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### Friday Evenings

4/1 6:00 p.m.  
4/8 6:00 p.m.  
4/15 6:00 p.m.  
4/22 7:30 p.m.  
4/29 6:00 p.m.

### Saturday Mornings

APRIL 2  
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APRIL 9  
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APRIL 23  
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## UPCOMING DATES

AS OF THIS WRITING, WE HAVE MOVED ALL SERVICES BACK TO IN-PERSON (AND THEY WILL CONTINUE TO BE STREAMED AS WELL). WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU BACK. PLEASE CONTINUE TO READ TIDBITS AND THE RECORDER, AND GO TO [WWW.EBJC.ORG](http://WWW.EBJC.ORG) FOR UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION.

FOR LINKS TO SERVICES, EVENTS AND PROGRAMS, PLEASE GO TO OUR WEBPAGE AT [WWW.EBJC.ORG](http://WWW.EBJC.ORG). THE DROPDOWN MENU FOR SERVICES, HAZAK, MEMBERSHIP PROGRAMMING AND EVENTS WILL TAKE YOU TO ALL OF THE PAGES TO REGISTER.

If you have problems at EBJC that are not getting adequately resolved, please call Ellen Botwin at (732) 257-7070

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PLEASE NOTE:

ONLY checks made out to EBJC go to Montvale. Sisterhood, Men's Club, Mitzvah Corps, all discretionary funds, 613 event, Pavilion donations all go to 511 Ryders Lane. When sending any form with a payment, those should be mailed to 511 Ryders Lane as well.

## FOR THE UPCOMING MONTH:

### TROUBLE PAYING DUES

If you have been negatively impacted by COVID and are having trouble paying your dues, please let us know! It gives us no pleasure having to call a member to find out why they are in arrears only to find out that they've been out of work and are struggling. First, we are a source to come to. We have resources and methods to help you. Secondly, we will work with you to either work out a payment plan, reduce your dues to make sure that paying your EBJC membership dues does not become a burden when you are having trouble supporting your family!

### SHABBAT SERVICES

Shabbat services are in-person (also offered via Zoom). Friday evening services are at 6:00 p.m. and Saturday morning services are at 9:30 a.m. The link to join can be found on our website at [ebjc.org/services](http://ebjc.org/services).

### OFFICE HOURS

The office is staffed Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m.– 5:00 p.m. and on Fridays from 8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.

### ZOOM HELP

For those of you who are having difficulty using Zoom or the Zoom update, please let us know. We will be happy to give you a call and walk you through it. Just call: 732-257-7070 x1 and leave a message. Someone will get back to you.

### BIKUR CHOLIM

Bikur Cholim would like to reach out to our congregation during this difficult time. If you would like a friendly call or know someone who might need a friendly call from a member of the Bikur Cholim committee, please contact Madeline Frances at (732) 254-2783 or email [madelinef18@gmail.com](mailto:madelinef18@gmail.com).

### HAZAK

Thursday, April 7. Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Professor Heumann, Law Professor at Rutgers University discusses our Criminal Justice System - "Whose Guess is as good as Whose Guess" a look inside our criminal justice system. GOOD NEWS! There is a new caterer providing lunches and you'll be very pleased! Come check it out! Registration is required.

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS

We are diligently working to continue engaging and entertaining our community! Ever on the search for interesting programming, please note the following events: On April 3rd we have a Virtual Tour of Jewish Venice, April 7th will be our monthly Hazak program and on April 27th there will be a virtual Yom HaShoah program - Aristides De Sousa Mendes - Disobedience. Most of these programs are free to our community. If you can, a donation in any amount is always appreciated so that we may continue to bring you these programs and events. Details and descriptions for all programs will be in Tidbits and on the EBJC website homepage.



**THE CONGREGATION CONGRATULATES:**

David Brown & Meredith Levine-Brown on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Zachary  
Joel & Marilyn Littman on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Chloe Littman  
Cantor Larry & Dr. Laura Brandspiegel on the birth of their granddaughter, Orli Malka Sinoff  
George & Susan Karp on the birth of their grandson, Lev Leo Karp  
Howard & Cindi Jacobs on the marriage of their daughter, Katherine

**THE CONGREGATION EXTENDS CONDOLENCES TO:**

Melanie Blatteis on the loss of her mother, Jean Gordon  
Gloria Feldman on the loss of her brother, Samuel Siegel  
Gary Miller on the loss of his brother, Lorin Miller

Thank you everyone for the outpouring of love and support at the unexpected loss of my sister, Barbara Shipnuck. She was a rare individual who will be greatly missed. Having a shiva minyan at our home was comforting, and I thank each person who participated. If I haven't already acknowledged you personally, please forgive me. The unusual nature of my shiva prevented me from keeping track of all who participated.

~Diana Horowitz

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I wish to offer my heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the kind words and support I received from the EBJC leadership, staff and so many of you in our EBJC community following the passing of my father, Aron z"l. It has meant a lot to us.

~Michal Belzer and family

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## BAR MITZVAH

My name is Benjamin Stein, and I am in the 7th grade at Hammarskjold Middle school. I love playing soccer, cooking, playing video games, and hanging out with my friends and family. My Bar Mitzvah is coming up on May 1st, 2022. For my Mitzvah project, I wanted to help give back to the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at NYU Hospital. I spent 11 days here as I was born early, and their amazing doctors and nurses made sure I could be here for my upcoming day! If you would like to help with any amount of donation, please use the link here:

<https://nyulangone.org/give/fundraise/stein-2>

Thank you in advance for your generous support!

## BAR MITZVAH

My name is Jonathan Blivaiss and my Bar Mitzvah is on May 14, 2022. For my Mitzvah project, I am partnering with Grassroot Soccer to spread my love of soccer, a sport I have played since 5 years old, around the world. Soccer taught me about teamwork, discipline, leadership, staying fit, and...most importantly...having fun.



Grassroot Soccer is an adolescent health organization using the power of soccer to educate, inspire, and mobilize at-risk youth in developing countries to overcome their greatest health challenges, live healthier, more productive lives, and be agents for change in their communities. Ethan Zohn, the winner of season 3 of Survivor, co-founded Grassroot Soccer as a way to pay back the African community in which he resided for 39 days. As a Survivor fan, it seemed natural to reach out to Ethan and Grassroot Soccer for my Mitzvah project. Any amount donated to Grassroot Soccer will be much appreciated, large or small. \$25 is all it takes to improve the life of one young person by enabling them to go through a Grassroot Soccer program, allowing them to gain the knowledge, support, role models, and skills to live a long, happy life. Please choose any of the pre-selected donation amounts or donate an amount you feel appropriate.

Also, be on the look out for information about our soccer ball Juggle-a-Thon in the spring!

Thank you in advance for your donations.

Please join me and my family in supporting this incredible organization by visiting the following website:

<https://impact.grassrootsoccer.org/campaign/jonathan-blivaiss-mitzvah-project/c389401>

## PESACH SERVICE TIMES

Friday, April 15th - Erev Pesach

6:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 16th - 1st day of Pesach

9:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 17th - 2nd day of Pesach

9:30 a.m.

Friday, April 22nd - 7th day of Pesach

9:30 a.m. & 7:30 p.m. (late, Yom Tov)

Saturday, April 23rd - 8th day of Pesach

9:30 a.m. & 8:30 p.m. (Havdalah, Zoom only)



### PESACH COMMUNITY SEDER



EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER INVITES YOU  
TO JOIN US FOR SATURDAY NIGHT COMMUNITY  
SEDER!

WITH RABBI PIVO AND CANTOR LARRY

SATURDAY APRIL 16TH

DINNER BEGINS 7:30 PM

Seder begins 8:30 PM

Adults \$54.00 pp

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WE WELCOME THE COMMUNITY

PLEASE CALL ELLEN BOTWIN IF YOU NEED FINANCIAL HELP.

Menu—Matzoh ball soup, gefilte fish, chicken, brisket, Broccoli souffle, Pota-  
to kugel, tzimmiss, desserts, seder plate at each table, wine, etc.

**Please RSVP to 732-257-7070 by April 11, Noon**



*Links and information on all programs can be found on the [ebjc.org](http://ebjc.org) homepage*

**Sunday, April 3 @ 12:00 PM**

**Live Virtual Tour Of Jewish Venice**

Join us as we experience a live walking virtual tour of Virtual Venice. Rain date is April 10th as this is a live tour!

**Sunday, April 3 @ 6:00 PM**

**Peace, Politics, Putin And The Pandemic: An Insider's Look Into How Israel Is Overcoming The World's Challenges**

Gil Hoffman, Chief Political Correspondent and analyst of the Jerusalem Post, will present the above program. This is offered in person AT MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER or live streamed.

**Wednesday, April 27 @ 8:30 PM**

**Aristides De Sousa Mendes - Disobedience - A Yom HaShoah Presentation**

Virtual - Join us as we learn about this Righteous Christian who saved over 30,000 lives during World War II - We will view the movie Disobedience the week before the program and then come together with a descendant of one of the people he saved and one of his own descendants. Registration is required for this event.

**Sunday, May 22 @ 1:00 PM**

**American Judaism: Past, Present & Future**

Samuel Heilman - "The American Jewish Present and What it Indicates About the Future: A Sociologist's View"

**Sunday, May 22 @ 11:30 AM**

**EBJC Annual Spring Gala**

Stay tuned for further details, invitations will be forthcoming soon!

**Sunday, June 12 @ 11:00 AM**

**Sisterhood's Torah Fund Champagne Brunch**

Stay tuned for further details!

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# RABBINIC REFLECTIONS



## The Meaning of Matzah

Pesakh is the most important holiday in the Torah. Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur are mentioned briefly (though not by those names), the other harvest festivals Sukkot and Shavuot are discussed, but nothing really compares with the amount of attention Pesakh receives. The reason is obvious: Pesakh recalls our flight from Mitzrayim, our transformation from a slave people to a free nation, one that was on its way to living a sanctified life in a sacred land.

What Pesakh shares with other Jewish holidays is the ritualization of its themes through food, and the food that represents Pesakh is matzah. For eight days we refrain from eating leavened bread, typically the most basic of foods, and instead eat unleavened matzah. This dramatic shift in what we eat is a constant reminder of what is missing from our diet during Pesakh: hametz (leaven). In fact, the removal of hametz is so central to the experience of Pesakh that we work for days or weeks prior to the holiday to clean our homes of it, sell any hametz that

remains in our possession, ritually search for and then burn some of it just prior to Pesakh and, finally, maintain our homes as non-hametz zones for the rest of the week. It takes a great deal of effort to fulfill that level of commitment to Jewish law, but most Jews make that effort. It is critical that we remember why we do, so that we don't become enslaved to the very rituals that commemorate our freedom.

There are two main reasons for our zeal in removing hametz from our diets during Pesakh. First, we do so as a remembrance of the haste with which our ancestors fled Mitzrayim. I don't know how many Israelites were awake and just getting started baking bread in the middle of the night when the final plague hit Mitzrayim, but the symbol of haste is the key to our practice: They fled more quickly than the time it would take for bread to rise. Escape from slavery does not come easily or without danger; when it comes, we need to be ready to go at a moment's notice. By avoiding all hametz during Pesakh, we remember the speed of our delivery that night and the precariousness of the entire endeavor; had they not fled immediately, we might not now be Jews.

The second reason for the fervor of our hametz removal is the symbol of purging ourselves of any impurities that accompany us when we are redeemed from slavery, whether the actual bonds of slavery in Mitzrayim or the psychological bonds of addiction, character flaws, unhealthy relationships and the like. Making a clean break from the past means leaving behind even the smallest

hint of what had enslaved us, symbolized by omitting even the smallest particle of hametz in our diets and in our homes.

The meaning of matzah is found not in what it is but in what it lacks. We avoid hametz for eight days to remember the speed of the escape from slavery, of taking the opportunity to liberate ourselves while we can, and to attempt to leave behind those remnants of our slavery which may still cling to us. We eat matzah to remember their liberation and our own.

And this year, when both Jews and non-Jews are fleeing their homes in Ukraine by the millions to escape danger, we are especially attuned to the scenario of sudden, life-changing escape. I encourage our members to support trusted organizations that are working to rescue the refugees from their forced flight. This Pesach, we will help to redeem them from the Mitzrayim of violence, fear, and subjugation.

Chag kasher v'sameach,

Rabbi Jeff Pivo

# FROM CANTOR LARRY



Do we ever have enough? It seems to me that we are always yearning for more. The problem is that we always appear to be yearning less for the simple things in life: “I wish I could by a car like that” or “I’d love to take that European trip.” These statements are just a few examples of some of the things that would be great to have, but not within our reach. However, what about the statements, “I hope that I get a good report from my doctor” or “I want my children to have the best education there is to offer.” These statements may be a little more realistic in the true desires of what is important. Both sets of requests still ask the question, “Do we ever have enough?”

During the Passover Seder, we sing a wonderful piece called “Dayyenu” or “It would have been enough”. Some statements in it include, “If Gd would have just brought us out of Egypt, it would have been enough”, and “If Gd would have just given us the Shabbat and the Torah, it would have been enough.”

So, why not add, “If I provide my family with a roof over their head, it would be enough” or “If I am

granted a life of Nahat from my children, it would be enough.” Do you add these to the list in the Haggadah? Could you add these to the list? Should you add these to the list?

In our desires and yearning for more in this world, we ask for much and feel that we receive little...but is it so? Do we have joy in our lives? Do we have food on our tables? Are we able to help others? Do we say, “If I have all that I have, it would be enough?”

When speaking to our family members, do we speak enough? When helping our friends and colleagues, do we help enough? When we see others in need, do we assist enough? Or do we turn our backs and say enough is enough. Do we ever have enough? Passover brings in a new season. It is a rebirth. The Springtime revives us and provides us with warm fresh air to appreciate the beauty of nature and its growth. So, at this time, take a moment to grow, to branch out, to expand, and to spend time with family and friends. With the Covid pandemic slowly getting behind us, try to spend renewed time at EBJC for a service, a class, or a social event. Join together as a family and live your Jewish lives with joy. Ask the question now, “Do we ever have enough?” I can answer that for the material things in the world, there will never be enough. However, for the love in the world around us, just look around and take advantage of it because there is more than enough to go around.

And at your Passover Seder, aside from adding in a few personal lines that will end with Dayyenu, try passing around an empty box and pretend it is a beautiful present. Open the box and share with those around you what type of gift you would like to find. I hope that Gd’s gift inside the box turns out to be a wonderful and well-deserved prize.

On behalf of my wife, Laura, our children, Samantha, Avi, Heather, and Jeremy, I wish you and your family Hag, Kasher, w’Sameah for a wonderful Pesah Holiday.

Larry I. Brandspiegel

Cantor/Director of Education

# FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



This will be the first Pesach at my new home in Monroe. I specifically looked for a home that did not have an enclosed dining room because I needed expandability. Our normal Pesach gathering with family has been yet again postponed due to COVID (I know things are opening up but in all fairness, we're at least 50 and for some that's nerve wracking). So, for the third year in a row, I am hosting BOTH Seders... yippee!! If you count the kids, I'm at 24 for the first Seder and slightly less for the second. Let the cooking begin! It will be a challenge because I had a double oven in my other house and now I have a single. But on the good side...this single oven is much wider than my double oven. It's a trade off, but I'll probably have to schlepp my convection microwave that's sitting in the garage into the house to cook some of the side dishes.

What an exhausting holiday this is. For those of us that clean and kosher their house for Pesach, the holiday is not 8 days... it's 15! I'm sort of complaining, but not really. As exhausting as it is, even considering the cooking, the cleaning the shopping and schlepping...I don't think I'd give it up. I'm not quite ready to pass the reins over to the next generation and they're not quite ready to take them. They're busy with jobs and children. I'm just busy with...job. Full disclosure... don't try to find me

in the office on the Wednesday or Thursday before Pesach...I'll be home cooking and cleaning. Not that I can't be reached by phone. Many of you have my cell phone and I'll answer it while making matzoh balls, or soup or any one of the many other delicacies that I make so that we can all be in a food coma by the end of the Seder!

Speaking of Seders... we're having one at EBJC! The second night, Saturday the 16th, we will have a community Seder for those of you that may not have family visiting or who don't have the energy to do a Seder, and wish to spend it with friendly, familiar faces! We're going to keep the cost as low as we can once we factor in the food, wine, drinks, tableware, plates, cups, soup bowls, etc. As of this writing, we do not have a price yet, but I'm pretty sure it will be under \$60 per person. I took some "feelers" and there are at least 25 – 30 people that said they would attend, so we know we're doing it.

Were you here for Purim? We had over 100 people celebrating with us! It wasn't our normal 300, but what a wonderful feeling to have people in the building again! We bailed the Cantor out of Purim Jail (Laura preferred we keep him in) and all was well in Shushan! The Rabbi's beard upsherin went very well and now we can actually see his face (although the ZZ Top impersonation wasn't half bad).

Since I'm on a roll, save the date for our Gala on May 22nd. Again, as of this writing, I don't have who we're honoring or the price per person, but I know it's a brunch starting at 11:30 a.m. We are making every effort to keep the per person cost down and since it is a brunch...you don't have to come all fancy schmancy (but you do have to be dressed – none of us want to be blinded).

Let's see...what else is going on... Oh yes...we've received several quotes for a new operable wall between the sanctuary and ballroom. You may have noticed that the existing accordion wall is in major disrepair. As a matter of fact, it can't even be repaired! I'm hoping that by the time you read this, the wall will have been ordered (there's a 6-8 week wait time due to supply chain issues). Wouldn't it be nice to have the wall up and working for the Gala??

Let's talk programming! Upcoming Programs are Samuel Heilman – "American Jewish Present and What it Indicates About the Future: A sociologists View; A Live Virtual Tour of Jewish Venice; Peace/ Politics/Putin and the Pandemic: An Insider's Look into How Israel is Overcoming the World's Challenges with Gil Hoffman, Chief Political Correspondent and Analyst of the Jerusalem Post; Aristides De Sousa Mendes – Disobedience – a Yom HaShoah presentation; 3-Part FilmShul series featuring The Hollywood Blacklist, Funny Girls and Spielberg. There are more in the works! The sidebar of our home page on our website will list all of our upcoming programs.

I wish you all a happy, sweet Pesach!

May you all be well,

Ellen

# FROM OUR PRESIDENTS



Letter from one of the Co-presidents.....

Be Happy it's Adar III!!!!

Which can only mean one thing.....  
Passover will soon be here.

Quiz Time:

What is the most celebrated holiday on the Jewish Calendar??

Answer: You guessed it - Passover. Ask any Israeli about the different places around the world where they know of people having a seder and you will be amazed. I know of Israelis who, when in Nepal for Passover, had a choice of places to go. Even in the most out of the way places, we, as Jews gather to celebrate The Holiday of Freedom. There is something about this holiday for all of us - usually remembering going to a relative's house or if your own house, all of the preparation that took place. In my wife's grandmother's house no one took a bath before the holiday. Why? Because Sadie had fish in the bathtub waiting to be 'gefiltered'.

Time for a Passover Quiz:-

What is actually said first at the Seder table???

- a) When do we eat?
- b) Are we doing the whole thing this year?
- c) I can't believe what (fill in the name) looks like.
- d) Let All Who are Hungry come and Eat

Spoiler Alert.....the answer is NOT ALL of the above. Little known fact -

many think the Seder starts with the Four Questions - no, it does not. As Jews we are first commanded to open our doors. The phrase (letter d) is often quoted and viewed word for word.

The word 'All' points to whom we are instructed to welcome all - even those who might be different from us, but to whom a seder has a special meaning. We all know of people who might not think like us, be it religiously or politically or have a different lifestyle, yet we are reminded at the start of the service that we welcome All.

The word 'Hungry' can be interpreted as not only hungry for food, but hungry for knowledge or to be gently reminded of their seders from a long time ago and, especially these days, hungry for lively conversations with friends and loved ones.

The word 'Eat' can easily be interpreted as not only 'The Festive Meal' which we are commanded to have but the traditional and symbolic items we find on the Seder Plate and the rituals of preparing and explaining each of the items.

The Seder is not to be a rote service but one where questions are asked, and an energetic discussion takes place. Each of us comes with a different perspective and the Seder table is where we should feel free to express our thoughts and feelings and to be respected and accepted.

For the past three years, we all 'joked' and added the 11th plague.... the dreaded Covid! It has changed the way we celebrated the Seder. No one knew the expression "Zoom" and now many of us found

ourselves participating in "Zoom seders" that looked very different from our norms. The silver lining in this cloud was a hidden benefit in that it has allowed many families who, because of distance, were never before able to be together, to now share that special ritual. While Covid has changed the way we do everything, including synagogue life, it looks as if we are slowly returning to a more normal way of life - relaxing of mask requirements, public events taking place and people gathering together in a more relaxed atmosphere.

And just when we thought we were putting the crisis in the rear-view mirror, we watched in horror all that was unfolding in Ukraine. Let us remember that prior to World War II Ukraine had the second largest Jewish population. From a humanistic and religious perspective, we grieve - especially as we enjoy the Holiday of Freedom knowing that at each Seder table there will be a chorus of 'too much food'. East Brunswick Jewish Center has always collected funds for those in our area who for financial reasons cannot shop appropriately for the holiday. The tradition continues, contact the office.

Let All who are Hungry come and Eat.

On behalf of my co-president, Bob Salston and Liz, myself and Carol, we wish everyone a happy and meaningful holiday.

Jack Goldberg  
Co-President, EBJC

# SISTERHOOD



In no time, Passover, the most celebrated Jewish holiday, will be upon us again. This year many of us will be rejoicing with extended family for the first time since 2019! But what is it about Passover that resonates so deeply with the Jewish people? To many, it is Passover's themes of hope and redemption; the holiday represents the core Jewish values of equality, justice, and standing up for the most vulnerable among us. That explains why it's been reported that approximately 70 percent of Jews, some of whom don't participate in other Jewish rituals, will be part of a seder.

## This Past Month—

Sisterhood's annual Shalach Manot campaign was a resounding success this year. One hundred and thirty four EBJC households participated in this all-important fundraising project. Thank you to all the congregants who ordered Shalach Manot. You not only fulfilled a mitzvah of the Purim holiday, but you supported Sisterhood in its mission of contributing to the financial health of EBJC. And, as last year, we enjoyed partnering with Men's Club to deliver the "yellow candles" included in the Shalach Manot packages. We also sincerely thank the volunteers who delivered the bags to everyone's door.

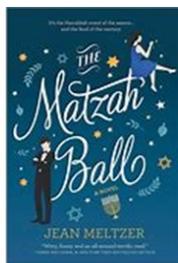
The congregation was treated to a unique and spectacular program on March 17. Sisterhood presented a special virtual exhibit from the

Jewish Museum of Florida: "Hello Gorgeous," a celebration of the life and work of iconic singer, actress, director, and producer Barbra Streisand. The Zoom tour walked us through a dazzling display of the costumes, photos, videos, and record album covers that have made Streisand a legend. Thank you to Ken Streisand for his participation.

On March 23, we concluded our 3-part Winter Education miniseries with the last session— "Ask the Rabbi." In his infinite spirit of adventure, Rabbi Pivo decided to allow a freewheeling format, or as he called it, "Stump the Rabbi." He answered numerous questions without any preparation, a testament to his keen knowledge, wisdom, and insights.

## On the Horizon—

The next Sisterhood Book Club is scheduled for Thursday, May 26. We have chosen a lighthearted fiction book that was highly recognized by the Jewish Book Council, Hadassh Magazine, and Amazon.



*The Matzah Ball* by debut writer Jean Meltzer is described as a Jewish romance novel, "A luminous celebration of all types of love." If you're a fan of movies on the Hallmark Channel, you'll surely love this one. Come join the fun!

Our always highly anticipated Sisterhood Shabbat is scheduled for Saturday, May 7. We encourage everyone to participate by accepting

a part—either English or Hebrew—in the service. We especially hope that our new members will get involved by including themselves in this important event. Your participation will reap benefits for both you and the congregation. Contact Ritual VP Gloria Jaslow at [glorichi@aol.com](mailto:glorichi@aol.com) for more details.

Those who are not familiar with Women's League's Torah Fund campaign—take note: It is one of the most worthy causes for those who wish to protect the long-term continuity of Conservative Judaism. It is an investment in our future! Torah Fund supports the education of the leaders in our community—Rabbis, Cantors, Teachers, Administrators, Social Workers—the very fabric of Jewish life. The current B'YACHAD campaign is underway, and we are already at more than 80 percent of our goal! Your meaningful donation can take us all the way.

If you did not purchase a pin last year, please consider doing so now with a donation of \$180. If you already have last year's pin, you can purchase one as a gift OR you can choose from an inventory of beautiful prior pins instead. Please contact Anne Kroll at [selectivemedia@comcast.net](mailto:selectivemedia@comcast.net).

**SAVE THE DATE:** Please see the flyer in this issue and plan on joining us! Your presence will enhance the occasion for us all!

We are proud to announce our Spring Torah Fund event—join us for this annual celebration of our dedication to the Conservative Movement of Judaism. We are planning for an in-person festive brunch on Sunday, June 12. Our keynote speaker is Cantor Mira Davis, a Jewish Theological Seminary

graduate who is currently serving as Cantorial Fellow at Park Avenue Synagogue in NYC. Who will be named our 2022 Torah Fund honoree? Stay tuned for the upcoming details.

**PURCHASING SCRIP IS AN EASY WAY TO SUPPORT SISTERHOOD!** We currently have gift cards on hand to Shoprite, Acme and Lox, Stock and Deli. We extend our sincere thanks to those

congregants who regularly purchase these gift cards. Contact Cheryl Decker at 732-257-7070.

"I can't understand why anyone would NOT buy scrip. It doesn't cost you any extra at the store, but helps Sisterhood raise funds. I've been purchasing scrip for as long as I can remember. It's so easy to do and helps so many in so many ways!"  
—Barbara Pollak

May the uplifting message of Pesach inspire you throughout the year. Wishing all our beloved members and fellow congregants the most joyous of holidays.

Chag Sameach,  
Cindi Jacobs/Sara Ullman  
Sisterhood Co-Presidents



**Save The Date**

## EBJC Sisterhood's Torah Fund Champagne Brunch

SUNDAY JUNE 12, 2022  
11:00AM

EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER

Please save the date for Sisterhood's Annual Torah Fund Event when we continue to raise critical funds for JTS.

Featuring our guest speaker "Memories and Music"

*JTS Graduate Mira Davis*

Cantorial fellow at Park Avenue Synagogue



Cantor Mira Davis

We will also honor a sisterhood member for her tireless hours of volunteer work (our unsung hero)

*To Be Announced.*

The theme for this year's campaign is **B'Yachad Together.**

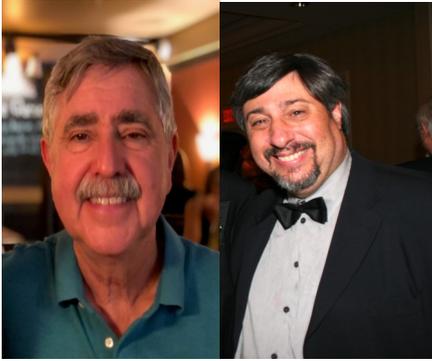
Our 2021-2022 Torah Fund B'Yachad Campaign supports scholarships and programming at The Jewish Theological Seminary in New York, Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles, Schechter Institutes of Jewish Studies in Jerusalem, Seminario Rabinico Latinoamericano in Buenos Aires, and Zacharias Frankel College in Potsdam. Help strengthen Jewish education and ensure the vibrancy of the Jewish people for decades to come, together with your gift to Torah Fund, B'Yachad.



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# MEN'S CLUB



Shalom!

As I write this, the war in Ukraine is unfolding, and a humanitarian crisis involving millions of refugees is developing. As we celebrate Passover and our transformation from slavery to freedom, we pray for the safety and freedom of people everywhere.

As Men's Club's mission is to promote the involvement of Jewish men in Jewish life, we often focus on our congregation. It is often the case that we raise money and either donate it to EBJC directly, or use it for needed projects, like the streaming system we helped purchase last year. More than 95% of Men's Club funds is spent directly or indirectly for the benefit of EBJC or its congregants. But every so often we direct money externally to support efforts we feel are consistent with our mission and our values. This month we donated \$360 to Federation to address the suffering of Jews in Ukraine, and \$180 to Jewish Family Services so that those less fortunate in Middlesex County can celebrate Passover. I think we can all agree that these causes are aligned with Men's Club mission.

While on the theme of Passover, in March we hosted a program on "How to Spice up your Seder," that was provided by our national Men's Club organization, FJMC. I personally found it inspiring and got ideas that I put to good use. If you want to see a recording of the program, please let me know.

Along with the Mishloach Manot gift bags that you received before Purim from Sisterhood, Men's Club distributed Yellow Candles to commemorate Yom HaShoah, which this year falls on April 27/28. Please save the candle and light it on April 27 to mark this tragic event in our history. Given the antisemitism that unfortunately continues to exist in our world, last year we donated the bulk of the funds we collected to commemorate Yom HaShoah to the Holocaust Education Support Fund at Rutgers. We plan to do that again this year.

On April 2 we hosted Men's Club Shabbat, where members of our club led the various parts of the service. Our thanks to all those who participated, and to Ken Gerson who put in countless hours coordinating the service. And while Men's Club sponsored the kiddish, our thanks go to Liz Salston who made it actually happen.

In May we have several events planned. On May 1 we are hosting, in partnership with Beth Or's Men's Club, a program on Israeli Music. Josh and Mairon Shron, who do a weekly Rutgers radio hour of Israeli music will be playing tunes and discussing them from a number of perspectives, including:

- ◇ Who are the most popular singers and musical styles in Israel today?
- ◇ How does music bring Israelis together in times of joy and in times of tragedy?
- ◇ How does music deal with Israel's political problems?
- ◇ How is Israel's Jewish culture intertwined with secular Israeli music?
- ◇ What impact has reality TV had on the Israeli music scene?
- ◇ How has Israeli music dealt with the Coronavirus pandemic?

This will be a hybrid program, both in the ball room and broadcast over Zoom. So there is no excuse - please plan to join us! Our thanks go to Dov Pollak who had the inspiration for this memorable event.



Other programs on our busy calendar:

- Ron Berger has worked with NJ Blood Services to reschedule our blood drive, which was postponed during the Covid spike, to May 15.
- Also that day, we are planning to host a breakfast for our Unsung Heroes, who have been waiting patiently to be honored.
- And, after our well-attended hike in the Fall, we are looking forward to another hike in a local park this Spring on June 26.

More details on all of these events will be made available on Tidbits and via email.

We are always open to new ideas for programs that would be compelling to people at EBJC, which will engage us in Jewish life, and which build relationships with each other. Please feel free to let us know your suggestions, and please plan to join us at our events.

Thank you for your interest in Men's Club and thanks for being part of the EBJC community!

Steve Harkavy  
Howard Jacobs  
Co-Presidents, EBJC Men's Club



# CENTER FOR EARLY LEARNING



## We had the BEST time celebrating PURIM!

**We played carnival games**



**We dressed in costumes!**



**We had a parade around the building**



**Morah Lynda and Morah Abbie put on a puppet show**



**We made our own hamantaschen!**



# KESHER AND YOUTH GROUPS



*Hello Keshet Families and Youth,*

*It is hard to believe that we are already in the month of April. This year is flying by. We have some exciting and interesting events coming up. First, normal Keshet classes will be held on Sunday, April 3rd. On Wednesday, April 6th, there are regular Keshet classes followed by Youth Night for Chaverim, Kadima, and USY.*

*On Friday, April 8th, we will have a Shabbatsters young children's service at 6:30pm and a Shabbat B'yachad family service at 7:15pm.*

*On Sunday, April 10th, we have a special session of Keshet with Passover Prep.*

*There are no Keshet classes on Wednesday, April 13th, Sunday, April 17th, and Wednesday April 20th in honor of the Passover holiday.*

*Classes resume on Sunday, April 24th. That afternoon, USY will hold an event and also have an election meeting.*

*On Wednesday, April 27th, we will have Keshet classes, and for our older classes, a special discussion about Yom Hashoah.*

*Looking ahead into May, we will have Keshet classes on Sunday, May 1st, Wednesday, May 4th, Wednesday, May 11th, Sunday, May 15th, Wednesday, May 18th, and our final day will be on Sunday, May 22nd. Please mark your calendars that the EBJC Annual Gala will be a brunch on Sunday, May 22nd at 11am.*

*On Friday, May 6th, we will have a Shabbatsters young children's service at 6:30pm and a Shabbat B'yachad family service at 7:15pm.*

*Always keep an eye out for emails with more dates and information.*

*Registration for next year will be coming out soon, so please check your emails, so that you can register early for Keshet and our Youth Groups.*

*~Cantor Larry*

# ADULT EDUCATION & ACTIVITIES

EBJC offers a full range of adult courses designed for all interests and at various days and times. If you want to learn something that is not currently offered, let us know!

## AVAILABLE CLASSES

### **PARSHAT HASHAVUAH CLASS (ZOOM)**

Fridays | 11 a.m.

Join us for Rabbi Pivo's Friday morning class at 11 a.m. where we study the weekly parshah prior to Shabbat. Reflecting on the Chumash and ancient and modern commentaries, we discuss the roots of our ancient culture and the timeless values of the Jewish people.

### **GENESIS SCIENCE CLASS (STREAMING)**

Mondays | 8:30 p.m. in the library This class combines a rigorous textual analysis of the biblical verses with knowledge from external sources including history, science, linguistics and archeology. We meet every Monday evening at 8:30 pm for about one hour in the library at EBJC. After more than 12 years, having started from the beginning of Genesis, we are currently in the middle of Deuteronomy. The plan is to proceed in order through the other books of the Hebrew Bible.

### **TALMUD CLASS (STREAMING)**

Wednesdays | 8:30 p.m. in the library This class brings to life the voices, discussions and debates of our sages as they formulated Jewish Law based on the traditions and foundational texts received from ancient times. We meet every Wednesday evening at 8:30 pm for about one hour in the EBJC library. Currently we are studying tractate Kiddushin which concerns the laws of marriage.

### **COFFEE WITH RABBI PIVO (ZOOM)**

Mondays | 11 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Join Rabbi for a freewheeling discussion of whatever is on your mind. What's doing with you, how are you holding up, etc. plus any Jewish questions that might come up

### **LUNCH AND LEARN (ZOOM)**

Wednesdays | 12 p.m.

Join Rabbi Pivo weekly for these sessions that are always engaging and well attended.

### **MONROE LUNCH AND LEARN**

Thursdays | 12 p.m.

Once a month we meet with Rabbi Pivo in the homes of various congregants. These sessions have been very interesting and well attended. Please call Howard Jacobs at 732-402-2273 or at [howard\\_jacobs@ebjc.net](mailto:howard_jacobs@ebjc.net) for details on upcoming dates, to get on our Monroe mailing list, with questions and to reserve your spot.

### **ISRAELI DANCE**

Beginners:

Mondays | 7 p.m.

Intermediate/Advanced:

Mondays | 8 p.m.

Come and stay for as long as you can!  
\$12.00 per session fee.

### **JAZZERCIZE**

Mondays & Wednesdays | 5:45 - 6:45 p.m.

\$20 single class

\$160 for 10 classes

\$65/month for unlimited live and livestream classes each month (best value and most popular)

### **HAZAK**

Thursday, April 7. Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. Professor Heumann, Law Professor at Rutgers University discusses our Criminal Justice System - "Whose Guess is as good as Whose Guess" a look inside our criminal justice system. GOOD NEWS! We have engaged a new caterer to provide our lunches. Come and see the changes we've made! Registration is required.



***SHTAR HARSH'AH – Delegation of Power of Attorney for Sale of Chametz***

*Note: If possible, all chametz – food not acceptable during Pesach (Passover), or materials containing such unacceptable food –should be destroyed or given away before the holiday begins. Should this be impossible, the chametz may be stored in such a way that we are sure not to use it during the holiday and its actual ownership is transferred to a non-Jew until the holiday ends.*

***Please complete the form below and return it to the EBJC office - via scan (email), regular mail, or you can drop off in the Shul mailbox in the parking lot. no later than 9:00 AM on Tuesday, April 12, 2022.***

KNOW ALL PEOPLE BY THESE PRESENTS: That I, the undersigned do hereby make and appoint Rabbi Jeff Pivo my true and lawful representative to act in my place and stead, for me and in my name and in my behalf, to sell all *chametz* owned and possessed by me, knowingly or unknowingly, as stated in the Torah and defined by the sages of Israel (e.g., *chametz*; *hashash chametz* –suspect *chametz*; and all kinds of *ta'arovet chametz* – *chametz* mixtures); also, *chametz* that tends to harden and to adhere to the surface of pans, pots, or other cooking or eating utensils, of whatsoever nature, and to lease all places wherein the aforementioned *chametz* owned or possessed by me may be found, especially in the premises located at (your address)

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Rabbi Jeff Pivo has the full authority and power to sell said *chametz* and to lease said place or places where in said *chametz* may be found, upon terms and conditions as discretion dictates. Rabbi Jeff Pivo has the full power and authority to assign or appoint a substitute or substitutes to act in my behalf with all the same powers and authority that I have invested in the rabbi, and I do hereby ratify and confirm all that Rabbi Jeff Pivo or a rabbinic substitute lawfully does or causes to be done by virtue of these presents.

And to this I hereby affix my signature on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year 2022.

Printed Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature:

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## A Virtual Jewish Walking Tour of Venice

The ancient Jewish ghetto in Venice is in the Cannaregio district, one of the most authentic Venetian areas in the city, and yet quite unknown to tourists. In a multicultural and multiethnic city, as Venice was, in an area far away from the centre of power, the Jewish ghetto was born in 1516. We will try to understand what distinguished this area from all other Jewish quarters in Europe at that time as well as learn the history of the Venetian Jewish community till nowadays.

**Sunday, April 3, 2022 @ 12pm EST**



Luisella Romeo lives and works in Venice, where her family has lived since the mid 1700's. She has been a registered tourist guide since 2000. She finds the history as well as the present time of her city very fascinating and loves narrating stories of Venice with some sense of humor too! After graduating in North American Literature and Language, she received a scholarship from UC Berkeley and travel grants from the Fulbright program to continue her studies there. While there, the first man she met became her (Italian) husband! She loves traveling, but in the end, always wanted to come back to Venice and is very happy to be able to show Venice to visitors.

### Program Co-Sponsors:

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This program is free and all are welcome to attend.

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Registration is required to attend.

Register at:  
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# Yom HaShoah

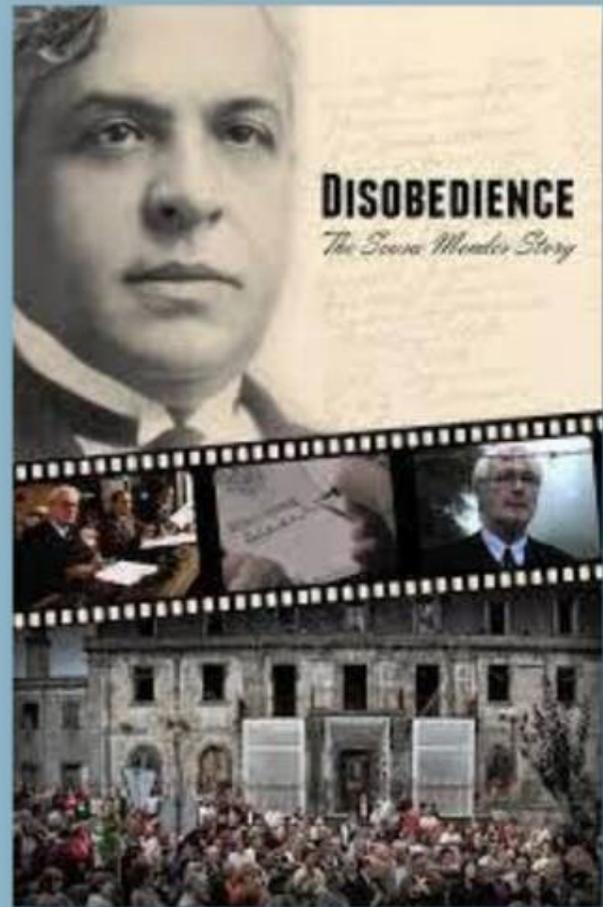
Righteous Christian, Aristides De Sousa Mendes, was a Portuguese diplomat working in France issuing visas during the war. He was told by Portugal officials that he was not to issue visas to refugees, but he ignored that when he saw the plight of the French people trying to get away from Hitler. He issued 30,000 visas of which 10,000 were for Jews.

When this was discovered, he was stripped of his title, his job and his home (he had 15 children). A foundation now exists. It took many years and the work of his survivors and his children to bring this to light. A movie, Disobedience, was made about him.

On Erev Yom HaShoah, April 27th, we will virtually meet a descendant of one of those he saved and one of his own descendants, at 8:30 p.m.

In the week leading up to this program, we will be able to view the movie Disobedience.

The program will speak to what Aristides did, what led up to his being stripped of his position, and his history and life. There will be some discussion relating to the movie, but this program is more geared towards Aristides and not a movie discussion. There will be ample time for questions and answers. We all have heard of Wallenberg and Schindler. Here is an opportunity to educate ourselves on a Righteous Christian who has only in recent years, been recognized.



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 2022 AT 8:30PM



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This program is co-sponsored by participating members of a consortium of Jewish organizations, nationwide.

This program is free and all are welcome to attend. Donations to EBJC are greatly appreciated and help us continue offering special programs like this one.

Registration is required to attend.

During the week of April 18, registrants will be sent a link to watch Disobedience at your convenience.

Then join us on Wednesday, April 27 at 8:30pm for our Yom HaShoah program and discussion.

Register at:

[EBJC.org/YomHaShoah](http://EBJC.org/YomHaShoah)

*East Brunswick Jewish Center*  
*Spring Gala*  
**SAVE THE DATE**

*May 22, 2022*  
*Sunday Brunch*  
*11:30am - 1:30pm*  
*Kroll Ballroom*



**Gala Co-Chairs Liz Salston & Taryn Webber**

**2022 EBJC Gala**

**Did you know that Lag Ba Omer is just around the corner?** (more about that later!)

This year's EBJC Gala will be a festive, Dairy Brunch, indoor picnic on Sunday, May 22, 2022. We are happy to announce that this year we will celebrate in the synagogue and look forward to everyone coming together in person. It has been too long!

The upcoming holiday of Lag Ba Omer is a holiday celebrated on the 33<sup>rd</sup> day of the seven weeks between Passover and Shavuot. Rabbi Pivo noted, that this period of counting the omer, represented our journey from Egypt to Mount Sinai: from despair to freedom. Lag Ba Omer also commemorates the lives of two heroes: Rabbi Akiva and Rabbi Shimon Bar Yochai. Ben Yochai was a follower of Rabbi Akiva who kept the study of Torah alive during the years of the Roman occupation in the 2<sup>nd</sup> century BCE. Rabbi Akiva, considered one of the great rabbinic sages and influencer of Judaism, was ultimately executed by the Romans and became a martyr because he ignored the Roman decree against Jewish study. Even when his life was at stake, he remained committed to his Jewish beliefs and practices.

Today, as Lag Ba Omer is celebrated with parades, barbecues and picnics, we have chosen to honor one of our very own EBJC heroines: Deena Oren. As a past President and long-time supporter of all things EBJC, she is a truly deserving recipient. As such, we have scheduled the Gala to tie into the festivities and joy of Lag Ba Omer that occurs earlier in the week, on May 18<sup>th</sup>.

As the Gala is our major fundraiser of the year, we will offer various opportunities for one to support our shul, this will include a virtual Ad Journal, Silent Auction and a 50/50 Raffle. In keeping with our commitment to Tikkun Olam, we are also asking that attendees bring packages of disposable diapers that will be sent to Ukraine to help with the crisis underway there.

Stay tuned for further details, invitations will be forthcoming soon!

We hope you will join us on this special occasion and as we celebrate and honor Deena!

Liz Salston and Taryn Webber, 2022 Gala Co-Chairs

# American Judaism: Past, Present and Future

## A Three-Part Series

To receive your Zoom link register at: [EBJC.org/American-Judaism](https://EBJC.org/American-Judaism)

**Thursday, March 3 @ 8:30 PM ET**

**Jonathan Sarna, Brandeis University,**

**“An Old faith in the New World: The History of American Judaism”**

A lively presentation on American Judaism from 1654 to the present by the acclaimed scholar who wrote the bestselling book on the subject, *American Judaism: A History*. Beginning in the colonial era, Sarna recounts the dynamic story of people struggling to be Americans and Jews. He shows how each generation of American Jews has had to wrestle anew with the question of whether its own children and grandchildren will remain Jewish. Bringing the story down to the present, he illustrates how the past can both inform and inspire.



**Thursday, March 31 @ 8:30 PM ET**

**Lila Corwin Berman, Temple University,**

**“American Jews & White Supremacy: The Present Dilemmas of an Unstable History”**

Over the last five years, Americans have reckoned anew with the history of this country's racism and what that history requires from the present. In this talk, Professor Lila Corwin Berman asks how American Jews fit—or do not fit—in these often painful and polarizing conversations. She argues that older debates about whether Jews were “white,” should be supplanted by newer efforts to ask how whiteness organizes power and when and how Jews have been included in or excluded from that racialized system of American power.



**Sunday, May 22 @ 1:00 PM ET**

**Samuel Heilman, Emeritus**

**CUNY Graduate Center, Queens College,**

**“The American Jewish Present and What it Indicates About the Future: A Sociologist's View”**

Professor Heilman will offer a perspective on American Jewry, its numbers, its politics, its family dynamics, its religiosity, and its attachments (or lack thereof) to Israel and speculate about where each of these is likely to go in the years ahead.



Participating Organizations: B'nai Shalom, West Orange NJ; Columbia Jewish Congregation, Columbia MD; Congregation Best Israel, West Hartford, CT; East Brunswick Jewish Center, East Brunswick, NJ; Emanuel Synagogue, West Hartford, CT; Ezra-Habonim - The Niles Township Jewish Congregation, Skokie, IL; Highland Park Conservative Temple - Congregation Anshe Emeth, Highland Park, NJ; JCC of Paramus - Congregation Beth Tikvah, Paramus, NJ; Temple Israel, Albany, NY



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Joel & Fran Shafer in memory of Sally Alter

Gary & June Miller in memory of Sally Alter

Joe & Helaine Goldman in honor of Michael Sleppin's 90th birthday

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## Youth Programs

Linda Halperin in memory of Sally Alter



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