

BETH AVRAHAM YOSEPH OF TORONTO CONGREGATION

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### **BAYT WEEKLY BULLETIN**

### Shabbat Shalom!

### SHABBOS SCHEDULE | זמני שבת

EREV SHABBOS, MAY 5 ערב שבתן					
PLAG MINCHA/ KABBALAS SHABBOS	Main Shul	6:45 PM			
CANDLE LIGHTING	Not Before: Not After:	6:55 PM 8:07 PM			
MINCHA/KABBALOS	Main Shul	8:15 PM			

### SHABBOS, MAY 6 שבת | SHABBOS

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HASHKAMA MINYAN	Rebbetzin Judy Taub Hall	7:30 AM
CHABURAH MINYAN	Perlis Hall	8:30 AM
BAIS MEDRASH MINYAN	Turk Family Bais Medrash	8:45 AM
SHACHARIS	Main Shul	9:00 AM
YOUNG PROFESSIONALS/JLIC	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash	9:30 AM
MINCHA	Main Shul	8:00 PM
HAVDALA	After:	9:12 PM

### Kel Maleh: This Shabbos YES, Next Shabbos YES

### **BAYT AGM**

THE AGM WILL BE HELD ON SUNDAY, JUNE 4TH AT 10:15 AM AT BAYT

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### **BAYT YOUTH SHABBOS SCHEDULE**

COCOA CLUB	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	9:00 AM
CHINUCH MINYAN	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	9:15 AM
TEEN/YESHIVA HIGH SCHOOL MINYAN Boys ages 13+	Jarvis Freedman	9:15 AM
KINDERGARTEN	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
GIRLS GRADES 1-4	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
BOYS GRADES 1-4	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
PARENTS & TOTS	3rd floor Classroom 1	10:00 AM

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SHABBOS SHIURIM   שיעורים בשבת				
BAIS MEDRASH SHIUR With Rabbi Rothbart	Turk Family Bais Medrash	8:15 AM		
PARSHA SHIUR With Rabbi Lesher	Main Shul	8:40 AM		
HASHKAMA SHIUR With Rabbi Witty	Rabbi Baruch Taub Study Hall	Approx. 9:30 AM		
CHABURAH SHIUR With Dr. Lazer Friedman	Perlis Hall	Approx. 10:30 AM		
WOMEN'S SHIUR With Karyn Goldberger	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	5:30 PM		
SIDDUR INSIGHTS With Laya Witty	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	6:30 PM		
<b>DAF YOM!</b> With Rabbi Lesher	Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom	6:45 PM		
SHIUR B'IVRIT With Rabbi Torczyner	Jarvis Friedman Library	6:45 PM		
PIRKEI AVOS	Main Shul	7:30 PM		





### WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY SHACHARIS SCHEDULE: MAY 7 — 12				
MINYAN	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
SUNDAY	6:45 AM TFBM	8:00 AM TFBM	YOUTH MINY/ 8:30 AN MMGBN	9:00 AM TFBM
MONDAY	6:20 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	
TUESDAY LAG B'OMER	6:30 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBN	
WEDNESDAY	6:30 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	
THURSDAY	6:20 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	
FRIDAY	6:30 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	
WEEKDAY MINCHA/MAARIV SCHEDULE				
MINYAN		DAY & LOCATION		
MINCHA Sunday- Thursday: TFBM		ry: TFBM	2:00 PM	
PLAG MINCHA/M	Sunday- Thursday: TFBM		6:50 PM	
MINCHA/MAARIV Sunday- Thursday: TFBM 8:20 PM			8:20 PM	
MAARIV Sunday- Thursday: TFBM 9:00 PM				9:00 PM

NEXT SHABBOS SCHEDULE PARSHAS BEHAR—BECHUKOSAI				
PLAG MINCHA / KABBALAS SHABBOS 6:50 PM				
	Not Before: 7:02 PM Not After: 8:15 PM			
CANDLE LIGHTING	Not Before: 7:02 PM Not After: 8:15 PM			
CANDLE LIGHTING MINCHA/ KABBALAS SHABBOS	Not Before: 7:02 PM Not After: 8:15 PM 8:25 PM			

### <u>WEEKDAY SCHEDULE</u> <u>זמני השבוע</u> Earliest time for Tallis & Tefillin:

Earliest time for Tallis & Tefillin Sun - Fri: 5:03 AM - 4:56 AM Sof Zman Krias Shema: Sun - Fri: 9:38 AM - 9:35 AM

### **KEY**

TFBM= Turk Family Bais Medrash MMGBM= Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash

	WEEK	CDAY SHIURIM	
SHIUR	DATE	TIME	LINK/LOCATION
<b>Dirshu Daf Hayomi B'Halacha</b> With Rabbi Zev Hofstedter	Monday— Friday	Approx. 7:05 AM-7:30 AM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Adult Morning Kollel With Rabbi Dr. Moshe Yeres	Monday— Friday	MonThurs.: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM Friday: 10:00 AM-11:00 AM	Monday– Tuesday: At Kollel Ohr Yoseph Wednesday— Friday: At BAYT, in the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom Also online: http://tiny.cc/morningkollel
Early Morning Daf Yomi	Monday— Friday	6:00 AM	Turk Family Bais Medrash
Mizrachi Beit Midrash	Sunday— Thursday	8:00 PM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Choshen Mishpat Halacha Shiur	Daily	6:10 AM	Https://bit.ly/ChoshenMishpat
Amud Yomi with Rabbi Englander	Daily	6:20 AM	https://tinyurl.com/amudyomi
Morning Daf Yomi	Daily	Sun: 7:15 AM Mon- Fri: 7:30 AM	http://bit.ly/BAYTDaf Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Evening Daf Yomi	Daily	8:30 PM	https://tinyurl.com/dafyomidaily
Shiur B'lvrit	Sunday	8:30 AM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Moreh Nevukhim With The Rav	Monday	7:30 AM	Https://www.facebook.com/webyeshiva
Final Four Parshiyos With Rabbi Witty	Monday	7:15 PM This week only	Jarvis Freedman Library
Ladies' Kuzari + Parsha Shiur With The Rav	Tuesday	10:00 AM	https://tinyurl.com/kuzariandparsha Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Semichas Chaver Program With The Rav	Tuesday	8:00 PM	To register, go to: www.bayt.ca/form/scp2021.html In the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Contemporary Issues In Halacha	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Chassidus Shiur With the Rav	Thursday	8:00 PM	https://tinyurl.com/chassidusshiur



### NACHAS & SPONSORSHIPS

### **MAZEL TOV TO:**

- Chuck & Lydia English and Ruchi & Eli Eisenbach on the birth of a grandson, Avraham Elazar, son of Aliza & Yehuda Eisenbach and a brother to Dina Solika. Mazel Tov as well to great grandparents Rabbi Dovid & Marsha Eisenbach and Rabbi Moshe & Zahava Neuman.
- Kenneth & Sharon Green on the birth of a granddaughter, Ella Batya (Evelyn Bess), daughter to Alexander & Keren Green of Buffalo, NY. Brother to Sophie, Judah, and Solomon. Mazel tov also to grandparents Barbara Albert & Alan Vinegar, Larry & Susan Shilling, and to great-grandmother Freda Green.



The Mazel Tov section is sponsored by

Wayne Kurtz (647-297-4941)

- Liliane & Michael Rende and to Heather & Melech Tanen on the birth of a granddaughter, Sadie (Hadassah) Yael, daughter to Atara Tanen & Daniel Rende and sister to Clara. Mazel tov also to great-grandparents, Miriam & Bill Webb, Elaine Tanenzapf, Esther Serfaty, and Eva Rende.
- Tomi & Zippy Zwiebel and Larry & Jordana Stockhamer on the engagement of their children Josh and Brooke. Mazel Tov also to grandmothers Evelyn Ellenbogen, Margaret Zwiebel and Vivian Stockhamer.

### THANK YOU TO OUR CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH SPONSORS:

PLEASE IOIN US FOR KIDDUSH IN THE PERLIS HALL

Mrs. Frieda Korobkin in loving memory of her husband, Leonard Korobkin, Lipa ben Yechezkel HaKohen, z"l.

### THANK YOU TO OUR SHIUR SPONSORS:

- Wayne & Andrea Nathanson, in appreciation to the Ray for his dedication and special effort in teaching Choshen Mishpat.
- Rachel Schwartz in memory of Shlomo Viesfeld , Shlomo Viesfeld ben Mordechai z"l.

  Larry & Sue Zeifman in commemoration of yarzeit for Larry's mother, Sara Bluma bat Efraim Fishel v' Charna z"l (Sylvia Zeifman z"l).
- **Elazar & Chana Morel** in commemoration of the 16th yahrzeit of Elazar's parents, Zelda Fruma bat Yisroel Yosef HaCohen z"l. (8th of lyar) and Refael ben Elazar z"l (17th of lyar) and to honour the gabeim for their dedicated work.

### THANK YOU TO OUR SHALOSH SEUDOS SPONSORS:

PLEASE IOIN US FOR SHALOSH SEUDOS IN THE REBBETZIN IUDY TAUB HALL, WITH SPEAKER MARVIN HUBERMAN

- Rabbi Daniel & Karen Korobkin in memory of the Ray's father, Leonard Korobkin, z"l, Lipa ben Yechezkel Hakohen, on the occasion of his second yahrzeit.
- Marvin & Esther Huberman in honour of their children & grandchildren.
- Murray & Jacqueline Lukawitz in memory of Sally Lukawitz z"l.
- Moishe & Nicole Posner in memory of the 3rd yahrzeit of Nicole's mother, Lisa Ouanounou, Iza bat David & Miriam z"l, 21st of lyar & also in memory of Nicole's grandfather, Chalom Ben Yakov & Frecha z"l, 16th of lyar.
- Paul & Annie Samuel in memory of the 3rd yahrzeit of Annie's mother, Lisa Ouanounou, Iza bat David & Miriam z"l, 21st of Iyar & also in memory of Annie's grandfather, Chalom Ben Yakov & Frecha z"l, 16th of lyar.

### **BAYT SUMMER JOBS**

We are searching for an outgoing students to work as part of our team this summer! Available positions:

- Office Administration (FT)
- 2. Youth Director's Assistant (PT)
- 3. Garden attendant & building maintenance (FT)

### SAVE THE DATE

Daf Yomi Siyum on Maseches Sotah

May 17 - 7:30pm Including fleishig dinner

### UNVEILING

In loving memory of Stephen Aaron Rosen z"l

Please join our family, as we unveil his headstone and remember the legacy of Stephen A. Rosen z"l.

> Sunday, May 7 @ 1 pm Bathurst Lawn Memorial Park 6033 Bathurst Street North York, ON

### **GEMACH**

Members of the community requiring the need of a Gemach/Interest Free Loan can contact either Mendel Rubinoff: 905.886.8934 or 416.880.2132 or Ed Kalkstein: 905.886.2914 or 416.256.4000. Strictly private & confidential!

### SHINSHINIM @ BAYT!

BAYT is excited to announce that together with Netivot and the UJA, we will be having 2 female ShinShinim joining our shul community for the coming school year. The Shinshinim volunteer their time and connect our community to contemporary Israel through personal experience and deep friendships.

We are currently looking for up to 4 host families willing provide home hospitality to a ShinShin for half of the year (end of August-January or February-June).

To volunteer or for more information please reach out to Avital at avital@bayt.ca.

To learn more about the UJA Shinshinim program please click HERE



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

### V'Yomer, Emor, V'Amarta

Esther and I arrived in Eretz Yisrael a week ago Friday morning and spent Shabbat with my brother Avraham and his wife Reva in Yerushalayim Ir HaKodesh. There is no escaping BAYT members. On Shabbat morning, we walked into shul at Nitzanim in Baka and in the back row, sitting by himself with a Gemara open learning Menachot, was our very own Manfred Leventhal. Manfred, his children and the rest of the mishpacha had just commemorated Maddie's 25th yahrzeit two days earlier. It was great to wish him in person that Maddie's neshama should have an aliyah and bring him up to date on how we are progressing with the mikvah renovation. And we are close to making a formal announcement. Lisa Berman and David Lithwick are finalizing key details.

A week ago Sunday, on the 3rd of lyyar, was my father's 25th yahrzeit. Menachem Mendel ben Shmuel z"l was a founding member of the BAYT and a Holocaust survivor. It is eerie to commemorate his yahrzeit in Israel knowing two days later is Israel's 75th Anniversary. But of course, before the celebration, we mourned our brave soldiers (fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, and on) and terror victims on Yom Hazikaron, when we went to Binyanei Ha'uma for the World Zionist Organization's tekes. It was an incredibly powerful event. At times, I felt like I was gasping for air, and wondered when the feeling would be over. I needed oxygen.

The pain was so intense and tears kept coming. It would be impossible for me to convey the feeling in the auditorium, but the event started with Rabbi Leo Dee whose two daughters, Rina and Maia, and his wife, Lucy, were brutally murdered two weeks prior. He talked about his interview with CNN during shiva condemning the news network for calling the terrorist attack a cycle of violence. He challenged them wondering how three innocent people driving on a road and having gun fire upon them forcing them off the road can be characterized as a "cycle of violence". But that was not enough, so the murderers had to circle back turning the car around and ensuring the women's demise. "CNN are the terrorist network", he said. Racheli Fraenkel followed. The painful story of OUR three boys, reliving it all over again. How the parents decided almost from the moment they learned of the kidnapping at three in the morning that they were going to rally the entire country which quickly became a world event until they found the boys murdered.

And then there was Yossi Ron. Yossi was orphaned when both his parents were murdered in the famous battle of Kfar Etzion on May 13th, 1948, the 4th of lyyar. After the tekes, he led maariv for their yahrzeits. After the tefillah, I gave him a warm hug, wishing his parents' neshamas should have an aliyah. It felt so inadequate. Then there was Reena Meir who at the age of seventeen witnessed the murder of her mother Dafna. Dafna bravely held the knife the terrorist had plunged into her belly in place, preventing the terrorist from removing it and trying to do harm to her five children in the house. It took a year for Reena to return to society. Then there was the One Family's shidduch of Ayelet Dikstein and Aviatar Gavish. Seventeen years earlier, in two separate terror attacks, they each witnessed the murders of their parents and siblings. They first met at One Family's orphans division and have known each other for many years, attending workshops, seminars and meetings. Both overcame huge challenges and chose to focus on life and not dwell in sadness. Then, the mother of Eli Kay, 26, killed in a terror attack in Jerusalem on November 21, 2021, spoke beautifully. And unfortunately more. Many many more tragedies were told. An evening never to forget.

The next morning, we went to Har Herzl and our group was taken to the Dakar monument (Israel's Dakar submarine was sailing from Britain to Haifa and disappeared on January 25, 1968 carrying 69 sailors. In May 1999, the Dakar was found. It lies undisturbed 9,500 feet beneath the Mediterranean Sea between Crete and Cyprus.) for the 11 o'clock sirens which bring the country to a complete silent standstill for an emotional two minutes in memory of the men and women who have been killed defending the land of Israel. At the exact precise moment of the end of two minutes, four Israeli fighter jets roared over the mountain of Herzl, one separating, commemorating our lost soldiers. The lone soldier formation, never to be forgotten.

In the afternoon, we visited with Malki Natanel, the mother of Yonaton (26) z"l who tragically was killed in Gaza in 2009 by friendly tank fire. Yonaton had become a father a month earlier. As Malki told us about Yonaton and shared the family albums, I came across a letter written by the Natanel family to the four soldiers who were in the tank that tragic day. I share it with you today. Thank you to Charly Piwko for his accurate translation. A Letter to the Tank Crew

Yoni's father Amos (is writing) in the name of Yoni's mother, Yoni's wife Ziona and their daughter Mayan; as well as in the names of Yitzchak, Sheri and David – Yoni's siblings To the crew.... to the platoon....and to the regiment....

Those who make days like nights out of bravery and devotion for the people and the land:

We know that our son ההייד fell during a fierce fire campaign of our forces and we felt a deep inner need to tell you all, from the bottom of our hearts, that we love and hug you tightly. Being hit by the fire of our own forces is an inseparable part of all of Israel's wars and our ability to defeat the enemy on the battlefield, and with that in mind, Yoni went to this war, and we as parents sent him to these battles. You didn't hit Yoni! Yoni died on 'קידוש ה' at the time when heaven destined him to live on earth while you were his pure angels to carry out this mission.



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is comforting for us to know that your pure hands hit him and not the impure hands of the enemy - the wicked of the earth - because no impure hand could defeat Yoni. It is important for us to tell you that we love you with all the warmth of our heart; you are like our children and many children who are in the middle of battles.

We ask you to please carry on the same spirit that Yoni had, a spirit of faith, bravery, courage, and love and that's how we will know that Yoni continues to live among you...

Our last request, please come to us during the battles so that we can hug you tightly and tell you how much we love you. We pray for you strongly, Amos, Malki, Ziona and Mayan; Yitzchak, Sheri and Davi.

A few hours later, we are dancing with Shlomo Katz in Gan Hapa'amon for tefillat Maariv (many more BAYT members and their children), and then onto Sultan's Pool where the IDF's choir, some originals of the Miami Boys Choir and their children and Ishay Ribo performed for Yom Ha'azmaut. Just like on Pesach when we eat the bread of affliction and the bitter herbs and recount the extreme hard labour of Pharaoh, we rise up as a free nation in control of our own destiny eating bread, barbecuing, celebrating all that Hashem has granted us knowing that the Jewish people for thousands of years continue to rise up. While we do not understand much in this world, we know that Hashem always walks with us.

The next two days, we attended Mizrachi's World Orthodox Israel Congress. We were blessed to hear Ministers of the government, many important leaders of the Jewish world today, like Rabbi Hershel Schechter, Rabbi JJ Schacter, Rabbi Doron Perez, Rav Yosef Zvi Rimon, Chief Rabbi David Lau, Rabbi Carmel, Natan Sharansky, Rabbanit Shani Taragin, Rabbanit Rachelle Fraenkel, Miriam Peretz and many many more. So many words of Torah and chizuk. Even though we left the conference extremely exhausted by the long fourteen hour day, we were energized. We just needed some sleep.

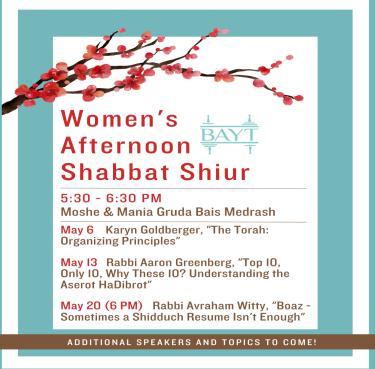
This week's parsha has the triple lashon of conveyance, Hashem said to Moshe, v'yomer, and emor, to say to the Kohanim and v'amarta, to tell them. Esther and I were blessed to hear the cries of Yom Ha'zikaron, the cheering of Yom Ha'azmaut and an extraordinary amount of divrei Torah in our Holy Land.

Lucy Dee, was also an organ donor. On Tuesday, her remaining two daughters heard their mother's heart beating in the chest of the woman their mother has just saved. No matter how dark the situation, no matter how much evil there is in the world, the light of goodness will always prevail.

Over the thousands of years and in particular the past seventy-five years we have experienced much pain, but we have so much to be grateful for as we experience the beginning of the Redemption, may it come speedily in our days. Never lose hope. Never give up. Just keep pushing forward and try to spread as much light as you can.

Shabbat Shalom! Craig Guttman, President









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### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



LETHAL JOURNALISM, ANTISEMITISM, AND GLOBAL JIHAD

WITH PROFESSOR RICHARD LANDES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10 AT 8 PM

IN THE SIMCHA SUITE



Jerusalem resident Professor Richard Landes will discuss his newly published book, which explores the surprising development that support for the Palestinian cause had become a litmus test for liberal credentials by 2003. He examines how the "global progressive left" welcomed

Jihadis into their peace movement despite their opposing ideals of imperialism, misogyny, genocidal 🕌 antisemitism, and hatred of the "other." The book provides insights into our current trajectory.

"THE WHOLE WORLD" BE WRONG?

**BOOKS WILL BE AVAILABLE** FOR SALE AT THE EVENT

BAYT 613 CLARK AVENUE WEST, THORNHILL



### MONDAY, JUNE 5 AT 8:30 PM IN THE SIMCHA SUITE

### Speakers:

Randy Cohen, Real Estate Broker, Remax - will discuss real estate landscape in Thornhill community for young families

Chaim Rosner, Senior Tax Manager, Zeifmans- will discuss cross border concerns re purchasing a principal residence/living in Canada as US citizen

Raquel Levine, Estate Lawver, Wolfson Law – will discuss setting up a will for a voung family

Mordechai Kuhnreich, Wealth Advisor, Wellington Atlus- will discuss financial literacy for young families (budgeting, intro to investing)

Yonati Wagner-Sues, Mortgage Agent Level 2, Mortgage Architects- will discuss mortgage strategy for young families

Register at https://tinyurl.com/YFchecklist

will be served





### **STOP DOING NOTHING AND START DOING SQUAT:**

**Basic Exercises for All** Ages and Skill Levels

> With Moshe **Schwartz**



We will be introducing some basic exercises that are a foundation for anyone wanting to start a workout program. We will be going through some modifications for each exercise, so that they are accessible for everyone, regardless of your experience or skill level!

> TUESDAY. MAY 23RD 5:45 PM 6:45 PM **IN THE PERLIS HALI**

Moshe is a personal trainer, certified nutritionist, and Fascial Stretch Therapist. In 2017, he started Gentle Motion, an in-home personal training 50, people with injuries, and people with many different medical conditions including arthritis fibromyalgia, diabetes, joint becoming a personal trainer. Moshe companies including Sony Pictures and Volkswagen Canada. In his spare time, Moshe spends time with his wife and six children.

### **SAFETY NOTICE**

### EVACUATION PROCEDURE FOR SHABBAT/YOM TOVIM



Reasons for Evacuations could be -

- Fire
- Power Outage
- Moving People to Safety

Although we would ideally want to have "wardens" appointed to guide everyone out the building, unlike schools or offices where the core group is static our shul with the multitude of minyanim particularly on a Shabbat we are dealing with a fluid situation.

The evacuation model we are working with is as follows

Everyone's cooperation is necessary to Evacuate safely and speedily. Safety-Security Members are to take charge of the area they are in and guide persons out the area. Once an area is CLEAR the Safety-Security Members should proceed to exit the building and make sure that all others have done so as well. As the last persons exit the building advise the **Evacuation Leader** who will be standing by the island at the Parking Lot Entrance Doors

- When a Fire Alarm or Instruction to Evacuate is heard everyone should move quickly to
  the nearest designated exit point do not run or push proceed down/up the stairs to
  exit the building and then move to the Safe Evacuation Areas along the east side (601
  Clark) and south side (Eitz Chaim) of the parking lot DO NOT CONGREGATE IN FIRE
  LANE
- DO NOT use Elevators
- DO NOT gather your belongings
- DO NOT try locate your children the Youth Department will take care of children in designated Youth programs
- When a Fire Alarm is pulled ALL Exit doors unlock
- The first persons reaching a door leading to an exit should hold open the door and stand clear to speed the exit of those behind them until relieved by a Safety-Security Team Member
- Once Safety-Security Team members reach the door they should take over from the lead persons that were first at the door
- Once everyone has safely evacuated the area Safety-Security Team Members should report to the **Evacuation Leader** to indicate that the area they left is CLEAR
- Persons needing Assistance should move to the closest stairwell landing and remain there
  until assistance can be provided advise the Safety-Security Team member who will report
  details to the Evacuation Leader to arrange for assistance
- Re-Entry to the building will be determined by the **Evacuation Leader** in consultation with the Authorities (Fire Department, Police etc)

### **SAFETY NOTICE**

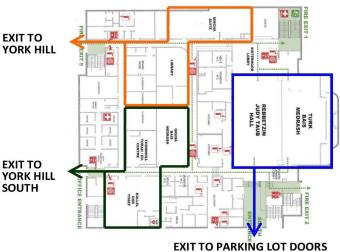
UNLESS There is Smoke or Heat from a Fire, or you are advised otherwise by Security Team Leaders, the suggested exit routes that will reduce congestion are as follows

**EXIT PAST** 

**TO YORK** 

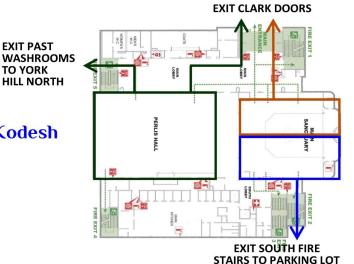
### **LOWER LEVEL**

- Rebbetzin Judy Taub Hall (RJTH) & Turk Bais Medrash -- Right Hand Doors out through Parking Lot **Entrance Lobby**
- Simcha Suite, Speisman Board Room, Classroom 6 - North-West corridor to Exit to York Hill
- Milevsky/Kollel, Gruda Beis Medrash - South-West corridor past Offices to Exit to York Hill



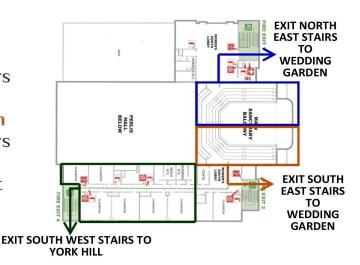
### MAIN LEVEL

- Main Sanctuary Men's Left of Aron Kodesh (North) exit via Clark **Entrance Doors**
- Main Sanctuary Men's Right of Aron Kodesh (South) exit via Fire Stairs directly out to Parking Lot
- Perlis Hall exit past washrooms down stairs to York Hill OR through Clark Entrance Doors



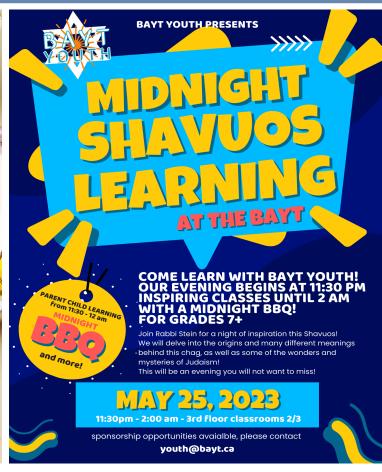
### THIRD LEVEL

- Main Sanctuary Women's Left of Aron Kodesh (North) exit via North-East stairs out to Wedding Garden
- Main Sanctuary Women's Right of Aron Kodesh (South) exit via South-East stairs out to Wedding Garden
- Youth Classrooms Exit via South West stairs out to York Hill



### **BAYT YOUTH**













### HATZALAH MAGNETS

### **DIVREI TORAH & NOTICE BOARD**

### WEEKLY HALACHAH BY RABBI TORCZYNER

TORCZYNER@TORONTOTORAH.COM

We need an eruv tavshilin this Shavuot to permit cooking on Friday for Shabbat. May I designate an eruv tavshilin in advance if it will remain edible until Yom Tov, or must I designate it on Erev Yom Tov?

The Talmud (Beitzah 15b) records a debate as to why we make an eruy tayshilin:

To ensure that there will be good food for both Shabbat and Yom Tov, lest Shabbat be forgotten in the rush to prepare for Yom Tov;

To ensure that people remember that they may not cook on Yom Tov for a mundane day.

Rabbeinu Asher (Rosh to Beitzah 2:1) says that according to the first view we need to prepare the eruv tavshilin on Erev Yom Tov, so that it will be fresh and good for Shabbat. But according to the second view, one could prepare the eruv tavshilin far in advance.

In practice, we prepare the eruv tavshilin on Erev Yom Tov, where this is at all possible. (Shulchan Aruch Orach Chaim 527:14)

### **ADULT EDUCATION EVENTS**

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

Business Ethics Lunchtime Series: The Ethical Challenge with Rabbi Torczyner in partnership with Beit Midrash Zichron Dov. Wednesday May 10 & 17. On Zoom: http://tiny.cc/bmlunch

Monday May 8 at 8:30 pm Lag B'Omer Bonfire Kumsitz

Wednesday May 10 at 8 pm Professor Richard Landes of Jerusalem speaks about his newly published book Can "The Whole World" Be Wrong? Lethal Journalism, Antisemitism, and Global Jihad. Simcha Suite

Monday May 15 at 8 pm Medical Ethics Program with Rabbi Torczyner in partnership with Beit Midrash Zichron Dov, Dealing With Difficult Patients. Zoom link: http://tiny.cc/mtethics

### **BIKUR CHOLIM**

Rabbi Korobkin and Rabbi Lesher are making bikur cholim visits to Baycrest as well as making home visits on a regular basis. If you know of someone who needs a visit, please contact Rabbi Lesher at rabbi.lesher@bayt.ca

The BAYT Cholim list can be viewed HERE To add to this list, please email cholim@matee.com

### Please note:

On erev Shavuos, the Cholim List will be reset and all current names will be deleted. Please send all names again if you'd like them included on the list from Shavuos onward.

### D'VAR TORAH BY RABBI METZGER

CMETZGER@TORONTOTORAH.COM

Why is the time period we are in, between Pesach and Shavuot, called the Omer? What is an Omer?

The Omer is called as such because it begins the day after the first day of Yom Tov of Pesach when we have the Mitzvah to bring a Korban Mincha, a barley offering made from an Omer of barley. The Omer is a volume measurement that is a tenth of an Eifah (Shemot 16:36).

The Sefer HaChinuch explains that the reason behind the commandment to bring an Omer offering is because we need to understand the great kindness G-d does for us every year when a new crop of grain is ready. We specifically bring the offering in the Beit Hamikdash and start counting on the second day of Pesach so we can thank G-d, understanding the great suffering we came from in Egypt.

It goes deeper than that. The first time an Omer is mentioned in the Torah is in the context of receiving the Manna. Each and every member of Israel received an equal portion consisting of one Omer from G-d.

As we count the Omer we thank G-d not only for our physical freedom, or prosperity independently, but we remember our connection to G-d and all he has done and will continue to do for us.



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### **BIRTHDAYS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**



### ADULT MEN MORNING KOLLEL SEDER- JOINT PROGRAM BAYT AND KOLLEL

Our Adult Men Morning Kollel Seder has resumed with Rabbi Moshe Yeres. We are a group of men, of varying levels of Torah knowledge and literacy, who come together every weekday morning to study with Rabbi Yeres. We encourage questions and discussion and are non-judgmental in the issues raised. We study the Weekly Torah portion for an hour and then alternate study of Tanach (Book of Ezra and Nechemia), Talmud Aggada (Sefer Ein Yaakov), Jewish Ethics (Ethics of the Fathers through the lens of Rabeinu Yonah commentary), and Jewish tradition (Kitzur Shulchan Aruch). We try to ensure that the source material studied is available and studied in both Hebrew and English.

We meet in person on Mondays and Tuesday at Kollel Ohr Yosef (601 Clark first floor Library classroom), and Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at BAYT Speisman Board Room. We encourage people to come out and learn in person. For those who cannot, there is a zoom option available (computer, cellphone or by telephone audio). We meet weekdays 10:00 am – 12:00 noon, except Friday from 10:00-11:00 am. It is possible to join the group for specific times and days based on your schedule.

So men, if you are free and are looking for some good Torah study and camaraderie, you are invited to join us. Questions? Details? Please contact Rabbi Yeres at mosheyeres@gmail.com

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

### FRIDAY, MAY 5 - THURSDAY, MAY 11

Friday, May 5 Amalya Feldman Mr. James Klein Shira Slutsky Shevi Posner Mark Liebenthal **Nosson Stoll** 

Shabbos, May 6 Dr. Robert Fingerote Mr. Abe Lauterpacht Jonah Spodek Elisha Levy Dr. Ari Halberstadt Meir Rais Mrs. Cheryl Sher

Tuesday, May 9 Mr. Orie Niedzviecki Chaviva Augenblick Mrs. Miriam Webb Zachary Goldstein Mr. Allan Weiss

Wednesday, May 10 Dr. Gerard Klein Mrs. Vivian Benmergui Mr. Daniel Fine Mrs. Robin Berglas Cindy Goldberg Michael Sabo Michelle Elmaleh Mr. Emmanuel Mammon

Sunday, May 7 Ms. Laurie Slater Micha'el Sher William Nussbaum Ionah Bidner Shayna Crombie Andrew Freedman Mr. Micha'el Sher Eran Berliner Rachelle Bir Orly Kochman

Thursday, May 11 Rena Cohen Mrs. Tziporah Altbaum Ari Baum Mrs. Susan Kalkstein Mrs. Linda Cymbalista Michelle Moyal

Monday, May 8

Mr. Colin Kramer Deena Orner Menachem Weiss Yitzchak Zigelman Mr. Brian Bigman Oriel Avigdor Cohen Dr. Eddie Philips Gila Mann

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# Announcing: 'Hakhmei Lev Journal VOL. V, High Holiday Edition

A Torah Journal Written By and For the Members of the BAYT and Their Families.

We are calling upon members to submit articles and essays on various topics for our fourth issue.

We are looking for essays on:

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Men, Women, and Children bar mitzvah age and older are welcome to submit articles. They should be submitted according to our style guide- https://tinyurl.com/HLstyleguide

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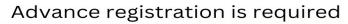
Seeking: Title sponsor for the entire journal, and regular sponsors. For pricing, please email hakhamim@bayt.ca

### WALK WITH ISRAEL



Join tens of thousands at Earl Bales Park on Monday, May 22nd as we show our pride and walk as one united community.

Register today at walkwithisrael.com or scan the QR code:







After we walk, enjoy an afternoon of Israeli culture, music, dancing, delicious food, and more...

### **BBQ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

For the last 30 years, most of the volunteers at the Walk with Israel BBQ have been BAYT Members. This year the Walk is on Monday May 22 (Victoria Day) and the BBQ and Walk Party will take place at the JCC Sherman Campus, Bathurst north of Sheppard. Please note that the actual Walk starts at Earl Bales Park.

Volunteers start at 9:00 am and work thru 2:30 pm. We serve 7,000 hot dogs and veggie dogs, chips and pop. High school students will earn Volunteer hours.

Please contact Arthur (Rosy) Rosenzweig, rosy@stclairicecream.ca, to volunteer.

Join your fellow BAYT Members, be part of the Toronto Jewish Community's largest event and celebrate Israel's 75th year of independence.



### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



**PIRKEI AVOS** ON SHABBOS AFTERNOONS

Weekly in the Main Shul 30 minutes before Mincha

Zeifmans LLP, BAYT, Shaarei Shomayim and Beit Midrash Zichron Dov present a

**Business Ethics Lunchtime Series** THE ETHICAL CHALLENGE with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner

12:30 PM Wednesdays on **ZDDM** at <a href="http://tiny.cc/bmlunch">http://tiny.cc/bmlunch</a> Register at <a href="https://torontotorah.com/business">https://torontotorah.com/business</a>



May 3 Fair Wages and Benefits

May 10 The Ethics of Non-Disclosure Agreements

The Gifted Auditor and the Ethics of Swag

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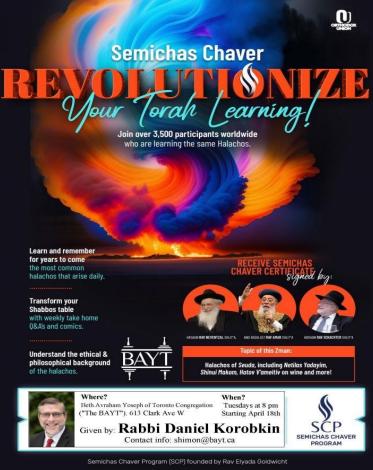












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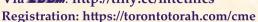
### **MEDICAL ETHICS**

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### DIFFICULT PATIENTS



with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner 8:00 - 9:30 PM Monday May 15, 2023 Via 200M: http://tiny.cc/mtethics



Men and women are welcome, Non-physicians welcome No advanced knowledge required. No charge. For information, email info@torontotorah.com

This one-credit-per-hour Group Learning program meets the certification criteria of the College of Family Physicians of Canada and has been certified by Continuing Professional Development, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto for up to 1.5 Mainpro+ credits

This event is an Accredited Group Learning Activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, approved by Continuing Professional Development, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto. You may claim a maximum of 1.5 hours.











STUDENTS

**PROFESSIONALS** 

### YAHRZEITS FOR MAY 6-12

ENGLISH	HEBREW	MEMBER NAME	RELATIONSHIP	IN MEMORY OF
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05/06	15 lyyar	Mrs. Ruthy Posner	Mother	Pearl Weinles
05/06	15 lyyar	Dov Klein	Father	Jonathan Grosberg
05/06	15 lyyar	Mrs. Beatrice Rocklin	Father	Joseph Draper
05/06	15 lyyar	Mr. Lawrence Levine	Grandfather	Joseph Tobin
05/06	15 lyyar	Mr. Neil Beube	Father	Harry Beube
05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Susan Swirsky	Husband	Ronald Swirsky
05/07	16 lyyar	Mr. Mark Frischman	Father	Arnold Frischman
05/07	16 lyyar	Dr. Robert Goldberger	Grandfather	Zvi Goldberger
05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Shirley Klein	Grandfather	Zvi Goldberger
05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Annie Samuel	Grandfather	Chalom ben Yakov v'Freicha
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05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Diane Berger	Father	Samuel Rasminsky
05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Marcia Ruth Zionce	Brother-in-Law	Murray Zionce
05/07	16 lyyar	Ms. Amy Tokayer	Brother	Mark Tokayer
05/07	16 lyyar	Mrs. Marcelle Ohayon	Mother	Esther Oinounou
05/07	16 lyyar	Mr. Aaron Rosenberg	Grandmother	Tuba Litwack
05/07	16 lyyar	Dr. Larry Mittelmann	Father	Desideriu Mittelmann
05/08	17 lyyar	Mr. Laurence Zeifman	Mother	Sylvia Zeifman
05/08	17 lyyar	Mr. Elazar Morel	Father	Refael Morel
05/08	17 lyyar	Mr. Arieh Tokayer	Son	Mark Tokayer
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05/08	17 lyyar	Justice Ivan Bloom	Mother	Clara Bloom
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05/10	19 lyyar	Mrs. Roberta Newman	Mother	Phyllis Lensky
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05/10	19 lyyar	Mrs. Gail Cooper	Father	Max Steinman
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Shiur is being given memory of Mindy Newman z"l

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### **BROTHERHOOD SIYUM**

SHAVUOS IS THE TIME TO HONOUR OUR BELOVED RABBI ARYEH ROSENBERG'S Z"L MEMORY

Please join us on second day Shavuos, May 27th, for our annual Siyum.

To sponsor this special event, please visit:

https://www.bayt.ca/ payment.php?

### **SHAVUOS FLOWERS**

We are looking for sponsors for the Shavuos flowers in the main shul.

Contact melanie@bayt.ca for details!

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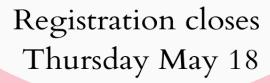
## DESIGN A CANDY BOARD FOR SHAVUOT!

Take home a delicious platter with sweets to enjoy over chag with friends and family

Monday May 22, 2023 8:00-9:30pm - Simcha Suite

> \$25.00 for Members \$30.00 for Non-Members

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DAF YOMI **MONDAY - SHABBOS** 

Monday - Friday at 6 AM Shabbos Afternoon 45 min before

**GEMARA SKILL BUILDING**  **MONDAY NIGHTS** 

At 8 PM in the Mizrachi / Milevsky Bais Medrash

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**SHABBOS MORNINGS** 

At 8:40 AM in the Main Shul



For more information, and links for online classes visit https://www.bayt.ca/rkshiurim

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