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High Holidays 5784

When you were a child, did you have a grandmother or Bubbie that would say to you at the close of the 4th of July fireworks, “Well that’s it boychick the summer is almost over”. What a dreadful thought to hear. But it did serve a purpose, it prepared you for September. Well, Boychick the high holidays are almost here. You heard correctly the high holidays are much earlier then last year. Rosh Hashanah starts at sundown on September 15th and Yom Kippur will begin at sundown September 24th. Like last year, you will have options on how you would like to attend our services. You will be able to attend in person, or zoom. This is our third year where you will be able to do this, and with two years of blended high holiday services completed, we hope, this year our congregants will experience a more enjoyable, and meaningful service regardless which option you choose.

Keep reading the Shabbat Reminder and future correspondence for more information, and enjoy the rest of the summer now that the fireworks have ended.

Submitted by Michael Babst

Words from the Rabbi...

HOLY CONNECTION

Something happens when we travel over the Causeway and onto our little Island. I have felt this and have heard it from incalculable numbers of people with whom I speak. There is a combined and palpable sense of calm, joy, and anticipation which seems to coincide with a healthy drop in blood pressure. Dare I say it? Could it be that one reason for the nirvana is that the island awakens the spiritual soul that resides in each of us? Let's take a look.



The JCC sits two blocks away from the Atlantic Ocean, or as I like to refer to it, "The World's Second Largest Mikvah". Great bodies of water play a big role in much of what goes on in our Torah as, in seemingly equal measure, do the heavens and the earth. Indeed, from the creation story to the Exodus story, to the story of Jonah and the whale, there is an interplay between the three basic domains of creation. Is this an accident? Is anything in our Torah an accident?

A review of the creation story as it appears in Genesis reveals an interesting paradigm for the establishment of this world of ours:

On the first day of creation, even before the creation, we are told God hovered (as a wind) over primal water.

On the Second Day God separated the water by creating the sky (heavens) that separated the water from above, from the water from below.

On the third day God separated the water from the land. God called the dry land "Eretz", the waters "Mayim", and the sky "Shamayim". This is the first time that all three realms are referenced together, and it is also the first time that God "saw that it was good".

Words from the Rabbi...

The Torah is telling us that the separation and convergence of the heaven, earth, and ocean is inherently holy. The only place where this phenomenon occurs is at the beach. This is probably one reason for the exhilaration we feel even as we are schlepping hundreds of pounds of chairs, umbrellas, coolers, towels, and sunscreen over the dunes and onto the beach. The joy comes from our core; it is our souls happy to be back at the point where it all began.

As long as our souls are already titillated by being here, I recommend that we spend some of our time on LBI exploring our spiritual selves. How can we do this?

First, why not set aside time while you are on the island to contemplate the Torah's creation epic. Bring yourself to "a" beginning. If you were constructing a world, might you have set up the "natural" elements differently? Stand on the beach and look around. Does the tumult of the waves blend with the serenity caused by the breeze and the salt air?

Conjuring these images and thoughts is not always easy. This is one reason we have created programming that is designed to help you to appreciate and to summon your soulful side.

Thus, in addition to our regular Friday night and Saturday morning services, and daily services both in the morning and in the evening, The JCC has ample programming designed to join our spiritual and physical selves together.

Join us for our Friday night beach services. Each service begins at 6:00 pm and is filled with singing, English readings and participatory prayer. This year the remaining services are: July 14th, August 4th in Loveladies (on 56th street next to St Clares Church) and July 7th, July 28th, August 11th, and August 25th in Spray Beach (24th Street).

Words from the Rabbi...

On a few Saturdays to be announced, join us for Drop-in-Havdallah. (Check the JCC Calendar or the Website for dates as we choose them). We will have a very brief and joyous service that features singing, candles, spices, and a bit of wine. We will also roast marshmallows and make S'mores.

I am hoping to do some of our 9:00 Sunday morning services, in different locations, in person and on Zoom. I will send out notices to let you know where I will be and when.

Every Thursday morning at 11:00 AM we study Torah. Right now, we are studying on Zoom only, but as soon as I set up the library, we will become in-person and on Zoom. Look for further information!

On Mondays at 10:00 AM, from July 17th through August 28th, I will be leading a class in preparation for the Teshuvah (repentance) sought before, during, and after Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. We will be using the book:

"On Repentance and Repair: Making Amends In An Unapologetic World". By Rabbi Danya Ruttenberg. (Order the book or purchase it from Kindle). This class will be in person at the JCC and on Zoom.

Cantor Sara Geller will be joining us for Friday night services, via Zoom on July 21st and August 18th. Those evenings will also feature Shabbat dinners and important speakers.

Don't forget to look in the rest of this Bulletin, on the Website, on the weekly shabbat Reminder, and on the sign outside the JCC for all our programs. We have religious services, education, music, speakers, comedians, magicians.

As you get back to the beach look around you. Heaven, Earth and Sea were separated. That separation was a holy moment; it was a time when

Words from the Rabbi...

God was present and involved. The beach, the sand, and the expanse of sky represent the connecting point of the three realms. Where the ocean meets the sand is holy. Listen to the waves as they caress the sand in a continuing holy kiss. Look at the sky in the horizon, as it embraces the ocean in the distance. When we are here, we are a part of this drama of holiness. What a blessing.

Remember what the Psalmist said: "Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; let the sea roar, and the fullness thereof". Psalm 96:11

Rabbi Michael S. Jay

The Office is Open

Monday – Tuesday – Wednesday – Friday
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Please use the phone
or email with requests.

Email: jccoflbi@gmail.com

In an event of an emergency,
please contact:

Rabbi Jay
(973) 865-9534

Rose Valentine
(609) 709-6106

Office Closings

The JCC will be closed on the following dates:

Tisha B'Av

July 27

Thursday

New Members!!

*We are happy to announce
the following new
members and
welcome them into
our JCC family*

Karmela Moneta
32 Woodmansee Blvd.
Barnegat, NJ 08005-
2431

Alan & Ellen Jay
183 Meadow Lane
Paramus, NJ 07652

Kathryn Steppacher
PO Box 893
2108 Bayview Avenue
Barnegat Light, NJ 08006

Carl & Elaine Steinberg
5 Bond Avenue
Brant Beach, NJ 08008
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Bensalem, PA 19020



Phil Rosenzweig,
President of the JCC of LBI

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President's Message . . .

Welcome to the Summer of 2023!

Throughout the 2020-2021 pandemic (thankfully in our collective “rear view mirror”), the JCC did yeoman’s work in carrying on the business of a center of prayer and faith—we held Shabbat services, held daily Minyan, had wonderfully robust and well attended High Holiday services and worship, Rabbi Jay held fascinating study sessions and every holiday was observed and celebrated with remarkable gusto. In an abundance of caution, many vestiges of the social distancing previously required by law carried into the year that followed, 2022. Yes, things were improved and continued improving, but “back to normal” was still elusive.

What was lacking during and immediately after the pandemic, by law and by virtue of careful and well measured health and safety practices, was the sense of community which the JCC and its members had come to desire and expect. Zoom chats were nice, Zoom Shabbat dinners were successfully attended, services happened with regularity, Minyans were made, but none of that replaced the in person warm greetings, hugs and feelings of welcome and belonging for which our synagogue community had been so well known.

So, for 2023, I and the Board have an enormous focus on community building and the reactivation of in person social opportunities. I am so proud of the JCC for what 2023 has brought and will continue to bring. Pickleball inside the JCC? Who would’ve thought it? And now it is here, wildly popular and engaging dozens of congregants on a regular basis.

President's Message. . .

Shabbat dinners? We have them—the last one had about 60 people gathered, with a good meal and good time had by all, while joining together to welcome the Sabbath in joyful prayer. In person Shabbat services? Of course (zoom always optional). 80 people in Shul for Shavuot? Yup, you heard that right. Wow. How wonderful. WAX events weekly...well attended, warm, inclusive, welcoming. The new WAX NIA work out program. How special. A welcome back brunch attended by almost 100 people? Indeed. And everyone was so happy to be there, to be together, to be present in the moment. A great program of entertainment throughout the summer? Yes, so please come and join us for any or all of these events (see the weekly Shabbat reminders!). Services on the beach? Back in full force. Alas, the first two were cancelled due to Canadian smoke, and old fashioned American rain, but many more to follow.

I feel the pulse of the JCC building returning to normal, maybe even better than normal. I see, hear and feel the life's blood of the "community" returning to its prior vigor. And I am so pleased to be able to work with Rabbi Jay, Rebbetzin Sheri Horowitz Jay and a fine Board of Trustees dedicated to a common set of goals—not merely the regular function of the JCC of LBI, but the return to our vital community brimming with life, laughter and song (and an occasional pickleball minor injury...).

L'Chaim! Phil

Annual Membership Meeting

The Annual Congregation Members' Meeting of the JCC of the LBI will be held at 10 AM on Sunday, August 13, in the JCC of LBI Social Hall. Coffee, tea, and a nosh will be available at 9:30 AM. On the agenda will be the elections of five (5) Board Members. A new constitution will be proposed and voted on. We will also have short reports by several of our committee chair-people and information on our High Holiday services. This is also an opportunity to express your views on the state of and the running of your congregation





Times

Please Note: Times listed are for LBI

Friday Evenings

July 2023

7th – 8:09 PM
14th – 8:06 PM
21st – 8:01 PM
28th – 7:55 PM

August 2023

4th – 7:48 PM
11th – 7:40 PM
18th – 7:30 PM
25th – 7:20 PM

SERVICES

Friday Night Services when not at beach for dates (see page 10)

7:30 PM - In-Person and Zoom

Saturday Morning Services

9:00 AM - In-Person and Zoom

Saturday Evening - Havdallah

Time Varies - Zoom

Maariv Services

Zoom - Sunday - Thursday - 7:30 PM

Schacharit Services

Zoom - Monday - Friday - 8:15 AM

Sunday - 9:00 AM

[See Website for Links](#)



Classes & Study Times (Zoom)

Monday, 10:00 AM

Having a road map for what to do when we harm someone, or when someone harms us, is an important part of the High Holy Day season.

Join Rabbi Jay in preparation for the Teshuvah (repentance) sought before, during, and after Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur. Mondays at 10:00 AM from July 17th through August 28th. We will be using the book: "On Repentance and Repair: Making Amends In An Unapologetic World". By Rabbi Danya Ruttenberg. (Order the book or purchase it from Kindle).

[**Click HERE TO JOIN DISCUSSION**](#)

Weekly Torah Study

Torah Portion of the Week

Thursday, @ 11:00 AM

Click [**TORAH STUDY**](#)

Intermediate Hebrew Class

taught by Ira Morgenthal on

Thursdays at 2:00 PM.

908-705-2576

JCC of LBI Summer 2023 Calendar

DATE & TIME	EVENT	DESCRIPTION
<u>Services</u>		
Saturday Morning 9 AM	Shabbat Services	Zoom & In Person. All Are Welcome!
Saturdays 9 PM	Havdallah Service	Zoom with Rabbi Jay
Sunday to Thursday 7:30 PM	Daily Ma'ariv Service	Zoom
Mon. to Thurs. 8:15 AM & Sunday 9 AM	Shacharit Service	Zoom
<u>Classes and Weekly Activities</u>		
Thursdays 11 AM	Torah Study	Zoom Torah Study with Rabbi Jay
Thursdays 2 PM	Intermediate Hebrew Class	Zoom Led by Ira Morgenthal
Tuesday or Wednesday, July 11, 18, 26, August 1, 8, 15, 23 - 10-11 AM	NIA Dance Fitness "Love How You Feel"	JCC Members only Free
Wed. 12:30 PM to 4 PM (Except 7/12 & 8/9)	Open Mah Jongg & Canasta	New & Experienced Players, all are Welcome
Thur. & Sun 10 to 12 PM (Except 7/27, 8/6)	Pickleball	JCC Members only - Free
<u>Special Summer Activities / Services</u>		
Friday, July 7 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	24th Street Beach, Spray Beach
Sunday, July 9 th - 11 AM	Book Review with Susan Shapiro	JCC and on Zoom
Monday, July 11 th - 7:30 PM	Brigadier General Res. Amir Avivi	JCC
Wednesday, July 12 th - 8 AM to 3 PM	Bazaar	Jewelry, Art, Clothing, Accessories, Food and more
Friday, July 14 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	56 th Street Beach, Loveladies
Wednesday July 19 th - 4 PM	WAX Book Discussion	Dani Shapiro's - Signal Fires
Friday, July 21 st - 6 PM	Shabbat Dinner, Services with Cantor Sara Geller and speaker	Dr. Eric Mandel will discuss topics including Israel at a Crossroad:
Sunday, July 23 rd - 7 PM	Simon Mandal - Comedy Magician	Make your own sundae - Adult \$30.00, Children 12-18 yrs. \$15.00
Sunday, July 25 th - 11 AM - 1 PM	WAX Brunch – Wally's	\$20.00 and a donation for food bank
Thurs. & Friday, July 26 th and 27 th	Tisha B'Av	Services - Thurs. eve 8:00 PM, Friday 8:15 AM
Friday, July 28 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	24 th Street Beach, Spray Beach
Friday, August 4 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	56 th Street Beach, Loveladies
Sunday, August 6 th - 12 - 2 PM	Rabbi Richard Address	I Am Not My Parents' Parent! The 'New' Jewish Grandparent".
Wednesday, August 9 th - 8 AM to 3 PM	Bazaar	Jewelry, Art, Clothing, Accessories, Food and more
Friday, August 11 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	24 th Street Beach, Spray Beach
Sunday, August 13 th - 10 AM	Annual Congregation Meeting	Election of Officers and Board Members
Wednesday, August 16 th - 4 PM	WAX Book Discussion	Lori Banov Kaufmann's – Rebel Daughter
Friday, August 18 th - 6 PM	Shabbat Dinner, Services with Cantor Sara Geller and speaker	Dimas Guaico, member of StandWithUs, speak on combating Anti-Semitism on College and High Schools Campuses.
Sunday, August 20 th - 7 PM	Wendy and Rik – Vocal Duo	Israeli Dinner \$40.00 Per person
Monday, August 21 st - 7:00 PM	Rosh Chodesh Women's Group	JCC
Tuesday, August 22 nd - 2:30 PM	Active Shooter Training	Open to congregants, family and friends
Friday, August 25 th - 6 PM	Shabbat on the Beach	24 th Street Beach, Spray Beach
Sunday, August 27 th - 11 PM	WAX Membership Brunch	Phyllis Cohen will be addressing "Preparing for the unknown: Harnessing the mind-body connection"

Summer Friday Night Services

Shabbat on the Beach 2023

Fridays – 6:00 PM

July 7th - 24th Street, Spray Beach

July 14th - 56th Street, Loveladies

July 28th - 24th Street, Spray Beach

August 4th - 56th Street, Loveladies

August 11th 24th Street, Spray Beach

August 25th - 24th Street, Spray Beach

Weather Permitting

At JCC and on Zoom

July 21st and August 18th – Shabbat Dinner at 6:00 PM
with Canter Geller on Zoom and special
speakers (see page 21)



Volunteers Needed! Can you?

Piano player is needed to play religious
music during Friday night services.
If interested, please leave a message at the
Temple office for Terri Robinovitz.

Do you have experience writing grants, your
assistance is needed in preparing grant
forms. If interested, please call the Temple
office. (609) 492-4090



Rosh Hashanah HONEY Fundraiser

**ORDER ONLINE by August 1st
to avoid a \$7.00 per jar
shipping fee.**



This distinctive 8-ounce jar of kosher honey arrives in time for Rosh Hashanah, decorated with a festive label, and includes a personalized card reading "Shana Tova—Wishing you a Healthy and Happy New Year." This card also lets the recipients know that a donation has been made in their honor to **Women's Auxiliary of the JCC of LBI**.

Your cost is **\$14.00 per jar** which includes shipping and handling within the United States. We will gladly mail orders outside the US for an additional fee.*

To order honey [click on this link](#) and follow the step-by-step instructions

Order online by August 1st for guaranteed delivery in time for Rosh Hashanah

**Women's Auxiliary of the
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**For more
information,
or assistance
please contact**

Diane Buskirk
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- Free shipping within the USA for orders placed online by August 1st
- Orders placed after August 1st, late shipping fee – add \$7.00
- Add \$7.00 for APO/FPO military addresses
- Honey From The Heart only ships within the U.S.

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JCC OF LBI

Summer Bazaars

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12TH AND
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9TH

Tye-dye clothing

Pottery

Handbags

Handmade and custom jewelry

Glass resin bowls and cutting boards

Sunglasses

Makeup and hair products

Woman's clothing

T-shirts and sweatshirts

Many new vendors

Please invite friends and family and support the JCC Bazaar!!

Volunteers needed, contact



General

Diane Hoffman
dihoff1@aol.com or
(732) 742-2881

JCC Cafe

Irene Babst
jccoflbiauxiliary@gmail.com
or (856) 904-5145

it's time



TO TAKE OFF FOR THE

Annual

50/50 RAFFLE

SALES BEGIN JULY 12, 2023

DRAWING SEPTEMBER 25, 2023

Tickets \$10

11 Tickets for the price of 10

1st Prize -60% of Half the Total

2nd Prize - 30% of Half the Total

3rd Prize - 10% Half the Total

**LOOK FOR YOUR RAFFLE
BOOK IN THE MAIL**





ANNOUNCING 2023 Concert Performance Series **MUSIC, MAGIC & MELODY**



Simon Mandal is a Comedy Magician who brings laughter and amazement to sophisticated and discerning audiences. He is innovative and astonishing with his magical antics that dazzles concert goers of all ages. This will be a memorable evening of fun for the whole family.

Dessert Table with "Make Your Own Sundae"

\$30.00 per adult

\$15.00 children 12-18 yrs.

[Click here to purchase tickets for
Simon Mandal](#)

Sunday, July 23, 2023 - 7:00 PM

Wendy & Rik are talented, entertaining and funny in a musical performance that showcases their beautiful voices, harmonies, choreography, lively banter and audience interaction. This married couple is reminiscent of the great duos like Louis Prima and Keely Smith or Steve Lawrence and Edie Gorme. Their vast repertoire includes hits from the Great American Song Book, Broadway as well as Jewish music in English, Hebrew and Yiddish.

Israeli Dinner -\$40 per person

[Click here to purchase
tickets for Wendy & Rik](#)



Sunday, August 20, 2023 7:30 PM

Our Summer Music Series is in Full Swing



You can help underwrite the cost of these events by sending a donation of any amount in addition to buying tickets to the event itself.
Call the JCC Office (609) 492-4090

Summer
2023



Thank You

for Your Support
of

MUSIC, MAGIC & MELODY

Gold

Karen & David Shatz

Bronze

Diane & Barnett Hoffman

Don Pripstein

Friends

Joyce & Paul Levine

Bonni Rubin-Sugarmann

& Jerry Faich

Rose & Rudy Valentine



ACTIVE SHOOTER PROGRAM

For the past 6 months the JCC of LBI “Active Shooter Committee” has been working with Sean Redmond and Bud Monaghan (Regional and Deputy Directors) for Jewish Federation of Southern New Jersey LLC.

With the rise of violence against Jewish Institutions, Jewish Federation of Southern New Jersey launched a community security initiative designed to ensure the safety of local Jewish communities.

On Tuesday August 22 at 9:30 to 11:30 AM, Sean and Bud will lead us through various customized active shooter drills and a powerpoint presentation. All congregants, friends and employees of the JCC are urged to attend this very important program.

Let us work together to help keep our community and loved ones safe.



Please text Noralyn Carroll to
RSVP or with any questions.
(973-809-8184)



Congregational - News of Note

Mazel Tov To:

Sheri and Rabbi Jay on the marriage of their daughter, Samantha to Reid Title

Susan Shapiro Barash on the marriage of her daughter, Elizabeth Ripps to Justin Haworth

Jackie & Paul Avondoglio on the Bat Mitzvah of their granddaughter, Hannah Avondoglio

Phyllis & Sam Sisenwine on the birth of their first great grandchild, Sadie Alma, to Rabbi Tyler and Emily Sellman Dratch

Rima & Roger Rosenstein on the birth of their grandson, Joseph Saul Kovnotson of Hilary Rosenstein & Jordan Kovnot of Philadelphia

Mark Rosen & Eileen Levin on the birth of their granddaughter, Robyn Jackson

Lynn & Stan Berman on the birth of their great granddaughter, Zvhava Berman #33

Stacie & Ken Podos on the marriage of their daughter, Kimberly Zodda to Brian Naftaly

Stacie & Ken Podos on the birth of grandson, Matan Holden Podos (Matan Chaim ben Yahuda Benyomin)

Sheila & Harris Weisel's grandson, Eric Reilly, was honored with the New York State Assembly District 21 Young Leaders Award.

Get Well:

Phil Rosensweig

Deb & John Schweighardt
James Mchugh



Condolences:

Paul Brenman on the passing of his mother, Jeanne Brenman

Kern family on the passing of Joy Kern

Elyse Pepose on the passing of her mother, Marilyn Pepose

Sybil Kleinfeld on the passing of her husband, Mel Kleinfeld

Ruth Miller on the passing of her mother Terry Polaner

Congratulations to our Graduates:

Tim Weisel with a Masters Degree from SUNY Binghamton

Griffin Ian Valentine with a Masters Degree in Culinary Education from Johnson & Wales

Ryan Henry Valentine with a Bachelors Degree in Communications from SUNY Albany

Jake Garb with a Bachelor's Degree from Sacred Heart University

Dr. David Millner from Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

Rachel Denker with a Master's Degree in Instructional Technology from Stockton University

Aaron Lombardi with a degree in Engineering from Rutgers University

THE JCC OF LBI PRESENTS

MARIBELLE'S SHADOW

Please join us when Rose Valentine will be interviewing the author and JCC member, Susan Shapiro Barash

SUSANNAH MAREN



**SUNDAY, JULY 9
11:00 AM TO 12:00 PM
JCC OF LBI
2411 LONG BEACH BLVD.
LONG BEACH TOWNSHIP, NJ**



The only thing that spreads faster than gossip in Palm Beach is news of a mysterious death.

As the editorial director of Palm Beach Confidential, Maribelle Walker knows what lurks beneath the glittering facade of the moneyed elite on Florida's most glamorous coast. Or does she?

When her adored and impressive husband, Samuel, dies suddenly, the secrets and lies between Maribelle and her sisters rise to the surface. Compounding the anguish, the authenticity of their socially ambitious mother and lavish lifestyle of mansions, privilege and couture clothes is thrown into doubt.

As their carefully constructed image unravels, each sister realizes she must fend for herself. The pathway out is steep and worth any risk. Until the winner takes all.

From a nationally renowned observer of women's relationships comes Maribelle's Shadow, a compelling tale of deception and family loyalty.

**This event is open to all members, friends and family.
Light refreshments will be served.**

[Click to register](#)

[Click here for Zoom link](#)

Brigadier General Res. Amir Avivi

Be the Hero of your own Story: The Secret for Israel's Success

Monday, July 10th @ 7:30PM
Jewish Community Center
of Long Beach Island
2411 Long Beach Blvd
Beach Haven, NJ
08008

For details contact
David Shatz 914 629 6711
dshatz@aol.com

**The Women's Auxiliary
is pleased to offer a new summer class for
our members:
NIA (non impact aerobics).**

**This weekly program is designed and taught
by Lisa Abramson, a certified NIA instructor
and a member of the JCC.**

**This is a whole body experience integrating
ancient wisdom, modern science with
elements of dance and martial arts. It will
be fun!**

**This program is designed for all fitness
levels Traditional NIA is practiced
barefoot, but bring non-skid socks or
lightweight tennis shoes if you prefer and
wear comfortable clothing. You might
want to bring a bottle of water.**

**So Come Dance with us on July 11, 18, 26
and August 1, 8, 15, and 23 at 10:00 am.**

Admission is free!!

JCC Summer '23

**SHABBAT CHINESE DINNER,
SPEAKER AND SERVICES**

Friday, July 21, 2023 - 6:00 PM

**Chinese Dinner with
Vegetarian Options**

**Dr. Eric Mandel will discuss topics
including Israel at a Crossroad: The Judicial
Debate, Iran and Proxies, New Middle East
Realignment, The Conflict, and the US-
Israel Relationship,**

Services will follow with

Cantor Sarah Geller

Services - 7:30 PM

Adults \$20

Children 6-13 \$10

Children 5 and under - Free

[**CLICK HERE TO RSVP**](#)

TO PAY – CLICK HERE
SCROLL DOWN TO GIVING

Wednesday Evening, July 26 at 8:00 PM

Tisha B'Av services.

**Light Candles, sit on the floor and listen to
the Book of Lamentations.**

In-person and on Zoom



**If anyone wants to chant from the Book of Lamentations
call or email the Rabbi**

Thursday morning services 8:15 AM

Tisha B'Av

In Person and on Zoom

WAX Paid-Up Membership Brunch

**Sunday,
August 27, 2023
11:00 AM
at the JCC**

A sprig of lavender flowers with a pink flower in the foreground, set against a warm, orange-toned background. The text 'WAX Paid-Up Membership Brunch' is written in a large, bold, black font, curved along the top of the image. Below the text, the date and time are listed in a smaller, bold, black font.

**Dr. Phyllis Cohen, WAX Member, Psychologist and
Professor at Columbia & NYU to lead discussion
"The mind/body connection: Preparing for the
Unknown".**

**Click here to RSVP to the WAX Paid-Up Membership
Brunch**

**Click here to volunteer to assist in food prep/baking for
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Rosh Chodesh Women's Group

WAX of JCC of LBI
Elul 5783



Join in the beautiful custom of Jewish woman ushering in the Hebrew month with prayer and study. No prior knowledge of Hebrew or Torah needed, just the desire to learn and share with fellow congregants.

Led by

Sheri Horowitz-Jay

Please invite your friends.

Monday, August 21, 2023

7:00PM
at the JCC

2411 Long Beach Blvd. Spray Beach NJ 08008

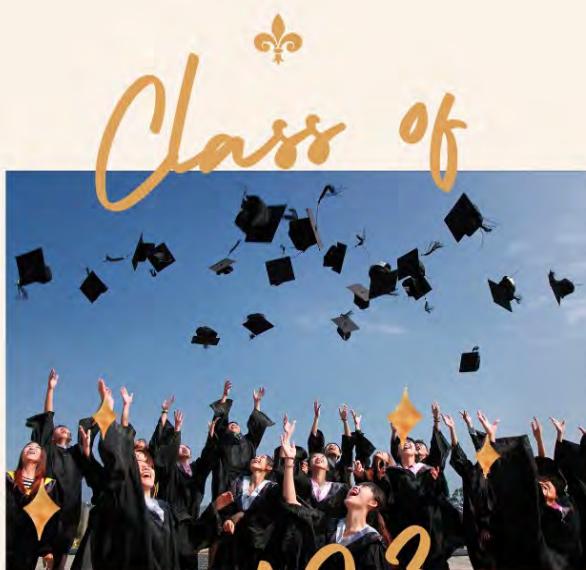
Please [Click Here to RSVP](#) by August 16, 2023

Text or call Irene Babst if you need assistance to register
(856) 904-5145

For additional information about this event, please email

sherihorowitzjay@gmail.com

or call the synagogue office at (609) 492-4090



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Scholarship

*Matthew Fronzak -
Barnegat High
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*Riley Stoops -
Southern Regional
High School*

*Brianna Cataffo -
Pinelands Regional
High School*

Wishing them much
success in their future
endeavors

WAX July Brunch

Tuesday, July 25

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

\$20.00

Wally's

**712 Long Beach Blvd.,
Surf City, NJ 08008
wallyslbi.com**

Call or text Diane for a reservation
(856) 952-5940 by Sunday, July 23

Please bring a food donation or personal care toiletries for
St. Francis's Food Bank.



Baking Mavens

We are looking for people who love to bake, we will be meeting every 2 weeks at the JCC to bake some homemade goodies for our Kiddushes. Do you have a recipe from your beloved Bubbie, Grandma, or friend that you would like to bake and share? Please let us know if you are interested in this activity. Please call or text Irene (856) 904-5145 or email JCCofLBIAuxiliary@gmail.com



WAX

Women's Auxiliary of the JCC of LBI



The WAX board decided months ago to keep this summer event free from WAX events to allow us plenty of family time. Like all well meaning plans, this one went awry!

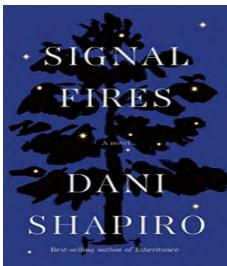
Our WAX events and JCC events our calendar has filled up with events for WAX members, JCC members and some for families and friends.

We look forward to the following WAX/JCC events:

- July 9 - Book Review with Susan Shapiro – In the JCC Social Hall as well as on Zoom. Beginning at 11 AM. Susan will be interviewed by Rose Valentine! There will be a light lunch, books to purchase which Susan will autograph and a question/answer period. Please [Click here to RSVP](#) or [Click here to attend on Zoom](#).
- July 18, 26, August 1, 15, 23 – 10:00 -11 AM – NIA Dance Fitness “Love How You Feel”! Lisa Abramson to lead this exciting new form of exercise class in a welcoming environment. These classes are available only to JCC members. You will need to sign a Release and Waiver of Liability. Classes are at no cost.
- July 12 and August 9 – Bazaar – the WAX kitchen will be serving breakfast and lunch. Please sign up to prepare prior to the Bazaar and/or assist during the Bazaar. We have a lot of fun as we get to know each other. Bring your family to the Bazaar – there will be many vendors with goods for all ages! To volunteer, call or text Irene Babst (856) 904-5145
- July 19 – 4 PM - Book Club: Dani Shapiro's Signal Fires
- July 25 – Brunch – Wally's 11:00 AM – 1 PM – Please bring \$20 & a donation for the food bank. Our brunches have always been well attended with terrific conversation and food. RSVP Dianebuskirk@yahoo.com or (856) 952-5940
- Aug 6 – Rabbi Richard Address – 12:00 -2:00 PM “I Am Not My Parents’ Parent! The ‘New’ Jewish Grandparent”. Rabbi Address is the Founder and Director of Jewish Sacred Aging and hosts the weekly podcast *Seekers of Meaning*. In addition to the growth in the number of interfaith families, today’s grandparents face issues of distance from their grandchildren, childcare, and technology”. Please RSVP dianebuskirk@yahoo.com or (856) 952 594.
- August 16 Book Club: Rebel Daughter by Lori Banov Kaufmann
- Aug 27 – WAX Membership Brunch – 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM. All paid WAX members are invited to attend. Phyllis Cohen, a WAX member and professor at NYU and Columbia will be our speaker. Phyllis will be addressing "Preparing for the unknown: Harnessing the mind-body connection" Please RSVP to Dianebuskirk@yahoo.com or (856) 952-5940.

Please join the WAX and the JCC this summer. These programs are exciting, some are multigenerational, some are for the WAX women, others for families, spouses and partners, some are new that we have not tried before. Engaging in the WAX and JCC is important in keeping our JCC an active part of the LBI community. If you have not joined yet, please do so! We currently have 105 members, please become an active member – we have great fun together. The membership fee continues to be \$36.00 for 2023. A membership form can be obtained by [clicking here](#) or can be included in your membership dues form. Hope you can join us!

JCC Womens Auxiliary: Book Group Discussion Wednesdays, at 4:00 PM



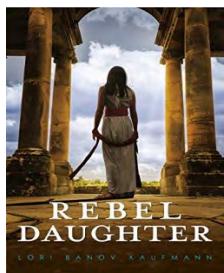
Wednesday, July 19th at 4:00 pm

Discussion Leader: TBA

Signal Fires
By Dani Shapiro

An ancient majestic oak stands beneath the stars on Division Street. And under the tree sits Ben Wilf, a retired doctor, and ten-year-old Waldo Shenkman, a brilliant, lonely boy who is pointing out his favorite constellations. Waldo doesn't realize it but he and Ben have met before. And they will again, and again. Across time and space, and shared destiny.

Division Street is full of secrets. An impulsive lie begets a secret—one which will forever haunt the Wilf family. And the Shenkmans, who move into the neighborhood many years later, bring secrets of their own.. Spanning fifty kaleidoscopic years, on a street—and in a galaxy—where stars collapse and stories collide, these two families become bound in ways they never could have imagined.



Wednesday, August 16th at 4:00 pm

Discussion Leader: TBA

Rebel Daughter
By Lori Banov Kaufmann

A young woman survives the unthinkable in this stunning and emotionally satisfying tale of family, love, and resilience, set against the destruction of Jerusalem in 70 CE.

Esther dreams of so much more than the marriage her parents have arranged to a prosperous silversmith. Always curious and eager to explore, she must accept the burden of being the dutiful daughter. Yet she is torn between her family responsibilities and her own desires.

Meanwhile, the growing turmoil threatens to tear apart not only her beloved city, Jerusalem, but also her own family. As the streets turn into a bloody battleground between rebels and Romans, Esther's journey becomes one of survival. She remains fiercely devoted to her family, and braves famine, siege, and slavery to protect those she loves.

This emotional and impassioned saga, based on real characters and meticulous research, seamlessly blends the fascinating story of the Jewish people with a timeless protagonist determined to take charge of her own life against all odds.

WE WILL **NOT** BE MEETING IN SEPTEMBER

ORDER YOUR BOOK FROM AMAZON AND START READING TODAY

[Click here](#) to order *Signal Fires*. [Click here](#) to order *Rebel Daughter*.

[Click here](#) to borrow the book from the Ocean County Library.

Book Group Discussion Leaders Needed! RSVP to Debby Schweighardt, Book Group Coordinator by text or phone message at 973-634-5349.

A Zoom link will be sent shortly before the event



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JCC Summer of '23

Save the Date

Dinner - Speaker and Services with Cantor Sarah Geller



8/18/2023



6:00 PM.

Menu - TBD

Adults \$20.00

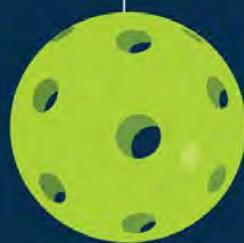
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Children 5 and Under - Free -

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Jewish Federation of Ocean County Partners with Secure Community Network to Launch New Online Form to Report Threats, Incidents, and Suspicious Activity

Incident Reporting Form Will Help Ensure Timely and Accurate Response to Protect Jewish Community

The Jewish Federation of Ocean County (JFOC) announced today that it has partnered with more than 30 other Jewish Federations and the Secure Community Network (SCN), the official safety and security organization for the Jewish community in North America, to launch a new, standardized online form for the public to report threats, incidents, and suspicious activity related to Jewish organizations, facilities, or community members. The form is available on the Federation's website at jewishoceancounty.org/IncidentReporting.

"Many in our community are concerned about rising antisemitism and hateful incidents. This new online reporting form is one of the ways we can protect the Jewish community," said Federation Managing Director, Keith Krivitzky. "Together with the Secure Community Network, we urge everyone to report anything suspicious or concerning so the appropriate action can be taken."

Information reported through the form is sent immediately to the Federation's security professionals and the 24-hour Duty Desk in SCN's [National Jewish Security Operations Command Center](#), where a team of intelligence analysts uses intelligence and information-sharing best practices to determine what people or facilities may be at risk, as well as what next steps to take. Credible threats are referred to local, state, and federal law enforcement agencies and Jewish facility leaders as needed.

"This is the first nationally standardized incident reporting effort that ties together local Federation security initiatives and SCN as a national partner, ensuring that wherever someone is, there can be timely, consistent, and accurate reporting of threats, incidents, and suspicious activity," said SCN National Director and CEO Michael Masters. "This is critical to keeping the Jewish community safe. In a world where threats travel at the speed of social media, this effort enhances our ability to identify trends and incidents across communities and work with security professionals and law enforcement to address them. Through a coordinated, best practice approach to information sharing, this initiative will help us more effectively and efficiently address threats and issues before they turn to action."

The new form can be used to report in-person assaults or threats; suspicious persons or activity; property damage or vandalism; threatening or suspicious phone calls, text messages, or social media; suspicious packages or letters; spam and phishing emails; antisemitic or threatening flyers; or other similar incidents of concern to the Jewish community. Reports may be made anonymously.

The effort will also allow SCN to better aggregate and collect information, providing more comprehensive and reliable data to partners in the Jewish community and in law enforcement. This is especially important given the

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In Memory:

<i>Elizabeth Piwosky</i> by Nona Levin Abrams	<i>Josephine Cramer</i> by Vera Hershenberg	<i>Beverly Rosenstein</i> by Dr. Roger G. Rosenstein	<i>In Honor of the marriage of Sammi Jay and Reid Title</i> by Irma & Peter Berman
<i>Harvey B. Levin</i> by Nona Levin Abrams	<i>Ann Hirsh Mednikoff</i> by Charles Hirsh	<i>Milton Britz</i> by Myrna Roth	<i>In Honor of the forthcoming wedding of Mrs. & Rabbi Jay's daughter, Sammi</i> by Roberta & Sid Klotz
<i>Jeanette Barrish</i> by Dr. Bernard Barrish	<i>Fannie Shapiro</i> by Charles Hirsh	<i>George Sesso</i> by Barbara Sesso	<i>In Honor of Sammi Jay's marriage to Reid Title</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Bertram Stern Lowe</i> by Susan L. Beekman	<i>Jacob Saferstein</i> by Roberta Kaplan	<i>Samuel Kanowith</i> by Aaron Shapiro	<i>In Honor of the marriage of Sammi Jay to Reid Title</i> by Art & Felice Nichols
<i>Mary Halpern</i> by Mona Berman	<i>Belle Saferstein</i> by Roberta Kaplan	<i>Theodore Shapiro</i> by Aaron Shapiro	<i>In Honor of Rose & Rudy Valentine's 60th Anniversary</i> by Jeri & Ben Riffle
<i>Sandra Yenk</i> by Jill Berson	<i>Sallie Wichman</i> by Annette Kaplan	<i>Avram Shatz</i> by David Shatz	<i>In Honor of Rose & Rudy's 60 Anniversary</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Lilian Herman</i> by Brenda Black	<i>Mady Rosenthal</i> by Michael Kaplan	<i>Harold Simandl</i> by Robert Simandl	<i>Happy Belated Birthday to Don Pripstein</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Sydel Sussman</i> by Joan Blattner	<i>Dr. Morton Kaplan</i> by Michael Kaplan	<i>Abraham Joseph Kates</i> by Deborah Smith	<i>Happy Birthday to Don Pripstein</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Max Braun</i> by Samuel Braun	<i>Jenny Kessler</i> by Henry Kessler	<i>Abraham Rosenfeld</i> by Lori Steigerwald	<i>In Honor of Don Pripstein's Birthday</i> by Joyce & Paul Levine
<i>Josh Braun</i> by Samuel Braun	<i>Audrey Konwiser</i> by Roy Konwiser	<i>Esther Rosenfeld</i> by Lori Steigerwald	<i>In Honor of their granddaughter's Bat Mitzvah</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Adrienne Cantor</i> by Francine Braun	<i>Harry Kotler</i> by Ellen Konwiser	<i>Walter Steigerwald</i> by Stuart Steigerwald	<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> from Jo Anne and Flip Glass
<i>Robert Gottlin</i> by Sandy & Howie Brecher	<i>Elly Albu</i> by Barb Lehman	<i>Corey B. Stein</i> by Rona Stein	<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Gloria Shapiro</i> by Karen Buchalter	<i>Art Landau</i> by Barb Lehman	<i>Edith Katz</i> by Mindy Katz Svetcov	<i>Happy Birthday to Don Pripstein</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Pearl Elefant</i> by Cheryl & Dr. Louis Celebre	<i>Lazar Lebovitz</i> by Dr. Philip Lewis	<i>Sidney Denbo</i> by Diane Tucker	<i>In Honor of Don Pripstein's Birthday</i> by Joyce & Paul Levine
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<i>Wilma Lang</i> by Elsa Dreyfus	<i>Ernest Lippmann</i> by Dr. Michael Lippmann		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> from Jo Anne and Flip Glass
<i>Bob Shrank</i> by Barbara Epstein	<i>Leah Jacobs</i> by Linda Marr		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Libby Gurian</i> by Harold Farin	<i>Edna Axilbund</i> by Karl Mayo		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Ruth Friedman</i> by Alison Friedman	<i>Lillian Medvin</i> by Mandy Medvin		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Blanche Lambert</i> by Howard Fruchterman	<i>Rose Gottlieb</i> by Mandy Medvin		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Martin Berger</i> by Sherry Fruchterman	<i>Shelly Keller</i> by David Meshulam		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Louise Weisbord</i> by Sherry & Howard Fruchterman	<i>Milka Meshulam</i> by David Meshulam		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Alfred David Frumkin</i> by Mitchell Frumkin	<i>Ike Schwaff</i> by Arleen Moffitt		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Bernard Diamond</i> by Arlene Frumkin	<i>Jennie Schlanger</i> by Arleen Moffitt		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
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<i>Helen Muscente</i> by Suzanne Geier	<i>Bernice Szanger</i> by Dale Morgenstern		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
<i>Louis Gilman</i> by Gregg Gilman	<i>Dr. & Mrs. Charles Papier</i> by Jeffrey Papier		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Gloria Cantor
<i>Fay Baker</i> by Iris Glassman	<i>Anita D. Klaiman</i> by Carolyn Racusin		<i>In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Irene Babst</i> by Jackie & Paul Avondoglio
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In Honor: Cont.

In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Ina Morgenthal, a student in Rabbi Jay's Wednesday evening Zoom class by Roberta & Sid Klotz
In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Ina Morgenthal by Gloria Cantor
In Honor of Ina Morgenthal's Bat Mitzvah by Don Pripstein
In Honor of Ina Morgenthal's Bat Mitzvah by Joyce & Paul Levine
In Honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Eliana Braun by Arlene & Fred Schragger
In Honor of Eliana Braun's Bat Mitzvah by Joyce & Paul Levine
In Honor of Deb Levy's Bat Mitzvah by Don Pripstein
In Honor of Deb Levy's Bat Mitzvah by Gloria Cantor
In Honor Deb Levy's Bat Mitzvah by Joyce & Paul Levine
Happy 80th birthday to Michael Miller by Karen & David Shatz
Congratulations to Dr. Max and Pamela Scheer on the birth of their new grandson, Akiva Levi by Sherry & Howard Fruchterman.
In Honor of Ira Morgenthal, teacher of the Adult Bat Mitzvah Class, by Joyce & Paul Levine.
In Honor of the Birthday and Bar Mitzvah Anniversary of Ira Morgenthal by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer.
In Honor of Irene Babst's Bat Mitzvah by Joyce & Paul Levine
In Honor of Sammi Jay's marriage to Reid Title by Seymour & Riva Geldzahler



Rabbi's Discretionary Fund:

In memory of Dr. Leo Handler by David & Sharon Handler
In Honor of Rabbi Michael Jay's Birthday by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer
In Honor of the Wedding of Sammi Jay and Reid Title by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer
Enjoys the Rabbi on Zoom by Riva & Seymour Geldzahler
Mazel Tov on the marriage of Rabbi & Sheri Jay's daughter, Sammi to Reid Title by Cookie & Herb Botwinick.
In Honor of the Marriage of Rabbi & Sheri Jay's daughter, Sammi to Reid Title by David Page and Roberta Brackman.
In Honor of the Marriage of Sammi Jay to Reid Title by Paul Brenman & Family.

Pavers:

In Memory of Russ Formidoni by Sherry & Howard Fruchterman

Zena & Jerry Jay Kiddush Fund:

In Honor of Ira Morgenthal, Teacher Extraordinaire for the B'nai Mitzvah with love from Eve & Stu Lehrer
In Honor of Rabbi Jay's Birthday by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer
In Honor of Sammi Jay and Reid Title's wedding by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer
In Honor of Sammi Jay and Reid Title's wedding by Anne & Marvin Elmowitz
In Honor of Sammi Jay and Reid Title's wedding by Rona Stein
In Honor of Sammi Jay & Reid Title's wedding by Sylvia Horowitz.

Zena & Jerry Jay Kiddush Fund: Cont.

Thankful for her own good health by Sylvia Horowitz
In Honor Rose & Rudy Valentine Anniversary by Joyce & Paul Levine
In Honor of the wedding of Samantha Jay & Reid Title by Joyce & Paul Levine
In Honor of the Birthday and Bar Mitzvah of Ira Morgenthal by Eve E. & Stu W. Lehrer
In Honor of Eliana Braun's Bat Mitzvah by Kim & Joshua Braun

Tree of Life:

In Honor of our granddaughter, Leia Mira Brenman, by Malenie & Michael Piscetelli
A Gold Leaf in Honor of Ira Morgenthal by his Bat Mitzvah Students, Irene Babst, Deb Levy and Ina Morgenthal.
A Gold Leaf in Honor of the 50 Year Anniversary of Linda & Lew Chakrin, by the Millers, Jessica & Steven and Don & Sue.

General Fund:

Enjoy Zoom by Riva & Seymour Geldzahler.
Jennifer Millner
Lois & Ira Fox
To help with the costs of Summer Programs by Joyce & Paul Levine.
Yizkor donation by Shirley & William Wisseman
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Incident Reporting Form Will Help Ensure Timely and Accurate Response to Protect Jewish Community – cont.

announcement that 1 in 3 law enforcement agencies in the United States – representing up to half of the Jewish community – did not report hate crimes data to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for 2021.

The system was developed after careful analysis of the threat environment and a recognized need to ensure consistent, best practice incident reporting across the community, in line with national standards. The form was developed with input from key information-sharing, law enforcement, and public safety partners, as well as those in the nonprofit, academic, and private sectors. The form is designed to be compliant with federal reporting guidelines and constitutional requirements.

In an emergency, always call 9-1-1 first. If online reporting is not practical, follow established protocols to report suspicious activity – to include contacting local law enforcement and/or the relevant suspicious activity reporting authority – and contact the SCN Duty Desk at dutydesk@securecommunitynetwork.org or by calling 844-SCN-DESK.

Board Meeting Summaries

April 25, 2023

Attendance: Present: by Zoom - H. Babbitt, I. Babst, M. Babst, C. Denker, L. Dinkfelt,, S. Fruchterman, M. Frumkin, D. Hoffman, Rabbi Jay, D. Hoffman, P. Levine, I. Morgenthal, D. Pripstein, T. Robinovitz, P. Rosenzweig, D. Shatz, R. Van Naarden. and guest Noralyn Carroll
In Person: D. Buskirk, J. Geier, R. Valentine

- Reports were received and reviewed from Office Mgr. and 4 others.
- Rabbi Jay reported that all is going well. He showed a needle point Torah Cover made by Eve and Stu Lehrer which we are now using. He and S. Lehrer are working on a new Beach Service for this year. He also confirmed that Marlene Herman will continue to work with kids at our Beach Services, and that Cantor Geller will join us for a few services before the High Holidays.
- L. Dinkfelt reported on the information she received for a new Yahrzeit Board. A motion was approved to purchase a 4 column Board with room at the top for a sponsor. We will also work to find a sponsor as we have done in the past.
- I. Babst and D. Buskirk reported on recent past and upcoming WAX projects, Also reported that kitchen appliances are being fixed.
- J. Geier reported that Pickleball is going great. He made a motion to extend its season without limit, and it passed 14 – 2.
- D. Shatz reported on speakers for the summer
- C. Denker reported that the additional equipment necessary for our technology update has been purchased and is being installed.
- D. Hoffman reported on Raffle, Pavers, and Bazaar. She asked that everyone help in getting additional vendors for Bazaars.
- Noralyn Carroll as chairman and R. Van Naarden led discussion on Active Shooter Training scheduled for May. Several other activities on Security are planned during the year.
- I. Morgenthal reported that after 2 years of study, the three members of his adult Hebrew Class will have a joint Bat Mitzvah.

May 16, 2023

Attendance: Present: by Zoom - I. Babst, M. Babst, D. Buskirk, C. Denker, L. Dinkfelt,, S. Fruchterman, J. Geier, D. Hoffman, P. Levine, I. Morgenthal, D. Pripstein, T. Robinovitz, P. Rosenzweig, D. Shatz, R. Valentine

- Reports were received and reviewed from Office Mgr. and 6 others.
- L. Dinkfelt reported on new Office hours, and that she has applied for permits for our 9 Beach services. Also that we have been having troubles with our alarm system.
- P. Levine reported that paid memberships running behind last year, and that we are planning to sell JCC shirts and caps.
- I Babst and D. Buskirk reported on recent past and upcoming WAX projects, Also reported that WAX is purchasing a new oven, and is donating \$1,800 to JCC.
- D. Shatz reported on programs for the summer
- D. Hoffman reported on Raffle, Pavers, and Bazaar. She asked that everyone help in getting additional vendors for Bazaars.
- M. Babst led discussion on Active Shooter Training. Several other activities on Security are planned during the year.
- M. Babst reported that the nominating committee has been formed and will have its first meeting in early June.
- J. Geier reported that the Constitution & By Laws committee is reviewing changes to these items, and will present them to the Board when they are ready.

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March 14, 2023

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JCC of LBI Shirt & Cap Sale



\$22



\$20



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Rabbi to read on Friday, July 7th

Tammuz

19 Irwin J. Pripstein*
 20 Joseph Goldstein
 20 Gertrude Gondelman
 20 Irving Hirschfeld
 20 Harry Jacobson*
 20 David Srager
 20 Jacob Weiner
 20 Henry Zlotkin*
 21 Tracy Gardner
 21 Ada Weiner Lepene*
 21 Esther London
 21 Joseph Notterman
 21 David Silverman
 22 Tillie Balbresky
 22 Theodore Freedland
 22 Simon Greenberg
 22 Dorothy Petchenik
 22 Milton Weinstein*
 23 Charlotte Falkowsky
 23 Dr. Mark Farin*
 23 John Gottlieb*
 23 Sidney Holtzman*
 23 Earl Levitt
 23 Alan J. Rubinfeld*
 23 Max Silverman
 23 Harry Weiner*
 24 Elizabeth Bat Joseph
 24 Esther Blint
 24 Pauline Cohn
 24 Roy H. Entin
 24 Samuel Hochberger
 24 Frances Indzel
 24 Frank D. Levi*
 25 Rose Albert*
 25 Rose Freeman
 25 Mary Levin
 25 Anne Frances Rubenstein*

Rabbi to read on Friday, July 14th

26 A. Paul Greene
 26 Alan Miller
 26 Sidney Zalkind*
 27 Gladys Babbitt
 27 Abraham Cherins
 27 Gertrude Foosaner
 27 Philip Gerstenblatt

Rabbi to read on Friday, July 14th cont.

27 Isadore Treatman
 27 Sidney Weinman
 27 Kenneth Wolfe
 28 Benjamin Garb
 28 Gerald Katz
 28 Molly Lang
 28 Marilyn Lerner*
 28 Harry Prebluda
 28 Janet Rothenberg
 28 Nathan Stokes
 28 Rose Telles
 29 Jack Bendavid
 29 Fannie Bzezensky*
 29 Helen Finestone
 29 Roy Finestone
 29 Tillie Fischer
 29 Edward Liebowitz

Av

1 Anna Bloom
 1 Samuel Goodman
 2 Helga Melin
 2 Jack Morgan
 3 Philip Heinish
 3 David Rifkin
 3 Adele Rosenberg
 3 Jodie R. Rothman

Rabbi to read on Friday, July 21st

4 Beatrice Busch*
 4 Anne Einhorn
 5 Eleanor Cohen
 5 Max Selsky*
 6 Sy Frand
 6 Ann D. Horowitz
 6 Shirley Rose
 7 John Dzuna
 7 Walter Sadowsky
 8 Rudi Cohen
 8 Irwin Moses*
 8 Joseph Schiller
 9 Leslie Barrish
 9 Elaine Gonsalves
 9 Tola Herszenberg
 9 Nelie Lichtenberg
 9 Jennie Oxfeld
 9 Jeannette Shapiro
 10 Sam Glasser

Rabbi to read on Friday, July 21st cont.

10 Arthur Goldman
 10 Abbey Koseff
 10 Benjamin Price
 10 Rebecca Rosner
 10 Nathan Stone*
 10 Howard Tittlebaum

Rabbi to read on Friday, July 28th

11 Evelyn Bookman*
 11 Leah Harab Budker*
 11 Max Dreyfus*
 11 Shirley Fischer
 11 Sol Daniel Gussin
 11 Judith Katz
 11 Doris Morton
 11 Clara Waxman*
 12 Frank Dondershine
 12 Herb Josephson*
 12 Mary D. Klein
 12 Emil Mendlow
 12 Esther Saden
 12 Carl Sher*
 13 Sidney Levine
 13 Sadie Taub*
 14 Gladys Abrams
 14 Leslie Blint
 14 Frank Fink*
 14 Alvin Hurwitz*
 14 Bernard Miller
 14 Gertrude Oertell
 14 Thelma Petter
 14 Jay Max Starr, MD
 14 Lawrence Troum
 15 Louis Alexander
 15 Deborah H. Barsh
 15 Leon Isanuk*
 16 Barbara Carey
 16 Dr. Jerome Cohen
 16 Sophie Cohen
 16 Benjamin Parker
 16 Burt Schwart
 16 Molly Young*
 17 Angela Dicicco
 17 Betty Jonas
 17 Rosalind Mularz
 17 Gertrude Serepca*

Rabbi to read on Friday, August 4th

18 Yetta Elman
 18 Martin Ferber*
 18 Cecile E. Kessler
 18 Arnold Rifkin
 19 Barton Bloom
 19 Louis Katz
 19 Robert Warren*
 20 Jack Blecher
 20 Myer Elgart*
 20 Joseph Friedland
 20 Sophie Neustadt*
 21 Leslie Kaufman
 22 Sue Aronson
 23 Sylvia Davis
 23 Adam Marc Kreiger*
 23 Sidney Pripstein*
 24 Louis Greenwald*
 24 Celine Kolb
 24 Grace Petter
 24 Tillie Schoenberger

Rabbi to read on Friday, August 11th

25 Samuel Bell*
 25 Lena Levison*
 25 Samuel Richman
 25 Morris Rosner
 26 Miriam Blaher
 26 Nathan Dondershine*
 26 Lydia Garay
 26 Shirley Halpern
 26 David Hochman
 26 Mildred Rosenthal
 26 Irwin Schneider
 26 Myron Shapiro
 27 Jay Dolinger
 27 David Dover
 27 Rivka Garkawe
 27 Elaine Hoffman Greene
 27 Victoria Kuperman*
 27 Pearl Pepose
 27 Leonard Reason*
 27 Judith Schiller
 27 Victor Zinn
 28 Leonella Patrician
 28 Benjamin Schocat
 29 Ida Grossman
 29 Anna Hirschfeld
 29 Zachary Korn

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Rabbi to read on Friday, August 11th - Cont.

- 29 Wallace Charles Ruoff*
- 29 Samuel Weissman
- 30 Blache Kugel
- 30 Anne Miller
- 30 Reneta Prebluda
- 30 Richard Tucker*
- 30 Ben Ungar
- 30 Martin Weiner

Elul

- 1 Donald Churgin
- 1 Frances Horenstein*
- 1 Gertrude Kleinman Rosenbloom*
- 1 Frances Shapiro*
- 1 Jack Tanenbaum

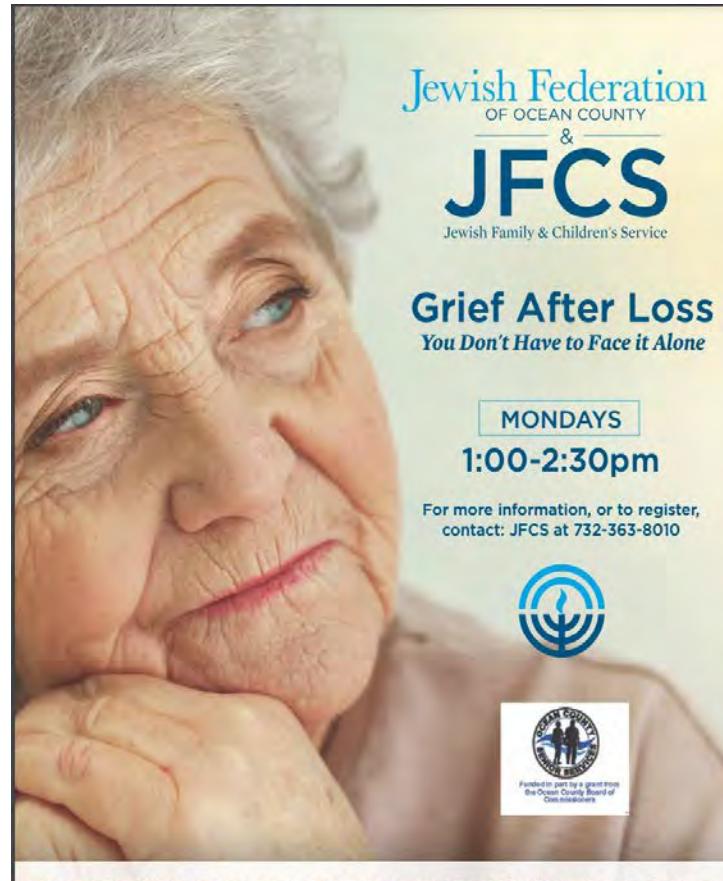
Rabbi to read on Friday, August 18th

- 2 Robert Goldman*
- 2 Molla Plon
- 2 Stanley Schlossman
- 2 Alfonso Soto
- 3 Miriam Levitt
- 3 Ike Saul Shapiro
- 4 Sarah Finkel
- 5 Peter Friedman*
- 5 Leslie Levine
- 6 David Cramer
- 6 Alan Glass
- 6 Leonard Piscetelli
- 7 Shirley Pollack
- 7 Gertrude Sanders
- 8 Louis Abromovitz
- 8 Harold Cohn
- 8 Abraham Frank
- 8 George Katz

Rabbi to read on Friday, August 25th

- 9 Rae Hochman
- 9 Ethel Kates*
- 9 Elsie Lox
- 9 Rose Luterman
- 9 James Patrician
- 9 Morris Steinberg
- 10 Emil Koupf
- 10 Frances Lilienfeld*
- 10 Billie Snyder
- 11 Mindy Greenbaum
- 11 Philip Nelson
- 12 Gertrude Ettman
- 12 Jerry Karp
- 12 Anne Millstein*
- 12 Stephen Zelin
- 13 Israel Gendel
- 13 Hannah Kigel
- 13 Alvin Smolker
- 14 Richard Deutsch
- 14 Seymour Fruchterman*
- 14 William Meisler
- 14 Max Ungar
- 15 Charles Alexander
- 15 Zachary Lieberman
- 15 Regina Kalmuk Millstein*
- 15 Milton Schiff
- 15 Felice Stein
- 15 Bessie Steinberg
- 15 Jack Streich

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Donation/Support Opportunities

Kol HaKavod

Please consider being a part of this campaign to supplement the clergy needs of our congregation.

This is a separate, voluntary commitment and is additional to your low annual dues obligation.

Chai Level:

\$1,800 over three years (\$600 a year)

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\$3,600 over three years (\$1,200 a year) **Triple**

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We will, of course, be grateful for a gift to the fund at any time. Please go to the web site to download the Kol HaKavod form:

[JCC Kol Hakavod Link](#)

or call the office for the form to be sent to you.

All donations will be anonymous.

Zena & Jerry Jay Kiddush Fund

The Zena and Jerry Jay Kiddush established in memory of Rabbi Jay's parents. Our Saturday morning kiddushes are not just a bite of gefilte fish and herring. Our worship community enjoys this special time when they can sit down to enjoy a Shabbat lunch and share a table with others. It is a wonderful community builder as well as an opportunity for sponsors to commemorate a special occasion, a yahrzeit or just to say thank you. Donations can be sent to the office. In addition, contact the office if you want to sponsor a kiddush.



YAHRZEIT PLAQUES

Individual plaques may be purchased in memory of a loved one. The price of a plaque is \$250.

Additional plaques ordered at the same time are \$225 each. A reserved plaque can be purchased for \$75.

This plaque will be installed now and reserves that spot for future use.

Call the Office 609-492-4090 or click here to [Order](#)

Legacy Planning

If you are planning to initiate or change your will or estate plan, please remember and include the Jewish Community Center of Long Beach Island (JCC of LBI) as part of your legacy. The monies can be used for a specific purpose as designated by you or added to an endowment fund already set up to assure the ability to continue providing a full-service congregation to serve the Jewish people of the area.

This legacy can be accomplished by a simple bequest in your will, by one of the allowable charitable trusts wherein you get an immediate tax advantage, or through life insurance.

PLEASE DO IT NOW!

Please check with your attorney or insurance agent. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Don Pripstein (512) 694-2055 and diprip@gmail.com .

Thank you.



Donation/Support Opportunities

Yahrzeit Plaques and Tree of Life Leaves

These may be donated in honor of events, family, or friends, or in memory of loved ones. Yahrzeit Plaques may be added to our Yahrzeit Board in the JCC of LBI Sanctuary. The prices, including engraving, are as follows:

Yahrzeit Plaques

1st plaque	\$250
Additional plaques purchased at the same time	\$225
Reserved	\$75

Tree of Life:

Bronze Leaf	\$90
Silver Leaf	\$125
Gold Leaf	\$180

Endowment Fund

Join Herb and Selma z"l Shapiro to help assure the continuity of our JCC, and our ability to continue providing a full-service congregation to serve the Jewish people of the area.

A donation of at least \$50,000 to the endowment fund will allow the donor to name one of the funds as the donor wishes. All such name funds will be joined together to be part of the endowment fund portfolio.

Judith z"l & Donald Pripstein have joined the Shapiros with a \$50,000 donation and have established The Pripstein Family Endowment Fund.

Donald Pripstein established a second fund to be called 'The Judith & Donald Pripstein Endowment Fund'. As a result of Don's letter to the community, Harold Farin stepped forward and established 'The Farin Family Endowment Fund'.

All members are encouraged to help this important effort by contributing to this fund whether as a specific named fund, or as a general donation. our gift to the fund can be sent to the JCC Office. Please mark your check accordingly.

High Holiday Prayer Books

There are still High Holiday Prayer Books and Chumashim available to be purchased in memory or honor of someone or something. The cost of a Prayer Book is \$72 each and \$120 for an Eitz Hayim Chumash.

The donation includes an affirmation sticker in the book and an acknowledgement letter or letters.

Ads for the 2023 Membership Directory

All will be black and white. Copy and payment maybe sent to the JCC of LBI office. Prices are as follows: \$60 for a full page, \$30 for a half page, \$15 for a 1/4 page or business card size

Membership Changes, Additions & Summer Address Change

Please contact the office if any portion of your Directory listing needs to be corrected or added to or to change to your summer address.

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Please see the current list on
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