

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **BNEI AKIVA: Shabbat 4/21** - SNIF for 3-5 Graders at **Beth Jacob/Snif Shluchot** at **6:45 PM** (walking groups LEAVE Canfield/Airdrome at 6:30 PM). NOTE: There is NO SNIF at Yavneh/Snif Saad this week. For more info contact (310) 248-2450 or [office@bneiakivala.org](mailto:office@bneiakivala.org).
- ◆ **MOSHAVA ALEVY:** Summer 2018 enrollment is open! [www.moshavaalevy.org](http://www.moshavaalevy.org)
- ◆ **YESHIVA UNIVERSITY GIVING DAY: 4/25-4/26.** Donations made during the 24-hour period will fund YU's many programs & scholarships: [www.givingday.yu.edu](http://www.givingday.yu.edu).
- ◆ **SHALOM HARTMAN INSTITUTE CONFERENCE: 'Israel & Diaspora: Peoplehood in Crises?'** Wed., 4/25 from **9:00 AM- 3:00 PM** at UCLA Hillel. Details & registrations: [shalomhartman.org/LAiEngage18](http://shalomhartman.org/LAiEngage18)
- ◆ **JCAMP FAMILY POOL PARTY: 4/29 from 3-6 PM** at the JCC Aquatics Center. Free, fun, snacks, & crafts for children of all abilities. RSVP at [westsidejcc.org/family](http://westsidejcc.org/family) by 4/26.
- ◆ **YULA GIRLS HIGH: Jewish History Series** at Dr. Omid & Kelly Shaye's home (9344 Monte Mar): **Sun., 5/6 at 8 PM:** "Israel, Responsibility & the Palestinian Refugees" by Rabbi Dr. Menachem Hecht, Director of Israel Education.
- ◆ **OU SYNAGOGUE & COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP SEMINAR: Sun., 5/6.** Please RSVP at [adlerl@ou.org](mailto:adlerl@ou.org).
- ◆ **JUNITY MUSIC, ARTS & SPIRITUALITY FESTIVAL: Sun., 6/3 from 11:00 AM-3:00 PM** in Pershing Square Park. Musical lineup includes Zusha, Meilech Kohn, Moshav & Levi Robin. Showcasing films & art exhibitions. Family-friendly event with free admission for kids under 12! [junitynow.com](http://junitynow.com)
- ◆ **BRCA FOUNDER OUTREACH STUDY.** FREE BRCA tests to those 25+ years of age who have one grandparent of Ashkenazi Jewish origin, and reside in LA. [www.BFORstudy.com](http://www.BFORstudy.com)
- ◆ **RESEARCH:** Daniel Rubin, PhD is gathering info on how self-identified Jewish college/university faculty feel about issues of antisemitism. Please participate in the survey and pass the link to others: <https://tinyurl.com/SMBDJ>
- ◆ **CAFÉ BB AT BAIS BETZALEL.** 8850 W. Pico staffed by adults with disabilities. **Mon.-Fri., 6:30-10:30 AM.**
- ◆ **ACHILLES LA:** Able-bodied volunteers & runners with disabilities come together to train in an environment of support & community. Services are free. Volunteer or become an athlete: <https://www.achillesla.org> or [peter@achillesla.org](mailto:peter@achillesla.org) or [ed@achillesla.org](mailto:ed@achillesla.org).
- ◆ **YALE STUDENT LOOKING FOR SUMMER SUBLET:** Female looking to stay/sublease in Jewish home June-July 2018. Experience with babysitting. Looking to spend Shabbos meals with families. Contact Eden at [eden.mendelsohn@yale.edu](mailto:eden.mendelsohn@yale.edu).

### SMILE :)

Just a reminder to use [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) rather than amazon.com, and input **BDJ** as your charity of preference. Support your BDJ community at no extra cost to you!



## BDJ'S UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 15-29 - Jewish Wisdom & Wellness Festival
- April 21 - YP Minyan
- April 21 - YP Chulent Cook-Off / Luncheon
- April 21 - Seder Nashim
- April 22 - Earth Day Beach Cleanup
- April 25 - Tikkun Olam Lunch
- April 28 - Breaking Bread as a Community
- April 28 - Minyan for Minions
- May 3 - Lag B'Omer
- May 5 - Seder Nashim
- May 19 - Intergenerational Lunch
- May 20-21 - Shavuot: SIR
- June 3 - BDJ Blood Drive
- June 9 - Seder Nashim
- June 10 - Brunch Soiree & Congregational Meeting

מי שברך אבותינו אברהם יצחק ויעקב ואמותינו שרה רבקה רחל ולאה הוא יברך וירפא את החולים בעבור שאנחנו מתפללים בעבורם בשכר זה הקדוש ברוך הוא ימלא רחמים עליהם להחלימים ולרפואתם ולהחזיקם ולהחיותם וישלח להם מהרה רפואה שלמה מן השמים לכל אבריהם ולכל גדיהם בתוך שאר חולי ישראל רפואת הנפש ורפואת הגוף שבת היא מלועוק ורפואה קרובה לבוא השתא בעגלא ובזמן קריב ונאמר אמן.

## MISHEBERACH LIST

Please be in touch with Susan Fink at [stlfink@gmail.com](mailto:stlfink@gmail.com)

Chaya bat Tova Bleima (Sorel Lainer's mother) \* Pessie bat Chana (Martine Porter-Zasada's sister) \* Esther bat Devorah Bella (Mayer Schames' mother) \* Emanuel ben Hinda (Mr. Sassover) \* Bella Rivka bat Rosa (Aharon Shimoni's sister) \* Shulamit bat Ruchel Sheina (Selma Framson) \* Arlene bat Mollie (Kara Roberts' grandmother) \* Michael ben Malka (Max Wozniak) \* Chaya bat Bela (Mayer Bick's mother) \* Tziporah bat Tova (Mrs. Sassover) \* Alicia Webster \* Chayim Menashe ben Fruma (Manny Klein) \* Yitzchak Avraham ben Devorah (Deb Mizrahi Smith's uncle) \* Mordechai ben Dina \* Yitzchak ben Raizel (Ira Grose) \* Sarah Hindi bat Lily (Cary Glass's mother) \* Tila bat Miriam \* Pinchus Shalom Tzvi ben Ze'eva (Daniella Platt's friend's son) \* Menachem Mendel Ben Chaya (Sarah Abraham's grandfather) \* Hadassah Bat Lea \* Eitan Zev ben Nachama Sara Beilah \* Shmuel ben Miriam (Rica Bercovici's nephew) \* Aharon ben Rosa \* Helen Avivah bat Marietta Ruth \* Anna Louise bat Barbara Feige \* Tova Chaya bat Leah Malka \* Leah bat Liba \* Yosef Hiskiya ben Chaya \* Matisyahu Yoel Baruch ben Gittel (Marcus Freed) \* Tamar Pnina Gittel bat Aliza Rachel \* Yaacov Moshe bat Sarah \* Yakot bat Esther (Colette Volvovic) \* Chana Gittel bas Dvora Masha (Chanie Kravitz) \* Yaffit Bat Monira \* Leah Rachel Bat Miriam Bat-tzion \* Ohad Chanan ben Malka \* Shirli Malka bat Aliza \* Achiya Binaymin ben Shirli Malka \* Elkana Asher ben Shirli Malka \* Yosefa Ariel bat Sarah (Kelila's mom) \* Rina Ariane bat Ayelet \* Ahuva Yonina bat Rachel (Mark Treitel's aunt) \* Henoah ben Hensha Perl (Aryeh Hoening's father) \* Yarachmiel Nessem Ben Reuben (Nan Gold's brother) \* Menachim ben Rachel \* Chaya Liel bat Tali \* Adinah Yehudit Bat Rische Chanah. (Adaire Klein) \* Yaakov Moshe Ben Ettl \* Baila Malka bat Aida Ette (Ze'ev Korn's mother).



### Candle-Lighting: 7:11 PM

**Mincha:** 6:30 PM | Beit Midrash

**Kabbalat Shabbat:** Alex Fax

**D'var Torah:** Rabbanit Alissa

**YP Minyan:** 9:30 AM | Beit Midrash

**Teen Minyan:** Musaf Only | Projection Room

**Main Minyan:** 9:00 AM | Main Sanctuary

**Shacharit:** Mayer Schames

**Anim Zmirot & Concluding Services:** Zane Mendelson

**Kriat HaTorah:** Alec Schramm

**Torah:** Hertz: 460; Stone: 608 | **Haftarah:** Hertz: 477; Stone: 1172.

**Drasha:** Rabbi Aaron Lerner & Amir Kashfi

**Musaf:** Mordechai Fishman

**Mincha:** 6:50 PM | followed by Seudah Shlishit in the Beit Midrash

**BW Mincha:** 7:00 PM | Home of Kathi & Gary Hiller | 1930 Bagley Ave (Corner of Bagley/Sawyer)

**Havdalah:** 8:09 PM

## HAPPENING THIS SHABBAT

- ◆ Young Professionals' Minyan & Second Annual Chulent Cook-Off.
- ◆ Seder Nashim.
- ◆ Girls' Coffee Club is cancelled.
- ◆ Celebrate April Kiddush, honoring UCLA, is sponsored by Tzvi Wolf, Josh Kahn, Linda & Norton Townsley, Sheryl Shimoni, Julie & Alex Fax, Kenny Marks, and Adynna & Michael Swarz.
- ◆ Nothing But The Pshat with Ariel Stein.

## BDJ BROADCASTS

- ◆ Mazal Tov to parents **Aura & Dov Rosenblatt**, and big siblings **Cole & Nava**, on the birth of a baby boy!
- ◆ Mazal Tov to **Lenny Schloss** for being honored in the *Los Angeles Business Journal's* special supplement as one of the city's most influential women attorneys!
- ◆ A tremendous thank you to **Jeff Feuer** for helping research & sign-on our new caterer!
- ◆ Welcome to our new caterer, **Shiloh's!** Stay tuned for new & scrumptious Kiddush & Seudah Shlishit menus!
- ◆ Our condolences to **Nati Held** & her family on the passing of her grandmother, **Grimanesa Aranda**, z"l.
- ◆ **Page turners needed for Women's Section.** Please contact Beth Tarko at [btarko@aol.com](mailto:btarko@aol.com).



## SHABBAT BULLETIN

April 21, 2018 ~ 6 Iyyar 5778

פרשת תזריע-מצרע Parshat Tazria-Metzora

## THIS SHABBAT

### YP MINYAN

9:30 AM | Beit Midrash

*Bubbe's Famous YP Kiddush is cancelled for the Cook-off (see below).*

To get more involved or sponsor YP Kiddush:

email Rabbanit Alissa at [rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com](mailto:rabbanitalissa@bnaidavid.com) or

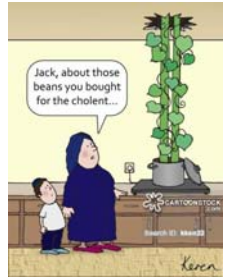
visit [www.bnaidavid.com/yp](http://www.bnaidavid.com/yp)

## SECOND ANNUAL CHULENT COOK-OFF!

### Competition & Lunch

12:30-2:30 PM | Hannah & Ilan Cohen's Backyard | 1064 S. La Jolla Ave.

Vegetarian chulent & options available!



## SEDER NASHIM

#metoo

4:30-5:30 PM | Rena Katrikh's home | 1637 S. Bedford St.

*Society has recently reached a tipping point in saying enough is enough. The #metoo movement has been an important catalyst for this change. We at BDJ value having these same important conversations within our walls. How does this conversation apply to our community, what resources for support can we draw on, & what obstacles may arise? As Modern Orthodox women, what are our reflections on this moment in the history of gender relationships? Please join us as we listen & plan a path forward with BDJ's informal women-only discussion group.*

## CELEBRATE APRIL KIDDUSH: HONORING UCLA

for winning the Duke Rudman Campus of the Year Award, at the 2018 AIPAC Policy Conference.

Special Drasha with Rabbi Aaron Lerner & Amir Kashfi

**Rabbi Aaron Lerner, Executive Director of Hillel at UCLA**, has helped expand Hillel's leadership training program to include ~150 student leaders who reach nearly 1,700 Jewish students every year at UCLA, including Israel advocacy. A Wexner Graduate Fellow, Rabbi Lerner received ordination from Yeshivat Chovevei Torah with an emphasis in education. He previously worked in commercial real estate finance after graduating from USC's Marshall School of Business.

**Amir Kashfi** is a third year undergraduate student at UCLA studying Human Biology & Society and Public Affairs. He is president of BIPAC, the Bruins for Israel Public Affairs Committee, a group of AIPAC-trained student activists at UCLA.

# THIS WEEK

## SCHEDULE OF DAILY MINYAN

<b>SHACHARIT</b>	
Sunday	8:00 AM
Monday	6:45 AM
Tuesday—Friday	7:00 AM
<b>MINCHA/MA'ARIV</b>	
Sunday—Thursday	7:15 PM
Friday	6:30 PM
<b>SHABBAT</b>	
Shacharit and Rechov Yeladim	9:00 AM
Mincha	6:55 PM

## TIKKUN OLAM

### EARTH DAY BEACH CLEANUP

Sun., April 22 | 12:00-2:00 PM  
Santa Monica Tower 27

Having Pesach cleaning withdrawal? Looking to shake those dreaded Pesach pounds? Join us on Earth Day, as we clean up Santa Monica Beach!  
RSVP to Jessica Kurzban: [jkurzban@gmail.com](mailto:jkurzban@gmail.com)

### TIKKUN OLAM LUNCH

April 25 | 12:00-1:00 PM | BDJ

Please join us as we have lunch with our neighbors, schmooze and enjoy good food & each other's company!  
Made possible by the Max & Anna Baran, Ben & Sarah Baran, & Miton Baran Endowment Fund of the Jewish Community Foundation of Los Angeles  
&  
Law Offices of Wolf, Rifkin, Shapiro, Shulman & Rabkin, LLP.

## COMMUNITY

### BREAKING BREAD AS A COMMUNITY

BDJ is a family & we strive to care for each other, both spiritually & physically. We are in the beginning stages of drafting a policy to make our shul & community safer for those with life-threatening allergies.

We'll highlight this effort on Shabbat, APRIL 28.

To join the discussion, email: [director@bnaidavid.com](mailto:director@bnaidavid.com)



## JEWISH WISDOM & WELLNESS

### A FESTIVAL OF LEARNING 2018

April 15 - April 29

Cedars-Sinai & the Kalsman Institute of HUC-JIR present this interdenominational learning festival. The goal is to explore crucial health (mental, physical & spiritual), illness, & healing topics from a Jewish lens.

### BRUNCH WITH RABBA RAMIE SMITH, MS. ATARA SEGAL & RABANIT ALISSA

Sun., April 22 | 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
Yasgur/Lipner Home | 9607 Bolton Rd.  
FOR WOMEN ONLY.

*What makes a mitzvah a 'woman's mitzvah'? How can we deepen our connection to the femininity within our halachic & spiritual tradition? How do we find our voice in & love of the tradition even at times when we are struggling with it? Join us in learning & confidential discussion.*

### PARSHA SHIUR WITH RABANIT ALISSA

TUES., APRIL 24 | 7:30-8:30 PM | BDJ

"Jewish Mourning, Memorializing & Grieving a Loss: Acharei Mot."

*What does our tradition teach us about the process of grief? Through the lens of Aaron & Moses' responses after the death of Aaron's sons, we'll unpack the wisdom & sensitivity our tradition offers in painful moments.*

### WORKSHOP WITH CINDY STEINSCHIBER

THURS., APRIL 26 | 7:00-9:00 PM | BDJ

"Leading to Foregone Inclusions: Mapping & Manifesting Our Dreams for Special Needs Adults in Our Community"  
*This is an opportunity for family members & adults with special needs, as well as Jewish community leaders to create a practical vision for greater inclusion & participation. We'll look at Jewish views toward disabilities & learn some principles of Dream Building – tapping into the power we each have to co-create our vision with the Infinite.*

## RECHOV YELADIM

### MINYAN FOR MINIONS

Shabbat, April 28 | 5:00 PM  
Kolieb Home | 9023 Cresta Dr.



Calling all 2-4 graders & their parents!



Special Mincha followed by a parent-child learning activity led by Rav Yosef, titled "Finders, Keepers!!"

Refreshments will be served!

There are opportunities for all kids to lead parts of the Mincha service. Contact [gail\\_katz@yahoo.com](mailto:gail_katz@yahoo.com).

# UPCOMING

## SEDER NASHIM

### SAVE THE DATES

MAY 5 | GIRLS, BOYS, WOMEN & MEN: MESSAGING GENDER  
4:30-5:30 PM | Location TBA

JUNE 9 | SUSTAINING OUR INDIVIDUAL IDENTITY  
4:30-5:30 PM | Location TBA

More info: [daria@dariadesign.com](mailto:daria@dariadesign.com) or see back table flyer.

## ISRAEL

### IAC CELEBRATE ISRAEL

Sun., May 6

### COMMUNITY-WIDE WALK IN SOLIDRITY WITH ISRAEL

Assemble at 10:30 AM | 2551 Motor Ave.

Participants MUST register online for security purposes:

<https://www.israeliamerican.org/celebrate-israel-la/walk>

Indicate you are a BDJ participant in the group box to be eligible for the exciting prize!

### CELEBRATE ISRAEL FESTIVAL

12-7 PM | Rancho Park

Visit [celebrateisraelfestival.org/LA](http://celebrateisraelfestival.org/LA) for discounted tickets.

## SHAVUOT

May 19, 20, 21

### SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE: RABBI ALEX ISRAEL

Rabbi Alex Israel teaches at Yeshivat Eretz Hatzvi & Matan, & is Director of the Community Education Program, Summer Program & the Elmad Online Study Website at the Pardes Institute. He gained rabbinic ordination from the Israeli Chief Rabbinate following study at Yeshivat Har Etzion, in addition to holding degrees from London School of Economics, the Institute of Education, London, & Bar Ilan University.

Stay tuned for Tikkun Leil lineups, the Marilyn Lowenstein lecturer, & other Shavuot programming details!

<https://www.bnaidavid.com/shavuot>

### SHIRAT CHANA

Women's Reading of Megillat Rut

Monday, May 21

Immediately following Hallel | ~9:45 AM | Social Hall

Contact [sarilynnabrams@gmail.com](mailto:sarilynnabrams@gmail.com) for more info.

## TIKKUN OLAM

### LAUNDRY LOVE

May 2 | 7:00 - 9:00 PM

Launderland | 1661 Robertson Blvd.

We are looking for volunteers age 12+ to schmooze with & help our neighbors in need of laundry services.

BDJ provides free washes, drying, and detergent.

Contact Debi Pomerantz: [debi1p@gmail.com](mailto:debi1p@gmail.com)

### BLOOD DRIVE

June 3 | 10:00-4:00 PM | BDJ Social Hall

BDJ \*always\* surpasses our expectations!  
Let's do it again!

Sign up at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) & enter sponsor code "BDJ" or contact Mina at (310) 351-8742.

### ALEXANDRIA HOUSE

Ongoing | 1 hour/week

Alexandria House, located near Koreatown, provides transitional housing to women & their children, as well as job & housing placement assistance. BDJ is partnering with Alexandria House to provide volunteer support, child care, tutoring, sports & artistic activities for residents.

To learn more and/or to volunteer, please reach out to Dan Schechter at [dansc@herbalife.com](mailto:dansc@herbalife.com) - thanks!



## COMMUNITY

### CELEBRATE MAY KIDDUSH

May 12

Are you celebrating a personal milestone? MARK YOUR SIMCHA WITH A SPONSORSHIP!

Sign up at [www.bnaidavid.com/sponsor](http://www.bnaidavid.com/sponsor) or email Adynna Swarz: [director@bnaidavid.com](mailto:director@bnaidavid.com).

### BRUNCH SOIREE & CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

June 10

At this meeting, we will reflect on the fiscal year that is closing while also setting goals for the year ahead. We will also vote on the slate of officers and board members for the upcoming fiscal year.

More details to come!

### INTER-GENERATIONAL LUNCH

May 19

Creating a true caring community starts with our getting beyond our demographic "boxes" to form friendships across generations.

Early Bird Prices until May 7!

<https://tinyurl.com/IGL2018>

Sponsored by Steve & Beth Cohen