Family-Friendly Summer Kickoff - Music Shabbat!
First outdoor service of the season.

FRIDAY JUNE 2
FREE - OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY!
5:30 PM
DINNER & ACTIVITIES
7:00 PM
OUTDOOR MUSIC SHABBAT

Dinner by Mex  Ice Cream Truck  Outdoor Games  "Arts and Scraps"
RSVP to Danielle Gordon at dgordon@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100

Special performance by the children of TBE with guest conductor, Bloomfield Hills High School Director of Bands, Alan Posner.
Email the Cantor at rgk@tbeonline.org if your child plays an instrument!
A Continual Process of Change

One of the common misunderstandings about Reform Judaism begins with our name. It is “Reform” Judaism, not “Reformed” Judaism. Although many people inadvertently use that term, the difference is much more significant than a few letters. “Reformed” would imply that Judaism underwent a major adjustment at some point in its history, and what we now experience is a newer (but static) version. “Reform,” on the other hand, describes a continual process of change that has defined Judaism for thousands of years. Reform is a verb, and Judaism has never stayed the same for very long, always adapting to the real needs and pragmatic desires of people living at different times and places.

From the day I set foot in TBE, I have been working hard to help our congregation be a place that embraces experimentation, creativity, reflection, and growth. We are open to fresh ideas, new initiatives, and bold attempts to make our Temple more welcoming, more provocative, more holy. I hope to see you and your family at Temple soon . . .

Rabbi Mark Miller
mmiller@tbeonline.org

Our Spirit is Growing

The Gold Standard

Over the last 24 months, we have seen much change at TBE - change in clergy, change in staff, and change in the way we address and respond to the ever changing climate of hate crimes and hate speech in the world. As the Executive Director of this amazing Temple, I am challenged daily by how to successfully find the balance to achieve a warm welcoming congregation, while providing a secure environment in which all feel safe, physically and emotionally. As you may know, in 2015, we secured a 75-thousand dollar Homeland Security grant that we used to increase access control and video surveillance. In 2016, we secured a second 75-thousand dollar Homeland Security grant that allows us to continue improving our security infrastructure with access control for the preschool wing and cement bollards at the entrances. We also have an amazing team of security professionals, Morris Collins, Ken Jackson, and Donzelle Graham, who keep watch from open to close, seven days a week.

In the Greater Metro Detroit Community, TBE is considered the Gold Standard for Houses of Worship with regard to security preparedness and training. In March, we hosted an FBI community-wide seminar: “Protecting Houses of Worship”, which was a great opportunity to understand the uptick in anti-Semitic activity in our community.

At TBE, we continue to hold monthly drills for staff and students on sheltering in place, severe weather awareness, building evacuations, and lockdown drills. We provide CPR and AED certification and refresher classes for our entire staff.

If you would like more information or have any questions about our emergency preparedness, please feel free to contact me directly, and remember, “if you see something, say something”.

Kim Raznik, Executive Director
kraznik@tbeonline.org

Stay tuned for exciting new changes to the Bulletin!
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**Temple Highlights**

**YOUR TEMPLE working FOR YOU**

Temple Beth El has 166 years of history, nearly 1,100 member families, and a calendar packed with opportunities to connect, learn, celebrate, and volunteer. But just as important, our Temple is here to provide resources, guidance, rituals, and spiritual counseling for a range of important moments throughout your lifetime. Each month, this column will introduce you to another aspect of what Temple has to offer, with specifics about how to take advantage of your membership.

One of the difficulties many of us face at various times is a hospital stay. Whether you or a loved one is in the hospital for surgery, illness, or another reason, we are here to offer comfort, spiritual guidance, and practical support. Our TBE clergy visits hospitals throughout the metro area regularly, and are ready with a prayer, a song, or gentle conversation. They are also available to spend time with family members who want to talk or to help find resources for whatever situation you find yourself in.

Our Temple is dedicated to walking with you through all phases of life, and our caring clergy is available anytime. If you or a family member are in the hospital (or planning to be), please contact our Rabbis and Cantor via Laura Lucassian at llucassian@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.
Join the Beth Elders Movie and Dessert
Thursday, May 18
12:30 PM - 3:00 PM

- FREE OF CHARGE -
The movie "School Ties" followed by discussion and dessert.
For information or to RSVP, please contact Danielle Gordon at dgordon@tbeonline or 248.851.1100.

Upcoming Events

Bites & Books

Monday, May 8
10:00 AM and 7:00 PM

Empire of Deception
by Dean Jobb

In this rip-roaring tale of greed, financial corruption, dirty politics, over-the-top and under-the-radar deceit, illicit sex, and a brilliant and wildly charming con man on the town and then on the lam, Empire of Deception proves that the American dream of easy wealth is truly a timeless commodity.

Facilitated by Rabbi Mark Miller

Deb Moroshek
@moroshek@tbeonline.org
or 248.851.1100

The 5 book series is $25.
Drop-in fee: $10/per session.
Is Your Life Being Squeezed?
Transitions & Financial Planning in Mid-Life

✓ Caring for an aging loved one or adult child?
✓ Managing your own transitions?
✓ Retirement in the near future?

Join us and a team of executive coaches and consultants that empower and equip individuals to successfully create career and life transitions.

Saturday, May 13
1:00 - 6:30 PM
Snacks provided - FREE
and open to the community!

Register online at www.tbeonline.org or contact Danielle Gordon at dgordon@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100

The Kid-ish Club
Creating a welcoming Jewish community for families with young children!

Tot Shabbat
SATURDAY, MAY 6 • 9:30 AM
A fun, musical Saturday morning experience. Service in the Chapel, Kiddush & activity following.

Small Fri Shabbat
FRIDAY, MAY 12 • 5:30 PM
Location: off-site. Details for the evening will be sent with RSVP.

RSVP to Rabbi Brudney at mbrudney@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.
At April's first annual Women’s Retreat, seventeen Temple Beth El women spent an enjoyable and relaxing Shabbat connecting with friends new and old. We sang, ate, drank wine, shared stories of our personal journeys, and discovered common ground between us all. Rabbi Megan Brudney warmly invites TBE women of all ages to join us next year from May 18-19 as we unwind, engage, and go deeper!

For more information, or to RSVP for our next retreat, contact Rabbi Brudney at mbrudney@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.

The Women of TBE were busy assembling packages (cleaning supplies theme) for delivery to Jewish Family Service for Passover.
The Women of Temple Beth El recently sponsored a screening of a documentary film addressing an issue going unnoticed in our backyards.

More than 100 people attended the community film screening of "BREAK THE CHAIN" at Beth El on Thursday, March 30. This feature-length documentary film addresses the often hidden-in-plain-sight issue of Human Trafficking within Michigan communities and the United States. The film chronicles two survivors of Human Trafficking – providing a detailed look at how trafficking goes unnoticed within our backyards. Accompanying the stories of these survivors are nearly 20 interviews with researchers, senators, non-profit organizations, legal service agencies, law enforcement officers and several artists actively working to raise awareness for this global issue.

Guests enjoyed a dessert reception and special Q&A session following the screening featuring local experts including Deborah Monroe, Survivor and Owner of Recovery Concepts; Wendy Reyes, Lieutenant at the Oakland County Sherriff Department; and Edee Franklin, Founder/President of Sanctum House.

“The statistics on human trafficking are overwhelming, with more than 21 million people around the world being trafficked, and we are all connected to it in some way,” said Edee Franklin, Founder/President of Sanctum House. “We are so thankful to the Women of Temple Beth El for helping generate awareness about this problem and educate the community on how together we can help “break the chain” of human trafficking as well as to try to reach younger trafficking victims and help them see that there is hope for a successful future “out of the life.”
Our Commitment to Israel

ISRAEL
DECEMBER 20 - 31, 2017

Journey to Israel with Rabbi Miller and his family on this trip of a lifetime, where you will experience...

- The cutting-edge grandeur of modern TEL AVIV
- The spiritual intensity of ancient JERUSALEM
- The mystical streets and artist colony of TZVAT
- The subtle power of the GOLAN HEIGHTS
- The awesome spectacle of MASADA and the DEAD SEA

AND SO MUCH MORE!

Trip will also include a special track for teens, and a memorable opportunity to celebrate a Bar/Bat Mitzvah in our Jewish homeland!

Walk Together With Our Beth El Group As We Celebrate ISRAEL!

The Annual Walk, Run & Roll for Israel and Family Fun Run!

A COMMUNITY-WIDE EVENT
SUNDAY, MAY 7
Hosted by Temple Shir Shalom, 3999 Walnut Lake Road

- 8:00 AM
  5K Family Fun Run Starts (registration required)
- 11:00 AM
  Pre-Walk Talk
- Noon to 4:00 PM
  Carnival Games & Rides (open to the public)
- 12:30 PM
  Kosher Lunch (no charge)
- 1:30 PM
  Walk Starts

To join the “TBE Walking Team” contact Laura in the Rabbis’ Study, llucassian@tbeonline.org or 248-851-1100, for full itinerary details and pricing.

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CHECK OUT OUR FULL ITINERARY and REGISTER ONLINE at WWW.TBEONLINE.ORG

To register or learn more visit www.WalkForIsrael.org
Our Commitment to Israel

Nearly 40 people made up this year’s TBE delegation to AIPAC’s annual Policy Conference in Washington, D.C. The event’s theme was “Many Voice, One Mission” and we had a chance to meet with world-class analysts, engage with Michigan’s national politicians, and interact with more than 18,000 pro-Israel activists from around the country … sharing the common goal of strengthening the relationship between Israel and the U.S. We also had the unique opportunity to hear from top leaders in both Israel’s and America’s government – including Senate and House leadership from both parties (Sen. McConnell, Sen. Schumer, Rep. Pelosi, and Rep. Ryan).

If you would like to join us next year, leave your name with Laura in the Rabbis’ Study (llucassan@tbeonline.org), and we’ll make sure you get all the details for March 4-6, 2018!

The Joys of Community at Temple Beth El

CONGRATULATIONS to Margot Gardner, nominated for Eight Over Eighty. This event honors eight extraordinary community individuals over the age of eighty who have practiced Tikun Olam through their lives. Thank you Margot for dedicating your time, talent and life to our community! Mazel Tov!

Our very own Margi Epstein was among a small group of distinguished alumni from Wayne State University Law School in Detroit invited to be sworn in to practice law before the U.S. Supreme Court in Washington, D.C. Margi was sworn in in front of all of the Justices of the Supreme Court in open session. She is now an official member of that prestigious bar.

CONGRATULATIONS to Dr. Stanley H. Levy, recipient of the 2017 Lifetime Peacemaker Award from Wayne State University’s Center for Peace and Conflict Studies. Each year they honor notable individuals and groups who have made a fundamental difference in promoting peaceful relations in the Detroit community or globally. An award ceremony and reception with Nobel Peace Laureate Jody Williams was held on April 2, 2017.

Happy Birthday, Flora Winton, Past President of TBE. 100 years is quite a milestone and something to be celebrated!
Beth El Family Seder!
Sharing our story with friends & family.

On the 2nd night of Pesach, nearly 200 Temple members sat together in Handleman Hall for a joyous and meaningful Seder. The evening included songs and blessings, stories and personal reflection, great food and wine from Cutting Edge Cuisine, and a chance to celebrate our Festival of Freedom in creative ways. Our Temple family has so much to be thankful for, and we hope you will join us for another incredible night next Passover!
To celebrate the conclusion of Monday Night School, on Sunday, April 17, the students enjoyed a fun outing to the Escape Room in Novi.

LOCK IN – MAY 6 -7
TBE’S 3RD - 5TH GRADERS - FREE OF CHARGE
Join us for a stupendous sleepover at Temple. We will have games, arts and crafts, a movie, s’mores, dinner, and much more!
Saturday, May 6 at 6:00 pm through Sunday, May 7 at 9:30 am.

SOUP KITCHEN – MAY 21
TBE’S 7TH – 12TH GRADERS & THEIR FAMILIES - COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS
Make Tikkun Olam, repairing the world, an ongoing part of your family’s Jewish Life. TBE’s soup kitchen initiative is a monthly opportunity for TBE teens and their families to volunteer to help feed the hungry at the Detroit Orthodox Outreach soup kitchen.
Carpool leaving temple at noon returning by 3:00 pm.

SHUL IN – JUNE 2
TBE’S 8TH - 12TH GRADERS - FREE OF CHARGE
Come and have fun with your temple teen friends! Vote on the new board at the BETY elections, hang out, play games, and have a shul in with our temple friends.
Dinner, dessert, snacks and breakfast will be provided!

For more info or to RSVP, please contact Joey Unger at junger@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.

MAY COLLECTION ORGANIZERS - BETY
BETY’s is organizing TBE’s May Giving Tree initiative and is partnering with Detroit Orthodox Outreach.
We are asking families to donate new socks for men and women. All donations are appreciated!
Detroit Orthodox Outreach provides a weekly soup kitchen to impoverished families in Detroit. There, families can be guaranteed a full meal once a week, along with being provided canned goods, hygiene kits, and other essential items they would otherwise not have access to each week.
Giving Tree collections can be dropped off in the Slotkin Foyer of TBE.

TBE’s Giving Tree
Learning + Fun

**BETH EL TEMPLE**

**TOTS**

Fridays 9:15 - 10:45 AM
March 31 - June 2

Temple Tots is for children 1 to 2 years of age.
Join ECC Director Susie Weiner and engage in art, music, open-ended playtime and a musical Shabbat celebration each week.

For more information, contact Susie at 248.851.1100 or sweiner@tbeonline.org

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Congratulations to all of our lil’ art contestants who entered the 2nd Annual Gala Art Contest, what an amazing group of talent!

L-R: Makenzie Bielfield, Sylvia Hirsch, Isaac Hirsch, Starla Fruitman, and Henry Templin

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**Camp Beth El**

June 19 - August 11

For children ages 18 months - 5 years

Certified Teachers
Flexible Schedules
2, 3, 4 or 5 half or full days
Treehouse, Sand and Water Wall!

ALL NEW NATURAL PLAYGROUND!

Before & After Care
8:30 am - 6:00 pm

Temple Beth El
7400 Telegraph Rd. Bloomfield Hills, MI 48301
www.tbeonline.org/learning/ecc

Limited Spaces Available
For more info or to sign up your child, please contact Susie at 248.851.1100 or sweiner@tbeonline.org
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Gorlovsky, Thea & Stuart Kayne
NANCY BLATT
Brenda & Sanford Passer
WILLIAM H. STEINHARDT
Marjorie Hecht Simon
IN HONOR OF
BRODY LEV VIOLER, NEW GRANDSON OF
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BAT MITZVAH OF GABRIELLE BLAU
Eleanor Blum
BIRTHDAY OF ELLEN LICHTERMAN
BEST WISHES ON YOUR SPECIAL BIRTHDAY
WITH LOVE, ELLIN
Mrs. Elin Lawson

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John Lawson
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IN HONOR OF
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Deena & Stuart Lockman

* Tributes MARCH 6 - APRIL 6

Tributes

Honor & Celebrate Your Family, Your Friends, Your Temple.
**EVELYN BERGMAN**
Mother of Leslie Faulkner.

**WERNER J. KAPLAN**
Husband of Gilda Kaplan

**ROBERT L. SADOFF**
Husband of Joan Sadow, cousin of Chuck Sadow.

**SHIRLEE UNGER**

**MILDRED WEISS**
Mother of Ronald Weiss, Barbara Gottlieb
Grandmother of Logan Most, Darren Weiss, Todd Weiss. Great grandmother of Oakley Most.

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**May 14 - May 20**

**CHARLES ACKERMANN**
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**May 21 - May 27**

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**May 28 - June 3**

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**SYBIL EINSTEIN**

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**We note with Sorrow the Passing of...**

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**Denotes Memorial Plaque will be lit in the* **

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Please consult the Shabbat schedule on page 19 for service times. * Denotes Memorial Plaque will be lit in the Goldenman Memorial Room.**
MAY BIRTHDAYS

MAY 1
Shera Avi-Yonah
Jade Mabry
Gail Mondry
Stephen Sturman
Susan Weiner

MAY 2
Adam Eglin
Cyril Feldman
Miriam Imerman
Scott Sherman
Kenneth Stone
Lee Turner
Alyse Yashinsky

MAY 3
Julie Bartholomew
Ali Byer
Marvin Frenkel
Rheanna Henney
Hailie Mauch
Sanford Passer
Samuel Pernick
Michael Zehnder

MAY 4
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Amy Byer
Vanda Fradlis
Andrew Frenkel
Chloe Giron
Jacob Plante
Steele Rogers
Carly Rosenthal
Dylan Unatin
Renée Zahler

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Laura Eddleston
Robert Finkel
Eric Greenberger
Jack Harold
Joyce LaBan
Anthony Merolla
Hannah Rosinski
Shoane Schiller
Bruce Stein
Hyla Williams

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James Hill
David Khankin
Nancy Myers
Lori Rapp
Irving Steinberg
Samuel Talmer
Heidi Wineman

MAY 7
Dennis Gershenson
Paul Halpem
Adam Lynch
Eileen Raider
Andrew (AJ) Sherman

MAY 8
Joyce Epstein
Scott Hamburger
Nathan Herrin
Wesley Herrin
Sanford Klein
Gail Mandel
Seth Rogers
Jessie Stern

MAY 9
Harrison Bloom
Sara Craig
Jack Marwil
Hyam Rosenberg

MAY 10
Hyam Hirsch
Robert Katzman
Svetlana Kelman
Ella Kernin
Rachel Rudman
Phyllis Salomon
Haroon Shaevesky
Harriet Shapack

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Katherine Hansen

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Samuel Beigler
Lorraine Blanck
Ryder Bortman
Evelyn Simon
cynthiA Snyder
Robert Weissberg

MAY 14
Maxine Baker
Steven Brown
Wendy Gruskin
Judith Marx

MAY 15
Brady Chandler
Josh Cohen
Nicole Drouillard
Elaine Harris
Frances Klinger
Marion Rubin
Helaine Steuer
Jennifer Weinger

MAY 16
Richard Cooper
Barbara Haber
Natalie Kern
David Nelson
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Thomas Sherman
Stacy Weiss
Dallas Wunn

MAY 17
Warren Coville
Heather Vander
Adam Wegard
Flora Winton

MAY 18
Henry Drouillard
Michael Hermanoff
Georgia Kux
Charles Sadoff
Nancy Shapero
Dylan Wolf

MAY 19
Lois Berk
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Cheryl Chodun

MAY 20
Handi & Jason Cooperman
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Roberta Viviano
Trudi Wineman

MAY 22
Roberta Toll
Matthew Turner
Marthe Wulfman
Avery Zimmerman

MAY 23
Jonah Baru
Harper Fantich
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Lena Epstein
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Life Cycles

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MAY 1
Gillian & Michael Bassirpour
Angélique & Justin Geller

MAY 2
Judith & Richard Komor

MAY 3
Ruth & Samuel Talmer

MAY 4
Nancy & Lawrence Bluth

MAY 5
Judith & John Kamins
Linda & Scott Sircus

MAY 6
Kathleen & Thomas August
Adrienne & Randal Gordon
Dana & Pierre-Louis Greenberg

MAY 7
Carol & Andrew Bass

MAY 8
Anita & Clifford DeVine

MAY 9
Beth & James Hill

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Elizabeth & Brian Guz

MAY 13
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Jodi & Adam Robin

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Shabbat Services

FRIDAY NIGHT SHABBAT SERVICE WILL NOW START AT 7:00 PM BEGINNING JUNE 2.

FRIDAY, MAY 5
6:00 PM  Music Shabbat

SATURDAY, MAY 6
9:00 AM  Torah Study
9:30 AM  Tot Shabbat
10:30 AM Shabbat Service
          **Bat Mitzvah of Hannah Rose Rosinski**

FRIDAY, MAY 12
5:30 PM  Small Fri
6:00 PM  Shabbat Service

SATURDAY, MAY 13
9:00 AM  Torah Study
10:30 AM Shabbat Service
          **Bar Mitzvah of Andrew Jampel Sherman**

FRIDAY, MAY 19
6:00 PM  Shabbat Service

SATURDAY, MAY 20
9:00 AM  Torah Study
10:30 AM Shabbat Service with the TBE Choir
5:00 PM  **Bar Mitzvah of Elizabeth Doran**

FRIDAY, MAY 26
6:00 PM  Shabbat Service

SATURDAY, MAY 27
9:00 AM  Torah Study
10:30 AM Shabbat Service
          **Bar Mitzvah of Robert Wein**
**SATURDAY, MAY 6  10:30 AM**

**BAT MITZVAH OF HANNAH ROSE ROSINSKI**

Hannah is a 7th grader at Warner Middle School where she plays viola, is a Girl Scout, junior optimist and a member of the national junior honor society. She enjoys playing the piano; ice skating, gymnastics and spending time helping the causes her Junior Optimist Club supports such as Humble Design. For their current mitzvah, the group is raising money for Habitat for Humanity and going to a senior center to entertain the seniors. Hannah is the daughter of Denise (Denny) and Robert D. Rosinski and the granddaughter of Barbara and Robert Bachman and Marion and Robert J. Rosinski.

**SATURDAY, MAY 13  10:30 AM**

**BAR MITZVAH OF ANDREW JAMPAL SHERMAN**

AJ is a 6th grader at the Roeper School in Birmingham, Michigan. AJ enjoys tennis, swimming, and video games. AJ also plays both the violin and piano. For his Mitzvah Project, AJ volunteered at the Temple Beth El day camp where he helped with the three-year-olds. AJ is donating the centerpieces from his Bar Mitzvah luncheon (which are made out of canned and boxed food) to Yad Ezra. AJ is the son of Emily and Ted Sherman, the brother of Tommy and Addie, and the grandson of Joan and Robert Jampel, and Renee and Jerry Sherman.

**SATURDAY, MAY 20  5:00 PM**

**BAT MITZVAH OF ELIZABETH PAIGE DORAN**

Elizabeth is a 7th grader at Van Hoosen Middle School. She is a Cheerleader for her school as well as Redskins Varsity Competitive cheer. Elizabeth enjoys school, gymnastics, soccer and hanging out with her friends. For her Mitzvah Project, Elizabeth is working with the OPC to arrange and deliver for meals on wheels. Elizabeth is the daughter of David and Leslie (Spilkevitz) Doran, the sister to Adam, and the granddaughter of Stuart and the late Geraldine Spilkevitz and Lucille Doran and the late Gerrard Doran.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 10  10:30 AM**

**BAT MITZVAH OF LUCY JANE HOFFMAN**

Lucy is a 7th grader at Bloomfield Hills Middle School where she sings in the choir. She excels at skiing during the winter. She has a love of art, photography, music and playing both acoustic and electric guitar. Lucy has enjoyed helping to feed the less fortunate at several different soup kitchens throughout the city of Detroit. Lucy is the daughter of Lauri and Larry Hoffman, the sister of Tristan and Maddie, and granddaughter of Betty and William Hoffman, Gerald and the late Diane Ellman.

**SATURDAY, MAY 27  10:30 AM**

**BAR MITZVAH OF ROBERT WEIN**

Bobby is a 7th grader at Bloomfield Hills Middle School where he plays the violin, runs cross country and is a member of the wrestling, tennis and forensics teams. He enjoys texting with friends, playing with his dogs Roxie and Ruby, and since he was seven years old, spending his summers at Camp Tamakwa in Ontario. For his Mitzvah project, Bobby volunteered with PeerCorps Detroit helping the homeless and working on several urban renovation projects. Bobby is the son of Eric and Linda Wein, brother of Zach and Maddie, and grandson of David and Marsha Wein and the late Robert and late Marilyn Grabowsky.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 10  10:30 AM**

**BAT MITZVAH OF CHLOE ARIANNA KREINDLER**

Chloe is a 3rd generation member of Temple Beth El and a 7th grader at Derby Middle School in Birmingham. At Derby, Chloe is on the tennis, swim and volleyball teams, plus enjoys playing her viola in the orchestra. She enjoys skiing, playing with the family’s two rescue dogs, jumping on the trampoline, swinging from trees and hanging out with friends and family.

During the summer, Chloe spends time at her family’s home on Lake Michigan. This Spring, Chloe participated in one of Humble Designs’ 750+ “Reveal” afternoons, where she helped redecorate an apartment for a single mother and her two children, one of whom was very ill. For Chloe, this Mitzvah Project reinforced the importance of recycling because she witnessed first-hand how “repurposed” items positively transformed a family. Chloe is the daughter of Heidi and Jay Kreindler, the sister of Tristan and Tatum and the granddaughter of Sharron and Alfred Kreindler and the late Glenda and Paul Monteith.
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HAVDALAH IN THE PARK IS BACK!

Join us in Birmingham on Saturdays: June 17 & July 22.

We will be meeting in Shain Park at 6:30 PM to mingle, sing, and have some fun.

Saturday, August 12
We will be meeting at JARC’s Frederick H. Pitt Home in Bloomfield Township at 6:30 pm for a BBQ, games, and more.

RSVP to Danielle Gordon at dgordon@tbeonline.org or 248.851.1100.