



August 19, 2025

A Note From Our Chair

What amazing weather we have been having this summer in our little neck of the woods. Although it's still warm I am starting to feel that fall is just around the corner. So before we get back into the full swing of things, I wanted to let everyone who is planning on attending the talk with Josh Landau from CIJA know where we will be meeting. Please come for the talk at 4pm on Thursday July 21st, 2025 to the 3rd floor of the Collingwood Public Library.

Our first challah bake since before the summer break will be held on Monday September 8th, 2025 from 6-8 pm at the Collingwood

Public Library. Cost is \$18/per person. Must pre-pay and register ahead of the event. Please send e-transfer to shalom@sgbjc.ca. RSVP to Dr. Rebecca Henry at drrebeccahenry@gmail.com as spaces are limited.

Please bring:

- 1 Two tea towels
- 2 Large Mixing Bowl
- 3 Two measuring cups (2-cup size)
- 4 8-9 inch springform pan
- 5 Mixing spoon



SEPTEMBER 8TH, 6PM TO 8PM COLLINGWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Make sure to register to reserve your spot

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STAY IN TOUCH!

We will provide all the ingredients. Leave with a crown challah ready for the oven-perfect for your holiday table!

We have a very special event coming just around the corner. This fall, we invite you to come together as a community to celebrate, connect, and support a cause that will shine for generations.

On October 4th, join us at Libermanor Orchard for an afternoon filled with live music, fresh food, apple picking, and family moments- all to help raise funds for a two beautiful menorahs for downtown Collingwood and Thornbury.

Our menorahs will be more than seasonal symbols. They will stand each Hannukah as beacons of light, hope, and togetherness, bringing visibility to Jewish life in the Southern Georgian Bay and offering us all a place to gather and celebrate every year. We can't do it without you!



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Libermanor Orchard Apple Picking Fundraiser

What's Happening: RAIN OR SHINE come dressed for the occasion. **Live Music:** Avery Florence - soulful, heartfelt, and perfect for a fall afternoon.

Professional Family Photography: Kianna Sunshine - capture a beautiful orchard moment.

Apple Picking: Macintosh, Cortland and Spy Apples

Food Vendor: Misfits Bodega: Delicious fall and apple inspired

menu, cash only.

Tickets to be purchased through Eventbrite:

https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/menorah-fundraiser-at-libermanor-orchard-tickets-1603566132469?utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-medium=discovery&utm-term=listing&utm-source=cp&aff=ebdsshcopyurl

\$20/per adult which includes a canvas bag full of apples of your picking. Kids 12 and under are free. Additional canvas bags of apples are \$20 per bag.

Your support makes all the difference!

Ticket sales are just the beginning. To help us reach our fundraising goal, additional donations of any amount are deeply appreciated. Every contribution, large or small, brings us closer to lighting up our towns with menorahs we can all take pride in.

Let's make October 4th a celebration of community spirit, tradition, and light. Your presence, generosity, and support will ensure our menorahs will shine brightly for years to come. Please note that any donations over \$100 will be eligible for a charitable tax receipt. We are currently accepting emails with pledges for donations of over \$100 at shalom@sgbjc.ca

Stay tuned for more exciting programs and events for the up coming holidays!

Am Israel Chai!

Rashell Feldman Chair of the SGBJC SGBJC Newsletter Highlights

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How to become a member and support our community

To become a member of the Southern Georgian Bay Jewish Community, simply sign up on our website and submit your yearly membership dues of \$180. You can send your payment via e-transfer to shalom@sgbjc.ca, or if you prefer, mail a cheque made out to "Southern Georgian Bay Jewish Community" to 307 Pine Street, Collingwood, ON, L9Y 2P4. Your membership helps support our ongoing efforts to provide Jewish education, programming, and community events. We thank you for your support and look forward to welcoming you as a member of our community!

Are you a member of our members-only Facebook group yet?

There are lots of ways to stay in touch. We will continue to send out our regular newsletters. Don't forget to check out our members-only private Facebook group "Southern Georgian Bay Jewish Community" and our public Instagram account @sgb_ic





Have any ideas for future events?

Our executive team meets regularly to plan events and liaise with outside organizations. If you have any suggestions for future activities, keep them coming by emailing shalom@sgbjc.ca.

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