

THE MEGILLAH

☆ Temple Beth David ☆

Kislev 5778 ~ Tevet 5778

December 2017

Israel Trip

Pechanga Trip

Toy Drive

Chanukah Dinner & Party

Club 55

Dine-Out Delight



See inside for more details!

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CIRCLE OF HONOR MEMBERS 2017 / DECEMBER SCHEDULES

PLATINUM

Joe & Sharon Hernandez
Neil Kornswait
Saul & Barbara Zenk
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Charlie & Cathy Niederman
Allan Shubin & Sandy Sobolew
Shubin
Howard & Diane Spielman

Alan & Laurel Jarrick
Deborah & Daniel Lechuk
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Matt & Lisa Paretsky
Marlyn Phillips
Richard & Deanne Ruby
Howard & Candy
Fox Tobey
Michelle & David
Twisselmann

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Robert Altman & Michelle Sandler
Gene Broscow & Rachelle Wilson
Sean & Andrea Chait-Walters
Aaron & Leslie Kern
Jan Klein
Marv & Evelyn Marshall

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Frieda Rapoport Caplan
Ian & Gayle Chait
Fran DeKovner
Michael Greenfield
Stephen & Bich Thuy-Groner
Lynne Horn

December Shabbat Schedule

Friday	1	7:00pm	Family Shabbat Service
Saturday	2	9:00am	Torah Study
Friday	8	7:30pm	Choir Shabbat Service
Saturday	9	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
Friday	15	7:30pm	Shabbat ALIVE Service
Saturday	16	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
		10:30am	Greenberg B'nei Mitzvah
Friday	22	7:00pm	Youth Lock-In Service
Saturday	23	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
Friday	29	7:30pm	Shabbat Service
Saturday	30	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan

December Religious School Schedule

Sun	3	9:00am	Religious School
Tues	5	4:15pm	Hebrew School
		6:30pm	Teen Program
			9th Grade Program
Sun	10	9:00am	Religious School
			Chanukah Party K-6
Tues	12	4:15pm	Hebrew School
		6:30pm	Teen Program
Sun	17		No Religious School
Tues	19		No Hebrew School/ Teen Program
Sun	24		No Religious School
Tues	26		No Hebrew School/Teen Program
Sun	31		9th Grade Program

“Please consider remembering Temple Beth David in your will or trust.”





The Joy of Latkes

Rabbi Nancy Myers

December 2017



Hmmmm, there's something about the aroma wafting through the room as latkes are frying in oil. The rich fragrance brings with it a warmth and reminder of a good meal to come. For Ashkenazi Jews (those of

East European descent), we

eat potato pancakes called latkes during the 8 nights of Hanukkah. Sephardic Jews, on the other hand, eat jelly filled doughnuts called sufganiot. Eating foods with oil may not be the healthiest of dietary choices and yet they remind us of the miracles of Hanukkah.

After the Maccabees' victory over the Seleucids (Syrian-Greeks), they recovered our holy Temple in Jerusalem. Much to their horror, they found the altar and sacred vessels broken, garbage strewn over the floors, and pagan idols within its precincts. Cleaning up the Temple carefully, the warriors found a small cruse of oil that was only enough to illuminate the darkness for one day. Working by the light of this oil, our people joyfully discovered that it continued to burn not just for one day, or two, or three but for 8 days! The greater miracle, of course, was the defeat of an army more powerful and numerous than our rag tag Maccabees.

Oil and light continue to be our way of celebrating Hanukkah. Light is a symbol of hope even in the darkest nights of the year. It reminds us that the weak can overcome the mighty and that we as Jews have survived and flourished for

thousands of years. We will proudly light our menorahs beginning on Tuesday evening, December 12 and continue to add one candle till the eight lights of the menorah brighten our homes. Some people put a menorah or an electric one in the window to joyfully publicize this wonderful holiday.

One of my favorite latke recipes comes from the LA times kitchen called, "Winter Sunshine Latkes." The recipe calls for equal parts of sweet potato, potato, parsnip, and carrot and combines them with eggs, baking powder, flour, and fresh herbs. It's healthier and more flavorful than the usual potato recipe. If you are interested, try this link: <http://www.latimes.com/la-fo-hanukkahrec9a-2009dec09,0,7395088.story>

In the meantime, we hope to see you at our Hanukkah party on Friday night, December 15. Appetizers and wine begin at 5:00 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:00, and then a musical worship experience at 7:30 p.m. featuring our adult and children's choirs and a dramatic telling of the Hanukkah story that describes how our people stood up as one to fight for Torah, independence, and the future of our children.

I want to wish you and your families a joyful and meaningful Hanukkah.



President's Message

A Note of Thanks



I know I am about a week late with this, but while the turkey is still in the fridge (come on, make the hash already and move on), I thought I would take a moment to give thanks. There is much to be thankful for... both in our own lives and here at Temple Beth David. I am thankful for the warm, inviting congregation my family and I have come to call our home. I am also truly appreciative of all the work it takes to make this place what it is. Our clergy are wonderful, always setting an inspirational tone both at worship services and as good human beings. And of course, without our amazing office staff keeping us on track and on time, we would not be able to function as efficiently as we do. Thank you also to our religious school and pre-school staff for bringing along our next generation of mentsches. A special thank you as well to our TBD board of trustees for all their time and dedication towards making this place great. And I would be remiss if I did not mention our Sisterhood, Brotherhood, and all our wonderful groups, clubs, chavurahs, and volunteers who help shape TBD and give us a character of our own. Thank you one and all for being members of TBD, and for calling this place your home.

Have a Happy Hanukkah.





SISTERHOOD MATTERS...

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many Sisterhood gals who helped to make the carnival a success. They are the chairs and their committee: Renee Dorfman for the delicious latkes, Mickey Lewin for the bake sale, Jackie Hewitt and Linda Cohen for the gift shop in the foyer, and Lisa McCall and Doris Franco as the overall chairs of the boutique and all the Sisterhood participation. A JOB WELL DONE!

I would like to extend best wishes for a joyous Hanukkah season and a happy New year. May it be one of good health and much happiness. Don't forget the Temple Hanukkah dinner in the social hall.



A reminder of upcoming events:

Social Action program- Jan

Dining Delights at Katella Deli on January 8 ,2018

Sisterhood/Brotherhood Paid-up Dinner - January 20

My words of wisdom for this month—"When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot in it and hang on".

**Shalom ,
Anne Farber, President**



JACK BROSCOW

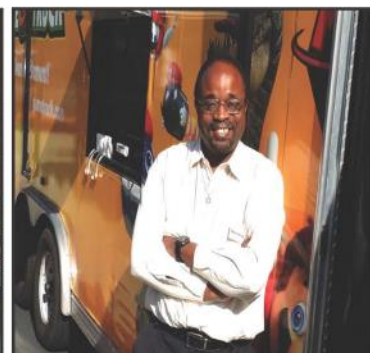


TEMPLE BETH DAVID BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT'S COLUMN



Steve Harris, Brotherhood President

BROTHERHOOD HELPED NOVEMBER CHANUKAH CARNIVAL!!



CHANUKAH CARNIVAL ATTENDEES: *First picture shows (l-r) TBD President Eric Schiffer, Rabbi Nancy Myers, Cantor Nancy Linder, and Brotherhood President Steve Harris at the Carnival. Second picture is Brotherhood Carnival Chairman Matt Saltzman (with his nephew, Aidan Saltzman) who worked in every manner to provide so many elements for our Carnival!. Third picture shows Lee Netzer, Charlie Niederman, and Ted Cohen as the chefs for Brotherhood food items!! Fourth picture is Brotherhood V.P. Robin Harrison in front of the OC Game Car he brought forth to our TBD students!!*

The eight-day Jewish celebration known as Hanukkah or Chanukah commemorates the rededication during the second century B.C. of the Second Temple in Jerusalem, where according to legend, Jews had risen up against their Greek-Syrian oppressors in the Maccabean Revolt. Plus, the menorah is a true resource. It was believed that God lasted if for eight days so the Temple could be redone in a religious manner after Greeks and Syrians were taken out of Israel!! There is a song, **"Hanukkah, Oh Hanukkah"** that states **Hanukkah: "Oh, Hanukkah, Let's light the menorah, Let's have a party, We'll all dance the hora, Gather 'round the table, we'll give you a treat, A dreidel to play with and latkes to eat!!"** **Bottomline: Oh, it's a holiday!!**

With Chanukah coming up on December 12 to December 20, Temple Beth David in Westminster always has, like in this last November, a wonderful and diverse carnival for everyone from adults to kids enjoying rides, foods, and a variety of vendors selling how and what they want for the holiday and after!!

The children had a diversity of game booths, super slides, bounce house, and a OC game truck letting them have a true WiFi set of digital games!! The TBD's

group of sellers did allow many items that all would love to see and buy!! Plus, there was a real delight of tasty foods (*hamburgers, turkey burgers, and veggie burgers, along with Hebrew National Hot Dogs and drinks!!*) and pastry that are very delicious and unique!! Also, the Chanukah potato latkes are truly yummy for your tummy!! The large amount of attendees very much love arriving at that year event based upon what is offered and sold in a reasonable manner.

The Temple's Brotherhood and Sisterhood have a dedication of working together to create a delightful carnival that all will enjoy!! When the November Carnival came up before the holiday, it did show what everyone looked forward to it as a wonder and blessing in every way, shape, and form!! ***"Again with Chanukah this month, we wish all a very Happy Holiday!!"***





December 2017

Charlie Niederman, VP, Planning & Development

To continue with issues from last month, the Jerusalem Post reports that the Nation-State Bill is in committee. It would modify the current Basic law that serves in place of a constitution in Israel. Currently the discussion is about why its introduction does not include democratic as one of the state's core principles, since it is a part of the Declaration of Israel's Independence. The debate also continues on whether halakhic law should serve as the basis for any court decisions. The principles are important, and as Diaspora Jews we should know the basic principles of the only Jewish state.

As for the peace process, negotiations are being pushed by the current US administration, there is word that, the President's son-in-law, Gerald Kushner, is leading the process and that we may know more in January. The King of Jordan warned government officials that the possible unilateral move of the US Embassy from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem would have serious consequences across the world. Certainly, it would make peace talks more complicated.

There is a bill being expedited through Knesset that would prevent the police, who investigate crimes, from disclosing their recommendation to the prosecutors. It is being pushed by Netanyahu's Likud Party. Since he is under investigation for two cases of corruption and is an important witness in another. It seems that they are trying to reduce any adverse publicity before the investigations are completed.

Cathy and I will be in Boston next week for the Union for Reform Judaism Biennial Convention with the Rabbi, and 6,000 other Jews. A major event will be the ARZA at 40, Association of Reform Zionists of America, anniversary reception. They will be honoring, Anat Hoffman, Executive Director of IRAC, Israel Religious Action Center, for her years of work in promoting democracy and pluralism. Here is an excerpt from IRAC's latest news letter showing one of the things that they push for:

"Meet Alon and Gali. They were both born in Israel. They met at the Reform kibbutz - Yahel -

during a program combining work and Torah. Gali is currently studying for her master's degree in Jewish education at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and works for the Reform movement as the Director of Young Adult Programming. Alon is an analyst in the capital market in the field of high-tech finance.

Many couples in Israel choose to get married abroad. Not because they can't legally marry in Israel. It is the case with Ori and Alona, and Elizabetha and Valentine. But, because they do not agree with the ultra-Orthodox monopoly over personal status.

Alon and Gali choose not to get married in Israel because they cannot legally get married how they want to. They reject the ultra-Orthodox Chief Rabbinate's control over Jewish marriage and divorce. In Gali's words: 'We are both feminists, we're both respectful of an equal relationship. It doesn't make sense for us to have a ceremony that doesn't represent our values and beliefs. The idea that my partner for life will buy me is not relevant or connected to our relationship or our life.'

On December 3, IRAC and Temple Emanu-El of New York City are going to give Alon and Gali, *Ori and Alona, and Elizabetha and Valentine** the wedding of their dreams and at the same time make the political statement that there is more than one way to be Jewish, and all citizens must be able to get married as they wish in their homeland. The ultra-Orthodox monopoly over personal status in Israel must end. (*Added for clarity.)

We hope to see you at Temple Emanu-El for Three Weddings and a Statement, our event celebrating the marriages of three couples who cannot or choose not to get married through the ultra-Orthodox Chief Rabbinate in Israel."

You can join ARZA and donate to IRAC at their websites.

Also, there is still time to join the Temple's trip to Israel in April. Call the Rabbi.

Charlie Niederman





Message from Membership Chair

Happy Chanukah!!!!!!



I know, I know....Chanukah is neither an important historical event nor a significant religious one. And yet, I think it has become a very important holiday, at least for Jews in America (Rabbi may disagree). Chanukah is such a visible holiday, thanks in large part to retailers. As with Christmas, there are many icons and traditions that are so appealing, especially to Jewish children, and so intriguing to non-Jewish friends and classmates. Presents for eight days...dreidel games....lighting menorahs, latkes made in classrooms by Jewish mothers. This is a glorious opportunity for us to share something light, colorful, and fun about our religion. A good public relations opportunity. And I cannot believe there is any harm to have our children be the envy of their non-Jewish friends, even if just for eight days. So, as I said at the beginning.....

Happy Chanukah!!!!!!

**Shalom and love,
Florence
Florence Sudakow
VP Membership**

The Temple Beth David Library is finally all cataloged and automated.

The Temple Beth David Library is finally all cataloged and automated. The Online Public Access Catalog is now on the Temple Beth David website. The catalog is up on the temples website feel, free to use it. The library has 2,200 books (1700 books for adults and 500 books for children and teenagers) and about 70 multimedia items (DVD's, Videos, CD's, Audio Cassettes, Slides).

Check Out

1. To check out a book take the card out of the book pocket and write your name and phone number and today's date of check out on the card. Put the card in a plastic box which lives in the wire basket.
 2. Take a card out of the plastic box and write the due date on the card and place it in the pocket in the book.
- Check out is 4 weeks.

Check In

3. When you return items to the library find the card in the plastic box return it to the items pocket.
4. Return the card in the items pocket back to the plastic box.
5. Place the item on the black six shelf book truck. I will file the items away once or twice a month.

New 2017 Books for Children and Teenagers in the Library.

High Holidays and Sukkot and Simchat Torah

Yom Kippur Shortstop

The Six Day Hero

Drop By Drop: a Story of Rabbi Akiva

Yaffa and Fatima: Shalom, Salaam

The Best Sukkot Pumpkin Ever

Moti the Mitzvah Mouse

It Only Takes a Minute

The Little Esrog

Big Sam: a Rosh Hashanah Tale

Hanukkah

Judah Maccabee Goes to the Doctor

Way Too Many Latkes

The Missing Letters

Little Red Ruthie

Queen of the Hanukkah Dosas

Michelle Sandler

Temple Beth David Librarian

<https://templebethdavid.org/jewish-learning/library/>





HANNUKAH CARNIVAL

Once again I have a lot of people to thank for a successful “potato latke sale”. It’s a lot of work but very rewarding to know that our job is so appreciated.

My sincere thanks go to *Eileen Tobey, Marlene Wedner, Jan Klein, Annette Helfman, Elaine Netzer, Sharon (David) Matalon, Mulu Harrison, Mary Treiger, Annette Powell, Sue Wolff, Elaine Netzer and Alma Herman*. There is no way this could have been done without the help of *ALL* of these people. It really does take a “village” to do this.

Once again, I would like to thank *Frieda Caplan, Karen Caplan and Jackie Caplan Wiggins* for their generous donation of the potatoes and onions. They are always there for us and we sincerely appreciate their generosity.

A special thank you to *Charlie Do* for picking up the potatoes and onions from Frieda’s and schlepping them to the temple and doing anything we ask for the mere payment of a latke.

Another special “thank you” to Eileen Tobey for helping me shop and schlep. There is no way I could do this without her help.

And to Scott – “Thank you” for doing anything you could to help us. It’s great to have you back!!!

Thank you to those who came in the kitchen to offer their help. If you want to help me next year, please respond to the request so I can schedule you. I wish you all a very Happy Hannukah.

Renée Dorfman



SEND A MAZELGRAM TO A FRIEND

Sisterhood will send a Birthday or Anniversary greeting in your name

January Birthdays

1 Howard Bushinsky	5 Beverly Strauss	12 Marlyn Phillips	23 Daniel Gary
2 Jerry Bleiweiss	7 Devorah Allen	12 Susanne Wolff	25 Larry Matalon
3 Mitchell Geller	7 Fay Shinder	14 Tina Kaufman	26 Domenic Brady
3 Michelle Twisselmann	8 Florence Sudakow	15 Sable Cantus	26 Paul Greenberg
4 Andy Neitzert	10 Oliver Bartee	15 Anne Hoogasian	26 Marc Serlin
4 Zhanna Reyngold	10 Sara Gubman	16 Riquel Zeller	30 Richard Woods
5 Laura Pinkham	10 Anne Katz	19 Tara Smith	

January Anniversaries

7 Dan & Patti Levin	24 Cheron & Oliver Bartee
10 Richard & Deanne Ruby	27 David & Rachel Brenneman
11 Bruce & Katy Rothschild	31 Steve & Meg Adler
18 Michael Nguyen & Barrie Pink	

Circle as many names as you wish and send this page together with 75¢ per greeting to:

Renée Dorfman

13380 El Dorado Dr., #195-G Seal Beach, CA 90740

Did we forget someone you know? Any corrections or suggestions, please contact
Renée (562) 598-9317 or dorfstein1@gmail.com

PLEASE DO NOT MAIL TO THE TEMPLE OFFICE

**This must be mailed to my home address.... THANK YOU
MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN December 25, 2017**



Send this greeting from:

No. of greetings: _____ @ 75¢ each \$_____ Enclosed

** Please make checks payable to TBD Sisterhood **

Come Celebrate Israel's 70th birthday in Israel!

and learn about its role as the birthplace of the three main world religions

April 12, 2018- April 22, 2018

"Every time I go to Israel it is in many ways like going home, it is welcoming and comfortable to be in the only country where what we do as Jews is the norm and the way of life."

~ Charlie Niederman



I am excited to lead our trip to Israel this upcoming April! I've designed this trip for both newcomers and experienced visitors to Israel. You are welcome to join us whether you are a member of Temple Beth David or just feel a connection to our community.

We will explore the Old City of Jerusalem with its sacred sites to Judaism, Christianity, and Islam. There will be festive Shabbat celebrations. In Jerusalem, we'll enjoy a tasting tour of the Arab market and enjoy shopping opportunities. There will be unique opportunities to learn about the religious diversity of Israel in history and current day.

In Haifa, we'll learn about the Druze community, view the famous Baha'i Gardens, and learn about the plight of Jewish refugees coming to the land before it became a state. We'll enjoy wine tasting and great Israeli food.



On the Western Wall: *"You see pictures of it in books, and in the news you see people praying there, but when you are right next to it and can touch it, a whole different feeling came over me...I just stared at the wall and realized Israel is my home as well as the United States and I will always feel that way."*

~ Lynne Horn



I agree that visiting Israel can seem like going home, but one where there is always something new to learn or see, even in such a small country. ~ Cathy Niederman



**Contact Rabbi Nancy Myers for more information
(714) 892-6623 or rabbimyrs@templebethdavid.org**

Do you have a BUCK for the Bucket?



TBD Sisterhood is participating in Women of Reform Judaism Pacific District's 2017 Bucket Brigade: Seeds and Mortar for Camp Newman

As many of you know, raging fires recently swept through Northern California. Sadly, Camp Newman lost its physical structure in the fire. We are grateful that no harm came to staff or campers. The Torah scrolls were evacuated. Miraculously, the entrance gate, vineyard, prayer books, tallitot, and the iconic wooden Star of David that overlooks the camp from a rocky perch somehow were spared. Read more in this [iweekly.com article](#) and check [Camp Newman's Facebook](#) for updates and for other ways you can help.

And if you can spare a buck, our bucket will be on the table in the foyer. All monies collected will be forwarded to WRJ's Pacific District to be forwarded to Camp Newman.



Hope for the Holidays



A program of Community Action Partnership
of Orange County

Collecting Toys from December 1-15



Helping People. Changing Lives.
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Action.**
PARTNERSHIP
of Orange County

HANUKKAH IS COMING!



Join us for a festive Hanukkah Party & Dinner

Friday - December 15, 2017

- ⊠ Play dreidel or learn how to play.
- ⊠ Enjoy donuts, along with other goodies
- ⊠ Sing-a-long with our Adult & Junior Choirs
- ⊠ Activities for kids

5:00pm - 6:00pm Appetizers, wine & juices

6:00pm - 7:00pm Hanukkah Dinner: Delicious Brisket,
Roasted Chicken, Vegetables, & Latkes

TBD Members - Adult: *\$20.00 / Non-Members - Adult: *\$22.00

Children - 13-18: \$5.00 / 12 & Under: FREE

Family (2 kids & 2 adults): *\$50.00

After December 12th, all prices go up by \$5, except children prices.

RSVP by: December 12th
(714) 892-6623 or tbdavid@templebethdavid.org

7:30pm Festive Shabbat service with musicians, Adult & Junior Choir
Bring your family menorah ***A portion of contributions**
will be donated to Mazon

Bring a unwrapped toy to benefit the
Community Action Partnership of Orange
Watch the Shavua Tov for details

Everyone in the community is welcome!
Sponsored by the Program Committee

6100 Hefley Street - Westminster, CA 92683 templebethdavid.org



Upcoming B'nai Mitzvah



Sean, Evan & Miles Greenberg will be called to the Torah as TBD's first triplet B'nai Mitzvah on **December 16th**. They are seventh graders at Serrano Intermediate School in Lake Forest, CA.

Sean plays trombone in the school jazz band and works with the Boys & Girls clubs of Laguna Beach for his Mitzvah project

Evan loves basketball and volunteers at the Boys & Girls club and at the Animal Rescue Coalition as Mitzvah projects.

Miles likes to skateboard, play baseball, & spends time with special needs kids at the Friendship Circle for his Mitzvah project.

All are invited to attend the service and the luncheon to follow. Please make sure that your RSVP has been sent to Cantor Nancy Linder.

TUESDAY DECEMBER 19TH 10:30AM



In 1947 following the U.N. decision to split Palestine into separate Jewish & Palestinian states, a former U.S. Army officer is recruited by the Jews to reorganize the Haganah.

This biographical war drama follows the heroics of American Colonel David Marcus, who assists Israeli troops in defending their country against the Arabs in 1949.

This movie is 2.5 hours, snacks will be provided but we recommend you bringing your own lunch

Temple Beth David 6100 Hefley St Westminster 92683
Questions? Contact Irma Moskowitz at moskowitzirma@gmail.com

SHE'S BEAUTIFUL WHEN SHE'S ANGRY

A FILM BY MARY DORE & NANCY KENNEDY

Please bring feminine hygiene
products for the homeless

"ONE OF THE YEAR'S BEST FILMS.
AN URGENT, ILLUMINATING DIVE INTO
SECOND-WAVE FEMINISM."

—Alan Scherstuhl,
Village Voice

A RETURN ENGAGEMENT ON SUNDAY, JANUARY 7TH

A documentary that resurrects the buried history of the outrageous,
often brilliant women who founded the modern women's movement.

Filmmaker Mary Dore chronicles the events, the movers and the
shakers of the feminist movement from 1966 to 1971.



Sponsored by Sisterhood Social Action

Questions? Contact Debbie Lechuk at deblechuk@gmail.com





TBD Sisterhood/Brotherhood Dining Delight



WHEN? MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 2018
FROM 7:00am to 9:00pm

WHERE? KATELLA DELI
4470 Katella Ave.
Los Alamitos, Ca 90720
(562) 594-8611



Invite your friends and family and join us for a meal at "**KATELLA DELI**". Just bring this flyer with you on Monday, January 8, 2018 and 20% of your total bill will be donated to TBD Brotherhood and Sisterhood.



MANAGER/SERVER

PLEASE ATTACH THIS FLYER TO THE GUEST'S CHECK

Amount of check \$ _____



TBD Annual Brotherhood/Sisterhood Paid-Up Dinner

Celebrates the Jewish Camp Experience
in support of Camp Newman

With participation by our youth to raise awareness and
funds for the rebuilding of Camp Newman following the
devastating wildfires.



Saturday, January 20, 2018
6:30 PM

Temple Social Hall
Catering by Stonefire Grill

Free for Brotherhood/Sisterhood Members
Non-members \$15



*Please bring a wrapped gift
valued at \$15 or more for the
Brotherhood Auction.*

Please RSVP by January 13

Laurie Schneider (714)960-4601 Laurie4hb@gmail.com

Jewish Magic, Magical Judaism



J. H. (Yossi) Chajes (Ph.D., Yale University 1999) is Professor of Jewish History at the University of Haifa and the director of its Center for the Study of Jewish Cultures.

Brought to you by the Community Scholar Program and funded by our Temple Beth David Foundation

Sunday, January 21
10:00 a.m.

No cost and open to the community

Temple Beth David
6100 Hefley St Westminster CA 92683
ttbdavid@templebethdavid.org
714-892-6623



TBD Sisterhood Presents a day at



TUESDAY, JANUARY 30th, 2018

- ♦ **\$20.00 PER PERSON - INCLUDES ROUND-TRIP BUS TRANSPORTATION AND GRATUITY FOR BUS DRIVER.**
- ♦ **Leave TBD parking lot at 9:00 am - Return approximately 5:00 pm**
- ♦ **You MUST bring your driver's license or a photo ID.**
- ♦ **Snacks will be served on the bus.**
- ♦ **Friends and family are welcome.**



**NOTE: BUS SEATING IS LIMITED.
RESERVATIONS WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS**

Upon arrival you will receive \$5.00 in cash play!!!

**Please make your check payable to: TEMPLE BETH DAVID SISTERHOOD
Complete the form below and mail it by DECEMBER 17th to:**



**DORIS FRANCO
16401 Underhill Lane
Huntington Beach, 92647**

**LISA McCALL
9721 Innsbruck Dr.
Huntington Beach, 92646**

For more information please contact:
Doris Franco (714) 890-2126
Or Lisa McCall (714) 329-0124

NAME(S): _____ DL# or Pechanga Club # _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____

PHONE NO. _____ NO. OF RESERVATIONS: _____

Enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ adults.



ANNUAL BROTHERHOOD SHABBAT SERVICE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 7:30 pm

**TRUE INTRO FOR JEWISH THOUGHTS
AT OUR TEMPLE BETH DAVID
BROTHERHOOD SHABBAT SERVICE!!**



Being the speaker at our service, Rabbi Peter S. Levi, Director of the Orange County and Long Beach's Anti-Defamation League, will share the ADL's roles in fighting Anti-Semitism, confronting hate, and combatting discrimination!

Also, our Brotherhood will be announcing their Man of the Year!!

We are providing this service to the attendees at our Temple. You will also hear and see so many wonderful practices of our faith!!



Club TBD & Brotherhood Presents



Our February 10, 2018 6:00 PM

DINNER & A SHOW

Featuring Uncle Fischel's Comedy & Music Extravaganza
AN EVENING OF MUSIC, DANCE & JEWISH ~~JOKES~~ HUMOR !!



The Phil Factor



Uncle Fischel



Mele Uhane
DIRECT FROM HAWAII



Zev Brooks



Nancy Linder



South Coast Simcha Band

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM

\$36 TICKET

INCLUDES THE WORLD
FAMOUS TBD BROTHERHOOD
BBQ TRI TIP & ALL THE FIXINS!!

\$100.00 VIP PACKAGE

IT PROVIDES YOU WITH A
RESERVED FRONT SHOW
SEATING AND A
TBD SPONSORSHIP
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These are companies that we all normally shop at, and by simply clicking on the link on the Temple website, you will be saving money for your family and actually raising money for the Temple. In addition, you can also save money by dining out at participating restaurants and, at the same time, raising donations for the Temple as well. It's simple, free and easy to use, and the average family using the site over a year will actually raise more than \$350 annually for the Temple. Multiply that by our 300 families and we will raise more than \$100,000 per year for the Temple! This program really works. Goodshop has raised more than \$11 million for charitable organizations with this program.

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With best regards,

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6pm: Reception
7pm: Film Screening

Film Schedule

- Wed, November 8, 7pm
- Thurs, November 9, 7pm
- Sat, November 11, 7:30pm
- Sun, November 12, 10am
- Sun, November 12, 2pm

On The Map
The Invisibles
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December 2017

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					1 7:00pm Family Shabbat Service	2 9:00am Torah Study 10:30am Chanukah tot Shabbat
3 9:00am Religious School 10:30am Rescue in the Philippines Brunch	4	5 4:15pm Hebrew School 9th Grade Program 6:30pm Teen Program	6	7	8 6:00pm ECLC Date Night 7:30pm Choir Shabbat Service	9 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
10 9:00am Religious School RS Chanukah Party K-6	11	12 4:15pm Hebrew School 9th Grade Program 6:30pm Teen Program 1st Day of Chanukah	13 6:30pm Sisterhood Board Meeting 1st Night of Chanukah	14 12:00pm Lunch & Learn with the Rabbi 6:30pm ECLC Family Chanukah Night 2nd Night of Chanukah	15 6:00pm Chanukah Party & Dinner 7:30pm Shabbat ALIVE Service 3rd Night of Chanukah	16 9:00am Lay Led Minyan 10:30am Greenberg B'nei Mitzvah 4th Night of Chanukah
17 No Religious School 5th Night of Chanukah	18 6th Night of Chanukah	19 10:30am Club 55 No Hebrew/Teen Program 7th Night of Chanukah	20 7:30pm TBD Board Meeting 8th Night of Chanukah	21 7:30pm Brotherhood Meeting	22 7:00pm Youth Lock-In Service	23 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
24 No Religious School	25	26 No Hebrew/Teen Program	27	28	29 7:30pm Shabbat Service	30 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
31 No Religious School						

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