



Join us and over 200 congregations nationwide in a weekend of learning in observance of
National Refugee Shabbat

March 5 - 7, 2021

Fri. March 5th - 6:15 p.m. *An Update on the Ongoing Crisis for Asylum Seekers at Our Southern Border with Guest Speaker Marti Michael.*

Last February, Rabbi Bar-Nahum, Rona and Bob Kauffman and Marti Michael traveled to the Southern border to witness the crisis first hand, and lend direct support to asylum seekers (learn what they saw, learned and did).

Hear about what has happened since that trip, and the hands-on work that continues everyday at the Mexico border.

Learn about the asylum/refugee crisis from a Jewish perspective.

What needs to happen now? What is happening now?

Learn what you can do to help.

Pre-registration Required - see details on TBT scroll.



Fri. March 5th 7:15 p.m. *TBT Refugee Shabbat Service*

Sat. March 6th - 8:00 p.m. *HIAS Havdalah*

Led by HIAS Rabbi-in-Residence Rachel Grant Meyer, Rabbi Yosef Goldman & Rabbi Annie Lewis.

Havdalah blessings "will be woven together with the voices of historical and contemporary refugees."

Enjoy a live musical performance & raise our voices in support of displaced people Worldwide.

Pre-registration required. Please register [here](#) for Saturday.

Sun. March 7th - 1:30 p.m. *HIAS Presents: Perspectives on the Global Jewish Movement for Refugees*

Learn how global Jewish communities are making tremendous differences in the lives of refugees, asylum seekers, and the forcibly displaced.

Pre-registration required. Please register [here](#) for Sunday.

For information contact Rona Kauffman at ronakauffman@yahoo.com





RITUAL COMMITTEE

Ritual Calendar - March 2021



Monday, 03/01	12:00pm	Torah Study on Zoom*
Friday, 03/05	6:15pm	Pre-Shabbat program: The Crisis at Our Southern Boarder, by Marti Michael *
	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service, Refugee Shabbat +
Saturday, 03/06	9:30am	Torah Study *
	10:30am	Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah of Samuel Brown **
	8:00pm	Havdalah led by HIAS +
Monday, 03/08	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, 03/12	5:30pm	Tot Shabbat +
	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Family Service +
Saturday, 03/13	9:30am	Torah Study *
	10:30am	Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah of Rebecca Snyder **
Monday, 03/15	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, 03/19	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service with BNTY participation +
Saturday, 03/20	9:30am	Torah Study *
	10:30am	Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah of Madison Spar **
Monday, 03/22	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Friday, 03/26	9:45am	Chametz Burning/TBT parking lot
	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Service +*
Saturday, 03/27	9:30am	Torah Study *
Monday, 03/29	12:00pm	Torah Study *



Adult B'nai Mitzvah Class

Mondays, 7:30 pm on
ZOOM

March 1, 8, 15, 22
April 12, 19, 26

April

Friday, 04/02	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Festival Service +
Saturday, 04/03	10:30am	Passover (Day 7) Festival Service, Yizkor +
Monday, 04/05	12:00pm	Torah Study *
Wednesday, 04/07	7:15pm	Yom HaShoah Service +
Friday, 04/09	5:30pm	Tot Shabbat +
	7:15pm	Erev Shabbat Family Service w/4th Grade +
Saturday, 04/10	9:30am	Torah Study *
	10:30am	Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah of Shawn Hillkewicz **



KEY: * = On Zoom (details on Scroll and Website) ** = Live Streamed on Facebook + = Zoom & FB

= To Be Determined PLEASE: Always check the TBT Website\ Calendar prior to attending for the most up-to-date information and details like times and locations of events.



INSPIRATION FROM OUR RABBI



Refugee Shabbat at TBT

This month, we will once again be participating with congregations around the nation, and with HIAS, in National Refugee Shabbat on March 5-6. This initiative grew out of a desire to bring to light the additional difficulties put in place on refugees and asylum seekers by the U.S. government. The newly inaugurated administration has reinstated some policies that were halted, and ended some other policies to bring America back to being a nation that welcomes those with nowhere else to go. Whether fleeing violence, political or religious oppression, or a life where basic needs are not met, the United States has always made space for a certain number of refugees and asylum seekers.

Though borders have been closed off more tightly due to COVID-19, there are still, according to the UN, 80 million people displaced from their homes around the world. Of those, some 26 million are classified as refugees. The goal is not to open America's doors to everyone, but to advocate for a policy that is compassionate and in keeping with our values. It's not about open borders, but borders governed by care and welcome. As Jews, we understand what it means to have borders closed on us. We know what it means to not be able to get out of a perilous situation. Too many of our family fell victim to isolationist policies in the 1930s and 1940s.

Immigration is complicated. Seeking refuge or asylum is even more complicated. There are international and federal laws that govern how our nation is supposed to respond to these requests. These requests don't get a simple yes or no. Refugee status requires years of paperwork and vetting through the UN, in an important but often Kafkaesque endeavor. Asylum seekers are entitled to enter the nation, and then make their case. The previous administration changed these rules and required asylum seekers to remain outside the border while making their claim. Last year, I had occasion to see the effects of this policy firsthand on my trip to Texas and Mexico.

On Refugee Shabbat, we'll have the opportunity to learn more about what's happening at the southern U.S. border, as we welcome Marti Michael to share a presentation before our Shabbat Service highlighting the ongoing crisis at the border. As of this writing, it seems like things are slowly beginning to change, and Marti will be able to share the most up-to-date news. The presentation before services at 6:15pm on Friday, March 5, will highlight what we saw last year at the border and discuss what happens next. During the service at 7:15pm, we'll include some additional readings and prayers to highlight the Jewish call to welcome the stranger.

This year HIAS is also including two additional events for the weekend. On Saturday evening, March 6 at 8:00pm, HIAS is hosting a Havdalah, during which we will have the opportunity to come together with hundreds of fellow refugee advocates and activists across the globe. The program will also include a live performance of the song "You Were Strangers" from the spiritual folk-rock show REVIVAL. Pre-registration is required. Please look for links in the Weekly Scroll.

Finally, on Sunday, March 7 at 1:30pm, HIAS is hosting Perspectives on the Global Jewish Movement for Refugees, an afternoon conversation about how global Jewish communities are working to make a meaningful difference. We'll hear from leaders at HIAS and other organizations working in collaboration with Jewish communities in Europe, Canada, Latin America, and the United States in support of and in solidarity with displaced people, and explore how the emergent global Jewish movement for refugees is evolving. This also requires pre-registration and the link will be in the Weekly Scroll.

We are looking forward to continuing our learning and advocacy efforts with regard to the refugee and displaced persons crisis in this world. Join us for the special weekend!

Looking forward to seeing you soon, virtually, and eventually, in person!
Rabbi Daniel Bar-Nahum



NOTES FROM OUR CANTOR



We have reached an extraordinary milestone this month. Exactly one year ago we made the heart-wrenching decision to close our building to services, programs, classes and all gatherings. It's difficult to believe that we have completed an entire year of Temple life from Shabbat and holiday services, B'nai Mitzvah, and Religious School classes; to social programming, fundraisers, and most sadly, challenging losses within our community.

Yes, we have accepted this new, and hopefully temporary normal; but on this one-year anniversary I want to pause and reflect, not on what we have lost, but what we have gained in these past twelve months.

We all found out that despite (some of us) having technical deficiencies, most of us could become proficient in online platforms, enough to educate our students and adult learners, pray with each other from our homes, connect socially with each other, share our simchas, and hold each other through difficult times.

Our community remained connected as we found ways to reach each other with gift bags delivered to our homes, shofar services at the beach, programs restructured for ZOOM, hybrid classroom learning, socially distanced programming for our youth, classes taught and hundreds of pounds of food harvested in our beautiful vegetable garden, and many events outdoors under our extended-season Sukkah.

Our streaming cameras were mounted just in time for all of us to be able to share meaningful High Holy Days together from our Sanctuary. Our Torah chanters, Haftarah chanters, and blessers deepened our most holy time of the year with their outstanding and socially distanced pre-recorded moments on the bima.

Friday night and Saturday morning B'nai Mitzvah Shabbat services streamed on Facebook, our website, and on ZOOM have brought together a continually increasing circle of the TBT community, including those who live in other parts of our country. How wonderful that B'nai Mitzvah grandparents in Florida or beyond are still able to make an *aliyah* to Torah for their grandchildren's simcha through ZOOM. We even had one grandparent recently chant his *aliyah* while quarantining in Samoa!

We know that the end of this COVID ordeal cannot come soon enough! But in the meantime, we have learned in this past year new ways to be separate and still be together. We have learned that our TBT community is so much more than the walls of our building. When we do come out of this ordeal, we will have learned many new lessons of how community happens. I am optimistic and excited to see what the new normal will be; but through all this, I am certain that our sacred TBT community will be stronger.

B'ahava (with love),
Cantor Rica Timman



Thank You!!!

I celebrated my Bat Mitzvah on January 30th. Thank you so much to all of you who took the time to participate on my day by following the service on Facebook and Zoom. Thank you also to everyone who sent cards, Uniongrams and made donations to funds at Temple in honor of my day.

Sincerely, Bridget Alterman



MAZEL TOV TO OUR B'NAI MITZVAH AND THEIR FAMILIES



March 6

Samuel Brown

Laurence & Jennifer

Samuel Brown is a kind, loving, and intelligent boy. Samuel has always sought out ways to help those around him. Everywhere we go in our community from the library to the bagel store, we are always greeted with a loud and exuberant "Sam!" He has been bringing this joy since we carried him in our harness on our chests. Samuel has made the Principal's high honor roll every quarter he has been in middle school. This is due to Samuel's constant strong effort when he has an assignment to tackle. Samuel loves to perform and sing. He has been in the youth choir since he has been in Hebrew School at TBT. He played the part of Kristoff in sixth grade and was preparing to be the emcee of the talent show when COVID-19 hit. We could not be prouder of our son as we watch him become a Bar Mitzvah!



March 13

Rebecca Snyder

Jonathan & Melissa

My name is Rebecca, but everyone calls me Becca. I am in seventh grade at Grand Avenue Middle School. I love to play sports, especially softball. I am a pitcher, and I throw best under pressure. I like to be with my friends, and I also love to draw and paint. I want to thank Morah Meredith, Mrs. Altman, Cantor Timman and Rabbi Bar-Nahum for helping me prepare for my bat mitzvah.

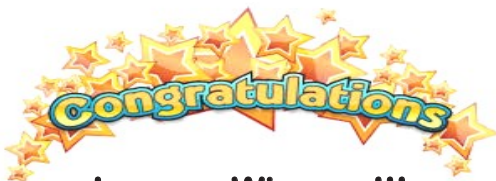


March 20

Madison Spar

Eric & Jessica

Madi Spar is in the 7th grade at Wantagh Middle School, where she continues to maintain over a 90 average. Madi's passions are the arts, with an emphasis on dance, acting & painting. Madi is a competition dancer with many awards and accolades to her credit. Madi loves spending time with her friends (even virtual), making videos, baking treats & traveling (when we can) with her family. Madi is caring & compassionate, often handing out hats, gloves & food in the cold weather to the less fortunate. Madi would like to thank Rabbi Bar-Nahum, Cantor Timman, Morah Meredith & all her Hebrew School teachers for all the help and guidance in getting prepared for her Bat Mitzvah.



January Winners!!!

2021 Cash Calendar

1/1	#716	Joni Christie
1/4	#506	Max Suckle
1/11	#368	Dee Greenberg
1/11	#368	Laurel & Adam Klein
1/15	#322	Rona Kauffman
1/16	#415	Nadine Salzman
1/28	#189	Sandy & Marty Klein
1/29	#101	Mindy Cohen

Holiday Gift donations were distributed to Family & Children Residences, Bethany House, John Theissen Center and Veteran's Services in East Meadow





PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE



March comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb. The lamb part sounds real good right now. What a winter we had at our temple. Online programming is keeping us all busy this cold and snowy winter. There are services, programs, jokes, fundraisers, sales, cooking classes and so much more.

We are seeing the light. Soon we can go outside again and sit six feet apart and see each other. We better start our COVID diets now!!! We have Passover to celebrate at the end of the month. We have two big fundraisers yet to come and soon the TBT garden will be blooming with the first signs of spring.

Passover is a time to retell the story of the Jewish people's exodus from Egypt. We too will be exiting COVID times soon and will be rejoicing in the outcome. We want to thank our reopening committee led by Tessa Kean. It is not easy to make these decisions, but we work together as a team and think of all of you in the results. Safety is our number one concern. We hope that the future will be a new beginning for the temple to have its family back.

We wait for the day it is a place of laughter, smiles and friendship. Enjoy your seders and cherish each moment with your families online or in person.

Happy Passover!
Joni Christie and Karen Friedlander co-presidents

January 5, 2021

To all of you who remembered my birthday & sent birthday wishes!

Thank you so very much!!! Much love to you all, See you after this "crazy" pandemic!

Much love always to you all!!

~Esther Philips

Temple B'nai Torah
Circle of Friends



Join us every Monday, at 3:00 pm

For fun-filled afternoons when we get together to schmooze, tell jokes, and play Bingo, or for trivia on alternate weeks.

Call Sharon Cernese for Zoom info (516) 322-8126

Open to all TBT members!





RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



Passover time again. Last year, I shared with all of you that this is one of my favorite holidays. I gave you the recipe for my Great-Grandmother Jennie's Passover Sponge cake. While telling you all about how this was one of my favorite holidays because I get to see a portion of my family that I see only once per year. Days after I wrote that article, we had to shut down our building completely for COVID.

As I'm sure you can guess, I did not see my family for Passover that year. At least, not in person. Like many of you, my family had a Zoom seder. My nuclear family, my partner, and all of my father's cousins – even the ones who can't usually join us due to time or distance – gathered around our screens and had the same seder we always have...sort of. This was still in the days of toilet paper shortages and scary grocery store runs, and I won't lie to you all; I couldn't find parsley in the store because restocks were few and far between so I brought a shaker of dried McCormick parsley to my seder "table" (it was a couch). It was a weird time, but it was lovely and special in its own way.

This year, I know I'm still not going to be able to have my whole family (we usually equal somewhere around 25) together for a Passover Seder. We live in two different countries, five different states, and three different time zones all with different infection rates and quarantine rules and everything else. We are, for sure, going to have us another Zoom seder this year. But here is another thing I know; this year will still be better than last year because even though I might not be surrounded by two dozen or so people that I love, I will almost definitely be able to sit at the table with my parents and my brother, and that is something.

As many of you probably know, I recently received my first dose of the COVID vaccine and by the time you are reading this I'll either have just received or will be getting ready for my second. Just days before my writing this, my parents and my brother received *their* second. By the time it is Pesach, the four of us will be able to safely and comfortably sit in a room together and enjoy a festive meal, likely with all of the trimmings. We are all of us very thankful that we were able to qualify (my mother as a healthcare professional, my father due to a heart condition, my brother as a police officer, and me as an educator) and are afforded this opportunity to spend this time together without fear.

All of this is to say, friends, that oftentimes, the articles I have been writing have been about hope. Hope that we can all be together soon, hope that we can return to "normal" as soon as possible, and hope that there is a light at the end of the tunnel. For me, Passover with my family is that light. I can finally start to imagine a day when we have full classrooms, and I can hear laughter and learning and children trying their best to (as Morah Emily says) embrace the phlegm and make that "ch" sound that we all try to achieve perfectly when practicing our Hebrew. This is my light.

Happy Passover, friends, and I wish you the ability to join me in finding the light.

Meredith Lubin,
TBT Director of Education & Youth Activities

2021 CASH CALENDAR NUMBERS STILL AVAILABLE!!!

Yes - the year has started. Yes - there have been winners in January.



Nadine Salzman said, "WOW, I WON WITH MY 415 birthday, and it's only January. I have 11 months more to win again!"

(Nadine has already won back her initial investment of \$18.)

Pick your 3-digit number(s) - 000 to 999 - if you match the NYS Evening Lotto Pick 3 you win \$18. You can purchase your numbers all year long... *the sooner the better.*

So, think of numbers and reasons to purchase numbers for your friends and relatives.

Put the FUN of winning into this FUNdraiser!

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address for check: _____

3- digit Pick 3 numbers: _____

Remember, you have a chance to win every day this year, but
YOU MUST BE IN IT



OUR COMMUNITY

TEMPLE B'NAI TORAH **Chai Club** and **Sisterhood** Jointly Celebrate

Women's History Month
Zoom - Thursday, March 11, 2021 **at 7:30 pm**
with Rosie the Riveter



Rosie the Riveter was one of the most famous female icons of World War II. Rosie is a composite of several women who did home defense work thus freeing male manpower for military service.

ALL WELCOME-NO CHARGE

“Rosie” is Dr. Sally Ann Drucker, an Associate Professor at Nassau Community College teaching in the Department of English and Women's Studies Program.

We will also celebrate March birthdays.

Questions? Call Joan at (516) 781-4966 or Harriet at (516) 623-0489

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3780366300?pwd=dXVKcE9yRzlhQk5ZVExqeUFnTmgvZz09>

Meeting ID: 378 036 6300

Password: 465021

Or call +1 646 876 9923



SISTERHOOD - SINGING BOWLS PROGRAM

Meditation, Anxiety Relief, Stress Management

Tuesday – March 16, 2021 – 7:30-9 PM via ZOOM

Please join us for an exciting and innovative program – Singing Bowls with Susan Gelbman. It will help you destress, relax and find your inner self. It promises to be a program you will love and will be helpful in these most stressful times.



Susan Gelbman, BA, LMT is an energy healer in many modalities. She offers sound healing with her multi-dimensional singing bowl meditations. In private practice throughout her career as a massage therapist, Susan is also an educator of massage therapy at Queensborough Community College.

She continues to hold classes and gatherings in her home and in public for many communities and individuals for the purpose of self-healing, enlightenment, health, well-being and peace.

Please RSVP by March 2, to:

Ronni Fauci – rfauci@gmail.com

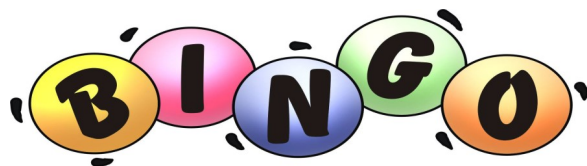
Harriet Ostroff - hnostroff@gmail.com



OUR COMMUNITY



**TBT PTA presents:
VIRTUAL Family**



SUNDAY MARCH 14th, 2021 1:00 pm

OPEN TO ALL! BRING FAMILY & FRIENDS FOR FUN,
SURPRISE GAMES & LAUGHTER!

Registration through Google forms

<https://forms.gle/LzNtCSiKQqYmiSLe6> or scan this QR code:



Admission is \$5.00 per SHEET (includes 2 BINGO CARDS PER GAME)

BINGO CARDS WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU THE DAY BEFORE THE EVENT!

LOOK FOR AN EMAIL FROM "GAME NIGHT SOCIAL"

Payments via private Venmo @princesslaurel-klein

Please write your name, email address & "TBT Bingo" in the Venmo details box OR you can send payment via check payable to TBT PTA to: Wendy Shatz 1408 Odell St. Wantagh 11793

***Last day to register via Venmo is Friday, March 12th via check Friday March 5th**

Email wendyot@aol.com with any questions



SISTERHOOD SHMOOZING



As of this writing, we are all shoveling out from our first really huge snowstorm of 2021 (and I personally hope the last).

I want to thank Ellen Kraut, Gail Rosner, Mindy Cohen and all their helpers for the amazing Shalach Manot gift giving to our entire congregation. It was sisterhood's hope that we could bring a smile to each and every congregant family, and Ellen and her team were able to put this together in a really short amount of time!

We are looking forward to our Virtual Sisterhood Seder on March 23rd. We know that having a virtual seder will be challenging, but I know that Sisterhood is well up to the task. We are looking forward to having as many women as possible helping us create this Seder and attending.

If you would like to help please email me at emilysisterhood19@gmail.com or call me at 516-647-7123.

Contact our nominating committee, chaired by Louise Ponticello at ponticellolouise@gmail.com or Caryn Suckle at caryn@suckle.net, if you would like to serve on our board, or if you just have some questions about sisterhood.

Sisterhood is having a Lottery Numbers Raffle for April 2021. It's really easy to play. Pick a number from 000-999. Each number costs \$5.00 for the entire month of April. Match the New York Lottery's Evening Pick 3 number STRAIGHT and you are a winner. We will be playing the entire month of April. Winners will receive a \$50.00 cash card which can be used anywhere. To play call Mindy Cohen at 516-804-5784. Due to COVID we will be emailing you your numbers this year.

Finally, it is not too late to sign up for the virtual Fried Women's Conference. It is a chance to meet women from all over the northeast district as well as participate in some very interesting, powerful and lively discussions. You can get more information or register at wriregistrar@wri.org or you call 212-650-4050 for more information.

B'shalom
Emily Altman
Sisterhood president



Shalom From the PTA!

By Rachel Minkowsky

Spring is on its way!

The TBT PTA is still here for everyone, too. Our PTA exists to support the Hebrew school teaching staff and all our students. You've seen us in the background during all the religious school events. That will still be true, whether the events are online or in-person. But we need you, too! Membership is critical to our continued success. All proceeds go directly to programming and materials for all our religious school children.

You're invited to our annual Family Bingo event! This year, the event is entirely virtual. Take a break from Passover preparations to enjoy some family fun. We hope to see you there!



BROTHERHOOD / MEN'S CLUB



March 2021 is now here and soon the crocus plants will begin to pop up in some of our neighbors' yards reminding us that Springtime will soon be here. After a snowy February, some warmer sunny days will be a welcome change.

The TBT Brotherhood/Men's Club had a busy February, and our board members are actively working on future events. On February 24th, we held an online Texas Holdem Poker Tournament for our members. Everyone had an enjoyable evening, and I would like to thank Anony Baroukh for so ably chairing this event.

Later this month on March 23rd, our members will be participating in our annual Brotherhood/Men's Club Seder led by Rabbi Bar-Nahum. Due to the pandemic, our Seder will be via zoom, but that will not change our pleasure in sharing this holiday with our friends. During these difficult days, the retelling of the struggles of our ancestors, and their triumph over oppression and fear, will be even more relevant.

Brotherhood/Men's Club will be offering all of our TBT congregants an opportunity to purchase Kosher Passover Wine for the holidays from the safety of their homes with curbside pick-up at the temple on Sunday, March 21st, thanks to the efforts of Eric Altman and Vic Wurtzel. We are offering a large variety of brands including Bartenura, Baron Herzog, Manischewitz, Kedem, Barkan, as well as other, lesser-known brands. Selections include Chardonnay, Moscato, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinot Grigio, White Zinfandel, Concord Grape and several others. Whether you are a "traditionalist" in your wine preference, or looking for a new experience, you will find just the right wines to share with friends and family. I know our family order will include a bottle of Sabra Chocolate Orange Liqueur. Please check the TBT Scroll and The Voice for the Passover Wine Sale Flyer. *Please note: Wine Orders Must Be Received at the Temple Office No Later Than March 7th!* Let me thank you in advance for your support of this fundraiser.

Planning is also beginning for the Brotherhood/Sisterhood Shabbat Service which will be held via Zoom on April 30th. Please mark your calendar for this service. We look forward to seeing many of our TBT friends at the service.

Wishing you all a wonderful Passover Holiday.

Regards,

Richard Tepper

President TBT Brotherhood/Men's Club



TBT/Chai Club Kosher Food Drive Janis Beldner Delivering food to Pantry at Beth OHR



"You're right, Esther- Haman is a better advisor while on mute."



CHAI CLUB & CIRCLE OF FRIENDS



We hoped everyone enjoyed our two February programs, A Musical Presentation, by JayCee Driesen Singing Love Songs for Valentine's. and Speaker, Liz Roper - Why the Chosen People Choose Chow Mein. Chai Club will continue to provide our temple with interesting and informative programs for the rest of the year.

On behalf of the Chai Club, Joan and I would like to thank Rabbi Bar-Nahum and the TBT Ritual Committee for allowing Chai Club members to participate in a special Shabbat- Friday, February 19th. Chai Club members were delighted to read the prayers and given an opportunity to provide a "Drash," interpreting the Torah portion for the week.

Coming up in March, April and May

Thursday, March 11th, 7:30pm-9:00pm, A Joint Program with Sisterhood, celebrating Women's History Month: Sally Drucker Presents, "Rosie The Riveter." Rosie was a fictional character during World War II who provided women of all ages a sense of pride that they, too, as well as the men, were contributing to the war effort. Please see the Flyer in this issue (page 8) for more information and the ZOOM link.

Don't Forget! Temple Community Zoom Second Seder is Sunday, 6:00pm, March 28th.

On Monday night, April 19th Chai Club will sponsor the ZOOM program, "Broadway - The Jewish Legacy." Watch the Scroll for detailed Zoom information.

We have signed up Singer Bonnie Rapp to perform for us, Monday, May 24th at 7:30. Bonnie provides a sweet selection of Broadway Show tunes. Watch for more information as we get closer to the event.

SA/SJ and Chai Club are continuing the Kosher Food Drive! Bring your items to the temple and place in the box provided. Kosher products will be donated to the Congregation Beth-Ohr Food Kitchen in Bellmore. Many thanks to Janis Beldner and Rona Kauffman for making this possible. You may e-mail janisbeldner@gmail.com for more information.

Joan and Brian Levy, Co-presidents, sea1983jl@gmail.com, bellobl@gmail.com



As Co-Presidents of Circle of Friends, we would like to take this opportunity to talk to the congregation about the terrific group of people who comprise this active arm of the Temple.

We are a social group that complements the other arms of the Temple. Our mission is to promote Judaism, to foster closer friendships among our members, and in cooperation with *Temple B'nai Torah*, be a mentor for social and educational activities. We have members of all ages, marital statuses, and religious backgrounds. We provide Temple members with the opportunity to meet a group of highly talented and interesting individuals. Membership will offer a mind-stretching adventure whose end is not yet in sight. In addition to having a year full of entertaining functions, you will be making friends with active Temple members who will make your time at the Temple enjoyable. So, if you are ready to embark upon the boundless sea of adventure, you are welcome to join with us.

We would also like to thank the many members who performed in February's Hollywood Squares as well as the huge number of members who came to view our program. We would also like to thank the members who gave of their time and talents to make the Erev Shabbat Service with Circle of Friends participation a success – our readers, singers, and clergy.

Thanks to all.
Sharon & Ben Cernese





BROTHERHOOD/ MEN'S CLUB PASSOVER WINE

ORDER FORM



Kosher Wines 750ml

<input type="checkbox"/> Bartenura Moscato D'Asti	\$16.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Bartenura Pinot Grigi	\$14.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Baron Herzog Cabernet	\$12.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Baron Herzog Merlot	\$12.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Baron Herzog Chardonnay	\$12.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Baron Herzog Chenin Blanc	\$12.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Baron Herzog White Zinfandel	\$11.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Kedem Malaga	\$8.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Manischewitz Concord Grape	\$9.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Manischewitz Cream White	\$9.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Barkan Classic Pinot Noir	\$13.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Barkan Classic Chardonnay	\$13.00

YOUR TOTAL COST

Name _____ E-mail address _____

Address _____ Phone # _____

Circle the wine you select, and put the number of bottles next to each wine.

Add up the total cost and place it in the line under YOUR TOTAL COST

Enclose your order form with your check made payable to:

TBT Brotherhood in an envelope addressed to Brotherhood, Richard Tepper OR pay by VENMO to @Scott-Kohn-3

Wine orders must be into the Temple Office no later than March 7th.

Wine will be available for pick up at the Temple on March 21st - 9am-11am

If you are not available on March 21st, please call Eric Altman at 516-351-3279 or Vic Wurtzel at 516-639-9085 to arrange to pick up your wine.



SOCIAL ACTION



Social Action/Social Justice Committee

Many thanks to those of you who participated in our **Warm Winter Wishes** project and took the time to send cards, letters, and drawings to the residents of the Meadowbrook Care Center. Please know how appreciated they were. Feel free to continue to send these offers of caring connection. Isolation is particularly hard on the elderly and just knowing that someone is thinking about them goes a long way!

Civic Engagement does not end at the ballot box. Learning about current issues and communicating with elected officials allows us to participate in the legislative process and increases representation of Jewish values. A number of on-line conferences have highlighted recent or upcoming legislative issues. For example, the **RAC-NY** has selected **Less is More** as their 2021 legislative campaign. This campaign focuses on racial justice as it relates to the justice system. For more info see <https://www.lessismoreny.org/>

On February 17 we presented a **Virtual Docent-Led tour** of the Jewish Museum's Exhibition: We Fight to Build a Free World and follow-up discussion. We saw how artists have portrayed their reactions "to the rise of authoritarianism and xenophobia as well as racism, anti-Semitism, and other forms of bigotry," learned about viewing important socio-cultural issues through an artist's lens, and discussed our own responses to the material presented. Thank you all for a lively and informative exploration of the role artists play in highlighting social justice concerns.

TBT is proud to participate, along with over 200 congregations nationwide in HIAS' **National Refugee Shabbat**. We have a full weekend of offerings highlighting the plight of refugees and asylum seekers and the Jewish community's response in addressing our responsibility to "Welcome the Stranger." See the Flyer in this issue of the Voice and on the scroll for details.

The official re-opening of the **Garden at TBT** is scheduled for **Sunday, March 21**. Sign up to be a garden volunteer and take part in the multitude of mitzvot made available there. A sign-up form is in this issue of the Voice.

Passover begins March 27th. The themes associated with Passover lead directly to calls for social action and social justice. These themes include "hunger, homelessness, oppression and redemption." There is much you can include in your observance of Passover that highlights the needs others and of Tikkun Olam. See HIAS, <https://www.hias.org/blog/celebrating-passover-during-pandemic-same-different>, Reform Judaism, <https://reformjudaism.org/passover-social-action-guide>, <https://rac.org/passover-and-social-justice-resources>, and AJWS, <https://ajws.org/who-we-are/resources/holiday-resources/passover/global-justice-haggadah/> for suggestions and resource materials.

SAVE THE DATE! Mitzvah Day is Sunday, May 23. Since we will not be able to have an indoor Mitzvah Day, we are planning outdoor activities as well as do-ahead activities that can be completed at home and brought to TBT on Mitzvah Day. Stay tuned for details.

Other ongoing activities: Brotherhood's **eyeglass collection** (Lion's club) and **personal care items** (troops); **Chai Club's** continuing **kosher food** collection.

Your input is always welcome and there is an open invitation to join the Social Action/Social Justice committee. Our next SA/SJ ZOOM meeting is **March. 9th, 7-8 pm**, followed by a TEVA meeting 8-9. For information about the Social Action/Social Justice Committee, TEVA, or any of our projects contact Rona Kauffman at ronakauffman@yahoo.com



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OUR COMMUNITY



Welcome to the The Garden at TBT Re-opening on March 21st, 2021



Time to sign up to **volunteer** for the Spring season at the Garden!
We need helpers of all ages and abilities. If you are interested,
complete the form below and return it to SA/SJ at the TBT office, and someone will get
back to you shortly.

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

(if under 18) Parent's Name, phone and email: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Check the tasks that you may be interested in doing:

_____ seeding _____ planting _____ raking _____ weeding _____ watering
_____ tool care (what's working, what needs replacing, returning tools to their place)
_____ painting _____ construction _____ delivering to pantries or others
_____ computer input (keeping garden spreadsheets and information up to date)
_____ publicity _____ community outreach _____ demonstrations/classes
_____ fund Raising _____ event planning. _____ volunteer coordination
_____ other (specify) _____

Please indicate your best time to volunteer:

_____ Weekday mornings _____ Saturday afternoons _____ Sunday mornings
_____ Other (please specify) _____

We are still practicing social distancing. So the number of volunteers on site at any given time will be limited. Masks must be worn and social distancing must be observed.

For more information contact Rona Kauffman at ronakauffman@yahoo.com



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OUR COMMUNITY

SELLING OF CHAMETZ

According to tradition, Jews are not allowed to have in their possession any chametz (leaven) during Passover. Literally, this means that before Passover, we must throw out all breads, cakes, cookies, dishes, pots, pans, anything that was used during the year, and any foods not permitted during Passover.

Recognizing the financial burden this would create, the Rabbis instituted the tradition of "*m'chirat chametz*" - selling of the chametz". By observing this tradition, a Jew can symbolically sell all his/ her chametz to a non-Jew for the period of Passover, and thus, technically, not own any chametz.

According to tradition, during our preparation for Passover, we place all our chametz (dishes and food) in a closet or cabinet that is not opened during the holiday. However, we still technically own the chametz. Therefore, on the morning before Passover (or two days before if Passover starts on Saturday evening), it is customary for us to symbolically sell our chametz.

You may fulfill the obligation of selling your chametz by filling in the coupon below, clipping it, and returning it to the Temple office. Your name will be added to the document that legally (in terms of tradition) relieves you of chametz ownership. You will have then fulfilled your obligation.

Please include at least one dollar with the coupon. This money collected will be passed on to the non-Jew buying the chametz in keeping with the tradition of paying the non-Jew for the service he/she is rendering. His/her deposit for the purchase of the chametz will be paid to the Rabbi.

According to tradition, the remnants of our chametz (bread, cookies, food, etc.) are burned the morning before the first Seder. Since the first Seder falls on Saturday evening, March 27, 2021, chametz will be burned Friday morning, March 26th. If you have any chametz you would like disposed of in this manner, please bring it to the Temple no later than Friday morning, March 26, 2021, by 9:45 am, and join us in our "*Bi-Ur chametz*", the burning of chametz.

Please return the attached coupon to the Temple office no later than 9:30am, on Friday, March 26, 2021.

- CLIP AND RETURN -

I hereby authorize Daniel S. Bar-Nahum, Rabbi of Temple B'nai Torah, to sell any chametz that I own, or is in my possession (including transit goods that would be delivered to me during the period March 26 to April 3/4, 2021, inclusive), and to rent the locality where my chametz is stored, to a non-Jew of his choosing. The buyer has free access to the chametz acquired by him/her.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____



OUR COMMUNITY



It's Spring, therefore, it is Passover and thankfully warmer weather!

SELLING AND BURNING OF CHAMETZ

According to Jewish tradition we are obligated to sell all our chametz (leavened products) before Passover. To fulfill this obligation, you may sell your chametz through the Temple. Look for the flyer and coupon in the Voice and the Scroll.

Also, according to tradition, the remnants of our chametz (bread, cookies, food, etc.) is burned the morning before the first Seder. If you have any chametz you would like disposed of in this manner, please bring it to the Temple no later than Friday morning, March 26, 2021, by 9:45 am, and join us in our "*Bi-Ur hametz*", the burning of chametz.



JOIN US FOR THESE SEDER EVENTS:

Don't forget to RSVP.

Contact Amy Neidle; 516-579-6311, agneidle@gmail.com

SECOND NIGHT PASSOVER COMMUNITY SEDER

Seder led by Rabbi Bar-Nahum and Cantor Timman with community participation.

Open to all members of our community and the community at large.

Festivities begin at 6:15 pm Sunday, March 28th.

MEN'S PASSOVER SEDER

A Perspective Different from the Traditional Seder.

Discussion and Seder led by Rabbi Bar-Nahum.

Festivities begin at 7:30 pm Tuesday, March 23rd.

SISTERHOOD WOMEN'S SEDER

A participatory Seder led by the Sisterhood Women

Festivities begin at 6:00 on Tuesday, March 23rd.



Look for the flyers on the Scroll and the Voice.



OUR COMMUNITY



Join Us for Our Annual
Sisterhood Women's Seder and Dinner
Welcoming All Moms, Daughters, Grandmothers



Tuesday, March 23, 2021

Seder will begin at 6:15 PM in the comfort of your home.

- ♦ The Seder is open to all TBT women, relatives, friends and of course, daughters
- ♦ Please RSVP by March 9th

Contact Emily Altman at EmilyAltman19@gmail.com or 516-647-7123 with any questions. You can RSVP by emailing me, or leaving your form in the Temple envelope on the bulletin board, or by mail to Emily Altman, 3 Kenwood Drive, Massapequa, NY 11758.

SISTERHOOD Women's Seder

Please print all information clearly - RSVP by March 9, 2021

Member Name: _____ Phone#: _____

Email address: _____

This will be our first virtual Seder with plenty of opportunity to sing, dance at home and of course, help us lead the seder.

Hope to see everyone on March 23rd.



OUR COMMUNITY



Temple B'nai Torah
celebrates our
1st Lawn Chair Auction
Sunday, May 2, 2021
FUNDRAISER



in the Temple B'nai Torah parking lot
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Preview online (site TBD)

11am - Sales will begin

1pm - Auction Begins

Over 125 Raffle prizes and 50/50!



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-----Return Bottom-----

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

of Raffle Sheets: _____ - \$ _____

Total: = \$ _____

Email address: _____

Return/Mail to above Temple address

Attention: Joni Christie (516)996-0948



OUR COMMUNITY

Talk about laughter – it's what we needed, and we delivered in a big way, as TBT's Fundraising Committee presented "Don't Make Me Laugh," a night which was truly fun for all.

Many familiar faces, and some new ones volunteered to entertain us on Saturday, Jan. 23rd. The night was a tremendous success! A HUGE thank you to our very funny comics. Familiar faces included Barbara Held, Les Kule, Lewis Zimmerman, Max Parker, Alyssa Grossman, Steve Epstein and Dan Rosner. We welcomed Mel Wyllins and Les Degen to the group as well and thank them for their time!

Our fantastic MC for the evening, Ben Diamond, entertained us with songs and humor and helped the evening to flow perfectly. It was wonderful to see everyone's faces and to hear everyone's laughter in unison.

I would like to thank all of our comics and the Fundraising Committee for taking care of all the details! We thank you, the audience who supported this event to the tune of over \$1900!! Whoo hoo – fun and fundraising! Can't beat that!

Thank you,

Dee Greenberg, Temple Fundraising VP



TBT Membership Committee

We're Listening...Just Ask!

Your Membership committee is dedicated to making your connection to TBT a fulfilling one. We want all our congregants to know that we're **here** for you and we do **hear** you.

Each month, we'll ask you to let us know of any concerns, questions or issues that you have, related to temple life, but may not know who to ask. We can help you get the answers to all the "who's", "how's", "where's" and "why's" of TBT regarding committees, rituals, ways to get involved, etc.

You may be wondering:

How do I...?

Who do I talk to about...?

Where do I go for...?

Why is this done...?

We'll publish questions and responses in this space in "The Voice" or, if it's a more personal question, we'll reply directly to you. Questions can be emailed to bstcls512@aol.com, or mailed to temple, "Attn: Membership Committee Questions". You're welcome to either identify yourself or remain anonymous. *Our goal is to make everyone feel comfortable in our temple home!*



OUR COMMUNITY

Bar/Bat Mitzvah UNIONGRAMS

The following is a list of the boys and girls who will be celebrating their Bar/Bat Mitzvah **Apr. 10, 2021** through **June 19, 2021**. Circle the names of those to whom you would like to send congratulations and PRINT your name and SHORT sentiment as you want it to appear on the Uniongrams. Please return the list promptly with **\$1.25** for each Uniongram made payable to **TEMPLE B'NAI TORAH SISTERHOOD** and **MAIL** to **Laurel Klein, 2390 Penatiquit Ave., Seaford, NY 11783, at least 2 weeks prior to the event.**

<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHILD'S NAME</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>
Apr. 10	(M) Shawn Hillkewicz	Todd & Elana
Apr. 17	(F) Marisa Plavin (M) Harrison Ian Haber	Mark & Dana Alan & Randi
Apr. 24	(M) Kason Ladd	David & Tiffany
May 8	(M) Brady Wolken	Brian & Deborah
May 15	(F) Sydney Melnick	David & Elisha
June 5	(F) Sarah Scotch	John & Kimberly
June 19	(M) Noah Brandoff (M) Everett Gabel	Rick & Lisa Ivan & Tracey

_____ Uniongrams @ 1.25each _____

PLEASE PRINT _____

PLEASE NOTE: All Uniongrams requested must be submitted **TWO WEEKS IN ADVANCE**, either by mail or left in the Uniongram box in the Temple office. **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE CASH IN MAIL BOX.** We cannot be responsible for lost money.



SCHOLARSHIPS FOR OUR STUDENTS

There are many scholarships available for our students. They can be used for camps, weekend programs, school programs, and any other student programs. However, we have a system to apply for these scholarships here at TBT. You must go to Sue-Ellen in the office and ask for a scholarship form. Fill it out with the help of your parent (if needed) and return it to the office. The Temple scholarship

Committee will review it and issue a scholarship from the proper committee. I promise everyone who requests a scholarship will receive one.

Please do not request any scholarship from any other arm or committee. All requests must come from the office as noted above. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call the office. Students, have a great experience wherever you go.
Rita, From the Scholarship Committee



TZEDAKAH

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Joel Neidle from Sheryl Jacobs

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In honor of:

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Jacob Wexler from Sisterhood Sunshine

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In memory of

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Bat Mitzvah of Rebecca Snyder from Jonathan & Melissa Snyder
Bat Mitzvah of Madison Spar from Eric & Jessica Spar

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Herman "Hy" Weiner, member, legacy Suburban Temple
Jerome Konsker, former president TEEM
Steven LoNigro, brother of Lucille Siegel, uncle of James LoNigro
Steven Forman, son of Edith Forman



Simcha (Hebrew: שמחה *simhāh*; Hebrew pronunciation: [sim'χa], Yiddish pronunciation: [ˈsimχə]) is a Hebrew word that means gladness, or joy, and is often used as a given name.

Have you recently celebrated a simcha...

A life event; engagement, marriage, the birth of a child or a grandchild, there are so many celebrations. Anything that has brought happiness and joy; graduation, Bar/Bat Mitzvah, the list is endless! Share your news with your Temple B'nai Torah fellow congregants. Everyone loves exciting news!

You can email the TBT voice at jport1029@gmail.com, and we will share the news!!



YAHREZEITS

William Dayton from Ellie Dayton & Family
Henriette Abrams from Ellie Dayton
Sylvia Keats from William Keats
Shirley Krevis from Beverly & Marshall Diamond
Lou Krevis from Beverly & Marshall Diamond
Ben Lieber from Beverly & Marshall Diamond
Miriam Itzkowitz from Allan Itzkowitz
Howard Newberg from J. Eileen Newberg
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Roberta Mates from Ellen & Richard Goolnick
Selma Fink from Cindy Fink
Yetta Eisman from Barbara Kitay
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Stanley Stern from Elaine Tamsen
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Rose K. Levy from Edward Horowitz
Rhoda Rosen from Bonnie Skibins
Joseph Schneider from The Toscano Family
Natalie Skibins from Richard Skibins
Irene Diamond from Mitchell Diamond
Elisa Rachel Pomeranz from Peter Pomeranz
Celia Newman from Harriet & George Bernstein
Sidney Saltzman from Yvette & Harvey Consor
Eli Blum from Hannah Schrier
Betty Barros from Jane & Walter Oberman
George J. Pomerantz from Cheryl Popper
Philip Bronfeld from Marcia Kirschner
Stanley Weber from Amy Weiner
Sarah Bossert from Samantha Getreu
Loretta Post from Jerome Post
Etta Friedfeld from Jerome Post
Adele Dolgenos from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Leonard Dolgenos from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Rose Schmelkin from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Harry Schmelkin from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Sara "Syd" Douglas Rosenblum from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Joseph Schoenberg from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Blanche Schoenberg from Jay & Diane Schoenberg
Sidney Douglas from Jay & Diane Schoenberg

Max Solomon from Harvey & Rita Drucker
Edith Brooks from Harvey & Rita Drucker
Greta Van Aalten from Beth, Jeff, Adam & Ian Cohen
Emil Levy from Brian & Joan Levy
Louis Lowenfeld from Babette Gaines
William Albert from Harvey Albert
David Lewis Berk from Helene Berk
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Leo Eimer from Gail Foldes
Jerry Nelson from Irene Nelson
Mary Ortenberg from Irene Nelson
Gail Levin from Beth & Josh Levin
Helen Derry from Micky Alterman
Vivian Dienstag from Ellen & Peter LeNoble
Margaret Oberman from The Oberman Family
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Sarah Albert from Harvey Albert
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SPECIAL FUNDS AND DONATIONS

The giving of Tzedakah for a birth, birthday, Bar/Bat Mitzvah, wedding, anniversary, or death is part of our heritage. Your generosity provides for Temple B'nai Torah to sustain programs for our members. An inscribed card is mailed to the person named, acknowledging your gift. We thank you for your donation.

For either the *Rabbi's Discretionary Fund* or *Cantor's Discretionary Fund* or any of the Endowment Funds, please make your check payable to the fund; for all other fund donations, please make your check payable to TEMPLE B'NAI TORAH, 2900 Jerusalem Avenue, Wantagh, NY 11793-2025.

Below is an up to date list of temple funds. Some funds from all legacy congregations have been combined with Temple Board and family approval.

<i>Adult Education Fund</i>	Funds used to sponsor Adult Ed. Programs.
<i>Adult Library and the Rabbi Deanna Pasternack Children's Library Fund</i>	Funds used for purchases for our library.
<i>Beautification Fund</i>	Funds used for the upkeep of the building & grounds.
<i>Bishop Family B'nai Mitzvah/Religious School Fund</i>	Funds used for Bar/Bat Mitzvah and school programs
<i>Blau (Matthew) Drama Fund</i>	Funds used for the Temple Show (E.Solomon oversees)
<i>Blumenkranz (Fred) Fund</i>	Funds used for the eternal light
<i>Caring/Mitzvah Makers Fund</i>	Funds used by the mitzvah makers.
<i>Chapel Fund</i>	Funds used to beautify/maintain our sanctuary
<i>College Fund</i>	Funds used for our college students to celebrate Jewish holidays via mailings and gifts.
<i>Floral Fund</i>	Funds used for sanctuary flowers.
<i>Friedman Stage Fund</i>	Funds used for the upkeep of the stage.
<i>General Fund/Gift of Love</i>	Funds used for the running of our temple.
<i>Goldblatt Fund for the Disabled</i>	Funds used for adaptive equipment for physically challenged.
<i>Holocaust Memorial Fund</i>	Funds used to maintain our memorial and Holocaust section of the library and, provide special youth scholarships.
<i>Lowell Golden Center Fund</i>	Funds used for mailroom equipment
<i>Music Fund in Memory of Cantor Walter Lewis</i>	Funds used for special musical events.
<i>Past President's Fund</i>	Funds used to purchase plaques for past presidents.
<i>Prayer Book Fund</i>	Funds used to purchase new prayer books.
<i>Rabbi Raab Fund</i>	Funds for youth programs.
<i>School Enrichment</i>	Funds used for Jewish education
<i>Social Action /Social Justice Rosenheck Memorial Fund</i>	Funds used to promote social action and justice



SPECIAL FUNDS AND DONATIONS

Tallit Fund	Funds used to clean tallit
Torah Fund	Funds used to pay for repair of religious articles
Tot Shabbat Fund	Funds used for our tiny tots program
Tzedakah Fund	Funds used for Tzedukah.
Torah Fund	Funds used to pay for repair of religious articles
Tot Shabbat Fund	Funds used for our tiny tots program
Tzedakah Fund	Funds used for Tzedukah.
Youth Activities Com. Fund	Funds used for our temple youth.
Weinstein (Bernard) Fund	Funds used for Youth/Conclave.

Special Memorial Funds

Judy Bardavid Fund (Gift is given to worthy confirmand)
Stephen Bigman Fund
Harvey Beller Fund (Administered by Brotherhood-provides an award to a worthy student)
Harvey Cohen Fund (Temple supplies at the discretion of the Cohen Family)
Steven Cohen Fund (Temple supplies at the discretion of the Cohen Family)
Edwin Kaminsky Fund
Doris and Ed Kliegman Adult Education Fund (Fund used for adult education programs)
Matthew Klein Fund
Dr. Pat Kussoy Fund (Fund used for youth camps, particularly the disabled)
Rose Lowenberg Fund
Rose Mandel Holocaust Fund
Ellen Paley Fund
Rabbi Raab Fund (Fund used for summer camp scholarships)
Scherzer Fund-Youth Fund
Helen Solomon Fund (Fund used at discretion of Martin & Elliot Solomon)
Yucht Scholarship Fund (Funds used for a gift for a deserving confirmand)
Zelman Fund
I. Zuckerman Fund

Temple B'nai Torah DONATION FORM (Include with your donation.)

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To (which fund) _____

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Person to be Notified of Donation _____

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March 12	5:42 pm
March 19	6:49 pm
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MITZVAH DAY
Sunday May 23

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We will provide outdoor, at-home and do-ahead activities. Directions will be provided and plans for the safe distribution of the items created will be arranged.

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information/instructions/opportunities.