Kol Rinah welcomes everyone. This means YOU! Kol Rinah is a dynamic and forward-looking congregation where all generations come together to experience Judaism in innovative ways. Our mission is to create a welcoming community that embraces Torah and meaningful worship, lifelong learning, music, Israel and Tikkun Olam, guided by the tenets of Conservative Judaism. We embrace a diversity of Jews and Jewish families, including Jews by choice and Jews by birth, Jews of all hues, Jewish singles, couples, and families, interfaith households, LGBTQ Jews, Jews of all abilities and disabilities, the Jew-curious, and more! If there is anything we can do to make you more welcome or to accommodate your needs, please let us know.

Building Inclusive Community

Kol Rinah the Voice

Purim 2016

More photos on facebook!
May Birthdays
Judy Allen, Rabbi Noah Arnow, Michael Bernstein, Denise Bobick, Patricia Cohen, Zachary Cohen, Rolf Cooke, Tobi Don, Jim Fehr, Gloria Feldman, Jada Fox, Shirley Fredman, Simmie Gellman, Cindy Ginsburg, Esti Goldman, Russell Gottlieb, Phillip Gould, Franklin Haspiel, Elisa Israel, Gail Brody Kodner, Marc Levin, Donald Levy, Rhona Lyons, Raye Reiss, Brian Rosman, Deborah Rubin, Lauren Schuver, Lori Siegel, Alan Snyder, Jack Rosen, Rosalie Stein, Phyllis Warner, Julie Waxenberg, Michael Waxenberg, David Weber, Daniel Weintrop, Frances Wilner, Daniel Yavitz, Marilyn Young, Amy Zaidman

June Birthdays

May Anniversaries
Kim Anderson & Marcia Sokol-Anderson
Harvey & Aileen Melnick
Gary Yavitz & Louise Kaufman-Yavitz
Michael & Abby Goldstein
Jeff & Joanna Carra
Alan & Robin Weinberger
Brad & Mindy Horwitz
David & Sue Propper
Russell & Rachel Gottlieb
Michael & Julie Waxenberg
Alex Befeler & Serra-Lesa Ivener
Rick Kodner & Gail Brody Kodner
Hal & Marcia Goldsmith
Josh & Cindy Kalachek
Steven & Andrea Rosenblum

June Anniversaries
Brian Yaffee & Stephanie Graff
Ronald & Marsha Portman
Michael Cannon & Denise Field
Mark & Karen Engel
Ben & Joan Barzilai
Marvin Foster & Niki Nymark
Stanley & Aileen Shmuger
Stuart Hoffman & Rita Rothschild
Peter & Susan Walker
Steven Brody & Brenda Grossman
Richard & Jody Feldman
Michael & Alisa Reichman
Michael & Karen Wetmore
Eric Flug & Gretchen Schisla
Alan Snyder & Sharon Rosenberg
Andrew Gold & Lauren Schuver
Repps & Stacey Hudson
Alfred & Sheila Rosenfeld
Edward Finkelstein & Rose Jonas
Fred & Estelle Handler
Jack & Renee Rosen
Zachary & Julie Leeds
Howard & Jacqueline Berliner
Jeremy Buhler & Wendy Anderson
Martin & Margaret Israel
William & Helene Mathis
Brian & Leise Rosman
Marvin & Muriel Beckerman
William & Meris Hamilton
Rick & Becky Lerner
Eric Schneider & Debbie Chase
Jerry & Joyce Raskin
Bernard & Marilyn Kunitz
Tim & Arlene O'Connell
Harvey & Ava Small
Sandy & Elaine Melnick
Sanford & Cynthia Boxerman
Stephen Selipsky & Phyllis Hanson
Marc & Priscilla Alper
Burton & Benita Boxerman
Eugene & Shirley Barken
Judel & Susan Lew

New Baby
Mazel tov to Adam and Lori Brok on the birth of their daughter, Yael Shoshanna Brok, on March 31st.

New Chapel Memorial Plaques
Elaine Gollub
Joseph Iken
Richard Kalina
Jerry Margolies
Barry Pessin
Rose Skulnik
Ida Wilk

Condolences to the Families Of
Frances Cohen
Jerold Goldenhersh
Evelyn Henner
Moshe Israeli
Leona Klayman
Harvey Krupin
Sidney Rosen
Mark Silverman
Leo Wolf

Thank you to Phil and Sima Needleman for their generous sponsorship of the newsletter.

Our newsletter is designed by Tovah Enger with the indispensable help of her proofing team: Howard Belsky, Nancy Greene, Micki Kingsley, Cindy Payant & Sherri Frank-Weintrop. Thank you.
Upcoming Events
Visit kolrinahstl.org for full event information

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  - Kol Rinah Movie Matinee
  - USY Banquet
- May 3, 17, 31 - Witnessing Whiteness
- May 5 - Yom Ha'Shoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day)
- May 8 & 9 - Rosh Hodesh Iyar
- May 11 - Yom HaZikaron (Israel Memorial Day)
- May 12 - Yom Ha'Atzmaut (Israel's Independence Day)
  - Kol Rinah Board Mtng
- May 19 - 60 Plus Bingo & Lunch
- May 22 - Who Gets Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate?
- May 26 - Lag B'Omer

StL Community events for Yom Ha'Atzmaut & Yom Hashoah - p 13
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So what does "radically welcoming" mean? It's about doing the work of eliminating historic, systemic, and inculcated barriers that limit the genuine embrace of groups generally marginalized in synagogues, including young adults, the poor, seniors, LGBTQ people, people of color, and people with disabilities. As a congregation, we have much work to do in thinking about what we can do proactively to reduce physical, cultural and social barriers to entry. But even without changing anything about Kol Rinah, the first step is awareness, and attention to the goal of being radically welcoming.

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Building Inclusive Communities
Scholar-in-Residence with
Rabbi Elianna Yolkut
A Radically Welcoming Weekend • May 20-22

**FRIDAY EVENING - MAY 20**
- 5:30 pm **Meet and Greet**
- 6:00 pm **Kabbalat Shabbat Service**
- 7:30 pm **Shabbat Dinner**
- 8:30 pm **Topic:** “Opening the Door & Stepping Out of the Closet: A Journey and A Calling”

**SATURDAY - MAY 21**
- 9:00 am **Morning Services**
- 11:00 am **Sermon:** “Holy and Profane: Creating Boundaries and Opening Spaces”

**SUNDAY - MAY 22**
- 9:30 am **Discussion:** “The Conversations We Are Afraid Of: Talking To Your Children About Gender, Sexuality, and Every other Taboo”

**FRIDAY EVENING - MAY 20**
- 12:30 pm **Shabbat Text Study:** “The Broken Wholeness: Thriving with Shattered Torah”
- 7:00 pm **Mincha Services**
- **Shabbat Text Study:** “Two Truths and a Torah: Sacred Conflict”

**Elianna Yolkut** is a “Rabbi Without Borders” (www.rabbiswithoutborders.org) who strives through challenging questions, innovative study and meaningful connection to help Jews at all life stages reach toward a deep understanding of and connection to Judaism. Raised with three brothers in her native St. Louis, where as a toddler she would often lose herself in the folds of her father’s tallit, Elianna is a thinker, writer and educator who seeks innovative models for religious community-building and dynamic ways to teach Torah. Ordained in 2006 by the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies at the American Jewish University in Los Angeles, she was later an adjunct faculty member there while serving as assistant rabbi at the Conservative synagogue Adat Ari El in nearby Valley Village. Elly, who holds a BA in Near Eastern and Judaic Studies and Sociology from Brandeis University, now lives with her partner and their young twins in Washington D.C. where she serves as a community rabbi teaching, speaking and writing for GW Hillel, Adas Israel, the Jewish Federation of Greater Washington and many other community organizations. Beginning in the summer of 2016 Elianna will be a fellow in Shalom Hartman Rabbinic Leadership Institute.
My name is Matt Cooke, and since November of 2015 I have been the Youth Adviser for Kol Rinah Synagogue in Saint Louis. Taking on the position and responsibilities of the Youth Adviser has been something that I have thought about doing for a long time, and yet was a position that I would never take lightly. Judaism is something that is both complex and challenging at times, and yet every time that we study Torah or Talmud, there will always be something that is up for debate. It is hard to put the same verse in front of ten people and get the same description from even two of them. It is especially difficult for a Jewish teenager to make these distinctions when most everything in our society is up for debate.

Kol Rinah has done an incredible job of focusing on social action and inviting the citizens of Saint Louis into its halls to discuss issues that face the Jewish people and the country as a whole. My goals for the coming year with KRSTL and our Youth programs are to establish us as a chapter of action, and a chapter of acceptance. It is my hope that we can take a look at the discussions that Kol Rinah has sparked and find ways to not only reach out into our community but also work to progress forward.

I am excited to work in tandem with Rabbi Arnow, Tasha Kaminsky, and the EMTZA region to promote an environment of acceptance and inclusion. Open communication and open doors are the best ways for our youth to expand in their Jewish identity in addition to promoting youth programs to our younger children. It is with that in mind that we will be looking at social action and Tikkun Olam with a larger importance in the years to come. The next five years will surely be a time of discussion and change, and it will be our goal to lead the charge in this.

How Does Your Garden Grow?

Gardens & Flowers in Opera

Sunday, May 1, at 7:30 pm

Learn about the significance of gardens and flowers in opera. Hear excerpts from operas that illustrate how composers have used garden settings and flowers to enhance the beauty, power, pathos, and intrigue of their compositions.

Presented by Phyllis Hyken and Gailya Barker, Docents of Opera Theatre of St Louis

Sponsored by Women’s Social Group of Kol Rinah • Everyone is welcome • Refreshments served • No Charge for admission • Donations are appreciated
Kol Rinah Religious School, Moving to a Fourth year . . .

As I end my time at Kol Rinah Religious School, I want to share some thoughts I had while watching three college students on “Jeopardy” (February 4, 2016).

These students were extremely knowledgeable in such areas as science, geography, history and literature. However, they also showed savvy about the world of popular media and technology, such as famous Internet games that were popular in their younger years!

It is overwhelming when one thinks of the information mass that has developed over the last 50 years, even the last 25 years, that has been added to all the other events and information that came before that 50 year mark. So, I’m impressed when a college-age person shows his/her wide breadth of knowledge and intelligence of past and present events.

It is also impressive to hear people in their 20’s stand up for other people’s rights and to care about the politics of our society. This shows an awareness of what is fair or unfair, what is just or unjust.

Yet, we would short-change all bright young people if we did not address the importance of “general intelligence”, “common sense” and “respect.” Education, whether religious or secular, must also stress the importance of “learning from those who came before you” – their successes and their challenges, their wisdom based on experience.

Who is wise? Those who listen and learn from others, no matter their age or status.

Who is wise? Those who understand that mutual respect builds trust and positive relationships.

Who is wise? Those who understand that our knowledge base can always be increased, that learning is a journey not an end point.

It is time to say Todah Rabah to:

✦ Ellen Cohen for her humor and never-ending assistance
✦ Every staff member and substitute teacher who has cared about the students and Jewish Education
✦ Rabbi Arnow, David Weber, Meir Zimand, Nancy Greene, Micki Kingsley and Rico Crane for their daily support
✦ Those students and parents who continue to care about the future of KRRS!

On the back page we’ve shared some pictures from this past school year!

B'Shalom,
Paula Hertel

Make Money for Kol Rinah with Schnucks eScrip

Did you know that in one easy step you can personally raise hundreds of dollars for Kol Rinah without spending any extra money? Every time you make a purchase at Schnucks simply have your eScrip card scanned and up to 3% of the money you spend on your groceries goes straight to Kol Rinah. You can pick up a Schnucks eScrip card in the front office or request to have a card sent to your home. Contact Tasha Kaminsky in the office for your card!
tasha@kolrinahstl.org

Learn Haftarah, Trope or Prayer

What do you want to learn: trope (Haftarah and/or Torah trope), a specific prayer, such as "Ashrei, "Prayer for Israel", etc? I am willing to teach you whatever you want.

Contact Howard Belsky to set up a schedule. 314.546.0810 or howardbelsky@gmail.com
Sisterhood

Micki Kingsley

We were saved from destruction in Persia, and we were brought out of slavery from Egypt. Now, we have some time to relax. However, before that, if you haven’t made your donation to Torah Fund that supports the Jewish Theological Seminaries, please do. To those who made your donation at the October Kick-Off Event, and to those who responded to our recent letter, thank you. Every contribution makes a difference in ensuring the future of Conservative Judaism.

Our Kiddush Appreciation to...

Phyllis Hyken who celebrated her 80th birthday on Shabbat with a Sisterhood Kiddush. It was a beautiful day. Thank you, Phyllis.

Gary and Fran Kaar, and Jeff and Janet Jacob, who celebrated their granddaughter’s baby-naming with a Sisterhood Kiddush. Mazel tov to them, and to Scott and Courtney Kaar, proud parents of Liliella Marion Kaar.

As always – we encourage you to consider a Sisterhood Kiddush for your next simcha. Contact Sue Propper at 314-395-1349 or e-mail her at: suemeryl@charter.net and leave the rest to us.

Trivia Night was a great success, due in great part to Master of Ceremonies, Burton Boxerman. We are already looking forward to next year. There was, however, an issue regarding the time, so we are going to try to find a better date for next year. Thank you to everyone who participated, and to those who sponsored tables and rounds. The Kol Rinah Sisterhood and Men’s Club appreciate your support.

A consultant from Women’s League presented a workshop here, the evening of March 14, in which about 20 women participated. We discussed our mission, how to encourage more Sisterhood members to participate in events, to be active on a committee, and to serve on the board. We will follow up with her for more information and suggestions. Our first event, already scheduled, will be our annual Sisterhood Supper in the Sukkah.

We join with their families in mourning the passing of Leona Klayman, a long-time Sisterhood member; and Sid Rosen, beloved husband of Sylvia Rosen, a current long-time Sisterhood member. May their memories be for a blessing, and may their families be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

I wish you all a nice summer.

Building Inclusive Community www.KolRinahSTL.org
Welcome to my first article as Kol Rinah Men's Club president. First, a little background about me. As a member of Congregation B'nai Amoona, I served as their Men's Club president from 2002 to 2005. I met Susan, my Bashert, there and we married in 2004. In 2014, we became members of Kol Rinah. And we are glad we did. We are so happy to be Kol Rinah members.

My vision for Kol Rinah's Men's Club is to continue and build upon the creative ideas of Bob Olshan. Bob brought to Men's Club and the congregation such events as Steak & Scotch in the Sukkah, Sushi & Saki Shabbat, Lag B'Omer bonfire and Beit Café and Hearing Men's Voices.

I hope to expand the circle of membership with new ideas. Some of the ideas include a Young Dad and Child Fun Run/Walk; a golf outing; an annual Health, Wealth and Retirement program and the FJMC's Yad Shel Chai program. The Yad Shel Chai program encourages post B'nai Mitzvah kids to continue reading Torah at Shabbat services.

I am a big supporter of Keruv. The Men's Club has recently enabled Wendy Love Anderson to attend a workshop in Philadelphia so that she and the Keruv Committee can revive our Keruv Program, along with support from the Men's Club.

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Well, I've reached my word count limit — stand by for excitement from the Men's Club.

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Bob Olshan and Maddie Lapp, our mens club 2016 Man and Youth of the Year Honorees
I hope everyone had a nice Passover and that you are enjoying the beautiful spring weather. Join Kol Rinah families for a fun, laid back Shavuot picnic! We will meet at Mooney (Jackson) Park on Sunday, June 12 at 5:00pm. Please bring dinner for your family and a dessert to share.

DorWays families had a fun time preparing for Passover with a Silly Twist on the Passover Plagues. We had fun making frog footprints, tossing ping-pong ball hail, making stuffed animals feel better with band aids, and other fun activities. They also enjoyed a special plague snack.

It has been wonderful to see so many families participating in our young children’s services. Please join us on May 14 for Tot Shabbat and May 28 for Rhythm ’n Ruach. These are the last children’s services of this school year. Watch for next year’s children service schedule coming out soon. These are a wonderful way to infuse Jewish music and prayer into your child’s life in a relaxed child friendly atmosphere.

Keep an eye out for information about summer programming. Email Jessica@kolrinahstl.org for more information or to be added to our mailing list.

B’Shalom,
Jessica Wax

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**Jewish Food Pantry May List**

1. Any Kind of Canned Vegetables
2. Healthy Soups
3. Canned Beef Stew/Chili/Pasta with Meat
4. Kosher Food
5. Peanut Butter
6. Canned Tuna Fish
7. Canned Fruits
8. Hand Soap, Toilet Paper and Laundry Detergent

Currently, the Jewish Food Pantry is feeding over 8,000 individuals in a month. The need is great so please help in any way you can. Thank you.

For more info, contact Louise Levine 636.227.1259.

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**Kol Rinah Gift Shop**

Mon - Fri 10am - 12:30pm
Sunday by appointment, call 314.727.1747

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**Kol Rinah Women’s Social Group needs your help to Assemble Food Packets for the Harvey Kornblum Jewish Food Pantry**

**Sunday, June 26—9:30 am at Kol Rinah**

Contact Marilyn Dien for more information

Please RSVP to the office by 6/24/16 -3:00 pm
Our Purim Family Program was a great success! Children paraded in their costumes through the ECC hallway into the lobby area where they were greeted by their families. Morah Suzy played Purim songs and we all sang along. After singing, everyone made their way back to the ECC where they participated in four different activities which included hearing about the four mitzvot of Purim from Rabbi Noah, decorating a crown with foam shapes and stickers, making an “I spy” gragger with empty water bottles, rice and symbols of Purim, and listening to a Purim story while enjoying a yummy hamantashen snack. Each child also took a Mishloach Manot box home to their family.

KRECC is excited to have received funding by the Lubin-Green Foundation, a supporting foundation of the Jewish Federation of St. Louis, to support our Yom Ha’Atzmaut Celebration on Thursday, May 12. Children and their families will be treated to an Israeli dinner and Israeli dancing while learning about and celebrating Israel’s birthday.

On Thursday, May 19, 2016 children in our Starfish classroom will be graduating from the ECC. It is incredible to look back and remember how the children have grown over the years. We will miss having the children here at our center but wish them well as they begin Kindergarten.

In June, we kick off our Summer Fun Camp! Two of our teachers, Miss Christine and Miss Megan, will be serving as camp co-coordinators. This year’s theme will be Olympics, and weekly activities include opening ceremony festivities, competing in events like track and field, gymnastics, and water play, and medal ceremonies at the conclusion of summer. We’re looking forward to a great summer!
Welcome New Members

We are happy to welcome new members Jeremy and Lauren Brenner and their two sons Max and Ari; Andrew and Mary Anne Smyly Sabin and their three children Yael, Asher and Samuel; Jeichael and Miriam Nova and their daughters Lillian and Hannah; Rabbi Shulamit Cenker; Jeff and Shira Kraft and their son Leo; and Denise and Aaron Bobick. We are thrilled that you have joined Kol Rinah and look forward to seeing you at services and at all our wonderful events.

The Membership Committee had a great time as sponsors of a pop-up Purim party, with food, drink and Megillah-inspired karaoke. Thanks to our singers Sherri Weintrop, Bill Solomon, Linda Makler, and Lauren Bushbaum for their excellent renditions of 60’s inspired Beatles and Rolling Stones repertoire. The turnout for the Megillah reading and the party was terrific, as were the snacks and music, and the Star Wars theme inspired some truly amazing costumes! Looking forward to more fun next year.

Here’s to a great start!

Debbie and Joyce

Kol Rinah Men's Club Offers Youth Scholarships to Israel!

To find out more about Kol Rinah Men's Club Rabbi Emeritus Youth Scholarships, contact Bob Olshan at olshanr@gmail.com

Do Israel! With Passport to Israel

For more information, contact Karen Rader, KRader@JFedSTL.org, 314.442.3756 or visit JFedStl.org/Israel-Center

Want A Family Member In A Nursing Home To Get A Visit?

For a visit from the Chesed Committee or to volunteer, call Barbara Bianco 314.727.2399 or email barbarab2@aol.com

WITNESSING WHITENESS

What does it mean to be radically inclusive?

This dialogue group is a brave Jewish space designed to assist people that identify as White with understanding racism, White privilege, and White Supremacy in America.

Alternating Tuesday Evenings 7-8:30pm
Limited space available

Contact Tasha to participate or to learn more, 314.727.1747 or tasha@kolrinahstl.org
ST. LOUIS YOM HASHOAH COMMEMORATION
Thursday May 5, 7pm at Shaare Emeth
★ Traditional Candle Lighting Service ★ Holocaust Torah Procession ★ Liturgical Readings & Prayers

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May / June 2016 Nisan / Iyar 5776
# May 2016 Calendar

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<td>Yom Ha’Atzmaut (Israel’s Independence Day)&lt;br&gt;6:45am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/ Ma’ariv&lt;br&gt;4pm ECC Yom Ha’atzma’ut Program - Mirowitz&lt;br&gt;7pm Kol Rinah Board Mtng</td>
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<td>14 Sat</td>
<td>Parshat Kodoshim&lt;br&gt;9am Shabbat Service&lt;br&gt;11am Tot Shabbat - Sara Myers Rm 106&lt;br&gt;6:50pm Mincha/Seudah Shelishit/ Ma’ariv&lt;br&gt;8:51pm Havdalah</td>
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<td>8am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv&lt;br&gt;9am Communications Mtng - Lib&lt;br&gt;9:30am Religious School Last Day&lt;br&gt;9:30am Sisterhood Mtng - Aud&lt;br&gt;10:30am The Torah of Community&lt;br&gt;12:30pm Mellman Club Installation - Aud&lt;br&gt;6pm Kol Rinah's Yom HaAtzmaut Celebration - Aud</td>
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Sun
8am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv
9am Communications Mtng - Lib
10am Who Gets Grandma’s Yellow Pie Plate? - Sara Myers Rm 106

23
Mon
ECC Summer Interim Days
7am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv

24
Tue
ECC Summer Interim Days
7am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv
8am “Moral and Ethical Issues” - Sara Myers Room 106

25
Wed
ECC Summer Interim Days
7am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv
9am Movement Class

26
Thu
Lag B’Omer
ECC Summer Interim Days
7am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv
7pm Personnel Committee Mtng - Lib

27
Fri
ECC Summer Interim Days
7am Shacharit
6pm Kabbalat Shabbat/Ma’ariv
7:59pm Candle Lighting

28
Sat
Parshat Behar
Bat Mitzvah of Jane Kalina
9am Shabbat Service
10:30am MifgaShabbat - Chapel
11am Rhythm N Ruach - Sara Myers Room 106
7:05pm Mincha/Seudah Shlishit/ Ma’ariv
9:05pm Havdalah

29
Sun
8am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv
9am Communications Mtng - Lib

30
Mon
ECC Closed Memorial Day
7am Shacharit / 6pm Mincha/Ma’ariv

31
Tue
ECC Summer Interim Days
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We need your help to make a minyan.

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SAVE THE DATE

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Kosher BBQ Fest
Hosted by Kol Rinah
Open to the community
Sponsorship opportunities available
Delicious food and fun for the entire family

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