

THIS MONTH:

SUKKOT SERVICE / PIZZA IN THE HUT WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4

BOWLINGTHURSDAY, OCTOBER 5

APPLE PICKING AT HARBES ORCHARD SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

NORTHEAST QUEENS FOR ACTION SUPPER CLUB DINNER SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

SIMCHAT TORAH POTLUCK DINNER
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

BREAKFAST AND A MOVIE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

SISTERHOOD WINE AND PAINT NIGHT THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

NEXT MONTH:

SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

RUMMAGE SALE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

2ND ANNUAL CHICKEN SOUP COOK-OFF SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11

TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

TBS PRE-BAZAAR PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

The Voice

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM OF FLUSHING



From the Rabbi's desk

After the gates of repentance close, and we hear the last blast of the shofar, we are commanded to immediately build a sukkah, the fragile hut in which the children of Israel lived during their forty years of wandering. Sukkot is my favorite holiday, probably because I get to relax and enjoy nature and experience gratitude for the beauty surrounding me. It enables me to be a little creative with my decorations, and I get to play hostess and invite my friends and family into my temporary home. *Sukkot* provides us with the opportunity for gratitude, hospitality and to experience nature—all beneficial for healing. Yet our little sukkot are tenuous. and that too reminds us of how vulnerable the world around us is.

Our *sukkot* also remind us of our responsibility and commitment to change our ways with regard to our environment. The period right before the High Holy Days was devastating, as hurricanes Harvey and Irma swept through Texas, Florida and the Caribbean. May this *Sukkot* holiday encourage you to reach out to those in need and work towards protecting our planet.

Why else do I love *Sukkot*? In each generation we may find different reasons to build our fragile huts. I love Rabbi Lewis John Eron's poem, based on the *Sukkot* song, "*Lama Sukkah Zu*" (Why This Sukkah?).

"Why have we built this *sukkah*?" the little child asks. "So that we can play in it forever," his smiling daddy replies.

"Why have we built this *sukkah*?" the adventurous boy asks.

"So that we can explore the earth together," his caring dad replies.

"Why have we built this *sukkah*?" the questioning youth asks.

"So that we can remember the hungry and homeless," his loving father replies.

"Why have we built this *sukkah*?" the young man asks.

"So that we may recall our youth and our love," his wistful old man replies.

"Why do we build this *sukkah?*" the new father asks.
"So our dreams may last forever," the proud grandfather replies.

May our stay in our *sukkah* give us a deeper appreciation for ourselves, community and the world around us.

Shalom Uv'rachah,

Rabbi Sharon Ballan



Worship Schedule

Wednesday, October 4: " Erev Sukkot **5:00 pm** Followed by Pizza In The Hut

Friday, October 6: """ Shabbat Family Service Simchat Shabbat/Sukkot **7:30 pm**

Chol HaMoed Sukkot

Candle Lighting: Karri Kaufman Kiddush: Max Kaufman

Host: Sisterhood

Wednesday, October 11: 'Erev Simchat Torah Service 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 12: "Simchat Torah/Shmini Atzaret Yizkor 10:00 am

Friday, October 13: " Tot Shabbat **6:00 pm** Shabbat Evening Service **8:00 pm**

Candle Lighting: Kari and Sabrina Shapiro Kiddush: Michael Shapiro

' Hosts: Kari and Michael Shapiro in honor of Bat Mitzvah of their daughter Alyssa

Saturday, October 14: Shabbat Morning Service **10:00 am**Bat Mitzvah of Alyssa Shapiro
Torah Portion: Bereisheet

Friday, October 20: Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm

"Candle Lighting: Ronna, Mollie, Kate Galchus

Kiddush: Frank & Adam Galchus

"Hosts: Ronna & Frank Galchus in honor of

Bat Mitzvah of their daughter Kate

Saturday, October 21: Shabbat Morning Service **10:00** am

Bat Mitzvah of Kate Galchus

Torah Portion: Noach

Friday, October 27: Shabbat Evening Service **8:00 pm**"Torah Portion: Lech L'chah

Candle Lighting: Robin Myers
Kiddush: Ron Myers
Host: Sisterhood



September Board of Trustees Meeting

The Board of Trustees met on September 11, 2017. As of this date, our current number of membership units is 120 family units. Financial Secretary Gail Olenick reported at this time 65% of all members have paid their dues in full. The August Financial Report was accepted by the Board, as presented by Treasurer Charlene Metz. Geri Weiss, Pulpit & Ritual Committee Chair submitted report that the Torah Yad made by past member Len Samelson has been given to his family, who have donated funds to replace it. They are considering having a Yad dedication, as well as a fund raiser to repair/replace missing and broken Torah crowns. Rabbi Sharon Ballan reported on recent services which were wonderful and well attended. She described some new school programming for the older students modeled on Chai Mitzvah program. Cantor Jerry Korobow commented on how nice it is to have such well attended services. Dr. Fav Halpern Schildkraut thanked Chef Adam Gandelman and his Sous-Chef Barry Packer and their crew for the BBQ at the Open House last Friday. She now has 33 families interested in membership, 12 of whom attended the service/open house. The Board approved new members: Laurie and Neil Kwait (and children), Norman and Liza Lerea (and children) and Leonard Seasonwein & Jackie Davis. She reported there are 3 more families in the process of joining. Cards have been sent to homebound and sick members. Past President David Chenkin reported for the Bylaws Committee, who presented 8 motions for consideration. One motion, which clarifies an error in the original Bylaws, was accepted unanimously. Another motion, which proposed changes to the numbers of Trustees and Officers on the Board was discussed but was withdrawn for further consideration of the subcommittee. Religious School Board Chair Barbara Gandelman reported there are 3 classes on Sunday and 2 classes on Wednesday. Sisterhood President Barbara Gandelman reported on upcoming Fall Sisterhood events. Men's Club President Jeff Cohen reported they have now sorted more books this year than last year at this time. PA Co-President Elana White reported on upcoming fall events. Barry Packer, Ways & Means Chair, reported on progress on the November 11th Chicken Soup Cook-Off, and the Board approved a motion to permit that committee to spend up to \$400 for a banner and advertising. Ilyne Rabinowitz presented flyers for an October 8th OFA-NY "Syria Supper Club" at TBS. This will be an event involving Syrian food and music, in order to support recently settled Syrian refugee families. Eric Bernstein, Adult Education, reported there will be a Breakfast and Movie ("Yentl") on Sunday, October 22nd.

Respectfully submitted, Gail Tishcoff Recording Secretary

TBS Fund Acknowledgments as of September 18, 2017

PULPIT FLOWER FUND	TBS Office 718-463-4143
The Levin Zimmermann family in loving memory of Rabbi Herschel Levin a	
MOLLIE MEYER TRIBUTE & MEMORIAL FUND	Diane Shtulman 718-224-3875
Betty Levin Zimmermann to wish Ilyne Rabinowitz good health.	
CULINARY FUND	Iris Bass 718-224-3009
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GENERAL FUND	TBS Office 718-463-4143
David V. Yohay in memory of his brother Jack Yohay.	
TORAH FUND	TBS Office 718-463-4143
RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND	Rabbi Sharon Ballan 718-463-4143
Rabbi Ballan thanks the two anonymous donors who contributed to her fu	nd this month.
MEN'S CLUB TEMPLE BEAUTIFICATION FUND	Eric Bernstein 917-902-4894
MUSIC FUND	Cantor Korobow 718-463-4143
Maxine Simon to support the Cantor and music.	



Mazel Tov to our October B'not Mitzvah!!

Thank you for contributing to TBS Funds!



Alyssa Megan Shapiro

October 14th, 2017 Torah Portion: Bereisheet

Alyssa is in the 7th grade at MS 67. She has been an active member of TBS since she joined with her family 5 years ago. Alyssa is involved with Temple life by singing in the choir, donating her time to the Bazaar and regularly attends Family Services with her parents Kari and Mike, and sister Sabrina. Outside of Temple, Alyssa is active with BBYO, being a member of the Girl Scouts and learning Taekwondo as well as adjusting to life as a teenager. Alyssa says she would love to go into the nursing profession. We hope she continues her Jewish Education and we wish her nothing but success in the future.

Kate Galchus

October 21st, 2017 Torah Portion: Noach

Kate is an 8th grade student who attends PS/IS 178, where she is a member of the Junior National Honor Society. She is an avid Mets fan and also enjoys traveling with her parents Ronna and Frank, and siblings Mollie and Adam to different ballparks around the country. She plays the trumpet, is a dog lover, and enjoys creating and editing movies. Kate will be continuing her Judaic studies in confirmation class. We wish her nothing but success in the future.

Sisterhood of Temple Beth Sholom Sistergrams: November/December 2017

If you wish to send a greeting to anyone on this list, please check the name(s) and return this list with your check (\$.50 per name - made out to SISTERHOOD, Temple Beth Sholom) by **October 20**th, **2017** (*no later*) to Sharon Katz, 48-53 186 St, Fresh Meadows, N.Y. 11365. Please Write "Sistergrams" on the envelope so that they will be delivered properly.

November Birt	hdays			November Anniv	ersaries
Alice Newman	11/2	Stacy Kroun Fertig		Joy A. Bobrow & Loui	
Robert Schiffman	11/6	Joel Kaufman	12/13	T1 14 D 1 D 1	11/1
Ilyne Rabinowitz	11/8	Ruth Dorfman		Lloyd & Brenda Bernl	
Jay Haimer	11/10	Beth Dulberg	12/25		11/5
Lori Wansor	11/11	Daniel Harkavy		Steve & Carrie Levins	•
Bonnie Wilichinsky	11/15	Fay Schildkraut	12/26	C: 1 0 D 11: C 1	11/8
Ellen Coleman	11/17	Jeff Sovern		Stanley & Robbie Sche	
Joy A. Bobrow	11/21	Mindy Anichich	12/27	3.61. 1.0. 4.01	11/13
Henry Katz	11/27	Frank Galchus	12/30	Michael Susman & Sh	
Bret Fertig	11/28	Edward Carroscio	12/31	Yontef	11/20
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Penny Schnitzer	12/1	November Bat N	Mitzvah		·
Florence Wigler	12/2			December Annive	ersaries
Suzanne Fertig	12/7	Emily Fishman	11/18		
Kathleen Flug	12/7	,	,	David Chenkin & Ger	i Weiss
Donald LaRosa	12/7				12/9
Eric Bernstein	12/9			Myron & Lee Temares	3
Meyer Marks	12/9				12/19
Miriam Scharf	12/9			Lynn Goldenstein	
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Phone # _____

From The President

It was a pleasure to see everyone over the High Holidays. Thank you to Rabbi Ballan and Cantor Korobow for leading us in prayer and song. Thank you to those who worked so hard and dedicated so many hours to prepare the Temple for the High Holidays, including all of the members that participated in the services.

Temple has many dedicated members who help to make Temple the wonderful place that it is. These people work hard, especially during the summer months when the Temple is "on vacation" and we are preparing for the High Holidays and the new school year.

Bazaar is around the corner. It seems that we mention Bazaar a lot, and it should be accordingly. The bazaar has always been the primary fundraiser for Temple. Bazaar also does something that you can't put a price tag on. It brings Temple together. It's truly the one function that pulls together everyone from their busy schedule for a few days in December to volunteer and to have fun supporting Temple for a common goal. Once upon a time, I was told that the Bazaar was held outside in front of the building in the frigid weather. That must have been really fun and crazy. In order for it to be successful, we all must pitch in.

If you have any resources for getting merchandise and vendors, now is the time to let us know. We also need members to help set up and to run the booths. The more members that help, the smoother the Bazaar would run.

There are letters in the office to ask vendors for donations. I personally go to stores that I frequent and ask for a donation. If everyone can get a donation or two, we will have many donations for the Bazaar. Don't forget about the congregational meeting on Tuesday, October 24, 2017.

Adam Gandelman President





Sisterhood Corner

I hope that you all have a very happy and healthy New Year.

We are gearing up for our membership event which will be a paid up Wine and Paint night held on Thursday October 26, 2017. We will be painting a set of water glasses and enjoying dessert. Bring your friends and your favorite wine to enjoy. It should be a great event. If you have not already joined Sisterhood, you can still send in your \$36 dues to Geri Weiss. Please send in the flyer and RSVP to Iris Bass as soon as possible.

We will be holding our book club on Sunday, November 5 at 10:30 a.m. We will be reading <u>Distant Shores</u> by Kristin Hannan. Please join us at this event and stay after to help us set up for rummage immediately following our book club.

Our Rummage sale is coming! Please donate your gently used clothing to Temple so that we can use it for the Rummage Sale. Please help Temple by volunteering at this event. Rummage set up will be Sunday, November 5. The Rummage Sale will take place on Tuesday, November 7 from 9:30 to 4. Please note that we will only be holding the Rummage sale on one day. Please call the Temple office if you can volunteer. There will also be a bake sale on that day. Proceeds will go to the victims of the hurricanes and our own temple. Please buy something when you visit the rummage sale.

Please remember that Bazaar is coming!!! We need your help to make it a success. Look for details!!!

L'Shana Tova Barbara Gandelman



Temple Beth Sholom Parents' Association with the support of Men's Club and Sisterhood present our annual: "Pizza in the Hut"



- Help build our Sukkah
- Participate in a service
- Enjoy a pizza dinner and potluck desserts

Date: Wednesday, October 4th, 2017 **Time:** 5:00 PM

Pay by October 1st: \$6.00/adult and \$3.00/child Pay at the door: \$8.00/adult and \$4.00/child

Please RSVP by Wednesday, September 27th with what you are bringing by calling/texting Erica Bernstein at (917)902-4890 or Elana White at (914) 879-7346.

Bazaar 2017 News

Our monthly reminder that Bazaar will be here before you know it! Please remember that Bazaar is a major fundraiser for Temple. It takes lots of hard work to put Bazaar together, but is also a great deal of fun to be a part of it! We need EVERYONE'S help in order to make it a success. Please mark your calendars for Bazaar 2017 which will be held the first weekend of December: Saturday, December 2nd, Sunday, December 3rd, and Monday December 4th. Book sorting is continuing! Look for emails announcing them. If you are available, please contact Jeff Cohen at mrjeff2000@aol.com or Lee and Mike Temares at tembooks@aol.com. We can use donations of health and beauty, toys, the country store, "as is", jewelry, and one of a kind! Please remember to ask your local merchants for donations when you patronize their stores - maybe they will even donate "reduced for clearance" items!! Shops and restaurants that you patronize might be willing to give you donations of gift certificates and any leftover merchandise. Also, don't forget to check your closets and garages. We can sell anything!!!! We have chairpersons for most of our booths but we still need volunteers to chair some booths. We will also need help in displaying, setting up, and pricing the merchandise. Of course, we also need volunteers to work in the booths when Bazaar is open. Please call the Temple Office and volunteer!! You will all receive letters of introduction to present to your local merchants when you ask for merchandise or gift certificates or...Remember, the sky is the limit!! Don't forget we also need your financial assistance in the form of "Angel Money" so that we can minimize the costs to Temple for any merchandise/food etc. that we have to purchase. Remember, our Pancake Breakfast, the official kickoff for Bazaar, is coming up on November 19th and we hope to see you there. Please return your sold raffle books (and money!!) as soon as possible! Also, additional raffle books will be available at the Congregation meeting on October 24th. Please don't forget to attend the meeting and pick up additional books and sell, sell, sell! Please help us make Bazaar 2017 the best one yet! Thank you.

Barbara Gandelman and Joy A. Bobrow Bazaar Co-coordinators Barbara Gandelman: (adbarb1@aol.com) Joy Bobrow: (maxjolo@msn.com)



Parents' Association

L'Shana Tovah TBS family:

We hope that everyone had a festive and healthy new year. We enjoyed seeing everyone during the Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur children's services. TBS PA has a few fun events going on in October.

On Wednesday October, 4th at 5PM we will be celebrating the fun holiday of Sukkot with "Pizza in the Hut." Please join temple at this fun event. There will be pizza, salad and drinks. We are also having potluck desserts at this event.

In celebration of the fun season of Fall, PA will be making a trip to Harbes Orchard on Sunday, October 8th. Come join us apple picking and other fun things. Please see attached flyer for more information.

To celebrate the festive holiday of Simchat Torah, PA will be having a pot luck dinner on Wednesday, October 11th at 6PM followed by a Simchat Torah service. Come eat, dance and sing with us as we celebrate this joyous holiday. We will also being giving out candy bags for the kids. Please meet us on Sunday October 1st during Religious School or Wednesday October 4th before the Sukkot event with your donated candy that we can wrap up for the kids.

Please contact Erica Bernstein or Elana White if you would like to attend any of these events.

Our next PA meeting will be on Sunday, October 15th at 10 AM. Come join us for bagels, spreads, coffee and juice. We will be discussing fun activities that we will be having during the religious school year.

We hope that you can come to all of our fun events, and may the year 5778 be a joyous one for you and your family.

Erica Bernstein Elana White PA Co-Presidents

FROM THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY

This is a friendly reminder to our members to kindly pay their membership dues for this year. Statements were mailed in February and reminder letters were sent to those members that have a balance due. Should you have questions or concerns, feel free to call Gail Olenick at the Temple office on Friday mornings or cell number 917-734-1086.

Many Thanks! Gail Olenick

Pulpit and Ritual Committee

Thank you to all those members who participated in our high holiday services. Going forward, we always look for reasons to host an Oneg Shabbat, recite the candle blessings or Kiddush blessings. Birthdays, anniversaries, observance of a loved ones yarzheit. If you are not sure of when a yarzheit will be, or want to sign up for a Friday night Shabbat honor, contact me at pulpitandritual@templebethsholom.org, or call the Temple office to leave me a message.

Thank you, Geri Weiss, Chair



A big thanks to Geri Weiss and Carol Hofer for polishing the silver in showcase, and the silver on torah scrolls.

Lunch and Learn Returns in October!!

Check your email for interesting Lunch and Learn topics with Rabbi Ballan!
The first monthly "nosh 'n drash" will take place on Wednesday, October 25th from 1-2 pm in the library. Coffee and tea will be provided, but please bring your own bag lunch.

Men's Club

Happy New Year from Men's Club!

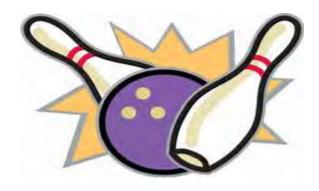
By the time you receive this edition of The Voice, leaves should be changing color. And so are the children, who unfortunately lose their summer tans as they headed back to school.

Meanwhile, we have a new high score in bowling. Mike Shapiro rolled a 177 in May, only to be quickly upset by Eric Bernstein with a 178 in September. Barry Packer still holds the overall high average of 119 per game. Men's Club hosts monthly sessions at Jib Lanes in Flushing, the first Thursday night every month at 8 pm. For \$15, you get two games of bowling (free shoes) and the opportunity to interact with members of the congregation – bowling is not strictly for men's club membership! The next bowling session is Thursday, October 5.

The next Men's Club meeting for will be Sunday, October 15 at 11 am. We will discuss the upcoming Men's Club Shabbat service (Friday, November 3) and Veteran's Day breakfast (Sunday, November 12). All active members are also encouraged to attend. Men's club membership for 2017-2018 is a mere \$25. Incoming new members receive complimentary first-year membership in Men's Club. Looking past Bazaar, we have our annual Deli Outing coming on Wednesday, December 6!

Speaking of the Bazaar and Book Sale, it is just around the corner (no peeking). Last year, membership sorted 22,000 items (books, CDs, records, DVDs, and video games) to put out for buyers. This year, we have sorted 19,251 items. An email will be sent with information about the next book sort in October. This will be the next-to-last sort, as Bazaar is almost upon us!

Jeff Cohen Men's Club Co-President





An evening of food & friendship, a recipe for humanity Sunday, October 8, 2017 5:30 pm

Cost: \$15

A multicultural event sponsored by the Northeast Queens for Action Chapter of Organizing for Action.

Join as we break bread with two refugee families recently settled in the USA for an evening of connecting over food and music. Following the lead of the first Syrian Supper Club, which was an effort in a Maplewood, NJ Synagogue to welcome and support recently arrived refugees, dubbed the Syrian Supper Club, we will be welcoming the refugees to Queens with open arms.

The families will be preparing a meal and dazzling us with their culinary culture. There will also be music and sharing of personal experiences. A grand time will to be had by all!

The evening will be a fundraiser to assist in the refugee resettlement.

For further information or to RSVP please contact Ilyne Rabinowitz at ilynerabinowitz@gmail.com

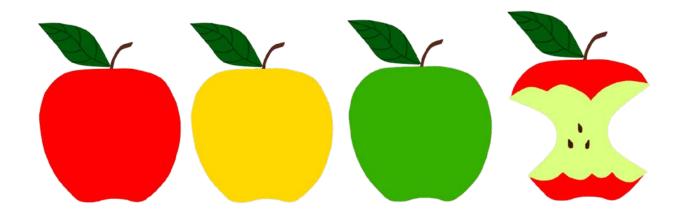
You can also RSVP by completing the tear-off and sending it to the Temple office -

Attention: Ilyne Rabinowitz

I will attend the Syrian Supper Club dinner:	
Name	_
Number of people (kids under 13 are free)	
☐ Enclosed is my check for \$15 per person. Total of \$	☐ I will pay at the door

Temple Beth Sholom Parents' Association with the support of Men's Club and Sisterhood present

Apple Picking at Harbes Orchard



Spend the day with Temple Members when there isn't school

Date: Sunday, October 8th

Time: 9:00 AM

Place:

Harbes Orchard 5698 Sound Avenue Riverhead, NY 11901

http://www.harbesfamilyfarm.com/apple-picking/

Apple picking: \$8.00 per person
Apple picking, Hay ride, and Corn Maze:
\$19.00 (ages 13 and up)
\$17.00 (ages 3-12)
No outside food or drinks allowed

Please RSVP by Wednesday, October 4th by calling/texting Erica Bernstein at (917) 902-4890 or Elana White at (914) 879-7346 or e-mail parentsassociation@templebethsholom.org

Adult Education

L'shana tovah families,

I hope that everyone had a sweet and healthy New Year and a meaningful fast. As we turn the hourglass over for the new year, it is important to set resolutions(either new or attempted) that are achievable in the year ahead. Resolutions can fall into multiple categories: health, family, personal growth, and spiritual. It is just a matter of finding an achievable resolution and I am confident of everyone to find a resolution that they can commit to.

As a reminder we will be having our first Adult Education "Breakfast and a Movie" event on Sunday, October 22nd with the screening of "Yentl". The breakfast will begin at 9:00 am followed by a brief discussion and the movie which will be starting at 9:30.

I look forward to seeing members at the upcoming events.

Eric Bernstein Adult Education Chair

> The Giant 2017 Election Day Rummage Sale!!!! Tuesday, November 7th.

We still need donations of new and gently used clothing; please don't donate soiled and/or ripped clothing. If you can sort them before bringing them in, that would also be so helpful!

Rummage setup is Sunday, November 5th.
We need VOLUNTEERS for setup and the sale
day!!! Please contact Michelle or Rita
at the Temple Office to volunteer!

If you have moved, please let the Temple Office know.
And also call to make certain the Temple Office has birthday and anniversary dates on file if you want to be acknowledged in our Sistergrams.

Chai Mitzvah Class Forming
Tuesday, October 17th @ 7:30 pm
Once again, Rabbi Ballan is
offering the wonderful Chai
Mitzvah program of guided and
self-directed learning. It meets
monthly, and the first class will
begin on Tuesday, October 17th.
If you are interested, please email
Rabbi Ballan at:
rabbi@templebethsholom.org



To our temple family:

Dan, Ethan and I wanted to let everyone know how grateful we are for all the support during Dan's stay in rehab. The outpouring of well wishes and offers of rides let us see that we are truly family.

Dan is doing very well and you should see us around temple again soon. Our love and a huge heartfelt thank you to you all!

-The Harkavy Family

Temple Beth Sholom Parents' Association with the support of Men's Club and Sisterhood present our annual Simchat Torah Potluck Dinner



Participate in the festivities as we dance around and help unwind the Torah

Date: Wednesday, October 11th, 2017 **Time:** 6:00 PM

Please RSVP by Wednesday, October 4th with what you are bringing by calling/texting Erica Bernstein at (917)902-4890 or Elana White at (914) 879-7346



Cantor's Corner

As you read this column, we've made it through the High Holy Days together! But, I wanted to take just a moment to look back and reflect upon a wonderful time we had here at Temple in early September.

I'm referring to our Open House BBQ on Friday, September 8, which preceded our Family Service celebrating Grandparents' Day. We had a great turnout, and it was truly a delight to have so many grandparents and grandchildren in the same place.

Rabbi Ballan did a terrific job gathering peoples' grandparent/grandchildren photos, and weaving them into a video presentation. This created the perfect platform for me to teach my "Grandma" and "Grandpa" songs to the very enthusiastic congregation. It was fun, sweet and touching.

What really topped off that experience was continuing to honor the grandparents in and/or involved with our congregation by inviting them to our first day of Hebrew school on Sunday, September 10. We learned about Jewish genealogy, did projects, and sang together. It was terrific working with our school principal Karen Feit, who, like the Rabbi, is an excellent singing partner. To my great amazement and satisfaction, quite a few of the kids had already learned the "Grandma" and "Grandpa" songs, and sang them right along with me, helping teach them to the grandparents. The Junior Choir is alive and well my friends!

Many of you whom I've already met have heard me speak about the tremendous importance of community. I firmly believe that that's what a synagogue is really all about. And community, in all its richness and sweetness, is exactly what I saw on our Grandparents' Weekend. In a word, it was GREAT! Let's create more such opportunities to commune together. I know I had a "blast"-I hope you did too.

All the best in the New Year, Cantor Jerry Korobow



Religious School News

It was a real joy to welcome back our Hebrew School families at our special Grandparents' Day celebration on Sunday September 10, 2017. We began with prayers and blessings led by our wonderful new Cantor Korobow. We welcomed parents, grandparents, teachers, and two new families: the Kwaits and the Lereas. Jewish genealogist Chuck Weinstein talked to us about why family history is so important and how to preserve names and memories and even do family research. We honored our grandparents with Cantor Korobow's special songs and flowers for the grandparents. Time to interview our special guests individually, to make grandparents day cards or to, begin to create family trees was followed by time to enjoy cookies and juice and mix and mingle. A great time was had by all. We look forward to a new year full of wonderful experiences ahead!

Our Hebrew program is in the process of revision. Students have all been tested for their level of Hebrew proficiency and have been divided into classes on that basis. This will enable us to address each student at the appropriate learning level. Students will be reevaluated throughout the year to make are they are grouped appropriately. We will once again use texts as well as online learning materials. If you have a tablet or laptop, you can donate to the school for classroom use, it would be greatly appreciated.

Rabbi Ballan is launching an innovative new Academy Plus program to bring our post b'nai mitzvah together to study and to socialize.

Don't forget to join us for children's services on Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.

This month brings our Lulav and Etrog field trip after Sunday School on October 1, sukkah decoration, Pizza in the Hut and services on October 4, Simchat Torah dancing with the Torah on October 11, and Junior congregation on October 13. It's going to be a busy month filled with learning, fun, and celebration! I can hardly wait!

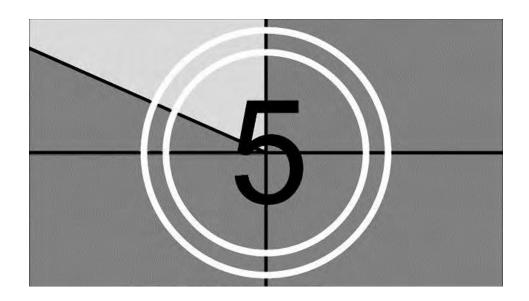
Looking forward to seeing you in school and at services!

B'shalom, Karen Feit

To sponsor an issue of the TBS Voice, please call Glory Einbinder at (718)229-4035

Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing welcomes our first Adult Education program of the Jewish New Year

Breakfast and a Movie - "Yentl"



Date: Sunday, October 22nd

Time: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

*Breakfast will begin at 9:00 followed by a brief discussion. The movie will

start promptly at 9:30.

Where: Frank S. Greene Room

Breakfast will be served*

*\$3.00 Donation is suggested

Scoop's Schmooze

120 hot dogs in just over an hour!!!

If one were to read the above statement, he or she would have thought that the likes of Joey Chestnut, Matt Stonie, Takeru Kobayashi, or Sonya Thomas just lost their July $4^{\rm th}$ Nathan's Hot Dog Eating Contest championship belt to a new contender at the corners of Surf and Stillwell Avenues on Coney Island.

And, in a sense, you would actually be right; except for the fact that this champion was crowned during the beginning of September on Northern Boulevard in Flushing. And the hot dogs were Hebrew National as opposed to Nathan's. And, this winner is not an individual, but has been a champion in a wide array of ways for decades.

For the numbers that came out at Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing's Open House, Family Shabbat and Grandparents' Day celebration were mind-boggling. Start with the fact that there were more than 100 people in attendance at a non-holiday Shabbat service. And, along with the franks, they consumed 80 hamburgers, 48 veggie burgers, 10 pounds of cole slaw, a barrel of pickles, two sheet cakes, and two watermelons! Yet, it was not in as much about the delectable edibles that were prepared by TBS President Adam Gandelman; it was more so about the plethora of people who came, and what took place in the sanctuary.

Whether the people who were there were at Temple Beth Sholom from the very beginning of its existence or they were guests looking to become new members; whether they are current members who have made their impact over the years or are those who have been a part of TBS for a brief time; or whether it were the children who gleefully flooded the

bimah and gazed with pride and amazement into the open arks at the beautiful torah scrolls as the aleinu was being chanted, in its entirety, it was an event to behold.

For being able to sit back and take it all in was nothing less than a true pleasure; as the new team of Rabbi Ballan and Cantor Korobow spoke and sang and played together like they have been doing it for years. Their inspiration and passion were felt throughout the pews as the congregants and the guests joined in with emotion and joy; and comments of enthusiasm and excitement were spoken by many days after the event.

The fact of the matter is that while so many congregations are unfortunately closing, it is vital for each member of the Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing family to partake in all of the activities to keep our synagogue and our Jewish heritage and traditions alive; especially to come to services, to attend and participate in Rabbi Ballan's torah study and to be proud to be bestowed with honors on Shabbat or during the holidays. And, while the previously stated activities are vital to the lifeblood of Temple, it is important to join in the other goings-on as well: to be a part of Bazaar or the Purim Ball or the Chicken Soup Cook-Off, or the Blood Drive; to do things with Sisterhood or Men's Club or have your children get involved in religious school and everything else that is available to them.

For those who were there on Friday night, September 8, just take a moment to pause and reflect and realize that what you may hear in the back of your mind is Nathan's Hot Dog Eating Contest's Master of Ceremonies, George Shea declaring: "the winner, and still champion is Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing!"

Barry Packer—Board of Trustees Member/Ways and Means Chairperson

Please Patronize our Returning Chicken Soup Participants

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Bagel Shoppe	215-03 73rd Ave	Bayside, NY 11364	718-423-6692
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Bell Diner	215-25 73rd Ave	Oakland Gardens, NY 11364	718-279-0333
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Buddy's Kosher Deli	215-01 73rd Ave	Bayside, NY 11364	718-631-2110
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Chef Elvis Carribean Cuisine	50 South Main St	Freeport, NY 11520	516-208-8395
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Jackson Hole	3501 Bell Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-281-0330
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Celebrate Simchat Shabbat Friday, October 6th

r Anniversaries:

Iris Bass	Jennifer Schecter Lonborg	Paul & Mindy Anichich
Matthew Dulberg	Maxine Simon	Eric & Erica Bernstein
Madison Fertig	Benjamin Slomovicz	Jeff & Karla Bonne
Emily Fishman	Hannah Slomovicz	Frank & Ronna Galchus
Isadore Katz	Michael Susman	Jerry & Zo-An Korobow
Perry Katz	Herta Tishcoff	
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Caryl Stern-LaRosa	Max Wolinetz	Kate Galchus
Adison Lemmon		Alyssa Shapiro

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Refreshments will be served

Please RSVP by Thursday, October 19, 2017

to Iris Bass at tennisluv5@aol.com or 718 415-9218

Mail to 171-39 Northern Boulevard, Flushing, NY 11358 to Iris' attention

Sisterhood dues are \$36.00 and non-temple members sisterhood dues are \$72.00

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Sadly will not be able to attend this event, but here are my sisterhood dues of \$36.00

Checks payable to Sisterhood at Temple Beth Sholom

☼ UPCOMING YAHRZEITS October 2017

October 1-7

Solomon Apogi Paul Baczkowski

Richard Bass

Joseph Croteau*

Lillian Duvinsky*

Henry J. Fine

Bernard Metz Paul Newdorf*

Debbie Newman

Joseph Prescott*

Charlotte Wolk Ridgeway*

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October 8-14

Lt. Marvin S. Ackerman

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Myrna Sherman

Joseph Stein

Isaac Susman **Iack Tandatnick**

Rabbi Morris Tosk

Anna Weinstein*

Philip Wurtzel*

October 15-21

Esther Ash*

Wilma D'Vora

Berkowitz*

Stephen Crayne*

Estelle Dorfman

Harry Dorfman

Irene Dulberg

Danny Elzweig* Marjorie Freeman

Harry Friedman* Irene Mae Graff*

Dr. Ierome Herz*

Daniel L. Horowitz*

Florence Kaufman*

Harris Levine

Nathan Maur

Isabelle Paris*

Rina Epstein Pasach Ingrid Pfeffer

Ida Rothman*

Shirley Shufer

Meyer Silver*

Abraham Sorkin*

Phyllis Thorner Ira Tobias*

October 22-28

Ben Bernhard

Shirley Brecker*

Kenneth L. Einsohn Fella Goldsmith

Lillian Green* Laurence Hecht* Seymour Horowitz* Rose Rosenberg Selma Schwartzman Daniel Stateman Dr. Milton Schneider* Adele Verkman

October 29-October 31

Minnie Berman Irene Elzweig* Michael Greenwald Jennie Levinsky Abraham Liebman* Dr. Joseph Mannheim Dr. Arthur J. Pasach Milton Rabinowitz* Louis Riger* Harry Trachter

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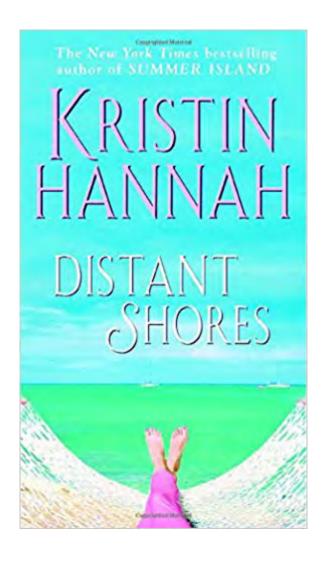
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All Volunteers are welcome and encouraged to help for an hour or so with our biannual Rummage Set Up!!!!

In her remarkable New York Times bestseller, Summer Island, Kristin Hannah struck a chord in readers and critics alike with her portrayal of the bittersweet reunion between an errant mother and her unforgiving daughter. Now Hannah once again reveals the fragile ties that bind a family in transition, as two people choose to escape the limits of their ordinary lives and reach for the extraordinary promise that lies on Distant Shores.

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Please read the book and come to our book club meeting with your opinions and comments.

Refreshments will be served

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Blood Drive - 9:30 am to 3:30 pm in the FSG Room

Judaica Book Fair - 9:00 am to 1:00 pm in the front lobby

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Pancake Breakfast/Religious School

School begins at 9:00 am. Children will join the Pancake Breakfast at 10:00 am

Doors open at 9:30 am • Breakfast served at 10:00 am

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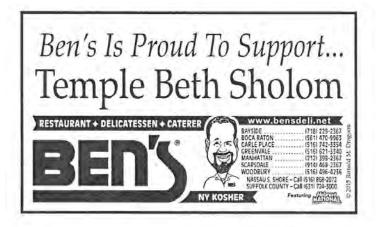


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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Religious School 10:00 am Jewish Start 10:30 am	2	3	Erev Sukkot Erev Sukkot Service & Dinner Pizza In The Hut 5:00 pm	5 Sukkot Office Closed Men's Club Bowling 8:00 pm	Shabbat Family Service/Simchat Shabbat 7:30 pm	7 Shabbat Service & Torah Study 10:00 am
No Religious School- Columbus Day Weekend	9 Columbus Day	10	Simchat Torah Potluck Dinner 6:00 pm Erev Simchat Torah Service 7:00 pm	Simchat Torah/Shmini Atzeret Office Closed Simchat Torah/ Yizkor Service 10:00 am	Tot Shabbat 6:00 pm Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm	Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of Alyssa Shapiro 10:00 am
Religious School 10:00 am Parent's Association 10:00 am Men's Club 11:00 am	Membership 7:00 pm Board Meeting 8:00 pm	Chai Mitzvah Class 7:30 pm	Hebrew School 4:30 pm School Board 8:00 pm	19	Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm	Shabbat Morning Service Bat Mitzvah of Kate Galchus 10:00 am
Breakfast & A Movie/Adult Ed - "Yentl" 9:00 am ReligiousSchool 10:00 am	23	Congregational Meeting 8:00 pm	"Lunch & Learn" in Library 1:00 pm Hebrew School 4:30 pm	"Wine & Paint" Night –Sisterhood Event 7:30 pm	Jr. Congregation 7:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm	28 Shabbat Service & Torah Study 10:00 am
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DON'T FORGET TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS FOR OUR "WINE AND PAINT NIGHT" ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26TH AT 7:00 PM! PLEASE SEE FLYER IN OUR VOICE FOR DETAILS. The October Simchat
Shabbat Service on
Friday, October 6th, at
7:30 pm, we will be
celebrating the
birthdays and
anniversaries from the
months of October.



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