MARCH 1955
TEL AVIV PURIM CARNIVAL POSTER... (DETAILS PG 3)
Shalom Everybody,

What an exciting time it is at TBE! Purim is upon us and I can’t wait to see many of you in the coming weeks, whether at our Kid-ish Club Purim Blowout, Hamilton-themed Adult Purim Spiel, and/or Purim Carnival. Ever since I came to TBE I’ve started calling Purim the spring High Holiday because of all that we do to celebrate it right—and we can’t do it without your enthusiastic participation!

What you might not know is that Adar, the month in which Purim takes place, is in itself a special time (which in fact already began way back on February 26th!). The Talmud tells us "mishenichnas Adar marbim b’simcha"—when Adar begins, we increase in joy (Talmud Bavli Ta’anit 29b). It’s a month when we’re supposed to be happy!

Interestingly, however, that mandate comes in direct response to a Mishnah discussing several tragic events that have happened in Jewish history on the 9th day of the month of Av (Ta’anit 4:6). That section ends by stating, "mishenichnas Av, m’matin b’simcha"—when the month of Av begins, we reduce our joy. Out of respect for the painful times our people has endured, we’re supposed to act in a more muted way. (And there are several traditional customs to help communicate that mood—for instance not listening to live music, not cutting one’s hair, and not eating meat.)

And yet, hundreds of years after the statement about the gloom of Av, the rabbis see it and reply with a corresponding statement about the cheer of Adar. Our tradition so ably balances between disparate feelings and lets them each have their own time—asking us neither to stew in mourning for too long nor to remain happy-go-lucky for too long.

We at Temple are here for you both in your joyful times and in your times of pain—whether or not they happen to correspond to the Hebrew months. Please feel free to contact your clergy or anyone in the Temple office to share with us moments when you feel the glee of Purim as well as when you feel the sorrow of Av. I also warmly invite our women congregants to join me on our fourth annual Women’s Retreat (see left) where we come together to relax, unwind, and engage while sharing our own highs and lows. I hope to see you there!

L’shalom,

For more information or to RSVP, contact Rabbi Brudney at 248.851.1100 or mbrudney@tbeonline.org.
In January and February, more than 30 Temple members and guests came together for a 5-week course on Jewish Mysticism. Our tradition is filled with deep wisdom and startling insights, and we thought it would be fun to share some of those in the Bulletin each month...

GEMATRIA (Hebrew term for Jewish numerology) comes from the Greek word “geographia” and has been used by dozens of ancient civilizations to reveal connections between words based on the numeric value of their letters. For example, 18 is a special number in Jewish tradition because the word Chai (life) is made up of the letters Chet (8) and a Yud (10). Taking it one step further, the words for God (Elohim) and Nature (HaTeva) both add up to 86, which tells us that there is a deep connection between the two!

RABBI MARK MILLER

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VOTE REFORM

ELECTIONS TAKE PLACE JANUARY 21 – MARCH 11, 2020 AND YOUR VOTE IS CRITICAL TO MAINTAINING A LARGE REFORM AND RECONSTRUCTIONIST PRESENCE IN THE WORLD ZIONIST CONGRESS.

There are voting tables set up in the main lobby of Temple Beth El for your convenience. Or just go to zionistelection.org and then let us know that you voted! To learn more, visit ARZA.org. Check out their Facebook page and/or Instagram page to stay up-to-date with voting information and additional ways to help spread the word.

#VoteReformWZC
Join us for a fabulous afternoon finding out what's Hidden in Plain Sight. The Rabbi Leo M. Franklin Archives and the Anna S. & Meyer L. Prentis Memorial Library at Temple Beth El presents Hidden in Plain Sight: An Afternoon of Architecture, Art, and History. This unique fundraising event will take our guests through several exhibits and stations throughout the building, each with a docent-led discussion on the artifacts, art, or historical significance within that exhibit area.

Our goal is to raise awareness of Beth El along with the Jewish History of Metro-Detroit. Funds raised will be used to further both the library's and archive's educational programming, community building initiatives, and the preservation and promotion of Temple Beth El's incredible cultural assets.

With your support we can continue to expand the access to engaging resources that educate Beth El members and community partners throughout the region. Hidden in Plain Sight will showcase the artifacts and architectural features of Temple Beth El. While at Temple we are often in proximity to these treasures without realizing the history, their true meaning, and the magnitude of their legacies.

The Pre-Glow guest speaker is John Gallagher, author of *Yamasaki in Detroit: A Search for Serenity*. The book surveys Yamasaki's life and works which includes our own Temple Beth El. His presentation will cover a general biography of Yamasaki and what he brought to the TBE project. In particular, he will talk about Yamasaki's deliberate connections to nature.

Gallagher is a veteran journalist and author, and a 2017 inductee into the Michigan Journalism Hall of Fame. Born in New York City and educated at DePaul University in Chicago and Columbia in New York, John joined the Detroit Free Press in 1987 to cover urban and economic development. For the next 32 years he wrote authoritatively...
Temple Beth El has the unique position of being Michigan’s first organized Jewish congregation. Thankfully, over these past 170 years, many prescient congregants and congregational leaders took great pains to preserve our legacy by maintaining a library, curating important artifacts and artworks, and establishing one of Jewish Detroit’s most revered archival collections. Thanks to a resurgence of interest and usage, we are now in a position to create innovative experiences with which to share these resources. Hidden In Plain Sight highlights not only these important collections but also the incredible cultural center TBE has become.

MESSAGE FROM EVENT CHAIR, WENDY ROSE BICE

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HIDDEN IN PLAIN SIGHT - APRIL 19

☐ $54 GENERAL ADMISSION

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

☐ $250 CRAFTSMAN: 2 tickets to main event, name in marketing

☐ $500 DESIGN: 2 tickets to pre-glow* and main event, name in marketing, signed copy of Yamasaki in Detroit

☐ $1,000 ARCHITECT: 4 tickets to pre-glow* and main event, name in marketing, signed copy of Yamasaki in Detroit

*PRE GLOW - 2:30 PM

Sponsors at $500+ are invited to a special pre-glow
• Featured Speaker: John Gallagher, author of Yamasaki in Detroit
• Hors d’oeuvres and Sparkling Wine
• Signed copy of Yamasaki in Detroit

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The end of World War II marked the beginning of the Golden Age for the Men’s Club as returning soldiers flocked to join the group. Suddenly, it possessed both the manpower and the resources to take on multiple program areas at the same time.

There was a flowering of both Club-run and Club-funded programming. Club members ushered during services, provided security for Temple events, and directed traffic at High Holidays. The Club led a layman’s religious service, started presenting prayer books to Temple high school graduates, and funded six scholarships to Reform Movement summer camps. The Club initiated a Sunday morning breakfast and established a Kitchen Committee which provided food for Club meetings and youth group activities. The Club sponsored a bowling league, created an essay contest for religious school students, strengthened its support of the Boy Scout troop, and refurbished the Youth Group room. In addition, members gathered 125 tons of food for shipment to refugee camps, and a committee offered employment counseling to returning veterans.

The Men’s Club brought Christian clergy to Temple and sent TBE rabbis to churches. It strongly supported the interfaith work of the Jewish Chautauqua Society, and sponsored speakers on the state of race relations, the evils of segregation, and other topics of the day. Discussion programs became vibrant events.

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In the 1960s the Club established a Mitzvah Corps to visit the homes of ill Temple members and to lead shiva services. It also increased joint programming with Sisterhood and the Married Group. With the draft still a reality for young men, the Club continued the practice of sending Passover and Hanukkah gifts to service personnel. Club budgets of the period also reflect allocations for adult Jewish education, Israel bonds, the Jewish Book Fair, and the continued support of the Allied Jewish Campaign.
Club membership reached in excess of 900 in the 1960s. Yet, the clergy felt that Club programs lacked religious focus and failed to instill Jewish values. In response, the Club created home study groups, expanded an “Evening with the Rabbi” series, held Religious Fellowship Retreat weekends, and paid for adult Jewish education classes for its members.

Beginning in 1970, Club volunteers started replacing non-Jewish volunteers at local hospitals on Christmas Day. This effort evolved into Federation’s Mitzvah Day. The Club financed bus transportation from Oakland County to Temple, but also began shifting Club meetings to Oakland County locations.

Activities aimed at college students became part of Brotherhood’s programming. This included a summer job placement fair as well as dinners held in Ann Arbor and East Lansing for students of Beth El families. College students away from home - like military personnel in the past - began receiving Hanukkah and Passover gifts.

The 1980s and 90s brought expanded social action activities and cultural programming. Teams volunteered at area soup kitchens, homeless shelters, and nursing homes, as well as held food drives for Russian immigrants. The Brotherhood inaugurated a Mother’s Day Champagne Brunch and a Father’s Day picnic. It won numerous national awards for its programming, including a speakers’ series that culminated with a talk by Cardinal Adam Maida. Yet, membership had begun a slow decline. The reasons for this decline rested largely with causes outside the organization’s control. These causes and the group’s future will be discussed in the third and final segment on the Brotherhood’s history in an upcoming Bulletin.

LARRY IMERMAN
BROTHERHOOD PAST PRESIDENT
SALLY B. KOHLENBERG

Temple Beth El member Sally B. Kohlenberg was recently recognized by the City of Huntington Woods for her 40 years of service to the City of Huntington Woods Library. A proclamation was cited at the City Commission Meeting at Huntington Woods City Hall on Tuesday, February 4th by Mayor Robert F. Paul, III.

Sally and her late husband, Martin, have lived in Huntington Woods for over 52 years where they raised their children, Larry and Julie. Sally is the proud grandmother of Jared, Liza and Gemma.

2020 PILLARS OF VIBRANCY

DR. BRIAN BERMAN
KEITH POMEROY

Mazel Tov to members Dr. Brian Berman and Keith Pomeroy for being the 2020 Pillars of Vibrancy honorees at the Community House Fifth Annual Bates Street Society dinner in February.

The Bates Street Society Dinner recognizes The Community House’s annual Pillars of Vibrancy honorees for their work and contributions in the areas of education, culture, wellness, business and philanthropy, all aligning with the work and mission of the Community House.
NEW ARRIVALS

ALEXANDRA ROSE RAPPAPORT
BORN DECEMBER 29, 2019
PARENTS: SARAH & MATTHEW RAPPAPORT
Grandparents: Cynthia & John Vleko, Ilene Rappaport & Milt Fisk, Lisa & Mark Rappaport

MAXWELL RICHARD VICTOR
BORN DECEMBER 31, 2019
PARENTS: ERICA & JUSTIN VICTOR
Grandparents: Sheryl & Douglas Victor, Julie Marks
Great-grandparents: Phyllis Kaplan, Mary Mastroianni

CHARLIE ELLA GABBARD
BORN JANUARY 21, 2020
PARENTS: DANIELLE & MATT GABBARD
Grandparents: Denise & Bobby Levin, Karen Gabbard, Bob Gabbard

NORAH FAYE ROBERTS
BORN JANUARY 22, 2020
PARENTS: JESSICA & JOEY ROBERTS
Grandparents: Judy & Scott Roberts, Laurie & Jeff Cook
Great-grandparents: Phyllis Loewenstein & Sheldon Plotnik

ISLA GABRIELLE GOLDBERG
BORN JANUARY 24, 2020
PARENTS: ELANA ACKERMAN & ANDREW GOLDBERG
Grandparents: Sharyl & Alan Ackerman, Lori & Mark Goldberg
Great-grandmother: Paula Taub

CASH RUMOUR KOROTKIN
BORN FEBRUARY 14, 2020
PARENTS: STACY & EMILY KOROTKIN
Grandparents: Kenneth Korotkin, Carol & Larry Skalsky, Diane Meitzner

36 UNDER 36 HONOREES 2020
Vadim Avshalumov, Jackie Issner, Hannah Kessler, Daniel Rosenberg, Daniel Stein, Zachary Wish were six of the Honorees. More than 70 names of young professionals making an impact in the Detroit Jewish community were submitted to this program, sponsored by The Well and the Detroit Jewish News. The nominees were sent to a panel of impartial volunteer judges who had the difficult task of choosing 36 names from the list of impressive submissions.

If you or a family member would like us to share your good news in the TBE Bulletin, contact Lindsey at lfoxwagner@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.
BUBBIE ZAYDIE
TEMPLE TOTS
SUNDAY, MARCH 1
10:00 - 11:00 AM
Calling all Bubbies, Zaydies, Grandmas, Grandpas, Nannas, Pappas, Savtas and Sabas! Grandparents with their grandchildren. 1 year - Pre K. Enjoy creating lasting memories. Meet in the ECC gym. Facilitated by an Early Childhood Educator. Free & open to the community. For more information, contact Debbie Morosohk at dmorosohk@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.

MASORET: THE COLLABORATIVE DIVORCE PROCESS
SUNDAY, MARCH 1
Amy Byer, Domestic and Family Attorney
Discussion will focus on differences between the Collaborative Divorce Process and traditional litigated divorce. This alternative process encourages more amicability, less contention, and is more in line with Jewish values. For more information, contact Deborah Morosohk at dmorosohk@tbeonline.org or 248.325.9708.

CELEBRATE RUTH BADER GINSBURG’S 87TH BIRTHDAY WITH SISTERHOOD!
SUNDAY, MARCH 15
2:00 PM
WE’LL SCREEN “RBG,” THE DOCUMENTARY FILM focusing on the life and career of Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg.
MOVIE MUNCHIES & SPECIAL DESSERT INCLUDED. $5 in advance, $8 at the door.
RSVP to Karen Lowen at 248.444.8329 or Nancy Fortier at 248.495.5013.

AIPAC POLICY CONFERENCE 2020
MARCH 1-3 • WASHINGTON, D.C.

BUBBIE ZAYDIE TEMPLE TOTS
SUNDAY, MARCH 1
10:00 – 11:00 AM

BETY 35 CREATIVE ARTS STUDIO
MARCH 1 (details pg. 21)

EC C SIPS, SNACKS AND SHOPPING MARCH 5 (details pg. 19)

KID-ISH CLUB PURIM BLOWOUT MARCH 6 (details ➤)

ADULT PURIM PARTY MARCH 7 (details ➤)
FRIDAY, MARCH 6 @ 5:30 PM

Purim Blowout

Come in costume and ready to party at our annual Purim Blowout!

We’ll start with Purim songs and continue with dinner, bounce houses, a balloon artist, and more!

$5 PER CHILD
$10 PER ADULT

For more information or to RSVP, contact Jennifer Ritchie at jritchie@tbeonline.org or 248.865.0602.

SATURDAY, MARCH 7 @ 7 PM

BE OUR GUEST AT TEMPLE’S TAVERN

ADULT PURIM PARTY SPIEL

ENJOY ...

Delicious drinks, food from Hunter House, Wing Snob and more, while participating in our interactive, back-by-popular-demand, adult Purim spiel...Hamilton

For more information or to RSVP, contact Danielle at dgordon@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

PURIM CARNIVAL

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE

- MECHANICAL BULL
- INFLATABLE AXE THROWING
- VIRTUAL REALITY EXPERIENCE
- INFLATABLE OBSTACLE COURSE

11:15 AM
MEGILLAH READING
Youth Choir Hamilton Purim Spiel

NOON – 2:00 PM
CARNIVAL
TICKETS

$20 Bracelet (unlimited tickets) or .50 cents per ticket

Kiddle Carnival (0–5 years old)
$10 Bracelet (unlimited tickets)

*Lunch not included with ticket purchase, cash only for lunch.

In Partnership with Sisterhood and Brotherhood!

To become a donor or to volunteer, contact Scott at slowen@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.
Tea and Tantrums with Franki Bagdade of Franki’s Academic & Behavioral Consulting

Wednesday, March 25
9:15-10:15 AM
(following ECC drop off)
Enjoy coffee, tea and snacks
FREE & OPEN TO TBE & ECC MEMBERS

Franki has over 20 years of experience in the world of children with extra needs—non-traditional learning environments, camping and everything in between. She has worked in all types of classrooms from special needs resource room to general education, pre-school through high school as a teacher consultant, resource room coordinator, and professional development trainer. Franki graduated from Michigan State University with a BA in Elementary Education and Wayne State University with a MA in Special Education.

AROUND TEMPLE

TBE UPCOMING PROGRAMS/EVENTS

MARCH

HAMILTON PURIM SPIEL WITH YOUTH CHOIR
MARCH 8  
(details pg. 11)

PURIM CARNIVAL
MARCH 8  
(details pg. 11)

BROTHERHOOD SPEAKER “THE TBE LIBRARY”
MARCH 15  
(details pg. 6)

CELEBRATE RUTH BADER GINSBURG’S 87TH BIRTHDAY
MARCH 15  
(details pg. 10)

78TH ANNUAL RABBI B. AND ADA S. GLAZER INSTITUTE ON JUDAISM
MARCH 16  
(details pg. 9)

SHABBAT IN THE ROUND
FRIDAY, MARCH 20
7:00 PM
SANCTUARY FOYER
Please join us for a participatory service using rounds as our guide—shaping our space, sharing our music, and bringing each other into a circle of ruach (spirit) and prayer.

THURSDAY IS GAMEDAY
19 SISTERHOOD GAME DAY
THURSDAY, MARCH 19
11:00 AM
Canasta, Mahjong, Poker, Bridge, Rummikub, Scrabble. Bring your games & friends! Join us for GameDay hosted by the Sisterhood. $8 by noon the Monday before GameDay, or $10 at the door. Lunch, snacks, and card tables provided. RSVP to Karen Lowen at 248.444.8329.

AN AFTERNOON WITH MUSICIAN AVY SCHREIBER
THURSDAY, MARCH 19
NOON
Join the Beth Elders for lunch and an afternoon of entertainment by one-man band, Avy Schreiber. He is a world-renowned singer, pianist, and songwriter. Deli lunch from Pickles & Rye ($10). RSVP by March 13 to Danielle Gordon at 248.851.1100 or dgordon@tbeonline.org.

MASORET:
Navigating The Complex World Of Immigration
Patricia Luber, Immigration Attorney
SUNDAY, MARCH 22
A discussion of changes in the law, impact on immigrants nationally and locally, recent media coverage, and myths/facts about immigration. For more information, contact Deborah Morosohk at dmorosohk@tbeonline.org or 248.325.9708.

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ENTERING EACH OTHER'S FAITH NARRATIVES:
A Religious Jew’s Journey into Islam and Christianity

Each year, Temple Beth El hosts the Glazer Institute as an interfaith forum to build relationships, learn from one another, and take vital steps toward creating a stronger community across Metro Detroit.

This year, Israeli author Yossi Klein Halevi shares his story at Temple Beth El. Nearly 20 years ago, he went on a unique spiritual journey, spending a year in Palestinian society encountering the faiths of his neighbors. That journey led to personal transformation, and to a remarkable breakthrough in Muslim–Jewish relations.

SPEAKER
YOSSI KLEIN HALEVI
Senior Research Fellow and Co-Director, Muslim Leadership Initiative, Shalom Hartman Institute.

MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2020 | 7:30 PM
FREE OF CHARGE
DESSERT RECEPTION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING LECTURE

For more information and to RSVP, contact Jennifer at jritchie@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.

Our Glazer Institute is the longest-running Interfaith Institute in the country, celebrating Temple Beth El’s historic and growing commitment to interfaith relations.
TBE UPCOMING PROGRAMS/EVENTS

MARCH

Meet and socialize with knitters and crafters in the Prentis Memorial Library! For more information, contact Helen Sorser at 248.798.7087.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP
THURSDAY, MARCH 26
7:00 PM
Come together in a safe and supportive environment. Facilitated by a psychologist specializing in grief and loss. Free & open to the community. For more information, contact Danielle Gordon at 248.851.1100 or dgordon@tbeonline.org.

Join award-winning bartender Chas Williams as he takes you step-by-step in making drinks that are sure to impress. Tastings along the way will add to the fun.

Member/ECC Parent $25
Non-Member $36
Price includes tutorials, tastings, and tool kit to take home.

RSVP to lwilliams@tbeonline.org by March 17 to reserve your spot – spaces are limited!

Join us in Birmingham for an evening at the House of Pure Vin – $40 per person.

Generously sponsored by Miriam and John Cohen

Operation Finale
Starring Oscar Isaac and Ben Kingsley
Monday, March 30 at 5:30 PM
Holocaust Memorial Center
Zekelman Family Campus
28223 Orchard Lake Rd
Farmington Hills, Mi 48334

Film Screening & Discussion

Discussion and Q&A after the film led by:

Rabbi Mark Miller
Visit our special exhibit, Operation Finale: The Capture & Trial of Adolf Eichmann, on view through June 7. Open Sunday to Friday. Exhibit is free with admission or membership.
Make Passover a family affair and join us at the Beth El 2nd Night Seder

THURSDAY, APRIL 9
6:00PM HANDLEMAN HALL

Enjoy a delicious Passover meal without the cooking or cleanup! Join your TBE clergy and friends to experience the story of our freedom. The interactive Seder will include music, a special activity for kids, prizes for the Afikoman, and more.

$50 PER ADULT / $30 PER CHILD  CHILDREN 3 AND UNDER ARE FREE!

Advanced registration to 248.325.9706 or dgordon@tbeonline.org by March 27 is required. Reservations can be made online at www.tbeonline.org.

Name (s) _________________________________________________________
Phone ___________________________________________
Email ____________________________________________
Address __________________________________________________________
City ___________________________________________Zip _______________
Number of Adult (s) Attending  _______  @ $50 per person = $ ____________
Number of Children Attending  _______   @ $30 per child = $ ______________
Number of Children 3 & Under Attending _____________
Please note any dietary needs: _______________________________________
Please note any seating requests: ____________________________________
My check is enclosed $ ____________ or Charge to my   VISA    MASTERCARD    AMEX

– Credit card transactions will incur a mandatory non-refundable 3% convenience fee.
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BRINGING WOMEN TOGETHER

Temple Beth El
WOMEN’S SEDER
SUNDAY, MARCH 29
5:00 PM

Wine, Dinner, and Activities

We’ll put a spotlight on the women in the Passover narrative and get ourselves spiritually ready for the holiday.

$25  TEMPLE MEMBER/ECC PARENT
$30  NON-MEMBER
$18  TEEN

RSVP and payment to Ilene Stone at 248.865.0612 or istone@tbeonline.org.

For more information contact Debbie Morosohk at 248.325.9708 or d morosohk@tbeonline.org.
TU BISH’VAT PARTY RECAP

Even though there was snow outside, we were busy celebrating the new year for the trees! ECC Director Susie Weiner helped us make our own creative caterpillars that will sprout grass in just a few days. And don’t miss out when we party hard for Purim next month! (details pg. 11)
TU BISH’VAT LIBRARY PAPER FLOWER WORKSHOP

What an incredible afternoon spent creating, chatting, and enjoying the company of a great group! Our Paper Flower Workshop with Meaghan Keck was so much fun and all got to walk away with beautiful creations to help us combat the snowy weather outside. Check out these photos of the final products and stay tuned for more Library Make-and-Take workshops coming up. A special “Thank You!” to our event sponsors Miriam and John Cohen!
NEW MEMBER SHABBAT

On February 7, more than 80 people came together to welcome and celebrate our newest Temple members at our New Member Shabbat dinner. New member families enjoyed a complimentary meal and got to know one another, as well as our clergy, staff, and Board members. After dinner, new member families joined us for Music Shabbat and received a special blessing on the bima from our clergy. It was a wonderful evening!

INTERFAITH COUPLES AND FAMILIES
If you are in an interfaith relationship or raising children in an interfaith home, and are interested in discussing interfaith inclusion at TBE and beyond, this focus group is for you.

JEWS OF COLOR
If you identify as a Jew of Color and are interested in discussing racial and ethnic diversity at TBE and beyond, this focus group is for you.

LGBTQ+ JEWS
If you identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and/or queer, and you’re interested in discussing LGBTQ+ inclusion at TBE and beyond, this focus group is for you.

JEWS WITH DISABILITIES
If you live with a physical disability, and you’re interested in discussing accessibility at TBE and beyond, this focus group is for you.

To join a focus group or for more information, contact Alicia Chandler, Chair of the Audacious Hospitality Committee, at aliciablumenfeldchandler@gmail.com or 248-763-3694.

FOCUS GROUPS will begin meeting in March based on the schedules of those involved.
ECC | EDUCATION

CALENDAR

KIDZ BOP FUNDRAISER

Enjoy a fun evening with:
★ Dinner
★ Dancing
★ Photo op with Olaf and Elsa
★ Prizes
★ Air Brush Tattoos
★ And so much more!

SUNDAY
APRIL 26
5:00 PM

$50 per family (maximum of 5)
Additional tickets: $10 per adult / $5 per kid

BUY TICKETS TODAY AT TBEONLINE.ORG

SIPS, SNACKS AND SHOPPING
THURSDAY, MARCH 5
6:00–8:00 PM
Join us for a Style Social!
Hosted by EVEREVE, 128 S. Old Woodward, Birmingham. 15% of purchases benefit Temple Beth El’s ECC. RSVP to Erin Simmerman at erinlowen@gmail.com or Nicole Vanhouse at nicole.vanhouse@gmail.com.

TEA AND TANTRUMS WITH FRANKI BAGDADE OF FAAB
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25
9:15–10:15 AM
(details pg. 12)

APRIL 6–10: Vacation – No School
MONDAY, APRIL 13: School Resumes

ECC PASSOVER SING ALONG
MONDAY, APRIL 13
9:00 AM
Please celebrate with us as Mr. Matt and Ms. Sam lead us in Passover songs and dances in Handleman Hall. Get your frog feet ready for jumping as the entire ECC comes together in a big circle to sing and create community.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15:
Last day of Passover – No School

KIDZ BOP
SUNDAY, APRIL 26
5:00 PM
(details 🔄)

SPECIAL PERSON DAY
MONDAY, MAY 11
9:00 – 10:00 AM
MONDAY, MAY 25:
Memorial Day – No School
FRIDAY, MAY 29:
Shavuot – No School
THURSDAY, JUNE 4:
Last full day of School

END-OF-YEAR CELEBRATION PRE-K MOVING ON CEREMONY
FRIDAY, JUNE 5
MONDAY, JUNE 15: Camp Begins

For more information contact Emily at ebarnett@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.
4th and 5th grade families gathered for project presentations. Students had been working on projects since the fall based on various mitzvot they had been studying. One group wrote and illustrated a children’s book on Kindness to Animals, another created a brochure promoting Protecting the Earth, and another created a video commercial on Feeding the Hungry. Following the presentations, families stayed for Shabbat dinner and services.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12

Kindergarten families spent the morning at Masa learning about the Shma. They created a family bedtime prayer, sang a bedtime shma, and created beautiful shma pillowcases.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26

1st grade families spent the morning learning about Shabbat and Havdalah. Families made their own Havdalah candles, spice boxes, and kiddush cups. They considered what is holy in their lives and shared their thoughts at a mock Havdalah service.
YOUTH CALENDAR

**BETY 35**
**GRADES 3-5**

**BETY 35 – CREATIVE ART STUDIO**
**MARCH 1 / NOON – 2:00 PM** (Lunch provided)
CREATIVE ARTS STUDIO – 114 W FOURTH ST., ROYAL OAK
TBE 3rd – 5th Graders – We want to see your art skills! This is a do-it-yourself event which will feature a variety of different art projects including pottery painting, mosaics, glass fusing, wax hands and spin art. Join us and spend the afternoon painting, crafting, and having fun! Lunch will be provided at the studio.

**LOCK-IN AT TBE** (Dinner & breakfast provided)
**APRIL 18 – 19 / 7 PM – 9:30 AM**
Come join your Beth El friends, new and old, for a fun night with snacks, games, and movies and spend the night at temple!

**BETY**
**GRADES 9 – 12**

**THE MICHIGAN PEDDLER**
**SATURDAY, MARCH 28 / 2:00 – 5:30 PM**
Spring is in on its way and nothing says spring like exploring downtown on a pedal bike! Join us as we pedal the streets of Eastern Market and downtown. We’ll explore all kinds of things that make Detroit great, while listening to music and being with friends. We will leave Temple at 2:00 pm and Return to TBE at 5:30 pm. RSVP required by March 23. ($10.00 per person)

**LOCK-IN AT TBE** (Dinner & breakfast provided)
**APRIL 25 – 26 / 6 PM – 9:30 AM**
As we approach the end of our year we want to celebrate! Please join us for food, drinks, games, entertainment, and time with friends, old and new. A very important part of the evening will be electing our 2020-2021 BETY Board. These leaders will help shape our youth programming for the coming year.

**JBETY**
**GRADES 6 –8**

**PURIM SET-UP** (Lunch provided)
**MARCH 7 / 2:00 – 6:00 PM**

**PURIM CARNIVAL** (Lunch provided)
**MARCH 8 / NOON – 2:00 PM**
(details pg. 11)

**SHABBATON**
**MAY 1 – 2 / 4 PM – 5 PM**
(WALLED LAKE OUTDOOR EDUCATION CENTER)

For more information on any of these programs, if you are able to be a driver or to RSVP, contact Scott Lowen at 248.851.1100 ext 3125 or slowen@tbeonline.org.

**K-5 PARENTS NIGHT OUT**
**SATURDAY, APRIL 18 @ 7:15 PM**
After you drop off your kids at Temple for the BETY35 Lock-in, join Cantor Rachel at The Morrie in Birmingham, for live music, hors d’oeuvres, and a cocktail ... on us!

**OUR YOUTH GROUPS HAVE BEEN BUSY!**
BETY (high school students) showed off their driving skills with a great afternoon at JD Racing! JBETY (middle school students) spent time bumping into one another at a fun afternoon playing Whirlyball!
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BIRTHDAY OF HILARY SIRCUS
BIRTHDAY OF MARLA CANVASSER
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MARGI & DON EPSTEIN
Anna Marie Kish

Tributes from January 1 – February 1, 2020
MARCH BIRTHDAYS

MARCH 1
- Gabrielle Blau
- Marjorie Federman
- Sandra Hermanoff
- Jerome Moss
- Jo-Anne Nosan
- Marsha Rosfel
- Adam Rosenberg
- Sarah Shapiro
- Sheldon Siegel
- Franklin Stewart
- Steven Stone
- Eununah Wedes

MARCH 2
- Nancy Baron
- Nancy Bruchey
- David Colman
- Michele Davis
- Dorothy Decker
- William Haughey
- Kenneth Posner
- Jordan Rosenberg
- Harlan Simmons

MARCH 3
- Harlan Simmons
- Jordan Rosenberg
- Kenneth Posner
- William Haughey
- David Colman
- Nancy Brudney
- Nancy Baron

MARCH 4
- Emunah Wedes
- Steven Stone
- Franklin Stewart
- Sheldon Siegel
- David Colman
- Nancy Brudney
- Nancy Baron

MARCH 5
- Lyndsay Ball
- Jennifer Fantich
- Deborah Marvil
- Norma Pont
- Megan Specktor
- Mark Tenenhouse

MARCH 6
- Brielle Bassipour
- Susan Kaplan
- Sylvia Nelson
- Gregory Schwartz

MARCH 7
- William Floyd
- Arie Klar
- Marta Lazar
- Michele Maloff
- Jason Roznick
- Wyatt Schiller

MARCH 8
- Gayle Camden
- Dennis Freeman
- Madeleine Gerson
- Ira Margolis
- Roberta Weber

MARCH 9
- Jackson Blau
- Tessa Grant
- Myron LaBan
- Michael Zonder

MARCH 10
- Jonathan Haber
- Zvi Rosenzweig
- Jean Simon

MARCH 11
- Hannah Cardew
- Ethan Cliff
- Harriet Hollander
- Adam Kessler
- Ezra Stav

MARCH 12
- David Blau
- Lina Lembersky
- Susan Saraceque
- Michelle Scavone
- Harmon Tron
- Elizabeth Wojtowycz

MARCH 13
- Howard Baron, Jr.
- Alison Budsik
- Stuart Israel
- Estelle Kwartowitz
- Arielle Lipman
- Rachel Rapp

MARCH 14
- Allan Gantman
- Ryan Gertner
- Gaal Karp
- Katie Leibhan
- Deborah Morosok
- Nancy Powell

MARCH 15
- Margaret Gantz
- Marjorie Sandy
- Victoria Sloan

MARCH 16
- Harold Ash
- John Kessler
- Mitchell Greenberger
- Joshua Lipson
- Sarah Myers

MARCH 17
- Harold Cooper
- Cantor Rachel Kalmowitz
- Robert Lisak
- Sharon Obeler
- Alexandra Schwartz

MARCH 18
- Elizabeth Kaner
- John Kessler
- Mitchell Greenberger
- Joshua Lipson
- Sarah Myers

MARCH 19
- Norman Ash
- Joshua Berg
- Hudson Craig
- Marlene Lipman
- Daniel Mesi
- Mark Rubinstein
- Elyse Sutherland

MARCH 20
- Sherry Singer
- Jennifer Werblin
- Hudson Wun
- Carly Yashinsky

MARCH 21
- Harriet Cooper
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MARCH 22
- Elizabeth Kaner
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- Joshua Lipson
- Sarah Myers

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- Jonathan Borstein
- Cheryl Kerwin
- Brighten Most
- Adam Robin
- Joseph Rubin
- Emma Sable
- Mark Schwartz
- Scott Swains
- Susan Turner

MARCH 24
- Sherry Singer
- Jennifer Werblin
- Hudson Wun
- Carly Yashinsky

MARCH 25
- Karen Hull
- Jackson Harris
- Michael Jacoby
- Jeffrey Jenks
- Allan Lasser
- Taevon Lawrence
- Staci Lichterman
- Jordan Marcus
- Darren Rosenberg
- Diane Weisberg

MARCH 26
- Jaime Ettinger
- David Miller
- Fredrick Simon
- Marta Singer
- M. Madeline Weiner

MARCH 27
- Denise Brown
- Amy Farbman
- Mason Fillmore
- Nolan Werner
- Steven Wolf

MARCH 28
- Barry Freedman
- Sheldon Plotnik
- Mark Shain
- Brandon Webb

MARCH 29
- Elory Becker
- Mark Canvasser
- Hudson Issner
- Myrle Leland
- Simon Rozencweig
- Steven Scharg

MARCH 30
- Alicia Chandler
- James Deutchman
- Robert Dresner
- Olve Kilmam
- Logan Most
- Kelly Paulisim-Smith
- Noah Sklar
- June Watnick

MARCH 31
- Beth Congdon
- Charles Jacobowitz
- Michael Kent
- Michelle Lame
- John Lawson
- Avraham Slatkin

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

MARCH 2
- Phyllis & Allen Gantman
- Leah & Harmon Tron

MARCH 3
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MARCH 6
- Jenny & Gregory DeGorsky
- Dana Kreis Glencer & Derek Glencer

MARCH 7
- Susan & Daniel Dickey

MARCH 10
- DD & Stephen Fisher
- Maria & Mark Glazer

MARCH 11
- Sara & Andrew Craig
- Shira & Bill Good
- Brenda & Sanford Passer

MARCH 16
- Anna & Robert Greenstone

MARCH 17
- Laura & Lawrence Lester
- Petrica & Josh Luber

MARCH 20
- Rita & Bernard Klein
- Susie & Adam Rosenberg

MARCH 21
- Hellen & Howard Barron

MARCH 22
- Stacy & Ronald Klein
- Helaine & Arthur Steuer

MARCH 23
- Leslie & David Doran

MARCH 24
- Wendy & Henry Abrams

MARCH 25
- Mary Jo & Marc Israel

MARCH 26
- Cathy & James Deutchman
- Jacqueline & Earl Remer

MARCH 27
- Jessica & Jeremy Brandt
- Jane & Alrich Schwartz

MARCH 28
- Lyndsay & Jason Ball
- Karen & Alan Lowen
- Shelly & Jeffrey Roberts

MARCH 29
- Nancy & Richard Bleden
- Sonia & Keith Pomeroy

MARCH 30
- Louise & E. Todd Sable

MARCH 31
- Heidi & Jay Kreindler
- Mary & Richard Senter
MAX LAPIDES

ANNA ROMANENKO
Mother of Lana (Michael) Lembersky. Grandmother of Margarita Lembersky and Natalya (Oleg) Rolbin. Great-grandmother of Maxim Wilkins and Kate Rolbin.

MARY JANE MARX

ROBERT MOERS

DOUGLAS ALAN NYQUIST

EDWARD M. MILLER

EDITH SIMMONS
Wife of Dr. Milton Simmons. Mother of Harlan (Bonni) Simmons and Melodie (Dr. Alan) Solway. Grandmother of Andrew Solway, Matthew Solway, Ashley Simmons, Ryan Simmons and Eric Solway.

ARTHUR SOBIN
Dear friend of Dot (Bob) Vernan.

NANCY MYERS

BLANCHE BORENSTEIN
Mother of Jonathan (Karen) Borenstein, Laura (Larry) Lester and Ellen “Rivkah” (Mayer) Goldwasser. Grandmother of Rachel, Jane, Matthew, Scott and Stephanie.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2020
BAT MITZVAH OF SOPHIE PAIGE COHEN

Joining in Sophie's Mitzvah are her parents Josh Cohen and Carrie & Steven Stillwater, brother Isaac Cohen, grandparents Steve Brown, Connie & Barry Silverman, Michael Cohen, Beverly & Marc Jonas, Randi Brown & Larry Stillwater. Also celebrating this joyous occasion are Sophie's great-grandparents, Elaine Kohner and Bernie Jonas. Sophie is the loving grandchild of the late Janice Cohen. Sophie is a student at Warner Middle School in Farmington Hills. As part of her Mitzvah Project Sophie has enjoyed volunteering at Fleishman as well as various soup kitchens and Meals on Wheels.

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2020
BAT MITZVAH OF LINDSAY BROOKE LEVIN

Lindsay is a 7th grader at Derby Middle School. For her Mitzvah Project Lindsay enjoys participating with the PET-A-PET PROGRAM, where she takes her dog Snoopy to visit patients at St. Joe's Hospital. Lindsay is the daughter of Emily and Darrin Levin, the sister of Dylan and Spencer, the granddaughter of Adrienne and Paul Shwedel, Carole Levin and the late Larry Levin.

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2020
BAT MITZVAH OF FRANKIE CODEN

Frankie is a 7th grader at Berkshire Middle School where she participates in choir, photography, stagecraft and the baking club. When she is not studying, Frankie can also be found enjoying Dim Sum, “Billy Madison”, Sebastian Maniscalco, Tik Tok, Board Games and bickering with her sister. Frankie performed her Mitzvah Project for Together We Rise, improving the lives of children in foster care. She is the daughter of Robyn & Mark Coden and the sister of Jaye. Proud Grandparents are Judy Grossman, Cary Storchan and Carol Sue & Stephen Coden. Frankie is also the granddaughter of the late James Grossman.

The perfect ending to any Shabbat service ... enjoying food with one another.

Please consider supporting this festive gathering with a donation to the Oneg/Kiddush Fund.

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