

THINGS TO DO

Lag B'Omer Picnic - Woodlot Park
Sunday, May 2 12:30 - 3:00

Sisterhood, Belly Dancing Lesson
Thursday, May 6 8:00 PM

Sseudah & Study, (free food)
Saturday, May 8 7:00 PM

**Men's Club Meeting:
Canceled for Mother's Day**
Sunday, May 9, All Day

Family Shabbat Dinner & Service
Friday, May 14, 6:00 PM

Sisterhood, Pilates
Sunday, May 16, 10:00 AM

Shavuot / Tikkun Leyl (free food)
Tuesday, May 18, 8:00 PM

Shavuot Morning Service (free food)
Wednesday, May 19, 9:30 AM

Shavuot Morning Service (free food)
Thursday, May 20, 9:30 AM

*See Inside for Details
On These &
Many More Events*

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**FAMILY SHABBAT DINNER
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**SHAVUOT PLANT SALE
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SHAVUOT Starts the Evening of May 18

Tues., May 18 8:00 PM
Ma'ariv Service, followed by a dairy dinner, desserts, and study for Tikkun Leyl Shavuot.

Wed., May 19 9:30 AM
1st day of Shavuot morning service followed by a dairy luncheon
Mincha following luncheon

Wed., May 19 8:30 PM
Ma'ariv Service

Thur., May 20 9:30 AM
2nd day of Shavuot morning service (Yizkor service)
followed by Ice Cream Sundae Kiddush

Mincha following Kiddush

Thur., May 20 8:30 PM
Ma'ariv and Havdalah concluding Shavuot

SHAVUOT, the 411

Every year on Shavuot we commemorate the giving of the Torah and re-new our acceptance of this gift from HaShem as it is given to us again. Shavuot means *weeks* and marks the end of the 7 week period of the counting of the omer, from the beginning of Pesach.

On Shavuot we light holiday candles both nights. It is traditional to study Torah the first night (Tikkun Leyl Shavuot).

It is traditional to eat dairy on Shavuot as a reminder of the land of milk of honey and because the Torah revealed the laws of kashrut and the people

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מעשים טובים

Be Somebody's Hero

By David Harkavy

As a theme for my Bar Mitzvah, I chose "Heroes" and have been learning what it means to be a hero in both big and small ways. The word 'Mitzvah' means commandment and part of becoming a Bar Mitzvah is taking responsibility for our obligations to G-d and towards other human beings. This is something bigger than the celebration itself — it refers to our Jewish values.

When I learned one of my best friends' Grandfathers had been smuggled out of Germany as a child and hidden by a family in France, I was stunned. I immediately thought those people that hid him were real heroes. In looking for a worthy mitzvah project, I came across The Jewish Foundation for the Righteous. This is an organization which provides financial support to 1,400 non-Jews, many now aged and needy, who rescued Jews during the

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Thanks!

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Raoul Wallenberg

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Holocaust and preserves their legacy through a national education program. This was a charity that hit home for me and I wanted to help.

I have sent tzedakah to support this organization (www.jfr.org) but as a Bar Mitzvah, I had to do more.

First, they had me learn about many righteous gentiles and choose one to study in depth. I choose Raoul Wallenberg and chose to 'twin' my bar mitzvah to him.

Why?

He was incredibly brave. He knew he had an opportunity to make a significant difference and he took it. He saved not just a few people, or several families, but thousands. Mr. Wallenberg was a Swedish diplomat, sent to work in Budapest in 1944. While there, he put tens of thousands of Jews under his protection. He created a new 'Shutzpass' (Swedish protection pass), which he and his staff issued to the Hungarian Jews. It exempted them from wearing the yellow star of David and identifying themselves. He set up safe houses where they could move. He worked with diplomats from other neutral embassies to set up an "international ghetto" that came to house 30,000 Jews. He even employed Jews in his operation. As the Germans tried to march the Jews to the Austrian border, Mr. Wallenberg followed them in his car, demanding their release. He was able to rescue hundreds, providing trucks to return them to Budapest. He organized checkpoints along roads and border crossings to be sure those under his protection were not removed. He continued to issue more and more protective passes until the Soviets liberated the area in 1945. Mr. Wallenberg mysteriously disappeared on a mission to meet with soviet officials. He hoped to provide food and medicine to surviving Jews, but was never seen again.

Over the years, the Swedish government inquired about Wallenberg's fate. In 1957, the Soviets announced that he had died from a heart attack in 1947 while in Moscow's Lubianka Prison and had been cremated. No evidence was provided, however, and Wallenberg's family and many of his admirers did not believe the story. Raoul Wallenberg was barely thirty-three years old when he disappeared. During the six months he spent in Budapest, he and his colleagues rescued tens of thousands of Jews.

As the final part of my Bar Mitzvah project, I want to work to be sure his name is remembered. That is why I am sharing his story with you now. I hope his perseverance and bravery will also inspire someone else to stand up to injustice. I know he has inspired me.

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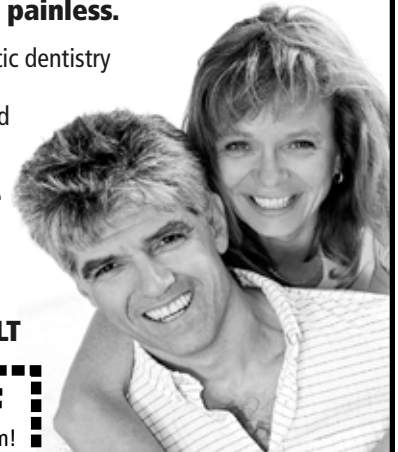
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NEW BIG IDEAS?

Elie Kaunfer, a young rabbi in New York, writes in his recent book "Empowered Judaism: What Independent Minyanim Can Teach Us About Building Vibrant Jewish Communities") that the communal focus has been on educating youngsters while largely neglecting adults, and that there needs to be a lot more supply to meet the demand for engagement among young college graduates and other adults. Rabbi Kaunfer states "It's not assimilation, but rather the problem of meaning and engagement." He continues, "Part of the problem is that there are very few places that offer Jews an opportunity to experience the power and mystery of Jewish tradition firsthand. Even people who are in-married by and large have little connection to Torah, Jewish practice and values. They are dependent on others to translate Judaism for them, and they trudge to High Holiday services to receive the requisite "Be good!" sermons, only to return to their lives unchallenged and unchanged".

My sympathies are aligned with Rabbi Kaunfer's point of view. It is not intermarriage that is at issue but making our Jewish experience very significant. We must offer more substantial opportunities to all inclined to engage in Judaism. I suspect that our perspective and experience differs from those living in a major city like New York or those who are pre-parents. I believe strongly that the desire to lead enriching lives, filled with Jewish values well describes all of our aspirations.

We are living in a new era for Jews in America. We respectfully support the institutions that our parents built but feel less of a connection to the religious and cultural undertakings than the previous generation. How will our children feel about their local synagogue or JCC? Will they be more or less respectful than our generation has been?

As we know significant innovation occurs through experimentation, and at the same time nothing is new under the sun. From the days of the Talmudic academies to the recently created independent minyanim, the energy and passion of Jewish life is ultimately dependent on Jews actively building, from the ground up, self-sustaining models of Jewish life that have the potential to leave echoes for generations to come.

To the extent Jews yearn for Jewish life, it is because they yearn for its potentially powerful and transformative message. Earlier generations, by force or by choice, may have sought Jewish connection out of familial, economic, social, and communal interests. Today, however, those younger Jews who do choose Judaism do so because of the merits of what it has to offer intellectually, spiritually, and emotionally.

We face a difficult challenge; to create and to connect a meaningful future enriched by our past, which will surpass our current reality. Rabbi Kaunfer asserts that "... instead of focusing on new ideas, the Jewish community would be better served by connecting to the original "big ideas" of our heritage: Torah, avodah (rituals) and gemilut hasadim (acts of loving kindness), for instance. To put it another way: there is no "new big idea." There is just investment in the old, but in a serious, meaningful, and thoughtful way."

To most of us, this IS a big new idea, and a challenge that we are prepared to accept.

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Monday		7:30 PM	Maariv
Tuesday		7:30 PM	Maariv
Wednesday		7:30 PM	Maariv
Thursday	7:30 AM Shahareet	7:30 PM	Maariv
Friday		8:00 PM	Kabbalat Shabbat
Saturday	9:30 AM Shabbat	Mincha/Maariv/Havdallah	
		7:30 PM	May 1st
	<i>Seudah & Study</i>	7:00 PM	May 8th
		7:45 PM	May 15th
		7:45 PM	May 22nd
	<i>Sundaes on Saturday</i>	8:00 PM	May 29th

Babysitting available Shabbat morning, 10:15 AM - 12:00 PM

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Seen the Jersey Tribe?

On March 21, ten members from Jersey Tribe joined with Jewish Family Service of MetroWest to deliver Passover food packages to nearly 60 homebound elderly people in Hudson County. After dividing into carpools, the volunteers delivered the packages and spent some time chatting with the elderly.

Jersey Tribe's next event was a happy hour on April 8 at 7 p.m. at Old Bay in New Brunswick. Piper Huggins, Executive Director of SAVE: A Friend to Homeless Animals, an animal shelter located in Princeton, discussed details about volunteer opportunities and how to sponsor or adopt a pet.

Twelve members of Jersey Tribe visited Club JCC in West Orange to play with special needs kids and help them celebrate Israeli Independence Day on Sunday, April 18. The children made Israeli flags and maps of Israel, decorated mezuzot, and painted picture frames. They also had their faces painted by volunteers and sang Israeli songs.

The next Jersey Tribe event will be at the Community Food Bank in Hillside on May 2 from 1 to 3 p.m. Participants will package food

and sort toys. To attend, RSVP on Facebook or Evite.

Jersey Tribe members range in age from 22 to 40 (give or take a year or two), have diverse Jewish backgrounds, come from towns across northern and central New Jersey and are a mix of singles, couples and marrieds. We typically have two events per month and we welcome suggestions and help with activities and nonprofit partners.

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/JerseyTribe

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Shabbat, June 19, 2010

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From The Webmaster

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Many members have benefited from the list, including those who needed to sell or give away last minute sports & concert tickets or to find new homes for their pets.

The list was initially designed to allow congregants to express their thoughts about the synagogue and Jewish issues in general. And to some extent, it still is, but, the most common use of the media lately has been to provide our own private "Craig's List". And that's not a bad thing if our members find it helpful.

But, please, do not post anything on Shabbat or other religious holidays and keep all replies private.

Everything about electronic communication at B'nai Tikvah can be found on our website by clicking the "Communications" link or by sending a comment or question to me.

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Allison Nagelberg, VP Membership

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On the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Daniel

Richard and Lisa Seidman
On the Bat Mitzvah of her daughter, Rachel

Our Condolences to:

Wilfred and Stephanie Eberle
On the passing of their wife/mother, Shirley

Arthur Baer
On the passing of his aunt, Roz Pesin

Membership Milestones

Having just returned from an amazing trip to Israel, I am still floating on air. Not only did we celebrate our daughter's Bat Mitzvah in the Holy Land; we also spent the entire holiday of Passover there. While this was not our first trip to Israel, it was surely one of our most memorable. In Israel, there are literally hundreds of restaurants and hotels that are Kosher for Passover during the holiday. In our Jewish homeland, EVERYONE you meet wishes you a "chag sameach". There are opportunities to pray in a wide variety of minyanim wherever you turn. Being Jewish and observing Jewish holidays is simply the norm. I learned that even auto insurance companies recognize this fact by giving drivers a discount if they do not use their vehicles on Shabbat and Yom Tov!

Here in the United States, realizing our potential as Jews sometimes requires more effort. We must be active participants in our synagogues and religious schools, and we must work hard to foster a vibrant Jewish community within our secular world. The members of this congregation take this responsibility seriously; while we are not in Israel, we have surely created a cohesive kehila where Judaism flourishes, and I am so proud to be a part of this community.

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ANOTHER VIEWPOINT

Pastover

Passover is pastover. I eat matzoh year round, but I think I have had enough for a while. The two Seders that I attended were successful in that they met all of the requirements of the order, which is what the word Seder means.

The first Seder was more educational in that there were several preteen children who asked questions and caused debates about the answers. The second Seder was attended by more worldly adults for whom the Seder was an opportunity to visit and enjoy the company.

On the Shabbat just prior to Passover, I attended a Bar Mitzvah for my grand nephew in Pleasantville New York. From there I drove home on Sunday, and on Wednesday drove out to my son in Great Neck, NY, where I changed cars and rode out to Huntington with my son and his family, to his mother-in-laws house for the first night Seder. Thankfully, the second Seder was only a five minutes from home. I had enough driving to last me for a while.

Theoretically, all Seders are the same, but every one is different. From my childhood I remember the Seders in my grandparents' home. The huge round table in the dining room, and seated around the table were all the male members of the family, who read every single word of the Maxwell House Coffee Hagadah at breakneck speed. No short cuts were allowed. The men at the table, and the women in the kitchen. Children of both genders were allowed at the table as long as they behaved. After one of the older, but still younger kids read the four questions (four "kashes" they were called in Yiddish), we were pretty much ignored unless we misbehaved and were banished from the table. The search and finding of the Afikomen, which is such a big deal today, was in those days rewarded with a couple of chocolate coins wrapped in gold foil. Very different from the prizes that some kids bargain for today.

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David Harkavy, May 8
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Ariel Cadoff, May 15
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Rachel Greenberg, May 29
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SHAVUOT *continued from page 1*

could only immediately follow the rules for dairy.

We decorate the synagogue with flowers, because Shavuot is also a harvest festival

We gather food and make donations to food pantries to remember that Shavuot is also the time of the giving of the first fruits.

We read the Ten Commandments in the morning.

There is special significance to bringing children to hear the Ten Commandments.

Before haShem gave the Torah to the Jewish people, He demanded guarantors. The Jews made a number of suggestions, all rejected by G-d, until they declared, "Our children will be our guarantors that we will cherish and observe the Torah." G-d immediately accepted them and agreed to give the Torah to the Jewish people

Shavuot is also known as:

"Z'man Matan Torateinu" -

The Time of the Giving of Our Torah

"Chag HaBikkurim" -

The Holiday of the First Fruits

"Chag HaKatzir" -

The Holiday of the Cutting of the Crop

NOTICE

Bereavement Group Forming

In the fall of 2010, a bereavement group under the guidance of Rabbi Wolkroff will start meeting on a regular basis. A need has developed in our community to support our congregants who have suffered a loss.

We would like you to contact us so we can assess the needs of those who want to attend.

As we get more input, and get closer to the initial meeting date, information will be published in the Hakol.

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Pastover

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One year, in the late 1960's Mili and I found ourselves in Mexico City at Passover time, with no where to go for a Seder. I phoned the Israeli consul on the chance that they might know of a Seder that we could attend. I struck gold. The consul gave me the phone numbers of two congregations that held community Seders and for a nominal charge we were invited to attend a Seder at a local congregation.

There were three other couples at our table, all Americans. They were part of a group of teachers who were on a tour of Mexico who found themselves in the in the same fixes as we were. We were happy to be seated with English speakers, but the Haggadahs were in Hebrew and Spanish. Our hosts were very gracious, but spoke no English. So the lingua franca became Yiddish. It seems that Yiddish is spoken more by Jews south of the border, by second and third generation Jews than in North America. It happens that my first language was Yiddish. Although it was kind of rusty, it was still adequate to communicate with our hosts, and we were able to express our appreciation for the open handed and gracious reception that our Spanish/Yiddish speaking hosts had extended to us wandering Jews.

So it's a bit late, but


Chag Sameach anyway.

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 Mail it to the synagogue or leave your payment in the box marked "Bobbi Binder".
RSVP A MUST BY MAY 12TH (really!!)
 Questions? Call Bobbi @ 732-274-2797 or email eemaof3@comcast.net

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REPORTS *Ann Kanarek, Director*

As the school year comes to a close, it is gratifying to look back at all that our students have learned and accomplished. It is thanks to our devoted group of teachers that all of our students have had such a successful year.

Teaching is crucial to the Jewish future and without our teachers Judaism would quickly evaporate. As we mark the end of the school year I would like to acknowledge the hard work and efforts of our teachers. Many thanks to our esteemed faculty:

Melissa Burnett	Sam Master
Phyllis Edley	Zeke Pariser
Aimee Fishkin	Ariella Prince
Gina Giuffre	Cantor Bruce D. Rockman
Michal Gordon	Terez Slim
Marlo Hirshon	Rabbi Robert L. Wolkoff
Aliza Levenson	Carol Winter
Judith Luger	Talia Zarbiv

On behalf of the faculty and school, I would like to thank the parents for all your support and, most especially, for giving us the pleasure of working with your children.

Thank you to Vice President of School and Youth, *Jeff Schwartz* and Religious Education Co-chairs, *Debbie Allen* and *Lauren Cohen* and their committee for all their encouragement and efforts all year. Many thanks to all the subcommittees for helping in our fund-raising efforts and for making the JET experiences and holiday celebrations special.

And, on a personal note, for thirteen years, I have had the privilege of serving as your Director of Education. At the end of this year, I will be retiring. It has been a real pleasure working with all of you. I've had wonderful experiences and have enjoyed every moment. My tenure here, at B'nai Tikvah has been filled with blessings both on a personal and professional level. Thank you to all the very dedicated and creative teachers, all the bright and inquisitive students and all the families who have been so enormously supportive and positive. You have made my years here very fulfilling and rewarding. I will miss everyone and hope that you will continue to keep in touch with me. Thank you!

SPECIAL GRADUATION SERVICES

Friday, June 4, 7:00pm

Hei Class Siyum Service

(7th grade class commencement)

On Friday, June 4, we will have an opportunity to celebrate with our Hei class at their siyum service. This special service marks the completion of one segment

of our students' Jewish education here at B'nai Tikvah, and the beginning of another, the Chai school program. This is an exciting event for which our seventh graders have been eagerly working. As a culmination of their studies, students will be sharing their thoughts on being Jewish. The theme this year is how we learn and live Judaism. Their play "Part of the Solution" beautifully explains how each one of us can be a better person and a proud Jew.

Please join us as our hei students "graduate" from Hebrew school and share their service with the congregation.

Congregation B'nai Tikvah extends heartfelt good wishes to the members of the 2010 Religious School Hei (seventh grade) class.

CHAI SCHOOL GRADATION

Several years after Bar/Bat Mitzvah our students graduate from Chai school. In our Congregation, graduation is celebrated in 11th grade. This ceremony affirms one's commitment to the study, observance, and practice of our tradition. We will celebrate graduation on Friday, June 4, 7:00pm. This promises to be a very special service and memorable experience. We hope that many of you will join us as we congratulate this year's graduate.

We offer Mazel Tov to this year's Chai school graduate: **MELISSA KATZ!!**

KOL HAKAVOD TO ALL OUR TEACHERS

As we approach the end of the school year, we recognize the hard work and dedication of our teachers. It is thanks to them that our students have had such an enriching and enjoyable year. If you would like to express your gratitude you can make a contribution to the **RELIGIOUS SCHOOL EDUCATION FUND** in a teacher(s) honor. Your donation would benefit the children of B'nai Tikvah as the fund provides extra curricular activities and enrichment programs. You can find a form on the website.

Please check off the names(s) of the teacher(s) you wish to honor and mail it back with your check to:

B'nai Tikvah Religious School
1001 Finnegans Lane
North Brunswick, NJ 08902

A card will be sent to the individuals to acknowledge your gift. Many thanks for your support and generosity. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

NURSERY SCHOOL NEWS PHYLLIS DENENBERG, DIRECTOR

Spaces are still available for summer camp and fall programs!

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Lag B'Omer will be celebrated by all classes on Monday, May 3rd. It is a day of rejoicing and it will be celebrated by having picnics (rain or shine; if it does rain, we will "picnic" in the gym) and making special projects.

This year's Mother's Day Tea will take place on Friday, May 7th. Moms, Grandmas and aunts are invited. Invitations were sent out. The children will sing songs and present beautiful gifts to their Moms. There will be iced tea to drink and baked goods to eat. Check out our website for photos.

Conferences will take place on Monday May 17th for all classes. Regular classes are in session.

Tuesday night, May 18th through Friday, May 20th we will celebrate the holiday of Shavuot. Moses received the Torah on Mount Sinai during this time. All classes will "study" the Ten Commandments. It is tradition to eat dairy food on Shavuot. Blintzes and cheesecake will be made and consumed!

We will be closed, Monday May 31st for Memorial Day.

Save the Date:

Pre-K Graduation is: Friday June 11, 2010 at 12:30!

Cleaning your house while your kids are still growing is like shoveling the walk before it stops snowing.

- Phyllis Diller

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REMINDERS:

SUNDAY, MAY 2:

10:45 am Chai School Orientation, for Hei students and their parents.

Please note: All Hei students will have regular school session on that day, 9:00 am - 12:05 pm

10:05 am - 10:25 am Second grade parents: Orientation to alef class

FRIDAY, MAY 7:

7:30 pm ALEF CLASS: Consecration ceremony.

SATURDAY, MAY 8:

10:30 am Dalet class led Shabbat service (Jr. Congregation) special Kiddush to follow.

SUNDAY, MAY 9:

11:30 am GIMEL CLASS Model wedding,

FRIDAY, JUNE 4:

7:00 pm HEI CLASS Siyum service and CHAI GRADUATION ceremony

Summer camp starts on Monday June 28th.

Our activities will be organized around weekly themes. Once a week, there will be a special program relating to the theme of the week.

First Session

- Week 1 "Friends, Friends, Friends"
- Week 2 "Winter Olympics, Go USA!"
- Week 3 "Wild Wild West"
- Week 4 "Around the World in 5 Days"

Second Session

- Week 5 "Bugs Bugs Bugs"
- Week 6 "It's Magic"
- Week 7 "F is for Fitness"
- Week 8 "Totally 60's"

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B'NAI TIKVAH YOUTH

KADIMA



Congratulations to **Rachel Seidman** for attending 10 events so far this year! She will receive a gift card! It's still not too late for many others!

Tuesday, May 4 – Chill Night in the Youth Lounge, from 7:30-9 pm. Bring your favorite Board Game & relax w/ your Chapter friends. Please invite any of your friends who didn't join this year to show them what Kadima is all about! RSVP by 4/29.

Snacks will be served.

May 14 – 16, 2010 Regional Spring Convention, Holiday Inn 195 Davidson Ave, Somerset for those attending.

Monday, May 17 – One Shot Billiards, 1713 Route 27, Somerset from 7-8:30 pm. The cost TBA in the weekly announcements. RSVP by 5/13.

Sunday, June 6 – Closing Event, Pool Party at the Bierstein's from 1:30-3:30 pm. The address 428 Ridge Rd, Dayton. Snacks will be served. Don't forget your towel! RSVP by 6/1.

August 22-29th – Encampment 2010, if you still need another application, please ask. Camp is opened for those members going into 6-12th grade next year. Please remember if you attend Encampment, you must join Kadima next year!

As always, please RSVP to me for all events that require an RSVP date.

Jordana Andersen
Kadima Advisor
Btkadima@gmail.com
732-422-7457

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Hello all! Purim prom was great and Pesach just seemed to fly by! We are approaching the end of the year, but not without a last round of events!

May 16th – Elections with pizza and ice cream at Bnai Tikvah! Event will go from about 6-9. More information will follow.

May 22nd – closing dance in Metuchen, 9:30PM-12:00AM. Bus information will follow.

May 28th – Encampment deposit deadline

June 6th – Closing event BBQ!!!!
(8th graders will be invited) - More info will follow

August 22-29th – Encampment 2010, Camp is opened for those members going into 6-12th grade next year.

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Contact Marci Oslick, (908)874-0959, *marcioslick@yahoo.com*
to RSVP or for more information.



Shavu'ot

The time to commemorate the harvesting of the first fruits

Sisterhood's 2nd Annual Plant Sale

Decorate our B'nai Tikvah Bimah with an array of beautiful plants.

All proceeds will be donated to the Jewish National Fund

Purchase a small plant @ \$18.00 each or a larger plant @\$36.00

Plants will be adorning the Sanctuary beginning May 17th

Your plant will be identified with a "Name Tag"

*All plants will remain on the Bimah until May 21st **

ORDER FORM

I would like to purchase _____ Small Plants @ 18.00 each
 _____ Larger Plants @ \$36.00 each

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ _____

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

*Following Shavu'ot (May 21, 2010) you may claim your plant and take it home!

All orders must be placed no later than May 6, 2010. Orders can be left at the synagogue office or mailed to Lynn Biderman 49 Albury Way, North Brunswick, NJ 08902



B'NAI TIKVAH COMMUNITY

SISTERHOOD

Sisterhood Happenings

We're Moving in May

No not our location but our bodies! Check out these upcoming events:

BELLY DANCING LESSON - Thursday, May 6 at 8:00pm (following Sisterhood elections) Don't miss this opportunity to take a Belly Dancing class with Crystal Mor - soon to be seen in the next "Sex & the City" movie!

A new take on PILATES - Sunday, May 16th - 10:00am take a class with our own Sisterhood member, Diane Young Sussman

Save the Date --

Sisterhood dinner and installation of new board at 6:30 on Friday, June 11th. More details to follow in June Hakol. Any questions, contact Phyllis Safeer at 732-432-9622.

Beyond the Book

In partnership with Sisterhood and Hadassah L'Dor V'Dor, Young Women of Raritan Valley sponsors a Book & Media Club for Discussing Hot Topics of the Page and Screen. Reading: "You Never Call! You Never Write! A History of the Jewish Mother" by Joyce Antler. All are welcome!

RSVP to Jennifer Manson at 732-940-2442

Social Action

Sisterhood Social Action Collection for the month of May benefits Women Aware. Please bring donations of children's snack foods and women's personal products to any Sisterhood meeting or program in May.

Thank you for your help.

Torah Fund

Your Torah Fund contribution strengthens and perpetuates Conservative Judaism throughout the World. For information how you can support Torah Fund, contact Ann Rosenzweig, 732-249-9141.

Where lipstick is concerned, the important thing is not the color, but to accept God's final decision on where your lips end.

- Jerry Seinfeld

50plus

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 25

The Fifty Plus Group will meet on Tuesday, May 25, at 1 p.m. in the Social Hall of the Synagogue. This will be an open planning meeting for programs for next season. Prospective members are welcome.

As in the past, we plan to meet over the summer months. Your impact as to desired programs is appreciated.

Join us for this meeting and surprise refreshments.

For further information

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Sunday, May 2, 2010

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12:30 – 3:30 PM



Bring your own Meat or Dairy Kosher Food!

Activities include Parent/Child Softball,
Basketball, Kickball, Frisbee, Relay Races,
Arts and Crafts & Face Painting

Feel free to bring your own sports equipment.

Please check the B'nai Tikvah website if weather is questionable.

B'nai Tikvah Calendar Fundraiser

September 2010 - August 2011

Online form: bnaitikvah.org/calform.html

The synagogue calendar includes Hebrew/English dates, holidays, school and other special events, meetings, candle-lighting times and the Membership Handbook.

Celebrate your birthdays, anniversaries, and family events! Advertise your business and support our congregation!

Please attach another sheet if more space is needed.

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(For greater legibility, please use the online form at www.bnaitikvah.org)

B'NAI TIKVAH COMMUNITY**SUPERMARKET GIFT CARDS****THE MERRY MONTH OF MAY**

With so many holidays and special events occurring in May, it's bound to be a merry month. Examples of May happenings are: Mother's Day (the 9th), college graduations, Memorial Day, barbeques/parties for these events or barbeques for no reason other than it's May. These special days along with the less special ones might just require you to step foot inside a store. Yep, that's right; you might have to go SHOPPING!

Before you head out to shop, remember to purchase enough Gift Cards (GCs) from the Gift Card Committee (GCC). Need to go to a supermarket? Buy SCs from **A&P**, **Acme**, **Pathmark**, **Shop Rite**, **Stop & Shop** and/or **Whole Foods**. Want to serve deli or dine at one? Then it's **Lox**, **Stock & Deli** or **Jesse & David's** for you. Are you spring cleaning, sprucing up the homestead (in and/or out), preparing gardens, caring for the lawn? Well, open your windows for fresh air, then head to **Home Depot** for your supplies. All of the above listed stores participate in the Congregation B'nai Tikvah (CBT) GC fundraising program. So since the GCC carries GCs for these stores, stock up on them for your next shopping experience. I think this is a no-brainer with no good excuses to avoid buying any.

The GCC is able to assist you when making your purchases. There are four (4) easy methods for buying the GCs. The choice is yours. They are:

- Visit the GCC table each Sunday during religious school hours;
- Go on-line at bnaitikvah.org – an order form is included;
- Contact one of the following GCC members:

Bobbi Binder	732-274-2797
Bobby Bergman	732-246-7285
Ann Rosenzweig	732-249-9141
Joyce Fishelberg	609-655-3803
Sylvia Lewis	609-409-0299
Sherry Valan	732-297-0696
- Call/visit Sherry Valan at CBT during regular business hours - phone is listed above.



Not only is Sherry a GC committee member, but she is also the lady to contact if you want to rent meeting space in the synagogue.

THIS MONTH'S TIP: When shopping at any of our participating supermarkets, don't forget there are aisles other than those for food. The health & beauty aisles and the seasonal aisle(s) offer many ideas that could be used for gifts or gift add-ons. For Mother's Day: why not buy some of her favorite make-up in the beauty aisle along with some nice sweets for her? In the seasonal aisle you might find a nice basket or gift bag in which you could display your choice(s). To complete this gift get a nice greeting card from that aisle as well as nice wrapping paper or cellophane wrap to finish it off. Finally, don't forget the flowers. If the store has this area, your Mom would love flowers; either fresh cut or in a pot for a future planting. Just get your creativity going for Mother's Day and any other special May day and use GCs.

Until June I wish all the Moms in CBT and all those with Moms a Happy Mother's Day. Also, my congratulations go out to the college graduates and their families. This is a shining moment, an achievement, one of great pride.

Linda Feinstein

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FEDERATION EVENTS

Annual Meeting

June 14, 2010 7:30pm

Congregation B'nai Tikvah, North Brunswick

The community is invited to join us as we congratulate outgoing President Lee Livingston on a job well done and welcome new President Arlene Frumkin.

Light refreshments will be served.

Teens! Spend the Summer in DC

Federation will award one summer internship to a Middlesex County high school student, entering grade 10, 11 or 12 in the fall of 2010.

Held in Washington DC from June 28-July 11 or from July 13-July 26, the program, Panim Summer Jam, offers the chance for your teen to participate in community service projects, field trips, study Jewish texts and values, and hear legislative updates from leading experts on domestic and international policies. The scholarship includes room and board, kosher meals, field trips and entertainment.

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Contact Ruth Shindler at ruthshindler@comcast.net

TODAH RABAH

We would like to thank Joyce Fishelberg, Bill Greenberg, Mike Ketofsky, Jeri Roller, Mae Rubenstein & Janet Szpiro for making April birthday calls and Cheryl Cadoff, Sherry Valan & Daria Valan for helping with the Passover mailing.

We would also like to thank Sherry Valan for helping in the synagogue office.

YOM HA'SHOAH READER'S NAMES

Thank you to all of our readers and listeners who came in to read names of the million and a half children who perished in the Holocaust.

Marty Haller	Marc Dillman
Rachel Ruchlin	Jay Scheuer
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Ann Rosenzweig	Sam Rosenzweig
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Hei students & their teachers,
Talia Zarbiv and Michael Gordon

Dalet students & their teachers,
Zeke Pariser and Judith Luger

Gimel students & their teacher, Marlo Hirshon

Bet students & their teacher, Carol Winter

And a special thanks to the **2nd Generation Group**, Mirah Becker, Serena Blackin, Allen Weg, Florence Herman and Yvette Schlossel who provided us with pictures and heartbreaking stories of their families plight and extermination during the Holocaust years.

*Just as despair can come to one
only from other human beings,
hope, too, can be given to one only
by other human beings.*

- Elie Wiesel

DONATIONS *March 12 through April 12:*

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THINGS TO DO

Lag B'Omer Picnic - Woodlot Park

Sunday, May 2 12:30 - 3:00

Sisterhood, Belly Dancing Lesson

Thursday, May 6 8:00 PM

Seudah & Study, (free food)

Saturday, May 8 7:00 PM

Men's Club Meeting:

Canceled for Mother's Day

Sunday, May 9, All Day

Family Shabbat Dinner & Service

Friday, May 14, 6:00 PM

Sisterhood, Pilates

Sunday, May 16, 10:00 AM

Shavuot / Tikkun Leyl

Tuesday, May 18, 8:00 PM

Shavuot Morning Service

Wednesday, May 19, 9:30 AM

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Thursday, May 20, 9:30 AM

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