



Coming in November

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YJF Service

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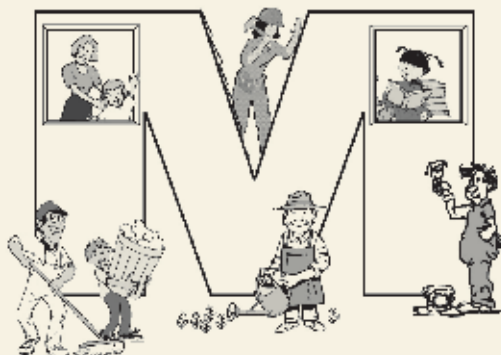
Speaker Debbie Grundleger

NOVEMBER 25

Cantorial Concert



MITZVAH DAY



A volunteer opportunity for all ages!

The JCCP again will be participating in Jewish Federation of Northern New Jersey's annual MITZVAH DAY, Sunday, Nov. 4.

COMMUNITY BLOOD SERVICES will have a blood drive in the JCCP social hall from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. There is a blood shortage and a great need for our congregants and friends to donate. If you can't donate that day, visit the Blood Center, located on Linwood Avenue in Paramus (next to Stop & Shop), between now and Nov. 13 and earmark your donation for the JCCP drive.

The JCCP lobby will have collection boxes for **old eyeglasses**, including sunglasses; **used cell phones**, to be resold with proceeds used to buy calling cards for soldiers; and **paper goods and cleaning supplies**, which are items NOT covered by Food Stamps.

There is always a box in the lobby for non-perishable food for the Paramus Food Pantry, which provides food for needy families in the borough. The pantry reports that its shelves are nearly empty. Please drop off your donations on or before Sunday, Nov. 4. There are boxes in the shul office.

The Dora and Sidney Miller Early Childhood Center, an official MITZVAH DAY site, is doing a Social Action project for young families to

create gifts for visitors of the Sabbath room at Holy Name Medical Center in Teaneck, 10-11:15 a.m.

The JCCP SINGERS, led by Cantor Sam Weiss, will perform for residents at Dellridge Health and Rehabilitation Center in Paramus, at 2 p.m. on MITZVAH DAY. Volunteers are welcome to meet up in the JCCP parking lot at 1:15 p.m. for song sheets and car pools. Contact Cantor Weiss for more information.

And ... not on MITZVAH DAY, but certainly a mitzvah: The Fran Leib Memorial Turkey (and fixings) Drive benefiting the Center for Food Action is on Wednesday, Nov. 14, from 7:15 to 9 a.m. in the JCCP parking lot. Drop off donations of frozen kosher and non-kosher turkeys along with "fixings" for a Thanksgiving dinner. Checks and Shop-Rite gift cards are welcome.

Need information or a blood donation appointment? Call Barbara Merker at (201) 488 7007.

Thanks from the JCCP-JFNNJ MITZVAH DAY co-captains,

Beth Chananie, (201) 262-0063
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From the Rabbi



Rabbi Arthur D. Weiner

The time has come for decision-making. After nearly two years of nonstop campaigning, news reports and debates, Americans go to the polls on Nov. 6. Some great wisdom from the Torah reading of this season can provide guidance as to how to vote.

About two weeks ago we read the story of Noah, who was commanded by God to build an ark to survive the flood. Much is made in Jewish tradition of Noah's personal qualities as compared to those of Abraham. The Torah tells us that Noah was a righteous person "in his generation" and walked with God. There can be no doubt that Noah was righteous; it is inconceivable that the verse could imply anything else. Yet the phrase "in his generation," which seems to qualify the original statement attesting to Noah's righteousness, has always been understood as raising some doubt.

Not that Noah wasn't great – he certainly was. Yet for our Rabbis, the issue was whether his character was great only when compared with the low standards of his generation, or would he have been considered so if he lived in a different era. The comparison is made to Abraham. The Rabbis conclude that had he lived in Abraham's generation, he may not have stood out as great.

Now what is the point of this rabbinic fantasy? Was this really a serious issue? Did our Rabbis and Sages really occupy their time trying to figure out who was better or more righteous, or more worthy? I don't think so. Their point was to

use the inconsistency in the verse to try to inspire those who read the Torah in subsequent generations to consider what it means to be good, moral and righteous not only compared with the standards of the day, but also when measured against the timeless values taught by Judaism.

What was the Rabbis real problem with Noah? When God tells him to build an ark because He is about to destroy the world, and only Noah and his family would be saved, Noah builds the ark. He does what God tells him. That is a most reasonable response to God's suggestion. But the *Midrash* on this section criticizes Noah for not using the time to convince his neighbors to repent their evil ways. He was happy and content to save himself.

Abraham, by comparison, reacted differently when confronted with the news that God was about to destroy Sodom and Gomorrah. He literally argued with God and challenged God to spare the city on account of even the most minimal righteousness that was present there. It certainly did not change God's mind, but it did show an aspect of Abraham's character and concern for others that was simply not present in Noah.

This wisdom from the Parshah is to encourage us to consider the challenge between meeting our own needs and our responsibility to the needs of others. Similarly, it confronts us with the need to meet the needs of this hour and simultaneously understand how decisions made today have a direct impact on what happens tomorrow. This is a model with which to approach our national elections on Nov. 6.

When all is said and done, we have two honorable and decent men who are running for the nation's highest office. Agree with him or not, Governor Romney is an accomplished man, a successful businessman, an American success story. He is also a noble public servant who has served in elected office with great distinction. Much has been made that he is of privileged birth, but he achieved so much on his own, and for that he deserves our respect.

President Obama, though of far more modest and humble birth, achieved the American dream through hard work. He had everything working against him – an absentee father of another race, a childhood spent literally wandering from place to place, from Kansas to Indonesia to Hawaii to New York. Yet he achieved the pinnacle of American success.

In their own way, the candidates have demonstrated the best of America, as well as made mistakes that call their judgment into question. Like many of you, I am troubled by what we have learned about each man during the campaign. But as disappointed as I might be with some of the choices made by the candidates during the course of their lives and campaigns, I remind you that we are not electing a saint or even a Rabbi. We are electing a human being to lead us. These are our choices. Now the time has come.

My column this month is not about the specific issues. I have devoted enough sermons over the last sev-

eral months to the issues and believe I can say that we have evaluated the candidates fairly from this pulpit. Nor would I dream of offering an endorsement – I have said from the pulpit that I thought Rabbis for Obama, as well as other rabbis who have publicly endorsed Governor Romney, have made a terrible mistake. (Remember, though, that the First Amendment does guarantee freedom of speech; why should a Rabbi or any religious leader be restricted?) Nonetheless I believe it is beneath the dignity of a Rabbinate to pretend that any Rabbi is in a better position than his congregants to understand what is best for the country.

The one thing I will do is to challenge you to think and to use your vote not to support a Republican or a Democrat, but to learn from our Rabbis' lesson about Noah and Abraham. Decide which candidate is capable of doing the right thing for our generation and which candidate will lead us in a direction that future generations also will judge as honorable.

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Services

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Friday, November 2 8:30 p.m.
Young Jewish Families Service 7:30 p.m.
ONEG HOST: JCCP

SABBATH SERVICES

Saturday, November 3 9:00 a.m.
TORAH READING: Vayera
KIDDUSH HOST: JCCP
JUNIOR CONGREGATION: 10:00 a.m.
MINCHA & MA'ARIV: 5:35 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Friday, November 9 8:30 p.m.
ONEG HOST: JCCP

SABBATH SERVICES

Saturday, November 10 9:00 a.m.
TORAH READING: Chaye Sarah
KIDDUSH HOST: JCCP
TRADITIONAL SERVICE IN SANCTUARY
EGALITARIAN SERVICE IN BODEEN CHAPEL
JUNIOR CONGREGATION: 10:00 a.m.
MINCHA & MA'ARIV: 4:25 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Friday, November 16 8:30 p.m.
SHABBAT DINNER: 7:00 p.m.
ONEG HOST: JCCP

SABBATH SERVICES

Saturday, November 17 9:00 a.m.
TORAH READING: Toldot
KIDDUSH HOST: JCCP
JUNIOR CONGREGATION: 10:00 a.m.
CLUB SHABBAT: 10:30 a.m.
MINCHA & MA'ARIV: 4:20 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Friday, November 23 8:30 p.m.
ONEG HOST: JCCP

SABBATH SERVICES

Saturday, November 24 9:00 a.m.
TORAH READING: Vayetze
KIDDUSH HOST: JCCP
JUNIOR CONGREGATION: 10:00 a.m.
MINCHA & MA'ARIV: 4:15 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING SERVICES

Friday, November 30 8:30 p.m.
ONEG HOST: JCCP

SABBATH SERVICES

Saturday, December 1 9:00 a.m.
TORAH READING: Vayishlach
KIDDUSH HOST: JCCP
JUNIOR CONGREGATION: 10:00 a.m.
MINCHA & MA'ARIV: 4:10 p.m.

December Book Club

The next JCCP Book Club meeting will be a supper meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 4, at 6 p.m. The book is "Defending Jacob" by William Landay. Beth Chananie will be the facilitator. The cost for supper is \$10, payable in advance. For more information, please contact Mimi Levin at (201) 265-0454. All are welcome.



On November 18th.....
at the Jewish Community Center of
Paramus.....

we welcome our own.....
DEBBIE GRUNDLEGER.....

to talk about her new book
THE 5TH DECADE.....

at 11:00 am!



Light
the
Sabbath
Candles



Friday, November 2 5:31 P.M.
Friday, November 9 4:23 P.M.
Friday, November 16 4:17 P.M.
Friday, November 23 4:12 P.M.
Friday, November 30 4:09 P.M.

Presidential Kol Nidre Speech

Delivered by Harlan L. Cohen on Sept. 26



Harlan L. Cohen

L'SHANA TOVA

Many of you may know my oldest son, Simeon, who is in his first year of rabbinical school at the Jewish Theological Seminary – JTS – in New York City. Simeon called me recently to tell me he had a great idea for my High Holiday speech. He teaches Hebrew School at a Conservative synagogue in Riverdale in the Bronx, and when he walked into that shul for his first day of work, there was a huge picture of the president of that shul to greet him – and beneath that picture was a question: Do you want to hear this man speak for less than 5 minutes on the High Holidays? Please make your High Holiday pledge today, and if we meet our goal of \$x – he'll only speak for 5 minutes this year.

I thought it was a wonderful idea and one that would endear me to our congregation. Unfortunately, he only alerted me to this idea a few days ago, so it was too late to put it into effect for this year. However, if we have a successful High Holiday appeal this year, I pledge to keep it in mind for next year.

I would like to address two themes this year in my High Holiday speech – the past and the future. Both are bright for the JCCP.

Before I do so, if I have hurt or offended any member of the con-

gregation or its staff in any way over the past year for what I have done or said, I ask that you please forgive me.

This year marks the 60th anniversary of the founding of the Jewish Community Center of Paramus. We should all take immense pride in that accomplishment. For a religious institution to not just survive, not just endure, but to thrive over six decades, through flush economic times and lean economic times, is something we can all be proud of.

It was back in 1952, when Paramus was just starting to transform itself from the "celery capital of the world" into what would become the suburban mall and shopping capital of the world – that a small group of chaltzniks – or pioneers – had the foresight to found the JCCP to give committed Conservative Jews in Bergen County a strong, welcoming and special community where they could daven together, where they could socialize together, where they could comfort one another at shiva calls and laugh and dance together at simchas, where they could educate their children and where they themselves could grow as Jews, as residents of Bergen County and as Americans.

We are deeply indebted to that founding generation who had the courage and foresight to set deep roots in our community and who helped to make our Jewish community one of the most prominent, successful and important ones in all of Bergen County and Northern New Jersey.

The post-World War II, post-Holocaust world of 60 years ago, 1952, was certainly a different world than the one we live in today. President Truman did not run for re-election and Gen. Eisenhower was elected in a landslide. Winston Churchill was the prime minister of the United Kingdom, and Joseph Stalin

ruled the Soviet Union with an iron fist. McCarthyism swept over the country, J. Edgar Hoover revoked Charlie Chaplin's entry permit to the U.S. and Richard Nixon resurrected his political career by giving his famous "Checkers" speech.

A loaf of bread cost 16 cents, a new car was \$1,850, gas was 27 cents a gallon, the Dow hit 292, a house cost \$17,000, the average annual salary was \$4,500 and the minimum wage was 75 cents an hour.

"The Today Show" premiered in 1952, and popular TV shows of the day included the "Lone Ranger," "The Groucho Marx Show," "Howdy Doody," "Amos and Andy," "Dragnet," "The Jackie Gleason Show," "I Love Lucy," "The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet" and "Wheel of Fortune."

Movies that came out in 1952 included "High Noon" with Gary Cooper and "Singin' in the Rain." Ernest Hemingway's "The Old Man and the Sea" and John Steinbeck's "East of Eden" were both published in 1952. So was Anne Frank's "The Diary of a Young Girl."

In 1952, the first open heart surgery was performed, 58,000 cases of polio were reported in the U.S. and Dr. Jonas Salk developed the polio vaccine. In 1952, for the first time in over 70 years, no lynchings of black Americans were reported in the U.S.

Chaim Weizmann, the first president of Israel, died in 1952. So did Curly Howard of Three Stooges fame and Eva Peron of Argentina. King George VI also died, and as we all know from earlier this year, Queen Elizabeth II was coronated 60 years ago. Notable births in 1952 included Maureen Dowd, Amy Tan, Bob Costas, Mike Lupica, Bill Walton, Vladimir Putin, Gen. David Petraeus, Roseanne Barr, Christopher Reeve, John Goodman, Liam Neeson, Dan Aykroyd and Paul Reubens (better known as Pee Wee Herman).

One of the reasons we have been able to survive and thrive since our founding in 1952 is that we have been able to stick to our core beliefs while still allowing for the flexibility of necessary change – even if change came more slowly than some would have liked. The tension between tradition and change is, without a doubt, a tricky one – but it is also at the core of the Conservative movement – one of whose mottos is "Tradition and change."

Our shul has been the embodiment of that motto over the past six decades. Eleven years ago we embarked on a major change in the religious life of the congregation when by an overwhelming vote and through much hard work, we ushered in our Egalitarian Shabbat service.

After more than a decade, with this year's High Holiday service – this very service – we have made another major and important change in the religious life of our community. After countless meetings and plans, and more meetings and the refinement of more plans, and another overwhelmingly favorable vote, we have successfully implemented our Egalitarian High Holiday service while, of course, maintaining our Traditional service as well.

I am pleased to report that the implementation of this major change, which is important to our continued vitality in the 21st century, as we begin the next 60 years of our journey, has been another smashing success – and it is a tribute to the hard work of our congregants, of our committees, of our professional staff and of our volunteers. In short, the success of this endeavor is because we have pulled together as a community and for the good of our entire community as a whole – regardless of our personal beliefs and past religious practices. It is that steadfast com-

mitment to the greater good of the community as a whole which is one of our defining traits – and one of the keys to our ongoing success.

I am pleased and proud to report that we distributed a total of over 1,000 High Holiday tickets this year for both of our services – and the number of tickets which we distributed this year is virtually unchanged from the number of tickets we distributed in 2011 and 2010. About 55% of the tickets were for the Traditional service in the Sanctuary and about 45% of the tickets were for the Egalitarian service in Stark Hall. While we nervously anticipated a lot of problems and complaints this year about the new seating arrangements and other changes implemented for the High Holidays, the truth is that our members took these changes in stride, and if there were complaints, they were few and far between. I congratulate the entire congregation for making this transition so smooth and trouble free.

Our ticket-related income was also up this year – about \$7,000 more than last year and more than \$10,000 over what we had projected in our budget. In this day and age, with declining membership and the economic downturn taking its heavy toll on every congregant and the JCCP itself, these are accomplishments we can be proud of.

The overwhelming success in implementing our changes to our High Holiday services this year is an important harbinger of the other major and positive change which we are expecting in the coming year. I am speaking, of course, about the increasingly likely prospect that during the course of this year, we may well be welcoming the New Milford Jewish Center/ Congregation Beth Tikvah, into our community through a merger.

Since becoming president on July 1, the very day that one of our most beloved members, Stanley

Mitchel, passed away at the age of 103, I have tried to keep the congregation abreast of important developments in the merger discussions with New Milford. This is because I view the prospect of a merger with New Milford to be one of the most significant developments in our six-decade history – and certainly the most important new development at the JCCP since Rabbi Weiner joined us upon Rabbi Gottlieb's retirement over 15 years ago. I have made the success of the merger the No. 1 priority of my presidency.

As I reported to our Board of Trustees at our September meeting, I am pleased to report to the congregation that over the past few months we have passed some major milestones with respect to the merger, and that while the deal is not yet done, all signs are that a deal is going to be reached and New Milford is going to be joining us. In just the past few weeks, our Merger Committee and our counterparts at New Milford have agreed to a term sheet which lays out the major provisions of the deal. The boards of both synagogues have approved those terms (ours did so unanimously and I believe that New Milford's did so as well) and New Milford is convening a post-High Holiday congregational meeting, probably on October 21st, to gain approval from their membership to the terms of the deal as required by their Constitution. We will be having a congregational meeting and vote later on in the process once a definitive contract is signed by both sides.

The essence of the deal, if it proceeds, is that New Milford will be selling their building, which was appraised back in 2009 for \$2.1 million, and bringing nearly all of the net proceeds of sale, along with the nearly all of the rest of their assets, to the JCCP. The proceeds from the sale of the building – and let me stress that no one knows when it will actually be sold and just how much it will actually sell for – will in effect be treated as pre-

paid dues for New Milford's members who will become members here – and as a result, they will not be obligated to pay yearly dues. In addition to getting what we hope will be a large sum of cash, hopefully in excess of \$1 million, our community will be gaining new members, many of whom are committed minyan goers and regular attendees at Shabbat and holiday services. While our demographic profile will not get any younger as a result of this merger, we will be getting an influx of new faces, new families, new volunteers, many of whom will be familiar to you because they are our neighbors, our friends, our relatives, and some have even been our fellow worshippers over the years.

To make the merger a success, I am asking each of you to reach out your hand and your heart in friendship to welcome the New Milford members who have already started to attend some of our religious and social events in anticipation of our two communities becoming one. Help make them feel at home here so they, too, will soon feel that the JCCP is their second home as it already is for all of us. Recall the words of Exodus 22:21: "You shall not wrong a stranger or oppress him, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt." Imagine how you would feel if the shoe were on the other foot and it was the JCCP that was forced to close after 60 years and merge into New Milford.

There will be changes when and if the merger occurs – changes that should benefit us as a congregation. For example, upon merger, with the input and approval of Rabbi Weiner and our Religious Committee, we have committed to New Milford that we will be offering the option of Egalitarian Shabbat services every week (instead of just once or twice a month as we do now), and that there will also be an Egalitarian holiday service option as well. In light of our smashing success in pulling off the Egalitarian High Holiday services this year, I am confident that this change will be

embraced by the JCCP community.

We will be keeping our JCCP brand name – but finally adding a Hebrew name to go along with it – JCCP/ Congregation Beth Tikvah. In addition, New Milford has absolutely gorgeous stained glass windows – which they treasure and want preserved, and which we could certainly use to beautify our own sanctuary. Assuming that we have sufficient funds from the eventual sale of New Milford's building, we are hoping to make arrangements to have those stained glass windows installed here.

The coming year will be an exciting one for us as the merger starts to take shape and becomes a reality. If all goes well, by the spring of next year we should have a merged congregation and next year at the High Holidays, I hope to be addressing both our longtime members as well as our new friends and members from New Milford. Perhaps for only five minutes.

While I have already gotten all kinds of suggestions about how we should use the money from the sale of the New Milford building, those challenging decisions will be deferred until such time as we have a signed merger contract with New Milford, the building has been sold and the money is actually in our bank account. We must be careful stewards of this good fortune that appears to be coming our way, so we can help to lay a solid foundation for at least the next 60 years, and hopefully beyond, for the future of the JCCP.

On behalf of the entire synagogue, the rabbi, the cantor, the officers of the JCCP, the Board of Trustees, my wife Lori and myself and our entire family, for the year 5773 we wish each of you and those whom you love a year of Shalom – a year of peace – and a year of health, safety, happiness and prosperity.

I also wish each of you a meaningful fast and *G'mar Chatimah Ttovah*, "May you be sealed for a good year in the Book of Life."

Thank you.

Early Childhood Center



Judith S. Fox

The ECC is a venue for Mitzvah Day! We are so excited!

For many years, the ECC has participated in and initiated *tzedakah* and *mitzvah* activities that are child friendly and appropriate. In the past, some of these included mitten-and-hat collections, planting trees in Israel, and Latkes for Love. More recently, we've participated in the Bergen County Chanukah Toy Drive and in a fundraiser we created called Jumping Sacks for Tay-Sachs, motivated by a family in our school community who lost a child to this devastating disease. We have also become active participants, thanks to the accommodation of the Community Affairs Committee, in the JCCP's food drives (we do love to bring our cans and boxes of food to the CFA truck!). And, of course, there

are always classroom *tzedakah* boxes. The idea of providing goods (mittens, toys, food) for people who don't have enough, or raising money for doctors to learn about what makes people sick, is a very accessible concept to young children.

Nov. 4, however, will bring our *tzedakah* activities to a new level. It will allow our ECC to be part of what the JCCP does for Mitzvah Day; indeed, to be part of what the Bergen County Jewish community does for Mitzvah Day. It gives us the opportunity to bring new families into our school facility, showcasing suitable, child-centered crafts that while not being pre-fab or adult-made actually will be gifts that are usable by the recipients. We believe that what we make will bring cheer and pleasure to the people who receive the gifts, but we know that it will provide the children a true experience in giving the work of their hands.

After making the gifts, children will have the opportunity to play and, of course, to have a snack. We'll round out the morning with a *mitzvah*-themed story provided by the PJ library and some *tzedakah* songs.

I want to thank Alice Blass of Federation and Beth Chananie for giving the ECC this opportunity! *Tizku l'mitzvot!*

SUKKOT SMILES



JCCP kids are all smiles at the Sukkot lunch in the social hall in early October.

Expanded Jewish Film Festival

This year's JCCP Jewish Film Festival has been expanded to include showings on two Sundays at 2 p.m. (Nov. 11 and 18), and the four Tuesdays in November at 8:15 p.m. In addition, preceding the main feature at all six showings, we will present a different short excerpt of a concert by the late Marvin Hamlisch at the 2011 Cantors' Assembly Convention. The films: "Arranged" will be shown on Nov. 6 and 11; "Invincible," on Nov. 13 and 18; "The Human Resources Manager," on Nov. 27; and "Symphony of Six Million," on Nov. 27. All shows are free and will be hosted by Cantor Sam Weiss. Please see the complete Festival flyer in this issue of the Bulletin.

Youth Groups

We hope you and your families had a great holiday! The holidays are a special time to spend with family and refocus for the new year. One of the best things we can do as parents/adults is to gently lend a guiding hand to our children and make sure the upcoming year is filled with great memories and positive experiences.

Our youth programs can provide fulfilling experiences for our children. It's great to have the kids come home from an event and talk about the great time they had. Help your children take the plunge ...

Wayne and Debbie Zeiler

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"Children are the world's most valuable resource and its best hope for the future." – John F. Kennedy

And now a few words from our advisers ...

Kadima/Chaverim

Upcoming Events:

- **Sunday, Nov. 4** – UJAFFNJ Mitzvah Day, visiting the New Jersey Veterans Home from 1:30-3 p.m. to entertain the residents. Talented youths are invited to join us to play music, sing, and tell jokes.
- **Sunday, Nov. 11** – No Hebrew school. Bowling at Bowler City in Hackensack. Fifth-graders and lower should come with a parent. Older kids can be dropped off at 9:30 a.m. Details to follow.
- **Tuesday, Nov. 20** – Movie and Pizza night ... pick up at 7:30 p.m. Special Thanksgiving treats.

Fred Weissman, M.Ed.

"A man stands tallest when he bends to help a child."

USY

We are so excited that our USY group has had a tremendous start to the year. In October we attended the opening regional dance with more than 30 kids from our area; now we are looking forward to November! On Nov. 4, we will come together for JFNNJ Mitzvah Day. On Nov. 11, we are having a Pajama Movie Night at the JCCP. We will be sending out flyers and more information as the dates get closer. The weekend of Nov. 16 is the Hagalil Fall Kinnus in Clark. For more information, check out <http://www.hagalilusy.com/fallapplication/>.

If you have any questions, feel free to email us at paramususy@gmail.com.

Alexa Rosenzweig and Matt Wilkins

JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL

Hosted by Cantor Sam Weiss

Four Tuesdays in November at 8:15pm
plus two Sundays at 2:00pm

Shorts before all films: *Marvin Hamlisch at the Cantors' Convention*



Tuesday November 6th 8:15pm

Sunday November 11th 2:00pm

ARRANGED (2007)

Two young Brooklyn schoolteachers, one Jewish, one Muslim, share a job as well as an emotional bond over a common fate: arranged matchmaking. *Arranged* provides a rare and authentic insight into today's Boro-Park Orthodox lifestyle.

Tuesday November 13th 8:15pm

Sunday November 18th 2:00pm

INVINCIBLE (2001)

Werner Herzog's ominous fable is set in 1932 Berlin and is based on a historic person: the world-famous amazing Jewish strongman Zishe Breitbart, who lived from 1883 to 1925.



Tuesday November 20th 8:15pm

THE HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGER (2010)

A worker in an Israeli commercial bakery suddenly dies, and the personnel manager finds out that one dead former employee is much harder to manage than all of his workers who are still alive. This recent charming film is in Hebrew with English subtitles.

Tuesday November 27th 8:15pm

SYMPHONY OF SIX MILLION (1932)

No, not those Six Million. The title of this beautiful melodrama (based on a story by Fannie Hurst) refers to the inhabitants of New York City in 1932. You are sure to enjoy this rarely-seen thoroughly Jewish film. Bring a hankie!



Add your voice to the interesting discussions following the films.

~ ~ ~ **FREE ADMISSION** ~ ~ ~



Hebrew School



Marcia Kagedan

October was indeed a packed month. With the last of the fall holidays complete, our other school activities can continue.

The holiday of Sukkot was enjoyed by all. A special thank you to Roz Mehr and Jill Wiser for preparing a most delicious and plentiful lunch for all Hebrew School families; YJF and ECC families, too. The weather held out and many were able to perform the mitzvah of eating in the sukkah. Thank you to all the kitchen helpers, including Julie Leopold, Susan Shapiro and Elana Heitlinger, who worked hard all morning to ensure that lunch was ready on time.

With the holidays behind us, school can get into full swing. The Torah Coupon Store was open for the first time, with new merchandise and kids with many coupons to spend. Club Shabbat for the younger kids was enjoyed by many. Our seventh-graders had their first "Moving Traditions" class with the Bergen County High School of Jewish Studies. Many were thrilled to see Fred Weisman from our awesome youth program.

All parents were invited to visit the classrooms to meet the teachers, hear about the curriculum and engage in activities with their children.

We said goodbye to one of our most beloved teachers of 24 years,

Rena Cohnen. Rena's dream came true and she has made aliyah. She has gone to live in Israel, where most of her kids and grandkids already reside. We wish her health and happiness in her new home in Jerusalem. She would enjoy visits from her students from the JCCP, so the next time you plan a trip, let me know and I will put you in touch with her.

This is a bit early, but one never knows! In case of inclement weather, if Paramus Public Schools are closed on a Tuesday, close early or cancel afterschool activities, Hebrew School is closed. If there is snow on a Sunday, a message will be on the school machine (201-262-7733) by 8 a.m., an email will be sent if possible, and parents will be reached by phone from the class parents.

November dates for your calendar:

- **Sunday, Nov. 4:**
6th grade at Kehillah program.
- **UJA Mitzvah Day.** Hebrew School families visiting residents at the N.J. Veterans Home.
- **Candle Club** 9:45-11:15 a.m.
- **Thursday, Nov. 8:**
Kristallnacht program at 7 p.m.
- **Sunday, Nov. 11:**
No Hebrew School – N.J. Teachers Convention Weekend.
- **Shabbat, Nov. 17:**
First School on Shabbat of the year for 2nd-7th grades and Club Shabbat for kids up to and including 1st grade.
- **Sunday, Nov. 18:**
Tefillin Workshop for 6th- and 7th-grade kids and parents with Rabbi Weiner.
- **Sunday, Nov. 25:**
No Hebrew School – Thanksgiving Weekend.

Shalom U'lehitra'ot.

Marcia Kagedan
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Young Jewish Families

We had more than a dozen families at our October Friday night Service and Program in the sukkah. It was a lot of fun. We hope to have even more families for our November service. Please join us.

Friday, November 2, 7:30 p.m.

We are starting the month off with our **Family Friday Night Service and Program**. Please join us in the sanctuary for our family-friendly service followed by playtime in the gym for the children, **dairy** nosh and schmoozing time for the adults.

Sunday, November 4, 11:30 a.m.

SAVE THE DATE!! The YJF will have an event to take place right after Hebrew school. Bring your children to the social hall as soon as their classes are over (11:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m.). More details to follow, but the event will include lunch.

Friday, December 7, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 7, at 7:30 p.m.

We are starting the month off with our **Family Friday Night CHANUKAH Service and Program**. Please join us in the sanctuary for our family-friendly service followed by playtime in the gym for the children, dairy nosh and schmoozing time for the adults.

Elana and Eugene Heitlinger, Co-Presidents

SUKKAH BUILDERS



Adults and children have a hand in building the JCCP sukkah.

Thank You!

My sincerest thanks to all the members of the congregation who extended condolences, attended the minyons, and made donations in my brother's memory. Your support has helped me deal with the sorrow of his passing. It is extremely comforting to be a part of such a warm and caring community.

Ruby Camins

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For information or to reserve tickets contact the JCCP Office at 201-262-7691. Credit Cards Accepted.

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Adult Education

"He who does not increase his knowledge, decreases it ..." (Pirke Avot, 1:13)

Our Fall Adult Education programming for 5773/2012-13 began with a well-attended lecture by **Dr. Raisy Weiss**. Todah rabbah and yasher koach to Raisy for the wonderful kickoff event.

Rabbi Weiner is leading a Hartman Institute Lecture & Study Series titled **Engaging Israel: Foundations for a New Relationship** on seven Wednesdays. The series continues on Nov. 7 and 28, and Dec. 5, 12 and 19. Each session will be offered at 3 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Please see the flyer in the October Bulletin for more information. If you missed the two classes in October, you can still attend the remaining sessions. There is a \$20 materials fee for the course.

Herb Keinon, diplomatic correspondent for The Jerusalem Post, will be speaking on the topic **Israel and the World in 2013 – the Tipping Point?** at the JCCP on Sunday, **Nov. 11**. Mr. Keinon has been a guest at the JCCP on a number of occasions and we welcome the chance to hear from him again.

Thanks to those who have so generously responded to this year's Adult Education appeal letter. It's never too late to support our programming, and we're happy to continue to accept donations if you haven't gotten around to writing your check yet! Patrons - \$100; Sponsors - \$72; Builders - \$36; and Supporters - \$18. Thank you to those who donated since last month's article was published: Sponsor: Rima & Roger Rosenstein; Builder: Miriam & Jim Gershfield; and Supporter: Helga Bodeen.

Join us for these classes and regular events:

- **Drosh and Nosh – Wednesdays, 7:30- 8 p.m.** An opportunity to study the week's Torah portion with fellow congregants; taught by a different person each week.
- **JCCP Jewish Film Festival** – This year's Jewish Film Festival has been expanded to include showings on two Sundays at 2 p.m. (Nov. 11 and 18) and on the four Tuesdays in November at 8:15 p.m. In addition, preceding the main feature at all six showings, a short excerpt of a concert by the late Marvin Hamlisch at the 2011 Cantors Convention will be shown. The films: "Arranged" will be shown on Nov. 6 and 11; "Invincible," on Nov. 13 and 18; "The Human Resources Manager," on Nov. 27; and "Symphony of Six Million," on Nov. 27. All shows are free and will be hosted by **Cantor Sam Weiss**. Please see the complete festival flier in this issue of the Bulletin.
- **Singing For Chanukah** – Rehearse new and old Chanukah songs on Monday nights, Dec. 3 and 10, and Tuesday, Dec. 6. Share the joy at the annual JCCP Family Chanukah Dinner on Tuesday, Dec. 11, as well as at another public venue on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16. The sessions and events are quite informal. Rehearsals are at 8:15 p.m.
- **Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow – Mondays at 1:30 p.m.** Everyone is welcome to join these lively and popular weekly discussions led by **Al Nahum**.
- **The Jewish "What's My Line" – PPT**– This lively class will meet on five Monday evenings: Nov. 5, 19 and 26, and Dec. 3 and 17 from 8:30 to 9:30. As always, there will be a lot of fun as well as a lot of learning. **Instructor: Stu W. Lehrer**.

We have more in store for this coming year, including another Mini-Context series of lectures from the Jewish Theological Seminary and trips to the Lower East Side of New York and the JTS Rare Book Room.

For more information, call **Mark Topel**, committee chair, at (201) 967-9179, or email, marktopel@verizon.net. We welcome your input.

Community Affairs

Every Day is Mitzvah Day

Our first mitzvah of the year was **Operation Isaiah**, when we collected more than 150 bags of food on Kol Nidre eve. Thank you so much to **Phyllis** and **Ken Glatzer**, who coordinated the project, and all those who participated. Thank you also to **Andy Kestenbaum**, **Sandy Alpern**, **Marc Robbins**, **Gary Hutmacher** and **Ken Glatzer**, who loaded up their cars with the donated bags and delivered the food to the Center for Food Action in Saddle Brook. Please continue to bring non-perishable food items for our ongoing collection when you come to the JCCP for meetings or events during the week.

A large group of volunteers sorted food at the **Center for Food Action** warehouse in Saddle Brook on Sunday, Oct. 28. Thank you to **Merle Harris**, who coordinated the project. If you couldn't help this time, we will be helping sort food again in the spring.

The JCCP will be participating in **Jewish Federation of NNJ's** community-wide **Mitzvah Day on Sunday, Nov. 4**. There will be a blood drive, and the JCCP will be a collection site for used eyeglasses and cell phones to be donated to organizations that recycle them for those in need. You can also become a **JCCP Singer for Mitzvah Day**. Meet with **Cantor Weiss** on Monday, Oct. 29, at 8:15 p.m. for a sing-along session in preparation for our annual UJA Mitzvah Day project. This year we will be entertaining the residents at the Dellridge Center (532 Farview Ave., Paramus) on Nov. 4 at 2 p.m. Whether you attend on Oct. 29 or not, you are very welcome to meet in the JCCP parking lot on Sunday at 1:15 p.m. when song sheets will be distributed and car pools arranged to drive to our Mitzvah Day destination. The **Dora and Sidney Miller Early Childhood Center** will be hosting a project for children. Families are invited to bring their children to make handcrafted gifts for nursing home residents.

A project to benefit **Bergen Reads** is also a part of Mitzvah Day. A Book Fair is being held at the Barnes and Noble on Nov. 4 at The Shops at Riverside. A percentage of the cost of books purchased at the Barnes and Noble that day will be donated to Bergen Reads if you show a voucher or just mention "Book Fair" when you check out. Call Sandy Alpern at (201) 447-3090 to get a voucher or for information on how you can participate by buying books online as well.

Our **Fran Leib Memorial Fall Turkey Drive** will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 14. We need frozen kosher and non-kosher turkeys and fixings for Thanksgiving dinners. Supermarket gift cards and checks to the Center for Food Action are appreciated, too. We also will be adopting families in Paramus in coordination with the Paramus Department of Human Services and providing them with a complete Thanksgiving dinner from soup to dessert.

For those who love to knit and crochet, we are continuing to hold our knitting bees. Our finished items are sent to the Tikvah Orphanage in Odessa, Russia. Elaine Cohen reports that we have lots of yarn available. We'll even pick up your work! We usually meet on the last Monday of the month, but we encourage you to knit on your own if you don't have time to attend our meetings. For more information, please contact **Elaine Cohen** at (201) 447-2485.

Our Chesed Committee has volunteers available if you or someone you know needs temporary help shopping or a ride to services or doctor appointments. Call **Eileen Schneider** at (201) 722-1606 or **Nina Glaser** at (201) 262-1775.

Get the inside scoop on Israel from one of these men..



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Bar Mitzvah of JONATHAN DANIEL RIVKIN

Son of Cindy and David Rivkin
October 13, 2012



How appropriate that Jonathan was born just in time to celebrate the Jewish New Year; he gave us one more thing to be thankful for by completing our family! Even to this day, Jonathan is making us just as happy as he did the day he was born. He is a sensitive, compassionate and thoughtful student at Thomas Jefferson Middle School in Fair Lawn (his father's alma mater), where he works very hard and achieves very high grades. He is able to balance this with building positive friendships, spending quality family time, and participating on his football and ice hockey teams. In addition, Jonathan is very aware of his community and is always looking for a way to help, from working with challenged children to being a "kindergarten helper." In fact, for his Mitzvah Project, Jonathan is collecting new and gently used books to donate to sick children, where he will also donate his time to socialize with them.

We would like to offer a heartfelt thanks to Rabbi Weiner, Cantor Weiss, Marcia Kagaden and all of Jonathan's Hebrew school teachers for all their hard work in preparing Jonathan for this very special day.

Mazel Tov!

Sisterhood

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ENLIGHTEN YOUR HEART

Sunday, November 18, at 11 a.m.

Deborah R. Wagner, Ph.D

(aka Deborah Grundleger)

author of "The Fifth Decade"

This Book Launch Tour is Free and Open to All

Dr. Wagner, psychologist and author, will enlighten, educate and help us untangle the many challenges that we encounter throughout our 40s and 50s. How you are feeling and what your loved one -- wife, daughter or mother -- is struggling with does matter.

The presentation will be followed by a question-and-answer session. Dr. Wagner's new book, "The Fifth Decade," will be available for purchase.

SAVE THE DATE: Warm Your Heart Breakfast

Sunday, December 9, at 10 a.m.

Join us to "welcome" the first day of Chanukah. Do not miss this annual breakfast event. Please remember to bring a donation of non-perishable food for the food pantry.

Support the JCCP Gift Shop!

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First Night to light your Chanukah is the 24th of Kislev (Dec. 8)

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Todah Rabah to everyone for a very successful opening night dinner.

Sisterhood's heart is beating strong. Our membership is at 50 and we need you to link up with us. ... Remember, we are going to tug at your heart strings this January.

Ruth Smith, ruthsmith1@gmail.com

Eve Lehrer, sisterhoodeve@gmail.com

Co-Presidents

Men's Club

We hope that you have received your mailing from the Men's Club. If not, you will get it in a few days.

The mailing consists of three important flyers.

First is the Men's Club membership application for this year. In order to continue to be the vibrant organization that we have been in the past, we need participation from all the men in the JCCP. Please join us.

Second is the listing of future Card Nights, beginning with Nov. 5. Please try to attend. Who knows, maybe you'll even win!

Finally, there is a flyer for our 2nd annual Chanukah dinner, which will be on Dec. 11. All the details you need are on this flyer. A change from last year is that we are requiring that everyone RSVP to us so that we know how much food to prepare.

Have a happy Thanksgiving!

Until next time.

Jerry Menter and Joe Esrig, Co-Presidents

SAVE THE DATE!



JCCP Annual Blood Drive

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JCCP Mitzvah Day Co-Chairs:

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November 10-16

Stanley Blecher
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Leon Wiser
Phyllis Radest
Sally Prosky
Roslyn Stern
Richard Ziskin
Eleanor Belner
Rouhy Hourizadeh
Henry Slomowitz
Lola Weber

November 17-23

Gladys Kozuch
Myrna Levine
Judith Abel
Sylvia Tursi

Michael Ginsberg
David Knopf
Rima Rosenstein
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Nancy Luks
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Mona Storch

November 24-30

Patrick Brown
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Shapoor Ahdout
Michael Aronesty
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November 1-2

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November 3-9

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DAVID PERLMAN
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Beverly Fox



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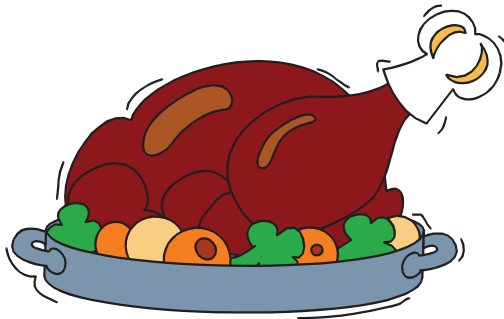
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Daily Services Shacharit Mon. & Thur. 6:45am Tue, Wed, Fri. 7:00am Sunday/Holidays 9:00am Mincha/Maariv Sun-Thur. 8:00pm				16 CHESHVAN 1 Executive Bd Mtg. 8:15pm	17 CHESHVAN 2 5:31 Shabbat Service 8:30pm Young Jewish Family Service 7:30pm	18 CHESHVAN 3 Vayera Shabbat Ends: 6:39 Shabbat Service 9:00am Mincha 5:35pm
19 CHESHVAN 4 UJA Blood Drive-10am Chapel UJA Mitzvah Day Drive Bagel n Schmooze 9:30am YJF Lunch 11:30am - 1:30pm Candle Club 9:45am	20 CHESHVAN 5 Men's B-Ball 8:15-10pm Yesterday, Today 1:30pm Stu Lehrer Class 8:30pm Sisterhood Bd Mtg 7:15pm M/C Game Night 8:15pm Jewish War Vet 7:30pm	21 CHESHVAN 6 Youth Committee 8:15pm Cantor's Film Festival 8:15pm	22 CHESHVAN 7 Drosh and Nosh 7:30pm	23 CHESHVAN 8 Adult Ed Meeting 8:15pm ECC Closed	24 CHESHVAN 9 4:23 Shabbat Service 8:30pm ECC Closed	25 CHESHVAN 10 Chaye Sarah Shabbat Ends: 5:32 Shabbat Dual Services (Egalitarian) 9:00am Mincha 4:25pm BROADWAY CLASSICS MUSIC SHOW 7PM
26 CHESHVAN 11 Cantor's Film Festival 2pm Speaker Herb Keinon 7pm Hebrew School Closed	27 CHESHVAN 12 Men's B-Ball 8:15-10pm Yesterday, Today 1:30pm Bd of Education Mtg 8:15pm ECC Parent Conference Ulpan 7:30pm - 9:30pm	28 CHESHVAN 13 House Committee 8:15pm Membership Comm. 8:15pm Cantor's Film Festival 8:15pm ECC Parent Conference	29 CHESHVAN 14 Drosh and Nosh 7:30pm	1 KISLEV 15 Rosh Chodesh Kislev Board of Trustees Mtg 8:15pm	2 KISLEV 16 4:17 Shabbat Service 8:30pm Monthly Shabbat Dinner 7pm	3 KISLEV 17 Toldot Shabbat Ends: 5:26 Shabbat Service 9:00am School on Shabbat Club Shabbat 10:30am Mincha 4:20pm
4 KISLEV 18 Hebrew School Tefillah Prog w-Rabbi 6th - 7th Sisterhood Book Prog- Dr. Deborah Grundleger 10am-12pm Cantor's Film Festival 2pm	5 KISLEV 19 Men's B-Ball 8:15-10pm Yesterday, Today 1:30pm Stu Lehrer Class 8:30pm Ulpan 7:30pm - 9:30pm	6 KISLEV 20 Cantor's Film Festival 8:15pm Men's Club Bd. Mtg. 8:15pm Chaverim-Kadima Movie and Pizza Night 5:30pm	7 KISLEV 21 Drosh and Nosh 7:30pm Yiddush Club 2pm ECC Noon Dismissal	8 KISLEV 22 Thanksgiving Day ECC-Office-PRA Closed Morning Minyan 9am	9 KISLEV 23 4:12 Shabbat Service 8:30pm ECC-Office-PRA Closed	10 KISLEV 24 Vayetze Shabbat Ends: 5:22 Shabbat Service 9:00am Mincha 4:15pm
11 KISLEV 25 Hebrew School Closed	12 KISLEV 26 Men's B-Ball 8:15-10pm Yesterday, Today 1:30pm Stu Lehrer Class 8:30pm Ulpan 7:30pm - 9:30pm	13 KISLEV 27 Cantor's Film Festival 8:15pm	14 KISLEV 28 Drosh and Nosh 7:30pm Rabbi Weiner's Adult Ed. Class 3pm and 8:15pm	15 KISLEV 29 Religious Committee 8:15pm Community Affairs 8:15pm Hadassah 7:45pm	16 KISLEV 30 4:09 Shabbat Service 8:30pm	

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