

THE MESSENGER

The Official Newsletter of Temple Beth Sholom | Sarasota, FL

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November programs at TBS

November 1, 15, 29 - 10:30 am -

Jewish Ethics with Rabbi Stuart Altshuler -

In-Person and via Zoom

November 1, - 1:15 pm -

TBS Sisterhood & Idelson Library Book Review

"The Sassoons: The Great Global Merchants and the Making of an Empire"

November 3, 10, 17, - 10:00 am -

Conversational Hebrew III with Cheryl Cohen -

Registrations Required

November 7, 14, 21, 28 - 12:30 pm -

Mah Jongg - Registrations Requested

November 8 - 10:00 am -

TBS Cemetery Mitzvah Day

November 11 - 12:00 pm -

Delicate Dilemmas - Immediately following Kiddush

November 12 - 9:30 am -

TBS Men's Club Breakfast Program "Up, Up, & Away! What's New at Our Regional Airport"

November 14, 28 - 10:30 am -

Turning Points in Jewish History with Rabbi Stuart Altshuler - In-Person and via Zoom

November 15, - 1:15 pm -

Idelson Library Film Matinee "Breaking Bread"



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RABBI'S MESSAGE



Shalom Temple Beth Sholom Haverim,

Now that the year's schedule is in full swing, I wanted to pause and take a little time with you to reflect on the 50th anniversary of the Yom Kippur War (October 1973). Many of you were able to go see the movie "Golda," about Prime Minister Golda Meir's leadership, along with her frailties and uncertainties, during those 18 days in October when the future of Israel hung in the balance.

The initial assault by the Egyptians and the Syrians launched on our holiest day of the year, caught Israel's military advisors and leaders ill-prepared, thrusting the nation into a near collapse. The situation in the early days of the invasion was awful on both the Egyptian and Syrian fronts. We now know that Golda contemplated suicide, and Moshe Dayan proposed dropping nuclear weapons on both of Israel's enemies, threatening to destroy Israel once and for all.

Thankfully, the genius and bravery of Israel's leaders, military officers, tank commanders, and reservists called into emergency duty turned the war around and saved Israel from defeat.

Those interested in reading a day-by-day account of the Yom Kippur War, a much more insightful account of the military, political, and sociological impact the war had on Israel, should read Uri Kaufman's account, *18 Days in October: the Yom Kippur War and How it Created the Modern Middle East*. Not only does he chronicle the disaster at the onset of the attack, how Israel's defenses were caught by total surprise, as the military ignored intelligence that warned of an imminent attack, he also documents how individuals, brave soldiers, held off the Syrian and Egyptian onslaught. Infantryman Greengold, colonel Kahalani in the Golan Heights, used their one tank against hundreds of Syrian tanks to stall Syrian advances—completely miraculous and due to bravery. In Kahalani's case, he had no weapons, and by using flares, he was able to convince the Syrians that his one tank was instead tens of Israeli attacks. There are many more narratives like that.

Ariel Sharon's genius crossing of the Suez Canal, surrounding the Egyptian 2nd army, convinced the Egyptians to seek an end to the war. With all of his controversy, and he was never one to take orders easily, Sharon saved the country from an Egyptian victory in the Sinai. I am proud to say that it was his Ramat Kal, his second in command, Colonel Gideon Altshuler, my cousin Mor's father, of blessed memory, who implemented the attack against the Egyptians, at risk of his life and the lives of countless brave Israeli soldiers. We often do not realize what heroism has done for our Jewish state - this incredible devotion to the country, to valor, to believing that divine infusion into their souls has led to the destiny of our beloved Jewish state.

Moshe Dayan, during the Yom Kippur War, Israel's Defense Minister, was shamed by his misleading Golda and the cabinet into thinking that any Egyptian or Syrian attack was not going to take place, and clearly had a nervous breakdown during the war. He was a personality of great controversy and attended a synagogue in New York, Keshet Israel, on Kol Nidre night in 1977, when he was visiting with American politicians. He then attended synagogue for only the second time in his entire life on Yom Kippur, October 10, 1978, during the Camp David Accords. He sat in the front row along with then-Israeli president Ezer Weizmann, Israeli Supreme Court Justice Elyakim Rubinstein, and Israeli MK Naf-tali Lau-Lavie. It was at Adas Israel, the leading Conservative congregation in Washington, D.C.

This one synagogue appearance, as documented in the memoirs of Justice Rubinstein, had a profound influence on Moshe Dayan.

According to the account, Moshe Dayan, who lost his left eye on the battlefield fighting for the Jewish Corps and the British army during WWII and who faced hundreds of enemy soldiers in countless battles and wars against Arab enemies, broke down and cried during the Kol Nidre service. He was asked by

the congregation, Adas Israel, to open the Ark as the Torah Scrolls were being removed for the chanting of Kol Nidre. Dayan was unsure what to do, having been to synagogue all of one time before, the year before, on Kol Nidre. He removed his leather shoes and, after some guidance on how to pull the strings to open the Ark, opened it and closed it following the chanting of Kol Nidre.

Before Rabbi Phillip Rabinowitz delivered his Kol Nidre sermon, he blessed the distinguished visitors from Israel and their endeavor to bring peace to the Jewish people and Israel. The congregation was moved by it all, and the congregants prepared to have Moshe Dayan, not religious, ride in a limo back to the hotel—Rubinstein and Lau-Lavie walked. When the door of the limousine opened for Moshe Dayan, he exclaimed, “Yom Kippur obligates me too,” and he walked the long way back with his partners back to the Blair House where they were staying.

This moving episode is a reminder to us here at Temple Beth Sholom and what we represent - the ongoing sanctity of the Jewish people and Judaism that supports our every endeavor. We have a responsibility to be that spiritual fire to the many distinguished guests (everyone is a distinguished visitor) to have a place to be inspired Jewishly as the synagogue inspired none other than Defense Minister Moshe Dayan, an Israeli hero.

The novel experience of Dayan, the spiritual awe he acquired, and his participation in a service of which he felt totally out of place allowed him, he wrote, to see the bigger picture for the Jewish people and helped usher in the Camp David Accords in 1978 that changed the landscape of peace between Israel and Egypt.

Never underestimate the power and impact a friendly “Shabbat Shalom,” a thoughtful Torah insight, or an inspiring davening of our Shabbat Shacharit service might have on those who come to be with us. Not only is this true of each person who comes to TBS, but the congregation as a whole, and perhaps nations and the world at large.

Let us vow to keep doing what we do so well—with optimism, conviction, and driven by the Power that makes all possible, our dear God—we can transform our people, Israel, the soul of America, and the world.

May you all have a blessed month of learning, devotion, and Jewish pride.

Dear haverim,

When I first wrote this message to you, the reality of the horrors that we witnessed in Israel on Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah/Shabbat in Israel, were not known.

I thought, as did we all, that following the holidays we would now be able to enjoy a time to learn, pray, sing and celebrate together.

Now, we are in mourning, devastated by this grotesque terror, wanton murder, kidnapping and random violence against our people, our Jewish state.

This horror will take on many twists and turns in the coming days and weeks. Let us vow to stay as one, rid ourselves of petty disputes, and truly come together during this historic time when our brothers and sisters in Israel need us more than ever to be strong and united.

God bless medinat Yisrael...may God bless our Jewish nation with strength, renewed hopes, resolve and determination to live in security and blessed peace.

Am Yisrael Chai,

Rabbi Stuart Altshuler

Biddy-biddy-bum! A Short History of Jews Singing Nonsense

By Cantor Matt Austerklein



What could be more Jewish than singing on nonsense syllables? Think of Tevye's "biddy-biddy-bums" or the "ay-yay-yays" we sing in shul. These come from old hasidic traditions of nigunim (wordless melodies), which took Jews on complex emotional and spiritual journeys. In our day, emerging Jewish artists like Joey Weisenberg and Rabbi Deborah Sacks Mintz are taking nigunim back to the people, leaning into the wisdom of this Jewish tradition of wordless, devotional singing.

Yet Jews singing without words goes beyond "biddy-biddy-bum." Jews of various traditions — minimally Turkish, Moroccan, and Ashkenazi — have long used nonsense syllables to imitate musical instruments in their sacred repertoires. In our era, Jewish a cappella groups like Pizmon (recent musical guests at TBS) continue in this tradition with their upbeat creation of percussion and instrumental textures using only the human voice. In this article, let me share some of my recent research of the earliest evidence we have of Jews singing nonsense. This phenomenon predates the Hasidim by many decades and lies in a unique era of musical innovation — the Ashkenazic Baroque.

Over the 17th and 18th centuries, music became more and more important in the synagogue. Whether for mystical, emotional, or artistic reasons, a practice of extended liturgical singing spread throughout Ashkenazic Jewry, including long melismas on "ah" vowels and melodies on repeated syllables like "ra ra ra" and "da da da." As the generations passed, Western Ashkenazic cantors acquired enough Baroque street smarts and ability with music notation to write down their compositions. And some of them were simply wild.

The polyvocal practice observable in these cantorial manuscripts featured the cantor accompanied by new musical assistants known as meshorerim. These meshorerim (Heb. "singers") eventually developed specific designations based on their musical range and function, including bass (low voice), zinger or discant (high voice, often a youth), and tenor. While these names may sound like choral voice parts, this may be deceiving; two of them (bass and discant) also double as names for instrumentalists. Charles Burney, an English traveler visiting the Ashkenazic synagogue in Amsterdam in 1775, captured (with some disdain) the musical effect of this ensemble:

"...three of the sweet singers of Israel, which, it seems, are famous here and much attended by Christians as well as Jews, began singing a kind of jolly modern melody, sometimes in unison, and sometimes in parts, to a kind of tol de rol, instead of words, which seemed to me very farcical. One of the voices was a falset, more like the upper part of a bad vox humana stop in an organ than a natural voice... this singer might equally boast of having the art, not of singing like a human creature, but of making his voice like a very bad imitation of one. Of much the same kind is the merit of such singers, who, in execution, degrade the voice into a flute or fiddle, forgetting that they should not receive law from instruments but give instruments law. The second of these voices was a very vulgar tenor, and the third a baritono. This last imitated, in his accompaniment of the falset, a bad bassoon—sometimes continued one note as a drone bass; at others, divided it into triplets and semiquavers iterated on the same tone. But though the tone of the falset was very disagreeable, and he forced his voice very frequently in an outrageous manner, yet this man had certainly heard good

music and good singing...It is impossible for me to divine what ideas the Jews themselves annex to this vociferation; I shall, therefore, neither pronounce it to be good nor bad in itself; I shall only say that it is very unlike what we Christians are used to in Divine service."



The peculiar vocalism of the meshorerim is visible in the early nineteenth century manuscript pictured above, likely from either Amsterdam or London. The music is characteristic of this style, which predominantly featured the meshorerim alternating solo lines with the cantor. A musical game of hot potato between bass, discant, tenor, and cantor emerges through the manuscript, punctuated by a rare cadential chord. While looking odd as a four-headed piece of synagogue music, it (perhaps unsurprisingly) would go over well as a violin solo. Indeed, the notated meshorerim

repertoire and cantorial manuscripts of the 18th and 19th centuries may be one of the single-most unstudied treasure troves of Western musicology, reflecting European Baroque and Rococo street music from which Ashkenazic Jews learned and which most Christians would likely not have deigned to write down.

Sadly (or understandably), this style fell out of favor with the choral reforms of the nineteenth-century synagogue. By that century's end, prominent figures in Jewish music like British Rabbi Francis Cohen (1862-1934) would look back on this era of synagogue artistry with scorn:

"Where the darkness was deepest, like that which presages the dawn, the dignity of the song of the sanctuary was brought lowest. It was an age that summed up all the faults of the past, of pilpul in the melody of the sanctuary, of intricacy, astounding ingenuity, and ad captandum virtuosity: the manner, not the matter, being ever considered. Emotionalism and novel effects, often of a ludicrous character, interested and even fascinated congregations whose synagogue was their only club and whose manners at worship were almost those of schoolboys in the playground."

So, what is there to learn from the Ashkenazic Baroque? With respect to Rabbi Cohen, I think there's an awful lot. Whether as a hidden treasury of Western musicological knowledge, a gateway to understanding changes in Jewish theology & culture, or as raw material for inspiration, this era was a dynamic time when Jewish artistry in sacred music was distinctive and alive. In fact, when I teach hazzanut (I currently teach for two European schools), I often harken back to the Baroque era for help. Though their genesis is not yet fully understood, both the Western and Eastern branches of the Ashkenazic cantorial tradition developed their iconic and essential elements during this time. When teaching how to express a cantorial piece, I often have students listen to Yo-Yo Ma playing the Bach cello suites. Ma expertly gives more movement to shorter note values and melismas, and ritards ever so slightly on longer notes to give a sense of repose. Though I may be biased as a cellist myself, I find this sort of musical flow is consistent with the authentic expression of hazzanut. Perhaps there is much more in this Baroque era that holds the secrets of our Jewish musical traditions.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



In light of the terrible events that took place in Israel last month, it is now even more important that we find ways to reach out and help our Israeli brothers and sisters. The costs of this tragedy are immeasurable. I urge you to donate money to any cause that will help the State of Israel to pay for physical and human wounds and losses that have been sustained. If you have friends and/or relatives in Israel, please reach out to them to offer your moral support and to let them know that you are with them. At a recent rally that took place in downtown Sarasota, we were urged to also reach out to our friends and neighbors to articulate what Israel has been going through and the need for them to support Israel. As I am writing this article, I can only speculate as to how the media will deal with Israel's actions to finally crush Hamas so that her people will gain the safety and security that they truly deserve. Others need to remember that after Pearl Harbor, the United States and her allies took extraordinary military action against both Germany and Japan. The results in physical damage and loss of human life to the aggressors was certainly abhorrent but we took the necessary steps to protect our people from nations that were both immoral and barbaric in their dealings with civilian populations. Israelis deserve to live and raise their children in a safe and secure world.

November is always the month of family gatherings, especially at Thanksgiving time. In my Kol Nidre address, I made numerous references to the fact that Temple Beth Sholom is an extended family, and we need to support one another throughout the year. There is no doubt that many of us work hard to make guests feel welcome here. Sadly, this warmth sometimes falls through the cracks in that not everyone is the recipient of TBS hospitality. There are occasions when visitors feel ignored and/or marginalized. I encourage each of you to be a TBS ambassador in various ways. When you notice someone wearing a guest name tag and/or no form of identification at all, please introduce yourself and engage him/her in conversation. If it is on a Friday night or Shabbat morning, please invite our guests to your table at the Oneg or Kiddush. Try to make every effort to introduce our guest(s) to everyone else at your table and to engage them in conversation. This was how Ann and I were integrated into the TBS family almost 15 years ago.

We count upon every Beth Sholom congregant to serve as an extended Membership Committee participant. Many of you live in gated communities and are involved in various social and/or game groups. Please speak to your unaffiliated Jewish friends about all the activities that take place at Beth Sholom. Invite a friend or couple to join you at TBS events. Bring them with you and introduce them to us. When people enter our building and begin to meet other TBS members, it is the first step in welcoming them into the Beth Sholom family. We need your help to enlarge our special Chevra, and in turn, you are bringing in others who can add much to the diversity of the TBS community.

There are other initiatives that have been launched that will serve to make the lives of our extended family members richer and more meaningful. We have a new Tikkun Olam Committee whose mission is to literally "repair the world." This group engages in projects that are aimed at improving the lives of others who have endured various forms of adversity.

Your participation in this group will be personally rewarding in the knowledge that you have touched another human being and made life better for him/her. Sadly, we have many members who are enduring physical injuries and/or illnesses or are physically impaired. It is a very lonely existence for them. A Bikur Cholim Committee has been established to reach out to these individuals in various ways as a means of letting them know that they are not forgotten and that we care about them. You may be the only person who visits with or communicates with them. You can make a significant difference in bringing some joy to their lives. No one should ever be made to feel forgotten or ignored.

There are presently eleven inter-faith couples who belong to TBS, and many others reside in the Sarasota/Manatee community who are not sure how they will be received in area synagogues. You are encouraged to participate in the TBS Keruv initiative. We want all inter-faith couples to feel even more welcome and an integral part of the TBS family. Please join us for this special initiative through Keruv, which means “bring them together.” Your participation in this exceptional project will help to enrich the entire congregation. On January 7, 2024, the Keruv Initiative will be sponsoring its first event for inter-faith families.

There are a great many opportunities for TBS members to learn and to grow through the many educational programs provided by us. Another important side of a family experience is through social interaction. We recently created a Social Program Committee whose purpose is to provide activities that bring people together in a fun-oriented venue. Social events will add to the warm family atmosphere of Temple Beth Sholom. We need your active participation on this committee.

We need your commitment to at least one of these committees or initiatives in order to add to the unique environment that is Temple Beth Sholom. Send me an email at treidad@aol.com indicating which committee and/or initiative you want to work with, and I will make sure that you are contacted by the appropriate individual. Please try to become actively involved and become a part of it!

Kol tuv,

Al Treidel

TBS' Sisterhood's Sippin' n The Sukkah 2023 was a huge success, guests were captivated by guest speaker **Bart Levenson** who shared his summer experience in Jewish Poland (*Jewish Heritage trip with Rabbi Altshuler*) and Israel.



TBS COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT

The Eternal Power of the Jewish Idea

by: Ned Holstein, on behalf of TBS' Membership Committee

We are living through a moment that will reverberate for decades. Let us do it together.

We are haunted by the ten-year-old orphaned boy being dragged into the tunnels of hell and by the blood-soaked crib. We feel grief, rage, helplessness, and fear. Grief over the unimaginable savagery that our people have once again suffered. Rage at the perpetrators and their sympathizers in our colleges and around the world. Helplessness to right the unbearable wrong. And fear that these agents of the Adversary may come for us.

We have a choice: to suffer through these times in isolation, or to heal by coming together in solidarity as Jews.

Do not believe that the Jewish idea has lost its power to transform our lives because the mere existence of Yisrael is a miracle directly before our eyes. "In every generation, they rise against us....." And yet, here we are, alive, well, and showered with innumerable blessings. Rabbi Meir Soloveitchik has often quoted the Catholic writer Walker Percy, "Why does no one find it remarkable that in most world cities today there are Jews but not one single Hittite, even though the Hittites had a great flourishing civilization while the Jews nearby were a weak and obscure people? When one meets a Jew in New York, New Orleans, Paris, or Melbourne, it is remarkable that one considers the event remarkable. What are they doing here?"

No Hittites, no Amalekites, no Philistines. No Roman Empire. No Greek Empire. But Jews everywhere--a living miracle and a testament to the power of the Jewish canon.

Our canon overflows with wisdom for this moment. Scholars tell me that the single most frequent admonition in the Torah is, "Be not afraid!" "Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall not slumber nor sleep." (Psalm 121) And Jeremiah, who purchased real estate in Jerusalem even as the armies of Babylon approached, prophesied, "Then shall the maiden rejoice in the dance, both young men and old together: for I will turn their mourning into joy, and will comfort them, and make them rejoice from their sorrow."

So join the Ingathering this season as we come to terms with unfathomable events. Join us in prayer, in service to Israel, in study, in repairing the world, and even in recreation (secure in our upgraded security measures). Whether one comes alone, with a spouse or partner, with an interfaith family, with extended family, or with an unconventional relationship, you are welcome in the Temple Beth Sholom family.

We invite you to join us at services: morning Minyan, Sunday through Friday via Zoom, and Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:00 am in TBS' Chapel; Kabbalat Shabbat at 6:30 pm or Shabbat morning at 9:30 am; to Rabbi Altshuler's Jewish History Class at 10:30 am on Tuesdays; to Mah Jongg on Tuesdays at 12:30 pm; or our special First Friday of the month services on November 3 at 6:00 pm followed by a festive Shabbat dinner at 7:15 pm with Rabbi Altshuler and Cantor Ben Tisser (formerly of Beth El in Chicago).

Temple Beth Sholom Catering Presents **SHABBAT DINNER**

Friday, December 1, 2023, 7:15 p.m.

Shabbat Service, 6:00 p.m.

Planning on tables of 8

Catered by:



**Join us for this festive, musically infused service led by
Rabbi Altshuler & Cantor Audrey Abrams
(Formerly from Beth El Synagogue in Minneapolis)
TBS events are always open to the public.**

MENU:

Adult Meals: \$32.00 each
Children 5 - 12: \$15.00 each
Children under 5: FREE

Beef Brisket
Veggie Option: Mediterranean Platter
Vegetable Medley, Garlic Mashed Potatoes,
Tossed Salad, Challah Rolls,
Coffee/Wine & Dessert

RSVP by Noon November 22



TBS Shabbat Dinner, Friday, Dec. 1, 7:15 p.m.

Adults: \$32.00, Children 5 - 12: \$15.00, Children Under 5 FREE

(Deadline: Nov. 22 by noon)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

I would like to sit with _____
Seating requests will be considered (but not guaranteed)

Email: _____

Adult Meals: _____ # Children (12 & Under) Meals: _____

Beef Brisket: _____ # Mediterranean Platter: _____

Amount enclosed: _____ Bill Member Account: _____

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SISTERHOOD



Now that the High Holiday season is over, we can all breathe a sigh of relief and enjoy the upcoming cooler weather and the many events and programs that are scheduled for the next few months. Our Sippin' in the Sukkah program and lunch, in conjunction with SaBra Hadassah was a tremendous success. Bart Levenson did an amazing presentation of his recent trip to Israel and Europe, complete with pictures, and we were able to enjoy the company of fellow Sisterhood and Hadassah members. Many thanks to Elaine Marks, Mara Winn, and Sue Prohofsky

for coordinating this annual event.

Our next program will be a book review. This is scheduled for Wednesday, November 1. Elaine Marks will review *The Sassoons: The Great Global Merchants and The Making of an Empire* by Joseph Sassoon. This book is a spectacular generational saga of the making (and undoing) of a family dynasty. Sisterhood will be providing refreshments. Even if you have not read this fascinating book, we hope that you will join us to hear about the empire that reached across three continents and ultimately changed the destinies of nations.

If you have not joined Sisterhood, it is not too late. Your dues help support synagogue programming as well as our many social action projects. Our Annual Membership Brunch is scheduled for Sunday, December 3. We will welcome Rabbi Mimi Weisel, who will be our speaker. Come and enjoy some time with friends as well as an amazing brunch.



Please be on the lookout for an upcoming mailing about Torah Fund. As you may know, our Sisterhood has historically been a great supporter of this. Torah Fund provides funding and scholarship money to the five Conservative Jewish Rabbinical Seminaries located around the world. Our future Rabbis, Cantors, and Jewish educators are trained at these schools and help ensure our future. This year's theme is "Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh bah Zeh" which means "All Israel is responsible for one another." The

beautiful new Torah Fund pin is our gift to you with a minimum donation of \$180.00.

As always, I ask for your continued support of our social action projects. Sue Prohofsky and Lea Zatz recently delivered all of the collected toiletries to SPARCC (Safe Place and Rape Crisis Center). We always purchase other necessities that they request. They are always grateful for the donations that we make. Please continue to support our local food pantries with the sponsorship of a Bimah Basket. Last year, Sisterhood contributed almost \$5000.00 to All Faiths Food Bank and the Jewish Family and Children's Service. How wonderful it would be if we could contribute even more this year.

Sheryl Glickman
Sisterhood President

TORAH FUND



TBS SISTERHOOD TORAH FUND

We are proud to share with you this year's Light of Torah honoree, Molly Ballow.

Our affiliation with the Women's League for Conservative Judaism enables our TBS Sisterhood to contribute to scholarships and programs that benefit students at The Jewish Theological Seminary, Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies, Schechter Institutes, Seminario Rabinico Latinoamericano and the Zacharias Frankel College. We support Jewish students to become the rabbis, cantors, educators, synagogue administrators, social workers, scholars, researchers and lay leaders of tomorrow. When you contribute to Torah Fund, you align with those who value learning, knowledge and providing the future generation with relevant skills to fortify the Jewish people.

The 5784 Torah Fund theme is Kol Yisrael Arevim Zeh Ba'zeh - כל ישראל ערבים זה בזה - (All of Israel Are Responsible for One Another) on which our Jewish communal responsibility is founded. We take action as we cherish our past, present and the future of Jews.

If you have already contributed to Torah Fund this year, we heartily thank you. If not, we ask you to consider a donation, perhaps in honor, or in memory, of a remarkable person in your life. People who give at these levels are thanked with this year's beautiful heart-shaped pin:



Benefactor	\$180
Guardian (with pearl)	\$300
Associate Patron (with ruby)	\$600
Patron (with diamond)	\$1,200
JTS Library Book Shelf	\$3,600
Keter HaKavod (14k pin)	\$5,000

Please make your check **payable to TORAH FUND**, then mail or drop it off at Temple Beth Sholom, Attn: Sheila Maslow.

If you prefer to make your contribution online, please visit www.jtsa.edu/torah-fund. Be sure to identify **Temple Beth Sholom of Sarasota, Florida** as your home Sisterhood.

Best wishes to you and your dear ones!

Julie A. Friedman, Torah Fund Committee

A MUSICAL START TO 2024 AT TBS

TBS TO HOST A MUSICAL WEEKEND WITH THE CHORAL TORAH COLLECTIVE

In the wake of last year's successful Wizards of Ashkenaz concert/fundraiser, and with thanks to the special efforts of Cantor Austerklein, TBS will be hosting an amazing Jewish a cappella quartet called The Choral Torah Collective on the weekend of January 19 and 20. Please join us on Saturday evening, January 20, at 7:30 pm for what promises to be an amazing concert. In addition to the Choral Torah Collective, Cantor Austerklein will also solo with some incredible musical pieces.

In 2019, professional a cappella singer and arranger Cantor Josh Ehrlich began the epic project of composing one musical piece for each Shabbat of the Jewish year. Using his immense musicality and creativity, he selected a Hebrew verse from each week's parashah and composed an a cappella setting for each one in riveting, four-part harmony. This collection of 54 choral pieces, *The Choral Torah: Five Books in Four Parts*, was published by the Cantors Assembly and has been used by synagogues, day schools, camps, JCC's, university glee clubs, and churches across the USA, and will be highlighted at this year's USCJ National Conference. Throughout Shabbat, this very talented group will be performing some of Cantor Ehrlich's creations, along with other musical surprises and popular favorites.

"Josh is a magician of music..... He took a disparate group of choir lovers and created a tapestry of beauty and, in the process, gave us a chance to elevate our day with the joy of music and the connection of community. I watched in awe the master at work." – Rabbi Shoshana Mitrani Knapp

Cantor Ehrlich and his team of animated, deeply knowledgeable, and extraordinarily gifted singers and educators – The Choral Torah Collective – are sharing these songs, as well as the lessons contained within them on musical and biblical literacy, with communities throughout the world.

Included in the Choral Torah Collective are Cantor Josh Ehrlich (Shaarei Tikvah, Scarsdale, N.Y.), Leilah Rosen (Congregation Anshe Chesed, New York, N.Y.), Carla Friend (Tkiya Music Founder/Executive Director, New York, N.Y.), and Max Mellman (A Cappella Singer/Music Teacher, Montclair, N.J.). The Choral Torah uses fresh, four-part harmony to reanimate ancient texts. Its mission is to promote musical and biblical literacy, using mindful singing and deep listening to foster stronger connections within Jewish communities.

The Saturday night concert will feature eclectic Jewish and popular selections and a tailored set of Choral Torah music. Interspersed between the a cappella choral pieces will be instrumentally accompanied songs. Examples range from musical theater to showstoppers to close-harmony acoustic folk tunes to contemporary Israeli ballads. The concert will culminate with a sing-along featuring popular American and Israeli numbers. It promises to be a night that you will not want to miss. We hope that you will support this important fundraiser for Temple Beth Sholom.

This promises to be an amazing Shabbat experience for our congregants and a concert that will touch the entire Sarasota Jewish Community. It will be nothing less than an unforgettable weekend for all of us!

TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM PRESENTS

The Choral Torah Collective

Friday, January 19, and Saturday, January 20, 2024

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You will not want to miss this!

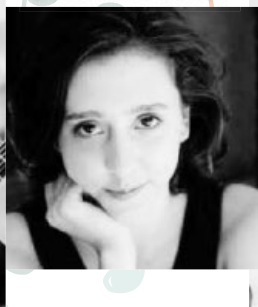
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Leilah Rosen



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LIBRARY NEWS

BOOK REVIEWS & FILM MATINEES

The Book Reviews and Film Matinees will all be in-person only on Wednesdays at 1:15 pm. The books for the Book Reviews are in the Alcove on the Book Review shelf. More information will be available in future Messengers.

BOOK REVIEWS

November 1, 2023 – Elaine Marks will review **The Sassoons: The Great Global Merchants and the Making of an Empire** by Joseph Sassoon, 2022. See flyer on page 15.

December 6, 2023 – Patti Bourke will review **Have You Seen Luis Velez?** by Catherine Ryan Hyde, 2019. See flyer on page 16.

January 10, 2024 – Eric Faerber will review **Elie Wiesel: Confronting the Silence** by Joseph Berger, 2023, biography – In the first biography published since the Nobel laureate's death in 2016, Berger draws on Elie Wiesel's own writings and research, and new interviews with family members and scholars to portray the man who lent his eloquent and powerful voice to preserving the memory of the Holocaust and standing up for human rights around the world.

February 7, 2024 – Judith Barzilay will review **The Confidante: the Untold Story of the Woman Who Helped Win WWII and Shape Modern America** by Christopher C. Gorham, 2023, biography – The first-ever biography of Anna M. Rosenberg, who was famous in the 40s and 50s as FDR's close wartime advisor, and later as Assistant Secretary of Defense during the Korean War. A stylish civilian woman in male-dominated fields of business, politics and the military, Rosenberg helped shape national policies that led to victory in war and prosperity in peace. How was her name eventually lost to history? And how do we know about her now?



FILM MATINEES



November 15, 2023 – **Breaking Bread** – 2020, 89 min., English and Hebrew (English subtitles) – See flyer on page 16.

January 17, 2024 – **Heading Home: The Tale of Team Israel** – 2018, 86 min. – The David-and-Goliath story of Israel's national baseball team as it competes for the first time in the World Baseball Classic in 2017. The team's roster includes many Jewish-American major leaguers, most with a tenuous relationship to Judaism and Israel. The connection to Israel that the players forge pushes them to unexpected heights as they represent Israel on the world stage.

February 21, 2024 – **Orchestra of Exiles** – 2012, 85 min. – Overcoming extraordinary obstacles, violinist Bronislaw Huberman moved Jewish musicians, who had been fired by the Nazis, to Palestine and formed a symphony that would become the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra. With courage and resourcefulness, Huberman and his allies saved nearly 1,000 Jews and guaranteed the survival of Europe's musical heritage.

NEW BOOKS IN THE ALCOVE

The Collector by Daniel Silva, 2023 – Legendary art restorer and spy Gabriel Allon joins forces with a brilliant and beautiful master-thief to track down the world's most valuable missing painting but soon finds himself in a desperate race to prevent an unthinkable conflict between Russia and the West.

Eighteen Days in October: The Yom Kippur War and how It Created the Modern Middle East, by Uri Kaufman, 2023 – The Yom Kippur War was a trauma for Israel, a dangerous superpower showdown, and,

NEW BOOKS IN THE ALCOVE

following the oil embargo, a pivotal reordering of the global economic order. The Jewish State came shockingly close to defeat. But, argues Uri Kaufman, from the perspective of a half century, the War can be seen as a pivotal victory for Israel. In the war's aftermath both sides had to accept unwelcome truths: Israel could no longer take military superiority for granted—but the Arabs could no longer hope to wipe Israel off the map. A straight line leads from the battlefields of 1973 to the Camp David Accords of 1978 and all the treaties since.

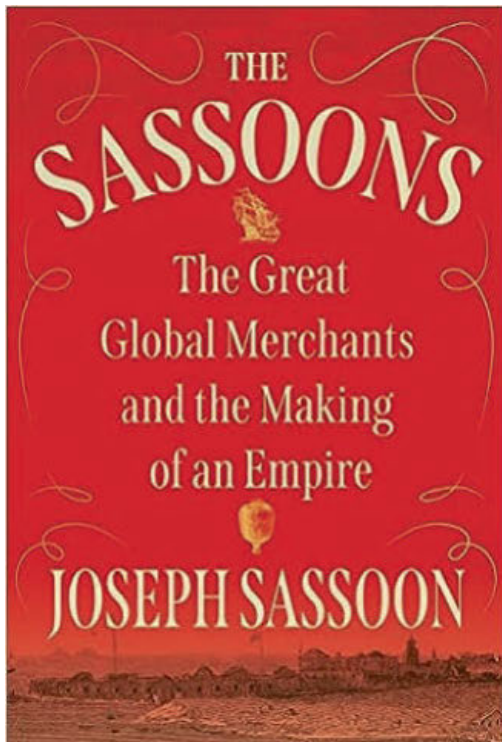
1,000 Years of Jewish Life in Poland: A Timeline, by the Taube Center for the Renewal of Jewish Life in Poland Foundation, 2020 - Polish Jewish history, sometimes fraught with trauma and at other times filled with extraordinary creativity and cultural achievement, is an ongoing story of intertwined narratives. This Timeline introduces key dates, personalities and trends that illustrate the richness and the complexities of 1,000 years of Polish Jewish life.



Debby Marshall
Idelson Library Coordinator

Please consider making a donation to TBS' Idelson Library fund to ensure we can continue to provide quality programs like this now and in the future.

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TBS SISTERHOOD & IDELSON LIBRARY BOOK REVIEW

The Sassoons: The Great Global Merchants and the Making of an Empire

By Joseph Sassoon, 2022

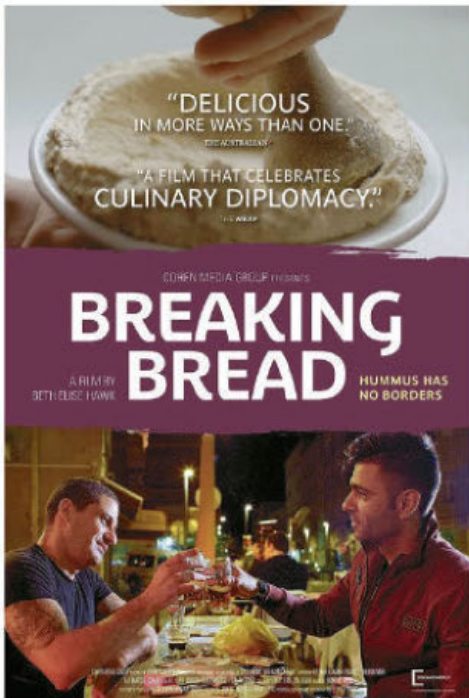
Reviewed by: Elaine Marks

Wednesday, November 1, 2023

1:15 p.m. in the TBS Chapel

A spectacular generational saga of the making (and undoing) of a family dynasty.

LIBRARY NEWS



THE IDELSON LIBRARY FILM MATINEE SERIES



Breaking Bread

Wednesday, November 15, 2023

1:15 PM in the TBS Sainer Social Hall

In-Person ONLY

Suggested donation:

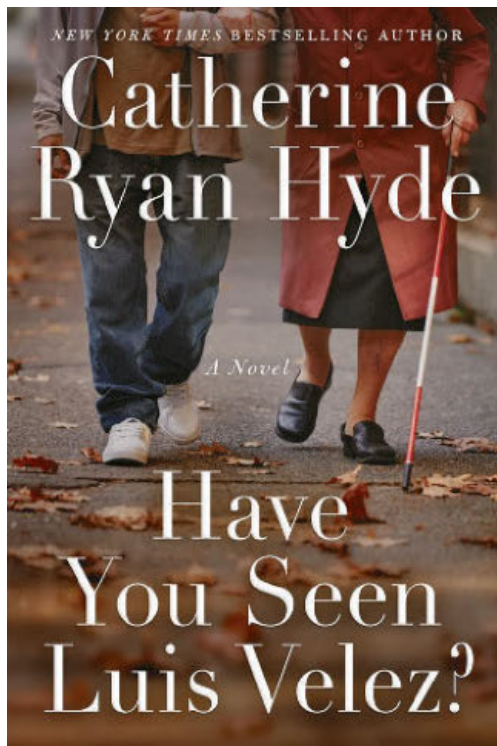
\$5 Members

\$8 Non-members

Refreshments, including popcorn, are provided courtesy of the Temple Beth Shalom Men's Club.



Don Friedman will lead a Q&A session after the film.



IDELSON LIBRARY BOOK REVIEW

Have you Seen Luis Velez?

By Catherine Ryan Hyde, 2019

Reviewed by: Pattie Bourke

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

1:15 p.m. in the TBS Chapel

Mildred Gutermann, a German Jew who narrowly escaped the Holocaust, has been alone since her caretaker disappeared. She turns to Raymond for help, and as he tries to track Luis down, a deep and unexpected friendship blossoms between the two.

SOCIAL ACTION

GREENBEAN CASSEEROLES

Thank you to Marsha Mason and Adele Tannenbaum who have been helping to deliver the casseroles to the Salvation Army. We had a few more last month. Thank you to all our contributors! Please bring your casserole to Temple Beth Sholom the first Tuesday of the month, put it in the big freezer and it will be delivered to the Salvation Army on Wednesday morning. Please contact me if you need the recipe.

SPONSORING A BIMAH BASKET IS A MITZVAH!

TBS Sisterhood raises money to benefit All Faiths Food Bank and the JFCS as well as Sisterhood's projects which aid TBS. You can become a sponsor of one or two baskets in honor of a special occasion or in memory of your loved ones on their yahrzeits. Contact Evie Mitchell (evmit@comcast.net) or 941-554-8529 Prices are (1) 56.20 or (2) 93.50 for credit OR (1) \$54 or (2) \$90 for Checks payable to TBS Sisterhood delivered to TBS Sisterhood, 1050 S. Tuttle Ave. Bldg. 2, Sarasota, FL 34237.

Susan Prohovsky, **Chair,**
TBS Sisterhood
Social Action Committee

765.426.5830 suepro2861@gmail.com



SPARCC

We are still collecting personal care items for SPARCC, Safe Place and Rape Crisis Center. If you are traveling you may have the opportunity to bring back some of the hotel supplies of shampoo, lotion etc. It is all greatly appreciated.

A NEW PROJECT: TURNING POINTS COAT DRIVE

Turning Points, in partnership with the National One Warm Coat Organization, is again collecting and providing free warm coats to any person in need in Manatee County and raising awareness about the need for warm coats, hats and mittens, even in Florida. Turning Points needs your help! Their goal is to collect 1,500 gently used or new men's, women's and children's coats, hats and mittens during this time period. They are always short of children's and men's coats.

Sisterhood's Turning Points 2023 One Warm Coat Drive will begin on November 6 and end on November 21st. Please drop your items off at TBS.

Love Opens the Door at TBS

By Becky Miller

Temple Beth Sholom invites all interested parties in Sarasota/Manatee to explore an initiative called Keruv. This program is open to all parents, grandparents, and children who seek to explore their questions and doubts about who they are and where they are going. Let us take that journey with you through Keruv, which means "bring them closer." To quote Rabbi Altshuler, "Love opens the door." Our doors are always open to you through a number of activities and workshops; you have our ears and hearts. We welcome you.

On January 7, 2024, we will be holding a Keruv event for intermarried families. Please join us at Temple Beth Sholom, 1050 South Tuttle Ave Bldg 2, Sarasota, where we welcome your entire family and invite you to participate in this incredible topic. We look forward to seeing you at 10:30 am for our kickoff meeting and brunch, which is generously sponsored by Temple Beth Sholom's Men's Club and Sisterhood. Please RSVP to Susan Debronsky at 941.955.8121 x1003 or susan@tbssrq.org.

MEN'S CLUB



We have finally nailed down our plans for our annual dinner and movie event on December 24, 2023. This year's movie will be "School Ties" starring Brendan Fraser and Matt Damon. Taking place during the mid-1950s, Fraser plays David Greene who is brought into a prestigious prep school to help their football team to beat the school's old rivals. David is a Jewish high school senior from a working-class family, so he isn't really "one of them." Facing overt antisemitism from the start, David struggles with how to maintain his identity while trying to fit in and, ultimately, learning how to counter the bigots who try to undermine his chances to succeed. The film runs 107 minutes and is rated PG-13 with some language and nudity. As always, the dinner portion of the evening will feature a delicious, home-cooked, Italian meal featuring vegetarian lasagna and desserts, coffee and tea, and fresh-popped popcorn. We are maintaining our cost at \$25.00 per person, and reservations are due no later than December 15, 2023. Make checks payable to "TBS Men's Club" and put the 12/24 movie program in the notation.

Our "Special Interest Groups" are expanding with a new activity in the planning stages: Kayaking. Be on the lookout for details. I'm going to be the first one in line. Special thank you to Men's Club Board Member Marty Spector for volunteering to organize this wonderful activity.

Watch for details for our annual general membership meeting to adopt a new slate of Men's Club Officers and Board Members.

Joel Servetz
Men's Club President



Tennis Anyone?

The TBS Men's Club continues its monthly tennis group on the last Thursday of the month. These sessions will be held at the Meadows Country Club from 5:30 - 7:00 pm.

Following tennis, we will be going to a nearby restaurant for a bite to eat. Court rental fee is \$10.00 per person.

If you are interested, please contact Norman Walter, normwalt@gmail.com or 941.907.2683.

Everyone is invited! Please include your name, email address, phone number, emergency contact and your current tennis ability (Beginner, Intermediate or Advanced).

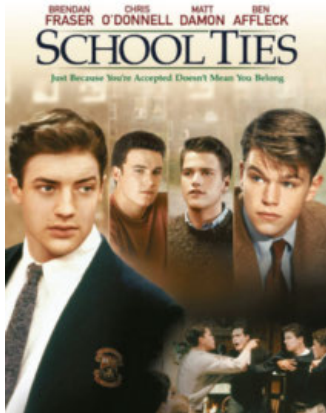
We look forward to seeing you on the court!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING CHRISTMAS EVE?

TBS MEN'S CLUB PRESENTS: SCHOOL TIES

JUST BECAUSE YOU'RE ACCEPTED DOESN'T MEAN YOU BELONG

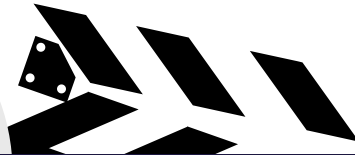
*Come join the TBS Men's Club for our annual Dinner & Movie Event!
Includes home-made Italian dinner, beverages, popcorn, and sweets!*



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**12.24.23
AT
6:30 P.M.**

When David Greene receives a football scholarship to a prestigious prep school in the 1950s, he feels pressure to hide the fact that he is Jewish from his classmates and teachers, fearing that they may be anti-Semitic. He quickly becomes the big man on campus thanks to his football skills, but when his Jewish background is discovered, his worst fears are realized and his friends turn on him with violent threats and public ridicule. (Rated PG-13)



TICKETS: \$25 PER ADULT

RESERVE TODAY, DEADLINE IS 12.15.23! CHECKS PAYABLE TO TBS MEN'S CLUB

**TBS Men's Club Annual Dinner & Movie Event
Sunday, Dec. 24, 6:30 p.m.**

Please make checks payable to TBS Men's Club

******* Reservations must be received no later than December 15, 2023 *******

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail _____

Number in party _____ X \$25.00 = Total \$ _____

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Irene & Mark Kauffman, in honor of their 69th anniversary
Ellen Klein & Zoe Fine, in honor of Elliott Corn's birthday
Carlyn Morris, in appreciation of the kind thoughts and memories of Ed
Sharon & Stephen Patrice, in honor of their 40th anniversary
Lorie & Paul Rabin, in honor of their 63rd anniversary
Roberta & Mark Simon, in honor of their 45th anniversary
Hilary Weiner, in memory of her parents, Dr. Daniel & Sheila Weiner
Yvonne & Rabbi Ed Weinsberg, in honor of their 51st anniversary



September Nosh Enhancement Supporters



Dana & Elliott Corn, in honor of Elliott's birthday
Joel Feder, in honor of his 2nd first date with Sally
Anita Klainbaum, in honor of TBS & her 19 years as a member
Roberta & Mark Simon, in honor of Mark's birthday
Roberta & Mark Simon, in honor of their 45th anniversary
Dan Stults, in honor of Sara's birthday
Yvonne & Rabbi Ed Weinsberg, in honor of their 51st anniversary

September Shabbat Participants

Ben Berman
Marc Bokoff
Deborah Bortnick
Don Friedman
Dr. Gene Ginsberg
Josh Mellits
Stan Mitchell



Cantor Neil Newman
Paula Rothman
Mark Simon
Cantor Murray Simon
Ann Treidel
Jordan Wallach
Susan Weintraub

High Holiday Service Participants

Ben Berman
Len Berman
Roz Bokoff
Deborah Bortnick
Dr. Randy Brodsky
Marty Fried
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Isaac Kalvaria
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September Bimah Flower Sponsors

Myrna & David Band, in honor of TBS on Rosh Hashanah
Rickie & Jana Paley, in honor of TBS on Yom Kippur



November Anniversaries

Amy & Steven Band	29	Valerie & Lee Shapiro	37
Eric & Esmé Faerber	48	Ellen & David Simon	26
Sally & Joel Feder	9	Lisa & David Smiga	6
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Debby & Richard Marshall	57	Charlene & Phillip Wolff	33
Sophie & Richard Rudnick	48		

Youth Birthdays



Zachary Alpert
Bryce Rosin
Yosef Tyrell
Eli Winters

November 24
November 26
November 27
November 28



November Milestone Birthdays

Joan Biller
 Ned Holstein
 Merrill Oltchick
 Ronnie Riceberg
 Martha Sherman

Temple Beth Sholom would like to wish a very happy birthday to our members who are celebrating a milestone birthday this month!
(birthdays ending in 0's or 5's)



Temple Beth Sholom & The Perlman Music Program Suncoast Present

the Punchline Quartet



Kate Arndt
violin



Ria Honda
violin



Sarah Sung
viola



Elena Ariza
cello



Thursday, February 15, at 7:00 p.m.

Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Light refreshments will be provided after the performance

\$18.00 in advance

(deadline is 2/7/24)

\$25.00 at the door

Sponsored by: **Hannah and William Cohen Trust**

The Punchline Quartet

Thursday, February 15, at 7:00 p.m. – Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

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I would like to donate _____ to help support Temple Beth Sholom.

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CONTINUING EDUCATION



Turning Points in Jewish History: The Modern Period

with Rabbi Stuart Altshuler

Tuesdays at 10:30 am - In-Person & Zoom

Join Rabbi Altshuler as he discusses Jewish history on Tuesday mornings, not in a linear fashion, year by year, but by the significant turning points in Jewish History: The Modern Period. From Enlightenment in Western Europe to the aftermath of the Holocaust; the establishment of the State of Israel on Yom Ha'atzmaut.

- **November 14** - Eliezer ben Yehuda; Alliance Israelite Universelle
- **November 28** - American Jewry: Sephardic Jews, German Jews, Eastern European Jews

Jewish Ethics: A Way to Life & A Blueprint for A Better World

with Rabbi Altshuler - **Wednesdays at 10:30 am - In-Person & Zoom**

Join us on Wednesday mornings as Rabbi Altshuler presents “Jewish Ethics: A Way to Life & A Blueprint for A Better World.” In this series, Rabbi Altshuler will cover a variety of topics, from “Anger: Righteous anger and anger we need to get rid of” to “Tzedakah.”

- **November 1** - Good manners and civility - derech eretz
- **November 15** - Obligation to be cheerful and to be considerate to others
- **November 29** - Jews and non-Jews

This is your chance to learn Hebrew!



Did you learn Hebrew as a child, but need a refresher now? Do you know the Hebrew letters but find it difficult to participate in the Hebrew reading of prayers during services? Do you need to rely on your memory to join in the chanting of familiar prayers and songs? Then this class is for you. We will do a quick review of the Hebrew alphabet and focus on the prayers we use for services and holidays.

Start Date: Postponed to Tuesday, January 9

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at TBS

For more information and to sign up, contact Sue Spector at (330-328-8634) or Suespec2651@gmail.com.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

TBS Men's Club Annual Meeting & Breakfast Program Series Presents

UP, UP & AWAY!

What's New at Our Regional Airport

with Rick Piccolo, CEO and President Sarasota-Manatee Airport Authority



Sunday, November 12, 2023

9:30 am in TBS' Sainer Social Hall

\$15.00 Per Person

Registrations are requested

Cash or Check only, please make checks payable to TBS Men's Club

Men's Club members, your attendance is requested for this important meeting

TBS' Men's Club kicks off their 2023-24 breakfast series with guest speaker, Rick Piccolo, CEO and President of Sarasota-Manatee Airport Authority. Come and enjoy a delicious breakfast as Rick presents "The Success and Challenges of This Ever-Expanding Travel Hub," with particular attention to the impacts and steps taken to prepare for hurricane season. This one-hour illustrated PowerPoint presentation will begin at 10:00 am, followed by a Q&A session. To register, contact Kelly Nester at kelly@tbssrq.org.

Mah Jongg

Join us TUESDAYS

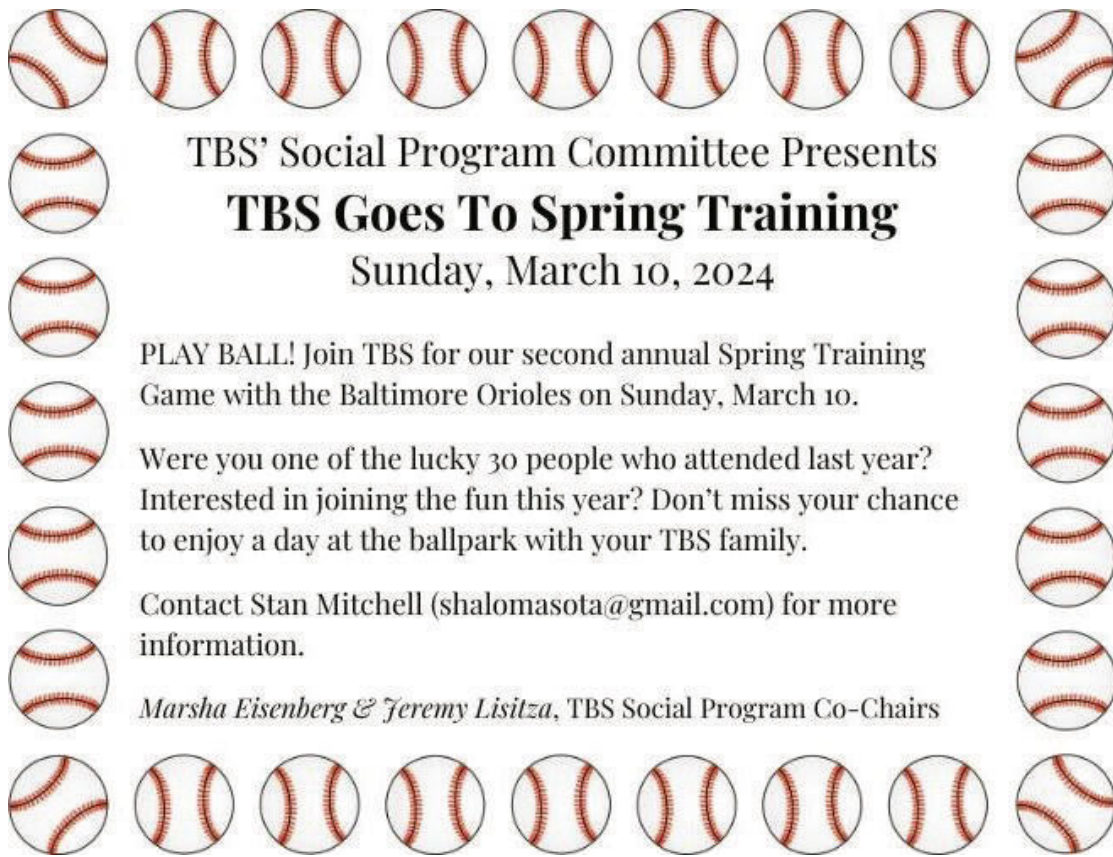
12:30-3:30 pm

Multipurpose Room

Members: \$3/player Non-Members: \$5/player (Cash only)

For more information, contact info@tbssrq.org

CONTINUING EDUCATION



TBS' Social Program Committee Presents

TBS Goes To Spring Training

Sunday, March 10, 2024

PLAY BALL! Join TBS for our second annual Spring Training Game with the Baltimore Orioles on Sunday, March 10.

Were you one of the lucky 30 people who attended last year? Interested in joining the fun this year? Don't miss your chance to enjoy a day at the ballpark with your TBS family.

Contact Stan Mitchell (shalomasota@gmail.com) for more information.

Marsha Eisenberg & Jeremy Lisitza, TBS Social Program Co-Chairs

Third Annual "TBS Goes to the Opera"

- Are you an opera-lover?
- Know nothing about opera but are developing an interest?
- Not really an opera lover but would like to join TBS members at an opera performance?



Ever since our first group opera attendance of Nabucco, which drew a record attendance by TBS congregants (the second largest group attendance at the Sarasota Opera House at that time), our congregants have enthusiastically attended this event.

Join us on Wednesday, February 28, 2024, at 7:30 pm at the Sarasota Opera House for our third annual "TBS Goes to the Opera." The featured opera will be Bizet's "*Carmen*," with some of the most memorable arias in the opera repertoire. Who doesn't know the famous Toreador's Song? It's so well known that it has even appeared in numerous TV commercials.

There will be a pre-performance reception with refreshments at a modest charge, and a brief lecture on this opera is being planned.

A range of seat prices will be available. Please call Travis Rogers at the Sarasota Opera House (941.328.1330) to purchase your tickets.

Please state that you are part of the Temple Beth Sholom group.

Hope to see you there!

Eric Faerber

TBS SISTERHOOD MEMBERSHIP BRUNCH

Hanukkah: Lighting our Way to Joy

with Rabbi Mimi Weisel

Sunday, December 3

11:00 am In-Person Only

Members: \$5.00 Non-Members: \$10.00

Please RSVP by Wednesday, November 30, to
Molly Ballow, 716.523.3069,
mollyquilt@gmail.com or sisterhoodtbsfl@gmail.com



TBS Sisterhood's Annual Membership Brunch

Sunday, December 3, 2023 at 11:00 am

Please make checks payable to TBS Sisterhood

Reservations must be received no later than Wednesday, November 30, 2023

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

Phone (home) _____ E-mail _____

Guest(s) Names _____

Number in party _____ X \$5.00 (Member) + _____ X \$10.00 (Non-Member) = Total \$ _____

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HUSBAND OF RICKIE PALEY AND BELOVED
FATHER OF JANA PALEY*

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Channa Chanover for her brother Seymour Fischer

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NOVEMBER CALENDAR

November 2023						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
			1 (17 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Rabbi Altschuler's Jewish Ethics Class 10:30am Idelson Library & TBS Sisterhood Book Review 1:15pm	2 (18 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Program-Education Committee Meeting 2:00pm	3 (19 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Conversational Hebrew with Cheryl Cohen 10:00am Shabbat Service EARLY START 6:00pm Candle Lighting 6:27pm	4 (20 Cheshvan) Vayera Shabbat Services 9:30am Havdalah 7:21pm
5 (21 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Religious School at Temple Sinai 10:00am	6 (22 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	7 (23 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Mah Jongg 12:30pm	8 (24 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am TBS Cemetery Mitzvah Day 10:00am	9 (25 Cheshvan) KRISTALLNACHT Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Board of Directors Meeting Zoom & Multi-Purpose Room 4:00pm	10 (26 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Conversational Hebrew with Cheryl Cohen 10:00am Candle Lighting 5:23pm Shabbat Service 6:30pm	11 (27 Cheshvan) Chayei Sara Shabbat Mevarchim Veterans Day Shabbat Services 9:30am Delicate Dilemmas 12:00pm Havdalah 6:17pm
12 (28 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Men's Club Breakfast Lecture: SRQ Update with Rick Piccolo 9:30am Religious School at Temple Sinai 10:00am	13 (29 Cheshvan) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	14 (1 Kislev) Rosh Chodesh Kislev Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Rabbi Altschuler's Jewish History Class 10:30am Mah Jongg 12:30pm Sisterhood Board Meeting 2:00pm	15 (2 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Rabbi Altschuler's Jewish Ethics Class 10:30am Idelson Library Film Matinee 1:15pm Men's Club Board Meeting via Zoom 4:00pm	16 (3 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Temple Talk 12:00pm	17 (4 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Conversational Hebrew with Cheryl Cohen 10:00am Candle Lighting 5:20pm Shabbat Service 6:30pm	18 (5 Kislev) Toldot Shabbat Services 9:30am Havdalah 6:14pm
19 (6 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	20 (7 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	21 (8 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Mah Jongg 12:30pm	22 (9 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	23 (10 Kislev) Thanksgiving Day Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am TBS Offices closed in observance of Thanksgiving	24 (11 Kislev) Thanksgiving Friday Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am TBS Offices closed in observance of Thanksgiving Candle Lighting 5:18pm Shabbat Service 6:30pm	25 (12 Kislev) Vayetzei Shabbat Services 9:30am Havdalah 6:12pm
26 (13 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	27 (14 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am	28 (15 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am Rabbi Altschuler's Jewish History Class 10:30am Mah Jongg 12:30pm Aviva Havurah with Rabbi Altschuler 3:30pm	29 (16 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom 8:00am Rabbi Altschuler's Jewish Ethics Class 10:30am	30 (17 Kislev) Morning Minyan via Zoom & Chapel 8:00am		

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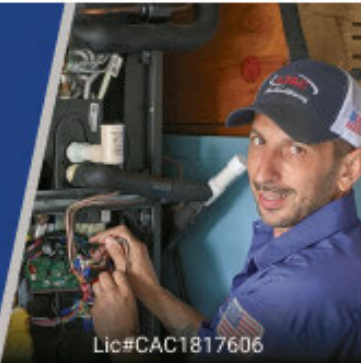
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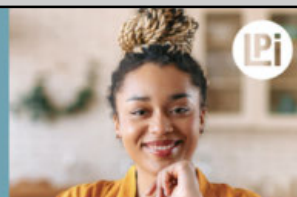
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