



The Shofar

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Cantor's Concert

June 13th @ 7:00 PM

Do you remember the fun times you had listening to music of the 60s, 70s and 80s? Join us on June 13th @ 7:00 PM when we will be holding our first Concert in the Park (parking lot that is) at Temple Or Elohim, A Community Reform Congregation. Cantor Katz and his incredibly talented accompanists, including members of the Captain Jack band, will make this a special evening. All of us will be dancing and singing to such songs as "Peaceful Easy Feeling," "Here Comes the Sun" and "American Pie". Every year the Cantor comes up with a musical idea for all to enjoy. If you have been to one of his previous concerts you know they are incredible but this year promises to be laid back and relaxing and will bring us all together to enjoy a carefree evening of fun.

Our Safety Task Force will make sure that we follow all the current CDC guidelines and not take any unnecessary risks. For those of you who want to watch from home, we will also be streaming the event with a protected password. Just register and pay online, through the mail or in person to receive your passcode or tickets. It is just a click away at <https://orelohim.com/event-registration>.

We are looking forward to seeing you then and if you have any questions or concerns, COVID or otherwise, please don't hesitate to contact Laurel Fried @ 516-794-0036 or friedworks@gmail.com.

Come join the fun!

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We encourage our members to submit articles, photos and simchas for us to include in future issues.

We would love to include any good news you have to share in our **Tell and Kvell** section. Please let us know of weddings, births, awards, etc.

Please forward all such information to:

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Our expanded and redecorated Temple can accommodate your celebration: Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Kiddush, Havdalah Service, Luncheon, Wedding, Bris and all other types of parties.

Shawn and Scott will be happy to help you plan a memorable occasion for your family.

Please contact Hasson Caterers to consider having your simcha at Temple Or Elohim. **(516) 937-0120 or 0121**

Thoughts & Prayers:

We offer our prayers of healing and heartfelt thoughts to acknowledge those of us who have had an illness or are in need of healing (mind, body and soul).

Please do not hesitate to contact Rav Judy, Cantor Katz or our Caring Committee.

Sponsor an Oneg:

A special way to celebrate your family's simcha is by sponsoring a Friday night oneg. Your sponsorship will be acknowledged in the pamphlet and announced from the Bimah. You will not only be making a wonderful gesture on behalf of your family, but will be helping out your Temple as well.

Please call Deena Yaris at (516) 433-0771.

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Services Schedule:			
Fri.	June 4	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	June 5	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	June 11	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	June 12	Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah Brandon Zeller	10:00 AM
Fri.	June 18	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	June 19	Shabbat Service Bar Mitzvah Nate Feinstein	10:30 AM
Fri.	June 25	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	June 26	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	July 2	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	July 3	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	July 9	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	July 10	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	July 16	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	July 17	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	July 23	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	July 24	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	July 30	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	July 31	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	Aug 6	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	Aug 7	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	Aug 13	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	Aug 14	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	Aug 20	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	Aug 21	Shabbat Shalom	
Fri.	Aug 27	Erev Shabbat Service	7:30 PM
Sat.	Aug 28	Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah Melanie Goldberg	10:00 AM

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CALL AND TELL US If there is a death or illness in the family
 Daytime – Temple Office (516)433-9888
 Otherwise – Rav Judy (516)662-0194 or Cantor Katz at (516)849-1332

Consultations with the clergy before final scheduling of services will help ensure availability.

President's Message:

Traveling Back To Normalcy

We are about to finish the Temple year on a high note - literally! On Sunday, June 13th at 7 pm the Cantorial Concert will be held outdoors in a big open tent that will be set up right in our parking lot. All CDC guidelines will be followed. More information can be found in this Shofar issue. We are counting on you to be there, hopefully in-person, but otherwise via streaming. Cantor Katz never fails to deliver a fabulous, not-to-be-missed show, full of musical surprises and unexpected treats. So, let's all get "Happy Together" on June 13th.



There is no Shofar issue during the summer, but we keep our website and our Facebook page up to date. Keep checking us out! Don't forget to mark your calendars for Friday, September 24th for the much-anticipated return of "Shabbat Under The Stars". It's always a memorable evening of food, music and spirituality, and like the Cantorial Concert, all safety guidelines will be followed. Be there or be square!

Our Friday night, Bar/Bat Mitzvah and special holiday services have been full of joyous energy as attendance has steadily increased. With the nice weather here, we are pleased to once again have on-site onegs outside. Thank you to Michael Wilner for sponsoring the delicious "grab and go" dinner for our Sunday evening Shavuot service on May 16th, as well as the "bagel and schmear" for Yizkor the following morning.

Our High Holy Days theme this year will be "Going the Extra Mile." Clergy, the Ritual Committee and the COVID-19 Safety Task Force are already hard at work planning the High Holy Days, which start quite early, with Erev Rosh Hashanah arriving on Labor Day Night, September 6th. Our goal continues to be to bring back as much normalcy in our services as safety will permit. To properly plan the High Holy Days services, we need your input. Please look out for a survey that will soon be e-mailed to you. Your responses are important in helping us make decisions on a variety of issues.

As I conclude my first year as President, I want to express my deepest gratitude to so many who went that "extra mile" to ensure that we thrived and served our congregants well every single day. To our Clergy, Director of Education, Chair of the Board, Executive Committee members, elected trustees, NOW, Men's Club, COVID-19 Safety Task Force, office staff, teachers and custodial staff and other volunteers who put in incredible amounts of time and effort, I say take a bow! It is through your amazing team efforts that we were able to stay bonded with one another.

A great big thank you also goes to each and every one of our congregants (yes, I mean you!) for remaining positive and staying with us in such trying times and for understanding the spiritual, educational and social value our Temple brings to all of our lives.

I hope you all have a chance to relax and enjoy the summer.

Neil Miller, President

Baskets on the Bimah

A great way to honor a simcha is by sponsoring a basket on the bimah.

Proceeds go to assist local needy families.

Any congregant can have a basket displayed on the bimah for Shabbat by bringing a minimum of \$36 to the Temple Office, at least one week in advance.



Rabbi's Corner:

I am very proud that throughout the COVID pandemic we never abandoned our Sanctuary. At TOEACRC, we had the benefit of a large bima that afforded room for appropriate social distancing and livestream capabilities, keeping our congregation safe without sacrificing the quality and majesty of our regular services. As time passes and more people are vaccinated and returning to their previous routines, we welcome you back to our Sanctuary for services on Shabbat and holidays. We will continue to stream and are working on upgrades to the system to enhance the online experience. However, there is nothing that compares to in-person worship. We continue to follow the advice of our COVID Safety Committee which has permitted enough spots in our Sanctuary to accommodate our regular Friday night attendance and even a few more. I encourage you to return. I miss you and know that we will end the Temple year on a high, joining for in-person prayer throughout the summer months.

Services are not the only way we adapted to meet COVID needs. Through zoom, we still offer a variety of Jewish educational and wellness experiences. There is something offered almost every weeknight and even during the day. You also received holiday gift packages to let you know we celebrate with you even at a distance. I am proud of how responsive we have been and still are to our members' needs.

All of this was possible through the coordinated efforts of our clergy and senior staff, our ever-important support staff, committee chairs, NOW and Men's Club, and of course our Executive Board and Board of Trustees. This final bulletin message is usually easy to write as it typically includes thank yous to all who worked to make the year a success. Particularly in a year where you might not have seen anyone in person, I want to call to mind some "behind the scenes" people who have really helped bring every plan to fruition.

When you logged on to a zoom, it was Robin Rabinowitz who scheduled it and juggled the many claims on the time slots. She also talked us all through the difficulties we encountered. This was of course not the only thing Robin did and still does for us, but since the bulk of my requests to her are "please schedule a zoom for..." I owe Robin a huge thank you.

Though Goldie Brandl's happiest title these days might be Grandma, she is indispensable to our team. Hers is the first kind, patient voice and face you encounter upon pressing the extension recommended by the voicemail. She makes everyone feel at ease and carefully and competently deals with anything and everything that crosses her desk. Thanks Goldie, and mazal tov on your new status.

Particularly this year, I must acknowledge our custodians, Cliff Carroll, Rich Kleeman and Greg Powell, who kept our building COVID safe. They had a tremendous responsibility and each of them took it seriously and as a point of pride. Thank you all.

My greatest thanks go to all of you, for seeing through this unprecedented journey with us in good spirit. It was a difficult year, but your faith in our Temple shone through. As we enter a new Temple year, I know I can count on you to provide encouragement and support and the faith that we have something unique that is worth pursuing well into the future.

Have a wonderful summer and remember, Temple is always open!

Rabbi Judy

Cantor's Message:

Happy Summer and warm healthy wishes to everyone!! Here we are at the end of another temple year and oh we can all certainly say "what a year it was!"

All of us have had enormous and life changing challenges this last year of our lives. It is apparent across the spectrum of every age. However, even in all of the entire challenge of COVID, our Temple was there in every way possible for its families and congregants.

I must say I am more proud to be a member of a temple, our Temple, than I have ever been in my entire career of 26 years as a Cantor.

The entire lay leadership came together to make sure that all of us were taken care of in whatever way was needed. From making sure people got food delivered while they had COVID, to keeping our Temple open for the entire year for services as well as Hebrew school when it began.

I really saw the heart of our Temple. I cannot thank everyone enough who was a part of this. Especially my "Dream Team" partners Rabbi Judy and Deborah Tract. I could have never made it through this year without them. We have the most wonderful Rabbi and Director of Education that you could ever imagine.

In addition, I couldn't be more proud to be a part of our board as leadership, led heroically by Neil Miller, has been outstanding throughout the entire year. Board members provided unparalleled leadership in every way possible. In addition, we had to create a new branch of our Temple this year that dealt specifically with COVID issues and safety. Led by Steve Finkelstein, the members of the Covid Health and Safety Task Force did an incredible job making sure we were always up to date, as well as safe at our Temple. Thank you so much to all of you on the safety committee.

We have so much to be grateful for, I could go on and on. The most important lesson that I learned this year is the fragility of life and how, now more than ever, the phrase "don't sweat the small stuff" truly is the mantra of life.

Let's all take the Summer to relax and enjoy and regroup so that when we come back together for the holidays we can truly feel as if we have something to be grateful for more than we ever have before- our temple and each other.

B'shalom,

Cantor Katz



Join Our Youth Choir

Have Fun
Make Friends
Learn Songs
Perform During Services

Join Our Adult Choir

Make friends
Experience camaraderie
Connect to your spiritual self
Learn new renditions of songs
Perform during services

*For additional information call the
Temple Office (516)433-9888 Ext.14*

Religious School:

Shalom Friends,

One year ago, as I wrote my summer 2020 article, we were busy planning a school reopening. Not knowing what our Religious School would look like, it became a group effort. A sacred partnership between the clergy, staff, teachers, Executive Board, Board of Trustees, COVID Safety Team, RS Board and myself.



Discussions, zoom meetings and guidance from our diligent COVID Safety Task Force –Steve Finkelstein, Chair and members: Dr. Lisa Berger, Dr. Neil Brodsky, Gary Corn, Dr. Melanie Etess, Lenny Gerschitz and Laura Miller – it was unanimously decided we would open! Following all guidelines from our Governor, the CDC and our own COVID Safety team, it was a done deal!

We offered our families options to fit every family’s comfort level: In-person learning, virtual classes or one-on-one tutoring.

Classrooms were set up to comply with distance seating, signs were placed throughout our Temple with clear and precise instructions. Again, thank you to Steve Finkelstein for all your assistance, including your visits to the Monday sessions to assist with temperature checks!

Months went by-WE DID IT!! Our school remained safe! Children were engaged and eager to learn and come to Temple to see one another in person or on Zoom. Our synagogue became a safe haven for all to be able to reconnect and learn without the anguish of the pandemic on our minds. Our teachers learned to adapt to various modes of technology, learning new skills to recreate our sacred place for learning.

Our children are the “Unsung Heroes” of our synagogue. They showed maturity and kindness, as well as compassion to our teachers and to one another. They supported each other, conveyed their fears and asked questions when uncertain about things. They all went the extra mile to make their peers feel good. Our children will one day tell their “pandemic story” to their children and grandchildren. They learned to adapt, paving their way to great success.

Gratitude became the keyword this year. Despite the challenges and uncertainties, we all remained grateful for what we do have. The notion of appreciation exemplified this year is invaluable and is a priceless gift. All of us worked together, not just for success but because we had to see the light! Our children matured, they did not allow the circumstances surrounding the pandemic to define us or our school. Kudos to our young warriors and parents. Thank you!

The highlights from this past year were our virtual 5th/6th grade Madame Esther’s Living Wax Museum and the 7th grade Yom HaShoah Commemorative Service, highlighted by a speech by Holocaust survivor Alex Konstantyn. Although both programs were via zoom, each child was highlighted, giving him/her the spotlight to shine!

We had 5 Teen Assistants this year-Eric Finkelstein - assisting in temperature checks, Chase Brodsky - 4th grade Teacher Assistant, Darien Schultz - 3rd grade Teacher Assistant, Dani Pressman - 5th grade Teacher Assistant and Sarah Pressman - 6th grade Teacher Assistant. These awesome teens volunteered each week, giving their time to make this year productive and successful. Thank you to our amazing teens for your ongoing dedication to our Religious School.

Rabbi Judy and Cantor David Katz-my heartfelt thanks for ALL your support this past year. We worked together to make our students and families stay connected as we navigated these uncharted waters together. Your unending dedication to our congregation goes above and beyond. From leading live Friday night Shabbat services, teaching children over skype/zoom, officiating Bat/Bar Mitzvah services with strict protocols-you both excelled! Thank you for making us the Dream Team that we are!

Teachers-Joan Lieberman, Laurel Fried, Cila Klingher, Bob Nichomoff, and Fortuna Southworth. I am blessed to work with such a creative, energetic, and passionate group of educators. They have gone through extraordinary lengths to support our students

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and our families during a difficult year. Thank you to all of you for your resilience and for being terrific team players. Goldie and Robin, the ladies that do it all. Throughout the 2020/21 year, directly from home or in the office, they never stopped. Their attention to detail and their insight to problem solving helped our school to flourish! These two women kept us going! Thank you!

Neil Miller, President of our synagogue, thank you for your guidance and support this past year. Discussions, planning and trust in the process got us to where we are, thank you!

Our phenomenal custodial staff were thorough, and made sure our school was ready to open! Cliff, Rich and Greg, always on call and ready to help. Our families felt safe sending their children to school. Thank you.

Susan Bloomberg and Jamie Schultz-School Board Co-Chairs, your continued support and trust helped to keep us going. Your heartfelt dedication to our school is felt everyday-thank you!

Esther Reich-a remarkable woman who gave us the COVID reports in the school district on a daily basis. Your communication skills were tremendously helpful in our weekly planning. Thank you.

Our Executive Board and Board of Trustees-Thank you for your continuous attentiveness to all matters regarding our school and children. Your altruism regarding the education of our students and your recognition of the importance of lifelong Jewish learning is most appreciated. Thank you.

How did we get through the year? Thanks to our IT Team: Jeff Schwartz made sure our technology was up and running for the school. He made weekly visits to our school to ensure the teachers were receiving the very best customized use of technology possible. Thank you to Jeff and the entire IT team.

So, what's next? When classes resume in the fall, we will offer all options for learning, however I encourage you to send your child back to school in person. All safety protocols will be reviewed and will follow the COVID Task Force recommendations as well as the CDC.

We are now offering Teen Service Internships for all teens needing community service hours and a headliner on their college resume. There are many options available to achieve your child's goal. If you did not see an opportunity that appeals to your teen, kindly have your child call me to discuss a possibility for interning. To date, this program has been well received. I look forward to working with your teens to create a platform for recognition and acceptance for all their educational initiatives.

Summer 2022, our Religious School is going to Israel. Cantor David Katz and I will be leading a trip to Israel, to connect with our roots and to one another. If you have a child that is of Bar/Bat Mitzvah age, you may want to consider a service by the egalitarian area of the Kotel-Western Wall. We will explore the cities and the attractions your children have learned about throughout their education at Temple Or Elohim, A Community Reform Congregation. Our very own RS Moms-Stefanie Horowitz and Stephanie Kaufman, Travel Consultants for Protravel, are creating a trip of a lifetime... Join us and together we will make memories to last a lifetime. Next year in Jerusalem!

May you all have a safe and wonderful summer. Continue to post your children's summer adventures on Facebook, their happiness is my happiness...

I would like to wish a hearty Mazel Tov to Olivia Hatz on the occasion of her Bat Mitzvah and to Jonah Sorkin, Ryan DeLuccia, Brandon Zeller and Nate Feinstein as they become a Bar Mitzvah in the coming weeks.

I am available all summer for conversations, please do not hesitate to reach out to me for anything.

B'Shalom,
Deborah E. Tract, Director of Education

N.O.W. (Network of Women)

So “a thing” happened to me in mid-May that I never expected. I have lived in the Town of Oyster Bay for nearly 29 years and have always received the local newspapers. In those newspapers, that I have written a multitude of articles for (as once publicity chair for the elementary school/middle school and eventually the district), I never thought I would be featured in an article nor be part of the town’s news. I received a phone call early May from Rabbi Judy asking me if I had read my emails. Truthfully (as one should always be to a Rabbi and to one another) I told her that I hadn’t and was thinking to myself that something must be wrong (doesn’t everyone think that way?!). She proceeded to tell me that I was nominated and subsequently selected by an independent review committee to receive the Town of Oyster Bay Women of Distinction Award. Flabbergasted to say the least, I was at a loss for words, giggled and asked who did that? She said that she did and then like those who are truly stunned at receiving an Academy Award (or so I think they are...then again, they are actors!) stumbled on words to graciously and humbly say thank you. All I managed was ‘thank you’ in a staccato and stutter way about 20 times over. So, Rabbi, not that I have any other eloquent way of saying it... I do thank you for the recognition but I must add that I cannot do what I do without so many of the other spectacular women here at TOEACRC. So as to not leave anyone out I will simply say you know who you are and I thank you. With that I lead into a poem that I have used in the past, in this position I hold, to write an end of the year article.



Teamwork

We are one group

And if our bonds hold well,

We can share each victory

And each defeat.

Whenever one member of the group rejoices,

We all rejoice;

When one of us is hurt,

We all hurt.

One is as important to the whole

As another.

Each is unique and serves his/her own purpose.

Yet we are bound together

To be as one-one in the group.

Every person performs a separate role,

Yet each function relates to another,

Affecting all other parts.

We must use our resources for the good of everyone.

We soon realize that without others,

We can no longer survive.

Each person is a part,

Mutually striving to make the whole group work.

If one decides to give up or to stop participating,

Each of us is affected-and we could all lose.

We can unite together to destroy,

Or we can unite our skills to build.

By B. Hupp

N.O.W. for the NEWS!

This section is just a wind down of the fiscal year. I will be taking off the month of July and resume in August, however a date for a meeting at this point is unknown since we have not yet had the calendar meeting at time of print. Some summertime unplanned highlights that will most likely be included are: Pop Up Events that can include walks through botanical gardens, hikes along north or south shores of Long Island and even a simple get together to catch up over the summer. I will do my best to include those who cannot physically be here whether near or far and obtain a zoom link or facetime.

Since summer reading is often a bit different with mostly light hearted beach reads, the monthly book club will also take a break in July. However, if you have a book that you think we should absolutely be reading please let me know so I can pass the good read on!

Now that covid restrictions are loosening I will attempt to have in-person events for all those vaccinated.

I am in the midst of planning out the next fiscal year (2021-2022) and hope that more of you will join us. If you are a first-year-member, please note that your dues to Network Of Women are free for the first year! I would love to meet you and have you share your ideas of what you'd like to see happen in our Temple. My motto in the last year and a half was and will remain ... If I Can I Will! If I Have It I Will Share It!

Some things to look forward to are as follows:

Fall plant sale

Rosh Hashanah sweets (I hope to have a comeback)

Book Club

Challah Baking and Braiding

Mah Jongg Card Sales

Boutique (for all your Jewish holiday needs/rituals and gifts...OPEN all year)

Shalach Manot

Passover Wine Sale

Shabbat Service

Walking Tours

Teach Us What You Know

And whatever else I can think of that might be fun to do!

A very special thank you to Gale Gluck for recording all of our meetings and to Sue Zichlin for keeping our monies raised and donated accounted for!

I also want to let you know our efforts to raise money for things needed in our Temple have allowed us to purchase a new piano/bench for our weekly services. I will assume (I know not a good thing to do but...) that the Hebrew school wing will receive its new flooring and new carpet runners over the summer. I await the wish list for other items our Temple might need but we have put aside money for the new pavilion that will hopefully break ground sometime in the next year or two. We do what we do in order to keep our dues down. I hope you continue to support us so we can help provide the things needed to keep up our great Temple.

In the meantime, I wish you all a Happy Father's Day, Happy 4th of July, happy birthday, happy anniversary and everything else in between!

Cheers to a wonderful summer!

Robin Grossman, President of N.O.W.

Handson64@aol.com

Men's Club

After a few postponements, the Men's Club hosted another "walk in the park" on Sunday morning, April 4th, at the Norman J. Levy Preserve in Merrick. It was very well attended and everyone enjoyed a beautiful day at a beautiful venue.



The Men's Club Nominating Committee presented a slate of officers for the next two-year term at our April meeting. The officers nominated were Mark Starr and Mark Heller for Co-Presidents; David Rosenberg for Vice President; David Katz for Recording Secretary; and Paul Adler for Treasurer. The nominees were elected by unanimous vote at our May meeting. Mazel tov and the best of luck to our new officers who will begin their terms in July.

The Men's Club also decided to resume its "Sundays in the Park" gatherings at the little park next to the Jericho Library. The first one this season will be held on May 23rd. We will also hold our June meeting (Tuesday, June 1st) at a park (Woodbury-Syosset Park), with everyone bringing their own dinners.

Finally, we are contemplating another temple-wide walk on Father's Day, perhaps at Jones Beach. There will be more on that later. Meanwhile, I hope everyone enjoyed Mother's Day, Memorial Day weekend and the entire month of May.

Ed Temple

Social Action Committee

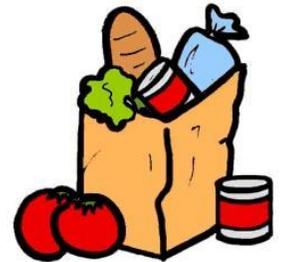
Please remember that our Food Pantries need donations all year round. The Hatzilu Pantry needs Kosher non-perishable food & paper goods/cleaning supplies (which are not covered by SNAPs formerly Food Stamps). Outside the main entrance to the Temple is a storage bin that we are using for food donations, so you can safely drop off your donations without entering the building. Thanks in advance for your generosity!

Susan Levine, Chair, Social Action Committee

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Alan Levine, President, Hatziliu Rescue Organization

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Yarmulkes:

Order yarmulkes for your Bar/Bat Mitzvah or Wedding at discounted prices from NOW (formerly Sisterhood).

There is a tremendous variety of colors available. FREE IMPRINTING IN SILVER OR GOLD for orders of 5 dozen or more. If more than one color or less than 5 dozen are ordered there's an additional fee. A charge of \$10 for shipping and handling is added to all orders.

Please contact **Susan Bloomberg at (516)639-3982.**

Satin	\$22/dozen
Deluxe Satin	\$24/dozen
Suede	\$33/dozen
Embossed Suede	\$36/dozen
Velvet	\$36/dozen
Moire	\$25/dozen
Raw Silk	\$26/dozen

Shabbat Under the Stars (SUTS) Celebrates its Thirteenth Year and Counting

On September 24th, not only will we be commemorating our Cantor's Birthday, Simchat Torah and Shabbat but it will be our 13th SUTS event! Will this be the best SUTS we ever had? The only way to find out is to come! As in the past we will be barbecuing and eating out in our parking lot. This year, however, we will abide by the current CDC regulations for eating outdoors and will take every safety precaution available to us. Please look for future details here in the SHOFAR, email blasts, flyers and on Facebook. Meanwhile enjoy your Summer!

Overcoming Corona from a High School Senior's Perspective...

By Rachel Katz

Over a year has passed since the world has changed, due to the pandemic, but that hasn't stopped Temple Or Elohim, A Community Reform Congregation's school program. About 92% of the students have been back in-person and are ready to learn. Although, some students were unable to return, the Temple has accommodated their needs with private sessions or Zoom calls. Younger students were learning about the holidays, including Passover and Yom HaShoah, while the older students have learned about the prophets and marriage rituals.

The COVID - 19 pandemic has been hard on everyone for many months but the students at the Temple have still been able to learn and grow. Many of the younger students enjoy beginning to learn Hebrew by starting to spell out words in the language. They even have new students like Lucy who says she likes meeting new people. All students have kept a positive mindset! The fifth graders gain knowledge in Avot V'imahot (Mothers and Fathers) which creates awareness about our ancestors. They learn to keep them alive in their hearts as well as thank their own parents. As we move up the grades, they talk about the rituals of marriage, like breaking a glass. Students learn that this act symbolizes the ups and downs of marriage while preserving unity.

Even though there are difficulties in our current life, we still hold in our hearts the tragedy of the 6 million Jews who lost their lives during the Holocaust. The seventh graders did a wonderful job explaining these events at a recent Yom HaShoah Commemoration. One seventh grader, Nate said that he was happy commemorating them. It is great that as these students grow, they keep widening their knowledge. The seventh graders will soon not graduate but move up in their Jewish education. Educational Director, Deborah Tract says, "I don't call it graduation because the Jewish education never stops." Even during a pandemic, learning will never stop.

Thanks to the support team, led by Steven Finkelstein, everyone has been safely following protocol. The right precautions have been taken to ensure the safety of everyone. There is the wearing of masks, taking temperatures, sanitizing and social distancing to make sure our people are out of harm's way. Temple Or Elohim, A Community Reform Congregation is doing everything they can to ensure the safety of the children as well as everyone in their community.

Congratulations to our Bat and Bar Mitzvah Candidates and their families:

June 12, 2021

Brandon Zeller

Son of Jill and Jason

June 19, 2021

Nate Feinstein

Son of Carly and Mark

August 28, 2021

Melanie Goldberg

Daughter of Amy and Brian



Yahrzeits:**Week of June 4**

Philip Abrams, Adele Ackerman, Charlotte Barcham, Harry Beller, Lena Bialek, Freda Citron, Anna Cohen, Joseph Flamm, Samuel Fox, Susanne Friedman, Pearl Gordonson, Gussie Greenberg, Walter Irving Hutner, Helen Jacobs, Lena Janower, Mark Klinghoffer, Mildred B. Kramer, Sylvia Lewis, Harry Maltz, Alexander Mandel, Roslyn Messinger, Nathan Millman, May Muskin, Rosalind Newman, Martin Ostrove, Jacob Pollack, Pauline Prussoff, Hilda Reider, Harry Rodesky, Abraham Eli Ruvin, Alvin Salkind, Blanche Schoenthal, Sam Siegel, Gertrude Silvey, Louis Spungen, Louis Steckner, Samuel Stepner, Melvin Stern, Ann Synnott, Milton Traunfeld, Solomon Zeff and Stephen Ziegler

Week of June 11

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Week of June 25

Isabel Alexander, Gilbert Ballen, Irving Baranick, Charlotte Berkenfeld, Bernard Bock, Harry Brooks, Adele Burger, Barbara Giniger, Sadye Ginsburgh, Hannah Grossman, Rose Weiss Gunderschein, Joel Jacobson, Isadore Karlinsky, Blanche Kutin, Rosalie Lester, William Malawista, Miriam Mandel, David Quinlan, Morris Louis Rosenberg, Charlotte Rothberg, B. Walter Schneider, Samuel Simigran, Sidney Sternick, Fannie Susser, Janita Tavora, Florence Warshawsky, Irving Wasserman and Thelma Zeizel

Week of July 2

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Week of July 9

Irving Alexander, Garry Artzt, Philip Auerbach, Howard Bauman, Alfonse Bruy, Gladys Bruy, Jeffrey Citron, Irene Cohen, Rabbi David M. Eichhorn, Sidney Emsig, Stephen Feldman, Joseph Frankel, Diane Frishberg, Mary Glick, Richard Grey, Asher Grill, Jack Grumback, Louis Haber, Murray Hans, Louis Hurwitch, Shirley Jaffee, Jack Kaplan, Roberta Kaufman, Irving Kwitkin, Sylvia Lichtman, Max Lumer, Rebecca Mandell, Gerrard Meister, Nissim Peress, Paul Perlmutter, Rosalyn Pincus, Helene Rogove, Murray Rosenking, Julius Schwartz, Henrietta Simon, Jean Pierre Strumer, Leonard Sussel, Emanuel Taler and Louis Wolkin

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Torah Notes:**June 5 - Shelach (Numbers 13:1 – 15:41)**

The famous story of the twelve spies sent to survey the land of Canaan in preparation of its conquest is told in this portion. Joshua and Caleb, the two remaining spies, oppose the negative majority report by the other ten spies. The anger of the people and their threat to return to Egypt is the catalyst for the decision by God that this people is not ready for the challenge of freedom and that their entire generation will have to live out their lives in the desert. Their children, the next generation, will be the ones who will enter the Promised Land.

June 12: Korach (Numbers 16:1-18:32)

The chapter recounts the uprising against Moses by Korach and 250 members of the tribe of Reuben. They claimed that Moses was taking too much power for himself and they too were eligible for leadership positions. Moses was stunned; he had shared the leadership responsibility by spreading it among the 70 elders, judges, and tribal chiefs. The rebellion was put down when the earth opened and swallowed up Korach and all his followers.

June 19: Chukkat (Numbers 19:1-22:1)

This portion expands on the laws of purification and provides for the removal of defilement resulting from contact with the dead. The particulars of this ordinance are considered to be the most mysterious rites in the Torah.

June 26: Balak (Numbers 22:2-25:9)

The Israelites now enter the last stage of their journey to the Promised Land; they are within sight of the goal. As they prepare for the conquest of their new national home, a heathen prophet, Bilam, gives testimony to Israel's unique character and sublime destiny. He proclaims the futility of any attempts to foil the purposes of God regarding His chosen people.

July 3: Pinchas (Numbers 25:10-30:1)

This portion recounts the misbehavior of many Israelites who had accepted the invitation of women of Moab and Midian and joined in their licentious rites in worship of the idol Baal-Peor. Filled with indignation, Pinchas, a Kohen, executed summary judgement on Zimri and Cozbi, the Israelites who misled so many.

July 10: Mattot/Masei (Num. 30:2-32:42 / 33:1-35:13)

The first of these two portions emphasizes the solemnity and binding character of religious vows and specifies circumstances in which vows can be annulled. The second portion details the stages of the journey of the Israelites all the way from Egypt to the Plains of Moab.

July 17: Devarim (Deut. 1:1-3:22)

The name of this Fifth Book and concluding 'book' of the Torah and its title might well be "Moses Final Discourses and Song to Israel". It is an oratory, given in noble language to the great truths that God is One, humankind is wholly His and that God is Righteousness, Faithfulness, Mercy and Love. In this portion we find the central declaration of the Jewish people, the Shma.

July 24: Va-Etchanan (Deut. 3:23-7:11)

Moses continues his review of the people's history of interactions with God, discussing the signs of God's favor to his people shown in their victories. He laments that he will be able only to view the land but would not be able to enter it and commits the future leadership of the people to Joshua, his successor.

July 31: Ekev (Deut. 7:12-11:25)

The blessings inherent to those who obey the laws given in the Torah are detailed here, chief among them being prosperity, vitality, power and health. Moses includes an appeal to the Israelites to remember their history to motivate their fulfilling their fundamental duties to love God and observe His commandments.

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August 7: Re'eh (Deut. 11:26-16:17)

“Behold, I set before you a blessing and a curse. The blessing (comes) if you observe the commandments of the Lord, Your God. The curse (comes) if you do not obey the commandments but ignore the way you have been given and choose to worship other gods.” With these challenging words, Moses reviews the Codes of Law to be observed by the people.

August 14: Shoftim (Deut. 16:18-21:9)

This portion defines the legal system and the roles of the leaders; the judges, the king, the priests and the prophets - all of them officers of the Hebrew commonwealth. Provisions are to be made for an ordered civil government, justice must be free, accessible and absolutely impartial.

August 21: Ki-Tetze (Deut. 21:10-25:19)

The wide-ranging laws of domestic life and human kindness are the subjects of this portion of Moses' continuing discourse, dealing with matters such as marriage to a captive of war, the rights of the first-born, dealing with discourtesy and disobedience, returning lost property and appropriateness of apparel. The sanctity of marriage, adultery and family relations are among the many topics covered in this portion.

August 28: Ki Tavo (Deut. 26:1-29:8)

Moses begins his conclusion of the legal code by describing the rituals relating to the first fruits and tithes brought as offerings to the Sanctuary. Such events are to be viewed as occasions of thanksgiving to God, whose favor of the Israelites repeatedly rescued them from the hardships of their past and raised them up to become a great nation, dwelling in comfort in their rich and fertile homeland.

We Sorrowfully Mourn the Passing of:

George Kozarksky
Father of Jeff Kozarksky



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Goldie and Robin

June Birthdays

1	Leora Cohen-Rosenberg	8	David Katz	15	Jayson Corey	21	Bryce Zeller
2	Lowell Citron	8	Deborah Silverman	15	Gale Gluck	22	Jodi Goodman
2	Jonah Sorkin	8	Elizabeth Szaluta	16	Kyla Agulnick	22	Alvin Kotowitz
3	Leah Michelle Bloomberg	9	Denise Berman	16	Barbara Feinstein	22	Jodi Yaris
3	Mitchell Bloomberg	9	Evan Kazan	16	Donna Jacobs	23	Nathaniel Feinstein
3	Richard Feinstein	9	Michael Sabesan	16	Linda Savarino	23	Alana Sabesan
3	Suzan Goldstein	9	Michael Wolkoff	16	Jonathan Smith	23	Jeremy Scherr
3	Louis Jainchill	10	Ryan Angell	18	Adrienne Agulnick	24	Allison Angell
4	Ryan Scott	10	Mia Barrie	18	Stacey Black	24	Joel Liebman
5	Madison Brand	10	Steven Schwartz	18	Jordan Menkes	24	Elaine Schirmer
5	Caryn Fried	11	Jen Hyman	18	Ross Wengrover	24	Sean Garrett Simon
5	Shelby Tell	11	Madeline Minkoff	18	Elizabeth Wolkoff	25	Steven Chestler
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8	Bruce Cohen	13	Brian Berger	20	Michele Zucker	29	Austin Kweit
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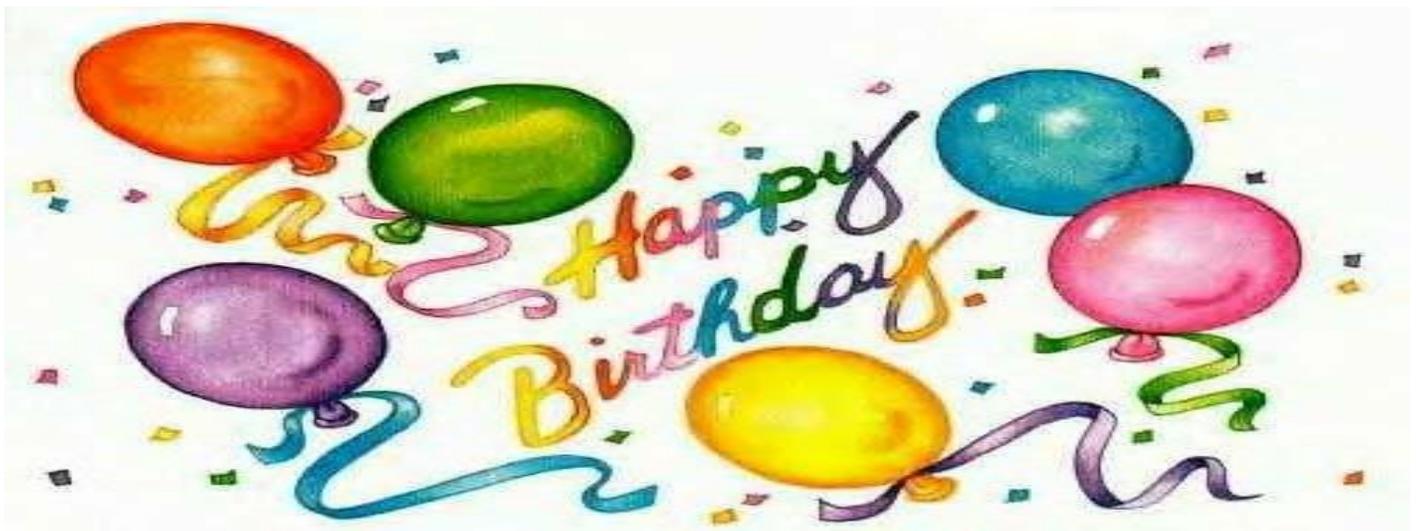
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1	Jill Dolowich	11	Alyson Hantman	19	Violet Fuchs	23	Jarret Wolfson
1	Linda Glickman	11	Sheldon Wolfson	19	Adam Goldschmit	24	Sherry Ariel
4	Stacy Finkelstein	12	Adam Ross	19	Hally Gottlieb	24	Sharon Mark
4	Leonard Gerschitz	13	Matthew Ballen	19	Sydni Grossman	24	Meryl Sommer
4	Erica Misorek	13	Amanda Dawn Math	19	Benjamin Natelson	24	Colton Walsh
4	Les Reider	13	Alexa Meyer	19	Dane Scher	25	Laura Badia
5	Tamara Dreyfuss	14	Shari Jacobson	19	Sandy Senzon	25	Susan Maldow
5	Sarah Zichlin	14	Maxwell Wolkoff	19	Michael Vermut	27	Jake Brand
6	Marc Feinstein	15	Marcus Lonshein	20	Laurie Graber	27	Colette Paul
6	Scott Lefkowitz	15	Haley Pastolove	21	Michael Cohen-Rosenberg	27	Johanna Richman
6	David Maldow	17	Carly Jacobson	21	Lauren Epstein	28	Adam Liebman
7	Brandon Scott	17	Jason Ruvin	21	Robert Feinman	28	Daniel Nessim
8	Gregory Chestler	17	Shari Senzon	21	Michelle Getelman	28	Eric Singer
8	Stacey Levine	18	Arthur Katz	21	Ross Labelson	28	Lucy Wilner
8	Sheila Rosenberg	18	Julie Scott	22	Michael Peress	30	Felice Kestenbaum
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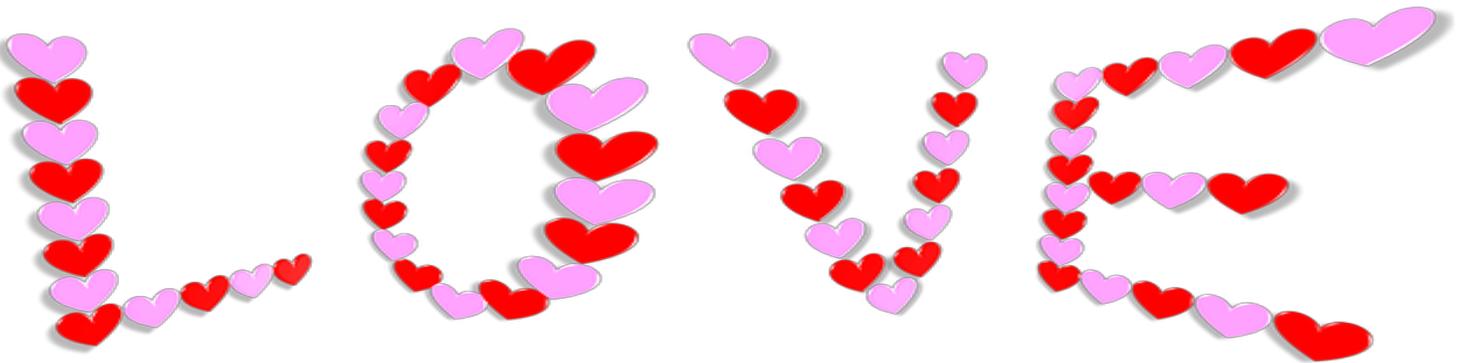
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1	Math	13	Bradley Birnbaum	18	Jessica Weissman	24	Whitney Sigler
2	Elyce Burger	13	David Schwartz	19	Robin Albicocco	25	Steven Dreyfuss
3	Robert Ackerman	13	Bradley Sommer	20	Tascha Fuchs	25	Emma Foster
3	Leland Harris	14	Elaine Loewy	20	Eric Hantman	26	Harvey Abramowitz
3	Stephen Kusnetz	14	Barbara Wachs	20	Mason Sommer	26	Cory Clair
4	Helene Harris	15	Robin Jacobs	21	Sara Rachel Katz	26	Marissa Katz
5	Kimberley Geuerg	15	Marc Vermut	21	Nancy Schwartz	26	Julia Knobloch
6	Kenneth Praga	16	Rena Levy	21	Michael Siegel	26	Beth Labelson
7	Michelle Kestenbaum	17	Ryan Graham	22	Deborah Kazan	26	Jeffrey Strell
7	Deborah Tract	17	Matthew Lecher	22	Jack Szaluta	28	Dyana Kazan
9	Ethan Dreyfuss	17	Joseph Synnott	23	Dean Alexenburg	28	Rebekah Martin
9	Brian Finkelstein	18	Neil Jared Blidner	23	Corey Edelman	29	David Wayne
10	Michael Pressman	18	Marilyn Finkelstein	24	Lesley Azzinaro	30	Todd Levy
10	Mark Suroff	18	Eric Harlan Miller	24	Elaine Doctors	30	Bryan Rubin
11	Joel Peller	18	Craig Milstein	24	Stephanie Ethe	30	Jesse Tanner
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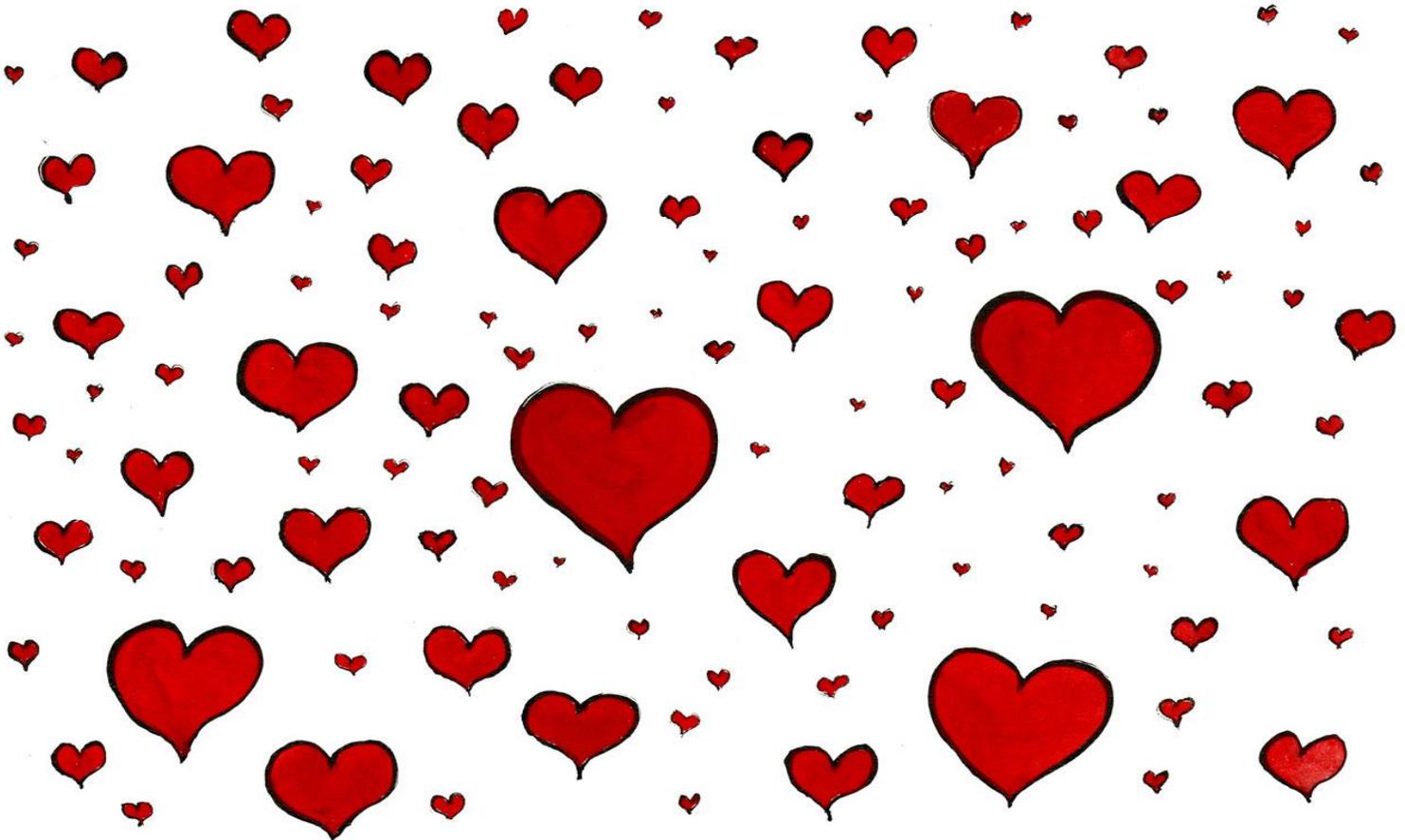
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- 1 Gregory & Lee Weiss
- 2 Dennis & Shelley Haber
- 2 Daniel & Audrey Nessim
- 5 Robert & Hetti Perlmutter
- 9 Robert & Cary Markman
- 11 Paul & Deborah Kazan
- 11 Jeffrey & Jan Scherr
- 14 Jeffrey & Karen Getelman
- 16 Larry & Vanessa Brand
- 18 Howard & Debra Pastolove
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- 21 Peter & Alana Sabesan
- 21 Jeffrey & Debra Schwartz
- 22 Steven & Carolyn Jaenisch Chestler
- 26 Robert & Marianne Bock
- 26 Mitchel & Sandy Senzon
- 27 Steven & Tamara Dreyfuss
- 27 Andrew & Meryl Sommer
- 28 Norman & Carol Labelson
- 29 Evan & Sahar Sorkin
- 29 Ryan & Julie Scott
- 30 Barry & Erna Leff



July Anniversaries

- 1 Joel & Jennifer Liebman
- 2 Ronald & Elyce Burger
- 4 Russell & Joanne Graham
- 6 Jack & Robin Grossman
- 7 Gregory & Amy Katz
- 9 Richard & Iris Battino
- 11 Bernard & Sharon Mark
- 14 Paul & Beverly Silpe
- 15 Ted & Michele Zucker
- 15 Steven & Madalyn DeLuccia
- 17 Stuart & Barbara Kandel
- 19 Joshua & Staci Rogove
- 27 Lonny & Lorraine Reisman
- 29 Seth & Lisa Landsberg



August Anniversaries

- 1 David & Arlene Horowitz
- 4 Michael & Andrea Hantman
- 7 Scott & Cara Siegel
- 9 Robert & Judi Kaplan
- 11 Harold & Felice Kestenbaum
- 12 Kenneth & Jami Schultz
- 12 Brian & Amy Goldberg
- 14 Brian & Whitney Sigler
- 15 Jonathan & Shirah Lonshein
- 15 David & Ann Middleman
- 16 Ivan & Gayle Dolowich
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- 17 David & Julia Katz
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- 24 Leonard & Sue Zichlin
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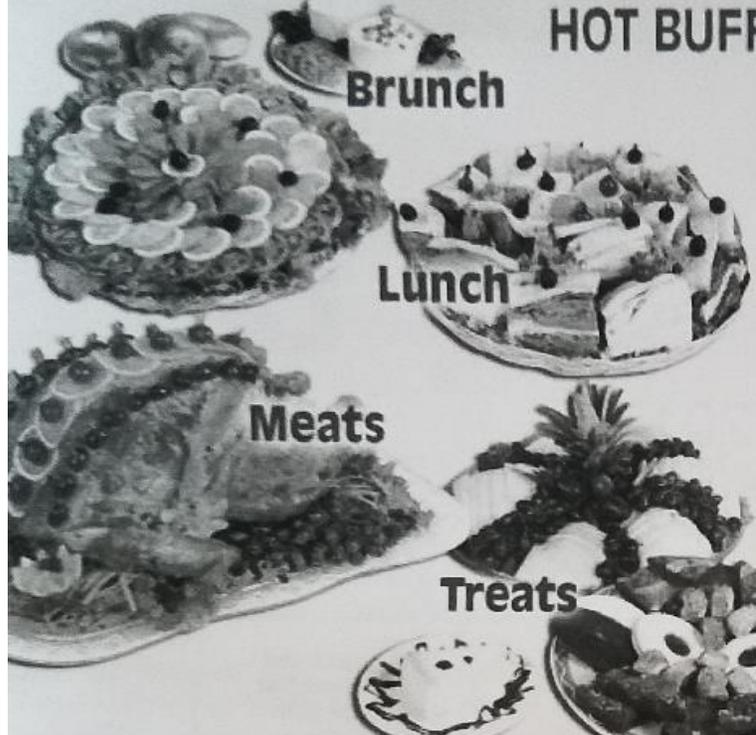
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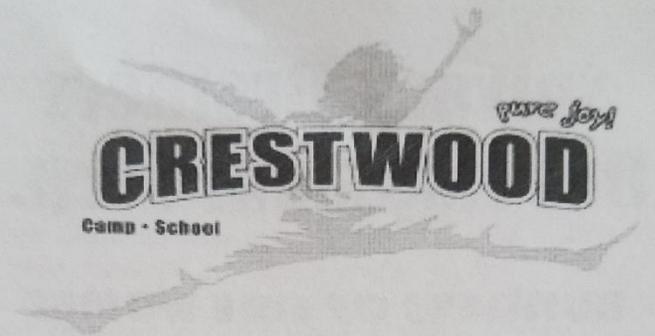
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6	7 NOW Book Club 7:30 PM Finance Committee Meeting 7:30 PM	8 Meditation with Cantor 12:30 PM Chant Torah with Cantor 1:30 PM	9 Executive Committee Meeting 8:00 PM	10 Lunch & Learn 12 Noon Torah Study 7:30 PM	11 Erev Shabbat Svs 7:30 PM	12 Shabbat Service 10:00 AM Bar Mitzvah Brandon Zeller
13 Cantor's Concert 7:00 PM	14 NOW meeting 7:30 PM	15 Meditation with Cantor 12:30 PM Chant Torah with Cantor 1:30 PM Board of Trustees Meeting 8:00 PM	16	17 Torah Study 7:30 PM	18 Erev Shabbat Svs 7:30 PM	19 Shabbat Service 10:30 AM Bar Mitzvah Nate Feinstein
20	21	22 Meditation with Cantor 12:30 PM Chant Torah with Cantor 1:30 PM Adult Ed 7:30 PM	23 Calendar Meeting 7:30 PM	24	25 Erev Shabbat Svs 7:30 PM	26 Torah Study 10:30 AM
27 Roundtable Rap 10:30 AM	28	29 Meditation with Cantor 12:30 PM Chant Torah with Cantor 1:30 PM Congregational Meeting	30			

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