CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parshat Naso May 25-26, 2018 12 Sivan 5778

SHABBAT TIMES

Friday, May 25

Plag Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 6:30 p.m.

Earliest Candles: 6:44 p.m.

Early Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 7:00 p.m.

Latest Candles: 7:57 p.m.

Zman Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat:

8:00 p.m.

Shabbat, May 26

Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m. Nach Shiur: 8:20 a.m. Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m. Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 9:11 a.m. Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m.

Early *Mincha*: 1:45 p.m.

Women's Learning: 6:40 p.m., *Shmuel Aleph*, chapter 26, led by Rivka Herzfeld

and Mollie Fisch

Daf Yomi: 6:40 p.m.

Meir Hirsch's shiur: 6:50 p.m.

Mincha: 7:50 p.m., followed by Rabbi Rothwachs' shiur, "Facing the Music: The What, When, How and Why of Singing During Davening"

Maariv: 8:57 p.m. Havdalah: 9:06 p.m.

Earliest Candles on Friday, June 1: 6:49 p.m.

Latest Candles on Friday, June 1: 8:03 p.m.

<u>MAY</u> calendar

On Shabbat, the shul elevator will operate in Shabbat mode as follows:

Friday: 6:20-8:15 p.m. Shabbat:

8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 1:30-2:30 p.m., 6:15-9:15 p.m.

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SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 27						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	27	28	29	30	31	1
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	4:30	4:29	4:29	4:28	4:28	4:27
Shacharit Mincha	6:30 MS 7:15 MS 8:00 MS 8:45 MS 1:45 BM	6:30 MS 7:15 MS 8:00 MS 8:45 MS 1:45 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM	5:40 SH 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 BM	5:55 SH 6:30 BM 7:15 BM 8:00 BM
Mincha/ Maariv	8:05 MS	8:05 MS	8:05 BM	8:05 BM	8:05 BM	6:30 BM 7:00 MS 8:00 SH
Maariv	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	9:30 BM	

KEY: MS = Main Shul BM = Beit Midrash SH = Social Hall

MAZAL TOV TO

- Diane & David Fogel, on the birth of a grandson, born to their children Devorah & Rabbi Ezra Starr of Efrat, Israel. *Mazal Tov* also to Ezra's parents, Betsy & Barry Starr of Atlanta, and to great-grandfather Morris Steinberg.
- Sharona & Shlomo Katz, on the *Bar Mitzvah* of their son Simcha Shalom. *Mazal Tov* also to Simcha's grandparents, Lorraine & Sam Vogel, and to his aunts, uncles, and cousins.
- Fran & Shelly Mermelstein, on the marriage of their grandson Yitzchok Meisels to Tamar Kwestel. Mazal Tov also to Yitzchok's parents, Faygie & Dovid Meisels, and to Tamar's parents, Rena & Mark Kwestel, and to their extended families.
- Mallika Viswanath, on her upcoming marriage to Samuel Schultz of Manhattan. Mazal Tov also to Mallika's parents, Gitl & Meylekh Viswanath, and to Samuel's parents, Erica & Andrew Schultz.

MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

The *Kiddush* following the *Hashkama Minyan* is sponsored by **Melissa & Richard Mensh**, commemorating the first *yahrtzeit* of Melissa's father, Shabsy Yoselovsky, Shabsy ben Yitzchok Isaac.

This week's Men's Club *Kiddush* following the Main *Minyan* is sponsored by: *L'Chaim* Sponsors:

- Feige & Abe Leidner, commemorating the *yahrtzeits* of Helen Leidner and Ernest Mermelstein. *Mezonot* Sponsors:
- Diane & David Fogel, in honor of the birth of a new grandson.
- Harry Harcsztark, commemorating the *yahrtzeit* of his father, Yisrael ben *ha-Rav* Naftoli Herzl. Thank you to Feige & Abe Leidner for enhancing the *Kiddush*.

The annual **Graduation** *Kiddush* honoring the class of 2018 will take place on *Shabbat*, June 16, *Parshat Shelach*. Celebrate your graduate -- from birth to doctoral level (and everything in between) -- with a \$72 donation (per graduate). More information can be found at www.bethaaron.org. Contact Ari Gononsky, kiddush@bethaaron.org, with any questions.

PARNAS HAYOM

Dedicate a day of learning at Beth Aaron on the occasion of a *yahrtzeit*, in the *zechut* of a *refuah shelaima*, or in honor of a *simcha*, a birthday or any other occasion. Each week's dedications are prominently displayed in the *shul* lobby and sent out to the membership via email. For more information, or to sign up, please go to www.bethaaron.org/parnashayom.

This past week's sponsors were:

- Wednesday, 9 Sivan: Chaya & Daniel Hager, in memory of Yisroel ben Mordechai Avraham.
 This coming week's sponsors are:
- Wednesday, 16 Sivan: Congregation Beth Aaron, in memory of Eyal Yifrach, Gilad Shaar, and Naftali Frenkel, the three Israeli teenagers who were murdered in 2014.

SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a **Young Members** *Seudah Shlishit* on *Shabbat*, June 2, at 4:30 p.m., at the Bogner home, 832 Grange Road (weather permitting). Children are welcome. Go to http://tinyurl.com/ymseudahshlishit to let us know which dish you will be bringing.

On *Shabbat*, June 2, at 6:55 p.m., and on *Shabbat*, June 9, at 7:00 p.m., at the *shul*, Mark Sommer will discuss **"The Boychicks of Summer: Jewish Aspects of Baseball."** On June 2, the topic will be "Jewish Aspects of Baseball," and on June 9, "Extra Innings." The program is sponsored by the Men's Club.

On Shabbat, June 2, between Mincha and Maariv, Rabbi Dov Fendel, Rosh Yeshiva of the Yeshivat Hesder of Sderot, will deliver a shiur.

On Sunday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m., the *shul* will hold its **Annual Membership Meeting**. The *shul*'s budget for the upcoming fiscal year will be discussed and voted upon. All are encouraged to attend this meeting. Please note that only full members may vote. For more information, contact Joshua Klavan, president@bethaaron.org.

Congregation Beth Aaron's annual *Siyum Mishnayot* will take place this year at a *seudah shlishit* on *Shabbat Parshat Shelach*, June 9. Thank you to all the volunteers who have participated in the learning in memory of Pearl and Morris Weissman. All learning should be completed by that date. Once again, both the learning and the *seudah* are generously sponsored by Dr. Barry Weissman, in memory of his beloved parents, Pearl & Morris Weissman. Additional sponsorships are being accepted until Tuesday, June 5. To become a sponsor, please go to https://www.bethaaron.org/event/siyum18 or send your check and sponsorship information to the *shul* office. For any questions, contact Alden Leifer, aldenleifer@gmail.com, 201-907-0309.

On Tuesday, June 19, at 8:00 p.m., at the *shul*, there will be a community-wide tribute featuring **Miriam Peretz**, recipient of the 2018 Israel Prize for extraordinary contributions to Zionism and the Jewish people. An educator, she is the mother of two fallen soldiers. Her late husband died of heartbreak from the loss they suffered. Her extraordinary activism in support of families in Israel who have suffered the loss of a loved one in combat or by terror has made her a national figure in Israel and earned her a special place in the heart of the entire country.

Sisterhood condolence cards are available from the office for \$8 each or \$50 for 10. Contact Judi at the office, office@bethaaron.org, 201-836-6210, to order condolence cards.

We remind members not to walk on the plantings in Shelly's Garden in the front of the building.

If you have a **name to be added to the** *Mi Shebeirakh* list, please send the person's Hebrew name and mother's name to cholim@bethaaron.org. Also needed is the name of person requesting the *Mi-Shebeirakh*, the relationship between the requestor and the person in need, and the *minyan* in which the requestor *davens*.

REFLECTOR BELTS

Safety reflector belts safeguard you when walking to and from *shul* or any other night activity. Comfortable and lightweight, they are adjustable for men, women, and children. The belts are available at no cost to members, but a donation to offset costs is appreciated. If you would like one, please stop by the *shul* office or contact Judi, office@bethaaron.org, 201-836-6210.

THE KOL HA-NE'ARIM CHUPPAH

New names are now being accepted for embroidery onto the *Simchat Torah Chuppah*. Go to www.bethaaron.org/kolhanearim to see pictures of the *chuppah* and the various items available for dedication or to submit the names of children, grandchildren, and/or great-grandchildren for inclusion. There is a nominal cost of \$1.50 per letter. July 13 is the deadline to guarantee that new names will be on the *Chuppah* for *Simchat Torah* 5778.

Other dedication opportunities, including valances and support poles, are still available. Please note that these "bigger ticket" dedications will be listed on the Donor Wall in the *shul* lobby and may be paid off over a two-to-three-year period. For more information, contact Myron Chaitovsky, kolhanearim@bethaaron.org.

BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH

The **4th and 5th grade Boys** *Mishna* **Group** will meet this *Shabbat*, May 26, at 7:20 p.m., in the Book Room. The group is learning *Masechet Megillah* and meets *Shabbat* afternoon 30 minutes before *Mincha*.

The Beth Aaron Youth Department is looking for **substitute group leaders** in grades 6-12. If you would like to work in groups, please contact youth@bethaaron.org.

Groups for Nursery-2nd grade begin *Shabbat* mornings at 9:30 a.m. and continue until the end of the davening in the Main *Minyan*.

Davening for 3rd-5th graders (Jr. Congregation) begins at 9:30 a.m. At 10:10 a.m., all 3rd-5th graders are invited for *parsha*, *Kiddush*, and games until the end of davening in the Main *Minyan*.

Those interested in taking part in "Banim Mitpalelim," enabling broader participation of boys between the ages of 7-12 in leading the conclusion of davening on Shabbat mornings, may sign up using the online form or by contacting Mark Staum, Menachem Kravetz or Jason David, directly.

For more information about youth programs, contact Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, youth@bethaaron.org.

NCSY

All high school teens are welcome to join Teaneck NCSY for **Latte and Learn** this Thursday, May 31, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at Lazy Bean Cafe, 1404 Queen Anne Road. Come grab a drink and chill with friends and advisors! See you there!

For more information about Teaneck NCSY, please contact Rabbi Reuven Lebovitz, ncsy@bethaaron.org.

WEEKLY SHIURIM AT CONGREGATION BETH AARON

- Daf Yomi: For Daf Yomi shiurim and resources in Teaneck, go to www.teaneckshuls.org/daf/.
- Daf Yomi shiur: Monday-Thursday evenings, at 9:45 p.m.
- Daf ha-Shavua: Tuesday and Thursdays at 8:55 p.m.
 Sunday morning chazara shiur at 7:55 a.m. on the previous week's daf. Shiurim will be given by Rabbi Larry Rothwachs, Rabbi Yair Hindin, and David Schnaidman.
- Tanya shiur by Rabbi Moshe Rosenberg: Tuesdays at 9:00 p.m.
- Rabbi Rothwachs' Sanhedrin shiur: Wednesdays at 8:30 p.m.
- Morning Mishna Chabura: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 7:00 a.m.; Monday, Thursday: 6:55 a.m.

PAYING BALANCES BY THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR

Beth Aaron's fiscal year ends on June 30. Full payment of balances by that date is appreciated. Payment can be made online at www.bethaaron.org or by sending a check to the shul..

In order to properly post payments made by check, please note on the memo line how the funds should be applied. If you are paying online, please log into your account to ensure that payments are applied appropriately. If you do not know your password, please contact office@bethaaron.org. If you require financial consideration, you may contact FAC@bethaaron.org. For questions, please contact Judi at the shul office, 201-836-6210, office@bethaaron.org.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Beginning this *Shabbat*, May 26, at 7:20 p.m., at Congregation Netivot Shalom, 811 Palisade Avenue, **Rabbi Nathaniel Helfgot** will lead a seven-week series on portions of the *aggadah* of the *Talmud* with an eye to understanding its themes, literary structure and religious meaning.

On Memorial Day, this Monday, May 28, at 8:45 a.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Dr. AJ Berkovitz** will speak on "How Liturgy Evolves: The Case of Psalms."

This Wednesday, May 30, at 8:00 p.m., the Family Support Group for loved ones of people suffering from addiction and substance abuse will meet. The group, which is free of charge, is facilitated by a licensed clinician specializing in addiction counseling and meets every other Wednesday in Teaneck. For the location and more information, contact Time2TalkAddiction@gmail.com.

This Thursday, May 31, and on June 7, at 11:00 a.m., at Maayanot, 1650 Palisade Avenue, **Rabbi Jay Goldmintz** will offer a lecture series for both men and women, "Praying with Meaning: *Shemoneh Esreh*."

This Thursday, May 31, at 7:00 p.m., at the Moriah School, 53 South Woodland Avenue, Englewood, Ma'ayanot will present a production of "Heartbeats: A Night of Song and Dance," with all proceeds benefitting Kids Tackle Cancer at Hackensack University Medical Center. New York Giants Quarterback Eli Manning will match every donation dollar for dollar. Tickets for the event for women and girls only are \$15 in advance and \$18 at the door. For tickets, go to www.maayanot.org.

On *Shabbat*, June 2, at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Dr. Elana Stein Hain** will be the Scholar-in-Residence. On *Shabbat* morning, following the 9:00 a.m. *Shacharit*, she will offer the *drasha*, "Would That All of God's People Were Prophets! On Discourse and Polarization in the Jewish Community." At 6:45 p.m., her topic will be "Considering Religious Materialism: Challenges and Opportunities," and at 7:45 p.m., following *Mincha*, she will discuss "What Makes Legal Loopholes Religious?"

On Sunday, June 3, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Dara Horn** will discuss her new book, "Eternal Life," with Jewish Week Culture Editor Sandee Brawarsky.

On Mondays, June 4 and June 11, at 11:15 a.m., at 1510 Jefferson Street, **Rebbetzin Leah Kohn** will offer a *shiur*, "The 3 Weeks: Four Exiles, Four Challenges, and Four Pathways toward National and Personal Redemption." On June 18, her topic will be "*Elul* through *Yom Kippur*: 40 Days of Recreating our Reality." The class is free of charge, and donations to the Jewish Renaissance Center (JRC) are accepted.

On Monday, June 4, at 6:00 p.m., at Heichal HaTorah, 70 Sterling Place, the school will hold its annual *Mishnahthon*. Go to <u>www.</u> <u>mishnahthon.org</u> to sign up to learn one *perek* of *Mishnayot* with a *chavrutah*. Rav Mordechai Willig will begin *Shas*. The *siyyum* will be followed by dancing and a barbeque.

On *Shabbat*, June 9, at 6:50 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, there will be a *shiur* in memory of Rav Ozer Glickman. **Rabbi Dr. Michael Shmidman** will speak on "The Messiah, Messianic Age and *Olam ha-Ba.*"

On Monday, June 11, at 10:30 a.m., at Congregation Beth Aaron, 950 Queen Anne Road, Lamdeinu will present **Rabbanit Sara Wolkenfeld** discussing "Yours, Mine & Ours: *Minhag* & Marriage." The cost for the program, which is open to both men and women, is \$25.

On Wednesday, June 13, at 7:30 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, Ohr Torah Stone will host a discussion between **Rabbi Dr. Shlomo Riskin** and **Rabbi Dr. Kenneth Brander** on the topic "What's the Future of Modern Orthodoxy?" Jerry Silverman, President & CEO of the Jewish Federations of North America, will facilitate the conversation. Seating is limited; the event is free, but RSVPs are required to www.OTS.org.il/Teaneck or 212-935-8672.

From November 18 to 24, Emunah is holding a **Teaneck Community Mother-Daughter** *Bat Mitzvah* **Trip to Israel**, led by Rebbetzin Michal Zahtz of Congregation Bnai Yeshurun. The cost for the land portion of the trip is \$1,950. For more information, contact Ronnie Faber, ronnie@emunah.org, or Michal Zahtz, mzahtz@gmail.com. To register, go to www.emunah.org/teaneck-bat-mitzvah-mission.

Boy Scout Troop 226 invites boys grades 6 through 12 to attend its Monday night meetings, from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m., at the Jewish Center of Teaneck, 70 Sterling Place. Utilizing outdoor activities such as hiking, camping, canoeing, etc., this *Shomer Shabbat* troop strives to provide youth training in character development, citizenship, and mental and personal fitness. For more information, please contact Scoutmaster Daniel Chazin, 201-835-5338, dchazin@aol.com.

Do you have **new or gently-used furniture to donate**? The Bergen Volunteer Center's Make-It-Home division will deliver donated items to those in need. For more information, contact Christine Schwake, 201-289-4444, cschwake@bergenvolunteers.org, or go to www.bergenvolunteers.org/making-it-home.html.

Bat Mitzvah gowns/dresses can be donated to the **Teaneck** Bat Mitzvah gown Gemach. Donations can be picked up or dropped off. For more information, contact reneeschneier@gmail.com.

Project Ezrah has introduced an **Interest Free Loan Program** (IFLP). The IFLP is intended to help people with unexpected expenses (i.e., collapsed roof, unusual car repair, etc.). For more information, please contact Robert Hoenig, robert@ezrah.org.

Teaneck singles are invited to get together for *Shabbat* meals. Just contact TeaneckEatandGreet@gmail.com by Wednesday to indicate which meals you would like to join.

The **Richard L. Cohen Children's Library** in Teaneck has an online library catalog with over 150 chapter books with Jewish themes for kids. Library patrons (membership is free) place holds on books and receive a message to determine a time for pick up. Books can be viewed at <u>rlcclibrary.libib.com</u>. For a patron login (required to place holds on books) or for any other questions regarding the library,

COMMUNITY LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, presents *Torah* in the AM on Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:05 a.m. -- *Chavura* studying personalities in *Sefer Shemot*; 9:45 a.m. -- *Gemara Makkot*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier; Thursdays only: 10:45 a.m. -- *Rambam Mishneh Torah*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier; Tuesdays only: 11:00 a.m. -- *Tehillim* class with Rabbi Shalom Baum.

The *Amud Yomi shiur* meets weeknights at 9:30 p.m. at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue. For more information, please contact Mordechai Ungar, 201-741-3920, m ungar@yahoo.com.

On Tuesdays, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, **Rav Meir Goldwicht** offers a *Parshat ha-Shavua shiur* in Hebrew.

On weekday mornings, at 6:15 a.m., at Congregation Arzei Darom, 725 Queen Anne Road, a **morning** *seder chabura* on *Masechet Rosh Hashanah* is held. The pace is one *daf* per week, Monday to Friday, with the *shiur* led by Rabbi Ciment. *Shacharit* will follow at 6:45 a.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday and at 6:35 a.m. on Monday and Thursday. Coffee is available. For more information, please contact Benjy Rosenbluth, 646-483-9259, bdrosenbluth@yahoo.com.

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