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BAYT WEEKLY BULLETIN



MAZEL TOV
To Sarah Malka Scharf
on the occasion of her
Bas Mitzvah

SHABBOS SCHEDULE | זמני שבת

EREV SHABBOS, JANUARY 13 | ערב שבת

CANDLE LIGHTING		4:45 PM
MINCHA/KABBALOS SHABBOS	Main Shul	4:55 PM

SHABBOS, JANUARY 14 | שבת

HASHKAMA MINYAN	Rebbetzin Judy Taub Hall	7:30 AM
CHABURAH MINYAN	Simcha Suite	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	4:40 PM
HAVDALA	After:	5:50 PM

Kel Maleh: This Shabbos YES, Next Shabbos YES



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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
YESHIVA HIGH SCHOOL MINYAN <i>Boys ages 13+</i>	Jarvis Freedman Library	9:15 AM
KINDERGARTEN	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
GIRLS GRADES 1-3	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
BOYS GRADES 1-3	3rd Floor Classrooms	9:30 AM
PARENTS & TOTS	3rd floor Classroom 1	10:00 AM
PARENT CHILD LEARNING	Turk Family Bais Medrash	1 hour after Havdala

SHABBOS SHIURIM | שיעורים בשבת

BAIS MEDRASH SHIUR <i>With Rabbi Rothbart</i>	Turk Family Bais Medrash	8:15 AM
PARSHA SHIUR <i>With Rabbi Leshar</i>	Main Shul	8:40 AM
DAF YOMI <i>With Rabbi Leshar</i>	Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom	3:55 PM
SHIUR B'IVRIT <i>With Ehud Meirman</i>	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	3:55 PM





WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY SHACHARIS SCHEDULE: JANUARY 15 — 20

MINYAN	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
SUNDAY	6:45 AM TFBM	8:00 AM TFBM	9:00 AM TFBM	
MONDAY	6:37 AM TFBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM TFBM	8:30 AM TFBM
TUESDAY	6:36 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
WEDNESDAY	6:36 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
THURSDAY	6:35 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
FRIDAY	6:34 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM

WEEKDAY MINCHA/MAARIV SCHEDULE

MINYAN	DAY & LOCATION	TIME
MINCHA	Sunday- Thursday: TFBM	2:00 PM
MINCHA/MAARIV	Sunday- Thursday: TFBM	4:55 PM
MAARIV	Sunday- Thursday: TFBM	9:00 PM

NEXT SHABBOS SCHEDULE PARSHAS VA'EIRA

CANDLE LIGHTING	4:54 PM
MINCHA/ KABBALAS SHABBOS	5:00 PM
HAVDALA	5:59 PM

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

זמני השבוע

Earliest time for Tallis & Tefillin:
Sun - Fri: 6:49 AM - 6:46 AM
Sof Zman Krias Shema:
Sun - Fri: 10:08 AM - 10:07 AM

KEY

TFBM= Turk Family Bais Medrash

MMGBM= Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash

WEEKDAY SHIURIM

SHIUR	DATE	TIME	LINK/LOCATION
<i>Dirshu Daf Hayomi B'Halacha</i> 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	Mon.-Thurs.: 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
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
<i>Shiur B'Ivrit</i>	Sunday	8:30 AM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Moreh Nevukhim With The Rav	Monday	7:30 AM	https://www.facebook.com/webyeshiva
Mizrachi Beit Midrash	Sunday— Thursday	8:00 PM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
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	Thursday	8:00 PM	https://tinyurl.com/chassidusshiur



NACHAS & SPONSORSHIPS

MAZEL TOV TO:

- ♦ **Sarah Malka Scharf** on her Bas Mitzvah. Mazal tov to parents **Jeff & Debbie Scharf**, brothers Eli and Aryeh, and grandparents Shoshana Stern, David Gordon, and Alan & Ilene Scharf.

THANK YOU TO OUR CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH SPONSORS:

PLEASE JOIN US FOR KIDDUSH IN THE REBBETZIN JUDY TAUB HALL

- ♦ **Kenneth & Sharon Green** in memory of Sharon's father, Paul Mintz, Yitzhak Pesach ben Shlomo HaLevi, z"l.
- ♦ **Sarah & Harry Roz** on the occasion of the yahrzeit of Sarah's beloved mother, Baila bas Yoseph Yehuda, z"l.

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THANK YOU TO OUR SHALOSH SEUDOS SPONSORS:

PLEASE JOIN US FOR SHALOSH SEUDOS IN THE REBBETZIN JUDY TAUB HALL

- ♦ **Eddie & Lisa Jesin** and **Rosanne Zuck**, on the 10th yahrzeit of Lisa and Rosanne's father, Jocelyn Zuck z"l, Yehoshua ben Yonatan.

THANK YOU TO OUR SHIUR SPONSORS:

- ♦ **Howard & Roz English** and **Chuck & Lydia English** to mark the yahrzeit of their father, Moshe Michael ben Yaakov Yitzchak HaCohen z"l
- ♦ **Mrs. Mary Pollak** and **Dr. Michael Pollak**, in memory of our beloved Husband and Father William Pollak z"l (Shimon Zeev ben Shraga Halevi) whose yahrzeit was observed on the 20'th of Tevet

TO SIGN UP FOR THE BROTHERHOOD SIYUM, PLEASE GO TO:

TINYURL.COM/BROTHERHOODSIYUM

PARENT CHILD LEARNING IS SPONSORED BY:

- ♦ **Sarah & Nechemiah Dukesz** and **Shira & Noah Turk** in zechus of a complete and speedy recovery of Hillel Ben Mayeska

COCOA CLUB IS SPONSORED BY:

- ♦ **Danny & Jennifer Diamond** and family in honour of Keira's Hebrew birthday




BAYT YOUTH CHUGIM

EXTRA CURRICULAR WINTER PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY
BOYS FLOOR HOCKEY BOYS AGES 6+ 6PM - 7 PM NETIVOT GYM RUN BY: COACH REVI AND COACH YONI	KARATE @THE BAYT 3RD FLOOR GIRLS 5:45 PM BOYS 6:45 PM
WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
GIRLS MIXED SPORTS (AGE 6+) SPORTS INCLUDE SOCCER, BASKETBALL, VOLLEYBALL, ETC) 6-7 PM NETIVOT GYM RUN BY: COACH REVI	GIRLS DANCE CLASSES WITH MRS. BROCHA CHAYA ACRO/ DANCE GRADES 1-4 5:30-6:30 ACRO / GYMNASTICS GRADES 4-7 6:30 - 7:30 PM


FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT US AT YOUTH@BAYT.CA
 TO REGISTER FOR BAYT YOUTH PROGRAMMING, PLEASE GO TO WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/PROGRAMS
 PLEASE LOG IN FOR MEMBER PRICING
 (EACH PROGRAM DATES WILL DIFFER SLIGHTLY. PLEASE SEE LINK FOR EXACT DETAILS)
 TO FIND OUT MORE AND TO SEE PAST PICTURES FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM / FACEBOOK @BAYTYOUTH



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My Brother's Baggage

On behalf of the Rabbis, the Executive, the Board and the entire membership, I would like to extend our condolences to Karen Zilberberg on the loss of her beloved sister, Donna Gelman z"l (Hesha Bat Hanoch v'Shulamit). May her neshama have an aliyah. May you be blessed with many wonderful memories.

There was much excitement in the Daf Yomi world after the completion of Yevamot, given how long and difficult it is - A seudah was well earned.

Recently, the Daf Yomi chevra were discussing if there was interest in making a siyum to celebrate the completion of Masechet Nedarim which will be completed on the 2nd of Shevat (January 24th).

This group is a small number of our members learning Daf Yomi and it would be really nice to assemble all of the BAYT members learning Daf for a seudah. There are members committed to learning Daf by means outside of the BAYT with Rabbi Rosner, Rabbi Stefanski, Ner Yisroel and many many more which is just amazing. We would like to build a list of the BAYT Daf Yomi Chevra. I too did not participate in Siyumim for a long time, thinking that only the completion of Shas is worthy of a Seudah, but a Masechet? I was wrong. My perspective has completely changed. We are blessed that no matter what we have going on in our lives and our community, completing a Masechet is quite an accomplishment, and we should celebrate. And if that's not enough to motivate you, then it's codified by the Shulchan Aruch (Yoreh Deah 246:26). Rabbi Moshe Isserles rules that on finishing a tractate, it is correct to rejoice and to make a festive meal, and that is classified as a Seudat Mitzvah – a special meal that is similar to the ones eaten on Festival days. This is why there is a custom to light two candles at the Seudat Mitzvah."

Please sign up with Rabbi Leshner rabbi.lesher@bayt.ca. Let's see if we can get our entire Daf membership out for a Seudah when we complete every Masechet, no matter how short or long, difficult or easy, completing the Masechetot of the Shas is worthy of Seudah.

There is so much negative news out there and I just feel like I have to share this story. As many people experienced, trying to get out for the holiday season was quite challenging to say the least. Lots of difficult situations with harsh weather, dangerous roads were closed, and broken luggage belts. We too were caught in the web of lost luggage. Both our bags never made our flight and so the chase began. Seventy-two hours later, one piece of luggage arrived and the second was still nowhere to be found. Fourteen days later, while learning the Daf (how ironic) on Sunday morning, a picture of our luggage with a ragged tag attached appeared on my phone from some random 705 area code and phone number. A person arriving on Saturday afternoon from their holiday saw so much unclaimed luggage in the baggage hall, they had the brilliant idea to take pictures of luggage and send it to mobile numbers listed on the baggage tag, noting exactly where luggage is patiently waiting for someone to find. Neither the airlines nor the airport authority could think of such chochma. What a beautiful act of kindness. These are the kind of stories I would rather share and hear. How satisfying it is to reconnect with my same old baggage, rather than someone else's? I find that inspiring.

Shabbat Shalom!
Craig Guttmann, President



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DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 20

BAYT Sisterhood supports:

**BAYT Youth, The Maddie Leventhal Mikveh Centre, Chesed
Committee, Welcome Baskets, Purim Seudah, Shabbat Itanu,
and SO much more!**

Fixing the Rambam: Entering the Workshop of a Great Medieval Mind

A 3 part series with Marc Herman

When: Tuesday Evenings

January 17, 24, 31

Time: 8:00-9:00 PM

Location: Simcha Suite



Dr. Herman is an Associate Professor at York University. He specializes in Jewish thought in the Islamic world and has published on the Rambam's manuscripts.

Dr. Herman is a member of the BAYT.

Livestream can be found at
<https://tinyurl.com/BAYTyoutube>

Illustration: Handwritten manuscript of Rambam revising his own writings



DIVREI TORAH & NOTICE BOARD

WEEKLY HALACHAH BY RABBI TORCZYNER TORCZYNER@TORONTOTORAH.COM

I finished the Friday night shemoneh esreih after the chazan, missing the communal Vayechulu. Should I say it myself?

The practice of reciting Vayechulu (Bereishit 2:1-3) as part of maariv on Friday night dates back to the Talmud. The congregation repeats this paragraph after the silent shemoneh esreih for several reasons, including a desire to testify communally to G-d's creation of the world.

Ideally, one should recite Vayechulu with the congregation as testimony, but one should not rush through shemoneh esreih in order to accomplish this.

Because Vayechulu has an element of testimony, some say that one should recite it with at least one other person. However, since this is not truly an act of testimony, a relative may serve as that other person.

One who davens alone should still recite Vayechulu, even though it will not have the trappings of testimony.

(Shabbat 119b; Shulchan Aruch Orach Chaim 268:1, 7; Taz Orach Chaim 268:5; Magen Avraham 268:10; Kaf haChaim 268:footnote 36; Mishneh Berurah 268:19; Aruch haShulchan Orach Chaim 268:15; Chazon Ish Moed 38:10; Piskei Teshuvot 268:10; Rivivot Ephraim 8 pg. 499)

ADULT EDUCATION EVENTS

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

Wednesdays at 8 PM in the Rabbi's Classroom. **Worship of the Heart, Tefillah Shiur for women with Rabbi Leshner**

Saturday evening January 14 at 8:15 PM, **Movie & Pizza Night** with award winning films from the Ma'aleh Film School in Jerusalem. Rebbetzin Judy Taub Hall.

Monday January 16, 7:30 pm **Medical Ethics with Rabbi Torczyner** in partnership with Beit Midrash Zichron Dov, Eating Disorders in Judaism. Zoom link: <http://tiny.cc/mtethics>

Tuesdays January 17, 24, & 31 at 8 pm **Winter BAYT Medrash with Dr. Marc Herman**. "Fixing the Rambam: Entering the Workshop of a Great Medieval Mind". Rebbetzin Judy Taub Hall

Maddie Leventhal Mikveh Centre

Maddie Leventhal Mikveh Centre is open from 7:00pm - 9:00 pm Saturday to Thursday. The mikveh is open for appointments or walk-in. Stay posted for our new booking website !

D'VAR TORAH BY RABBI METZGER CMETZGER@TORONTOTORAH.COM

How did Bnei Yisrael deserve to be redeemed from slavery? Yechezkel (Chapter 20, 23) describes the way they were steeped in idolatry and adultery, being far from the ideal people. So why did G-d redeem them?

At the end of Shemot Chapter 2 (verses 23-25) we see Bnei Yisrael groan from the immense workload and cry out to G-d. Their pleas rise up to G-d, and G-d hears and accepts their cries. G-d then remembers His covenant with Avraham, Yitzchak, and Yaakov. Then G-d sees Israel and then G-d is aware.

Why does the Torah include that G-d needed to hear, remember, see and then know the plight of Bnei Yisrael? Doesn't G-d know everything already in His omniscience?

First and foremost we see the immense power prayer. Even prayer without words, a primal cry, the desperate pleading of an oppressed people is answered regardless of their personal merits or spiritual states at the time. Yet at the same time G-d is modeling for us the steps that would typically need to be taken for a standard request to be acknowledged, yet we as G-d's people and descendants of the Patriarchs are granted a unique connection to G-d.



Motzei Shabbos, January 28 @ 8:00 PM

Register at:

<https://www.bayt.ca/event/trivia-night-2023.html>
to reserve your spot individually or by table
(10 person limit per table)

Members: \$15/Non-Members: \$20
Dinner is included

Test your General & Jewish Trivia!

Questions? Call Richie Stoll @ 647-973-6155

Sponsorships available upon registration



BIRTHDAYS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are pleased to announce that we are hosting our next
BAYT BLOOD DONOR CLINIC
in memory of BATSHEVA YERES a"h

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 Israel



CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES DONOR CLINIC

Date: **Monday February 20, 2023**

Time: **9:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

Place: **BAYT, 613 Clark Ave W, Thornhill**

To book an appointment:

Call 1 888 2-DONATE ([1 888 236 6283](tel:18882366283)) available 24-7, or online at
<http://www.blood.ca>

Ask or look for the Beth Avraham Yoseph Synagogue Blood Donor Clinic

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

*Dr. Jack Lefkowitz & Esty Yeres
BAYT Blood Donor Clinics Committee*

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Every Shabbos Mevorchim 9:30 AM

GRADES 9-12 - BOYS AND GIRLS
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STARTING JAN 21, 2023



MIZRACHI
CANADA



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13 - THURSDAY, JANUARY 19

Friday, January 13

Ezra Klein
Mr. Craig Guttmann
Mr. Ben Sherman
Sarah Levy
Mr. Michael Rende
Benzion Sherman
Danyella Weinberger
Rabbi Dr. Nohel Glogauer
Benjamin Buckler
Sari Weinroth

Shabbos, January 14

Orna Hollander
Bracha Lupas Derman
Mr. George Pister
Rivka Perel Scheiner
Noah Diamond
Gila Rabin
Dr. Robert Libman
Tuvia Wise

Sunday, January 15

Mr. David Traub
Mr. David Shore
Sydney Factor
Benjamin Aviv
Mrs. Susy Bogler
Shira Lichtman

Monday, January 16

Dr. Joshua Rucker
Benjamin Pister
Joshua Rucker
Margalit Bernstein
Mr. Marvin Huberman
Binyamin Stoll
Mrs. Irit Rubin
Mrs. Resa Litwack

Tuesday, January 17

Eric Anhang
Mira Goldberg/Wexler
Jeremy Halpern
Tziporah Fine
Dr. Meredith Levy
Mrs. Rachel Usher
Mr. David Kaplan

If you would not like your
birthday listed,
please email
melanie@bayt.ca

Wednesday, January 18

Mr. Yoel Gordon
Kayla Goldberg
Leora Erin Prutschi
Mrs. Vivian Hirschberg
Uri Stoll

Thursday, January 19

Mr. Ken Factor
Rivka Moshkovits
Mr. Marshall Usher
Sara Julia Shore
Ari Jonah Gladman

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UPCOMING EVENTS

The Nusbaum Family Medical Ethics Institute of Beit Midrash Zichron Dov
BAYT and Shaarei Shomayim present

MEDICAL ETHICS EATING DISORDERS IN JUDAISM



with Rabbi Mordechai Torczyner

7:30 - 9:00 PM Monday January 16, 2023

Via **ZOOM** <http://tiny.cc/mtethics>

Registration: <https://torontotorah.com/cme>

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.



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Young Professionals

Trivia Night!

Saturday Night | Feb. 11
8:00 pm



A joint Shaarei Shomayim
and BAYT Event
Hosted by Shaarei Shamayim
Dinner will be served

Details to follow Stay tuned!

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OU-JLIC, WOMEN'S BEIT MIDRASH & BAYT
INVITE THE WOMEN OF OUR COMMUNITY TO A

Women's Kabbalos Shabbos

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20
AT 5:10 PM
IN THE MOSHE & MANIA GRUDA
BAIS MEDRASH

WOMEN & GIRLS OF ALL AGES
ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US
FOR AN EVENING OF SINGING
AND UNITY

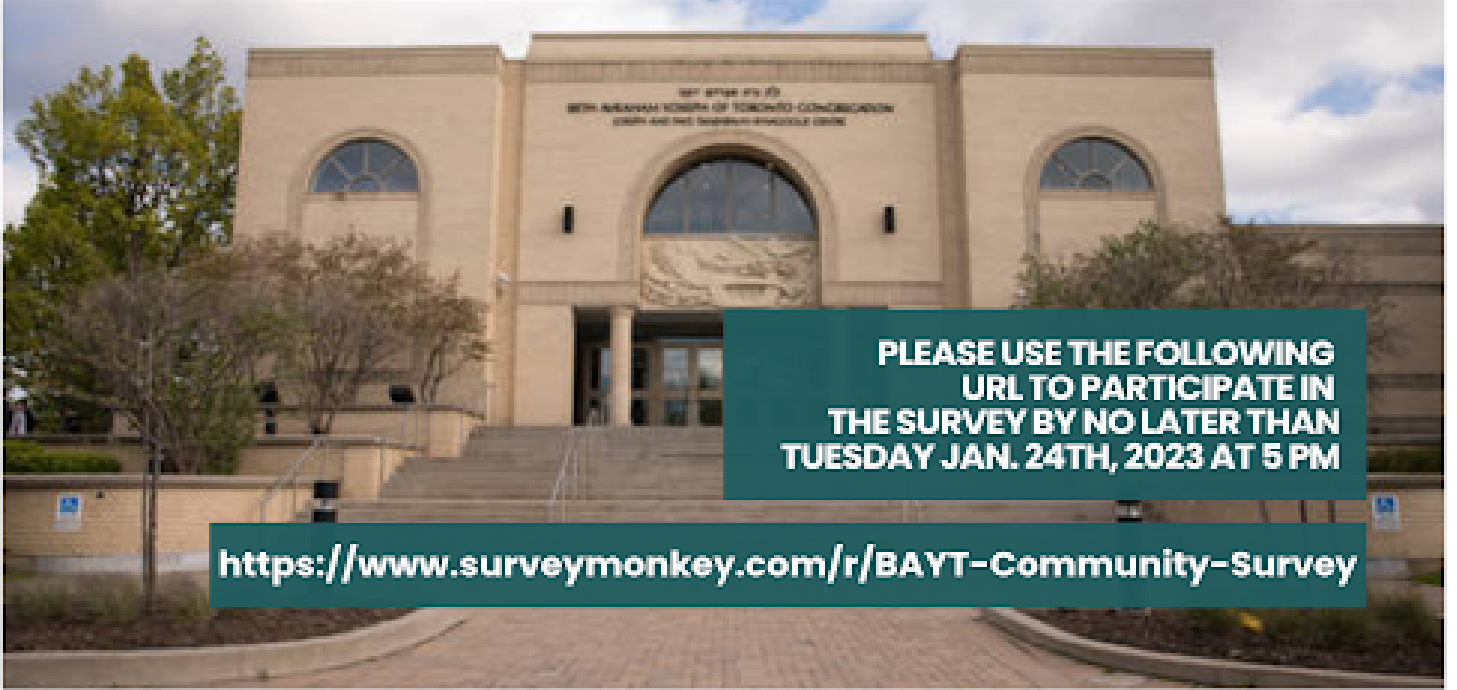
THIS IS KABBALOS SHABBOS ONLY.
WOMEN ARE ENCOURAGED TO DAVEN MINCHA
BEFORE COMING TO THE SERVICE.

FOR ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE EMAIL
WBM@TORONTOTORAH.ORG

Women's
Beit
Midrash



The Beth Avraham Yoseph of Toronto Congregation invites our Thornhill neighbours to provide input for the potential development of our property!



PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING
URL TO PARTICIPATE IN
THE SURVEY BY NO LATER THAN
TUESDAY JAN. 24TH, 2023 AT 5 PM

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BAYT-Community-Survey>

Survey Background

Since its inception 40 years ago, the Beth Avraham Yoseph of Toronto (BAYT) Synagogue at 613 Clark Avenue West has fulfilled many roles in contributing to the well-being of the surrounding Thornhill community. The Synagogue looks forward to continuing to be a key pillar of the community for many years to come.

The BAYT Site Development Feasibility Committee (SDFC) is currently examining approaches to continue to contribute to the well-being of members of the BAYT congregation, their families and the vitality of the surrounding Thornhill community.

The BAYT's SDFC believes it is important to consult with the wider Thornhill community and have the community participate in prioritizing unmet community needs and wants, and better understand community concerns with any potential development.

The City of Vaughan development process requires a consultation around 150 meters of the proposed site. The BAYT SDFC has expanded this consultation zone to 500 meters around 613 Clark Avenue West and would also value opinions and directions from beyond the 500-meter mark.

The Committee wishes to emphasize that this is a study only and does not mean that redevelopment of the site will take place; Survey results will be used to guide a number of feasibility studies which will drive out a preferred solution.

If you decide to participate in the survey please know in advance that you will be asked to provide a postal code as a mandatory question, to help confirm your general distance from the synagogue site.

You will also be given the opportunity to optionally identify yourself if you want to stay in touch about the evolution of the BAYT initiative.

At no time have any lists external to BAYT been shared with the BAYT SDFC

All answers will be kept strictly confidential.

The BAYT SDFC has retained the services of SHS Consulting to conduct the survey and the follow-on feasibility study.

The survey should take 10-15 minutes to answer



Announcing: Hakhmei Lev Journal VOL IV, Pesach 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:

- * Tanakh
- * Talmud
- * Halakhah
- * Hashkafah
- * The Yamim Tovim
(Pesach & Shavuot)

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>

DEADLINES FOR SUBMISSION: JANUARY 15, 2023
PLEASE SUBMIT ALL ESSAYS AND ARTICLES TO:
HAKHAMIM@BAYT.CA

Seeking: Title sponsor for the entire journal, and regular sponsors.
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Weekly Shiur in Chassidus With The Rav

Thursday nights at 8PM

A text based shiur, discussing a different Chassidic classic each week to provide insights to the weekly parsha



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CHOSHEN MISHPAT HALACHA BUSINESS & FINANCE ETHICS FOR THE LAYMAN

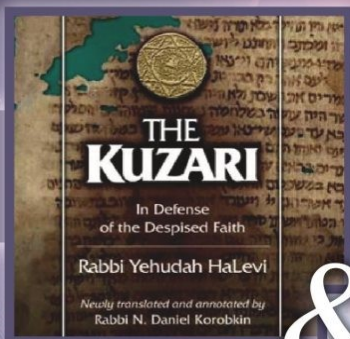
Using the Sefer Imrei Yaakov, Rabbi Yaakov Meir Stern's commentary to the Rav Shulchan Aruch, join the Rav as we go through various halachos and proper practices pertaining to the following subjects:

- Ethics in Buying, Selling, and Gifting
- Oppressive Speech
- Weights and Measures
- Returning Lost Items
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DAILY AT 6:10 AM

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There is a whatsapp group you can join to receive the text of the Imrei Yaakov that we'll be using for the class. Please email Dr. Warren Bean at snoozz1@gmail.com and request to join the group

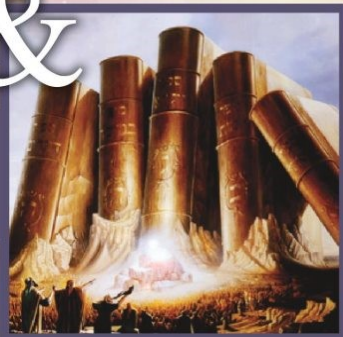


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DEDICATION IN MEMORY OF SAM & SUSAN TAUB z"l

Sam & Susan Taub were founding Members of the BAYT (1982) and were very involved in many Shul activities. Sam served on the Board and Susan was active in the Sisterhood. Both regularly volunteered at youth programs, setting up congregational kiddushes and at the annual Walk with Israel BBQ.

They were blessed with children and grandchildren:

Shmuel Yonah married to Yaffa ; children Eliana, Bracha, Rinati and Bat-Tzion, living in Israel
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Esther married to Elad Amram; children Lia and Itai, living in Israel

Sam and Susan made Aliyah in January 2019.

Sam was diagnosed with cancer in December 2021 and passed away November 22, 2022.
Susan unexpectedly passed away 20 days later from a bacterial infection.

Sam and Susan were part of our family, the BAYT family.
Let's honour their memory by making a dedication in the Main Sanctuary
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Whether you knew Sam and Susan or not does not matter.

What matters is they were part of our BAYT Family.

Please make a donation of \$36.

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