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PARSHAS VAYEISHEV  
SHABBOS MEVORCHIM  
DECEMBER 16-17 2022  
23 KISLEV 5783

BETH AVRAHAM YOSEPH OF TORONTO CONGREGATION

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## BAYT WEEKLY BULLETIN

# SHABBAT SHALOM

& Chanukah Sameach!

### SHABBOS SCHEDULE | זמני שבת

#### EREV SHABBOS, DECEMBER 16 | ערב שבת

CANDLE LIGHTING		4:23 PM
MINCHA/KABBALAS SHABBOS	Main Shul	4:30 PM
WOMEN'S KABBALOS SHABBOS	POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT WEEK	

#### SHABBOS, DECEMBER 17 | 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	4:15 PM
HAVDALA	After:	5:27 PM

*Kel Maleh:* This Shabbos YES, Next Shabbos NO



Hatzolah Toronto: 416-256-1000

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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	CANCELLED THIS WEEK	

### SHABBOS SHIURIM | שיעורים בשבת

BAIS MEDRASH SHIUR <i>With Rabbi Rothbart</i>	Turk Family Bais Medrash	8:15 AM
PARSHA SHIUR <i>With Rabbi Leshner</i>	Main Shul	8:40 AM
DAF YOMI <i>With Rabbi Leshner</i>	Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom	3:30 PM
SHIUR B'IVRIT <i>With Ruth Lecount</i>	Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash	3:45 PM



Mara D'Asra   Rabbi Daniel Korobkin   Assistant Rabbi   Rabbi Shmuel Leshner   Rabbi Emeritus   Rabbi Baruch Taub  
President   Craig Guttman   Youth Directors   Rabbi Josh & Laura Stein



# WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

## WEEKDAY SHACHARIS SCHEDULE: DECEMBER 18— 23

MINYAN	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH
SUNDAY	6:45 AM TFBM	8:00 AM TFBM	9:00 AM TFBM	
MONDAY	6:36 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
TUESDAY	6:37 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM MMBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM MMBM
WEDNESDAY	6:37 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
THURSDAY	6:38 AM MMGBM	6:45 AM TFBM	7:30 AM MMGBM	8:30 AM TFBM
FRIDAY	6:38 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	4:30 PM
MAARIV	Sunday- Thursday: TFBM	9:00 PM

## NEXT SHABBOS SCHEDULE PARSHAS MIKETZ

CANDLE LIGHTING	4:26 PM
MINCHA/ KABBALAS SHABBOS	4:35 PM
HAVDALA	5:30 PM

## WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

### זמני השבוע

Earliest time for Tallis & Tefillin:

Sun - Fri: 6:47 AM — 6:50 AM

Sof Zman Krias Shema:

Sun - Fri: 10:00 AM - 10:03 AM

### KEY

TFBM= Turk Family Bais Medrash

MMBM= Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash

MMGBM= Moshe & Mania Gruda Bais Medrash

## Please join us on Dec 20!

Melissa Lantsman will be lighting the Menorah at the BAYT at 4:30 Mincha/ Maariv in the Turk Family 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: <a href="http://tiny.cc/morningkollel">http://tiny.cc/morningkollel</a>
Early Morning Daf Yomi	Monday— Friday	6:00 AM	Turk Family Bais Medrash
Choshen Mishpat Halacha Shiur	Daily	6:10 AM	<a href="https://bit.ly/ChoshenMishpat">https://bit.ly/ChoshenMishpat</a>
Amud Yomi with Rabbi Englander	Daily	6:20 AM	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/amudyomi">https://tinyurl.com/amudyomi</a>
Morning Daf Yomi	Daily	Sun: 7:15 AM Mon– Fri: 7:30 AM	<a href="http://bit.ly/BAYTDaf">http://bit.ly/BAYTDaf</a> Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Evening Daf Yomi	Daily	8:30 PM	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/dafyomidaily">https://tinyurl.com/dafyomidaily</a>
Semichas Chaver Program	Sunday	7:00 AM	The Friedman Classroom
Shiur B'Ivrit	Sunday	8:50 AM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Moreh Nevukhim With The Rav	Monday	7:30 AM	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/webyeshiva">https://www.facebook.com/webyeshiva</a>
Mizrachi Beit Midrash	Sunday— Thursday	8:00 PM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Tanach Shiur: The Final Four With Rabbi Witty	Monday	8:00 PM	<a href="http://tinyurl.com/929shiur">tinyurl.com/929shiur</a> Jarvis Freedman Library
Ladies' Kuzari + Parsha Shiur With The Rav	Tuesday	10:00 AM	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/kuzariandparsha">https://tinyurl.com/kuzariandparsha</a> Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Semichas Chaver Program With The Rav	Tuesday	8:00 PM	To register, go to: <a href="http://www.bayt.ca/form/scp2021.html">www.bayt.ca/form/scp2021.html</a> In the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
Contemporary Issues In Halacha	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Mizrachi/Milevsky Bais Medrash
Chassidus Shiur	Thursday	8:00 PM	<a href="https://tinyurl.com/chassidusshiur">https://tinyurl.com/chassidusshiur</a>



# NACHAS & SPONSORSHIPS

## MAZEL TOV TO:

- ◆ **Elaine Genesove** in honour of receiving the Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee Award for exceptional volunteer service for BAYT and other community organizations.
- ◆ **Suzanne & Zac Kaye** on the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary
- ◆ **Susan Silverman** on the occasion of the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson Jonah Sol Silverman. Son of Kenny Silverman and Yonit Fuhrmann. Mazel tov to great grandmother Rose Melnick.

## UNVEILINGS:

- ◆ The unveiling for Avraham Amram Ifrah, father of **Michele Factor**, will take place Sunday, December 18 at 10 am in Jerusalem. It will take place at the Har Hamenuhot Cemetery in Givat Shaul in Area A, section A, row 14, grave 3.

## CONDOLENCES:

OUR CONGREGATION EXTENDS SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO:

- ◆ The family of our member, **Susan Taub z"l**
- ◆ **Paul Samuel** on the passing of his beloved father, Melvyn Samuel z"l

## THANK YOU TO OUR SEUDAT SHLISHIT

### SPONSORS:

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

- ◆ **Rosy & Marcee Rosenzweig** on the yahrzeit of Rosy's Mother, Faiga bat Reb Yitzchak Dovid HaCohen v' Braindel z"l

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CHANUKAH, CLICK HERE**

## THANK YOU TO OUR CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH SPONSORS:

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A CONGREGATIONAL KIDDUSH IN THE REBBETZIN JUDY TAUB HALL

- ◆ **Leon & Elaine Genesove** on the yahrtzeit of Leon's mother, Slava bat Chaim, Celia Genesove; and in honour of Elaine receiving the Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee Award for exceptional volunteer service.
- ◆ **Sue Oliver** in memory of Esther Seeman, mother of **Sue Oliver and Victor Seeman**

## THANK YOU TO OUR SHIUR SPONSORS:

- ◆ **Brian & Simmi Kleinberg**, on the occasion of the second yahrzeit of Brian's beloved father, Howard Kleinberg, Chaim ben Tzvi, z"l.
- ◆ **Yehuda & Tzofia Klein**, in honour of their grandchildren's Bar Mitzvos in Israel. Mazel tov to Harel- son of Tali & Ran Klein Salamon and Ariel- son of Amir & Shira Klein.
- ◆ **Alan & Marsha Kruger**, in honour of the yahrzeit of their mother, Hindy Davis, Hinda bas Yechiel Chaim v' Esther Faigel z"l
- ◆ **Julie Starr**

UJA is looking for members to take a free course for the Community Trustee and Protector Programs. This is very important for our community in order to protect our institutions, and has been an integral part of protecting BAYT.

For more info. or to enroll, please click on the following link:

<https://www.jewishtoronto.com/community-security-training-registration>

## Shidduch Initiative

Toronto Shidduch Initiative, in conjunction with Rabbi Yehuda Zolty, has undertaken a new project to assist with Shidduchim in Toronto. Each shul in Toronto is compiling a spreadsheet listing the boys and girls from their shul currently in Shidduchim. TSI is collecting these lists and is providing them to our many Toronto Shadchanim in order to support and assist the Shadchanim in making Shidduchim.

If you are interested in adding a name to our spreadsheet, please go to <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeBPTatwplf-jgbD3nm5Fv7mgKoQNTsEC3-KpteDkHZrZlPyw/viewform>

For any questions, please contact Lynn Lichtenstein at [lynn@bsdnetworks.com](mailto:lynn@bsdnetworks.com)  
or Monica Halberstadt at [halber@rogers.com](mailto:halber@rogers.com)



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With our 40th Anniversary celebration behind us, we now turn our focus to examining the possibility of developing the BAYT property to ensure our long-term financial stability.

We face a different environment today than our founder Joseph Tanenbaum z"l did when he bought land from the Spring Family in the late 70's and succeeded in developing an amazing and dynamic community with a Shul at the heart of it.

Our benefactor gave us the land on which the synagogue is now built, surrounded by a 4-acre parking lot. Our financial experience during the pandemic magnified the need to ensure future financial stability while continuing to contribute to the well-being of our members, their families and the surrounding community.

The first iteration of the BAYT Site Development Feasibility Committee (SDFC) helped secure funding from the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC). This funding is enabling us to explore options for what can be done with this magnificent BAYT property.

The current BAYT SDFC, co-chaired by Board members Jesse Nathanson and Fred Winegust, has been given the mandate to consult with the BAYT community, prioritize our development options, and come back to the BAYT Board and Executive with a number of development options.

Revenues generated by through any development option would go into an income generating account to help cover any annual operating deficits, provide sufficient income for capital improvements, and improve housing affordability in the neighbourhood, particularly for prospective BAYT members. The Committee wishes to emphasize that this is a study only and does not mean that redevelopment of the site will take place. It is one option being considered to meet the goals of the synagogue.

A survey has been sent by email to every full BAYT member. You will have the option to provide your name, e-mail address and mobile phone number if you want the BAYT SDFC to connect with you after the survey is complete. Please take 10 minutes of your time to participate in this survey between now and Tuesday December 20, 2022 at 5PM. Your valuable input will help guide our growth over the next 40 years. The survey for our members can be found here: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/baytmembersurvey2022>

On another note, the BAYT's app has not been available on the Apple store for quite some time. After much perseverance by our staff Avital and Shimon and our member Maury Gilman, it has now been restored and is available for download. Thank you to all! It is a powerful app and you can do just about anything with it. I love the ability to look up zmanim for tefillah and finding members emails and phone numbers. You can even print out a membership directory from it (which is not to be shared). As well, there is a link to the Maddie Leventhal Mikvah Centre. Also, in the app, and on our website, we have added a new section for the Sisterhood Chessed Committee with all the various programs they oversee. Click [HERE](#) to download the app

During announcements last Shabbat, I mentioned that when you enter or exit the building at all times, it is imperative that you ensure that the door is locked behind you. Last week Friday night, the Yorkhill rear door was left open after davening. In addition, you can now use the Clark doors on Friday night and on Shabbat. However, please be cautious in inclement weather. Snow and ice can build up and may not be cleared immediately. In those instances, the parking lot doors may be a better option.

On Tuesday night, we had a lot going on at the BAYT (Baruch Hashem!). Along with many minyanim and much learning, there was a large NCSY Chanukah event and the Toronto Zionist Council hosted a discussion called, "Protecting Israel's National Lands and Resources." On Tuesday morning we got word that a BDS organization was planning to disrupt the TZC event. Our office staff and leadership quickly engaged our Facilities Staff, our Security Team, UJA Community Security and the York Regional Police. Everyone worked in tandem with the task at hand beautifully. YRP were on site the entire evening and it speaks volumes to our strong relationship with our law enforcement and trust that we have with them and UJA. Our Security Team, who are volunteers constantly protecting the BAYT no matter what time or day, ensured the safety of our members and the greater community.

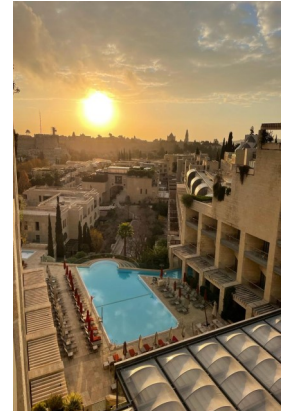
And if I may add a final personal thought, we will never back down or be intimidated by anyone or any group from hosting events at our shul. Rest assured, we will always protect our community.

Yasher Koach and thank you to all.

**Shabbat Shalom!**  
**Craig Guttmann, President**



## Pictures From The BAYT Mission to Dubai & Israel!







## WEEKLY

## WITH RABBI LESHER

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***Monday - Shabbos*****DAF  
YOMI**

Monday - Friday at 6 AM  
Shabbos Afternoon 45 min before Mincha

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***Monday Nights*****GEMARA  
SKILL  
BUILDING**

At 8 PM in the  
Mizrachi / Milevsky Bais Medrash

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***Wednesday Nights*****WORSHIP  
OF THE  
HEART**

A Weekly Tefillah Shiur For Women  
At 8 PM in the Rabbis Classroom

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***On Wednesday*****BENEATH  
THE  
MUSIC**

A New Song Every Week  
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***Shabbos Mornings*****PARSHA  
SHIUR**

At 8:40 AM in the Main Shul



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## WEEKLY HALACHAH BY RABBI TORCZYNER TORCZYNER@TORONTOTORAH.COM

**May I light the menorah and leave my home immediately?**

The menorah must remain lit for at least one half-hour after nightfall.

From the perspective of fire safety: Having open flames in one's home, and particularly near windows with shades or curtains, is dangerous (whether or not one is present!). One who will need to leave should take special precautions, perhaps by lighting anchored tea lights. If there is no way to safeguard the menorah, one should remain until the minimum time has elapsed and then extinguish the lights.

From the perspective of the mitzvah: Leaving the menorah while it is lit is not ideal; indeed, we emphasize lighting in rooms where we live and function. We wish to see the light and thereby commemorate the miracles we are publicizing, and to rejoice in the mitzvah. Therefore, one ought to remain in the room with the menorah for at least the minimum time, unless one is called away to perform a mitzvah.

(Rama Orach Chaim 677:3; Pri Chadash 677:1; Teshuvot v'Hanhagot 1:394; Yalkut Yosef Moadim: Achsanai b'Chanukah 1; Piskei Teshuvot 676:5)

## 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-**  
**CANCELLED THIS WEEK**

Friday January 6, 8:00 pm **Leil Limmud** at various houses

Saturday evening January 14, **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

**Why didn't Yosef ever send word to his father Yaakov, to tell him that he was still alive throughout his time in Egypt?**

Rabbi Yoel bin Nun explains that Yosef believed that his brothers were acting on his fathers behalf when he was sold into slavery. In Yosef's mind Yaakov was fully aware of the feud between Yosef and his brothers. So when his father sends him off alone to check in on his brothers, and he then gets thrown into a pit and sold into slavery, Yosef sees this retrospectively as a mission to his own demise.

Yaakov certainly did not intend for anything bad to happen to Yosef. His giving Yosef a special Ketonet Pasim, a special striped colorful coat, may not have been pure favoritism but a show of love on his behalf to his son. Unfortunately, actions even with the best of intentions, such as sending Yosef to simply say hello to his brothers and hope they can work things out, turned out to have disastrous consequences.

While it is extremely important to act with good intentions, it is also necessary to communicate what we have in mind explicitly to avoid tragic misunderstandings. We need to be intentional when conveying messages to our children and friends so they receive the messages we hope to impart and properly understand how much we care for them.




## Contemporary Issues in Halacha & Machshava

**A text based, in-depth shiur analyzing contemporary Halachik issues. The shiur will also explore topics of Jewish philosophy**

**Speakers (Weekly rotation):**

- Dr. Lazer Friedman
- Rabbi Joshua Gutenberg
- Rabbi Jonathan Hames
- Dr. Gerald Klein
- Uri Klein
- Rabbi Yosef Rothbart
- Dr. Samuel Silberberg

 **Mizrachi / Milevsky Beit Midrash**  
**Wednesdays at 7:30 PM**

**For more information, contact Lazer Friedman at [g.friedman@rogers.com](mailto:g.friedman@rogers.com)**



# BIRTHDAYS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



Building the future of the BAYT

bayt.ca/BinyanHaBAYT

**Thank you to our Binyan HaBAYT participants who are helping to build the future of our Shul**

## BUILDER

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Aubie & Susan Diamond  
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Moshe & Maya Schwartz

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Robert & Esther Libman	

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16 - THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22**

### Friday, December 16

Mr. Allen Stern  
Mr. Jacques Ohayon  
Tevy Aaron Pilc  
Ami Stoll  
Aharon Kaye  
Shua Colman  
Mrs. Shoshana Mammon  
Presley Berkel  
Liat Weinberger

### Shabbos, December 17

Mordechai Helfand  
Mrs. Sharon Widrich  
Yaakov Suttner  
Moshe Zieleniec  
Avraham Goldfield  
Mrs. Ariella Loiterman  
Mrs. Mozelle Bir  
Mrs. Daniella Eklove

### Sunday, December 18

Yosef Posner  
Mrs. Daphna Aboudi  
Natasha Selwyn  
Shira Michal Rom  
Mr. John Kaplan  
Atara Yunger

### Monday, December 19

Mrs. Fern Kutnowski  
Mrs. Eva Doppelt  
Mr. Michael Bendel  
Mr. Daniel Levenstein  
Mrs. Liliane Rende  
Mrs. Sarah Dukesz  
Mr. Adam Emanuel  
Mrs. Sharon Miskin  
Yehuda Stoll  
Kasriel Moshe Yunger

### Tuesday, December 20

Yair Glowinsky  
Mrs. Melanie Deutsch  
Moshe Posner  
Boruch Scheiner  
Mr. Shimon Deutsch  
Mr. Matee Moshkovits

### Wednesday, December 21

Shimon Deutsch  
Rachel Oliver  
Alon Kronenberg  
Paul Fine  
Jonathan Rosenberg  
Mr. Gershon Deutsch  
Rochel Stern  
Mr. Peter Feldman  
Leah Cherns

### Thursday, December 22

Yair Greenberg  
Mr. Max Gruenfeld  
Gavriella Bloom  
Mrs. Kayla Mincer  
Mr. Richard Idels  
Aharon Torczyner  
Mr. Mottie Shlagbaum  
Raphael Konsker  
Solomon Korobkin  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS



# FRIDAY *Dinner* NIGHT

Treat yourself to a hassle free  
Friday night!

**SHABBOS CHANUKAH**  
**DECEMBER 23 AT 5:45PM**

**\$56.50/adult**

**\$45.20/child (12 and under)**

**Register by Tuesday, December 20 at**  
**[www.bayt.ca/form/chanukahdinner.html](http://www.bayt.ca/form/chanukahdinner.html)**





# YAHREZEITS FOR DECEMBER 17-23

ENGLISH	HEBREW	MEMBER NAME	RELATIONSHIP	IN MEMORY OF
12/17	23 Kislev	Mr. Harold Davis	Wife	Hindy Davis
12/17	23 Kislev	Mrs. Hilda Bernstein	Aunt	Rachel Gilad
12/17	23 Kislev	Mrs. Harriette Fleising	Father	Uszer Pila
12/17	23 Kislev	Mr. Jordan Max	Father	Paul Max
12/17	23 Kislev	Dr. Leon Genesove	Mother	Celia Genesove
12/17	23 Kislev	Mrs. Marsha Kruger	Mother	Hindy Davis
12/18	24 Kislev	Dr. Brian Kleinberg	Father	Howard Kleinberg
12/18	24 Kislev	Mr. Arthur Rosenzweig	Mother	Fay Rosenzweig
12/18	24 Kislev	Mrs. Rise Glasenberg	Mother	Marian Sunness
12/18	24 Kislev	Mr. Earle Glicksman	Father	Murray Glicksman
12/18	24 Kislev	Mr. Auby Mandell	Father	Marvin Mandell
12/18	24 Kislev	Mrs. Lorna Helfand	Mother	Fay Daiter
12/18	24 Kislev	Mr. Arnold Wenner	Mother	Minnie Wenner
12/18	24 Kislev	Mrs. Linda Kobrossi	Brother	Moshe Esses
12/19	25 Kislev	Mrs. Nanette Rand	Mother	Taubia Rivka Rosen
12/19	25 Kislev	Mr. Alvin Einhorn	Mother	Helen Einhorn
12/19	25 Kislev	Mr. Cyril Brenman	Great-grandfather	Yoseph Winegust
12/19	25 Kislev	Mr. Morris Sabo	Mother	Malka Sabo
12/19	25 Kislev	Mrs. Ruthy Posner	Father	Moshe Weinles
12/20	26 Kislev	Mrs. Ellen Freedman	Mother	Norma Aaron
12/20	26 Kislev	Mrs. Leigh Ann Brenman	Father	Gilbert Katz
12/20	26 Kislev	Mrs. Ida Soberman	Mother	Esther Raizel Rabhan
12/20	26 Kislev	Mrs. Sandy Kadoch	Mother	Sol Sonia Benayon
12/20	26 Kislev	Ms Debra Fischman	Mother	Joan Drescher
12/20	26 Kislev	Mrs. Dale Cohen	Father	Harry Laskin
12/21	27 Kislev	Mrs. Noreen Lebowitz	Grandmother	Hannah Groer
12/21	27 Kislev	Mrs. Eileen Kobrin	Mother	Charlotte Sasto
12/21	27 Kislev	Mrs. Toba Ripsman	Husband	Michael Ripsman
12/21	27 Kislev	Elana Ripsman	Father	Michael Ripsman
12/21	27 Kislev	Colin Ripsman	Father	Michael Ripsman
12/21	27 Kislev	Mr. Gary Vatenmakher	Father	Moshe Vatenmakher
12/22	28 Kislev	Mrs. Joanne Raphael	Husband	Stan Raphael
12/22	28 Kislev	Mrs. Lisa Kobrin	Father	Max Rosenthal
12/22	28 Kislev	Mrs. Esther Prisman	Father	HaRav Shlomo Rudzki
12/22	28 Kislev	Mrs. Deena Vatenmakher	Father	Lawrence Deitcher
12/22	28 Kislev	Mrs. Roberta Newman	Grandfather	Louis Kaplan
12/23	29 Kislev	Mrs. Elizabeth Turk	Grandfather	Moshe Bravman
12/23	29 Kislev	Mrs. Rose Bravman	Father-in-law	Moshe Bravman
12/23	29 Kislev	Dr. Eliakim Katz	Mother	Sara Katz
12/23	29 Kislev	Mr. Gerry Goldberg	Mother	Esther Goldberg
12/23	29 Kislev	Mrs. Rachel Schlagbaum	Mother	Rivka Boim
12/23	29 Kislev	Mrs. Elizabeth Turk	Grandfather	Moshe Bravman



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## SISTERHOOD CHESED COMMITTEE

Chairs: Shayna Friedman (shayna18@rogers.com),  
Esty Yeres (estyeres@gmail.com)

### KEEPING IN TOUCH

The Phoning Committee has a group of caring and enthusiastic volunteers. Please let us know if you or someone you know would benefit from a phone call on a regular basis. Please contact: Alla Volfson  
avolfson1965@gmail.com 647 830 7539 or  
Shari Vodiano - slvodiano@gmail.com 416 414 5272

### SENIORS TECH SUPPORT

A new committee has been formed under the Chessed Committee to help our seniors navigate the world of computers. If you need assistance with zoom, WhatsApp, email, texting, etc we are here to help.  
Please contact Kim Spevack 647-638-5617

### HOSPITAL VISITS

If you know of someone in the hospital who would benefit from a short visit or if you would like to make visits, please contact Ruthie Mammon ruthannmammon@gmail.com

### SHABBAT HOSPITALITY

The BAYT Hospitality Committee will be happy to assist in placing individuals who require Shabbat meals. If you would like to host or be hosted,  
please email shabbat@bayt.ca  
Susie Factor – Nancy Farajun

### MEAL TRAIN

If you know of anyone in need of meals, someone recuperating from surgery, sickness, etc., please let us know as a mealtrain could be set up to assist them.

If anyone would like to join the mealtrain, you can make a meal on your own or make the meal jointly with a friend.  
Please contact Sandi Altman at: altman@rogers.com



## PARSHA SHIUR WITH RABBI LESHER

Weekly

**Shabbos Morning at  
8:40am  
In the Main Shul**

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](mailto: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.



MIZRACHI CANADA PRESENTS

## BRING THE LIGHT HOME

LIGHT UP YOUR HOME WITH 5 MINUTES OF FAMILY LEARNING  
EVERY NIGHT OF CHANUKAH AFTER LIGHTING CANDLES.

ANSWER THE QUESTION OF THE DAY AND BE ENTERED INTO A RAFFLE  
TO WIN THE GRAND PRIZE OF 2 HOCKEY TICKETS\* AND MANY MORE AWESOME PRIZES!

REGISTER AT [MIZRACHI.CA/CHANUKAH](http://MIZRACHI.CA/CHANUKAH) TO RECEIVE THE LEARNING SHEETS



WANT TO RECEIVE  
EXTRA RAFFLE ENTRIES?

POST A PIC OF YOURSELVES  
LEARNING ON INSTAGRAM  
OR FACEBOOK

TAG YOUR SHUL AND @MIZRACHICANADA

LIMITED TO ONE EXTRA  
ENTRY PER DAY OF CHANUKAH



\*1 PAIR OF HOCKEY TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR TORONTO, MONTREAL AND OTTAWA.  
\* EVERY PERSON OF THE FAMILY CAN ENTER INDIVIDUALLY



MIZRACHI  
CANADA

FOR MORE INFO AND TO REGISTER VISIT:  
[WWW.MIZRACHI.CA/CHANUKAH](http://WWW.MIZRACHI.CA/CHANUKAH)







# WEEKLY PROGRAMS



**BAYT**

## Virtual Bingo on zoom!

**Free** **MONTHLY CASH PRIZES!**

Come join your BAYT friends from Toronto, Florida and Israel!

**Wednesdays at 11:00 am EST / 6:00 pm Israel**

**New session starting Wednesday, December 7!**

To register, email [marceer@hotmail.com](mailto:marceer@hotmail.com)  
Bingo cards and Zoom link will be sent upon registration



**BAYT** **KOLLEL OHR YOSEF**  
THE THORNHILL COMMUNITY KOLLEL  
*Growing Through Torah*

## ADULT MEN MORNING KOLLEL

*Start your day with an inspirational morning seder*

**CHUMASH | PARSHA | TANACH | HALACHA | TOPICS**

	<b>IN PERSON</b>
<b>MONDAY - THURSDAY</b>	<b>10 AM - 12 noon</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>10 - 11 AM</b>

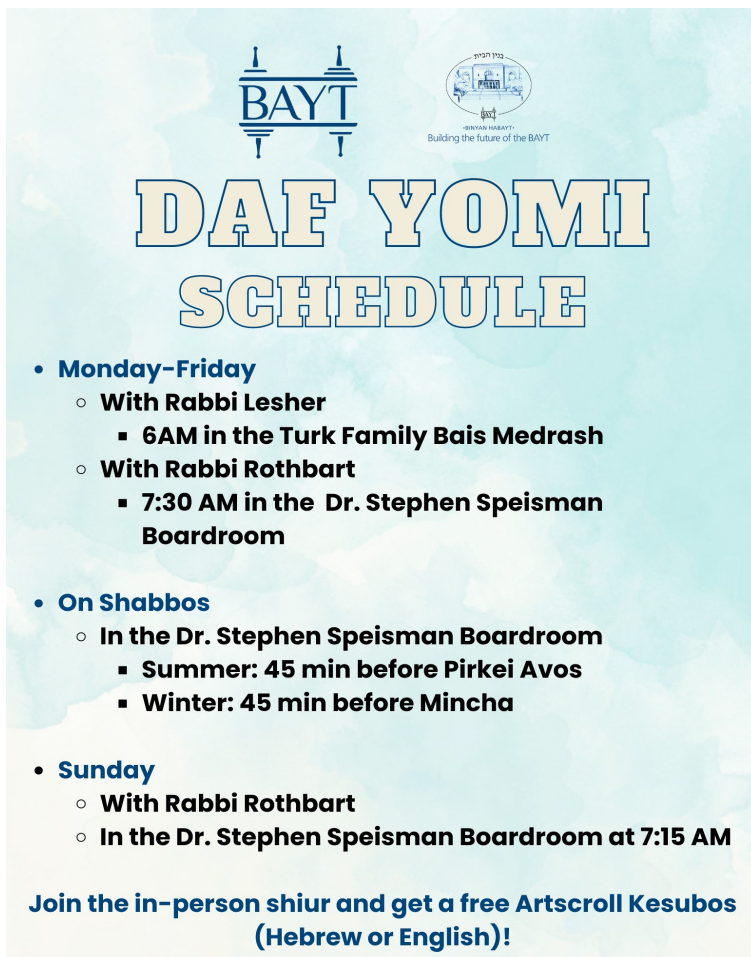
**Refreshments Served**

**ON ZOOM**  
<http://tiny.cc/morningkollel>

**Led by RABBI MOSHE YERES**

**STARTS TUESDAY SEPT 6**

For more information contact:  
Mendel Rubinoff [mendelrubinoff@sympatico.ca](mailto:mendelrubinoff@sympatico.ca)  
or Izzy Kutnowski [ikutnowski@yahoo.ca](mailto:ikutnowski@yahoo.ca)



**BAYT**

## DAF YOMI SCHEDULE

- Monday-Friday**
  - With Rabbi Leshner**
    - 6AM in the Turk Family Bais Medrash
  - With Rabbi Rothbart**
    - 7:30 AM in the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom
- On Shabbos**
  - In the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom**
    - Summer: 45 min before Pirkei Avos
    - Winter: 45 min before Mincha
- Sunday**
  - With Rabbi Rothbart**
  - In the Dr. Stephen Speisman Boardroom at 7:15 AM**

**Join the in-person shiur and get a free Artsroll Kesubos (Hebrew or English)!**



**BAYT** **DIRSHU**  
Building the future of the BAYT

## Dirshu Daf HaYomi B'halacha

**With Rabbi Zev Hofstedter**

**Following the Dirshu cycle**

**Starting Tuesday Sep 6**

**Daily Shiur**

**Monday - Friday**

**Approx 7:05 am - 7:30am**

**In the Mizrachi / Milevsky Bais Midrash**





# UPCOMING EVENTS

THE NEXT LEIL LIMMUD WILL TAKE PLACE ON JAN. 6 & FEB. 10. WE ARE STILL LOOKING FOR HOSTS!  
INTERESTED IN HOSTING? EMAIL [PROGRAMMING@BAYT.CA](mailto:PROGRAMMING@BAYT.CA)

**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.**  
**For pricing, please email [hakhamim@bayt.ca](mailto:hakhamim@bayt.ca)**

## WORSHIP OF THE HEART

A weekly tefillah shiur for women

**WITH RABBI LESHER**

**8 PART SERIES  
WEDNESDAY NIGHTS  
AT 8:00 PM**

**STARTING NOVEMBER 30**

**Location:**  
**Rabbi Baruch Taub  
Study Hall**



*Community Wide*

## THURSDAY NIGHT MISHMAR

December 15, 2022

Cancelled this week. Stay tuned for updates.



## מאי חנוכה?

### Community Beit Midrash Night

December 19, 2022  
Second night of Chanukah

8:00PM | Open Beit Midrash  
9:00PM | Rav AZ Thau  
9:15PM | Ma'ariv

Mizrachi/Milevsky Beit  
Midrash at the BAYT







# BAYT YOUTH

Cocoa Club this week is sponsored by:  
Lindsay salmon and family in honour of Menachem's birthday!

Parent and Child learning is sponsored by:  
Roslyn Salmon on the 10th yartzheit for Roslyn's father, Moshe Aryeh Perl z"l, and Menachem & Lindsay being honored at the BAYT Gala.



## BAYT YOUTH CHUGIM

EXTRA CURRICULAR WINTER PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

**MONDAY**

**BOYS FLOOR HOCKEY**  
BOYS AGES 6+  
5:30PM-6:30PM  
NETIVOT GYM  
RUN BY:  
COACH REVI AND COACH YONI

**TUESDAY**

**KARATE**  
@THE BAYT 3RD FLOOR  
GIRLS 5:45 PM  
BOYS 6:45 PM


**WEDNESDAY**

**GIRLS MIXED SPORTS**  
(AGE 6+)  
SPORTS INCLUDE:  
SOCCER, BASKETBALL, VOLLEYBALL, ETC)  
6-7 PM  
NETIVOT GYM  
RUN BY: COACH REVI

**THURSDAY**

**GIRLS DANCE CLASSES**  
WITH MRS. BROCHA CHAYA  
ACRO/DANCE  
GRADES 1-4  
(ACRO, JAZZ, GYMNASTICS, BALLET)  
5:30-6:30  
ACRO/GYMNASTICS  
GRADES 4-7  
6:30-7:30 PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT US AT [YOUTH@BAYT.CA](mailto:YOUTH@BAYT.CA)  
TO REGISTER FOR BAYT YOUTH PROGRAMMING, PLEASE GO TO  
[WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/PROGRAMS](http://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



## PARENT and Child LEARNING

הורים וילדים

EVERY MOTZEI SHABBOS  
1 HOUR AFTER HAVDALLAH

- TORAH SHEKELS • PIZZA • PRIZES •
- INSPIRING STORIES • PARSHA SHEETS •
- AND MORE! •

**STARTS NOVEMBER 12TH** 1 HOUR AFTER HAVDALLAH

**SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE! RESERVE EARLY!**

In the TURK FAMILY BAIS MIDRASH

For more information and to sponsor a night of learning please email [youth@bayt.ca](mailto:youth@bayt.ca)



BAYT YOUTH PRESENTS

# Bas Mitzvah Program

**\$375** BAYT Member Price  
Registration is open for members only until June 30th.

**\$475** Non BAYT Member Price  
Non member families will open after the member registration closes.

**Becoming a Bas Mitzvah is more than just a celebration, its a journey!**

Meeting weekly, we hope to inspire and prepare your daughters for their bas mitzvah. Over the past 30 years, the BAYT's Bas Mitzvah program has developed into one of the leading programs offered in this city. It will, G-D willing, begin again this year after the chagim and run through May 2023.





For More information, contact us :  
[Youth@bayt.ca](mailto:Youth@bayt.ca) or reach out directly to Lindsay Salmon or Tani Gordon  
to register please go to  
[www.bayt.ca/form/basmitzvah](http://www.bayt.ca/form/basmitzvah)



Located at the BAYT  
613 Clark Ave. W  
Thornhill



BAYT YOUTH PRESENTS

# Bar Mitzvah Club

Meeting Monthly!  
from October to June  
**\$149 BAYT Members**  
**\$199 Non-Members**

**Sessions include:**

- Inspiring and ethical dilemmas and discussions
- Becoming an adult, what does that mean to me?
- Tefillin and scribe workshop!
- Fun Games and PRIZES
- Interactive activities
- PIZZA DINNER
- Learn from leaders in our community, and hang out with your friends!

A Bar Mitzvah is more than just an event, it's embarking on a JOURNEY!! Join BAYT Youth as we venture through this important milestone together! We will be meeting monthly over the next year, and will culminate with a banquet dinner in celebration of our accomplishments. We will utilize our Bar Mitzvah year to go one step further, and help our children become the future leaders of Klal Yisroel.

REGISTER TODAY: [WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/BM22](http://WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/BM22)  
613 CLARK AVE W. 6-7:30 PM THURSDAYS  
(EXACT DATES ON REGISTRATION PAGE)  
FOR BAR MITZVAH BOYS BECOMING 13 IN 2022/23  
EVERYONE IS WELCOME! EMAIL QUESTIONS TO [YOUTH@BAYT.CA](mailto:YOUTH@BAYT.CA)





BAYT YOUTH PRESENTS



# LATKE *night* 2022

MOTZAI SHABBOS

DECEMBER 17

7:00

# SOLD OUT!!!!!!

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\$90

\$18

\$150

\$30

MEMBERS

RAFFLE

PRIZES

PIZZA

BINGO!

\*each player will receive 8 game cards and a raffle ticket

\*SPONSORSHIP OPTION \$180/FAMILY INCLUDES: NAME IN PROGRAM, RESERVED SEATS, DONUTS & A PARTIAL TAX RECEIPT

\*\*if you are in financial need, please contact the Rav\*\*

**VOLUNTEER'S  
NEEDED!!**

If you are interested in helping us out at Latke night, please reach out to [youth@bayt.ca](mailto:youth@bayt.ca)

\*Volunteer hours will be provided

To register please go to:

[WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/LN22](http://WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/LN22)

(e) [YOUTH@BAYT.CA](mailto:YOUTH@BAYT.CA)





# ANNOUNCEMENTS



★ BAYT YOUTH CHUGGIM  
**JOIN OUR  
CHUGIM TODAY!**  
KARATE - DANCE - BALLET -  
ACRO - HOCKEY - STEM  
★ [WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/PROGRAMS](http://WWW.BAYT.CA/FORM/PROGRAMS)



**The Beth Avraham Yoseph  
of Toronto Congregation**  
cordially invites  
**BAYT Olim and BAYT members, children,  
and friends living, studying, serving in Tzahal or visiting in Israel  
to join**

***Our Mara D'Asrah,  
Rabbi Daniel Korobkin***  
**for a BAYT in Jerusalem**  
**Motzei Shabbos Melave Malka & Kumsitz**  
**24th of Kislev, 5783 December 17th, 2022**  
**at 7:30 PM at the OU Center,**  
**22 Keren Hayesod St., Jerusalem**



**If you have a child studying in Israel or in the IDF, please send their email to  
[melanie@bayt.ca](mailto:melanie@bayt.ca) so that we can personally invite them.**