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Announcements

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Timely synagogue information can be sent to you via e-mail. It's easy to register. On our website near the bottom of our home page, you will see "Email List Signup." Click the box below that, which says "Sign Up," to join our email list.

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BIRTHDAYS

| | | |
|---|-------------------------------|--|
| 1st Steven Jeruchimowitz | 13th Robert Rosin | 22nd Samuel Landy |
| 2nd Teddy Kantor | 14th Jerri Korn | 24th Natalie Levine |
| 3rd Steven Kass | 15th Sandra Ziss | 28th Samantha Sinyor |
| 4th Daniel Werbler | 18th Vic Schioppo | 29th Adam Isaacson |
| 7th Michele Lejfer Tola Kaplan Regina Werbler | 19th Jeffrey Levine | 30th Lynn Weiss Marshall 31st Ronald Gorsky |

ANNIVERSARIES

| | | |
|--|--|---|
| 1st Randi & Eli Kramer | 5th Elizabeth & Jeffrey Yigdal | 13th Andrea & Arthur Friedman |
| 4th Nancy & William Berger Jill & Leonard Kellner | | |

MAZEL TOVS

Dov Brodkin on his graduation from Touro University's Lander College for Men, and his achievement of being named valedictorian! Congratulations to proud parents **Rabbi Ken & Aviel Brodkin!**

Jane & Arnold Goldstein on the birth of their great-granddaughter, Devora Leiba!

Chaya Friedmann on being honored for the Names Not Numbers program at RPRY!

Aliza Brodkin on her graduation from Eighth Grade!

Jacqueline & Noah Glyn on Leora's 1st birthday!

Roberta & George Thaler on the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Samuel Cooper Thaler!

Laurie & Sam Landy on the wedding of their son Daniel to Jesse Penn-Bahar!

Yahrzeit List

| | | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| July 1 Miriam Brooker Betty Krinsky Harold Sherman Dorothy Ann Kaplan Dorothy Ann Kaplan | 25 Sivan mother of Alan Brooker mother of Joel Krinsky father of Elizabeth Sherman wife of Jerry Kaplan mother of Karen Wertheim | July 18 Cecile Gross | 12 Tammuz mother of Iris Miller |
| July 2 Morris H. Shapiro Lucille Kurlander Jack Kaplan Marilyn Greenberg Louis Schwartz | 26 Sivan father of Maxine Traiman-Beckerman mother of Alan Kurlander father of Phyllis Katz sister-in-law of Alan Dolman father of Stewart Schwartz | July 19 Betty Weinberg Joyce Abady George Burns | 13 Tammuz mother of Caryn Sherman mother of Ruth Soltanovici father of Jeffrey Burns |
| June 5 Nettie Roth | 29 Sivan mother of Vickie Amron | July 20 Isidore Ringler | 14 Tammuz father of Cheryl Schildkraut |
| July 6 Mel Stern | 30 Sivan brother of Audrey Kotkin | July 21 Jacalyn Barshay Paulina Lehrer Sylvia Rubin | 15 Tammuz sister of Nancy Kaplan relative of Eli Kramer mother of Joel Rubin |
| July 7 Yaffa Itach | 1 Tammuz sister of Moshe Benous | July 22 Cheryl Nessenson Cheryl Nessenson Morris Zelig | 16 Tammuz wife of Steven Nessenson sister of Douglas Brooks father of Leah Moskowitz |
| July 8 Goldie Roth Pinchas Reif | 2 Tammuz mother of Rochelle Epstein father of Anita Raboi | July 23 Benjamin Levine Pauline Hornstein Elaine Kuttan Arthur Friedman | 17 Tammuz father of Jeffrey Levine mother-in-law of Alvin Green relative of Aileen Minchello brother of Marvin Friedman |
| July 9 Lillian Sobel Sally Green | 3 Tammuz mother of Deborah Bluzer wife of Alvin Green | July 24 Rose Peskin | 18 Tammuz relative of Sandra Shenberg |
| July 11 Aron Lebovitz | 5 Tammuz father of Michael Lebowitz | July 25 Edna Salwen Jerome Genberg | 19 Tammuz friend of Michele Sacks friend of Steven Kass |
| July 13 Essie Rubin | 7 Tammuz mother of Alvin Rubin | July 26 Bert Linder Barbara Spring | 20 Tammuz brother-in-law of Louise Linder mother of Jayne Rosen |
| July 14 Bernard Hyman David Stern Lilly Wank Ethel Levine | 8 Tammuz friend of Rabbi Robert Pilavin father of Richard Stern grandmother of Larry Godel mother-in-law of Mitchell Strear | July 27 Marian Blum Samuel Baum | 21 Tammuz mother of Rena Brenman uncle of Harlean Enis |
| July 15 Rabbi Nathan Schorr | 9 Tammuz friend of Rabbi Robert Pilavin | July 28 Eddie Ellis | 22 Tammuz father of Steven & Herbert Ellis |
| July 16 Lillian Stern Leo Kay Sid Finkel | 10 Tammuz mother of Steven Stern father of Susan Feinstein father of Arthur Finkel | July 29 Ferenc Friedmann Colman Bilmes | 23 Tammuz father-in-law of Chaya Friedmann grandfather of Roberta Thaler |
| July 17 Saundra Paskowitz | 11 Tammuz mother of Karen Ellis | July 30 Leah Abstender Minnie Kaplan Minnie Kaplan Hillel Sadowitz | 24 Tammuz mother of Steven Jeruchimowitz mother of Jerry Kaplan grandmother of Karen Wertheim mother of David Rosen |

Yahrzeits (continued)

July 30

Simpson
Tannenbaum

24 Tammuz

father of Enid Lassman

July 31

Barry Yigdal
Mera Gitlitz

25 Tammuz

father of Jeffrey Yigdal
mother of Bernard Gitlitz

TODAH RABAH!

We wish a hearty thank you to the following individuals:

Michele Lejfer, Jefferey Lejfer, Susanna Faerman, Sharon Schioppo, David Soltanovici and Scott Tepper for your help with the Family Shabbos Dinner!

Vickie & Larry Amron for schlepping us bagels from Jackson!

David Binder for getting our electronic announcement board back up and running!

Daniella Fentin for her ongoing help with the new children’s room and lounge area.

Daughters of Israel for their generous donation to the Congregation!

Meira Brodtkin for leading our June children’s Shabbat program.

All those that participated in June Shabbos services, including leining, leading services, Gabbai duties, prayer for the government and MiSheberach readers: **Yair Alouf; Bill Berger; David Binder; Jeff Burns; Michael Katz; Michael Lebowitz; Stephen Litwok; Steven Wertheim; Martin Wisniewski and Maurice Zagha.**



Trees for Israel



Purchase trees for Israel. The cost is \$18 per tree.

TO: Marianne Boesky

In loving memory of your father, Ivan Boesky

FROM: Rhoda & Emanuel Chodosh

TO: Nurit & Stephen Litwok

In honor of the birth of your granddaughter, Libav Tamar

FROM: Jeff & Minnie Burns

CONDOLENCES

The entire **List** family on the passing of our beloved member, **Maurice “Murray” List.**

Isi Teitelbaum and the entire Teitelbaum family on the loss of Isi’s dear brother, Aaron Elazar ben Shraga Dovid z”l.

DONATIONS

Your dues make up only a small part of our synagogue’s total income. We rely upon your generous contributions and we thank the following for their tzedakah to our congregation.

“IMO” *in memory of*

“IHO” *in honor of*

RABBI’S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Ruth & Abraham Levine IHO Abraham’s aliyah

GENERAL DONATIONS

Chaya Friedmann IMO Tom Friedmann

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Cyla Karp IMO Szyja Tugentman

Joel Iserson IMO Irving Iserson

Bonnie & Steven Leff IMO Diana Penner

Robin & Irving Wander IMO Mollie Ullman

Jan & Jay Lillianthal IMO Reuven Benous

Jan & Jay Lillianthal IHO Dov Brodtkin’s graduation

Harriet Cortell IHO Dov Brodtkin’s graduation

Shelly & Larry Finkelstein IHO the birth of Devora Leiba

Shari & Scott Tepper IHO the birth of Devora Leiba

Aline & Harry Shlinger IHO grandson Meyer’s birthday

Aline & Harry Shlinger IHO grandson Moshe Yisroel’s birthday

Shari & Scott Tepper IMO Aaron Teitelbaum

Shari & Scott Tepper IHO the wedding of Daniel Landy & Jesse Penn-Bahar

Maxine Traiman-Beckerman & Bruce Beckerman IMO Morris Shapiro

Lucy & Mitchell Cohen IMO Rela Sharfer

Susan & Jeffrey Sobel IMO Seymour Miller

Vickie & Larry Amron IMO Nettie Roth

Leah Moskowitz IMO Zenaida Zelig

Leah Moskowitz IMO Morris Zelig

Sydelle & David Ehrlich

Phyllis & Ronald Nathan IMO Louis Gottschalk

Phyllis & Ronald Nathan IMO Renee Rosenberg

Sharon & Moshe Benous

Anita Raboi IHO Dov Brodtkin’s graduation

Anita Raboi IHO Shari Tepper becoming president of B’nai Israel

Anita Raboi IHO Leora Glyn’s first birthday

Anita Raboi IMO Aaron Teitelbaum

Roberta & George Thaler IHO the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Samuel Cooper Thaler

Beryl & Irv Kestenbaum IHO Irving’s Aliyah

Enid & Jay Lassman IMO Simpson Tannenbaum

Eugene Reizis IMO Michael Reizis

Richard & Elaine Stern IMO David Stern

Mitchell Strear IMO Ethel Levine

Iris Miller & Michael Lebowitz IMO Cecile Gross

Roberta & Marvin Friedman IMO Arthur Friedman

Joyce Cohen IMO Pauline Kaplan

Thank You, Thank You!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone at Congregation B’nai Israel who planned, participated and attended the May 19, 2024 celebration of naming us Couple of the Year. It was a joy being together with family and friends who gathered in our honor. Besides the festivities, we were thrilled to read all of the written well wishes in the Journal. We will cherish that document forever, and we will forever recall this event as one of the most cherished days of our lives.

Sharon & Vic Schioppo

JULY CALENDAR

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|---|---|--|--|
| | 1 25 Sivan | 2 26 Sivan | 3 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 7:30 pm 27 Sivan | 4 Independence Day Office Closed 28 Sivan | 5 ⏸ 8:12pm Office Closed 29 Sivan | 6 🕒 9:20pm Korach Bench Rosh Chodosh 30 Sivan |
| 7 1 Tammuz | 8 2 Tammuz | 9 3 Tammuz | 10 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 7:30 pm 4 Tammuz | 11 5 Tammuz | 12 ⏸ 8:09pm 6 Tammuz | 13 🕒 9:16pm Chukat 7 Tammuz |
| 14 8 Tammuz | 15 9 Tammuz | 16 10 Tammuz | 17 11 Tammuz | 18 Social Group BBQ & Schmooze 11am – 1 pm 12 Tammuz | 19 ⏸ 8:05pm 13 Tammuz | 20 🕒 9:11pm Balak Kiddush Sponsored by Harry & Aline Shlinger 14 Tammuz |
| 21 15 Tammuz | 22 16 Tammuz | 23 Fast of Tammuz Fast begins at 4:03 am and ends at 8:53pm Sisterhood Book Chat 7:15pm 17 Tammuz | 24 18 Tammuz | 25 19 Tammuz | 26 ⏸ 7:59pm 20 Tammuz | 27 🕒 9:04pm Pinchas Family Shabbat & Kiddush 21 Tammuz |
| 28 22 Tammuz | 29 23 Tammuz | 30 24 Tammuz | 31 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 7:30 pm 25 Tammuz | | | |

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Upcoming Events

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| Wednesday, July 3 7:30pm | Weekly Parsha Study with Rabbi Brodtkin (via ZOOM) (also July 10 and 31) |
| Thursday, July 18 11:00am – 1:00pm | Social Group: BBQ & Schmooze (all are welcome! Please respond to dotzy@aol.com) |
| Wednesday, July 23 7:15pm | Sisterhood Book Chat: <i>The Women</i> by Kristin Hannah (Live at CBI) |
| Saturday, July 27 10:30am | Family Shabbat & Kids' Program |
| Sunday, August 11 5:00pm | Men's Club Somerset Patriots Game (please get your ticket order into Mike Katz) |

Minyan Times – July

Saturday Mornings..... 9:00am
Sunday Mornings & legal holidays 8:30pm
Monday and Thursday mornings 7:00am
Please support our services, both in-person and via ZOOM.

NEED MINYAN ON ANOTHER DAY TO SAY KADDISH? LET US KNOW AND WE WILL ARRANGE!

ZOOM Minyans

Evenings:
Sunday through Thursday..... 8:30pm
Mornings:
Sunday & legal holidays: 8:30am
Weekdays..... 7:00am

Note: On Sunday through Friday mornings, minyan will be streamed on Zoom. On Shabbat and holidays, no Zoom.

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