



Congregation Beth El Bulletin

You are invited!



September 9th

6:00 pm

Shabbat Alive! spiritual service with instruments (Snacks available for kids)

7:00 pm

Congregational Shabbat Dinner

8:00 pm

Honoring of Jerry Kantor,
Past President

and installation of Betsy Karotkin as
President

as well as Officers of the congregation
and board members

(Game room supervision for children)

Price: Adults - \$18 per person

Children 12 and under \$10

\$56 maximum per family

RSVP to the office with your credit card!

Honoring Our Presidents and USY Reboot By Jeffrey M. Arnowitz

Babylonian Talmud, Ta'anit 11a

At a time when the community is in need, no one should say, "I will go home, eat, drink, and be at peace with myself."



Rabbi Jeffrey M. Arnowitz

Many are the times that one of you has said to me in the midst of a busy time full of holidays and life-cycle events and programs, "Rabbi, I don't know how you do it, all the energy and time you give to the synagogue." It is a very nice compliment, but I often respond, "Thank you, but this is my livelihood as well as my passion. I am compensated for my efforts in myriad ways. The ones you should be impressed by are the synagogue presidents. That job is thankless, and I can't figure out how anyone does that job!"

I am only half-kidding when I make that remark. Being synagogue president, so the presidents have told me, is rewarding in other ways, but I still believe it to be one of the most spectacularly altruistic volunteer roles a person can adopt. Synagogue presidents are truly the embodiment of the Talmudic passage quoted above. They see the community in need of leadership and guidance, and they simply cannot rest while there is need. I find myself constantly relying on their wise counsel and am well aware that the synagogue could not function without leaders like these – the truly best and most dedicated among us.

I have seen this in action over the past two years at the synagogue and I have benefited from the leadership of Jerry Kantor, now our immediate past president. I have also enjoyed working with our current president, Betsy Karotkin, over the past several years and am so pleased to see Jerry pass the reins to someone who has the passion, compassion and skills to guide us through these next two years.

So, I hope you will join me on Friday evening, September 9th for a congregational Shabbat dinner and the 2016 Board Installation. Following dinner, we will thank and honor Jerry for his service and officially install Betsy and her board. We will start things off at 6 pm with a "Shabbat Alive" service, including instruments and spirit. This service will be like the one we had in June – it was beautiful! You won't want to miss it! See more information on the cover of this bulletin.

I also want to make a quick note about our USY chapter – we are doing an official reboot this year. USY is where we cultivate the future leaders of our synagogues, and it is therefore an important piece of our programming. We are re-emphasizing that this year. We have a wonderful advisor in Ben Ipson and a core group of great teens from Beth El, Temple Israel and Temple Emanuel. Our kick off event will be in September - a cook out and beach party at First Landing State Park. If you know a teen who might be interested, be sure to show them the information elsewhere in the bulletin, and you can bet Ben will be in touch. We are also continuing with Kadima and creating groups for our younger kids too, so keep a look out for information on those too.

And don't forget – you don't need to be committed enough (in both senses of the word committed) to be president of the synagogue or a teenager to get involved. We have dozens of volunteer roles from helping with events to serving on the steering committees for our myriad of programming and special interest groups. Pick one you are interested in, and you too can have the satisfaction of, as the Talmud says, refusing to stay home when the community is in need.

A Note From Cantor Wendi



Dear Beth El family,

I hope you had a wonderful summer! We are, as you can see by this bulletin, packed with exciting programming for September. I love the beginning of the year...seeing people again after the summer break with rejuvenated smiles, new school supplies and schedules, fresh outlooks and hopes for a great new year...so inspiring! We are taking that same fresh outlook and applying it to some of our newer and older programs. One of the programs is our Junior Congregation.

Junior Congregation is where we put the experience in experiential education. This practice is a very important part of our new education initiative. You wouldn't expect your child to go to an important track meet, basketball game, ballet recital or band performance unless they went to their practices first. This is the same scenario. In Junior Congregation, our kids will have a chance to put their newfound knowledge and skills to use.

With the passion and vision of a couple of our congregants, namely Maiya Foleck and Leslie Marcus Auerbach, we have completely revamped our Junior Congregation service and are looking forward to rolling it out to our third through sixth graders on September 10th. Maiya, with a cadre of other teens, will be the student leader and we will have a rotation of parental support, two parents and one teacher at each service, to help and support as needed.

One of the biggest innovations made to the service is that each class will have a turn in rotation to be the stars of the day! There will be a sign-up sheet given to the class a few weeks beforehand, and all the kids will sign up for the parts that they are comfortable leading either together or individually. Whatever is not taken on the sheet will be up for grabs on the day of the service. We will be putting out a calendar of dates so everyone knows well in advance when their turn for stardom will be.

We are very excited to begin this new year with our brand new service, and we look forward to seeing you all there!

A message from our synagogue president, Betsy Karotkin

The concept of gratitude is fundamental to Jewish life and practice.

It is not happy people who are thankful.

It is thankful people who are happy.

Having said that, I want you to know how grateful I am for the opportunity to serve Beth El, and I am hopeful that each of you will join me by taking a step towards greater participation in Beth El's beautiful Shabbat services, our programs, and activities.

We have something pretty special here. Beth El congregants and staff never fail to amaze me with their talents, their willingness to give their time, and the wonderful sense of community they have created.

With our Strategic Plan as our "navigational chart," and our incredible team of Rabbi Arnowitz, Cantor Wendi and Executive Director Pam Gladstone at the helm, supported by the work of dedicated crew members (aka Vice Presidents) Linda Samuels, Alex Pomerantz, and Barbara Rossen, our ship is bound to cross the finish line in first place!!!

I urge you all to get involved, to help Beth El go from "Good to Great."

Ed and I wish you a happy, healthy New Year, filled with family, friends, and the power of good deeds.

And let us all remember to be grateful!

L'Shana Tova Tikatevu! Betsy Karotkin





NOW SHOWING

**SELICHOT CINEMA
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH**

Join the Joint Conservative Congregations of South Hampton Roads
Beth El - Temple Israel - Temple Emanuel - KBH Kempsville Conservative
for our **annual pre-High Holiday Selichot** program and service.

Selichot (literally, “penitential prayers”) is the underappreciated gem of the High Holidays. Traditionally chanted beginning with the Saturday night of the week preceding Rosh Hashanah, these prayers are designed to prepare the heart for the spiritual work of the holidays, the work of standing in judgment before God.

Temple Israel will have the privilege of hosting the intercongregational service this year. All of the clergy of our four congregations and Cantor Flax of Beth Sholom Home will share in conducting the worship.

In inviting you to join us for this special service, we would like to share with you advance notice of two of its special features: an intercongregational choir and a cinema-supported discussion.

Cantor Wendi Fried has graciously agreed to rehearse a choir composed of interested singers from our several congregations, to beautify the worship through music. The Selichot choir will meet for rehearsals at Beth El on Wednesday evenings in September, beginning at 7:30 pm.

The evening program will begin at 8:30 pm with refreshments and the screening of clips from four films, dealing with people facing a supernatural process of judgment for their lives, then continue with our worship at 10:00 pm.

These films are hugely entertaining and meant to trigger a discussion in which we ponder just what are the criteria by which our lives are judged. Judaism teaches that our mission in life is to fulfill the *mitzvot*. Some, although not all, of the films adopt that ethical criterion: how do we negotiate the tension between some of our contemporary cultural models of values and our tradition?

Please join us for an evening of cultural satisfaction and spiritual uplift.

Schedule for the evening:

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| 8:30 pm | Refreshments |
| 9:00 pm | Selichot Cinema program |
| 10:00 pm | Selichot service |
| 11:00 pm | Closing prayer and shofar blowing |

High Holiday Schedule

5777 – 2016

ROSH HASHANAH

Sunday, October 2nd

Erev Rosh Hashanah

Congregational Service 5:45 p.m.

Monday, October 3rd

First Day

Shacharit 8:15 a.m.

Babysitting 9:30 a.m.

Family service 10:30 a.m.

Tashlikh (at The Hague) 5:00 p.m.

Mincha-Maariv (at Beth El) 6:45 p.m.

Tuesday, October 4th

Second Day

Shacharit 8:15 a.m.

Babysitting 9:30 a.m.

Shofar Idol (grades K-7) 10:30 a.m.

Mincha-maariv 6:45 p.m.

YOM KIPPUR (wear white if possible)

Tuesday, October 11th

Erev Yom Kippur

Kol Nidre 6:00 p.m.

Babysitting 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 12th

Yom Kippur Day (wear white for sure!)

Shacharit 9:00 a.m.

Babysitting 10:00 a.m.

Children's programming 10:30 a.m.

Yizkor 12:45 p.m.

Study session 3:15 p.m.

Mincha 4:15 p.m.

Neilah 5:30 p.m.

Maariv 7:00 p.m.

Blowing of Shofar
& Havdalah 7:10 p.m.

Light Processional 7:10 p.m.

HIGH HOLIDAY SECURITY



The police officers have been instructed that NO ONE will be allowed in the building without a current High Holiday ticket (green and blue this year). If you do not have a ticket, you will be stopped at the door. You will have to provide a valid ID which will then be checked against a master list of our members as well as guests who will be joining us.

This year you will be issued a green parking tag for your vehicle along with your High Holiday tickets. If you need additional tags, please call the temple office. You must have this green tag displayed on your rear view mirror in order to drive on Shirley Avenue and Spotswood Avenue or to be able to park in any of the synagogue parking lots.



TASHLIKH

Monday, October 3rd at 5:00 pm
Olney Avenue and the Hague

Join Congregations Beth El and B'nai Israel as our community celebrates this first day of 5777 together. The custom of tashlikh, symbolically placing our sins from the past year onto small pieces of bread and throwing them into the water, is one of the most memorable and meaningful of our Rosh Hashanah customs, especially for kids. Rabbi Haber, Rabbi Arnowitz, and Cantor Wendi will lead us in a few introductory prayers and songs, and then we'll each pitch our "sins" into the water.

Tashlikh is a BYOB event (Bring Your Own Bread, and bring some to share in case someone forgets). Tashlikh is a rain or shine event, so see you there regardless of the weather!

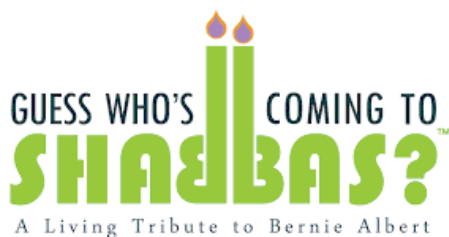
KAVANAH TO KAPARAH
A Spiritual Service as Yom Kippur Approaches

WHEN: October 6th, 6:30pm
WHERE: Home of Ed and Betsy Karotkin,
3020 Lynndale Rd in Virginia Beach

Join Cantor Wendi and Rabbi Arnowitz, Thursday evening, October 6th, at the home of Betsy and Ed Karotkin on their deck overlooking the river. Kavanah to Kaparah is a brief and meaningful service to prepare us for Yom Kippur by helping us heal from the wounds and illnesses of the past year.

This special service has become a Beth El custom over the past five years, and everyone who attends speaks about how meaningful it is both as a way to prepare for Yom Kippur and just to share a spiritual moment in general.

We will gather at the Karotkin home at 3020 Lynndale Road in Virginia Beach at 6:30 pm. Refreshments and desserts will follow after the service. Please let us know to expect you by calling the synagogue office at 625-7821.



Guess Who's Coming To Shabbas is Back!

On Friday, **September 16th**, Beth El members will once again create opportunities to share community, friendship, dinner and Shabbat with the Guess Who's Coming to Shabbas program. The initiative has two goals; to strengthen the synagogue community and to help families create meaningful memories. You can participate as a host or a guest. If you'd like to host, just invite some guests and share Shabbat dinner. Dinner can be as simple or as elaborate as you choose. If you'd like a chance to be a guest, please also let us know, and we can match you with hosts.

For questions or to participate, please email comingtoshabbas@gmail.com.



ANNUAL CEMETERY SERVICE
AT
FOREST LAWN CEMETERY
October 9th - 12:30 PM

Connect with the spirit of loved ones who are no longer present in your life. It is customary to visit the graves of family members who have passed on during the High Holy Day period. Rabbi Arnowitz and Cantor Wendi will lead a special service at Forest Lawn Cemetery on Sunday, September 20th at 12:30 pm. Following this short service, plan to visit the graves of your relatives. It's the right way to honor the memory of those who meant so much to you.

LUNCH & LEARN

Wednesday
September 14th, 21st & 28th

All are welcome as we kick off our Lunch and Learn season. Beth El Lunch and Learn is a vibrant group of fressers (eaters) and learners who come together weekly for good food and stand alone discussions led by Rabbi Arnowitz, Rabbi Ruberg, and Cantor Wendi. We meet every Wednesday from noon to 1:30 pm. So join us on the 14th, 21st and 28th.

Cost: \$5.00 per person

CHILDREN'S HIGH HOLIDAY INFORMATION

Child Care: Supervised, complimentary child care for children from birth through fifth grade is available on both the first and second days of Rosh Hashanah, the evening of Kol Nidre, and Yom Kippur Morning. You MUST make a reservation for each child who will need care on any of the days it is offered. The form is on our website (www.bethelnorfolk.com) and will be included in our weekly emails. We ask that you return your completed form to the Beth El office ASAP.

Rosh Hashanah Morning Family Service: Sharon (Mrs. 'W') will lead this special service on Monday morning, October 3rd. This special program is for FAMILIES so children will be with their parents. It will take place in Myers Hall from 10:30 am to 11:30 am.

On the Second Day of Rosh Hashanah: It wouldn't be the second day of any Rosh Hashanah here at Congregation Beth El without holding a **SHOFAR IDOL COMPETITION!** Kids will have plenty of opportunity to practice their tekiyahs and shevarims and teruahs from when school resumes until Rosh Hashanah. Bring your own shofar or borrow one of ours, but prepare to make a joyful noise on Tuesday morning, October 4th beginning at 10:30 am in the Library.

Kol Nidre: Tuesday evening, October 11th will mark our fourth annual Kol Nidre Bingo Tournament for Kids! Come to Room #1 in the school wing for fun and Yom Tov appropriate prizes.

Ending Yom Kippur Light Processional: Always a very special part of the holiday, our children, from just walking to teens, help bring to conclusion a long day of prayer with a truly beautiful and meaningful procession into the sanctuary. Participants need to gather in the Library no later than 7:00 pm.

ANNUAL HIGH HOLY DAY FOOD DRIVE

Once again, we will be collecting food during the High Holy Days. Listed below are items that Jewish Family Service has requested. Your donations are gratefully appreciated!

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| 1. Peanut butter | 7. Cereal |
| 2. Cream soups | 8. Macaroni & cheese |
| 3. Canned tuna | 9. Pasta |
| 4. Canned vegetables | 10. Pasta sauces |
| 5. Canned fruit | 11. Toilet paper |
| 6. Juice | 12. Ramen noodles |





**SISTERHOOD
SUBS IN THE SUKKAH
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20TH
12 NOON**

Rabbi Panitz will lead us in a lively discussion about
“Jewish Mothers in the Movies”
Are we being portrayed correctly?

We have invited our “Sisters in the Hood” from
Temple Israel and KBH to join us
for fun, food and what will surely be
a provocative afternoon.

Covert: \$5 per person will be your reservation



Sukkot is right around the corner,
and it is never too early to RSVP for
our Friday night dinner and services in
the sukkah on **October 21st**. We will
have family services in the sukkah
beginning at 5:45 pm followed by a
dinner at 6:30 pm in addition to our
weekly Shabbat services in the chapel.

Dinner is open to everyone but
SPACE IS LIMITED!!! RSVP by
October 18th to the office at 625-7821.

Adults: \$18
Children: \$10 (ages 3-12)

ASK THE RABBI

QUESTION: Are we all wearing white for Yom Kippur this year?

ANSWER: That’s right. **The Yom Kippur White Out is back.** So, don’t worry about jackets and ties. A white button-down shirt or blouse should do. This is both a new tradition and a very old one. For hundreds of years in traditional synagogues all over the world, men came to synagogue in white robe-like garments called a kittel. Women came in white bride-like dresses to symbolize purity and optimism for the future, two of Yom Kippur’s central themes. We have re-adopted this custom, a dream of Rabbi Ruberg’s, because the sea of white out in the crowd really does change the mood in the room, change the mindset to the themes of the day and makes this day in shul different from all others.

So, take advantage of those end-of-summer sales on white garments and come on Yom Kippur dressed especially for the day - white shirts for men, white shirts and/or dresses for women. Help us fill our eyes with visions of purity to help remind us to purify our hearts and our lives on this most meaningful of days.



It’s the great Yom Kippur “White Out”

This Yom Kippur leave the suit jackets home. Get those white button-downs cleaned and make sure those white dresses are spotless. It’s a Yom Kippur “white out” at Beth El. It is traditional to wear white on Yom Kippur - it is a symbol of purity and light.

This Yom Kippur we are going to fill the sanctuary with white. Hey, if they can do it at a an ODU football game we can do it at Beth El!

Bar/Bat Mitzvah Corner



Jonah Allen Abrams will celebrate his Bar Mitzvah on **September 3rd**. He is the son of Rachel and Marc Abrams and the brother of Leila Abrams. Jonah is in seventh grade at Norfolk Academy where his favorite subjects are science and math. Jonah is on the rock climbing team at the Virginia Beach Rock Gym and enjoys all outdoor adventures. In his spare time, he enjoys reading science fiction, video games and spending time with his friends.



Gabriel Foleck, son of Dr. Adam Foleck and Amy Foleck, brother to Hannah, Maiya and Levi Foleck, is looking forward to celebrating his bar mitzvah on **September 24th**. Gabriel has grown up in the Hampton Roads area and has been a member of Beth El for his entire life.

Gabe participates in Varsity Wrestling for Norfolk Collegiate and is a member of the Norfolk Collegiate Golf team. He enjoys playing golf with his father and grandparents, biking, video games, and spending time with his friends and family. Gabriel is also an avid traveler and has spent time all over the United States, Central America, and Israel.



Mazal tov to Benjamin Reed Saunders on becoming a bar mitzvah on **September 17th**. Benjamin is the son of Stephanie and Jeff Saunders, brother to Carleigh and grandson to Larry and Natalie Saunders of Virginia Beach, Marie Eardley and Murray Eckstein of Medford, New Jersey and Robert Eardley of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. In the fall, Benjamin will be entering the seventh grade at Cape Henry Collegiate School. Benjamin has been involved with baseball since he was five years old. During the last four years, he has played on various travel baseball teams as a pitcher and first baseman. When he's not on the baseball field, you can find him on the golf course or enjoying a day of fishing on his kayak.

MILESTONES IN THE BETH EL FAMILY

Congratulations to Shaina and Andreu Moore and big brother Caleb on the birth of Benjamin Grayson Moore on June 24th. Proud grandparents are Brenda Gordon of Norfolk and Ben Gordon, of blessed memory and Tom and Darlene Tupper of LaCrosse, Wisconsin.



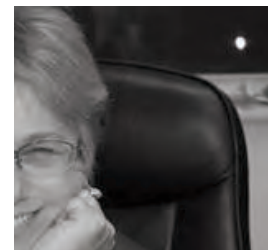
Random Thoughts with a Theme

“May you live in interesting times?”

According to my google indepth research of this oft-quoted Chinese proverb, it actually is not (a Chinese proverb). Regardless, given all that has taken place over the past year of 5776, we should be grateful to be rapidly approaching 5777 and the fresh start it will offer the world.

Baruchim Ha-Baiim! Welcome Back! Can hardly wait to see you!

Routines can be very comforting especially after the last of schedules that mark our summers. With Labor Day, we get back to dressing up for Shabbat, celebrating B’nai Mitzvah together, and starting (back) to school.



News For Everyone (Hi-jacked from a letter to families with children of Religious School age.)

What is Beit Sefer Shalom - UHS 2.0? It is BERS for the 21st century!

Kindergarten through seventh grades will meet on Sunday mornings from 9:15 am until 12:15 pm, and students in third through sixth grades will meet one-on-one for a half-hour with a specific Hebrew teacher mid-week.

* Sunday morning will almost always happen at Beth El. From time to time, we will get together at Temple Israel, or, as is the case on October 9th, when we will all participate in a genezia ritual at a cemetery in Suffolk, totally off site.

* Weekday Hebrew lessons will take place at a location convenient for your family and options include Beth El, the JCC, KBH, Temple Israel, and the Virginia Beach Central Library (located on Virginia Beach Boulevard).

* Most families have already carved out Hebrew time for Wednesday afternoons but with UHS 2.0, one-on-one mid-week lessons can take place on Mondays, Tuesdays or Thursdays.

The Sunday morning Judaica curriculum is Jewish values based. There will be a defined Z'man Ivrit (Hebrew time) for all grade levels, and our youngest students will begin to learn their Aleph Bet through Yoga and multi-sensory methods. There will also be art (with Sarah Ipson) and music (with Rabbi Panitz and Cantor Wendi) and all school experiential learning (with Mrs. W.) and, yes, group tefillah on the bima with our teen leaders. All in all, a pretty awesome time will be had by every single student.

The month of Elul is a time for introspection and the repairing of strained relationships. My strong recommendation is that we all take the time to hearken to the sharp wake up call of the shofar and dwell on our personal path and how we can help make the world a better place.

B'shalom, Sharon

Miscellaneous and Important

Changes in Shabbat Morning Kids' Programming - Maiya Foleck will lead a service in Barr Chapel for those in 3rd grade and above that will include student-lead davening and Torah study. Brenda Kozak will lead Torah Tweens (first and second graders) in a multi-sensory and active exploration of the parashat ha-shavuah (Torah portion of the week) in the Library. Mini Minyan for kids from newborn to kindergarten in Laibstain Lounge is getting a makeover that will feature even more comradery amongst both the children and their parents. **Mark your calendars twice a month on the second and fourth Shabbat mornings of the secular calendar month beginning September 10th.**

Geniza ritual - Sunday morning, October 9th from 10:30 am to 11:30 am at the cemetery in Suffolk. Gather up those no longer usable holy texts so they can be properly disposed of according to Jewish custom.

Monday Morning Movies Returns in November! Look in the October bulletin for the schedule. Popcorn and chocolate provided. Free of charge.

Incredibly Important Information

Beit Sefer Shalom - UHS 2.0 FIRST DAY SCHEDULE

9:15 am to 10:00 am - Community bagel breakfast in Myers Hall for students and their parents as well as our teachers and teen assistants

10:05 am to 12:15 pm - Students will begin learning in their classrooms with their teacher

10:05 am to 11:15 am - Parents' information meeting in the sanctuary with Rabbi Panitz, Cantors Wendi and Proser, and Sharon Wasserberg

11:20 am to 12:10 pm - Fifth grade parents' meeting in Barr Chapel

12:15 pm - Dismissal

Calendar Notes

Sunday, October 9th: Genezia ceremony

Friday, December 16th: Shabbat service led by the students followed by a Shabbat dinner

Sunday, January 15th: Special PACT-ivity

Beit Sefer Shalom Teaching Staff 5777

Esther Lev: Kindergarten - first grade

Brenda Kozak: Second grade

Nettie Groves: Third grade

Allena Hurwitz: Fourth grade

Barbara Rossen: Fifth grade

Bill Nossen: Sixth grade

Ina Leiderman: Seventh grade

Rita Yashaev: Seventh grade

Sarah Ipson: Art

Helen Pomerantz: Library

Madrichim: Jaden Baum, Lily Berz,

Evan Gordon, and Gracie White

Office: Noelle Wright

Officers Brian and David will be returning to watch over us this year

Greetings from the Sisterhood Committee,

Sisterhood continued to keep busy throughout the summer. Nancy Kanter and her many loyal volunteers completed another very successful Garage Sale. Special thanks to the department chairs, Scott Orleans, Cilda Meltzer, Gail Miller, and Lei Lei Berz for their continued support and guidance. Many thanks to our wonderful Beth El custodians and volunteers who unloaded the trailers; to the folks who schlepped, sorted, and priced the merchandise; to the volunteers who worked the sale; to the helpers who packed up what was left for next year; and finally, but not least, to the wonderful congregants who generously donated items.

The Gift Shop is in transformation. We hope you had a chance to take advantage of the huge mark downs. The Shop will be closed until its Grand Re-opening on September 11th with a new design, manager specials, bargain tables, and specials for Yom Tov and all of the holidays. BER parents and all congregants are invited to stop by on opening day.

Sisterhood continues to feed our congregation at weekly Kiddush and many special occasions. As always, contact Nancy Kanter to assist you with your life-cycle events. She welcomes all volunteers.

Please join Sisterhood for "Subs in the Sukkah." Guest speaker Rabbi Michael Panitz will share "Jewish Mothers in the Movies." Watch for more details.

Are you interested in a book club with a Jewish flavor? Contact Jeanne Marcus or Freida Goldstein. On behalf of the Sisterhood Committee, we wish you a very happy and healthy New Year.

TORAH FUND

We had another wonderful year for our Torah Fund campaign. Although we did not reach our goal, we DID contribute over \$11,500.00. We are even more proud that we had SEVEN new Benefactors and TWO new Guardians. We hope to build on that in the coming year.

This two toned silver and gold pin for 5777 is called *P'ri Yadehah* which is a phrase from the beloved prayer *Eishet Chayil*, taken from the biblical book of Proverbs. The gold wheat branch in the middle signifies the sustenance we wish for all our family and friends, and the silver olive branch at the bottom represents our prayers for peace. To commemorate the 100th year of Women's League of Conservative Judaism and the 75th year of the Torah Fund campaign, we are celebrating women's achievements through creativity – the fruit of her hands- in the family, workplace, home, synagogue and community. Women dedicate their lives as volunteers, as leaders in the Jewish and secular worlds, as scholars, scientists, business leaders and more.

Our campaign has already begun, with some of our past givers already recommitting to the Torah Fund. We will be contacting all of our past Benefactors and Guardians as well as new members in the hope they will join us. To become a Benefactor (\$180), Guardian (\$300), Associate Patron (\$600) or Scholarship Patron (\$2500), please call one of us to make your pledge. You may pay in one lump sum, with payments throughout the year or even put it on your VISA, MASTERCARD, DISCOVER or AMERICAN EXPRESS (so you can earn points as you contribute to a wonderful cause!) You have until May 15, 2017 to fulfill your pledge.

During the High Holidays, we hope to see many of our members wearing the new Torah Fund pin. Congregation Beth El has always been in the forefront in the support of the Jewish Theological Seminary. As we begin our 13th year as Torah Fund co-chairs, we look forward to the continued support of our wonderful members.

Barbara Abraham, Ina Mirman Leiderman and Judy Mitnick, Torah Fund Co-Chairs



Men's Club News

Men's Club is getting ready to launch our new year with the usual fine programming, support for the the Religious School and contributions to other important Jewish causes. A couple of new ideas are in consideration, so it should be a very exciting year.

With the generous contribution of tickets from Dr. Alan Wagner and Dr. Jamie Krochmal, we had fun at our summer Tides Game outing on August 16th. Just prior to the game, Rabbi Arnowitz graciously made his home and gas grill available for the attendees to enjoy a cookout. The possum stew is always a hit.

In July, Alex Pomerantz, Norman Soroko, Ron Glandstone, Bill Nossen and Howard Horwitz traveled to the Pearlstone rural retreat just outside of Baltimore for a spirited and very meaningful gathering along with many of the other members of Seaboard Region's men's clubs. In addition to a rabbi in residence, we also had a poet in residence whose impact was very menaningful. It was a fabulous experience with great food, ruach, comraderie, rabbinical wisdom, and exchange of ideas to make all of the clubs in the region prepare for a terrific year.

Excitement to follow.

Howard Horwitz, Men's Club President

SAVE THE DATE!

Scotch Tasting and Steak Dinner in the Sukkah

Join Rabbi Arnowitz and members of the Beth El Men's Club in the Beth El sukkah on **Wednesday, October 19th** for an evening of fine drink and food, and of course, a bit of Torah learning will be blended in.

6:45 pm - Scotch tasting and schmooze

7:15 pm - Steak and potatoes dinner in the sukkah

8:15 pm - Torah discussion (with cigars if you bring them.)

Cost - \$30, includes scotch and steak dinner. (\$40 non-members)

RSVP - mail your check no later than **Friday, October 14th**.

Your check is your reservation (Made out to Men's Club)

Thank you to the Men's Club for sponsoring this "Men Only" sukkah event.





ESTÉE LAUDER AFTERNOON
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2016
2:30 AT BETH EL

**Another exciting
HAZAK event coming your way!**

Annie Sandler will share her firsthand knowledge of the Ronald Lauder Foundation and a Lauder Summer Camp (which her children attended) in Eastern Europe. The camp is one of many philanthropic projects underwritten by the Lauder Foundation.



The Estee Lauder cosmeticians will follow and focus on how skin can be made beautiful for life and how makeup can enhance our looks. They will show current as well as new products and demonstrate the best way to apply them.

Make overs for a lucky few

Reservations are required by **September 5th** in order to receive your special Estee Lauder gift.

**This event is FREE and OPEN to
all Beth El members.**

RSVP to the Beth El office at 625-7821



Meet Our Newest Members



Please meet Lisa and Andrew Jones, and their three boys, Wyatt, Elliott and Wesley.

The Joneses recently moved to Tidewater from Thousand Oaks, California where they had lived for ten years. Lisa's mother lives here making it a perfect location for them. When looking for a synagogue, they wanted one that was similar to the one they belonged in Thousand Oaks. Beth El fits that description!

Andy is a marketing director for Anthem, and Lisa is a lawyer working remotely part-time for her firm in Los Angeles/San Francisco.

They are an active family. The boys love to surf and play soccer. They all love to hike and Andy is an ultra marathoner.

Their son, Wyatt, is going into the seventh grade; Elliott is going into the fourth grade, and Wesley into Kindergarten.

They are excited to be a part of Beth El.

We are the Grant family - Dave, Donna, Aaron and Patrick. Aaron is a rising 6th grader at Great Neck Middle School, and Patrick will be a fourth grader at John B. Dey Elementary. The Grant family lives in Virginia Bach. They have lived in the Hampton Roads areas since graduating from Old Dominion University. They are excited to join Beth El and get involved and participate in all the many wonderful activities, functions and special events offered. FUN FACT: When the Grants met Rabbi Arnowitz, they discovered Donna used to babysit for a childhood friend of the Rabbi's from summer camp!



Alonzo Cobb and brother Dave join Beth El!

Dave and Alonzo were born and raised in New York; Alonzo was raised in the city, and Dave was raised on Long Island (Hempstead). Alonzo's son and daughter and their families live in the area. They thought that New York was too far away, so they finally wore Alonzo down, and he and Dave moved to the Tidewater Area.

Alonzo is currently working part-time, teaching mathematics and business while looking for a full-time job. Alonzo likes to scuba dive, sail and engage in sports. He loves traveling, photography, and writing. He has two books that are published and is working on a third. Dave is hoping to begin a program that will teach him new things and keep him occupied.

They are happy to be a part of Beth El. Dave and Alonzo visited different synagogues, all of which were welcoming. The Jews in this area are awesome! The final tie-breaker was location. So here they are.



Learning Service Every Sunday Open to All!

For years we have engaged our 6th and 7th graders in an in-depth, comprehensive Learner's Service on Sunday mornings. We come together every Sunday morning and make our way through the whole service and each week we highlight another prayer until we make our way through the whole service. Now we are opening the service to adults too!

This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about the prayers so that they become more meaningful and shul becomes more comfortable.

We hope you will join us Sunday mornings in the Chapel at 9:15 am. All are welcome and the learning is non-cumulative, so come whenever you can, but it's okay to miss.

USY BEACH COOKOUT

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th
FIRST LANDING STATE PARK
2-4 PM
FOOD AND GAMES FOR ALL!



Come enjoy fun games, great company, and the beach for a summer closeout cookout with the Tidewater chapter of USY. Meet us at the beach visitor center and store at First Landing State Park and enjoy seeing old friends, making new ones, and enjoying the natural environment provided to us by the park.



RSVP to Ben Ipson at
bipso001@odu.edu for more details

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Manny Michaels

David & Jody Laibstain

Murray & Lisa Rosenbach (B)

Stuart Prost's uncle

Stanley & Paula Goodman

George & Mollie Radin

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Joanie London

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Bob & Sheila Josephberg****

Jerry & Kathy Kantor

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Aaron & Carol Peck

Stanley & Linda Samuels

Normie & Sandy Sher

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Arnold & Miriam Hoffman*

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Fannie Zimmerman

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IN HONOR OF

Jamie Alperin's Confirmation

Sonia Land

The naming of Nathan & Ilana

Benson's granddaughter, Macie

Paul & Vivian Turok*

David Cohen's special birthday

Hilde Deutsch*

Randy & Lisa Shapiro

Ashley Cytron's special birthday

Hubert & Brenda Shapiro

Larry & Judy Dobrinsky's anniversary

Mannie & Judy Smith**

Faye Eisen and Adam Hakki's

engagement

Eric & Edda Gilmore

Joel Flax's retirement

Mannie & Judy Smith

Mike & Phyllis Sperling*

The birth of Adam & Kristy Foleck's son Levi

David & Charlene Cohen*

Ed & Betsy Karotkin*

Stanley & Linda Samuels

Alan Frieden's birthday

Bob & Sheila Josephberg (G)

Errol & Barbara Lifland (B)

Pam Gladstone, thank you

Stan & Grace Morganstein (G)

Helene Grablowsky's birthday

Leonard & Saradona Lefkowitz**

Alan & Norma Jaffe's anniversary

Larry & Judy Dobrinsky**

Mannie & Judy Smith*

Norma Jaffe's birthday

Larry & Judy Dobrinsky*

Jerry Kantor, good job

Adam & Kristy Foleck*

Rick & Janice Foleck

Dorothy Zimmerman*

Betsy Karotkin becoming president of

Beth El

Hilde Deutsch*

Adam & Kristy Foleck*

Rick & Janice Foleck

Dorothy Zimmerman*

Barry Kesser's special birthday

Allison, Will & Eli Fastow (S)

Ilene Putterman

The Zedd Family (G)

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Emmy Lou Kreger's birthday

Hubert & Brenda Shapiro

Jamie Mandell's engagement

Will & Roberta Alperin

Aaron Peck's special birthday

Bob & Sheila Josephberg (G)

Mark Robbins, thank you

David & Charlene Cohen**

Erin Rosenbach's marriage

Moss & Ina Friedman

Dorothy Zimmerman

The bris of Jason & Leah Rosenberg's

son Judah

David & Anna Jancewicz*

The birth of Jason & Leah Rosenberg's

son Judah

Ed & Betsy Karotkin*

Fred & Barbara Rosenblum, happy birthday to Barbara and good luck in your new home

Mannie & Judy Smith*

Rabbi Ruberg's birthday

Hilde Deutsch**

Adele Rhodes & Ilene Putterman*

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Stanley & Linda Samuels' anniversary

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The engagement of Larry & Natalie

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My bat mitzvah

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The birth of Rick & Janice Foleck's grandson Levi
 Norman Soroko
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Barry Kesser's birthday
 Adele Rhodes
 Norman Soroko
Rabbi Ruberg's birthday
 Norman Soroko
SPEEDY RECOVERY TO
Susan Horwitz
 Norman Soroko
Eilene Rosenblum
 Norman Soroko
RABBI ARNOWITZ
DISCRETIONARY FUND
IN MEMORY OF
David Beder
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 Arnold Slone
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 Nathan & Ilana Benson & Family
 Arnold Leon*
Cantor Harry Sterling
 David Sterling (G)
IN HONOR OF
Rabbi Arnowitz
 Phyllis Chernitzer & Family (G)
 Gail Juren & Family (G)
 The Kell Family (G)
Alan Frieden's birthday
 Jay & Joyce Kossman (S)
Dr. Fred Gross, thank you
 Alan & Janet Arnowitz*
Nancy Kanter
 Eilene Rosenblum
Sonia Land's birthday
 Louis Grossman**
Eilene Rosenblum
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Alan Rubin's 90th birthday
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IN HONOR OF
Rabbi Ruberg
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Rabbi Ruberg, thank you
 Gail Juren & Family (G)

Rabbi Ruberg's birthday
 Raye Swartz Keller**
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The birth of Rabbi & Miriam Ruberg's new grandson
 Paul & Vivian Turok*
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IN HONOR OF
Cantor Wendi, thank you
 Gail Juren & Family (G)
 The Kell Family (G)
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Thank you to everyone who visited, called and made donations in my name during my illness
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IN MEMORY OF
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 The Daily Minyanaires

Condolences to

Gail Juren on the loss of her husband, **Elliot Juren** of blessed memory

Dottie Goldman on the loss of her father, **Irwin Staviv** of blessed memory.

Philip Buns on the loss of his father, **Fred Buns** of blessed memory.

Friends and family of
Dr. Emanuel Michaels of blessed memory.

Barbara Rosenblum, Richard Rosenblum and **Jordan Rosenblum** on the loss of their husband, father and brother, **Dr. Fred Rosenblum** of blessed memory

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Selptember Yahrzeits

*We record the sacred memory of the following departed members
of the families of our congregation on the occasion of yahrzeit.
The names of our beloved departed are read from the pulpit at each evening minyan.*

SEPTEMBER 1

Elizabeth Posner
Joyce Rosenfeld

SEPTEMBER 2

Mary Bartley
Lorene Cobb
Sarah Mizroch
Marion Sherman

SEPTEMBER 3

Alfred Haskell
Bessie Levine
Charles Frieden
Esther Friedman
Fannie Katzoff
Florence Wyron
Jack Kanter
Jennie Altschul
Moses Snyder
Robert Moss
William Altschul

SEPTEMBER 4

Emma Aftel
Morris Drucker
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Esther Schwarcz
Louis Silverstein

SEPTEMBER 5

Solomon Flax
Joseph Goldsweig
William Gross
Anna Herman
Emanuel Michaels
Belle Ruden
Rebecca Ruden
Simon Salsbury
Dolph Sandler
Boris Schwetz
Sam Tonelson
Sam Waranch

SEPTEMBER 6

Bernard Barr
Gary Baum
Larry Baum
Isaac Fass
Helen Holzveig
Arthur Kantor
Joseph Kesser
Lena Levine
Frieda Meingarten
Mary Sobel
Max Winer

SEPTEMBER 7

Jacob Feldman
Dorothy Kossman
Max Nadel

SEPTEMBER 8

Martin Balaban
Melvin Bass
Bertha Blumenthal
Hymen Davis
Jacob Friedman
Marie Green
Benjamin Herman
Telsa Leon
Robert Levine
Raymond Tabakin
Moshe Weiner
Uriah Weiner
Godfrey Weiner
Isaiah Weiner
Ziporah Weiner
Jacob Weiner
Betty Weiner

SEPTEMBER 9

Gladys Cushner
William Dautch
Samuel Glick
Yetta Hoffman
Gussie Morganstein
Raphael Sears
Michael Sherman
Benjamin Simons
Israel Taitz

SEPTEMBER 10

Bessie Aftel
Nathan Block
Samuel Goldberg
Lottie Gottlieb
Abraham Itzkowitz
Manuel Katzoff
Rachel Rosenthal

SEPTEMBER 11

Hugh Ballard
Minnie Cohen
Alfred Krause
Mildred Simon
Mae Weissman

SEPTEMBER 12

Louis Caplan
Geraldine Hyman
David Levitin
Paul Reich
Florence Samuels
Daniel Strasser

SEPTEMBER 13

Joe Cohen
Edward Galumbeck
Fred Handel
Amy Levitin
Joseph Miller

SEPTEMBER 14

Harold Bennett
Jennie Cohen
Pearl Drogin
Rose Flax
Rose Goldman
George Litzerman
Jack Smith
Beatrice Tavss
Eva Wainger

SEPTEMBER 15

Alfred Bayard
Annie Berlin
Becky Denison
Myer Elson
Lillian Minsberg
Taft Mirman
Charles Myers
Carolyn Pollack
Libby Richter
Rose Schwartz
Walter Segaloff
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SEPTEMBER 16

Falia Bass
Bertha Berg
Betty Buckman
Shirley Chalem
Annie Fox
Ella Galumbeck
Clifford Kesser
Israel Kroskin
Rebecca Melnicove
Dave Miller
Sara Resnick
Bluma Schwetz

SEPTEMBER 17

Lena Hamburg
Melvin Heifler
Jacob Helfant
David Land
Selwyn Steele

SEPTEMBER 18

Abraham Behrman
Bradford Meyers
Grace Mirmelstein
Lena Shapiro

SEPTEMBER 19

Minnie Kazin
Elliot Weiner

SEPTEMBER 20

Pearl Brooke
Nathan Hyman
Albert Kaplan
Moses Waranch
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SEPTEMBER 21

Dorothy Cash
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SEPTEMBER 22

Leah Hoffman
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SEPTEMBER 23

Harry Buchberg
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Beverly Fox
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Herbert Goldberg
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Annie Miller
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SEPTEMBER 27

Hyman Aleck
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Rebecca Batleman
Louis Chesler
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Seymour Rudnick
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SEPTEMBER 29

Rose Copeland
Sylvia Finestone
Rose Jaffe
Sadie Kolinsky
Mordecai Simons
Pearl Stark

SEPTEMBER 30

Ella Brewer
Florence Caplan
Sam Garfin
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High Holiday Service Schedule Sukkot and Simchat Torah 5777

EREV SUKKOT
Sunday, October 16th
Mincha-maariv

5:45 pm

SUKKOT
Monday, October 17th
First Day Sukkot
Festival service
Children's program
Mincha-maariv

9:15 am

11:00 a.m.

6:30 pm

Tuesday, October 18th
Second Day Sukkot
Festival service
Children's program
Mincha-maariv

9:15 am

11:00 a.m.

6:30 pm

EREV SHEMINI ATZERET

Sunday, October 23rd

Mincha-maariv

5:45 pm

SHEMINI ATZERET

Monday, October 24th

Festival service & Yizkor

9:15 am

Yizkor – arrive by 10:45

Mincha immediately following the Kiddush luncheon

EREV SIMCHAT TORAH

Monday, October 24th

Celebratory service

6:30 pm

SIMCHAT TORAH

Tuesday, October 25th

Festival service

9:15 am

Mincha-maariv

6:30 pm

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| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|---|--|--|---------------|--|---|
| | | | | 1 28 Av | 2 29 Av | 3 30 Av Shabbat services: 9:30 am Torah Portion: Re'eh Jonah Abrams Bar Mitzvah ROSH CHODESH Candlelighting: 7:13 pm |
| 4 1 Elul ROSH CHODESH | 5 2 Elul LABOR DAY OFFICE CLOSED | 6 3 Elul | 7 4 Elul | 8 5 Elul | 9 6 Elul Shabbat Alive! w/Congrega- tional dinner and installation of President and board of directors and honoring of Past President, Jerry Kantor 6:00 pm Candlelighting: 7:03 pm | 10 7 Elul Shabbat services: 9:30 am Torah Portion: Shoftim Jr. Congregation Relaunch Children's services |
| 11 8 Elul 1st day of Religious School 9:15 am - 12:15 pm HAZAK 2:30 pm USY Beach Cookout 2-4 pm at First Landing State Park | 12 9 Elul | 13 10 Elul Board of Directors Meeting 6:15 pm | 14 11 Elul Lunch & Learn 12 noon | 15 12 Elul | 16 13 Elul Guess Who's Coming to Shabbos (in individual homes) Candlelighting: 6:52 pm | 17 14 Elul Shabbat services: 9:30 am Torah Portion: Ki Tetze Benjamin Saunders Bar Mitzvah |
| 18 15 Elul Religious School | 19 16 Elul | 20 17 Elul | 21 18 Elul Lunch & Learn 12 noon | 22 19 Elul | 23 20 Elul Candlelighting: 6:42 pm | 24 21 Elul Shabbat services: 9:30 am Torah Portion: Ki Tavo Gabe Foleck Bar Mitzvah Children's services SELICHOT at Temple Israel 8:30 pm |
| 25 22 Elul Religious School | 26 23 Elul | 27 24 Elul | 28 25 Elul Lunch & Learn 12 noon | 29 26 Elul | 30 27 Elul Candlelighting: 6:31 pm | |