

FHJC BULLETIN
PARSHAS CHUKAS-BALAK
JUNE 30/July 1 2023 / Tammuz 12, 5783

SHABBAT TIMES

Friday Night Services - 7:10 PM
Early Candle Lighting 7:27 PM - Not After 8:45 PM
Parsha Class: 8:30 AM
Shabbos Morning Services: 9:00 AM
Rabbi Elie's Sermon: 11:00 AM
Rabbi Jackson's Class: The Man Who Mistook Bilam for a Prophet
Pre Mincha Class with Rabbi Elie: History of the Talmud Part 3 8:15 PM
Mincha: 8:45 PM
Adventures in Halacha with Rabbi Goodman: Trains and Trolleys on Shabbos. Part 1
Havdalah: 9:58 PM

The office will be closed on Monday, July 3rd for Canada Day

Thursday July 6th/17 Tammuz is a Fast Day

Fast Begins at 4:30 AM, Shacharis at 6:45 AM/Mincha 8:40 PM, Fast ends 9:41 PM

Rabbi Elie will be away from July 9th-20th

RABBI'S DESK

This week, Domingo German threw the 24th perfect game in Baseball History. Over the course of the last 154 years of Baseball, that's over 235,500 games, there have only been 24 perfect games! In an absolutely perfect game, where the pitcher strikes out each batter with only 3 pitches, there would still be a total of 81 pitches. German achieved his accomplishment with only 99 pitches, which is remarkable.

To his credit, German did not start his game on a big winning streak — in his previous 2 starts, he allowed 17 runs against him. Also, some additional info is that the Yankees have won the World Series in each of the those years in which their pitcher threw a perfect game (1956, 1998 and 1999).

Lots of lessons can be learned from a perfect game. I would just like to share one: German revealed that his uncle had passed away just 2 days before the game, and that he dedicated the game to him. Through this inspiration, a regular ball player turned into a perfect one.

May we all use big moments in our life and channel them to turn regular into perfect!
Rabbi Elie Karfunkel

This week's Kiddush is sponsored by Arthur & Kathy Zilbert
In memory of the Yahrzeit of Arthur's father, Sander Zilbert Z"L
AND
Gary Landon, to commemorate the 4th Anniversary
of his rooftop marriage to Donna
and the gift of four years with Donna and the FHJC Community!

This week's Shalosh Seudos is sponsored by Mark Usher
to thank Rabbi Elie & Rifky and the community for welcoming him back to the area!

Hannah Zilbert's Riddles

What word starts with "P" and ends with "E" and has a million letters ? *(answer on the next page)*

UPCOMING Yahrzeits

Sander Zilbert, 12 Tammuz, 7/1
Father of Arthur Zilbert

George Salamon, 12 Tammuz, 7/1
Father of Steven Salamon

Marcelle Cohen, 14 Tammuz, 7/3
Mother of Daliah Organ

Ida Zelda Chananie, 15 Tammuz, 7/4
Mother of Rochelle Zabitsky

Hans Diestel, 15 Tammuz, 7/4
Father of Gus Diestel

Estherelke Kaplan, 16 Tammuz, 7/5
Mother of Yaakov Kaplan

BIRTHDAYS

Yitzchak Fischler 7/1
Paige Sassi 7/1
Chaim Dovi Goodman 7/1
Allan Sheff 7/1
Emily Lia Vidal 7/2
Justin Ezra Azouri 7/2

Benjamin Welkovics 7/2
Daniel Goodman 7/2
David Bierstone 7/3
Jordan Isaac Jacob Adler 7/3
Harvey Organ 7/3
Itai Nedvedovich 7/4

Ari Philosophie 7/4
Lisa Metrikin 7/5
Elden Freeman 7/5
Jacob Moshinsky 7/5
Richard Seth Landon 7/6
Helene Green 7/7

MAZEL TOVS

Mazel Tov to Maxwell & Maya Charlat on their recent marriage
and to their parents Josh & Rhonda Charlat and Reuben & Naomi BenQueses!

Mazel Tov to Ron Levine & Sybil Judah on the engagement of their daughter
Amanda to Jordan Roberts!

UPCOMING THIS WEEK

Sunday 8:45 AM Maharal in the Morning
Tuesday 1:00 PM Derech Hashem - Ways of HaShem class
Thursday 11:00 AM Rabbi Elie's Women's Parsha Class **(will resume in the Fall)**
8:15 PM Talmud Thursdays

Services - Sunday and Holiday Monday 8:00 AM, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday 7:00 AM
Thursday 6:45 AM
Mincha/Ma'ariv this week 7:15 PM

Hannah Zilbert's Riddles

A: Post Office !



Maxwell & Maya Charlat
at their recent marriage!



Mazel Tov to Josh (Reuben Meir) Harris
on putting on Tefillin for the first time!



Gary & Donna at their Rooftop Wedding
Happy 4th Anniversary!

Our Playground starts to take shape

You may have noticed some work going on in the back grassy-area in the parking lot. This work will shortly become a playground for our younger children at the Centre. We hope to be able to provide a variety of activities within this space for all to enjoy! Stay-tuned as the playground continues to evolve.



*Please claim any items that may belong to you in the main floor coat room.
Whatever is not claimed this week, will be donated or disposed of.*

**Look for your membership renewal
coming soon**

BAR MITZVAH BOOT CAMP

**A Father-Son Bar Mitzvah Program
With Rabbi Elie Karfunkel**



Your Bar Mitzvah should be like Boot Camp – it should help you get ready for the real world. Join Rabbi Elie Karfunkel as you tackle bigger things, navigate larger challenges, learn how to cope with more serious things. By introducing you to motivational speakers, incredible experiences and timeless life-lessons, Rabbi Elie will help bring out the man in you, and you'll have fun along the way.

***Anyone can have a Bar Mitzvah.
Only the few can succeed at
Boot Camp!***

- ▶ 10-Weeks to launch you on your way to becoming a young man
- ▶ 10-weeks to bond father and sons
- ▶ 10-weeks to set your sights on the bigger goals in life
- ▶ 10-weeks to last you a lifetime

BOOT CAMP COMMENCES

Monday, October 9th, 2023

6:30 PM – 7:40 PM

DINNER SERVED EACH CLASS

**FHJC MEMBERS \$350 NON-MEMBERS \$450
(PER FATHER-SON PAIR)**

THE ALBERT & TEMMY LATNER



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BRAND
NEW
CLASS!

Talmud Thursdays

WITH RABBI MEIR GOODMAN

Thursday evenings / 8:15 PM
STARTING APRIL 27

Does learning Talmud
seem like a daunting task?
Ever tried on your own
and found it too hard
to understand?

*Join Rabbi Goodman
and study a WHOLE
tractate over the course
of a year!!*



*Master Massechet Taanit
and open the door to the
amazing world of Talmud
study.*



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BEIT MIDRASH OF FOREST HILL

NEW SUNDAY BREAKFAST AND LEARN CLASS!

Breakfast & Learn

Maharal in the Morning

WITH RABBI MEIR GOODMAN

Sunday mornings at 8:45 AM

Delve deep into the world of one of Judaism's most creative and brilliant minds – the Maharal of Prague!

Mysticism and philosophy combine in the Maharal's amazing work, Tiferes Yisroel.



**Breakfast from
Bubbie's Bagels
will be served!**



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