



Keneseth Beth Israel

Weekly Newsletter

KENESETH
BETH ISRAEL
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Friday October 12, 2018
3 Cheshvan 5779
Parshat Noach
The Eruv is Up

Welcome to all the Maccabeats and guests
who have joined us for this wonderful Shabbat!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADULT PROGRAMMING SURVEY

The Adult Programming Survey will remain open through this weekend. If you haven't already done so, please take a few minutes to share your suggestions for future programming by using this link to access the survey.

COAT CLOSET CLEANUP

The coat closet is being cleaned out; please collect your belongings. Anything left after Sunday, November 4th will be discarded. Thank you for your cooperation!

CONTACT INFO REQUEST

Does your information need to be updated? This includes birthday, address, phone number, and Email. Please contact Rivka Bart: KBI@kbirichmond.com or 288-7953.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 613 MARSHMALLOW ROAST

Troop 613 will be hosting a motzi Shabbos marshmallow roast for all Cub Scouts October 20 @ 9pm at the Gruber's home.

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR GIRL SCOUT TROOP 4613

Interested families with girls in grades k-5, please contact Heni Stein at henib18@comcast.net.

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR CUB SCOUT PACK 613

Interested families with boys in K-5, please contact Chaim Huff Coon at huff.coon@gmail.com

Semichat Chaver Program (SPC)

Starting after Succot at Keneseth Beth Israel

SCP is a new and innovative halachic study program carefully crafted for the needs of the 21st century. With a specialized focus on the ethical meaning of the halacha, the program is rich with content that can easily be imparted to your family. Upon completion of each topic and successfully passing a written exam, every member will receive Bal-Habatim Semicha (Certificate of Accomplishment) from **HaRav Zalman Nechemia Goldberg, Chief Rabbi Shlomo Amar and HaRav Hershel Schachter**

Sessions will be held once a week on Sunday nights

For more information or to register please email: SemichatchaverVA@gmail.com



COMING EVENTS

Maccabeats Shabbaton: October 12
Shine Celebration: October 21

Veterans Day Dinner: November 9
Kol Hakavod Dinner: November 18

REFUAH SHELEMAH

Avrummie Klestzick
Chany Kaufman
Alan Laskoe
Marcia Shor
Avi Slavin
Anne Woods



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

10/12 – Shemuel Maimon
10/13 – Shawn Gewirtz
10/13 – Galee Solomon
10/14 – Rachel Shor
10/17 – Adam Shor



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SHABBAT SCHEDULE

Friday:

Candle Lighting: 6:18 pm

Mincha: 6:15 pm - Maccabeats

Maccabeats Dinner After Services

Following Maccabeats Activities:

Classes & Kids/Teen Program

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Saturday:

Shacharit: 9:00 am - Maccabeats

Learner's Minyan: 10:00 am

Mincha, Maariv, and Havdalah -Maccabeats

Mincha starts at 6:10 pm

Shabbat Ends: 7:20 pm

THIS WEEK'S SPONSORS

Kiddush is Sponsored by:

Drew & Dr. Liz Alexander, Jewish Community Federation of Richmond, Doug & Orly Lewis, Mark & Susan Press, and Mitchell & Elaine Ragone in honor of the Maccabeats.

Mark & Susan Press in honor of everyone on the Maccabeats team working to make for a most memorable event right here in our own back yard for our members, their families and our friends.

Diane Goldberg in honor of Rich's Birthday

Young Israel of Richmond in Memory of Rabbi Aaron Winter who passed away October 4th after a long illness. Rabbi Winter was the Rav of the Young Israel of Richmond from 1982-1989. Previously, he was Principal of the Chafetz Chaim Yeshiva for Boys in Phoenix, Arizona. For the past 29 years he was Rabbi of Teferas Israel in Chesterfield, Missouri. Rabbi Winter built the first Mikvah in Chesterfield and started the first Chesterfield Kolel that has had a tremendous impact on Chesterfield Torah learning. The Rebbetzin, Chanie Winter, has taught in the Epstein Hebrew Academy for 29 years.

Seudah is Sponsored by:

Susan Grossman in memory of her grandfather, Isaac Milchin.

A donation to the Seudah Shlishit fund was made by Rabbi Yosef and Leah Skaist to thank Hashem for all of his Chesed regarding Shira's health and her return to seminary.



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EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Shabbat Morning Gemara Class:

Led by: Rabbi Asher When: Saturday 8:30 am Where: Social Hall

Beit Tzitzit Beit Midrash:

When: Saturday 10:45 am Where: Library

Men's Class: Please join us Sunday mornings for a Men's Open Beit Midrash in the Weger chapel after Shacharit. For any questions, please contact Rabbi Bart at rabbibart@rudlin.com. If you would like assistance in setting up a chavruta, please reach out to Rabbi Asher at dovidasher@gmail.com.

Hebrew Language Classes:

Led by: Rich Goldberg When: Tuesday/Wednesday evenings, depending on level Where: Classroom #3 at KBI (across the hall from the Library)

Breslav Class:

Fleishig refreshments will be served!
When: Tuesday nights, 7-8 pm Where: Buehlers Carriage House, 407 Harlan Circle Questions? Call Tom Buehler: 804-288-8816

On Tuesday, October 23rd, The Breslov Chassidic Group invites the Community to its first Communal lecture with renowned speaker Rabbi Chaim Kramer. The lecture will take place in the Carriage House at 7pm. Refreshments will be served afterwards. The Lecture is dedicated to the Memory of Rabbi Aaron Winter who passed away suddenly this October 4th by Thomas and Naomi Buehler.

DIANE AND RICHARD GOLDBERG TO RECEIVE THE KBI KOL HAKAVOD SERVICE AWARD



This year's Keneseth Beth Israel Service Award recipients, Diane and Rich Goldberg, can hang their hats on nearly 40 years of service to their community. Their activities are as varied as they are impactful. From Rich's weekly Hebrew lessons to printing Yizkor booklets for High Holiday attendees, the level of support they offer to the KBI family cannot be overstated. "They are the first ones in the door, the last ones to leave. I honestly have no idea how they do what they do. And I don't think anyone else would or could," one congregant told this reporter.

The Goldbergs started small. They were NCSY advisors in the early years, providing an outlet for Jewish teens. If you received Apples N' Honey this year for Rosh Hashanah, they initiated the program. If you didn't, let them know; they will gladly add you to the list. The Richmond Jewish Food Festival, easily the community's largest annual event, was, of course, their brainchild and yearly project. Looking forward, the couple would like to turn their attentions to the Jewish seniors in the community, specifically with a focus on remedying the lack of kosher infrastructure for Richmond's Jewish elderly. If their track record is any indicator, our parents and grandparents are in good hands. The Goldbergs will be joined by their four children – each of whom have contributed to the growth of Richmond Jewry – at this year's Kol HaKavod dinner, where they will receive the KBI Service Award. They have taught us that there is no limit to what an individual can accomplish in service with a little dedication. In the words of Humphrey Bogart, "Nothin' a man can't do if he sets his mind to it. Never say die. That's my motto!"

Please join us on Sunday, November 18 at 6:00 PM at Keneseth Beth Israel in recognizing this magnanimous couple. To make a reservation or place an ad in our dinner journal, kindly contact the office at (804) 288-7953 or KBI@kbirichmond.com.

WEEKDAY MINYAN

Shacharit:

Sun: 8:30 am

Mon: 6:25 am

Tues: 6:30 am

Wed: 6:30 am

Thurs: 6:25 am

Fri: 6:30 am

Mincha: 6:10 pm

Next Week Candle Lighting: 6:09 pm



AIPAC ISRAEL UPDATE

October 5, 2018

NIKKI HALEY TO RESIGN AS U.S. AMBASSADOR TO THE UNITED NATIONS

U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations Nikki Haley, a one-time critic of President Trump who became an advocate of his foreign-policy views on the world stage, said she is resigning her post at the end of the year, the Wall Street Journal reported. In an Oval Office appearance with Ms. Haley, Mr. Trump said she told him six months ago that she planned to leave the administration at the end of the year. "We will miss you," Mr. Trump told her. Ms. Haley, a former Republican governor of South Carolina who was selected for the U.N. role in November 2016, didn't specify her reasons for leaving. Considered a rising GOP star, she said she has no plans to run for office in 2020, when the next U.S. presidential election will be held. She would be 52 years old as a prospective candidate in 2024. The advance notice that Ms. Haley provided to Mr. Trump about her resignation coincided with his decision earlier this year to name Mike Pompeo as secretary of state, a post for which Ms. Haley had been considered a candidate. Asked her reason for leaving Tuesday, she said that it was time for her to move on. "I think that it's just very important for government officials to understand when it's time to step aside," she said. "And I do think that sometimes it's good to rotate in other people who can put that same energy and power into it."

Our synagogue partners with AIPAC, America's pro-Israel lobby, in educating our community on issues affecting the U.S.-Israel relationship. We encourage you to learn more by contacting AIPAC at (202) 639-5200 or by visiting www.aipac.org.

Wed - Oct 17 - 7PM

Topic: "Become a Vessel for Wisdom"

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Rav Dror Moshe Cassouto is touring the US giving free classes to the greater public. Everyone who is curious is warmly welcome.