Yahrzeit Names 3/2 thru 3/8/2024

March 2, 22 Adar I Morris Greenberg Lily Jacobson Sidney Perchik

Hal Irwin Weiss

March 3, 23 Adar I

Charles Buckman

Sabina Handel

Reuven Herman

Esther Levin

Mort Minkus

Harry Novak

Annette W. Seidenberg

Albert Zimbler

March 4, 24 Adar I

Hans Frank Brull

Solomon Dubin

Trudy Pevitz

Harold Tannenbaum

March 5, 25 Adar I

Max Dunn

Ida Gold

June Kleban

Irene Letush Friedman

March 6, 26 Adar I

Monoe Berliner

Elynore Brassner

Lillian Kovarsky

Harvey Pollak

March 7, 27 Adar I

Menachem Cohen

Sarah Dinofsky

George Edelstein

Jerry Friedman

Rose Moller

Dora Nechamkin

Julia Roth

Irving Sorkin

Jerry Tannenbaum

March 8, 28 Adar I

Edith Bernstein

Sara Feinstein

Peggy Freeman

Doris June Greenacre

Anne Kleiman

Sam Pfeffer

Roberta Ross

ADL Kulanu Program at BHBE Thursday, March 21, 7:30pm, zoom only. Join us for a one Night book club, reviewing chapter 7 of the book *It Could Happen Here*. By: Jonathan Greenblatt, CEO of the ADL. RSVP to receive a copy of chapter 7. bit.ly/30Z3r9v

> Saturday, March 2nd at 10:45am. Tot Shabbat Families -- Everyone (adults included!) is welcome to join us in your pajamas for Family Tot Shabbat! And join us beforehand at 10:30am for Tot Shabbat Playtime. Please consider purchasing BHBE PJ's! Order below. Tot Shabbat Parents and Grandparents -please consider making a contribution to the Kiddush Fund at https://www.bhbe.org/sponsor-a-kiddush/ to enhance the congregation Kiddush on Family Tot Shabbat.

Sisterhood Shabbat, March 30. Would you like to read a Torah portion? Act as a gabbai? Wrap the Torah? Read a prayer in English or Hebrew? Open the Ark? Just let Marcy Kreiter marcykreiter@gmail.com) or Carol Gopman cgopman@gmail.com) know.

BHBE Retreat September 13-15, 2024 - Camp Chi's Perlstein Retreat Center, Lake Delton, WI. Please mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details. For questions or to get involved, contact: Lia Goldfarb lia.goldfarb@gmail.com

Please note that all credit card payments (including donations) carry a 3% fee. You can use an eCheck with no fee at any time. If you have any questions, please contact our office at: information@bhbe.org or 847.256.1213. Thank you!

Thank you to Hillel Furlager for providing us with wonderful reading material relating to Israel! To read the Israel Corner article, please go to: https://www.bhbe.org/israel-corner/

Sunday, March 3, 4pm at BJBE, 1201 Lake Cook Rd., Deerfield. Interfaith Voices for Israel. Musical Expression of Peace, Hope, Healing and Friendship. Featuring Cantor Roytman and the Kol Zimrah Jewish Community Singers, Olga Meshoe Washington, Cantors Alex Kurland, Jennifer Frost, Steve Stoehr, Jay O'Brien, Julie Staple, Andrea Rae Markowicz, The Hebrew Project Artists and JoDavi.

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Torah Reading Exodus - Ki Tissa

Aliyah 1 31:18-32:6 pages 529-531 Aliyah 2 32:7-11 pages 531-532 Aliyah 3 32:12-14 pages 532-533 Aliyah 4 32:15-24 pages 533-535 Aliyah 5 32:25-29 page 535 Aliyah 6 32:30-33:6 pages 535-537 Aliyah 7 33:7-11 pages 537-538 Maftir 33:9-11 page 538 Haftarah I Kings 18:1-39 pages 548-551

Mazel Tov to:

BETH HILLEL BNAI EMUNAH

Harris Miller on his promotion at work

Lia Niederberger and Harris Miller, who is the Secretary of the BHBE Board, on their engagement

Lisa and Stewart Miller and Karen Lewak and Craig Niederberger on the engagement of their children, Harris Miller and Lia Niederberger

Marina and Dan Smulson, Robin and Paul Smulson and David **Resnick** on their daughter, niece and sister, Julia Smulson who won the Luminarts Jazz Improvisation Fellowship competition and was awarded \$10,000

Today's kiddush has been hosted by the Congregation. Marsha Lyons has contributed to today's kiddush in memory of her father. Harry Novak and Greer and Arthur Braun in honor of the birth of our twin great-grandsons, Schneur Zalman and Nachman Braun, and the safe return of our grandson, Gavriel Braun from his recent tour of duty in Israel.

We will be making lunches to be donated to food pantries on Sunday, March 10, starting at 9:00am in SPAK Please join us to help fulfill this wonderful mitzvah. If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Roth at rothkauf386@gmail.com or at 847.323.6589. Please also participate in the Blood Drive that will be going on in SPAK from 8:30am--1:30pm. You can sign up using the link on the flyer below. Questions on the blood drive should be directed to Jennifer Oppenheimer at jennifer.oppenheimer1@gmail.com or at 847.712.0096

Save the Date BHBE Sisterhood Rummage and Book Sale. Sunday, Aril 7 and Monday, April 8. DROP OFF DATES: Tuesday March 26, 27, 28 through Thursday and Monday, April 1 - Thursday, April 4, 9:30 - 12, 1:00 - 5:00, 6:00 - 8:00.

Purim 2024! - In the Book of Esther we read: "Therefore the Jews of the villages, that dwelt in the unwalled towns, made the 14th day of the month of Adar a day of gladness and feasting, a holiday, and of sending portions to one another (mishloach manot)."

To purchase your greetings, please go to https://bhbe.shulcloud.com/campaign/purim-2024.html. Registration closes March 8, 12noon. This is a wonderful way to celebrate Purim, to brighten someone's day, and to sustain and support our vibrant Academy. Thank you for your participation. Participation: \$10.00 (1 Family Included), Per Family: \$3.50, Maximum: \$500.00

SAVE THE DATE -- Sunday, March 10, 2024 @ 2:00pm -- for a guided tour of Jewish Artists at the Art Institute of Chicago, led by docent Janet Horwood. If you are not an Art Institute Member, the entry fee is: \$32 adults, \$26 Seniors 65+, \$26 Student (college/university,) \$26 Teens (age 14-17,) Children free (age 13 and under.) Contact Sheila Gideon for more details and if you need transportation. sheilagideon@sbcglobal.net or 847.560.4225.

Thursday, March 14, 1pm for the next Sisterhood Daytime Series featuring Educator & Historian, Beth Sair. Beth's program will be "Chicago's Extraordinary Place and Spaces." Beth will share facts and pictures of about 20 locations. Light lunch at noon and speaker to follow at 1pm. \$5 per person. If you would like to be a sponsor for this program for \$25, please contact Gail Swerdlik, gmswerd@gmail.com. Sponsors entry is included in their sponsorship.

JUDAICA SHOPPORTUNITIES-The BHBE Judaica Shop has so many new items inside, Come see our windows, still 50% off, The first two windows and the right window has a Purim display. But inside, we have some beautiful new jewelry. For additional info or to purchase, contact, Robin 847.287.1233 or Joan 847.602.2257

If you signed up for the First Annual Academy Fundraising Spaghetti Dinner, don't forget, it is tomorrow night, 5:30pm.

Help us Plan the Purim Carnival March 17, 2024

Email: Jessica @bhbe.org for more info.

Man and Youth of the Year, Sunday, March 3, 2024 at North Suburban Beth El. Dan Chodrow as Man of the Year and Maia Weissman as Youth of the Year. Ticket Buy: http://tinyurl.com/nhezypjw

Digital Torah Fund eCards for every occasion. New Beautiful design. Please use this link. https://torahfundecards.jtsa.edu

We have a lot going on at BHBE! Please visit us at www.bhbe.org for information about our events, classes, service times, and other engaging opportunities! For security purposes, links to all virtual programming are private. If you are a BHBE member, please check your Thursday BHBE News email for access information. If you have questions, please reach out to us at information@bhbe.org or 847.256.1213. Thank you!

If you have any other questions, you can contact any one of us via email:

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Buy your BHBE PJ's! Kids sizes, \$25 each, adult sizes, \$30 each. https://bhbe.shulcloud.com/form/pjs-for-sale.html

Help cement the future for years to come by contributing to the L'dor V'dor Brick Project. Please call the office for more details.

BHBE Sisterhood will be selling Tulip Plants and Farm Fresh Eggs for Passover. Please see the flyers in the BHBE News or on the Shabbat table outside of the Sanctuary.

Adult Ed Classes

Psalms Class with Rabbi Nate Crane - First Thursday of each month at 7:30am in-person and on Zoom - right after minyan

Talmud Class with Rabbi Nate Crane - Wednesdays at 10am in-person and on Zoom

Introduction to Judaism Class with Rabbi Nate Crane - Bi-weekly, Sundays at 11am in-person

Prayer Lab: Using a Small Voice, tomorrow at 11am in-person. Join us for an interactive study of worship techniques through meditation and song led by Cantor Roytman. Please register with the link in the BHBE News or on our website. Hot off the Press: Latest Guidance From the Law Committee. Join Rabbi Crane in exploring recent responsum from the Committee on Jewish Law and Standards, including the guidance on electric cars and Shabbat. Thursday evening, March 7.

BHBE is proud to offer scholarships for congregants' children who will attend a program in Israel or at a Jewish camp. For more information, and to apply, please follow the link below. Thank you to the BHBE Next Gen Fund for the generous support of our families!

Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Ba'Zeh Campaign - All the people of Israel are responsible for one another. Please consider giving to Torah Fund. Contact Ida Ioffe for more details: 847.814.5573 or idaioffe@comcast.net