

This Weekend— May 24th - 26th, 2019

Shabbat, May 25th, at 6:50pm at Keter Torah, Rabbi Steven Weil will speak on "The Tragic but Fascinating History of Sephardic Jewry." Following *Mincha* at 7:50pm, Rabbi Weil will speak at Seuda Shlishit on "The Establishment of Sephardic Communities Across the Globe."

Shabbat, May 25th, Parshat Behar, Beth Aaron and the OU Women's Initiative will present a special "Counting towards Sinai" Scholars Program, with Racheli Luftglass, Director of Judaic Studies at YULA Girls High School in Los Angeles. At 5:00 p.m., she will discuss "Yirmiyahu's Field of Dreams: The Roots of Redemption" and, at a *shiur* between the 7:50pm. *Mincha* and the 8:50 p.m. *Maariv*, her topic will be "The Female Protagonists: *Sefira's* Path from Shir ha-Shirim to Ruth." Both *shiurim* are open to men and women.

Sunday, May 26th at 9am - The topic for this week's *Shivti seder limud* at Congregation Beth Aaron is "Halachic Issues in Commerce and the Marketplace, Part 2." Rabbi Sason Gabay will lead the *shiur* and the *chabura* before the *shiur*. The program is held on Sunday mornings in the *Beit Midrash*. A light breakfast will be served at 8:45 a.m. Each Sunday morning program typically will be independent from the previous and subsequent programs. For information about the program, contact Mordy Ungar, 201-741-3920, m_ungar2@yahoo.com.

May 27th and beyond

Just in time for Shavuot, come join Yaacov Metzger as he continues his free Origami workshop series with "Tulips in a Flowerpot!" You will have two chances to catch this workshop at Congregation Beth Aaron. The workshop will be on Memorial Day, **Monday, May 27th, at 10am**. Both adults and children are welcome; children aged 8 or under require parental participation. Register at www.bethaaron.org/event/TulipOrigami. Congregation Beth Aaron is located at 950 Queen Anne Road in Teaneck.

Tuesday, May 28th at 12pm The Teaneck Orthodox Retiree Association (TORA) will be holding a lunch and lecture on Tuesday, May 28, featuring Rabbi Beni Krohn, Rav of Young Israel of Teaneck. The topic will be " *Mourning Over a Rebuilt Jerusalem? Halachic and Hashkafic Ramifications of the Six Day War*". The event will take place at Congregation Bnai Yeshurun, with lunch available at 12pm and the lecture beginning about 12:45. Now that Yerushalayim is a bustling city, home to yeshivot, businesses, and thriving communities, how do we relate to the many halachot that call upon us to continue to mourn its destruction and desolation? The cost is \$12 for those who register by Sunday 5/26, and \$15 for anyone who registers after that date or just shows up. To register, please email mkarlin@aol.com with the names of those who will be attending, or go to the following link and fill out the online form that appears: <https://www.bnaiyeshurun.org/tora>

Tuesday, May 28th at 7pm The Jewish Home for Rehabilitation & Nursing in Freehold, NJ holds a monthly Jewish Caregiver's Experience Support Group for those seeking guidance regarding their caregiving responsibilities. We are located at 1151 West Main Street, Freehold, New Jersey. For more information, please contact Jolie at 732-202-1000 or jfromm@jewishhomefreehold.org.

Wednesday May 29th - The Beit Midrash of Teaneck (BMT), located at Heichal Hatorah, 70 Sterling Pl., provides an interactive Talmud Torah learning experience for men who are retired or have flexible schedules on Monday and Wednesday mornings between 9:15am. and 12:45pm. This week, there will be NO SHIUR on Monday, in observance of Memorial Day. On Wednesday the 29th, seder begins at 9:15 am; at 10am., Rabbi Ronen Dvash (Heichal HaTorah) will give a *shiur* on Gemara Brachot; at 11am., Mrs. Rivka Kahan (Principal, Maayanot High School for Girls) will give a *shiur* on "Timeless Messages of Gan Eden"; at 12:00, Rabbi Hayyim Angel (Yeshiva University) will give a *shiur* on Sefer Yirmiyahu, Chapter 36. Source sheets are provided and can be obtained in advance by contacting BMTeaneck@gmail.com

Thursday, May 30th at 7:30pm - The 2019 Ma'ayanot Heartbeats Production presents its annual production of song & dance (for women only) at Ben Porat Yosef, East 243 Frisch Court, Paramus, NJ 07652, General Admission Tickets: \$20, Premium Seating: \$54 <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/heartbeats-2019-tickets-60792204119>. All proceeds will be donated to Save A Child's Heart Organization based in Israel which will go to pay for medical care of children with heart disease.

Jewish Family and Children's Services' Annual Wheels for Meals Ride to Fight Hunger will take place on **June 23rd**. Choose from 50-, 25-, 10-, and 3-mile bike routes or 3-mile hike. All Rinat members are invited to join **Nesya Bayewitz's bat mitzvah team** at the ride. More information and team registration at www.ridetofighthunger.com

Ongoing/Miscellaneous

New Weekly Chabura on Daf Yomi Topics

Add some Iyun to your Daf with the Daf B'Iyun Chabura!
Led by **Rabbi Ezra Wiener** on **Thursday nights 8:15pm-9pm** at The Lipner home, 573 Churchill Rd, Teaneck, open to Daf Yomi and non-Daf Yomi doers. For more info email ezra.wiener@tabc.org

Nitzanei Noam Summer program for 2-3 year olds

Nitzanei Noam, located in Bnai Yeshurun, Teaneck, is accepting applications for its 2-3 year old summer program. Experienced head counselor, fun junior counselors, outdoor climbing and play area, outdoor water play, dynamic daily programming and learning, music, yoga and more. Hours are 9am-3pm with early drop off and late pick up available. For more information visit www.yeshivatnoam.org, call Morah Joyce Buckman at 201-836-6871, or email her at jbuckman@yeshivatnoam.org.

Bikur Cholim Bergen County (BCBC) is a volunteer run 501(c)3 organization which provides support, facilities, and services to ease the burden of families during crises. Bikur Cholim Bergen County can be reached at 201-579-3066 or visit their website at www.bikurcholimbergencounty.org for a full list of services.

Project YECHI Tablecloth Gemach

Project Yechi helps to provide financial support for families fighting illness. Please email projectyechi@gmail.com for details.

Tomchei Shabbos of Bergen County

Volunteers needed to pack | Wednesdays at 2:30pm—Early pack—(Adults only), or 5:45pm Regular packing
Please only reply if you are willing and able to make a serious commitment. Contact Sara Walzman at sdwalzman@yahoo.com
Chesed Opportunities Bar and Bat Mitzvah boys and girls! For information how to commemorate your Simcha with a chesed project thru partnering with Tomchei Shabbos, contact Andrea Fields at 973-371-1771x411 or AJBier@aol.com

Teaneck Simcha Gemach has folding tables, cocktail tables, chairs and coat racks (w/ hangers) available for loan. Contact teanecksimcha@yahoo.com.

Down the Aisle Gemach

Setting up a home can be daunting and expensive. Help couples by donating new or unopened gifts. We accept household, Judaica, linens, gift-ware, engagement and wedding gifts that perhaps are not your taste but others would enjoy as they start their new lives together. *Teaneck Drop off:* Carrie Cooper, 1060 Windsor Road 201-801-9028. candscooper@gmail.com. *Bergenfield Drop off:* Meredith Yager, 65 Lee Place 201-321-4301 Meredithyager@gmail.com

Toiletry Collection Drive - Ongoing collection of full size shampoo, conditioner, body wash and bar soap that is distributed on a regular basis to community members in need. This is a year-round collection and very much needed. Drop off at the Stone residence - 578 Grenville Avenue, Teaneck - purple collection box located at the right side door. Questions? Please contact Gila - gr5thkid@msn.com.

Bat Mitzvah Dress Gemach

Do you have a gorgeous Bat Mitzvah dress that no longer fits, hanging in your closet? Teaneck Bat Mitzvah Gown/Dress Gemach now accepting dresses in excellent condition. Current styles only please. Happy to pick up or you can drop off. Come take a look at our great selection! For more info email the Gemach at bmdressgmach@gmail.com

CAN YOU USE FREE FOOD ONCE A WEEK?

Shearit Haplate of Bergen County is our only local kosher food rescue and distribution organization. If you think this would help you and your family, please email us at shearithaplate@gmail.com. If you would like to volunteer 2hrs/week to help Shearit HaPlate pick up or repack food donations, please email us at shpbcinc@gmail.com and we would be happy to put you to work ASAP! If you would like to donate catered leftovers from a special gathering or event, small or large, please call for pick-up Danny Chazin 201-835-5338. For more information about our not-for-profit organization and for donation opportunities please visit www.shpbc.org or visit our Facebook page.

Family Support Group for loved ones of those suffering from addiction and substance abuse. We meet every other **Wednesday in Teaneck at 8pm.**, free of charge. The support group meets this week. For location and more information please email: Time2TalkAddiction@gmail.com.