CONGREGATION BETH AARON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parshat Vayera

November 3-4, 2017

15 Cheshvan 5778

SHABBAT TIMES

Friday, November 3 Latest Candles: 5:31 p.m.

Mincha/Kabbalat Shabbat: 5:35 p.m.

Shabbat, November 4

Hashkama Minyan: 7:30 a.m. Nach shiur: 8:20 a.m., given by Rabbi Daniel Feldman Main Minyan: 8:45 a.m. Youth Minyan: 9:15 a.m.

Sof Zman Kriat Shema: 10:04 a.m.

Early *Mincha*: 1:45 p.m. *Daf Yomi*: 4:15 p.m.

Women's Learning: 4:15 p.m., in the *shul* Social Hall, *Shmuel Aleph*, chapters 13-14, led by Rivka Herzfeld and

Mollie Fisch

Meir Hirsch's *shiur*: 4:25 p.m. 4th/5th Grade Boys *Mishna* Group: 4:55 p.m. in the Book Room *Mincha*: 5:25 p.m., followed by Rabbi

Rothwachs' shiur Maariv: 6:31 p.m. Havdalah: 6:40 p.m. Kumsitz: 8:15 p.m.

Latest Candles on Friday, November 11: 4:24 p.m.

Remember to set your clocks back one hour before going to sleep this Saturday night. This week's announcements are sponsored by Lamdeinu.

For information on their schedule of classes, see page 4 and go to lamdeinu.org.

Study in depth; be inspired!

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 5						
	Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri
	5	6	7	8	9	10
Earliest <i>Tallit</i>	5:32	5:33	5:34	5:35	5:36	5:38
Shacharit	6:30 MS 7:15 MS 8:00 MS 8:45 MS	5:40 SH 6:20 BM 7:10 BM 8:00 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	1:00 MS					
Mincha/ Maariv	4:30 MS	4:30 BM	4:30 BM	4:30 BM	4:30 BM	4:30 MS
Maariv	8:00 BM 9:30 BM					

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

MAZAL TOV TO

- Barbara & Norman Gildin, on the *Bat Mitzva*h of their granddaughter Malky Gildin. *Mazal Tov* also to Malky's parents, Shirley & Dr. Alex Gildin of Passaic; to siblings Eli, Simcha Meir, Shimmy, Yitzy, and Avremele; and to all the uncles, aunts and cousins.
- Reshi & Yosef Isaacs, on the birth of their granddaughter Leba Malka, born to their children Ayelet & Noah Isaacs of Washington Heights.
- Rachel & Yoni Olson, on their recent marriage. *Mazal Tov* also to Rachel's parents, Sharon & Mitch First, and to Yoni's parents, Stefanie & Jim Olson.
- Esther & David Schnaidman, on the birth of their grandson Matan Adir Silberman, born to their children Shoshanna & Jason Silberman of Rechovot, Israel. *Mazal Tov* also to big brother Yoav Zeev; to grandparents Rita & Chaim Silberman of Jerusalem; to great-grandfather Rabbi Mordechai Schnaidman of New York; and to great-grandmother Shirley Zeffren of St. Louis.

CONDOLENCES TO

• Ilan Tzur, on the passing of his beloved father, Gavriel Tzur. Shiva continues in israel through Sunday morning, November 5. Ilan can be reached on his U.S. cell number, 917-532-9988.

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.

• 20 Cheshvan: Laurie & Ira Bauman, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Laurie's father, Moishe Lovinger, Moshe Yitzchak ben Chaim Yehuda ha-Levi.

MEN'S CLUB KIDDUSH

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

- Sharon & Mitchell First, in honor of the marriage of their daughter Rachel to Yoni Olson
- Felicia & Steven Hoenig, commemorating the yahrtzeit of Felicia's father, Sidney Feiertag, Simcha Zelig ben Elimelech
- Rachelle and Chaim Mandelbaum, in honor of Meital Mandelbaum Mezonot Sponsors:
- Allyson & Shoval Gur-Aryeh, in celebration of our 11th wedding anniversary

Upcoming Birthday *Kiddush* **Dates: November 11 and December 16.** It's only \$36 to add your name to the list of celebrants or become a sponsor for \$54 or \$100. Just go to www.bethaaron.org/kiddush. For questions, contact Ari Gononsky at kiddush@bethaaron.org.

November calendar

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

Friday: 5:55-7:30 p.m. Shabbat:

8:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; 1:30-2:30 p.m.; 4:30-6:50 p.m.

Is the *Eruv* Up? Call the *Eruv* Hotline before *Shabbat*: 201-530-0222

Contact Beth Aaron at office@bethaaron.org

SHUL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This *Shabbat* morning, November 4, there will be a **Rabbinic Exchange**, with Rabbi Rothwachs offering the *drasha* at Congregation Ohr Saadya, 554 Queen Anne Road, and Rabbi Daniel Feldman speaking at Beth Aaron. Rabbi Feldman also will lead the 8:20 a.m. *Nach shiur*.

This *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 4, at 8:15 p.m., there will be a *kumsitz*, featuring Chanani Sandler and Benjy Rosenbluth. The evening will feature live music, song, and words of inspiration. Light refreshments will be served. To sponsor this program, contact office@bethaaron.org.

Men's Club hike will take place this Sunday, November 5, at 10:30 a.m., weather permitting. The group will hike a loop trail from State Line Lookout in the New Jersey section of the Palisades Interstate Park. Meet at State Line Lookout, just north of Exit 2 on the Palisades Interstate Parkway. The hike for both men and women will be led by Daniel Chazin. An email will be sent if the hike is cancelled.

This Sunday, November 5, at 8:00 p.m., Beth Aaron and Congregation Rinat Yisrael are co-sponsoring a presentation by *Shurat ha-Din* founder **Nitsana Darshan-Leitner**. She will discuss her book, *Harpoon: Inside the Covert War against Terrorism's Money Masters*, the story of legendary Mossad director Meir Dagan and the top-secret task force he created to wage a spectacular cloak-and-dagger campaign targeting the finances that funded attacks against Israel. The program will be held at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue.

The 6th Annual **Trivia Panoply Game Night** will be held on *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 18, at 8:30 p.m. The evening will feature Trivia Panoply, dinner, raffles, and more. The cost is \$20 for registration by November 5 and \$25 after that date. Sponsorship packages that include admission for two are available. For more information, contact panoply@bethaaron.org. To register, go to https://www.bethaaron.org/event/panoply2017.

On Shabbat, November 25, a special Seudah Shlishit will be sponsored at the shul by the Jewish National Fund to recognize Ellen & Dr. Richard Gertler, who will be guests of honor at the JNF reception on Monday, December 11. All are invited to attend the Seudah Shlishit, which will feature a presentation by Moshe Markovitz entitled "Ammunition Hill: The Legacy of a Heroic Hill (A Successful JNF Project in Jerusalem)."

HAVE YOU READ THE NOVEMBER KOL BETH AARON?

In this month's issue of the Kol Beth Aaron you can read:

- Profiles of Debby Sheffey and Gabrielle Silverberg
- Reviews of Rabbi Rothwachs' shiurim
- An article about the Women's Simchat Torah celebrations
- Details about the Sisterhood Seudah Shlishit and Book Club
- Information about the Shabbat Project dinner
- Highlights of children's activities over the chagim
- And more!

To learn more about these topics, you can read the KBA at www.bethaaron.org/kba. Copies of the KBA also are available in the shul lobby.

PROJECT THANKS

Congregation Beth Aaron is once again planning to show appreciation and express our *hakarat ha-tov* to Teaneck's firefighters on Thanksgiving Day with the Annual Project THANKS. Our *shul* will provide firefighters on duty on Thanksgiving Day with a turkey dinner with "all the trimmings."

A limited number of spots are available for a parent-chaperoned tour of the Teaneck Fire Station on Thanksgiving Day in conjunction with Project THANKS. This is only open to donors to the event. Please notify the shul office, office@bethaaron.org, of the number of children you would like to join the tour. Prior to Thanksgiving, you will receive an email with a confirmation and time of the tour.

We hope to have broad participation from our members in this worthy endeavor. A portion of the proceeds of this event will be used to cover the cost of the food; the remaining funds will be used by the *shul* to ensure that our facility remains a safe and secure place for all our loved ones.

Please make donations at https://www.bethaaron.org/event/ProjectTHANKS2017 or send a check to the *shul* office by Thursday, November 16. For more information, contact Alden Leifer, aldenleifer@gmail.com.

WEEKLY SHIURIM

- *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.

THANK YOU. RABBI ALVIN REINSTEIN

Thank you to Rabbi Alvin Reinstein for his work over the past 10 years in providing the shul with the weekly *Parasha* Questions. He notes that he has "learned a tremendous amount about the *parshiot* from this effort" and thanks Beth Aaron for giving him the opportunity for this learning. We wish him *hatzlacha* as he begins to focus on different areas of learning. To view past questions, please go to www.bethaaron.org/questions.

LOST AND FOUND

- Earphones in black case
- Clip-on green earring
- Reading glasses
- Key with blue insert
- Small compass
- Gold hoop earring and a Silver hoop earring
- Rosh Hashana machzor: Avraham Sender Alter
- Girl's "silver" bracelet with pink stones
- Gold chain with "Shin" pendant
- Black collar with rhinestones
- Assorted seforim, machzorim, and toys in the front coat room

To claim these items, contact the office, office@bethaaron.org.

Please note that no personal *seforim/siddurim/* personal belongings should be left in open areas at the *shul*. Lockers are available to securely store personal belongings.

BETH AARON YOUTH and JUNIOR HIGH

The next meeting of the **4th and 5th grade Boys** *Mishna* **Group** will be held this *Shabbat* afternoon, November 4, at 4:55 p.m. Additional dates are November 18, December 2, December 16, and December 30. The **4th and 5th grade Girls** *Mishna* **Group** will meet on November 11, November 25, December 9, December 23, and January 6. Both are learning *Masechet Megillah*, are led by Rabbi Rothwachs, and meet *Shabbat* afternoon 30 minutes before *Mincha*.

Parent-Child Learning 5778 begins next *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 11, at 6:15 p.m. Additional dates are November 25, December 9 and 23, January 6 and 27, and February 10 and 24. Parents and children are encouraged to come and learn. Bring your own materials to learn, or take out a book from our Youth Library. Children are welcome to sign up to say a *Dvar Torah*. To sponsor Parent-Child Learning or to sign up to say a *Dvar Torah*, 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, please contact Beth Aaron Youth Directors Erica and Jason David, 732-618-9473, youth@bethaaron.org.

NCSY

All high school teens are invited to join Teaneck NCSY for an *Oneg* this Friday, November 3, from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m., at Congregation Beth Aaron, 950 Queen Anne Road.

All high school teens are welcome to join Teaneck NCSY for **Latte and Learn** this Thursday, November 9, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at Lazy Bean Café, 1404 Queen Anne Road. Come grab a drink, chill and learn together with friends and awesome advisors in a relaxed space.

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

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

This *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 4, at 8:45 p.m., at the Fuld home, 1500 River Road, **American Friends of Nahal Hareidi (Netzach Yehuda)** will host a *Melave Malka*/parlor meeting to benefit the *chayalim* of Nahal Haredi. For information on this program, please contact Steve Pudell, <u>StevenPudell2@gmail.com</u>, 201-280-7059.

This Sunday, November 5, at the Jewish Federation of Northern New Jersey, 50 Eisenhower Drive, Paramus, and at other locations, *Mitzvah* Day will be held. For more information, go to https://www.jfnnj.org/calendar/mitzvahday/.

This Sunday, November 5, at 9:30 a.m., at Yeshivat Noam, 70 West Century Road, Paramus, the school is offering a **free craft/music/building/play event for children ages 2 to 4** and their parents. For more information, contact Esther Feil, 201-261-1919, ext. 220.

This Sunday, November 5, at 9:30 a.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, Rabbi Gideon Weitzman, senior PUAH advisor, will speak about **"21st Century Shidduchim."** For more information, please contact 718-336-0603 or projects@puahfertility.org, or go to www.puahonline.org.

This Sunday, November 5, at 11:00 a.m., at the Bais Medrash of Bergenfield, 371 South Prospect Avenue, Bergenfield, **Ben Cohen will offer a magic show.** The cost is \$10 per child, with a maximum of \$28 per family.

This Sunday, November 5, at 8:00 p.m., at Convene, 117 West 46th Street, New York City, **Jew in the City will present its 5th Annual All Stars Award Party:** The Greatest Night In Orthodox Jewish Professional Success. This event will benefit Project Makom, an initiative of Jew in the City that helps former and questioning *charedi* Jews find their place in Orthodoxy. For more information, go to http://JewintheCity.com/events.

This Tuesday, November 7, at 7:30 p.m., at Ben Porat Yosef, East 243 Frisch Court, Paramus, **Refa'enu will hold its peer-led mood disorder support groups** for those with a disorder (depression, bipolar), as well as for their loved ones. Groups meet on the first and third Tuesdays of every month, with no reservations required. For more information go to www.refaenu.org or contact dena@refaenu.org.

This Tuesday, November 7, at 7:45 p.m., at Congregation Shaare Tefillah, 510 Claremont Avenue, *Rabbanit* Shani Taragin will offer a *shiur*, "Sarah *Imeinu*: A Tent of Her Own—A Modern Orthodox Woman's Search for Meaning." Men and women are welcome.

This Tuesday, November 7, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Rabbi Ozer Glickman** will offer the first in a four-part series, "Legal Fictions or the Pursuit of Coherence: Devices that Permit Avoidance of *Torah* Law."

This Tuesday, November 7, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Nefesh b'Nefesh** will hold a discussion, "Embracing and Navigating Cultural and Educational Differences in Israel." Participants will hear from the presenters about a real-life issues that come up when considering *aliyah*. For more information, go to www.nbn.org.il/discuss/.

On Motzaei Shabbat, November 11, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, Renewal will host a Seudat Hoda'ah for Rabbi Yosef Adler, with a presentation to honor Bergen County kidney donors. There is no couvert to attend this event; donations may be made at https://www.renewal.org/teaneck-shabbaton. To send a letter or message to Rabbi Adler to be included in a Tribute Book, please e-mail it to rabbiadlertribute@gmail.com.

On Tuesday, November 14, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., Congregation Beth Abraham, 396 New Bridge Road, Bergenfield, **TORA (Teaneck Orthodox Retiree Association)** will hold a "Paint With Me" event. The cost is \$36, and pre-registration by November 9 is required. To register, please put a check made out to cash or Bob Wurzburger in Bob's mailbox, 1300 Pennington Road. For more information, contact Bob, <u>rjw1300@msn.com</u>.

On Wednesday, November 15, at 7:00 p.m., at Congregation Beth Abraham, 396 New Bridge Road, Bergenfield, new and engaged couples are invited to a free seminar and dinner sponsored by **The Aisle: A Path Toward Financial Fidelity**. The evening is focused on recognizing the importance of "shalom kesef" and providing the tools for a path toward a financially healthy lifestyle. Reservations are required. RSVP to Theaisle@ezrah.org.

On *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 18, at 8:00 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, **New Jersey Yachad** will hold a *Melave Malka*. Register at <u>www.yachad.org/NJGALA2017</u>.

On Monday, November 20, at 7:15 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, the **Teaneck Mikvah Association** will hold its Annual Women's Event. This year's event will feature Chava Willig Levy, "Inspiring Words by an Inspiring Woman," along with a tribute to the Mikvah staff. The cost is \$72. Register online at teaneckmikvah.com/event.

On Monday, December 11, at 7:00 p.m., at Congregation Beth Sholom, 354 Maitland Avenue, **Ellen & Dr. Richard Gertler** will be honored at a Jewish National Fund reception. Reservations can be made at inf.org/teaneck50.

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.

SCHOOL OPEN HOUSES

- This Sunday, November 5, at 9:00 a.m., at The Frisch School, 120 West Century Road, Paramus, the school will hold an Open House. Register at Frisch.org/openhouse.
- This Sunday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m., at the Rosenbaum Yeshiva of North Jersey, 666 Kinderkamack Road, River Edge, the school will hold an Open House. Register at RYNJ.org. For more information, contact welcome@RYNJ.org.
- This Sunday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m., at **Heichal HaTorah**, **70 Sterling Place**, **the school will hold an Open House**. To register, go to http://heichalhatorah.org/openhouse. For more information, contact 201-335-0633, ras@heichalhatorah.org.
- This Wednesday, November 8, at 7:30 p.m., at Yeshivat He'Atid, 1500 Queen Anne Road, the school will hold an Open House. For more information or to schedule a tour, please contact Gitty Eisner, gittyeisner@yeshivatheatid.org, 201-374-2272, ext. 6.
- On *Motzaei Shabbat*, November 11, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Rinat Yisrael, 389 West Englewood Avenue, **Naaleh High School for Girls will hold an Open House** *Melave Malka* for 8th grade girls and their parents. Visit www.naalehhighschool.org to register, or email info@naalehhighschool.org for more information.
- On Sunday, November 12, at 9:30 a.m., at Yeshiva University High School for Boys (MTA), 2540 Amsterdam Avenue, New York City, the school will hold an Open House. Register online at yuhsb.org/openhouse. For more information, please contact jfuchs@yuhsb.org.

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Parshanut HaMikra:
Talmud: Masechet Kiddushin
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Contemporary Issues in the Orthodox Community Parashat HaShavua Books of the Maccabees Mitzvot of the Mind Rediscovering Tefillah

For class details or to register, go to <u>lamdeinu.org.</u>

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This Sunday, November 4, Yeshiva University's *Kollel Yom Rishon*, weekly free learning for men, will be held in Glueck 307 (515 West 185th Street, corner of Amsterdam Avenue), and its *Midreshet Yom Rishon*, weekly free learning for women, will be held in the Schottenstein Center (on West 185th Street, between Audubon and St. Nicholas Avenues). Both are open to participants of all ages, backgrounds, and learning levels, with no registration. *Kollel Yom Rishon* will feature Rabbi Hershel Schachter and Rabbi Netanel Wiederblank, and *Midreshet Yom Rishon* will feature Rabbi Baruch Simon and Rabbi Mordechai Schiffman. The first *shiur* starts at 9:30 a.m., the second at 10:30 a.m. For information or to download *mar'ei mekomot*, visit www.kollelyomrishon.org or www.midreshetyomrishon.org or call 212-960-0041.

On Mondays, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, 641 West Englewood Avenue, the Jewish Learning Experience (JLE) offers a free class, "Insights into the Weekly Torah Portion," given by Rabbi Moshe Yasgur. For more information, contact rabbistaum@jle.org.

On Tuesday mornings, at 9:30 a.m., beginning November 14, at Yeshivat Noam, 70 West Century Road, Paramus, **Dr. Scott Goldberg** will offer a free course, "Educating for Belief and Practice."

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 Wednesdays, at 8:30 p.m., at Congregation Keter Torah, 600 Roemer Avenue, Yael Weil offers an evening edition of her weekly *Parshat ha-Shavua shiur*.

On Wednesdays, beginning November 15, at 7:45 p.m., at Congregation Beth Aaron, 950 Queen Anne Road, the Jewish Learning Experience (JLE) will offer a class, "To Be a Jew...A Guide to Jewish Contemporary Life," given by Rabbi Mark Staum. For more information, contact rabbistaum@jle.org.

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 Berakhot*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier; Thursdays: 10:45 a.m. -- *Rambam Mishneh Torah*, with Rabbi Menachem Meier.

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