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SHABBAT SERVICES

Shoftim

September 6 | 6:00 September 7 | 9:30 am & 7:00 pm

Ki Teitzei

September 13 6:00 pm September 14 | 9:30 am & 6:50 pm

Ki Tavo

September 20 | 6:00 pm September 21 | 9:30 am & 6:35 pm

Nitzavim

September 27 6:00 pm September 28 | 9:30 am & 6:25 pm

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IMPORTANT DATES

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

EBJC Open House Block Party & BBQ

HIGH HOLIDAY DATES:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 & TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Rosh Hashanah

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

Yom Kippur

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14 & TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Sukkot

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21

Shemini Atzeret

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Simchat Torah

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

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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 Ryder's Lane.

FOR THE UPCOMING MONTH:

TROUBLE PAYING DUES

If you are having trouble paying dues, please reach out to Marilyn Friedes at marilynfriedes@mac.com. We are committed to helping our families remain a part of the EBJC community when the need arises.

BILLING STATEMENTS

For those of you that requested, we have instructed Kesef to make your dues quarterly or monthly. We will continue to send statements quarterly. The next quarter will be due on October 1st.

HIGH HOLIDAY VOLUNTEERS

The smooth running of the High Holidays requires many volunteers and the entire staff. If you would like to help, in any way, please call the office 732-257-7070. We sure could use the help!!

THE CONGREGATION EXTENDS

CONDOLENCES TO:

Donna Kalt, on the passing of her mother, Barbara Rose

MAZEL TOV TO:

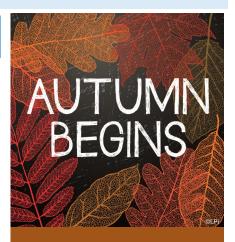
Rita Sason, on the birth of a grandson, Uziel Yakov (Philip Jason), to Rebecca and Zachary Cohane

Rita Sason, on the birth of a granddaughter, Aliza, to Deborah and Brandon Stern

Ira and Elise Merkel, on the engagement of their son, Jeremy, to Michelle Edelman

Sara and Scott Alter, on the birth of a grandson, to Aliza and Eric

Sherryl and Mickey Kaufman on the birth of a granddaughter, Dylan Jacqueline Fahey, to Mandy and Nick Fahey



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Board of Directors 9/16

Executive Board 9/9

Genesis Science 9/2, 9, 16, 23

Hebrew Class 9/5, 12, 19, 26

Israeli Dance 9/2, 9, 16, 23

Mah Jongg 9/2, 9, 16, 23

Talmud Class 9/4, 11, 18, 25

Youth Commission 9/18

Lunch and Learn will Resume in October

Sisterhood Paid Up Dinner 9/11

To the EBJC Community:

I want to thank the entire EBJC Community for your sympathies and kind wishes on the recent loss of my mother. It is truly comforting to know that the EBJC Community which our family has belonged to for nearly 30 years is there for us during these difficult times. I very much appreciate the unconditional support this Community provided to our family. I want to especially thank the Mitzvah Corps for conducting services during Shiva and Rabbi Pivo for his words of comfort and guidance during this time. I will forever be grateful to the EBJC Community for being there for myself and my entire family.

David Himelman

Dear Friends:

On behalf of myself and my family, I would like to thank the congregation for the warmth and compassion extended to us upon the death of my mother. It is at times like this that one appreciates being part of a synagogue family.

Karen Blivaiss

THANK YOU EBJC

To our EBJC family, we wanted to express our gratitude for the outpouring of support our family has received. There was so much generosity from this community. We want to thank as many of you as possible. If we missed someone, know that we do appreciate everyone's kindness. Thank you for the Passover dinners, donations made to EBJC, Rogers Memorial Hospital, New Beginnings Animal Rescue, and JNF Trees. Stephanie has her own orchard, with all the trees that were planted.

-The Harkavy Family

The EBJC Baseball Teams A & C

Philip & Susan Ben-Zvi

Sheila & Joe Behrman

Jeff & Sarah Blivaiss

Robert & Ellen Botwin

Phil & Jodi Bramson

Cantor Larry & Dr. Laura

Brandspiegel

Ron Bransdorfer

Barbara Butchen

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Jordan & Stacy Feldman

Alan & Marjorie Ferrer

Arthur & Jane Fliegelman

Mark & Leslie Foladare

Joel and Madeline Frances

Anita & Elliot Freidenreich

Debbie & Mark Gallanter

Marty & Marla Genee

Ken & Helene Gerson

Jonathon & Rhonda Gold

Joel & Frances Greengarten

Inge Gross

Sylvia Halpern

Cindi & Howard Jacobs

Gloria & Barry Jaslow

Margot & David Julis

Anne & Matt Kaufman

Karen & Dov Kohler

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Jodi & Larry Kroll

Anne & Adrian Kroll

Bob & Lynn Levine

The Leviss Family

Jan & Gerry Lewis

Sharlene & David Libowsky

Robert & Sharon Lipson

Steve & Gail Lustbader

The Lustig Family

Diana Mandel

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Janice & Jerry Saferstein

Judi & Michael Salant

Bob & Liz Salston

Jodi & Elliot Schaktman

Joel & Fran Shafer

Mindy & Joe Shapiro

Lloyd & Mindi Shepetin

Martin & Sue Silver

Jerry & Elaine Silver

Jack & Terri Silverman

EBJC Sisterhood

Howard & Gladys Sommers

Bruce & Shirley Sommers

The Teicher family

Sara & Steve Ullman

Lori & Arnold Wallis

Susan & Rich Warren

Taryn & Seth Webber

Joanie & Jerry Weinfeld

Joan & Steve Weintraub

Daniel & Avlah Winter

Steven & Florence Winter

Morris & Marsha Zimerman

EVENT SPOTLIGHT

COMING UP IN SEPTEMBER

SAVE THE DATE

EBJC BLOCK PARTY

September 8 | 11:00 a.m. Family friendly, games, music, events, BBQ, and refreshments for all. No charge for this event!

EBJC SISTERHOOD ANNUAL PAID UP MEMBERSHIP EVENT

September 11 | 6:15 p.m.

Kroll Ballroom

Delicious Italian Cuisine, Thought-Provoking Program, Tricky Tray and 50/50.

\$10 covers it all (after annual dues). Sisterhood Dues did NOT increase.

It's still \$36.00 for the year! All checks should be made payable to "EBJC Sisterhood"

RESERVATIONS MUST BE IN BY TUESDAY, SEPT. 3RD

(\$20.00 FOR WALK-INS! It really is worth it to RSVP and pay on time!)

Questions? Contact Cindy Rabinowitz-Membership VP

908-307-5768 or cindy.rabinowitz@comcast.net

HEALING SERVICE

September 18 | 1:00 p.m.
Please join Chaplain Laurie
Dinerstein-Kurs and Cantor Larry I.
Brandspiegel for a special service
of Healing.

Bus

BUS TRIP TO MUSEUM OF JEWISH HERITAGE

September 22
Departs 9:30 a.m.
Registration has closed.

(Subject to Change)

NOVEMBER 19, 2019 VETERANS SHABBAT

FEBRUARY 22, 2020 EBJC GALA

MARCH 14, 2020 EBJC BROADWAY SHOWCASE

APRIL 9, 2020
PASSOVER COMMUNITY SEDER

APRIL 18, 2020 VOLUNTEER SHABBAT

JUNE 6, 2020 GRANDPARENTS SHABBAT

COMMUNITY EVENTS

PEACE OF MIND HIGHLAND PARK/EDISON PROUDLY PRESENTS THE DIVE

September 8 | 7:30 PM
Highland Park Conservative Temple
The Dive, written and directed
by former Peace of Mind
participant Yona Rozenkier, tells
the story of three brothers who
reunite for one weekend to bury
their father in their native
kibbutz on the border with
Lebanon. As war rages all
around them, the two older
brother begin to train the
youngest for his first war in the
same way their father trained

them, but after a tragic turn of events, the journey spins out of control.

Raffle baskets and desert reception following film.

RSVP: Debbie Teitz dteitz@optonline.net or (732) 476-4677

For more information: Rosanne Koenigson rkoenigson@gmail.com

JUDAISM: WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT? JOURNEY AROUND THE JEWISH WORLD IN JUST

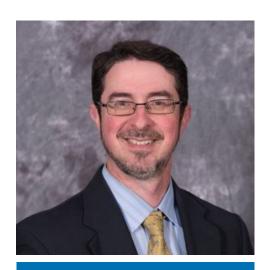
24 WEEKS

See <u>IntroJudaismNj.com</u> for registration info

Always wondered about your religion? Thinking about being part of a Jewish family? Or just curious? Then this class is for you.

A project of the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism and the Rabbinical Assembly, NJ Region

RABBINIC REFLECTIONS



It is time to begin again. Each fall Jews around the world engage in chesbon nefesh, an accounting of the soul, as we begin a new year. During the Yamim Nora'im, the Days of Awe, we turn back to the year just ended to review and reconsider what we have done and who we were, in order that in this new year we can live healthier lives spiritually and interpersonally. Recalling last year, we hope to have a good new year. By thinking back we look ahead.

Looking back over the past year at EBJC, we have reasons to be proud. We have now successfully run both a Traditional and an Egalitarian service every Shabbat morning for a year. Through good planning, as well as trial and error, we have found that having two styles of davvening has enabled us to maintain the customs of our Traditional minyan while simultaneously expanding our religious offerings. We also found that we enjoy coming together to hear words of Torah from me and to hear Cantor Larry lead the musaf service, with both minyans coming together in the sanctuary to conclude services together. These are significant changes for EBJC, and they benefit us by broadening our appeal to current and future members, connecting us more deeply with other

Conservative synagogues, and engaging our members in learning skills to lead services and read Torah.

This year we will adopt the same model for the fall holidays. On both mornings of Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur morning we will have simultaneous services in two spaces, then come together for sermons, appeals and Yizkor on Yom Kippur. This is a new model of how to pray on these sacred days, and along with that model continue to use the new mahzor that we first tried last year. supplemented with additional material that our members wanted included. After the holidays we welcome your feedback to measure how well this mahzor is meeting our needs.

In addition to innovations in religious services, last year saw a significant increase in opportunities for adult learning at EBJC. This year, that trend will accelerate, as we continue our classes from last year and add even more. My ultimate objective is to feature at least one class every day of the week, some in the evening and some in the afternoon, so that every facet of our tradition becomes available to our members and the community at large: serious text study, practical Jewish skills workshops, Jewish dance, Jewish cooking, Torah and haftarah chanting, current events, and discussion of the Jewish world. No matter your Jewish orientation, our goal must be to meet Jewish educational and social needs in Fast Brunswick.

Like any successful business, a synagogue must have good staff, provide good services to its members, and have a physical space that enhances our experiences. Over the past year a number of facilities improvements have also been made, and our Board, staff, and volunteers have many wonderful plans to continue the physical transformation of our building and campus to make the best use of what we have and to beautify our space. We want our members to derive pleasure and uplift not only from what goes on in the building, but also from a well functioning and beautiful building itself.

Finally, looking back over the last year in order to look ahead, I reiterate one of my messages from last year's September Recorder article. Not everything at EBJC will appeal to every one of us. In order for us to maximize participation of current members, and to position ourselves as the center of Jewish life in East Brunswick, we must offer a broad variety of religious, social, and educational programs. But the most important change must be an internal one: We have to cultivate an environment of civility, respect, and kindness toward each other.

Each of us must be able to say "That service/class/event may not be for me, but I'm glad that it's here." When we can truly feel that, we will have truly engaged in teshuvah, in returning to our better selves as we begin another year together.

Shanah tovah tikateivu; may you be inscribed for a good year in the Book of Life.

Rabbi Jeff Pivo

FROM CANTOR LARRY



Jacob Kranz, known as The Maggid of Dubno, lived in Poland about 200 years ago. He was a preacher who went from town to town teaching others through his story telling. He would tell this story before Rosh Hashanah.

A simple farmer from a very small village took a trip for the first time to a nearby town. He stayed at an inn just outside the city. The first night, he was fast asleep when he heard the loud pounding of drums. A bit worried that there could be some danger, he made his way down to the front desk of the inn.

"What is that terrible and loud pounding of drums?" he asked. "That is our town's fire alarm system," said the owner of the inn. "When someone discovers a fire, he or she begins to beat a drum. Others hear the drum and do the same. Since we started our new system, we have not lost one building to fire." "What a wonderful idea," thought the farmer, as he stumbled back to bed and fell fast asleep.

When he returned home, he told everyone about the system of sounding the drums. His friends and fellow villagers liked the idea and decided they too would use it. They ordered a large supply of drums to give out to everyone in the village. Sure enough, the next time a fire broke out, one villager saw it and began to beat the drum. Others awoke and they too beat the drums. Soon everyone was up and there was a tremendous sound from the beating of drums. The villagers waited for the fire to go out, but it didn't. Several homes burned to the around.

The farmer was so angry that the system hadn't worked that he went back to the city to ask the innkeeper what had gone wrong.

"You simple man," said the innkeeper. "Do you really think you can put out a fire just by sounding the alarm? The beating of drums is only to awaken the people. It is the people who must come with buckets of water to put out the fire. The drums alone are worth nothing."

So it is with us, explained the Maggid of Dubno. During Elul, and from Rosh Hashanah to Yom Kippur, we blow the Shofar thus sounding the alarm. However, if we do not then act by doing good deeds and working to make our behavior better, then we will be like the simple villagers who sounded the alarm but forgot to fight the fire.

May our internal alarms sound loud and clear this new year alerting us to make ourselves just a little better this coming year. May the words and the melodies that leave our lips be inspiring to ourselves and all those around us.

On behalf of my wife, Laura, my children, Samantha, Heather, and Jeremy, I wish you and your family a Shana Tova for a happy and healthy 5780 New Year.

Larry I. Brandspiegel
Cantor/ Director of Education

FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



What a summer I've had! I don't know how many of you stop to think about when the planning for the High Holidays starts, but it starts a good two-three months before erev Rosh Hashannah. That usually means we get into gear in July and when the High Holidays are early September...Oy, we're in gear in June. That's when I think I should be working for a church (just kidding). The planning, the logistics, the mailings, the meetings...well, it just makes for a busy summer. I'm hoping that by the time you read this, we will have hired a new Administrative Assistant for the office. I have to thank Cheryl Decker for her dedication and hard work. She's wearing many hats. David Kosher stepped up and without him, I don't think we'd survive. I know that we will soon lose him to a more lucrative job (and hopefully one where there are MUCH younger people) but until that happens, he has proven to be invaluable. Even Stefani Koyler has returned to help in a pinch. It takes a village. In July, I went on our annual cousin's trip to the Hamptons (only the women). This time we stayed in a home (courtesy of Home Away) in Hampton Bays. Our requirements vary...there could be 7 of us. there could be 11. If the California cousins join us, our numbers increase. The sleeping

requirements are the most important...who will share a room, who needs their own room, who will share a king size bed, who will share a room but needs their own bed... it gets complicated. Plus we absolutely must have a pool...with little or no shade (we have some serious sun worshippers). The kitchen must be fairly large. There has to be a comfortable, cozy sitting area to accommodate 7-11 tush's. We have rarely reserved the same house twice. We always find something wrong or something that can be improved upon. Honestly, it's sort of fun...the never ending search for that perfect house. We've actually named the houses that we've stayed in. Let's see... the first house we ever rented in Montauk was given the name "the Chatchkie" house. Why? Because the house was filled with little chatchkie's all over. So much so that we had to remove them from shelves just to put toiletries down in the bathroom. So we didn't go back there. Then there was the "Shady" house. That house actually was quite lovely, but the pool was in complete shade by 2:00 and that just did not work for some of the cousins. So we didn't go back there. The "Musty" house was a huge house on a huge piece of property overlooking a lake. It was lovely, but one of my cousins is highly allergic and within a few hours of being in the house, her asthma kicked in. We had to open the doors and windows, air out all of the cushions and get that "musty" odor out so she could breath. So we didn't go back there. There was the "Sticky" house which sort of explains itself. We didn't go back there. We shall continue our never ending search for the perfect non-chatchkie, nonsticky, non-shady and nonmusty house. I'll keep you posted.

This year we celebrated my cousin's 60th birthday. We planned a surprise evening for her. We went to a "paint and sip" place where we all created masterpieces that I'm sure are residing in either basements or garages. We went out to dinner and then back to the house where we presented her with a song written to the tune of "Green Acres" (we all sang, but I'll spare you the video). We presented her with gifts and cake and stories...and we laughed for hours. I have been told by many that I am blessed to have this. We started out in the Catskills and have been doing this for 23 or so years and enjoy every moment together. Yes, I know I'm blessed.

That's family, right? That's EBJC too. A family. We have generations of members and founding members and members who have been a part of EBJC for 50-55 years. They have prayed together, partied together, laughed together and cried together. That's a family. When I get a call from someone about membership, I tell them this. Although the first question is usually about price, it's the last thing I want to tell them. What value do you put on family and community and belonging? What value do you put on having people, a Rabbi and Cantor who know you and can share in your joy and in your sorrow? What value do you place on these things? Yes, the last thing I tell them is the price and I hope that by the time I get to the price, they'll understand that being a part of a community and a part of EBJC... is priceless.

May you all have a happy and healthy New Year and an easy fast,

Ellen

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FROM OUR PRESIDENTS



When we became Co-Presidents, we decided that two of our major goals would be to secure the financial well-being of EBJC: and to decrease the tension between those who wish to pray in an egalitarian setting and those who wish to continue praving in the traditional manner which has existed at EBJC since its founding. In future articles, we will specifically discuss our plans to maintain financial stability. It is important to realize that these goals are related. For in order to succeed financially, EBJC needs to retain all its members. If EBJC reverted to becoming solely traditional, or conversely, if it became solely egalitarian, we would lose vital numbers in our membership. We, therefore, wish to maintain both minyanim in the manner introduced last year. We now have parallel services each week with the two minyanim alternating between the Sanctuary and Beit Midrash. When members expressed their opinion that we were no longer a community that prayed together, we adapted and have now come together in the Sanctuary each week to daven Musaf together led by Cantor Larry Brandspiegel. As noted in a letter to the congregation, we will apply this model on the High

Holidays this year, joining together for Musaf, Kol Nidre, Mincha and Neilah, in the Sanctuary. We understand that there are still members who are not comfortable with some, or all of these changes.

It is a maxim that when there is a change, some will perceive that change as a loss. We recognize that there is a sense of distress and sometimes anger among some in the congregation. The passion that has been expressed is actually a sign of strength for our community, as it shows that we sincerely care about this Synagogue. We are working on ways to address the concerns of both the egalitarian and traditional worshippers. But we must always keep in mind that our Synagogue has two weekly Shabbat services with a full Torah reading in each service. In addition, most of our services are lay led and we have a morning and evening minyan 365 days a year. Few conservative Synagogues, even ones much larger than ours, can make the same claim. We should be very proud!!

We both feel that our greatest strength is our community. When someone is ill or hospitalized, they are visited by members of our Bikkur Cholim Committee without regard to how they observe. We support both traditional and egalitarian Shiva minyanim in times of loss. Moreover, our community is always there for support. As Bob mentioned at a recent Shabbat service, the outpouring of well wishers and of those that offered help after his wife's recent knee replacement surgery was overwhelming, but was not unique to his family; in fact, it is rather commonplace at EBJC. This Synagogue is a special place, first and foremost, because of the strong bonds between its members: we must never lose sight of this.

As we continue to discuss concerns and issues that, in the past, might have divided us, and as we implement changes that will, hopefully, bring us closer together, let us always make an effort to remember the truly wonderful things that bind us.

Robert Salston, Steve Zeidwerg, Co-Presidents

CENTER FOR EARLY LEARNING



LYNDA PEREL EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR



Preschool Press

We hope you all enjoyed your summer and are ready to hear the sound of children in the halls of EBJC again. Our school is growing! We are happy to announce we have 2 classes this year. With the addition of the new class, we also had to hire a new teacher. I would like to announce Morah Julia Shapiro has joined our staff.

Morah Julia will be teaching our Pre-K class along with Morah Margie. Morah Laura and I will be teaching the 2 & 3 year olds.

Below is a bio from Morah Julia:



Hello my name is Julia Shapiro, and I am excited to be a part of the Center for Early Learning family. Let me tell you a little bit about myself. I have a Masters in French Literature and Linguistics, but my passion is to teach young children. I realized many years ago while working as a substitute teacher that I greatly enjoyed making a difference in the lives of students so I obtained my teacher certificate and never looked back. Besides teaching, I love art, theatre, and working out. However, my greatest passion is my family – my husband Steven and our children, Joshua and Shayna. We all live in Highland Park.

I'm enthusiastic about the new school year and can't wait to meet your children. Together, we will embark on a journey of learning, playing, and building solid friendships in the classroom. Please don't hesitate to contact me at shapirojul@gmail.com

Remember, registration is still open. If you know someone interested in our school please have them contact Lynda Perel at Lperel@ebjc.org or call the office at 732 257 7070. Looking forward to another great year!!!

KESHER AND YOUTH GROUPS







Dear Kesher Families,

It is hard to believe that the summer has gone by and that we are now into another school year. Time really does fly. Over the summer, many dedicated individuals worked hard in creating, building, and enhancing the religious school curriculum. New books, a Bar/Bat Mitzvah Handbook, and new ideas are now in place, and we look forward as our teaching team implements the curriculum, so our children learn and grow Jewishly.

I want to welcome all of our new students and families. I hope that you and your children will find our school to be not only one of the finest supplementary schools in the area, but one of the friendliest and fun. We also welcome new teachers to our team.

You should have received an email with the school calendar or you will in a short time. If you have not received it by September 1st, please let me know.

Please look carefully at the date for Back to School and other dates which include Bar/Bat Mitzvah information sessions for Dalet (4th), Heh (5th), and Vav (6th) classes. Also, note the Rabbi's new class for parents to learn about Jewish rituals, the Shabbat service, and more.

We will also be having a new Junior Congregation for 3rd – 7th grades led by Rabbi Rachel Salston once a month, and Shabbat School and the Shabbat B'yachad Family Service will be another Shabbat each month. We will also be having Shabbat Y'ladim for our younger children through 2nd grade two times per month. Dates are listed on the calendar.

Kesher High School will continue once or twice a month. We have a cool video curriculum we will be using this year. The new fee instituted covers the cost of the dinners we provide for the students for the year.

I am looking forward to my second year here at EBJC. Make your entire family a part of

Dear Families,

Another Kesher and Youth year is beginning. An official calendar of events for the year will be sent out. We have some exciting new programs and curricula for our school, as well as some great new Team members. I am looking forward to another great year.

Below are some upcoming dates and events that I want to highlight.

KESHER/YOUTH CALENDAR UPCOMING DATES

Sunday, September 8, 9-11 a.m. Kesher begins (note time) | EBJC Block Party II a.m.

> Wednesday September 11, 4:15-6:15 p.m. Kesher

Sunday September 15, 9-11:30 a.m. Kesher | USY Car Wash @ 9 a.m. | USY Color War @ 12 p.m.

Wednesday September 18, 4:15-6:15 p.m. Kesher | Chaverim Opening Event @ 6:15-7:15 | USY Opening Event @ 6:15-7:30 | USY 7:30-9

Shabbat September 21, 11:00 a.m.
Junior Congregation (3rd-7th grade) | Shabbat
Y'ladim (Thru 2nd grade)

Sunday September 22, 9-11:30 a.m. Kesher | Back to School for Parents @ 10 a.m.

Wednesday September 25, 4:15-6:15 p.m. Kesher | Kesher High School @ 6:30-8

Shabbat September 28, 10:00 a.m.
Shabbat School | Shabbat B'Yachad (Students and families, grades 3-7) @ 11 a.m. | Shabbat Y'ladim (Thru 2nd grade) @ 11 a.m.

Wednesday September 25, 4:15-6:15 p.m. No Kesher, Erev Rosh Hashanah

For more information or questions, please contact Cantor Larry at cantorlarry@ebjc.org

SISTERHOOD



It's so hard to believe that another New Year is upon us, with all its promise of spiritual, social, and educational growth. Your "Sisters" have been hard at work planning the 2019-2020 agenda, devising a broad spectrum of programming to meet all the needs of our membership.

We are thrilled to announce that Andrea Kostick has joined our Board as Sisterhood Treasurer. Andrea has a long history of exemplary service to our shul, including serving on the Board of Directors as Vice-President and Treasurer, as well as on the Constitution Committee, among other roles. As an accountant, we know Andrea will be a natural in her new position. In addition, our immediate past Treasurer, Yvette Schlussel, will now serve as our new Internal Communications Coordinator, posting important Sisterhood notices to our weekly Tidbits email blast, as well as the Shabbat sheet.

Over the summer, in July, we launched the brand-new Sisterhood Book Club, with a lively discussion of the award-winning memoir, If All The Seas Were Ink by Ilana Kurshan. In the book, Kurshan details her journey of practicing Daf Yomi, the worldwide daily reading of a page of Talmud. Together we explored how this ritual influenced Kurshan's life and how her life impacted her understanding of the lessons of Talmud. By exchanging ideas, we shared our own insights on religion,

parenthood, and the role of ritual practice in our lives. Our next selection is Open Doors by Gloria Goldreich. Goldreich is a popular author who was profiled as part of our Great Jewish Women forum on Shavuot. Open Doors is a novel about a woman who is suddenly widowed and decides to spend time getting to know each of her four adult children on a more personal level. What she discovers about her own offspring AND HERSELF makes for a fascinating read. We hope you will all consider joining us next time—date to be determined but probably sometime in October or early November. Please check the weekly TIDBITS email blast as well as the Shabbat sheet for the announcement of the next meeting date. In the meantime, please think about what books you would like to read as a group—suggestions are most welcome!

At the end of July—Sisterhood took part in the special Artist-in-Residence weekend, featuring Academy-Award winning screenwriter David Rabinowitz, a favorite "native son" of EBJC. David is the son of Cindy and Eric Rabinowitz, who have contributed so much to our synagogue in numerous leadership roles. Cindy reigned as our illustrious Sisterhood president for six years! and continues as the current Membership VP.

David's writing partner and fellow Academy Award-winner, Charlie Wachtel, son of Shirley and Arthur Wachtel, could not make the event. Luckily, Mom Shirley was on hand to describe her family's funny and touching experiences at the Oscars.

The entire weekend was enjoyable and enlightening, as David shared his celebrated insights, talent, and expertise with his hometown congregation. Following a weekend of festive Friday night dinner, movie

screening, and writer's workshop, Sisterhood topped off the event by presenting a wine-and-chocolate reception on Sunday evening (July 28). What a delight to reacquaint with two past EBJC rabbis—Rabbi Benson and Rabbi Finkelstein, along with their families, who were our honored guests. Rabbi Benson and Isabelle are now the proud parents of three darling boys!

On August 22nd Sisterhood hosted its annual Summer BBQ, a fun and relaxing evening of good food and great schmoozing. We always look forward to this event, and it did not disappoint--as always, it was a blast. Who knew some of the secrets revealed in our "Getting to Know You Bingo." We are very grateful to Men's Club for doing their magic at the grills—and a huge thank-you to Cindy Rabinowitz, who is the best event-planner anyone could hope for!

"On Rosh Hashanah, everything we do is imbued with extreme significance. We stand in judgment before the Heavenly Court while each of our actions, words, and thoughts are scrutinized." – Rabbi Moshe Schuchman

Extending heartfelt wishes of good health, peace, and contentment to all our beloved Sisterhood members and fellow congregants, our esteemed clergy, our wonderful staff and faculty, and the entire Jewish community. May we all find comfort and fortitude in prayer and faith as we begin a New Year.

L'shanah Tovah,

Margot Julis magooj1211@comcast.net

Sara Ullman tranquil77@aol.com

SISTERHOOD

ON THE HORIZON

Synagogue-wide Block Party on Sunday, 9/8/19

Annual Sisterhood Paid-up Membership Gala on Wednesday, 9/11/19

Silver Polishing for the High Holidays on Sunday, 9/15/19

Get Acquainted with Sisterhood Brunch on Sunday, 11/3/19

Plus—the return of the Rabbi's Class—2nd year of study

And more synagogue skills workshops to enhance your understanding of and participation in ritual services

DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT THE WEEKLY TIDBITS EMAIL BLAST FOR NOTICE OF ALL UPCOMING EVENTS!

The 5780 (2019-2020) Torah Fund Campaign is underway. The theme of this year's pin is CHESED (Kindness), which is one of the three pillars of Jewish life, according to rabbinic tradition. Display your Chesed by purchasing the pin for \$180, or donate ANY AMOUNT. All contributions support the future Conservative Jewish education of our cherished community educators, administrators, and lay leaders—who are all so vital to the knowledge and practice of our faith. Stay tuned for the date of our annual Torah Fund event!

SISTERHOOD AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

The Sisterhood Judaica Shop, under new management, is your source for beautiful giftware, books, candles, head coverings, children's items and more.

Browse the beautiful collection of gifts, home furnishings and Judaica for all occasions. If you don't see what you are looking for, our Managers will get it for you.

Contact Cindy Rollman 908-812-6713 or Caroline Steinberg 732-735-6641

Gift cards (aka SCRIP) is an easy way to help the Sisterhood raise funds by purchasing gifts for ShopRite, ACME, Lox, Stock & Deli or Giddy's. What could be easier? You are going to spend the money there ANYWAY!!!

Contact Judy Klotzkin 732-390-6140 or scrip@ebjc.net

Bimah Baskets – for any Simcha...A beautiful basket with food items will be placed on the Bimah prior to Shabbat. A card will let your guests know that a donation has been made in honor of the Bar/Bat Mitzvah child. You can also order a Bimah Basket for ANY occasion you'd like!

Contact Lory Pelofsky 732-254-6851 or Sheila Behrman 732-238-1476

JNF Trees – to purchase trees-Contact: Diana Horowitz 732-390-9058

Cards, Tributes & Tree of Life - Contact: Bernice Bellows-732-254-4103; Beth Belzer 732-238-7925

Torah Fund – Contact Jody Bramson – 732-390-5166 jlbrams@aol.com

SISTERHOOD NEEDS YOU!!

EGALITARIAN SHIVA MINYAN—Stand up and be counted—literally! Bereaved families now have the choice to welcome either a Traditional or Egalitarian Shiva minyan into their home to join in the reciting of Kaddish. Being a member of the Egalitarian Shiva minyan is a deeply rewarding opportunity for women to demonstrate their compassion toward fellow congregants. You will leave feeling that you have truly performed a worthy mitzvah and made a difference.

BIMAH SITTING FOR SHABBAT AND HOLIDAYS—Enjoy the services from a different vantage point! A Sisterhood member who started sitting regularly says "I've gained an entirely different perspective of the service and I find it even more spiritual". Volunteer to sit on the Bimah, to represent Sisterhood, during Shabbat or Holiday Services. Contact Gloria Jaslow for more information at 732-247-4869 or glorichi@aol.com

KIDDUSH COMMITTEE IS CALLING YOU!!!—We have an amazing group of volunteers who make the Shabbat Kiddush happen each week, but we still need YOUR HELP to keep the Shabbat Kiddush experience going. We need plattering assistance Friday mornings at 10:15AM in the dairy kitchen. We need shoppers to Costco and ShopRite AND we need your financial support of Kiddush. Without your participation, the old-time Kiddush of cake and wine will be making a return appearance! Call or text Sylvia Halpern at 732-266-3270. Thank you!

MEN'S CLUB



I hope everyone had a safe and wonderful summer. Now that it is September, and I officially begin my return as President of Men's Club, I would like to thank both Arthur Fliegelman and Sheldon Horowitz in their roles of Co-President for their combined efforts and accomplishments during the past two years. But, there is always more to be done, as Men's Club never rests on its laurels.

Now, for those who always ask, "What does Men's Club do?" Well, there's no easy answer. We, of course have our usual. Yellow Candle Program, World Wide Wrap, Men's Club Shabbat, etc.; but, it's the other things that we do that most people don't know about. For example, we have contributed funds towards repairing and updating both the Rabbi's and Cantor's houses. Those nice new entry door mats? Men's Club paid for them with the funds raised from your donations. Chanukah gifts for our youths who are away at College. Yep. Men's Club. Did vou notice that the Holocaust Memorial for the Children is

totally filled with pennies? Yes, the Men's Club Board finally made that happen (Thank you guys for stepping up when asked). I could go on and on, but I think you get the idea. So, in addition to our usual programs, we are the "behind the scenes" guys who get things done. My goal this year is to continue to work with all the arms of the Synagogue, get even more things done, to involve EVERYONE, and encourage a true feeling of community. We have also, along with Sisterhood, planned many joint programs which I hope EVERYONE will participate in. We need each other to be successful.

By this time everyone should have received the flyers and emails for our L'Shana Tova Holiday Greetings Program. This is our major fundraiser of the year with a portion of the proceeds to be donated to a charitable cause in the Jewish Community. Your participation not only wishes your fellow congregants and friends a Happy and Healthy New Year, but also allows you to participate in the mitzvah of tzedakah. What a wonderful and meaningful way to start the New Year.

On Sunday, September 29th, the Men's Club will be changing the prayer books to the High Holiday Machzorim. The Religious Committee and the Men's Club are asking for volunteers to help us that morning. We should rise to the occasion to help our community. So, please come help. Believe it or not, we have a lot of fun doing this, as we all laugh the whole time we're

schlepping the books back and forth. What a wonderful way to bond with your fellow congregants.

Remember, this is OUR community. And this is YOUR Men's Club. Together we can "Do the Right Thing".

On behalf of the Men's Club Board, my wife Margot and our family, we wish you a Happy and Healthy New Year.

David Julis
President
doovey920@gmail.com
(732) 672-7759







Hazak is a program open to all senior citizens 55 and over. Sponsored by EBJC, Federation and Jewish Family Services, we offer interesting and entertaining programming along with a delicious lunch. The suggested donation of \$5.00 for lunch helps to offset the cost of the lunch which often exceeds \$9.00 per person. Hazak is open to people of all faiths, all backgrounds and you need not be a member of EBJC to attend. We do ask that you rsvp to ensure an adequate amount of food (or we will run short). For more information, please contact Ellen Botwin ebotwin@ebjc.org or Liz Salston -Imsalston@comcast.net. Or you can call Ellen at 732-257-7070 x5



CALENDAR FOR 2019-2020

(Dates Subject to Change. Advance Notice Will Be Given)
WE ARE STRIVING TO ACCOMMODATE ALL OF OUR SENIORS. SIX
DATES ARE LUNCHES, TWO DINNERS AND TWO BRUNCHES
Programs will be announced as soon as we complete booking them!

Thursday, September 12 6:00 pm Dinner
Thursday, October 17 12:00 pm Lunch
Monday, November 18 12:00 pm Lunch
Monday, December 16 12:00 pm Lunch
Thursday, January 16 12:00 pm Lunch
Sunday, February 9 10:00 am Brunch
Thursday, March 19 12:00 pm Lunch
Thursday, April 23 12:00 pm Lunch
Thursday, May 21 6:00 pm Dinner
Sunday, June 7 10:00 am Brunch

EBJC SISTERHOOD ANNUAL PAID-UP MEMBERSHIP EVENT

Wednesday, September 11, 2019 6:15PM Kroll Ballroom

Delicious Italian Cuisine - Thought-Provoking Program

Tricky Tray and 50/50

\$10 covers it all (after annual dues) Sisterhood Dues did NOT increase.

It's still \$36.00 for the year! All checks should be made payable to "EBJC Sisterhood"

RESERVATIONS MUST BE IN BY TUESDAY, SEPT. 3RD

(\$20.00 FOR WALK-INS! It really is worth it to RSVP and pay on time!)

Questions? Contact Cindy Rabinowitz-Membership VP

908-307-5768 or cindy.rabinowitz@comcast.net

ADULT EDUCATION

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

SHABBAT MORNING CLASS

Saturdays | 9 a.m.

Join us for Rabbi Pivo's Saturday morning class at 9 am, where we study the weekly parshah prior to Shabbat services. 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

Mondays | 8:30 p.m. in the library

TALMUD CLASS

Wednesdays | 8:30 p.m. in the library

LUNCH AND LEARN

Wednesdays | 12 p.m. | Room 9 NEXT SESSION WILL BE OCTOBER 2

Pediatric and Adolescent Associates of Central New Jersey, L.L.C.

Dr. Robert S. Salston
Dr. Jeffrey P. Herman
Dr. Henry T. Shih
Dr. Maheswari Arumugam
Pamela J. Donner, P.A.

100 Perrine Road Old Bridge, NJ 08857 Tel: (732) 316-0900 www.paacnj.com

MONROE LUNCH AND LEARN

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 for details on upcoming dates, to get on our Monroe mailing list, with questions and to reserve your spot.

HEBREW READING CLASS

Thursdays | 7 p.m.

Focus is on parsha and biblical understanding . A small donation of \$10.00 for four sessions is requested. For additional information about the class, please contact Ora Rotblum at orarotblum@yahoo.com or 732-390-0314.

ISRAELI DANCE

Beginners:

Mondays | 7:30 p.m.

Intermediate/Advanced:

Mondays | 8:00 p.m.

Come and stay for as long as you can! \$10.00 per session fee.

MAH JONG GAMES

Mondays | 7 p.m. | Room 9

Come and join us for friendly Mah Jong games! All levels, including experienced as well as beginners, who will be eagerly taught, are welcome.



EVENT SPOTLIGHT



Our second annual Summer Open House Block Party and BBQ is September 8th. Weather permitting, it will be held outside in the playground, parking lot and alley. There will be games, contests and fun for the entire family!

THERE IS NO CHARGE!

This is open to the entire community. If you have friends or family that is interested in becoming a part of the EBJC family, please invite them. We will be happy to give them a tour of the building, introduce them to the Rabbi and Cantor. How them the preschool or just answer any questions they may have.

BE'ER SHEVA MUNICIPAL CONCERT BAND

The all-volunteer Be'er Sheva Municipal Concert Band is located in southern Israel. Micha David conducts 70 musicians who gather to bring joy through music to communities in the Be'er Sheva area. "Music expresses that which cannot be put into words and about which it is impossible to be silent!"--Victor Hugo

Your help is needed to replace old instruments, buy sheet music, and defray rehearsal-space rent costs.

Please wire donations to:

Israel Discount Bank LTD

Branch #517

Branch name: LEV HAYR BIC (Swift) code: IDBLILITXXX

Account # IBAN (23 digits): IL060115170000142448704 Beneficiary name: Beer Sheva Municipal Concert Band

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq8RcrTHY9Ml9ikPxiHFcPw

Email or call me with any questions/concerns and alternative ways to give, at Jacqueline.Shagam@gmail.com 908-705-5919. Jacqueline—member at EBJC and BSMCB (Clarinet)

Become a Dream Weaver EBJC Sisterhood in partnership with the Neve Shalom Sisterhood Loom Room



Calling all Grandparents and Parents whose Children/Grandchildren will be Bar and Bat Mitzvahed in 2020 and 2021. Don't miss the mini workshop on "Making Your Child or Grandchild's Simcha more meaningful through Weaving Together"!



Have your own "priceless" experience by weaving a tallit, tallit gadol, challah cover, tallit bag, matzoh cover, afikomen bag or even a chuppah! Make an heirloom for yourself, with or for someone special. Give it a try!! YOU can do it!!

For more information and to schedule **your** time on the loom, contact: Margot Julis-EBJC contact – 732-390-1245; magoo1211@comcast.net Cory Schneider phone: 717-574-1807; corstan65@gmail.com or Jennifer Bullock (phone: 732-906-8565; rnibullock@aol.com).

DO YOU HAVE A COLLEGE STUDENT IN YOUR FAMILY?

Attention College Students (and Parents):

Even while you are away at school, your EBJC family is thinking of you. We would love to send you special packages at Chanukah and Purim! Please let us know where you are so we can reach you. There is no charge for this program if you are an undergraduate student. In a post-graduate program, but still want to receive packages? No problem; just enclose a check for \$36 payable to EBJC.

Just fill out the information below and give it to the synagogue office or send the form back. You can also e-mail CantorLarry@ebjc.org with the information!

PARENTS: Please let us know if you can help pack mailings - and your donation is always welcome to help fund our packages!

Name:
Birth Date:
Home Address:
Home Phone:
Home E-mail:
College Name:
College Address:
College E-mail:
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HIGH HOLIDAY INFORMATION

SERVICES

SELICHOT Saturday, September 21st Program at EBJC 9:00 pm Followed by Selichot prayers R

ROSH HASHANAH Sunday, September 29th Mincha/ Ma'ariv . 6:00 pm

Candle Lighting 6:24 pm
Monday, September 30th Shacharit
Ma'ariv at EBJC
Candle Lighting
Tuesday, October 1st Shacharit 8:30 am
Youth Services
Mincha/Study/Ma'ariv 6:30 pm

YOM KIPPUR

Tuesday, October 8th Kol Nidrei/Ma'ariv	.6:00 pm
Candle Lighting	6:10 pm
Wednesday, October 9th Shacharit	. 8:30 am
Youth Services 11:00 am	– 1:00 pm
Yizkor Memorial Prayers Approximately	11:00 am
Mincha	. 5:00 pm
Ne'ilah and Ma'ariv immediately following I	Mincha
Shofar blast ends fast	. 7:20 pm

SUKKOT

Sunday, October 13th Erev Sukkot Mincha/Ma'ariv	n n
Tuesday, October 15th 2nd Day Sukkot Shacharit	1

CHOL HAMOED SUKKOT

Wednesday, Thursday – October 16th and 17	7th
Shacharit	6:30 am
Ma'ariv	8:00 pm
Friday, October 18th Shacharit	6:30 am
Mincha/Ma'ariv	6:00 pm
Candle Lighting	. 5:54 pm
Saturday, October 19th Shacharit	9:30 am
Mincha/Study/Ma'ariv	6:00 pm
Havdalah	7:01 pm



SHEMINI ATZERET

Sunday, October 20th Hoshana Rabba/Erev Shemini Atzeret
Shacharit
Monday, October 21st Shemini Atzeret
Shacharit
Mincha
Quiz 'N' Candy
Simchat Torah/Ma'ariv 7:00 pm
Candle Lighting 6:58 pm
SIMCHAT TORAH Tuesday, October 22nd .
.Shacharit9:30 am with Hakafot, flags, dancing

Mincha/Study/Ma'ariv6:00 pm Havdalah6:57 pm



East Brunswick Jewish Center invites you to a Be Strong, Be Strong, and You Shall Be Strengthened



Everyone goes through some trying times...times of sadness and pain, both physical and emotional. Faith can help us, as well as some words of comfort.

Please join Chaplain Laurie Dinerstein-Kurs and Cantor Larry I. Brandspiegel for a special service of Healing.

Wednesday, September 18, 2019 at 1pm.

If you have any questions, please email Cantor Larry at CantorLarry@EBJC.org

CHALLAH SALE!!

Enjoy delicious challah while supporting The Center For Early Learning

Our challah is freshly baked and delivered weekly from Zadie's Kosher Bakery.

at the same time!



- Buy a plain challah for 20 weeks \$85
- Buy a whole wheat challah for 20 weeks \$90 September 6 - January 31 (No challahs on 11/29, 12/27)

I would like to buy
20 weeks of a plain challah for \$85.00
18 weeks of a whole wheat challah for \$90.00
Name:
Checks payable to EBJC—THANKS FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPOR







Come Join in the FUN!

EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER (EBJC) — ONE DAY MAH JONG TOURNAMENT!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH 2019

\$50.00—TWO 4 ROUND TOURNAMENTS (16 games each)

We will play by Nat'l MJ League Rules. 212-246-3052 for more info.

Join us for some Fall time fun! EBJC in East Brunswick, NJ will host a One Day Tournament on Sunday the 17th of November.

Tournament will be run by Joanne from Four Seasons MJT!

DOOR PRIZES! 8:30 AM—Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 AM—Start of play—4 rounds

12:15 PM—Lunch—Return to Chinese Food!

1:00 PM—Play resumes—4 rounds

4:15 PM—Award Ceremony & Cash Prizes

<u>Registration:</u> Checks payable to EBJC. Send tear-off below with \$50.00 tournament fee to: EBJC, 511 Ryders Lane, East Brunswick, NJ 08816. Deadline is Thursday, November 14th.

For Further information call Ellen at 732-257-7070 or ebotwin@ebjc.org www.ebjc.org

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DONATIONS

GENERAL DONATIONS

Joseph & Sheila Behrman In Honor Of Joe Behrman

Joseph & Sheila Behrman In Memory Of Paul Katz

Robert & Joan Bramson In Memory Of Arnold Pelofsky

Robert & Joan Bramson In Honor Of Roxsenne & Jules Plafker for their grandson Eli Esring graduating from Brandeis University

Fred & Myra Feldman In Honor Of Gloria and Barry Jaslow for the birth of their granddaughter, Mischa Jemma Jaslow

Mark & Leslie Foladare In Memory Of Doris Leska

Martin & Marla Genee In Honor Of Elise and Ira Merkel on the engagement of their son, Jeremy, to Michelle Edelman

Hillary Gensler In Honor Of Stanley Rubin

Harvey & Donna Goldschmidt In Memory Of Doris Leska

Howard & Cindi Jacobs In Memory Of Doris Leska

Howard & Cindi Jacobs In Honor Of Jody and Phil Bramson for the marriage of their daughter Kelsey to John Casey

Howard & Cindi Jacobs In Honor Of Margot and David Julis, on the engagement of their daughter Sarah to Matt Dasaro

Barry & Gloria Jaslow In Honor Of Jody and Phillip Branson on the marriage of their daughter Kelsey to John Casey

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David & Margot Julis In Honor Of Philip & Jody Bramson on the marriage of their daughter Kelsey to John Casey

David & Margot Julis In Memory Of Doris Leska

Michael & Sherryl Kaufman In Honor Of Marsha & Phil Schiffman on the marriage of their daughter Jessica to Andrew Neuman

Michael & Sherryl Kaufman In Honor Of Cindy & Rick Rollman on the graduation of their children Rebecca and Jack

Judy Klotzkin In Memory Of Doris Leska Steven & Leora Meller In

Steven & Leora Meller In Honor Of Elise and Ira Merkel for the engagement of their son Jeremy to Michelle Edelman

Ira & Elise Merkel In Honor Of Ira Reading Torah Ira & Elise Merkel In Honor Of Cantor Larry a great mentor, teacher & friend

Lory Pelofsky In Honor Of Elise and Ira Merkel for the engagement of their son Jeremy to Michelle Edelman

Lory Pelofsky In Honor Of Gloria and Barry Jaslow for the birth of their granddaughter, Mischa Jemma Jaslow

Jules & Roxsene Plafker In Memory Of Arnold Pelofsky

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Dina Berman

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Doris Leska

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Joyce Himmelman

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Shirley Rosenberg

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Frances Rosen

Richard & Cindy Rollman In Honor Of Sherryl and Mickey Kaufman on the birth of their granddaughter

Richard & Cindy Rollman In Memory Of Barbara Rose

Bracha Rosenberg In Memory Of Arnold Pelofsky

Edna Sharff In Memory Of Doris Leska

Howard & Barbara Sorkin In Honor Of Barbara's birthday George & Pearl Sultan In Honor Of Shirley Sommers

Steven & Sara Ullman In Memory Of Doris Leska Gerald & Joan Weinfeld for Margot & David Julis on the engagement of their daughter Sarah to Matt Dasaro

Gerald & Joan Weinfeld for Sheila and Marty Davidoff on the birth of twin granddaughters

Gerald & Joan Weinfeld In Honor Of Marsha & Phil Schiffman on the marriage of their daughter Jessica to Andrew Neuman

YAHRZEIT

Gary & Gail Appelbaum In Memory Of Bernard Appelbaum

Joseph & Sheila Behrman In Memory Of Minnie Behrman

Ronald Berger In Memory Of Jack Berger

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Inge Gross In Memory Of Gerda Goldmann

Jeffrey & Elyse Herman In Memory Of Helen Herman

Kenneth & Shelly Hirsch In Memory Of Esther Bernett

Sisterhood In Memory Of Liane Krochmal

Sheldon & Diana Horowitz In Memory Of Martin Feuerman

Raoul Koss In Memory Of Ceil Koss

Sherman & Sydelle Kramer In Memory Of Sylvia Lesser

Karen Krieger In Memory Of Bessie Krieger

Barbara Lesser In Memory Of Julius Bram

Barbara Lesser In Memory Of Irving Bram

Roy & Linda Levi In Memory Of Charlotte Theilheimer

Steven & Gail Lustbader In Memory Of Molly Lustbader

Diana Mandel In Memory Of Arthur Mandel

Bernice Manheim In Memory Of Joseph Manheim

Larry & Diane Perkel In Memory Of David Rose

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Rosa Pollak

Dov & Barbara Pollak In Memory Of Efrain Pollak

Herman & Anita Price In Memory Of Leon Fuchs

Herman & Anita Price In Memory Of Sam Price

Herman & Anita Price In Memory Of Pauline Price

Eric & Cindy Rabinowitz In Memory Of Pierre Deutsch

Bracha Rosenberg In Memory Of Chava Zigler

Jill Rubin In Memory Of Jean Rubin

Jill Rubin In Memory Of Sam Marchant

Philip & Marsha Schiffman In Memory Of Jack Schiffman

Stephen & Carole Schneider In Memory Of Rhoda Lowenstein

Reina Schuldiner In Memory Of Mac Levine

Michael & Sefi Silverstein In Memory Of Genia Safier

Michael & Gabriella Sleppin In Memory Of Sol Sleppin

Howard & Barbara Sorkin In Memory Of Esther Sorkin

Arnold & Lori Wallis In Memory Of Florence Gurenberg

Sidney & Ruth Ellen Weiss In Memory Of Freida Borenstein

Sidney & Ruth Ellen Weiss In Memory Of Miriam Weiss

Sidney & Ruth Ellen Weiss In Memory Of Sondra Ina Weiss

Sidney & Ruth Ellen Weiss In Memory Of Rose Berkowitz

Paul & Renee Weissman In Memory Of Leon Barnestein

Marlene Zaleskin In Memory Of Helen Saltzman

Victor & Yelena Zeltser In Memory Of Emma Rudoy

Jeffrey & Hildy Zonis In Memory Of Helman Gurewitz

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