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From the Rabbi's Desk

Dear Congregants,

Our hearts are shattered, and our souls are in mourning. At this critical time, we must stand united.

United in our sorrow.

United in condemning the horrific attacks that occurred last Shabbat, October 7th, 2023. United in our resolve to support our brothers and sisters in Israel, who are fighting to defend themselves.

United in condemning the hate-filled terrorist organization, Hamas, whose stated purpose is to annihilate of the State of Israel and to murder and eradicate the Jews who live there.

Caught off guard, attacked by terrorists hellbent on destruction, our brothers and sisters suffered some of the most



gruesome atrocities committed against our people in recent history. Prior to this surprise, unprovoked attack, we could not fathom what our ancestors lived through during past pogroms and the Holocaust. but now, sadly, we are reliving chapters from violence that we might have thought inconceivable in the 21st century, torture, and kidnapping of babies, children, women, and the elderly, have been committed.

We ask in shock and bewilderment – how could this have happened? How could people be filled with so much hatred that they are driven to murder people they do not know just because they are Jews who live in the land of Israel? And we ask: how could any decent person possibly justify or rationalize the murderous actions of Hamas?

We call upon the good people of the world to join us in condemning Hamas.

but now, sadly, we are reliving chapters from our past. Heinous acts of violence that we might have thought inconceivable in the 21st century, among them the murder, torture, and kidnapping we have to eliminate this threat.

We thank President Joe Biden, Secretary Antony Blinken, members of Congress, our public officials and other international leaders who have expressed support for Israel and recognize

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Message from the President

As I reflected on this year's uplifting and enjoyable Rosh Hashanah services, and all the activities associated with the Holidays, I remembered reading Rabbi Jonathan Sacks words about Judaism being a complex and subtle faith. As many of you know, Rabbi Sacks served as the Chief Rabbi of England. I searched for the article I read and would like to share with you the rest of his words. The Rabbi went on to say that even though Judaism is a complex and subtle faith, "it has rarely lost touch with its simple ethical imperatives. We are here to make a difference, to mend the fractures of the world, a day at a time, an act at a time, for as long as it takes to make it a place of justice and compassion where the lonely are not alone, the poor not without help; where the cry of the vulnerable is heeded and those who are wronged are heard." I found this statement to be very touching and poignant. I realized that during my term as Presi- were born into a Jewish

deal about these holidays, but I began to truly understand the importance of the Jewish holidays and their celebrations in and to my life. For the first time, perhaps, I realized what it really means to be Jewish. I therefore would like to share some of my thoughts on the meaning of being "Jewish". I do realize that each and every one of us has his/her own perspective.

To me, **Judaism** is not really a race because Jews do not share one common ancestry, e.g. Ashkenazi Jews and Sephardic lews are both "Jewish". However, whereas Ashkenazi Jews often come from Europe, Sephardic Jews often come from the Middle East via Spain or Morocco. People of many different races have become Jewish over the centuries. lews come from countries all over the world. We can say that to be lewish means that we are part of the Jewish people, whether because we dent I not only learnt a great home and culturally identify

as Jewish (Cultural Judaism) or because we practice the Jewish religion (Religious Judaism) or both.

Cultural Judaism: Cultural Judaism includes things such as Jewish foods, customs, holidays and rituals. As we all know, many people are born into Jewish homes and are raised eating "typical" Jewish foods such as blintzes and lighting Shabbat candles on Shabbos, but never step foot inside a synagogue. According to Orthodox and Conservative Judaism in America, or by traditional standards worldwide, lewish identity is automatically bestowed on babies of Jewish mothers. This Jewish identity stays with us throughout life even if we don't actively practice Judaism.

Religious Judaism: Religious <u>ludaism</u> includes the beliefs of the lewish religion. The way a person practices the Jewish religion can take many forms, and partially for this reason, as we all know, there are differ-

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Thank You

Regina Leaf and daughters Meredith and Stephanie would like to thank everyone for their condolences, visits, and donations in memory of our beloved husband and father. Your thoughtfulness is overwhelming and greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Regina Leaf & Family

The Hatzilu Rescue Organization would like to thank all the members of CBT who made donations to this year's annual Kol Nidre Food Drive.

Ben Schnapper



TREE OF LIFE

We are sure that you have noticed the Tree of Life in the Lobby of our Synagogue! There are plenty of Leaves available to commemorate a Special Occasion. How about a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Leaf or a Leaf for a New Baby in the Family? Please call Esther Kamlet @ 516-735-0796

Buy your Leaf now! Esther Kamlet

Mazel Tov to:

Randi & Joel Cohen of CBT and David & Lynda Massry of Deal NJ, are blessed and happy to announce the engagement of Michelle Dara Cohen to Charles Dalton Massry.

Marty Brochstein & Molly Faber receiving Chatan Torah and Kallah Breishit honors for Simchat Torah.

Gail Jeby-Levy for being honored at a ceremony as a 2023 NYS Senate Woman of Distinction Honoree on October 26, 2023 at the Plainview-Old Bethpage Public Library.

Speedy Recovery

Richard Schultz Sandy Slutzah

Condolences

May God comfort them among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem

Announcements

DOLLARS FOR DONATIONS

Do **You** have a household item you want to sell? List it in the CBT Times, and 100% of the proceeds of the sale will be donated to Congregation Beth Tikvah.

For example, if you have a chair that you no longer want, you can list it for sale in the Beth Tikvah Times with the selling price, and a fellow congregant can buy it. 100% of the proceeds will go back to Congregation Beth Tikvah.

Email your name, phone number, item description, picture of the item and what price you would like to list it for to AB ROHER at ab_roher@cotyinc.com. I will then post it and you will then negotiate the sale with congregant who wants it.

MONTHLY TEHILLIM PRAYER GROUP

Anyone interested in reciting tehillim of strength, gratitude or healing see Leah Hartman or Fran Rosenberg for details. This will occur on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, meeting in the shul library.

LEARN CONVERSATIONAL HEBREW

Interested in learning conversational Hebrew with the Rabbi? If interested, please call the office. We are trying to organize a morning, afternoon, evening or possibly Sunday class. Why not give it a try!!!!!!

SISTERHOOD SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE

Sisterhood is looking for a few women to help with Social Action. Please give us a little of your time. Get involved!! If you have nay questions, please contact Doris Joltin.

CBT SUPPORT GROUP

The CBT Support Group met on Monday, October 16th. If you have any "cares to unburden", in a warm, welcoming, nonjudgmental, confidential group, please join us at our next meeting on **Nov. 16, 2023** at 1 PM. We welcome CBT members as well as others who would like to participate.

Our future meeting dates are **Nov. 16**th, and **Dec. 11**th. Looking forward to seeing you on **Nov. 16**th.

Susan Wald

Harvey Rabinowitz

MONTHLY TOT PROGRAM

We are looking for a volunteer to run a monthly "tot" program for our synagogue. If you have any interest, please let me know. Thank you!

Ada Marcus amarcus4@gmail.com

CORRECTION

My High Holiday speech inadvertently omitted a sincere thank you to Bruce Hartman for distributing all the honors during our High Holiday services. Bruce did a wonderful job ensuring that the services ran smoothly and effectively.

A sincere thank you also to Gita Freed, out editor, for making sure our monthly CBT Time newsletter is always relevant and meaningful to all of us at CBT.

I am sure we all appreciate their hard work and dedication

Gail Jeby-Levy

Publicity

If any group or club wishes to have publicity for an event published in local weekly papers, Jewish Week, Newsday etc. please e-mail all information to

Bob Cooper at

flyingbob@brianel.com 680-3003

At least 5 weeks before the event.

Coming Events

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its right to defend itself.

We support our brothers and sisters in Israel, and the members of the Israel Defense Forces, who are now responding to the slaughter of innocent civilians and the capture of hostages, as they battle the evil perpetrators of these crimes and protect the citizens of Israel. Regrettably, there will be casualties of this war, because Hamas purposefully operates within the midst of the civilian population and hides behind human shields. We deplore the loss of

innocent life and the pain those in Israel have suffered. The blood of Gazan civilians is on the hands of Hamas terrorists who care more about killing Jews than about protecting their own people.

We hope and pray that the vision of the Hebrew prophets shall come to pass, that "all shall sit under their vine and fig tree, and none shall make them afraid." Amen.

Rabbí Moshe Weisblum, PhD

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ent movements of Judaism. Many people who are born into Jewish homes affiliate with one of these movements. If a person is not born Jewish, she or he can convert to Judaism by studying with a rabbi and undergoing the process of conversion. They must complete the conversion process in order to be considered Jewish.

Ultimately, I feel, to be Jewish is to be a member of a culture, a religion, and a people. Being Jewish is about relationships-between us and G-d, us and us and our family, us and our neighbors, us and our people, us and humankind. In essence it is about the bonds that bind us to one another and to Hashem. Judaism in the highest sense is about friendship. Jews are unique in that we are one - Judaism in the highest sense is about friendship.

Jews are unique in that we are one of the few, if only, "people" in the world that encompass both a religious, cultural and national aspect. What I found during the course of my years, not only as President but as a member of the CBT family, is that to be Jewish is to be many things all at once. Being part of the Congregation Beth Tikvah Community played the biggest role in solidifying my feeling of "Jewishness". of mind.

So, as another year begins let us not forget that being Jewish is about the bonds that bind us to one another and to Hashem – we are all in this "together". May 5784 bring peace to the world and to each of us and our families much health, happiness and peace of mind.

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Gail R. Jeby -Levy President

Men's Club

Well, the high holidays are behind and its time to look ahead. But first, a shoutout has to go those Men's Club shtarkers who helped erect and take down the main sukkah as well as the Rabbi's.

So, in no particular order, a great big thank you and yasher koach to: Dave Glickman, Rich Slutzah, Ken Honig, Bob Gross, Rich Rosenkrantz, Sy Susswein, Rabbi Weisblum, Harvey Greenberg, Richard Bockstein, Vic Feiwel, Ron Schwartz, Ray Bazini, Stu Spector, Jody Wald, Ab Roher, Aaron Landman, Harold Rosen, Larry Slutzky and Dave Kamlet.

If you'll forgive me for a not so humorous play on words, maybe instead of referring to us as the shleppers and shtarkers, in this case maybe we can be called the SUK- KERS. (BOOH, HISSS):) LOL

Anyway, looking ahead, our membership drive is underway. Applications and dues are coming in nicely along with entry into our World Series pool. Thanks to Sol Zweben and Neil Berkowitz for overseeing the pool.

Our annual paid up membership dinner has been moved from Tuesday, November 21st to Wednesday November 29th. As usual, a fun night is in store for all our paid up members with plenty of nosh, food, drink and entertainment. So get your dues paid up and come on down for a great time.

I'm pleased to announce that, once again, the Men's Club will oversee and staff the annual Congregation Chanukah Party to be held on Saturday, December 2nd at 6 pm.

The annual Murray Zwerling Men's Club Shabbat is set for Friday, December 1st. If you are interested in having a part, contact Sy Susswein and indicate if you prefer a Hebrew or English part.

Look for upcoming info on our annual movie night, hockey night at an Islanders game and fitness night at the Mid-Island Y JCC gym.

Until the next time,

Shalom,

Dave



Dave Kamlet

Chavurah

On Oct. 15th our mini golf game was canceled by Eisenhower Park, since the field was wet from all the rain. We will definitely reschedule in the spring.

On Dec. 2nd at 7:30 we plan to have a Painting/Sipping party at CBT. We will be using Creative Crafts of West Hempstead to instruct us on to make a beautiful? painting. Everyone is invit-

ed. Watch the *Shabbat Shalom* for further information.

The Chavurah Sisters

Sandy & Linda



Linda Katz



Sandy Slutzah



Doris Joltin

Sisterhood

Sisterhood was very active in October. We had a great time in the Sukkah eating pizza while the Rabbi told us about Sukkot. After all that food, we went into the social hall for dessert and coffee. A good time was had by the sellout crowd of women. Special thanks to Linda Katz and Sandy Shuchman for their hard work in making this event so successful.

Our first mitzvah project, collecting women's hygiene products for Long Island Cares was highlighted in the *Nassau Observer* newspaper. We are so proud of the enormous response we had to this project and are thrilled by the recognition we received by the newspaper. Special thanks to Susan Wald for organizing it. Our

second mitzvah project will be a Toy Drive for the Goryeb Children's Hospital in Morristown New Jersey. We chose this hospital because one of our own Sisterhood member's grandsons received excellent care there. We are asking each of our Sisterhood members to bring an unwrapped toy to our Paid-Up membership dinner on November 8th. For more information, you can contact Susan Wald.

Our book club is back and in full swing. We discussed *Leaving Eastern Parkway* by Matthew Daub and it was an interesting discussion. We will be choosing a new book in the future.

If you are still interested in sending Leagrams for birthdays

and anniversaries please get in touch with Karen Seltzer as this is a wonderful way for you to send greetings to all the members of our Congregation and you don't want to be left out.

Our next big event is our Paid-Up Membership dinner on November 8th. If you have not joined Sisterhood yet its time you did. This is a great opportunity to have a delicious meal and say hello to old friends and meet new ones, Contact Regina Leaf for more information.

Dorís

Torah Fund Campaign

The Torah Fund theme for 2023-2024 is Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Ba'zeh – All the people of Israel are responsible for one another. If you would like to be a benefactor with a donation of \$180 or more and receive the new heart shaped pin please contact me at 516-783-1954 or by email fredbbb@optonline.net. Donations can be made in installments if you'd like.

Have you tried Torah Fund Ecards five yet? You can now send cards via email for \$5 each and our Sisterhood will get credit for the ers, sale. Cards are available for Happy ers. Birthday, Sympathy, Get Well, New Baby, Mazal Toy, All Purpose,

Rosh Hashanah and Hanukah. Go to https://torahfundecards.jtsa.edu.

Of course, we still have paper Torah Fund cards for sale too for all occasions. Contact Louise Goldberg 516-735-6008, Norma Raspler 516-541-3471, or Elaine Stein 516-694-5683.

Your contribution of any size to Torah Fund provides scholarships and programs for students at the five Conservative/Masorti Seminaries around the world that educate our future Rabbis, Cantors, teachers, social workers and youth leaders.

Thank you for your continued support.

Carole Friedman
Torah Fund Chair



November Birthdays

Leonard Cohen 11/01 Barbara Landis 11/03 Stephen Rovenger 11/03 Norman Cohen 11/04 David Kamlet 11/04 Barbara Weinger 11/07 Bruce Hartman 11/08 Stephen Leibowitz 11/09 Carole Friedman 11/10 Beth Goldberg 11/16 Mindy Weinstein 11/16 Ned Schwartz 11/19 Cele Goldenberg 11/20 Jerry Hertzman 11/22 Lucille Wechsler 11/23 Judy Horowitz 11/24 Robin Stein 11/26 Beth Leighton 11/27 Marty Brochstein 11/30



Sisterhood Book Discussion

Sisterhood's Book Discussion Group met on Sunday, October 15th at the synagogue. We discussed the novel "Leaving Eastern Parkway" by Matthew Daub. It was well attended and a lively discussion was held.

The next Book Discussion will be held within the next two months. More information about the book and the date will be sent in the next Newsletter.

Selma Stern

Book Discussion Chairperson

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CBT greatly benefits from your participation and it doesn't cost you anything extra. You can defer the \$100 year-end charge as well.

Cards from many local supermarkets are available and in stock!

We also have on hand a small inventory of cards from some great stores and restaurants that are usually only available by special order. Bed, Bath & Beyond and Target are stores that many of us shop in.

Restaurants that we have inventory on are Starbucks, Cheesecake Factory, Outback and Ruby Tuesday.

If you would like to purchase any gift cards, please call me at (516) 532-6827 to place your orders.

Thanks for your support of this most important program.

Sol Zweben (516) 532-6827

Shul Gifts

There are many happy occasions in our lives; births, marriages, engagements, anniversaries, bris, bar/bat mitzvah, birthdays, baby namings etc...

If you would like to share your joy with us by purchasing a gift from our shul, some of the costs are listed below. If you have a loss in your life, perhaps you would like to make a gift to our shul that will memorialize your loved one.

Tree of Life \$125 Contact Esther Kamlet 735-0796

Memorial Plaque \$235 Contact Jody Wald 785-5417

Etz Chayim Chumash \$75 Contact the office

Lev Shalem Machzor \$36 - Contact the office

Stand up Basic Kiddush starting at \$250 Contact Bruce Hartman

Stand up Basic Oneg starting at \$175 Contact Bruce Hartman

Jerry Friedman Memorial Walkway \$75/brick
Contact Dave Kamlet or
Lorraine Levin

SUBMITTING ARTICLES FOR THE NEWSLETTER

If you are submitting an article please e-mail it to us at ifreed16@yahoo.com. If possible, please submit your article in the text of your e-mail because we cannot always open your attachments. If you are submitting a flyer to be placed in the newsletter, either e-mail it to us or put the flyer in the newsletter mailbox in the shul office.

All articles and flyers should be submitted by the 15th of the month for the <u>next</u> newsletter.

Gita & Irving Freed

Haftarot

Anyone who is interested in chanting a Haftarah, please contact **Leah Hartman** @ anmsmama@verizon.net. Thank you.

Social Action by Beth Goldberg

Please note: The views expressed in the following column is solely those of the author and do not, in any way, express the views of the CBT or its members.

We have learned of the horror of the Hamas attack on Israel, which was the most lethal attack against Jews since the Holocaust. Some coverage of the media referred to the terrorists as militants, which minimizes the barbaric atrocities against innocent civilians. Over 200 hostages ages nine months to elderly Holocaust survivors are still captives. Residents of the Gaza are being prevented from leaving the areas and being used as human shields.

Distorted reports were issued by the media that Israel was responsible for the rocket that hit a Gaza hospital and killed and injured hundreds of people. This false news inflamed and cause violent protests in the Mideast and elsewhere. Fortunately, the IDF had video and tracking that proved that the rocket was launched by the Islamic Jihad. We should contact the media urging them to report this chapter of history and the news accurately.

We should write to President Biden, Secretary of State Antony Blinken for their support and trips to Israel during a war and assuring the US support for its Democratic ally in the Mideast. They pledged billions of dollars in aid so that Israel would get what it needs to defend itself. The Iron Dome would be fully supplied to prevent attacks from the sky. Also, two aircraft carrier strike groups are in the Eastern Mediterranean waters as a signal to hostile nations not to take advantage of Israel's weakened position and attack it.

There are many ways that we can support Israel and the hostages by contacting elected representatives with phone calls, and letter writing to continue their support of Israel and get the terrorists to release the hostages. Join in rallies and make donations to worthy organizations that will help the civilians and IDF that are lacking supplies including protective gear such as ceramic shields for soldiers.

During these turbulent times there has been an upsurge in antisemitism

and violent attacks on Jews, Arabs and Moslems. New York Governor Kathy Hochul has launched



a new phone hotline and online form where New Yorkers can report hate and bias crimes. That phone number is: 844-NO-2-Hate. This is in conjunction with the New York State Division of Human Rights and Bias Prevention Unit. We must stop Hate as soon as it grows.

Beth

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Good health report by Doris Joltin Jerry & Mira Sclair Anonymous



The BIKUR CHOLIM COMMITTEE is looking for blank greeting cards that you would like to donate. These cards are used to send speedy recovery and good wishes to those who are sick and recovering from an illness. Please bring any cards you have to the office. Thank you.

Bikur Cholim News

Bikur Cholim (also transliterated Bikur holim) refers to the mitzvah (lewish religious commandment) to visit and extend aid to the sick. It is considered an aspect of gemilut chasadim (benevolence, selflessness, loving-kindness). It is traditional to recite prayers for healing, such as the Mi Shebeirach prayer in the synagogue, and Psalms on behalf of the sick. Bikur Cholim societies exist in Jewish communities around the world. The earliest bikur holim society on record dates back to the early Middle Ages. The roots of Bikur Cholim can be traced back to the Torah, when G-d visits Abraham after his circumcision (Genesis 18:1).

Here at Congregation Beth Tikvah our committee strives to keep in touch with members who are ill or even just need to have their day brightened a bit. We send cards, make phone calls, visit and may provide a drive to an appointment or assist with an occasional shopping.

If you think you could assist with any of the above activities... I would love to have you join our committee.

Please contact Esta Lachow @ 516-520-1546 for more information.

If you or someone you know may benefit from this, please contact Rabbi Weisblum @516 -785-2445 or 516-273-2748, or Esta Lachow @ 516-520-1546

HOLD THE DATE: Sunday, January 21st, 2024 is our winter blood drive, at Merrick Jewish Center; more info to follow provide a drive to an appointment or assist with an occasional shopping.

Shalom

Esta Lachow

Bikur Cholim Committee Members

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Tehillim or Psalms, have been recited by Jews for thousands of years. These ancient prayers open our hearts and bring renewal and strength to our daily lives. We at CBT in conjunction with Bikur Cholim have formed a Tehillim Circle. Please join us on the second Tuesday of most months for our Tehillim Service for the healing of our sick. For specific schedules of services check our Shabbat Shalom or call Leah Hartman at home 516-221-5133 or cell 516-459-2021. The power of this group is that it utilizes the collective strengths of those who are saying the psalms together. Join us and bring the names of those persons to be included in our prayers. If you can't make it, call the office with the person's name and their mother's name, and we will include the person's name in our communal listing.

CBT Receives Grant from Citizens Philanthropic Foundation

By Jo-Ann Hertzman, Corporate, Foundation & Media Relations



Congregation Beth Tikvah was recently awarded a generous \$1,000 grant from Citizens Philanthropic Foundation. The Citizens Philanthropic Foundation partnered with Investors Foundation to underwrite Congregation Beth Tikvah Times, the High Holiday and Membership Guide and our Spring Holiday Guide.





Meet the Bat Mitzvah—Sydney Sheinkopf



Sydney has found her love for softball since she was 7 years old, currently playing in leagues for both Plainedge and Massapequa. She has been a camper at Mid Island Day Camp since kindergarten and is now in the travel camp where she gets to spend time away with her friends. Her favorite thing to do is go to amusement parks and ride the scariest roller coasters. If she can't have cheeseburgers or chicken fingers she is not a happy girl. Sydney hopes to either attend University of Georgia or University of Miami and become an attorney. She has worked so hard for her big day!



Tashlich—September 24, 2023









Men's Club Sukkah Building

























Rally for Israel at Merrick Jewish Center—October 9, 2023

This event, in support of Israel, gathered roughly 400-500 people. It started a little late due to cars lined up in the street around the block looking for parking, there were so many people. Various rabbis, cantors, Father Nicky from local Greek Church all spoke in support of Israel and the local Jewish communities. Politicos there: Donald Clavin, Jeanine Driscoll, Kate Murray, Steve Rhoads & others. Our Rabbi Weisblum spoke unscripted, from the heart A member from MJC who was a lone soldier in the IDF, now back here, was trying to raise money for special protective vests for his former unit- goal was \$6K; they collected way more









Rally in Support of Israel at Eisenhower Park—October 10, 2023

We were 6000 people (per Newsday). There were tons of security by NCPD- patrol cars, officers on ground, helicopter & drone in air, mounted police on horseback. Bruce Blakeman's office organized county-wide rally – his wife is Israeli & has lots of family there. Some guest speakers – Rabbi Anchelle Perl of Chabad of Mineola, Mazi Pilip, Nassau Cty legislator ® Great Neck – Ethiopian Jew rescued to Israel, now in US, serving her community in Nassau County, as well as Christian and Muslim clergy. Many of the crowd were not Jewish, but cam to show their support. At the end of fhe rally, kids from college and day schools rushed the stage, singing "am Yisrael Chair", while waving Israeli flags.















Tehillim Service in Support of Israel at CBT—October 12, 2023







Invasion By Beth S Goldberg

It was a cowardly act
To launch an attack
Against innocent Israeli civilians,
Inflaming worldwide opinion.
Taking hostages and desecrating the dead,
Wounding and mutilating innocents body and head.

Music lovers at a festival were slaughtered Murders and atrocities have been reported. Hamas launched and all out assault, When Israel was unprepared and not at fault. Four thousand rockets overwhelmed the iron dome,

While civilians tried to stay safe in shelter and home.

The atrocities of this war

Are more gruesome than before,
Asymmetrical warfare is a different threat.

With the tragic losses that we regret.

This was a deadly surprise attack.

One that Hamas will regret as Israel fights back.

FUN...DRAISING - November 2023!

Upcoming Opportunities:

BINGO: Saturday, November 18th. Thanks to Fran and Nell Bezerman, Dave and Esther Kamlet and Freya Novak for running this program. For those looking at this month's publication on-line Please contact Nell at <u>nellbez@optonline.net</u> to participate. A donation of \$20 will entitle you to four (4) bingo cards.

Coule Theories Sunday December 2nd Chim Chiminey Chim Chiminey Chim Chim

Argyle Theater: Sunday, December 3rd. Chim Chiminey, Chim Chiminey Chim Chim
Cher-eel See the classic show, Mary Poppinsi Only \$64 for orchestra seats which are
normally \$79! Please see the filer in this issue for the details. GET YOUR PAYMENT TO
NEIL OR THE OFFICE ASAP, BEFORE THE SHOW SELLS OUT This is a HOT ticket.

Symphonic Pops: Sunday, March 10th from 2-4pm. Reserve the date and additional details will be available soon.



Ongoing Opportunities:

Kol-Nidre Appeal: We're all working towards an enriched Jewish experience and as with every family we all need to play a part to succeed. Please participate.

Juliet's: Come on down and enjoy a Thursday afternoon of Mah Jongg and Card Gamesi Please see the filer in this issue for the details.

Gift Cards: Please contact Soi Zweben at 516-795-5499 or email him at soi.zweben@artintel.net to order your cards. HELP US WITH NO COST TO YOU!

Trees For Israel: You can donate through Congregation Beth Tikvah with a cost of \$15 per

tree for this Mitzvah. Please call Louise Goldberg to place your order.

Clothing Bin: The Clothing Bin remains in our parking lot so please donate your goods.

Jerry Friedman Memorial Walkway: Commemorate an important event or people in your life. Get in touch with Dave Kamlet or Lorraine Levin.

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Dollars for Donations: See the flyer in this issue as goods become available.

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Fundraising Vice President



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*This price includes BOTH birthday and anniversary greetings for the entire Congregation. *

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Return the information requested below with your check	
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HOMER WEISSLIM, No. 3 Dear Bingo Player,



SEPTEMBER 1, 2023

We are pleased to announce our 8th Round of CBT's Virtual Bingo.
It will take place on Saturday Evening, November 18, 2023, at 7:20 pm. Introduction and Rules will start at 7:30 pm and we are planning to start Game 1 at 7:45 pm Sharp.

A donation of \$20 to help defray costs will entitle you to four (4) bingo cards which will be on 1 sheet of paper.

This event is open to members of CBT and their families and triends. Please note that our Zoom account includes 100 connections so please make sure you get your reservations In as soon as possible so you don't miss out.

To register, please mail or bring your check along with the form below to the CBT office. Please note that this donation CANNOT be billed to your account. Make your check payable to Congregation Beth Tikvah. The Bingo cards will then be e-mailed to you along with the game instructions as well as the Zoom log-on instructions. The deadline for registering is Monday, November 13th.

Small prizes will be awarded. We anticipate that this event will last approximately 2 - 210 hours. There will be 2 short breaks to allow you to replenish your snacks, etc.

We look forward to having you join us for another fun-filled evening.

Ab Roher - Fundraising Vice President Neil Bezerman - Chairperson Bingo Esther Kamlet David Kamlet Freya Novack Fran Bezerman



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are regularly \$70.00

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While we are busy cooking latkes, and spinning dreidels with our families, many children spend the holidays in the hospital.

As our menorahs brighten our homes, we can brighten the days of children at Goryeb Children's Hospital, in Morristown NJ. This is where one of our Sisterhood member's grandsons received excellent care.

Please bring a new, unwrapped toy to our Sisterhood Paid-Up Membership Dinner on Wednesday November 8 and help Sisterhood continue to make mitzvahs happen.

If you wish to make a cash donation or cannot attend but would still like to donate a toy, please contact Susan Wald <u>allfivewalds@gmail.com</u> or (516)376-9664

Thank you for your generosity. Linda Extract & Susan Wald, Co-chairs of Sisterhood Social Action

If you have not yet responded about coming to the Paid-Up Membership Dinner, please contact Regina Leaf at: cinabeth10@aol.com or (516)236-7163







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December Birthdays

Carly Bushman Estelle Friedman Jay Rothstein Cookie Cohen David Gold Loren Schifman Mary Cohen Marsha Goodstein Betty Schwartz Rosa Mercedes Cohen Susan Honig Ned Schwartz Norman Cohen Steven Malkiel Linda Spiegel Solomon Cohen Charles Paress Elaine Stein Gita Freed Norma Rasplerin

December Anniversaries

Susan & Rahamim Bazini Bonnie & Frederick Marks
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Leah & Bruce Hartman

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Carol Beck	Debra Gold	Barry Reich
Stanley Bergman	Bruce Heigh	Robert Rosen
Brian Bernstein	Jo-Ann Hertzman	Richard Rosenkrantz
Neil Bezerman	Barry Hess	Kevin Scheinkopf
Barry Bogner	Lauri Last	Janet Shansky
Barbara Epstein	Gwen Malkiel	Beatrice Steinmetz
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Steven Feldman	Jack Mandel	Carol Tallis
Janie Friedman	Ada Marcus	Jacqueline Valfer
Michael Friedman	Mona Odin	Judith Yablon
David Glickman	Mona Posner	Sue Zwick
	October Anniversaries	
Hilary & Neil Berkowitz	Marina Severinovsky &	Jacklyn & Lawrence Lerner
Randi & Joel Cohen	Michael Goldmacher	Norma & David Raspler
Sandra & Mark Drummer	Marsha & Robert Goodstein	Jill & Stephen Rovenger
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**Each Additional Person above 65 (\$2.00 per person)

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The Jerry Friedman Memorial Walkway



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Jerry Friedman: A Gentleman - A Gentle Man

Jerry was deeply involved in the Wantagh Jewish Center and served in many roles including Membership Vice President, Member of the Board of Trustees and President of the Men's Club. He served as Kol Nidre Appeal Chairperson, was a member of the Long Term Planning Committee, Synagogue Consolidation Committee and Shabbat Aliyah Chairperson.

Clearly, Jerry's most notable and visible role was that of the official "Shabbos Greeter". For many years, everyone who entered our doors for services was personally greeted with a handshake, a warm greeting, maybe a kiss and a feeling of being welcomed and wanted. Everyone who entered our doors knew Jerry - "A Gentleman and a Gentle Man."



The Jerry Friedman Memorial Walkway Brick Order Form

Enter information exactly as you want it to appear. Symbols (periods, commas, spaces, dashes) count as a space. All text is centered unless otherwise noted. Please print clearly and return this form to the office with your check for \$75.00 per brick.

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Calendar

Su	11/5	Daylight Savings Time Ends	
Tu	11/7	Election Day	
		Men's Club Board Meeting	7:30 PM
W	11/8	Sisterhood Membership Dinner	6:30 PM
F	11/10	Veteran's Day Service	8:00 PM
Sa	11/11	Veteran's Day	
Μ	11/13	CBT Support Group	1:00 PM
Tu	11/14	Tehillim Service	10:00 AM
W	11/15	Sisterhood Board Meeting	7:30 PM
Th	11/16	Board of Trustees Meeting	8:00 PM
Sa	11/18	Junior Congregation	10:30 AM
		Virtual Bingo	7:20 PM
Su	11/19	Men's Club Bowling	9:45 AM
Tu	11/21	Men's Club General Meeting	7:30 PM
Th	11/23	Thanksgiving Day	
Tu	11/28	Lecture Series	7:30 PM
F	12/1	Men's Club Shabbat	8:00 PM
Sa	12/2	Chavurah Paint and Sip	7:30 PM
Su	12/3	Sisterhood Book Discussion	10:30 AM
		Argyle Theater- Mary Poppins	2:00 PM
Tu	12/5	Men's Club Board Meeting	7:30 PM
W	12/6	Sisterhood General Meeting	7:30 PM
Th	12/7	First Night of Chanukah	
		Executive Council Meeting	8:30 PM
F	12/8	Junior Congregation	8:00 PM
Sa	12/9	Men's Club Chanukah Party	6:00 PM
Su	12/10	Men's Club Bowling	9:45 AM
Μ	12/11	CBT Support Group	1:00 PM
Tu	12/12	Tehillim Service	10:00 AM
W	12/13	Sisterhood General Meeting	7:30 PM
Tu	12/19	Lecture Series	7:30 PM
Th	12/21	Board of Trustees Meeting	8:00 PM
М	12/25	Christmas - Office Closed	
W	12/27	Sisterhood Board Meeting	7:30 PM
Sa	12/29	New Year's Kiddush	10:00 AM

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Virtual Morning Minyan:

Sundays @ 9:00 AM Monday @ 8:00 AM Thursday @ 8:00 AM

Virtual Evening Minyan:

Monday @ 8:00 PM Thursday @ 8:00 PM

Fri PM Services 8 PM Sat AM Services 10 AM

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Candle Lighting

Schedule of Services

FRIDAY November 3, 2023
Candle Lighting
19 Cheshvan
5:32 PM
FRIDAY November 24, 2023
Candle Lighting
4:14 PM

SATURDAY November 4, 2023
Vayera

20 Cheshvan
Vayetze

SATURDAY November 25, 2023
Vayetze

10:00 AM
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10:00 AM

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FRIDAY November 10, 2023 26 Cheshvan

SATURDAY November 11, 2023
Chaye Sarah
27 Cheshvan
10:00 AM
DAILY MINYAN:

4:24 PM

Sunday Morning 9:00 AM
Civic Holidays 8:00 AM

FRIDAY November 17, 2023 4 Kislev Monday, Thursday & Candle Lighting 4:18 PM Rosh Chodesh 8:00 AM

Evening Minyan (when requested) 8:00 PM

SATURDAY November 18, 2023 5 Cheshvan

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