the nose, mouth and chin with a barrier that prevents spread of respiratory droplets. If you choose to wear either a plastic face shield or mouth/nose covering, you <u>also</u> need to wear a mask made of at least two layers of tightly woven material large enough to completely cover your nose and mouth without gaping.

The sole purpose of BAYT's COVID-19 Protocols is to keep our members and guests as safe as possible while at BAYT. Accordingly, BAYT cannot permit exceptions to our COVID-19 Protocols including our masking requirements.

Family and Guests Returning to or Entering Canada (even if partially or fully vaccinated)

Travellers returning to Canada must quarantine for 14 days whether arriving by air or road, whether they have been vaccinated, had a COVID infection or a negative COVID test result. Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) advises all travellers upon entry to Canada that they must completely isolate during their 14-day quarantine period from anybody else in their household. If complete isolation is not possible, they are advised that other household members must also quarantine for the entire 14 days.

If you have anyone in your household returning to or entering Canada from abroad who are or will be in mandatory 14-day self-isolation, please do not sign up for or attend a minyan at BAYT unless they are completely isolated from the rest of your household for the entirety of the 14 days quarantine period. This applies even if he/she has been vaccinated, had a COVID infection or a negative COVID test.

Common Symptoms of COVID-19 Per the Ontario Ministry of Health

- fever (feeling hot to the touch, a temperature of 37.8 degrees Celsius or higher) or chills
- cough that's new or worsening (continuous, more than usual)
- barking cough, making a whistling noise when breathing (croup)
- shortness of breath (out of breath, unable to breathe deeply)
- sore throat, difficulty swallowing
- runny, stuffy, or congested nose (not related to seasonal allergies or other known causes or conditions)
- lost sense of taste or smell
- pink eye (conjunctivitis)
- headache that is unusual or long lasting
- digestive issues (nausea/vomiting, diarrhea, stomach pain)
- muscle aches
- extreme tiredness that is unusual (fatigue, lack of energy)
- falling down often
- for young children and infants: sluggishness or lack of appetite.

If you really have to think about it, you should stay home.

Report Illness and Positive COVID Test Results to BAYT Immediately

If you attended a minyan at BAYT, please let us know immediately if you receive a positive COVID-19 test result or if you have symptoms of COVID-19 and are awaiting a test result. BAYT will notify York Public Health of positive COVID cases brought to our attention. Two or more positive COVID test results among attendees of one minyan at BAYT can result in declaration of a legal "outbreak" by York Region Health mandating ALL persons who were in attendance self-isolate for 14 days, even those who practiced proper—social distancing and masking.

Subscribe to BAYT on YouTube and enable notifications:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCxHro53DYgHbFAuGEMAfpQQ





PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It's Thursday evening as I write this. Word is breaking of a ceasefire with Hamas. The Province just announced its planned phase in re-opening. And UJA provided us with a community security update earlier this evening. Here goes...

So many of you offered our son best wishes. Zac's unit remains deployed to Tapuach Junction. He reports (and claims credit) that his sector has been quiet for a few days already. He still wants that cold beer, which will have to wait until they finally stand down. Zac has spent much of his army service in the Shomron. He describes it, and many of its yeshuvim, as breathtakingly beautiful. Maybe he will follow Sammy Newman's footsteps and matriculate at Ariel University.

Our younger son starts yeshiva in Israel in August. For both of our boys and many others, perhaps events this week in Israel and Canada serve to remind us the future of the Jewish people is in Medinat Israel. As Rabbi Korobkin always says, "Last one here, turn off the lights."

Province of Ontario Reopening Plans

Religious services, whether indoors or outside, are currently limited to 10 persons.

Under Phase 1, slated to begin the week of June 13, BAYT can hold outdoor religious services with capacity limited to permit 2 metres physical distancing (roughly 70-80 persons in the Chuppah Garden tent). Indoor capacity for religious services will remain at 10. BAYT will be able to host outdoor gatherings of up to 10 people with outdoor dining limited to 4 per table. No other indoor gatherings will be permitted.

After 21 days in Phase 1, assuming 70% of adult Ontarians are vaccinated with one dose and 20% with two doses and public health trends are positive, Ontario will move into Phase 2. Under Phase 2, BAYT can hold indoor religious services with capacity limited to 15%. Capacity for outdoor religious services will remain limited to permit 2 metres physical distancing. BAYT will be able to host outdoor gatherings of up to 25 people, indoor gatherings of up to 5 people. Outdoor dining will be limited to 6 per table.

After 21 days in Phase 2, assuming 70-80% of adult Ontarians are vaccinated with one dose and 25% with two doses and public health trends are positive, Ontario will move into Phase 3. Under Phase 3, BAYT can hold indoor and outdoor religious services with capacity limited to permit 2 metres physical distancing. Capacity limits for outdoor and indoor gatherings and dining have not been determined.

Of course, all of this is subject to change.

Community Security

Rabbi Korobkin, Alan Jaff and yours truly fielded dozens of your concerned calls and messages Erev Yom Tov. BAYT remains in regular contact with UJA Community Security and York Regional Police. Additional York Regional Police patrols will continue. UJA Community Security through its contractor Northern Guard Security, will continue their patrols in Jewish communities.

Each of us has an important role in community security. If you see something, say something. In an emergency (e.g., imminent threat of harm to life or property), call 911. If other than an imminent threat, call York Regional Police's non-emergency line at 1-866-876-5423. After contacting police, please call UJA's 24/7 Hotline at 416.635.5600 or digital portal, https://jewishtoronto.com/community-incident-report.

When you call police or UJA, provide as much information as possible (e.g., time of day, street address of incident, nature of incident or threat with specificity, clothing, make, model and color of vehicle including license plate).

After making a report, do NOT broadcast the incident on social media. Doing so unnecessarily raises fear in our community and can only hinder police response. This evening many of you received an email from UJA. In part the email (emphasis added) states:

"UJA Community Security is continuing to conduct patrols in Jewish areas, share information with our network of 100+ Jewish institutions, and coordinate closely with police to ensure our security needs are met. In addition to the disturbing rise in antisemitic incidents in the past week, UJA Community Security notes that we have seen significant rumours spreading in our community about our security situation. Upon investigation, a number of these rumours have proven to be unsubstantiated. It is more important than ever that community members exercise caution when sharing information online, bearing in mind posting on social media doesn't substitute for reporting incidents to police and UJA Community Security."

Shabbat Shalom.

BETH AVRAHAM YOSEPH OF TORONTO CONGREGATION ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The Nominations Committee has completed its deliberations and with the consent of the nominees, has put forth the following slate for the 2021/2022 Executive Committee and the 2020/2022 Board of Governors.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (1 year term)

President Jeffrey Brown
1st Vice President David Vodianoi
2nd Vice President Chaim Levy

3rd Vice President David Lithwick***
Secretary Lindsay Salmon
Treasurer Eldon Moses***
Parnas Chaim Yunger
Past President Zac Kaye **
Sisterhood President Aliza Gershuni

BOARD OF GOVERNORS (2 year term)

Meir Cohen Yoel Gordon Marissa Muscat Yoav Vodianoi

Rabbi Neil Cohen Max Gruenfeld Dana Prutschi Dani Goldstein Sharla Lichtman Michael Salmon

As a matter of information, the following individuals, having been elected to the Board in 2020, will continue for the second year of their 2 year Board term.

Ben Breitbart Rabbi Josh Gutenberg David Kaplan (Gabbai) Roberta Newman****

Chuck English Dovi Klein Eldon Moses*** Sara Silverman****

Maury Gilman David Litwick*** Leah Harfa Wercberger

Brotherhood President Craig Guttmann **

** Ex-Officio

*** You will note that some of the above names appear as a nominee for the Executive Committee. In the event of an election and they are not acclaimed, they will retain their seat on the Board of Governors. If they move on to the Executive Committee, their Board seat becomes vacant and it will be the responsibility of the incoming administration to fill any Board seats as outlined in the Constitution.

****New members replacing Board Members who are resigning at the end of the term

PLEASE NOTE:

According to the Constitution, other candidates may be nominated by completing a nomination form available in the office) signed by the nominee and at least ten members of different family units that are in good standing. This form must be filed with the synagogues office prior to 12:00 PM on Friday, May 21, 2021.

THIS WEEK'S SHIURIM AVAILABLE ONLINE

Amud Yomi with Rabbi Englander Daily at 6:20 AM

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82418560747?pwd=S25rcVN0UkduWnRKUDdTRjlBRHc3QT09

Choshen Mishpat Halacha shiur- Daily at 6:30 AM

https://bit.ly/ChoshenMishpat

Daf Yomi daily at 7:15 AM

http://bit.ly/BAYTDaf

Daf Yomi daily at 8:00 PM

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85771992923

Rabbi Eisenberger's shiur - Monday to Friday: Start at 11 AM weekdays.

https://zoom.us/j/4422539932, passcode: 36

Rabbi Yeres - Morning Seder Boker (Mon-Thurs 10:00 AM)

http://tiny.cc/sederboker

Rabbi Torczyner - Gemara Ketuvot - Sunday at 7:30 pm.

http://tiny.cc/weeklymt

Moreh Nevukhim on Facebook Live with Rabbi Korobkin - Monday morning at 7:30 AM.

https://www.facebook.com/webyeshiva/

929 Tanach shiur with Rabbi Witty . Now studying Mishlei.

E-mail programming@bayt.ca for the link

Rabbi Yeres - Monday night Talmud Class - 8:30 PM (Shabbos ch. 15) http://tiny.cc/talmud

Semichas Chaver Program, Tuesday at 8:30 pm with Rabbi Korobkin.

For the Zoom link /registration email shimon@bayt.ca

Night Seder of Nach Study Monday and Wednesday 9 pm-9:30 pm http://tinyurl.com/NightSederBAS

Tuesday Morning Ladies' Kuzari+Parsha Shiur with Rabbi Korobkin at 10 AM. https://us04web.zoom.us/j/102632319

Hashkama Minyan shiur - Wednesday at 7:00 PM

https://sunlife-ca.zoom.us/j/9963049405

Thursday night Chassidus, 8 PM - https://us02web.zoom.us/j/601631681.

THE MADDIE LEVENTHAL MIKVEH CENTRE

For updated hours and bookings please visit mikveh.bayt.ca

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Facilities—Noel Fernandes—noel@bayt.ca

SIYUM BOOK DISTRIBUTION

This Sunday, May 23 from 11AM to 1PM in the parking lot area.

ADULT EDUCATION EVENTS

*All programs are open to men and women except where indicated.

Wednesdays at 8 pm Jewish Art: Symbolism or Idolatry? with Rabbi Chaim Metzger

This week's topic: Hamsa and Tree of Life

Link: http://tiny.cc/jewishart

Sunday May 30 at 9:30 am - 11 am Legal Ethics: Jewish Ethics and the Racially Diverse Workplace

with Rabbi Torczyner presented by Beit Midrash Zichron Dov & BAYT

Link: http://tiny.cc/mtethics

Sunday May 23 at 10:30 am Rabbi Korobkin in conversation with Avi & Noga Grossman on the

tensions in Lod.

WEEKLY HALACHAH

R' Mordechai Torczyner – torczyner@torontotorah.com

May I eat or drink before musaf on Shabbat morning?

Once one has davened shacharit on Shabbat morning, the obligation to recite kiddush begins. At this point one may recite kiddush and eat small quantities before davening musaf. Sitting down to a full meal is prohibited, even with kiddush, until after musaf.

According to some halachic authorities, one who is feeling very weak, and is unable to find an appropriate beverage on which to recite kiddush, may drink water or eat a snack after shacharit even without kiddush. [However, this should not be done in a shul sanctuary, if at all possible.]

(Shulchan Aruch Orach Chaim 151:1, 286:3, 289:1; Taz Orach Chaim 286:2; Mishneh Berurah 286:9; Biur Halachah 151 *v'ein*, Shaar haTziyyun 286:9; Aruch haShulchan Orach Chaim 286:13-14, 289:4)

BAYT ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

We would like to take this opportunity to send a heartfelt thanks to Sylvia Abbou who has run the accounting department here at BAYT for close to 20 years. Her dedication and hard work was known to all and appreciated by all who worked with her. We wish her much luck in her retirement.

We are pleased to welcome Terry Rubenstein to BAYT. Terry will now be the accounting lead here so please feel free to contact him at 905-886-3810 ext. 128 or terry@bayt.ca

LET US KNOW

If you are not receiving BAYT emails or if you do not want to be listed in any publication in the bulletin, please email shimon@bayt.ca



The BAYT Health Committee is pleased to announce that we will be hosting our next **BLOOD DONOR CLINIC**

Batsheva a"h had blood type O, the universal donor. She took it as her responsibility to donate blood as often as they would let her both here in Toronto to CBS and after making aliyah to MDA in Israe



CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES DONOR CLINIC

Date: Thursday July 1, 2021 Time: 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Place: BAYT, 613 Clark Ave W, Thornhill

In adherence to Covid 19 protocol APPOINTMENTS MUST BE BOOKED

no walk-ins will be accepted
Call 1 888 2-DONATE (1 888 236 6283) available 24- 7, or book online at http://http://www.blood.ca Ask or look for the Beth Avraham Yoseph Synagogue Blood Donor Clinic



HELP SAVE LIVES IN ISRAEL To commemorate Batsheva's yahrzeit (9 Tammuz) we would like to purchase a State-Of-The-Art Defibrillator in Israel

To be part of this commemoration and to help save lives, please contribute at www.cmdai.org (Batsheva Yeres z"l Defibrillator Fund) or at 416-780-0034

> All donations are valid for Income Tax purposes 'He who saves one life, saves an entire world'.

לעילוי נשמת בתשבע בלימה בת הרב משה יוסף הלוי ואסתר Please donate

Dr. Jack Lefkowitz & Dr. Sharla Lichtman & Dr Leah Wercberger Co-Chairs, BAYT Health Committee

THANK YOU TO THOSE SERVING IN THE IDF

If you have children or grandchildren currently serving in the IDF please

email avital@bayt.ca and we will add them to a list to be kept in mind during davening. Please send in their Hebrew name and their mother's Hebrew name. Thank You.

NAMES TO KEEP IN MIND:

Ariel Markus - Ariel Abraham ben Tova Rivka, Yaakov Moll - Eli Yaakov ben Gavriela,

Miya Hames - Miya Rachel Devorah bat Yehudit Chaya Sarah, Yonatan Rosenzweig - Yonatan Menachem Dodi Ben Aura Chaya,

Zachary Brown - Zacharya Zalman Ben Chana, Gavriel Bowman - Gavriel Ben Laya Michal.

Zac Winkler - Zechariah Leib ben Elana Chava



BAYT Young Professional Series Presents

INFORMATION SESSION WITH SARAKI FIN:

PELVIC FLOOR PHYSIOTHERAPIST

TIME: 8:30PM-9:30PM

ZOOM: MEETING ID: 947 5624 2450

PASSCODE: 18

*FOR WOMEN ONLY

QUESTIONS FOR SARA CAN BE SUBMITTED ANONYMOUSLY AT BAYT.CA AND WILL BE ASKED DURING THE PRESENTATION.



SARA KLEIN IS A REGISTERED PHYSIOTHERAPIST WITH MORE THAN 15 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE. SHE SPECIALIZES IN THE TREATMENT OF PELVIC FLOOR DYSFUNCTION INCLUDING PELVIC PAIN, BOWEL AND BLADDER DYSFUNCTION, PREGNANCY AND POSTPARTUM RECOVERY.

SARA IS PASSIONATE ABOUT TREATING PEOPLE WITH PAIN AND ALSO SERVES AS A RESEARCHER, EDUCATOR AND STAFF PHYSIOTHERAPIST IN THE CHRONIC PAIN PROGRAM AT THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, ASSESSING AND TREATING TEENS AND CHILDREN WITH PERSISTENT PAIN CONDITIONS.

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An Interview With Avi & Noga Grossman and The Rav



Avi & Noga are former shlichim in Thornhill and now educators and community leaders within the "Gar'in Torani" (Religious community) in Lod, Israel. They will be providing us with insight about what is going on in that community that has been the subject of so much controversy.

SUNDAY, MAY 23 | 10:30 AM MEETING ID: 847 5572 8313 PASSCODE: 18 OR CALL 647 374 4685



ZUMBA FOR ROMEN

NEW SESSIONS STARTING TUESDAY MAY 11TH AND WEDNESDAY MAY 12TH

> **ONGOING ZUMBA CLASSES** MORNING AND EVENING- FEEL FREE TO JOIN ANY TIME! **COST IS \$30 FOR 6 CLASSES**

CONTACT SHAYNA FRIEDMAN AT SHAYNA18@ROGERS.COM **REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED TO** RECEIVE THE ZOOM LINK

Upbeat music & exercise!

Social cool down time at the end of the session. Women Only.

Wear comfortable stretchy clothes.





JEWISH AR YMBOLISM OR



5 PART SERIES, WEDNESDAYS AT 8 PM STARTING APRIL 21

THE FIRST TOPIC WILL BE THE SYMBOLISM OF THE MAGEN DAVID AND ISRAELI FLAG IN HONOR OF YOM HAATZMAUT. THE DATES WILL BE APRIL 21 AND MAY 5, 12, 19 & 26.



FUTURE TOPICS WILL INCLUDE: CHERUBS, LIONS, GRIFFINS, HAMSA & TREE OF LIFE

NOTE: THERE WILL NOT BE A SHIUR ON APRIL 28.

ZOOM LINK:TINY.CC/JEWISHART

MEETING ID: 780 3122 1904 PASSCODE: 18











YAHRZEIT LIST:

FOR FRIDAY, MAY 21- THURSDAY, MAY 27

| YAHRZEIT DATE | MEMBER NAME | RELATIONSHIP TO MEMBER | NAME OF DECEASED | |
|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|--|
| 10 Sivan | Mrs. Marylin Berman | Mother | Hilda Gottlieb | |
| 10 Sivan | Mr. Nonny Beckerman | Father | Moshe Beckerman | |
| 10 Sivan | Mrs. Rina Winegust | Father | Sam Isenberg | |
| 10 Sivan | Mr. Allan Schlar | Father | Sol Schlar | |
| 10 Sivan | Mrs. Esther Wortzman | Mother | Sara Sultan | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Gabor Friedmann | Grandmother | Rochel Grosz | |
| 11 Sivan | Mrs. Susan Friedmann | Grandmother | Chana Karfunkel | |
| 11 Sivan | Mrs. Roslyn English | Father | Jack Tepperman | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Aaron Wapner | Aunt | Sara Arya | |
| 11 Sivan | Mrs. Susan Friedmann | Grandfather | Menachem Dov Karfunkel | |
| 11 Sivan | Mrs. Paula Silverstein | Mother | Evy Snow | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Gabor Friedmann | Grandfather | Jeno Friedman | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Gabor Friedmann | Grandmother | Nettie Friedman | |
| 11 Sivan | Mrs. Suri Rosen | Mother | Fay Pauline Epstein | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Howard Kurlandski | Mother-in-law | Eva Hartstein | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Gabor Friedmann | Grandfather | Yechiel Grosz | |
| 11 Sivan | Mr. Melech Goldman | Mother | Jan Goldman | |
| 11 Sivan | Dr. Larry Mittelmann | Grandmother | Rose Greenspan | |
| 12 Sivan | Mr. Ari Tenenbaum | Mother | Marcie Tenenbaum | |
| 12 Sivan | Mrs. Yvonne Berman | Mother-in-law | Leah Berman | |
| 12 Sivan | Mrs. Marcee Rosenzweig | Mother | Rose Korolnek | |

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| 12 Sivan | Mr. Asher Breatross | Mother | Deborah Breatross | |
| 12 Sivan | Mrs. Zehava Abramovitch | Father | Zvi Tyberg | |
| 12 Sivan | Mrs. Blanca Abramson | Mother | Helena Felber | |
| 12 Sivan | Mr. Andy Gelberger | Grandfather | Eliyahu Klein | |
| 13 Sivan | Mr. Chaim Levy | Father | Gabriel Levy | |
| 13 Sivan | Mrs. Rachel Wagner | Grandfather | Avraham Cziment | |
| 13 Sivan | Mrs. Rachel Wagner | Grandmother | Rochel Cziment | |
| 14 Sivan | Mrs. Gloria Lupas | Mother | Doris Dubin | |
| 14 Sivan | Mr. Richard Winkler | Father | Norman Winkler | |
| 14 Sivan | Mr. David Blustein | Father | Jack Blustein | |
| 15 Sivan | Rabbi Michael Stavsky | Grandmother | Chatoon Bahary | |
| 15 Sivan | Dr. Dorit Sova- Ansel | Mother | Rachel Sova | |
| 15 Sivan | Mr. Ezra Haik | Mother | Naema Haik | |
| 15 Sivan | Mrs. Leona Silver | Brother | Joseph Viner | |
| 15 Sivan | Mr. Bernie Zaionz | Brother | Charles Zaionz | |
| 15 Sivan | Mrs. Rose-Ellen Leventhal | Husband | Harold Grunfeld | |
| 15 Sivan | Mrs. Ruthie Zaionz | Husband | Chuck Zaionz | |
| 15 Sivan | Mr. Moshe Grunfeld | Father | Harold Grunfeld | |
| 15 Sivan | Mrs. Elana Winkler | Father | Chuck Zaionz | |
| 16 Sivan | Mrs. Shoshana Mammon | Father | Bezalel Ebrahimoff | |
| 16 Sivan | Mrs. Miriam Goldberg | Mother | Daya Strauss | |
| 16 Sivan | Mr. Shloimie (Perry) Romberg | Mother | Rae Romberg | |
| 16 Sivan | Mrs. Rivka Clara Mammon | Father | Bezalel Ibrahimoff | |

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR FRIDAY, MAY 21- THURSDAY, MAY 27

Date

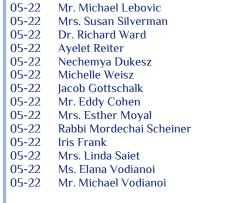
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| 05-23 | Mrs. Mercedes Elmaleh |
| 05-23 | Michael Altman |
| 05-23 | Ariela Vatenmakher |
| 05-23 | Atara Braverman |
| 05-23 | Mrs. Miriam Klein |



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| 05-25 | Samuel Belmont |
| 05-25 | Lea Zwiebel |
| 05-25 | Malka Perel |
| 05-25 | Mrs. Francine Blau |
| 05-25 | Joshua Rais |
| 05-25 | Erin Rachel Cohen |
| 05-25 | Talia Horovitz |
| 05-25 | llan Max |
| 05-25 | Ms Michelle Kahn |
| 05-25 | Alexander (Avi) Libmar |
| 05-25 | Allan Robert Flamm |
| 05-25 | Aryeh Cohen |
| 05-25 | Benjamin Miller |
| 05-25 | Mrs. Perla Sabovich |
| 05-25 | Ms. Rosanne Zuck |
| 05-25 | Mrs. Chaya Rosenberg |
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| 05-24 | Leah Mammon |
| 05-24 | Mrs. Nancy Engelberg |
| 05-24 | Eli Javasky |
| 05-24 | Debra Posluns |
| 05-24 | Mrs. Emma Scherer |
| 05-24 | Mr. David Sonenberg |
| 05-24 | Uri Klein |
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| Date | Name |
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| 05-26 | Raphael Herskovits |
| 05-26 | Joshua Altman |
| 05-26 | Kayla Goldman |
| 05-26 | Meira Gittle Cohen |
| 05-26 | Mr. Joel Muscat |
| 05-26 | Mr. Joseph Schiff |
| 05-26 | Mr. Joshua Salmon |
| 05-26 | Mr. Hal Biren |
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| 05-27 | Mr. Yehonaton Aboudi |

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PLEASE CLICK HERE TO SEND BIRTHDAY CARDS





<u>WWW.BAYT.CA</u> Your "How To" Guide to the Shul Website

WITH SO MANY CHANGES TO THE WEBSITE, AND EXCITING NEW FUNCTIONS AVAILABLE, WE WANT TO MAKE SURE ALL MEMBERS KNOW HOW TO DEDICATE A DONATION.

HOW CAN I DEDICATE A DONATION TO SOMEONE?

1 - GO TO THE HOMEPAGE AND CLICK ON "DONATIONS" AND THEN "DONATE ONLINE".

COMMUNICATION COMMUNITY SERVICES DONATION



2- MAKE SURE TO LOG IN AND WHEN YOUR DONATION IS COMPLETED THIS TRANSACTION WILL BE ASSOCIATED WITH YOU ACCOUNT RIGHT AWAY.

PLEASE WHEN CHOOSING YOUR OPTIONS: MAKE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR FULL NAME IN THE DEDICATION BOX: THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT IN ORDER FOR THE RECIPIENTS TO KNOW THOSE THAT ARE MAKING THE DONATION.



FOLLOW THE ABOVE STEPS TO NOTIFY/DEDICATE A DONATION

IN CASE OF ANY PROBLEMS OR QUESTIONS, PLEASE GET IN TOUCH WITH SHIMON@BAYT.CA

BAYT WEEKLY SERVICES SCHEDULE

| SATURDAY May 22 | SUNDAY May 23 | MONDAY May 24 | TUESDAY May 25 | WEDNESDAY May 26 | THURSDAY May 27 | FRIDAY May 28 |
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| May 22 | Way 25 | STAT HOLIDAY | Way 23 | May 20 | Way 27 | May 20 |
| SHACHARIS 7:30 AM TFBM | | | SHACHARIS 6:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 6:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 6:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 6:30 AM TFBM |
| SHACHARIS 8:00 AM GARDEN TENT | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM RJTH | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM RJTH | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM RJTH | SHACHARIS 7:00 AM RJTH |
| SHACHARIS 8:30 AM SIMCHA SUITE | SHACHARIS 8:00 AM RJTH | SHACHARIS 8:00 AM RJTH | SHACHARIS 7:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 7:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 7:30 AM TFBM | SHACHARIS 7:30 AM TFBM |
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| SHACHARIS 9:30 AM GRUDA BM SHACHARIS | SHACHARIS 9:00 AM TFBM (ZOOM) | SHACHARIS 9:00 AM TFBM (ZOOM) | | | | |
| 10:00 AM TFBM | | | | | | |
| MINCHA MAARIV 8:35 PM TFBM +RJTH + GRUDA BM +SIMCHA SUITE +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHA/MAARIV 7:05 PM TFBM (ZOOM) +RJTH +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHAMARIV 7:05 PM TFBM (ZOOM) +RJTH +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHA/MAARIV 7:05 PM TFBM (ZOOM) +RJTH +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHA/MAARIV 7:05 PM TFBM (ZOOM) +RJTH +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHA/MAARIV 7:05 PM TFBM (ZOOM) +RJTH +GARDEN TENT | PLAG MINCHA KABBALAT SHABBAT 7:10 PM TFBM +RJTH + GRUDA BM +SIMCHA SUITE +GARDEN TENT |
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KELIM MIKVAH UPDATE:

DUE TO THE LOCKDOWN, THE KELIM MIKVAH WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

NEW REGISTRATION SYSTEM TO MINYANIM

Only BAYT members and affiliates may register for minyanim. Room capacities have been severely limited during lockdown. We are capped at 10 persons only per room.

The link remains the same: https://www.bayt.ca/new-sign-up-link.html

Our minyanim are open to members only who are Bar or Bat Mitzvah age and older Please follow the instructions at the top of the SignUp Genius page.

Most importantly: if you are feeling unwell for any reason, please do NOT come, even if this means that there won't be a minyan. Everyone's safety is more important than making the minyan.

Please Remember:

- All siddurim and seforim in the Bais Medrash are currently not available to be used or removed from shelves.
- As soon as the minyan has ended please exit the building as soon as possible to enable others in and the staff to clean

YOUNG ADULTS & FAMILIES:

Want to stay updated on current programming and events?

Join the Young Adults & Families WhatsApp chat by **clicking here**:

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BROTHERHOOD MESSAGE

Last Sunday, the BAYT Brotherhood celebrated the 25th anniversary of our annual Siyum HaTanach. This year, we honored the memory of our beloved founder of the Siyum, Rabbi Yehoshua Arye ben Yoel Zisman Rosenberg z"l. We were honoured to have Rabbi Aaron Eisenberg lead our siyum this year and we look forward to Rabbi Eisenberg leading our siyum for many years to come.

A huge thank you to our Rav and Jeffrey Brown for their continued support of the Brotherhood. Also, I must thank Rosy Rosenzweig, Moishe Posner, Chuck English and Mitch Silverstein for their support to make this event an amazing success! Yishar Koach!

I would like to thank the almost 200 hundred sponsors for this amazing event. Your names will be listed in the next week's bulletin and we are grateful that you have sponsored our siyum and speaks volumes of our love for Rabbi Rosenberg and the Siyum haTanach.

Finally, I would like to thank the 109 participants who committed to learn Torah so we could complete all of Tanach and more on Shavuot. This program is exactly what the BAYT stands for and as President of Brotherhood, it is always my proudest moment of the year.

This year, we chose to give out Rabbi Jonathan Sacks' Judaism's Life-Changing Ideas: A Weekly Reading of the Jewish Bible. Sponsors and participants are to receive a copy of the book, one per family. If you have not picked it up yet, please come on Sunday, May 23 from 11AM to 1PM.

May your learning and sponsoring of the Siyum haTanach bring security to our brothers and sisters in Israel and may we be together next SHAVUOT TOGETHER IN OUR BEAUTIFUL HOME, THE BAYT, IN PERSON.

CRAIG GUTTMANN

BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT

















"MITZVAHS & MAZAL TOVS!"

Our new section in the Youth Weekly Schmooze!

DID YOUR CHILD DO A MITZVAH OR HAVE A CELEBRATION? WE WANT TO KNOW!

No Mazal Tov or Mitzvah is too small!

Please send your announcements to melanie@bayt.ca

Announcements sent in after Wednesday at 3pm

will be in the following week's Schmooze.

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Games Corner:



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Joke of the week:

Q: Why was the broom late?

A: It over-swept!

Hebrew Word of the Week:

sayar = hair

D'VAR TORAH FOR PARSHAS NASSO

Whenever a person is about to sin, the last thought that usually goes through their mind is "I know I am about to do something wrong but it is ok because......".

The Torah uses the words "Ki Tistheh". When a man thinks a women becomes "insane". This is because when committing a sin we know the act is wrong but we say to ourselves it is still ok to do. This kind of sounds like something weird because why would we do it if we know it is wrong.

How come a person can not just say this is wrong and I want to do it anyway and not make a reason why it is ok?

We are created in 2 parts.

- 1) animal instincts- based on desires and instincts
- 2) human-intellect and rationale

Because we put these 2 parts of us into each decision we make, we can not easily sin. We have to learn to take the human side of us and make sure we make all the right decisions and do only mitzvah.

By: Atara Goldstein

