

#### THIS MONTH: JAZZ SHABBAT

Friday, November 1

**RUMMAGE SET UP** SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

## PA PIZZERIA UNO FUNDRAISER

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4

#### **RUMMAGE SALE**

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

#### PA BAKE SALE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

#### **BOWLING**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

#### 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CHICKEN SOUP COOK-OFF

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

### MEN'S CLUB VET'S DAY BREAKFAST& MOVIE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10

#### SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

#### WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST/BOOK FAIR/ BLOOD DRIVE

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

#### TURKEY TROT AT LITTLE BAY PARK

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29

#### NEXT MONTH: BAZAAR

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, SUNDAY DECEMBER 8, MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

#### **BOWLING**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

#### WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

# The Voice

A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM OF FLUSHING



From the Rabbi's desk

As I write this, we are still in the middle of Sukkot. The holidays are yet to be over. Fortunately, so far the weather has held up, and I was able to eat breakfast and lunch in my sukkah today. Over 60 people joined us at TBS for Pizza in the Hut on the first night of Sukkot! I saw lots of smiling faces during our High Holiday services, and we even had a packed crowd at our Shabbat Shuvah Musical Family service with Akiva the Believer.

November is a time when Rabbis and Cantors all over the world typically express a sigh of relief. The chagim (holidays) are over, and Cheshvan, which arrives this year on October 30, does not have a single Jewish holiday in it. It is also known as "Marcheshvan," or sad/bitter Cheshvan, and I am of the opinion that this nickname is taken sarcastically among clergy. We need one month where nothing special happens! Of course, that really isn't the case—many important events are taking place in November at Temple Beth Sholom, beginning with our Jazz Shabbat Service on November 1st! The cantor and TBS choir are busily preparing. I really hope you join us for this special event. Come early for a wine and cheese nosh and stay for what I believe will be a very moving service.

November also brings the season of Thanksgiving. The Pilgrims based this holiday on our festival of Sukkot, the fall harvest festival. Each year, the Sunday before Thanksgiving, Temple Beth Sholom holds its annual Pancake Breakfast in conjunction with a Blood Drive. One way to give thanks is to perform the lifesaving mitzvah of donating blood, which is always in high demand.

I encourage you to begin a practice of being thankful for the good things in your lives. One way to achieve this is attending Shabbat Services, where we often celebrate joyous occasions with each other. Another way is to "lift someone up" and offer a ride to someone who cannot drive to TBS. Contact me, or our Caring Committee chair Deirdre Weliky, and let us know when you are available. You don't need to make a weekly commitment, just once in a while is fine.

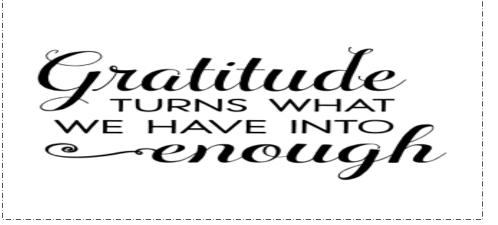
I, for one, am thankful for the wonderful community here at Temple Beth Sholom. May we go from strength to strength.

> Shalom u'vrachah, Rabbi Sharon Ballan



### Temple Beth Sholom Sisterhood presents

# WOMEN'S DISCUSSION GROUP



# Wednesday evening, November 20<sup>th</sup> 2019 7:30 pm in the Library TOPIC: Gratitude

Join with women of all ages and life experiences, temple family and friends alike. As women, we seek to learn about ourselves and others and explore our similarities and differences in a caring and supportive environment.

The group will be facilitated by Dr. Deirdre Weliky, LCSW, a member of our temple family and social worker with more than 25 years' experience.

For more information, contact Deirdre at dwangel1@gmail.com

#### Worship Schedule

Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>: Jazz Shabbat Service 8:00 pm

Torah Portion: Noach Candle Lighting: Lori Lustig Kiddush: Walter Costanza

Host: Alice Newman in honor of her birthday

Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>: Torah Study & Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am

*Friday, November* 8<sup>th</sup>: Family/Men's Club Service & Simchat Shabbat 7:30 pm

Torah Portion:Lech L'chah

Candle Lighting: Karen and Rebecca Carroscio

Kiddush: Jeff Cohen Host: Men's Club

Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup>: **Torah Study &** Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am

Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup>: Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm

Torah Portion: Vayera

Candle Lighting: Jeannette, Madison and Emily Fishman

Kiddush: Steven Fishman

Host: Jeannette and Steven Fishman in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of their son Joshua

Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>: Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am

Bar Mitzvah of Joshua Fishman

No Torah Study

Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>: Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm

Torah Portion: Chayei Sarah

Candle Lighting: Junior Congregation

Kiddush: Junior Congregation

Host: Larry Schwarz in memory of Geraldine Schwarz

Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>: Torah Study &

**Shabbat Morning Service 10:00am** 

Friday, November 29th: Shabbat Evening Service 8:00 pm

> Torah Portion: Toldot Candle Lighting: Maxine Simon Kiddush: Eric Lustig

> > Host: Sisterhood

Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>: Torah Study &

Shabbat Morning Service 10:00 am



#### From The President

This has been an incredible holiday season. We started off with a combined Selichot service with Temple Tikvah which was magical. The High Holiday season continued on a high note and stayed on a high note. Thanks to our Rabbi, Cantor, Karen Feit, Geri Weiss and the 2020 confirmation class. A special thank you goes to our custodial and office staff who contributed from the beginning to the end. We must also thank our local law enforcement officers who were extremely attentive to us during the holidays.

We have had an increase in visitors over the holidays, three new families joined and we have had multiple inquiries about membership.

Did I mention that we had one of the largest turnouts in a long time at our Shabbat shuvah service? Not to mention that we started the New Year with the baby naming of one of our newest members, Eliana Ruffus. The wine, cheese and nosh before service were a welcomed

There are angels listening and watching over Temple Beth Sholom, I truly believe that. At our last Board meeting I thanked the angels who paid for the air conditioner in the library and I said "I wish we could get an angel to pay for the sinks in the ladies' bathroom", which were practically down to the floor. Well an angel, a temple member, heard my plea and paid the entire bill of approximately \$2000. Thank you "Angel".

Now back to the BALLROOM WINDOWS... are you listening angels?

We are about \$10,000 short in donations to pay for the ballroom windows. I know someone is listening. We have given Jim Kettig the go ahead to get the project started. He has been in contact with the contractor working out the logistics with use of room and time to order, construct and install the windows. We are looking to start replacing the ballroom windows in the early spring. We are finally going to do it!

There are so many exciting events coming up at TBS. Let's keep it going my Temple family.

Come and participate, come and celebrate, come and rejuvenate, come and just hang out with your temple family, just COME! A Happy Healthy New Year to all of

Your President, Fay Schildkraut









# The GIANT 2019 ELECTION DAY Rummage Sale

You Wait For Twice a Year!!!

When: Election Day, Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup>
Doors open at 9:30 am
Doors close at 4:00 pm

Where: Temple Beth Sholom, 172nd Street and Northern Boulevard, Flushing

Quality Clothing for Men, Women & Children.

We have linens too!!

If you wish to donate, please drop off your **sorted**, **clean**, **unstained**, gently used, clothing!

#### TBS Fund Acknowledgments as of October 24, 2019

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Geri Weiss and David Chenkin to wish Fred Shapiro a speedy recovery and to the	
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\*\*When donating to <u>Pulpit Flower Fund</u>, please specify which Shabbat service that you wish it to be read on\*\*

Thank you for contributing to TBS Funds!

### Celebrate Simchat Shabbat Friday, November 8th

### **November Birthdays**



Joy A. Bobrow
Matthew Cohen
Ellen Coleman
Ashley Fertig
Bret Fertig
Adam Galchus
Jesse Gilbert-Sovern
Jay Haimer

Joshua Hellman
Alice Newman
Ilyne Rabinowitz
Michael Rosenberg
Robert Schiffman
Reid Schnitzer
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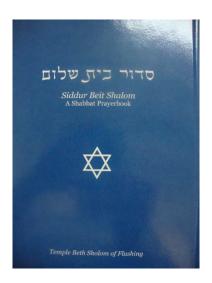
#### **November Anniversaries**

Lloyd & Brenda Bernhard
Rabbi Sharon Ballan & Walter Costanza
Joy A. Bobrow & Louis Fevola
Stanley & Robbie Schecter
Michael Susman & Sharon Yontef



# TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM

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#### October Board of Trustees Meeting

The Board of Trustees met on Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019. President Fay Schildkraut reported the High Holiday season has been truly special and she thanked Rabbi, Cantor, Geri Weiss, and all who participated. A wonderful "angel" has paid for the replacement of the Ladies' Room sink and we are now advancing on the work to replace the Ballroom windows, projected for an early spring date.

Temple Gates of Prayer continues to work out the details required by the Attorney General and we are not anticipating any problems with their plan to sell their building. Robin Myers, Financial Secretary, reported we now have 121 member units. The Board approved the September Financial Report as submitted by Treasurer Charlene Metz.

Rabbi Sharon Ballan reported on recent High Holiday services, which were well attended and she thanked all who contributed and attended. She invited all to her and Walter's home for Sukkot open house Saturday afternoon, October 19th at their home in Glen Cove. Chai Mitzvah class has started and will focus on the theme of The Ten Commandments. Cantor Jerry Korobow reported on High Holiday and upcoming services and mentioned how helpful our new office assistant, Natalie Strauss, has been. In addition, he thanked all who have contributed to the Music Fund. Geri Weiss, Pulpit and Ritual Committee Chair, expressed her gratitude to all who helped make High Holidays meaningful this year.

The Board elected the following members to serve on the Nominating Committee: Maxine Simone, Jim Kettig, Barbara Gandelman, Ilyne Rabinowitz, and Geri Weiss. An additional 6 members were to be elected at the October  $22^{\rm nd}$  Congregational Meeting.

Gail Tishcoff read a moving thank you email from Stephanie Lorduy, who accompanied on the keyboard at Kol Nidre service, who stated how meaningful the services were to her at this particular time.

Stephanie Rosenberg, Parents' Association President, reported that they are going to fund raise in order to replace the Religious School's current television with a flat screen (Smart) TV. Sisterhood and Men's Club provided reports on upcoming meetings and events. Religious School Board Committee Chair Andrea Odintz reported on the new school year events and holiday services and events.

The Board approved two new family members: Barry and Rebecca Bunkin and Joan Kavaldo Cohen and Isaac Zion Cohen.

Social Action Committee Chair Ilyne Rabinowitz reported they will address a review of the feasibility of a community food outreach program, planning for a multiethnic/cultural event to celebrate the diversity of Queens and focus on immigration concerns as well as Get out the Vote initiatives as part of their next meeting agenda. She stressed that they are non-partisan and all are welcome to participate in their meetings and activities.

House committee chair Jim Kettig reported there is a 2-week "window" of time available in mid-to-late March for the contractor to perform the Ballroom window replacement job. Ways and Means committee chair Barry Packer reported on progress in plans for the November Chicken Soup Cook Off. Bazaar is in need of volunteers and merchandize, and they are looking for vendors. There are now more than 16,300 pre-sorted books.

Respectfully submitted, Gail Tishcoff Recording Secretary





#### Sisterhood Corner

We have finished celebrating the Jewish Holidays and are well into the New Year at Temple Beth Sholom.

Our Rummage Sale is coming up on Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. It would be wonderful if you were able to donate an hour or two, to help with the set-up of the Rummage Sale which will take place on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 am. It would also be greatly appreciated if you are available on Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> to help *during* the Rummage Sale. If we all help out during these events, these fundraisers can continue to survive. The Rummage Sale is Sisterhood's biggest fundraiser and we all need to help to make sure that it will continue to be a tradition in our wonderful Temple.

We will be holding a book club on Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am. We will be discussing the book "to the moon and back" by Lisa Kohn. Please bring a can of decaf coffee to the discussion! Please buy your copy of the book on Amazon Smile. You can donate to Temple at the same time!! The author will be joining us for a book talk. Please feel free to invite your friends and family to join us at this exciting event!! Breakfast will be served.

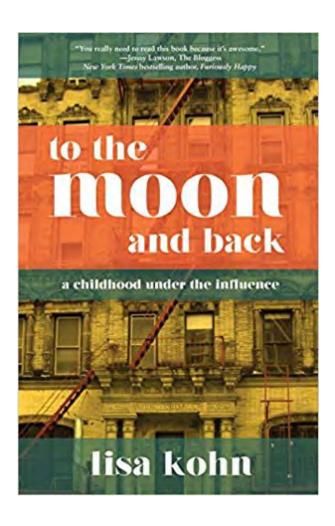
We encourage all of our Sisterhood members to join us at our annual pancake breakfast on Sunday, November 24, at 9:30, where we all come together as one Temple Family. Look for the flyer in the Voice. We hope to see you all at Bazaar! This year Bazaar will take place on December 7th, 8th and 9th. Please try to obtain gift certificates from the places that you go to all the time. If you are able to volunteer at Bazaar, please let me know.

Sincerely, Barbara Gandelman Sisterhood President

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# TBS SISTERHOOD PRESENTS: BOOK CLUB – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17<sup>™</sup>, 2019



"to the moon and back"

By Lisa Kohn

Date:

Sunday, November 17th, 2019

Time: 10:30 am

Refreshments will be

We welcome Lisa Kohn to give a book talk and answer questions!!!

served

Please bring a can of decaf coffee

The best seats Lisa Kohn ever had at Madison Square Garden were at her mother's mass wedding, and the best cocaine she ever had was from her father's friend, the judge.

Born to hippie parents and raised in New York City's East Village in the 1970s, Lisa's early years were a mixture of encounter groups, primal screams, macrobiotic diets, communes, Indian ashrams, Jefferson Airplane concerts in Central Park, and watching naked actors on off-Broadway stages during the musical *HAIR*. By the time her older brother was ten, Lisa's father had him smoking pot. By the time Lisa was ten, Lisa's mother had them pledging their lives to the Unification Church (the "Moonies") and self-appointed Messiah, Reverend Sun Myung Moon.

As a child Lisa knew the ecstatic comfort of inclusion in a cult and as a teenager the torment of rebelling against it. As an adult, Lisa struggled to break free from the hold of abuse and the scars in her heart, mind, and psyche--battling her own addictions and inner demons and searching her soul for a sense of self-worth. Told in spirited candor, *to the moon and back* reveals how one can leave behind absurdity and horror and create a life of intention and joy. This is the fascinating tale of a story rarely told in its full complexity.

#### Bazaar Corner 2019

We are getting down to the wire so please don't forget that Bazaar will be here before you know it!

I know we sound like a broken record but Bazaar is a major fundraiser for Temple and it takes lots of hard work to put it together yet 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.

- Mark your calendars for Bazaar 2019 the first weekend of December: Saturday, December 7th, Sunday, December 8th, and Monday, December 9th.
- $\bullet$  Book sorting is continuing! Look for emails announcing them. If you are available, please contact Jeff Cohen at mrjeff2000@aol.com
- We need donations of health and beauty items, toys, the country store, "as is", jewelry, and one of a kind!
- Don't forget 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.
- Check your closets and garages and bring it on down. We can sell anything!!!!
- Don't forget to bake, bake, and then bake some more!!!! If possible, please individually wrap your baked goods.
  - Volunteer to chair a booth!!!
- Volunteer to help display, set up, and price the merchandise and of course, we also need volunteers to work in the booths when Bazaar is open.
- Please call the Temple Office to let us know when you WILL volunteer!!
- You should have already received the famous Bazaar packets of information including:
- 1. Letters of introduction to present to your local merchants when you ask for merchandise or gift certificates or...
- 2. Reservation forms for Pancake Breakfast, the official kickoff for Bazaar, on November 24<sup>th</sup>!
  - 3. Raffle books! Please sell, sell, and sell!!!
- 4. Please be an Angel a request for 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.

Thank you.

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



If you will be going to Florida (or anywhere else) for the winter, please let the Temple Office know which months you will be away and your alternate address!!

#### Parents' Association

It was wonderful to see so many families together during the High Holidays. May this New Year bring abundant blessings to you and your loved ones.

We had a great meeting October 6<sup>th</sup> and we decided that our fundraising this month will go towards raising \$300 to purchase a flat screen TV for our Religious and Hebrew School instruction. We need your support so please participate in our fundraising events. We can do this!

Our first fundraiser will be at Uno's Pizzeria (39-02 Bell Blvd, Bayside NY 11361) November 4<sup>th</sup>. Please stop by with your family and bring in the flyer to your server.

Our second fundraiser will be a Bake Sale at Temple on November 5<sup>th</sup> from 10am to Noon. All items will be \$1. We would greatly appreciate donations for the sale as well. Please drop off individually wrapped goodies by November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Remember that the Shared Shabbat/Junior Congregation is November  $22^{nd}$  at  $7:30\,pm$  in the Frank S. Green Room.

Our next PA meeting is November 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10am. Please join us for bagels, juice and coffee!

Stephanie Rosenberg & Elana White PA Co-Presidents



## TO OUR NOVEMBER BAR MITZVAH JOSHUA FISHMAN

Torah Portion: Vayera

Joshua is an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student at MS158. He has a lot of natural athletic ability and plays baseball for the LND Crushers and football, basketball and baseball for DAC. He is also on a travel baseball team where he plays first base and outfield. Joshua loves basketball; his favorite player is Giannis Antetokounmpo. Joshua is hoping to continue playing sports in High School. He has an outgoing personality and has many friends who like playing video games online together. His favorite video game is Fortnite and he also likes playing NBA 2K. Joshua enjoys going to Comic Con. For the past 7 years we have made it an annual tradition.

Joshua has two older sisters, Madison and Emily. They enjoy hanging out with each other and doing things together as a family. Joshua is a big Mets fan and loves going to games at Citifield and his favorite player is David Wright. He also likes cooking in his free time and he finds creative ways to "spice up" a dish.

The entire TBS family is very proud of Joshua and wishes him health, success, and happiness in whatever he pursues. We are excited to see what the future holds for him. Mazel Toy Joshua!



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#### Adult Education

The months of September and October were nothing short of busy for Temple Members and the activities are still going on until the end of the secular year. Members can look forward to the upcoming events at temple including the Chicken Soup Cook-Off, Veteran's Day Breakfast, Veteran's Day Service, Blood Drive, and Bazaar.

After your big Thanksgiving Meal, you can burn off the carbs with other Temple Members on Friday, November 29th at our third annual "Turkey Trot". We will meet at Little Bay Park (under the bridge) at 10:00 a.m. Please email me if you are interested in walking at ericdbernstein@gmail.com. After improving your health, you can have the opportunity to help temple at Bazaar setup taking place that Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Every bit of help makes a difference.

May you have a healthy and productive month ahead.

Eric Bernstein Adult Ed



BLOOD DRIVE SUNDAY, NOV. 24<sup>TH</sup>

9:30 AM - 3:30 PM

#### **How Can I Contribute to TBS without Spending?**

- 1. If every TBS member and their family and friends open a new, non-interest bearing checking account at TD Bank, you can get \$25 AND Temple Beth Sholom will receive \$50 for every new checking account opened (that remains open for at least one year). TBS will also receive a small percentage of participants' annual average balances. If you are already a TD Bank customer, Temple will receive \$10 for every existing checking account. Visit any one of TD Bank's locations and ask to have your balance included as part of Temple Beth Sholom's Affinity Membership Program, or call the Whitestone branch at (718) 357-4310 for more information. Our code in the program is AF637.
- 2. When you make a purchase through Amazon, make sure you use Amazon Smile by signing up for Amazon Smile (you don't lose your Prime benefits!) and select Temple Beth Sholom. You can also type in the following URL link which will bring you to the right place so a portion of your purchase supports our Temple: https://smile.amazon.com/ch/11-1802826.
- 3. Lastly, if you are considering purchasing Judaica items, consider buying from the Judaica Webstore: http://templebethsholom.org/judaica/ as Temple Beth Sholom will receive a percentage of the purchase!

Thank you for your continued support of Temple Beth Sholom!

#### Men's Club

Friday, November 8th is the Men's Club Sabbath service. Contact Men's Club or Rabbi Ballan if you are interested in participating. On Sunday, November 10th Men's Club presents a Veteran's Day breakfast featuring a screening of the documentary "The Ritchie Boys," about a group of Jewish secret agents who returned to Germany during World War II to help defeat the Nazis. The event starts at 9:30 am and the film starts around 10:00 am. A donation of \$3 is suggested to help defray food costs.

Men's Club bowling continues every month on the first Thursday evening. The next two sessions are Thursday, November 7th and Thursday, December 5th at 8:00 pm at Jib Lanes. For \$15, you get shoe rental, two games of bowling, and interactions with members of the congregation. We are not professional-level kegglers! Come practice your bowling form with us.

More than 16,300 books have already been presorted for next month's Bazaar and book sale. We will need volunteers to help put books on shelves during the week of December  $2^{nd}$  from 4:00 - 8:00 pm. Please contact the office at (718) 463-4143.

If you can have a van or SUV and can help with book pickups in the future, please contact Jeff Cohen at MrJeff2000@aol.com to be added to the "Bazaar Vehicle Volunteer" list. This would also help with other Bazaar merchandise as well.

Jeff Cohen Men's Club President

The Voice - email vs. Snail mail

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Natalie@templebethsholom.org

Dear Members, Thank you to those who have already paid your dues or have entered into payment agreements! Please continue to pay as you have agreed! Please make sure to pay any Religious School/Hebrew School fees as soon as possible. Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Robin Myers, Financial Secretary at the temple office or by email, at robinl.myers@gmail.com. Many thanks!

-Temple Beth Sholom Financial Committee

Temple Beth Sholom of Flushing Men's Club

# **Veteran's Day Breakfast**

THEY HAD ESCAPED THE NAZIS.

BUT RETURNED IN AMERICAN UNIFORMS: TO FIGHT THEIR OWN KIND OF WAR.



# Join us for a screening of "The Ritchie Boys" on Sunday, Nov. 10, 2019

9:30 - 11:30 AM

Join us for a complimentary breakfast and viewing of the riveting, untold story of a group of young men who fled Nazi Germany and returned as soldiers in U.S. uniforms. In Camp Ritchie, Maryland, they were trained in intelligence and psychological warfare. Determined, bright, and inventive, they fought their own kind of war.

\$3 donation suggested





#### Cantor's Corner

Here I am, "looking in my rear view mirror" at the High Holy Days. As you might expect, I'm pretty tired, and trying to play "catch-up".

Nonetheless, let me take the opportunity to thank you all for another special High Holy Day experience. We had wonderful congregations this year at services throughout the holiday season, and your participation in so many ways was what made everything work.

It was remarkable to me how beautifully things went given the many logistical issues involved. As we approach the holidays, it's natural to fret over the details. Yet somehow, things all work out when Rosh Hashanah arrives!

But, that doesn't happen through good fortune, faith, or divine intervention. Things worked the way they did because of all the hard work and commitment that came before. We all owe a great debt to our President, Board of Trustees and Officers, as well as to our Committee members and staff for their tireless efforts. As a result, our building was ready to accommodate safe, dignified, satisfying and moving holiday services.

Now that we're getting into the swing of our Temple season, make it a point to be involved. Join a committee, volunteer to work on a Temple project, or join Sisterhood or Men's Club. These are wonderful opportunities to get to know fellow congregants, and to contribute to the community. By the way, we still have room for you in our Volunteer Choir, which will, in all likelihood, appear at least one more time this season. How could they not, after participating so joyously in our first Jazz Shabbat service on November 1st?

Let's keep the spirit and enthusiasm of the High Holidays going. Please come to Friday night and holiday services-the more the merrier. As always, there'll be lots of opportunities to sing along. I hope you're looking forward to the rest of this Temple Beth Sholom season as much as I am!

With affection Cantor Jerry Korobow



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### Religious School News

It has been a joyous time here in TBS Hebrew School! We are thrilled to welcome our newest students, Valentina Hellman and Margo Gellerman to Sunday School. We are excited to have a wonderful confirmation class who did an awesome job leading Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur Children's Services! Thanks to all the students who decorated grocery bags for our food drive! We happily welcomed back our teachers, Morah Beth, Morah Ruth, and Rob. We were sad to say goodbye to Morah Zilpah, but we are thrilled to wish her mazel tov on her recent engagement!!

Shared Shabbat has gotten off to a great start. It felt really special to pray from our brand new TBS prayer book. Once again our Sukkah decorating, Service, and Pizza in the Hut were great successes! Many students got to shake the lulav and etrog there. We had a second opportunity in school on the following Wednesday, but pouring rain kept us from snacking in the Sukkah. Rejoicing and dancing with the Torah is always special, and this Simchat Torah was no exception.

November brings with it the Pancake Breakfast and kickoff to Bazaar. You have all received flyers with requests for donations for Bazaar...and sign-up sheets for breakfast. Hebrew School will meet that Sunday (November 24th) at 9:30 am and we will join the congregation at the breakfast at 10:00. The students' musical performance is always a highlight of the morning.

Please bring the requested drink and condiment donations for Bazaar to my office. You will receive Bazaar coupons in exchange.

Wishing all of you a wonderful Thanksgiving to be shared with the ones you love.

B'shalom, Karen Feit Religious School Principal



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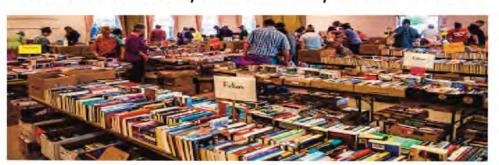
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#### Scoop's Schmooze

From when you will have received this edition of The Voice, Temple Beth Sholom's 4th Annual Chicken Soup Cook-Off will be about two weeks away. And, as this special event has followed in the footsteps of TBS's other successful annual happenings such as Bazaar, the Purim Ball, Shabbat Across America, and Pizza in the Hut, with this one, there are many logistics of this night that run the gamut of emotions----from teamwork and joy to fun and excitement to delectable deliciousness and the thrill of victory.

Teamwork has been there from Day One with each person on Team Chicken Soup---Suzanne, Jeff, Kahla (or for the non-native Bostonians, Karla), Jody, Lori, and now Sam and Marchel—not to mention their family members, and several other members of the Temple Beth Sholom family helping out; whether it has been transporting or serving soup, selling raffle tickets or interacting with guests and vendors, judges and media professionals.

The vendors, be it competitors or donors, have all been more than generous---with their time, their food, their prize contributions, and, ves, their friendship. For having known some of these restaurateurs and entrepreneurs for several years; and others for the last four or less, it is amazing and, at the same time, mindboggling to be able to walk into their places of business, send them an email or call them, and, within minutes, have them say, "what is the date, what time, how much do you need, and what else can I do?" And, at the risk of leaving any restaurant or store out (they are all listed elsewhere in The Voice), it makes no difference if it is someone who I see monthly or they are people who, because of time or distance, I may only see or visit their establishment a couple of times a year, each one gives of his or her heart in making Temple Beth Sholom a priority.

And, while this event contains all of those sentiments mentioned in the opening paragraph, along with many others; as I was visiting many vendors over the last month, one fact became a stark reality. That is that along with their generosity, hard work and desire to be an integral piece of this event, they are still in the daily grind of running their businesses. And, truth be told, their livelihood is a 24-hour a day endeavor; and is never easy.

So, when I paid visits to places that I had ventured forth to for many years, and who had been eager participants in the first three Chicken Soup Cook-Offs, and doors were locked at places like Anthony's, the Skyline Diner or the Terrace Diner, or others that we were informed were closing their doors like LL Dent and last year's winner, Tropical Revival, it became apparent that we, as a community, should try and give back to those who generously give to us throughout the year.

Venture up and down Bell Boulevard, Northern Boulevard, or Franny Lew. Go into Manhattan, out to Freeport, New Hyde Park or Manhasset, or even to the East End to Riverhead or Montauk. In appreciation for what they do, go with family and friends for a meal, or have one delivered, and just make yourself acquainted with these wonderful people who do for us what we do for each other. These are the places where our friends reside. For yes, each one of them has become our friend.

Barry Packer Third Vice President/Ways and Means Chairman

#### Pulpit and Ritual Committee

We were welcomed into the year 5780 with beautiful Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur prayers, songs, and sermons. The participation by congregants in each service was amazing, and we thank all of you who practiced and performed your service parts.

We consecrated our new prayer book, Siddur Beit Shalom, and are offering the opportunity to purchase a book plate for \$36. Flyers are available in Temple. We are looking forward to more music Shabbat services, offering food noshes before services, and celebrating simchas or honoring loved ones by hosting the oneg after services.

Geri Weiss Committee Chair

#### **SAVE THE DATE!**

Help to represent Temple Beth Sholom at an Interfaith Thanksgiving Service on Monday evening, November 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm at:

St. Andrew Avellino Church 35-60 1258<sup>th</sup> Street Flushing, NY 11358

Don't forget to make your reservations for our 4<sup>th</sup> annual Chicken Soup Cook-Off on November 9<sup>th</sup>! Grab a flyer from the table in the lobby and mail it in or drop it off in the office



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Ben & Teena's	39-33 Bell Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-229-0229
Ben's NY Kosher Deli	211-37 26th Ave	Bayside, NY 11360	718-229-2367
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Cascarino's Brick Oven Pizzeria	152-59 10th Ave	Whitestone, NY 11357	718-746-4370
Chef Elvis Caribbean Cuisine	50 South Main St	Freeport, NY 11520	516-208-8395
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Donovan's	214-16 41 <sup>st</sup> Avenue	Bayside, NY 11361	718-423-5353
East End Rotisserie	34 South Etna Street	Montauk, NY 11954	631-668-6060
Fontana	200-02 Northern Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-631-0147
Gyro World	194-21 Northern Blvd	Flushing, NY 11358	718 428-3800
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Kalamaki	29-06 172 <sup>nd</sup> St	Flushing, NY 11358	718-939-1616
La Baraka	255-09 Northern Blvd	Little Neck, NY 11362	718-423-1812
Maple Tree BBQ Smokehouse	820 West Main St	Riverhead, NY 11901	631-727-2819
Marbella	220-33 Northern Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-423-0100
Maria's Mediterranean Seafood & Grill	38-11 Bell Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-279-1606
Modern Snack Bar	628 Main Road	Aquebogue, NY 11931	631-722-3655
Mr. John's Pancake House	721 Montauk Highway	Montauk, NY 11954	631-688-2383
Mythos Authentic Greek Cuisine	196-29 Northern Blvd	Flushing, NY 11358	718-357-6596
Pizzeria Uno	39-02 Bell Blvd	Bayside, NY 11361	718-279-4900
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Queens Pita	68-38 Main St	Flushing, NY 11367	718-263-8000
Roma Bagels & Pastry Café	33-31 Francis Lewis Bl	Flushing, NY 11358	718-886-4800
Seasons	68-18 Main St	Flushing, NY 11367	718-268-6469
The Bagel Shoppe	215-03 73rd Ave	Bayside, NY 11364	718-423-6692
The Riviera Restaurant	17-12 Utopia Parkway	Whitestone, NY 11357	718-352-2225
Trattoria 35	213-15 35th Ave	Bayside, NY 11361	718352-3800
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The above listed restaurants, stores and other entities are the places which, through their generosity, thoughtfulness and friendships that have been built over the years, donated their time, effort, truly delectable foods, and exciting activities to Temple Beth Sholom's 4th Annual Chicken Soup Cook-Off. 34 of these 40 vendors will have participated in our special event for the second, third or fourth time. Between now and the next "Soup"er Bowl Saturday, in November of 2020, we encourage you to please visit these restaurants and stores, to make your acquaintance with our friends there and to, along with a big steaming bowl of chicken soup, enjoy all of the fabulous food, drinks and amenities that all of these places have to offer; so you can see what makes each one of them so special. On behalf of Team Chicken Soup, the Temple Beth Sholom family and the entire community who appreciates the food and friendship, and the time and effort; the endless gratitude that goes out to all of the proprietors, managers and their staffs can, in part, be shown by visiting them for a Saturday night dinner, calling in for a delivery during the week or holding a special family celebration at one of these fine establishments during the next 350 or so days, which will bring us right up until the time that they are back for Temple Beth Sholom's 5th Annual Chicken Soup Cook-Off.







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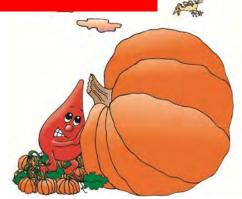
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#### Week of November 22nd

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Grandfather of Renee Katz-Packer

**Grandfather of Ronald Myers** 

Week of November 29th

#### Week of November 8th

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Mother of Maxine Simon Husband of Reva Hollander Observed by Temple Mother of Rhonda Schorr

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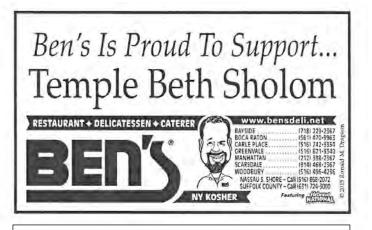
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