

THE MEGILLAH

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Elul 5776 ~ Tishrei 5777

October, 2016

Sukkot Tot Shabbat Club 55

Cantor's Concert

Adult Ed & Chanukah Carnival

Sisterhood Brunch

Simchat Torah

Sukkot

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Temple Beth David

CIRCLE OF HONOR MEMBERS 2016/2017 / SEPTEMBER SCHEDULES

SILVER

Robert Altman & Michelle Sandler
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 Cathy & Charlie Niederman
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 Jeffrey & Teri Roth
 Howard & Diane Spielman
 Barbara & Saul Zenk
 Neil Kornswiet
 Dan & Patti Levin
 Allan Shubin & Sandy Sobolew -Shubin

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 Ian & Gayle Chait
 Fran DeKovner
 Alan & Laurel Jarrick
 Jan Klein
 Dan & Deborah Lelchuk
 Marlyn Phillips
 Eileen Tobey
 Jeff & Diane Weinstock
 Doug & Jackie Caplan Wiggins

Beverly August
 Stephen & Bich-thuy Groner
 Steve & Shirley Kahn
 Laurie Schneider

October Shabbat Schedule

Sunday	2	7:30pm	Erev Rosh Hashanah Service
Monday	3	10:00am 4:00pm	Rosh Hashanah Service Tashlich
Friday	7	7:00pm	Family Shabbat Service
Saturday	8	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
Tuesday	11	7:30pm	Kol Nidre Service
Wednesday	12	10:00am	Yom Kippur Service
Friday	14	7:30pm	Shabbat Choir Service
Saturday	15	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan
Sunday	16	7:00pm	Erev Sukkot Service
Friday	21	7:30pm	Shabbat ALIVE! Service
Saturday	22	9:00am	Torah Study in Sukkah
Friday	28	7:30pm	Shabbat Torah Service
Saturday	29	9:00am	Lay Led Minyan

October Religious School Schedule

Sun	2		NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL
Tues	4		NO HEBREW SCHOOL
Sun	9	9:00am	Religious School
Tues	11	4:15pm	NO HEBREW SCHOOL
Sun	16	9:00am	Religious School
Tues	18	4:15pm	Hebrew School/Teen Program 9TH Grade Program
Sun	23	9:00am	Religious School
Tues	27	4:15pm	Hebrew School/Teen Program
Sun	30	9:00am	Religious School

Don't forget to renew your membership!
 Please [click here](#) or call the TBD office
(714) 892-6623

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



Temple Beth David



Welcome to our 2016-2017 Membership Year!

Please see the membership form links below

**If you need assistance in completing your forms,
please contact us at (714) 892-6623 or**

tbdavid@templebethdavid.org

[Click to read President's Letter](#)

Renewing Members Registration Form

Credit Card Form	ACH Form	2016 High Holy Day Form
Update Your Yahrzeit	Join / Rejoin Sisterhood	Join / Rejoin Brotherhood

[Link to Membership Forms on TBD Website](#)

Leave the Walls of Our Synagogue and Home for Awhile

Rabbi Nancy Myers



When you think about our day, how much of it do we spend indoors? An awful lot it turns out. We leave our homes to sit in our cars so we can get to work. In between, we go the grocery store, bank, and get gas. Most of our fun activities are in theaters, malls, and other buildings. We go from vehicle to vehicle and from building to building. Inside our structures, we feel the coolness of the air conditioning, read by fluorescent lights, and sit once again in front of a screen. By comparison, how often do we hang out outside? When was the last time, we studied the sky, smelled the ocean breeze, felt soil between our toes, noticed a budding flower, or just took the time to breathe?

Sukkot, our festival of booths, gives us an opportunity to catch our breath. Five days after Yom Kippur, we leave the walls of our synagogue and houses and we go outside to hang out in our sukkahs. These ‘sukkahs’ are temporary huts reminiscent of the Israelites’ trek through the desert. These huts are decorated with sweet-smelling pine branches, palm fronds, colorful gourds and pumpkins, fruit, and beautiful decorations.

There is something so calming about sitting in a sukkah. It involves all our senses. We can hear the prayers recited over the lulav and etrog. We feel the cooling of the autumn air through the porous walls of the Sukkah. We can see the sun by day and the stars at night through the *skhakh*, the branches of the roof. We smell the lemon scent of the etrog and can taste the sweetness of Kiddish wine. Spending time outdoors in a sukkah can reconnect us with family and friends as we celebrate this ancient harvest festival.

I especially love studying Ecclesiastes during Sukkot. On Shabbat, we open this provocative book of the Bible and study it in the open air of our sukkah. There are stimulating sayings such as, “There is nothing new beneath the sun” (1:9) and “A season is set for everything, a time for every experience under heaven.” (3:1) Is it true that there is nothing new in the 21st century? How about technology, medicine, and communication? What about human beings? Has our nature changed at all over the millennia? As we look at our lives, do we believe that there are destined times for experiences in our lives? Pondering questions on the significance of our lives gives us an opportunity to think about the days we are living. It slows down time itself and can heighten our appreciation for what we have.

Sukkot this year begins on Sunday night, October 16. We invite you to bring your own dinner and eat it in the sukkah. Our programming committee will provide yummy soups and of course we’ll have a delightful oneg immediately following services. For those who wish to study Ecclesiastes with me, I’ll be in the sukkah on Saturday morning, Oct. 22, at 9:00 a.m. Sukkot is a holiday of joy and celebration. We invite you to take advantage of a sukkah. Come study in one, eat, and rejoice. As Ecclesiastes says, “How sweet is the light, what a delight for the eyes to behold the sun!” (11:7). Sukkot is a breath of fresh air. Let’s take the time to enjoy the beauty of our world, spend time with our loved ones, and appreciate the world that God has given us as we gaze up at the stars.





President's Message



The High Holidays are upon us, and as you may have noticed, they are later this year than usual (something about a Jewish leap year, I think). So that means that this year's TBD membership drive will have to compete with baseball playoffs and the presidential election, as it continues well into the fall. Our VP of Membership, Kelley Halbreich, and her fabulous membership committee are working hard with our TBD office to get the membership message out to all of you, and to make sure we are all freshly renewed and ready to roll into a successful year 5777 (boy, it sure sounds strange writing that- I am still just getting used to writing the year 5776 on my checks).

So while we have a moment, let's talk a little about membership. Sure we all know that Groucho Marx once famously remarked that he would never want to be a member of a club that would accept him as a member. But here at TBD, we like to think that membership has its privileges, and that the benefits of TBD membership are plentiful. Simply put, you should want to be in our "club" because TBD offers everything that is great about reform Judaism. Starting of course with our amazing clergy, whose words, voice, and spiritual inspiration make the High Holidays a can't miss event. Let's also not forget about our terrific TBD choir. I know maybe I am biased, but trust me when I say our choir is the best High Holiday show in town. And don't even get me started on our hard-

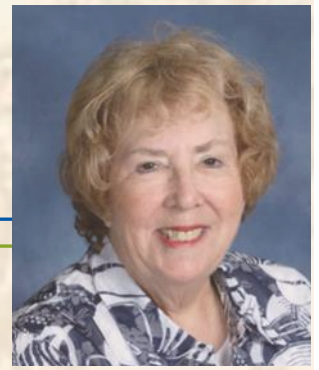
working TBD staff and Board of Trustees, our excellent ECLC and religious school, our Brotherhood and Sisterhood, and the list goes on and on. And if that hasn't sold you on what TBD has to offer, just come and have a seat in our beautiful sanctuary some time, and take a look around. It really is a remarkable place.

So yes, the clergy, the staff, and the board can and do provide an amazing framework for TBD. But it also takes each and every one of you to provide the collective heartbeat for this place. Without you, we are just a structure. With you, this wonderful house transforms into an even better home. So here is my new year challenge to each and every one of you. The next time you come to TBD, say hello to someone you don't know and introduce yourself. I know that we are all in hurry and don't always have time to do that. But who knows? Sometimes friendships can arise in the most unexpected of places. If nothing else, smiles and handshakes don't cost much. So go on, say hello. See what happens. Because that is the kind of thing that makes our collective heartbeat a stronger one. And isn't that what TBD membership should really be all about?

Shana Tova!

Eric





SISTERHOOD MATTERS...

Our annual Sisterhood brunch was enjoyed by all in attendance. I want to thank Ruth Kramer and her committee for all their hard work in making this event so successful. Entertainment by our very own Cantor Linder was a special treat.

I think it is worth repeating the following :

“One of the marvelous things about TBD Sisterhood is that it enables us to welcome and help people in a way we couldn’t as individuals. When we pool our strength and share the work and responsibility, Sisterhood can accomplish many things.”

A reminder--- We are excited to host the League of Women Voters at our Temple on Sunday, Oct. 9th. They will discuss the many proposed ballot measures. They will NOT discuss the candidates

If you know of any possible vendors for the Chanukah carnival, please contact Doris Franco, chair, at (714)840-2126.

The Gift Shop has new items from the recent California Gift Show in Los Angeles. Stop in and browse and you may find the solution to your holiday gift giving!

If you have any suggestions for future programs, events, etc. Please do not hesitate to share them with me. (714)846-1591.

The Sisterhood would like to wish everyone a wonderful New Year, may it be happy and healthy.

Shalom,

Anne Farber, President



JACK BROSCOW



TEMPLE BETH DAVID BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT'S COLUMN



Steve Harris, Brotherhood President

BROTHERHOOD WORKING DURING THE HIGH HOLY DAYS AND BEYOND!!

As the new Temple Beth David year begins after the summer break, our Brotherhood is back in action to help and adhere to the needs of our synagogue. With the High Holy Days starting in October (Rosh Hashanah starts on Sunday, October 2 and Yom Kippur on Tuesday, October 11), the Brotherhood will be observing and being active in many ways during that time.

For both High Holy Days services, the TBD Brotherhood, as stated, will be there in a variety of manners. As you walk into the Temple, the Brotherhood ushers will meet, greet and seat you!! At the beginning of the Yom Kippur services, as you arrive, the Brotherhood ushers will be accepting your food donations for the poor and needed in our area. Bottomline: The Brotherhood ushers' job is to assist you at the beginning, during, and after the services!!



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After the High Holy Days, Sukkoth will be occurring on the evening of October 16. When you see and enter into the Sukkah, you should be aware that it was built by the Brotherhood right before the holiday. Created by Rabbi Myers' husband Paul, it is an inspirational and pure beauty in every way, shape and form!! With us creating it, we look forward to having you reside in it and around it.

Another upcoming event helped by the Brotherhood is the Chanukah Carnival on December 4 at 11:00 AM. We will be creating game booths

for our you and your children. Plus, great foods to add to everyone's appetite! Like Chanukah, this will be a gift to you and your's in every way!!

With all of these being said, the Brotherhood has a monthly discussion group that is very incisive and interesting for all who attends to hear and speak. It is always the second Wednesday of the month. With High Holy Days and other Jewish holidays happening, it is canceled in October but will return on November 9 at 7:00 PM in our Temple.

*As you walk into the
Temple, the Brotherhood
ushers will meet, greet
and seat you!!*

As all this is brought forth, I and the Brotherhood wish you all an inspirational High Holy Days (Yamim Noraim - Hebrew: "Days of Awe") and Jewish holidays season!!

MARK YOUR CALENDERS

- Brotherhood Discussion Group
Wednesday, November 9, 2016 - 7:00 pm
- Brotherhood Board Meeting
Thursday, October 27, 2016 - 7:30 PM

ARZA

By Charlie Niederman

Association of Reform Zionists of America



October 2016

Charlie Niederman, VP, Planning & Development

This month there are two important items to discuss the first is the passing of Shimon Peres, one of the last of the Israel's founding fathers. The second item is the new action on the egalitarian prayer space at the Kotel, the Western Wall.

Shimon Peres was an excellent orator and was mentored at the start of his career by David Ben Gurion, Israel's founding Prime Minister. He began his political career as a hawk and was one of the youngest Director Generals of the Ministry of Defense. He served in the Knesset for 48 consecutive years and served twice as Prime Minister. He completed his career as the President from 2007 to 2014. He was a champion for peace in his later years and negotiated the Oslo Accords in 1993 with Prime Minister Yitzak Rabin and Yasser Arafat. In 1994 the three shared the Nobel Peace Prize. In 1994 he and prime Minister Rabin negotiated the Israel-Jordan Peace Treaty. When he retired in 2014 he was the world's oldest head of state. I heard him speak several times, first in 1997 at the Union for Reform Judaism Biennial Convention in Dallas. His theme was that the status quo of the peace process is unsustainable in that Israel is becoming a occupying force in the territories. As an occupying force they are in a no win situation with the Palestinians and with world opinion. Also, ARZA reported that Peres was an intimate and committed friend of the Reform Jewish movement and outspoken advocate for *Klal Yisrael*, the unity of the Jewish people. He was an ally who supported the Israel Movement for Progressive and Reform Jews around the globe.

In 2007, Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion awarded him the Dr. Bernard Heller Prize for his lifelong leadership and pursuit of a peaceful future for the Middle East. At that time he said, "What I appreciate in Reform Judaism is its accommodation of the best of higher Jewish values with the modern world."

The other important news concerns the new

egalitarian prayer area at the Western Wall where all Jewish men and women can pray together. At the end of January the Israel government agreed to open a permanent area of the Western Wall for pluralist Judaism, after three years of negotiation. However the government has so far done nothing to implement the agreement and has worked to block it. The President of the Supreme Court, Judge Miriam Naor, in an associated case took the opportunity to criticize government representatives for the state's neglect in creating a permanent egalitarian prayer area. She asked whether the government was hoping the court would intervene "to pull the government's chestnuts out of the fire."

Rabbi Gilad Kariv, Executive Director of the Israel Movement for Reform and Progressive Judaism, told *Ha'aretz*: "The prime minister, in the last year, enabled the ultra-Orthodox politicians to take the issue of the Western Wall hostage. The court gave the state a yellow card." Now is the time to put the pressure on the Israeli government to honor their agreement. The Religious Action Center of the Union for Reform Judaism has an email to be sent to Prime Minister Netanyahu and President Rivlin, Please join me and Rabbi Myers in supporting the historic recognition of all denominations of Judaism with the egalitarian prayer area at the Western Wall. Sign up to send your email at http://action.rac.org/p/dia/action3/common/public/?action_KEY=23596

Charlie Niederman



Kelley Halbreich

Membership Chair

There sure has been quite a bit going on with all of us in the Membership Committee this Summer! This membership season has been full of learnings and great partnerships, my thanks to Mulu Skinner, Eileen Tobey, Laurie Schneider and Ai Resnick for their support with all of our events. Our Membership events are special because of your efforts.

In July and August we hosted, "Bring a friend," nights where we sponsored a gift for every member that brought a Guest and every Guest that attended one of our beautiful Shabbat under the Stars services. We had a few members bring Guests and a wonderful time was had by all that attended.

September has been quite busy for us as well. We hosted a Chavarot Mixer in hopes placing our members into Chavarot that could make their connection to Temple Beth David even more meaningful. We did not have a large turnout for this event but those that came enjoyed being together and we learned some best practices for different Chavarot, but most importantly we discussed there are no rules to being in or hosting an event. Some Chavurah events are free to inexpensive and others are more structured with groups taking in Broadway Shows-There is no right or wrong way to be in a Chavurah. If you are interested in being in a Chavurah feel free to contact me and we will put you in touch with a group that may fit your needs.

Later in September we advertised in local community publications that we were hosting an Open House for members of the community to come and see what Temple Beth David is all about. Thanks to Edie Mino, Charlie Do, Michelle Sandler and Robert Altman our event was well publicized. We had many members of the Board in attendance as well as Rabbi Nancy and Cantor Nancy to greet all potential new members. It was a great opportunity for us to get together and enjoy appetizers and wine before services on a Friday Night and we did me a few potential new members that were warmly greeted. Next time you see an unfamiliar face please introduce yourself as it may be a new member.

The next time you come to services you may notice something a little different, we are asking all members to wear nametags whether you are new to TBD or if you are a founding member family. We have re-implemented the Greeter program for Shabbat Services. We want all members and potential members to feel warmly welcomed when they arrive for Shabbat Services. If you can sign up to be a greeter it would be much appreciated-feel free to contact me or the Rabbi directly and we will get you on the calendar to greet for Friday Night Services.

I look forward to the new year L'Shanah Tovah to you and your families!

Mrs. Kelley Halbreich
Membership Chair





SEND A MAZELGRAM TO A FRIEND

Sisterhood will send a Birthday or Anniversary greeting in your name

November Birthdays

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| 2 Bruce Rothschild | 11 Lisa McCall | 20 Ro Jelinowicz |
| 5 Seth Front | 12 Phyllis Greenstein | 21 Howard Tobey |
| 5 Edie Mino | 12 Susan Schoenholtz | 22 Marina Indich |
| 6 Mark Dunham | 13 Alice Roen | 23 Rabbi Nancy Myers |
| 6 Elise Gary | 15 Kathy Cohen | 25 Cookie Ruby |
| 8 Eileen Hopp | 17 Mitchell Halbreich | 29 Chuck Brochner |
| 10 Marty Ableser | 17 Jonathan Kleinman | 30 Judy Lorber |
| 10 Elliot Semmelman | 19 Cathy Gipoor | 30 Larry Ratman |

November Anniversaries

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| 1 Stephen Harris &
Yu-Fen Chiang-Harris | 20 Ruth & Clayton Dunlap |
| 8 Kenneth & Sandra Friedman | 23 David & Julia Metz |
| 12 Kimberly & Stephen Baldwin | 26 Kam & David Kalish |
| 13 Elliot & Keri Gee Semmelman | 27 Lonnie & Debi Pinkham |
| 18 Jeff & Judy Seitelman | 30 Richard & Cathy Katz |

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

Renée Dorfman

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

MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN October 25, 2016

Send this greeting from: _____

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** Please make checks payable to TBD Sisterhood **

Tashlich & 2nd Day Rosh Hashanah



BODY, MIND, AND SPIRIT SHABBAT

SATURDAY 9:00AM - SEPTEMBER 17 AT 9:00 AM, STARTING AT Temple Beth David 8100 Wilshire Blvd. Beverly Hills, CA

After 144 years, Temple Beth David of Hollywood, Los Angeles, has been recognized as the oldest and largest Jewish congregation in the Hollywood area.

Showing ONE of the below two activities at 9:00 AM and 10:00 AM. Please bring your own food and drink.

1. Body, Mind, and Spirit Shabbat (9:00 AM - 10:00 AM)

2. Shabbat Dinner (10:00 AM - 11:00 AM)

3. Shabbat Dinner (11:00 AM - 12:00 PM)

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SEPTEMBER 17: BODY, MIND, AND SPIRIT SHABBAT EVENT:

IT TRULY WAS AN INSPIRATIONAL TBD SABBATH SERVICE



Members walking on the beach to observe Shabbat with 7 service stops for prayer led by Rabbi Myers.



Provided by Rabbi Myers, observers did some of the 7 Shabbat prayers on the beach.



The members showing their joy for the beach Shabbat Body, Mind and Spirit service.



Led by Cantor Linder for the other Shabbat service, physical stretching with the attendees was part of that Body, Mind, & Spirit.



Robin Harrison and Cantor Nancy Linder provided the drawing segment by showing what and how it should be done.



The Body, Mind, and Spirit Shabbat group showing their wonderful drawings.

Adult Education and Sisterhood



Light Brunch

Sunday October 9th at 10:00am

**PROS & CONS OF CALIFORNIA STATE
INITIATIVES ON ELECTION DAY**

**Gisela Meler and Ronnie Kinney from
the League of Women Voters will help
us decode the issues in this election so
that we may become more informed
voters**

RSVP to Anne Farber
farberea@gmail.com

DEADLINE is October 1st
There is no charge for this program

A decorative border of black footprints surrounds the text. The footprints are arranged in a circular pattern, with some pointing inwards and others pointing outwards, creating a sense of movement and direction.

Walk for Hope

Saturday, October 15

10:00am to 1:00pm

Please join the Walk for Hope - a reminder
of the things that matter most in life.
A free tee shirt and live entertainment

**At Mile Square Park
Forest Shelter Area
16801 Euclid St
Fountain Valley Ca 92708**

Register at BeTheCause.org

Super Soup-Up Sukkot



Temple Beth David

Sunday Evening, October 16th



Come celebrate Sukkot with us!
Bring your own dinner and the
program committee will be
providing delicious creamy
broccoli cheese soup and fresh
tomato basil soup

6:00PM - DINNER

7:00PM -

Shabbat-Sukkot Service led by Rabbi Myers & Cantor Linder

Temple Beth David  6100 Hefley Street  Westminster, CA 92683  714.892.6623

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Temple Beth David Club 55

Tuesday, October 18 - 10:30am



Race

The incredible true story of legend Jesse Owens vividly brought to life in RACE. In this quest to be the greatest athlete in history Owens chooses to compete in the 1936 Olympics, where he must overcome not only elite competition, but also the brutal racial climate of Adolf Hitler's Germany. RACE is a film about courage, determination, tolerance, friendship and trust that critics are calling "MOVIE MAGIC!"



Any Questions, please call Irma Moskowitz - 714 - 377 - 9721



You are invited to join
Cantor Linder
for our

Tot Shabbat Sukkot

Saturday
October 22, 2016
10:30am



Refreshments!

35 minute service for little ones who can't sit still.
There will be interactive prayers & singing.
Come join us for this fun service!!

Simchat Torah

Celebrate as we finish
reading the last lines of the
Torah and begin again with
the creation of our world.

Sunday, October 23, 2016
7:00pm

Dance with the Toraks

See the Torah unfurled
throughout the social hall and
celebrate the consecration of our
new religious school students.



Temple Beth David

Adult Education Presents

Sunday October 30th

10:30am to 12:00pm

Rabbi Myers 1st Presentation of the New Year



Arguing Ethically During a Tense Election

Every election is fraught with different perspectives. However, in 2016 our populace is even more polarized than ever. Explore Jewish teachings on how to argue ethically and maintain relationships.





TEMPLE BETH DAVID PRESENTS

A TASTE OF BROADWAY

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2016 7:00 PM

Starring Cantorial Soloist Nancy Linder, Broadway Singer Ivan Rutherford, and the Los Alamitos High School Choir

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LIGHT

To a senior in need this season!
With a Holiday Gift Bag and Fleece Blanket



Everyone is invited to donate:

Pens/pencils Deck of cards Games
Scarves Small blankets Plain scented lotion
Cozy socks or slipper socks with non-slip treads
Crossword puzzle books Sudoku books Jigsaw puzzles
Word searches Large print reading materials Stationary/journals
Chapstick/lip gloss Stamps Hand sanitizer
Reusable water bottle Travel coffee mug
Fleece (60" square or blanket kit)
Please no food or used items

***Please Also Join Us for
Sisterhood's Social Action Sunday***

November 20th, 9:00-11:30 am

We will be assembling the Holiday Gift Bags for seniors in the Long Beach/West Orange County Area to be distributed by the Jewish Federation of Long Beach
and making fleece blankets (bring fleece and scissors).

You do not need to be a Sisterhood member to attend.

Questions and RSVP to deblelchuk@gmail.com.



**Adult Education
TBD Foundation
Brotherhood
Presents**



Rabbi Adam Greenwald

**Scholar In Residence
Sunday, November 20 @ 10:00am**

**“Not by might, not by power - religious violence and
the invention of Chanukah”**

**Rabbi Adam Greenwald is the director of the Miller
Introduction to Judaism Program at American Jewish
University**

A light brunch will be served

RSVP to Irma Moskowitz at moskowitzirma@gmail.com

Temple Beth David Hannukah Carnival and Bazaar/Boutique

Sunday, December 4, 2016
11: AM—300 PM



**GAMES, LATKES, HOT DOGS,
HANNUKAH GIFTS, CRAFTS,
WRAPPING PAPER, MENORAHS
AND MUCH MORE!!!**

The following Chair people would love to receive a call from you volunteering one or two hours of your time for this very worthwhile function.

Bake Sale

Mickey Lewin (714) 848-8835

Muriel Marks (714) 892-8539

Kitchen Committee

Renee Dorfman (562) 598-9317

Vendors & Crafters, Entertainment

Doris Franco (714) 840-2126

Judaica Shop

Jackie Hewitt (714) 846-4620

Anne Farber (714) 846-1591

Please pledge your time to help....we can't do it alone. This is a perfect opportunity to meet your fellow temple members and work with all arms of the Temple family in a spirit of friendship, warmth and dedication to our children. We hope to see you there!!



Our annual Hannukah Carnival will be bigger and better than ever this year. In addition to the delicious food, wonderful games and entertainment, we hope to expand our SHOPPING BAZAAR in order to make the Temple your ONE STOP SHOPPING PLACE FOR ALL YOUR GIFT GIVING for the holidays.

In order to make this happen we need your help in recruiting VENDORS. For a donation to TBD Sisterhood of \$45.00 per table, those wishing to acquaint the community and fellow temple members with their products or skills will have the opportunity to do so.

Tables are assigned on a first come, first served basis. Your check payable to TBD Sisterhood will assure you of a reservation for what promises to be a profitable and mutually beneficial endeavor.



Temple Beth David

Annual Hannukah Carnival & Bazaar/Boutique

Sunday, December 4, 2016
11am to 3pm

Potato Latkes!
Bake Sale
Kosher Hot Dogs
Hamburgers
Snow Cones
Cold Drinks



Games
Rides
Giant Slide
Jumper
Face Painting

The Judaica Shop will be open in the foyer offering lots of beautiful merchandise for sale so you can do all your Hannukah shopping!

There will also be lots of other vendors in the social hall for much more shopping!



**ONLY WRIST BANDS CAN BE USED FOR GAMES AND RIDES
TICKETS ARE FOR FOOD ONLY**

BUY WRIST BANDS & FOOD TICKETS IN ADVANCE.

SAVE TIME WAITING IN LINE

4 tickets for \$1.00

WRIST BANDS FOR "ALL" GAMES ARE \$10.00 PER CHILD

To purchase tickets and/or wrist bands in advance, clip the form below and return to the Religious School or Temple Office NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th

Child's Name(s) _____

Check one: Sunday School ____ Tuesday School ____ ECLC ____ Will Call ____

Teacher's Name _____ Enclosed is \$ _____ for # of tickets ____ # of Wrist Bands ____

Tickets and Wrist Bands will be handed out at Sunday School on the day of the Carnival



Temple Beth David's Annual

Chanukah Carnival & Bazaar/Boutique

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**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4TH
11 am to 3 pm**

**WITH OUR BROTHERHOOD AND SISTERHOOD
WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE A
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FEATURING

Potato Latkes

Hamburgers

Kosher Hot Dogs

Snow Cones

Cold Drinks

Game Booths

Super Slide

Bounce House

Joust Gladiator

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P L U S

**Our Judaica Shop
&
A Variety of
Vendors**



Recruiting Vendors for Temple Beth David's Chanukah Carnival

**Vendors needed and wanted for
Temple Beth David's Chanukah
Carnival, Sunday, December 4,
from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM**



Temple Beth David

**For more information, please contact
Doris Franco at 714/840-2126 to
become a vendor at our Carnival.**



Join Us for The Second Annual Jewish Men's Retreat

“Dealing with Adversity”

“Turning Chicken Poop into Chicken Soup”

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January 6 - 8, 2017

\$395.00/Person - Registration Deadline December 1, 2016

Late Registration - \$450/Person after December 1, 2016

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Giftshop NEWS

ATTENTION: SISTERHOOD LADIES

Fall is almost here. Religious school has begun and we want to have the Gift Shop open for those 2 1/2 hours. Therefore, we are looking for ladies to work on those Sunday mornings, only once a month for 2 1/2 hours. You get to shop, read, visit, enjoy the music when the kids go into the sanctuary. "Your pay consists of coffee, treats, and donor credit."

Please call: Jackie Hewitt (714) 292 - 3717



Goodshop

Goodsearch

To Our Temple Beth David Family:

As most of you are aware, our Temple depends on donations to deliver the high quality of services to all of you. We understand that many of you are still struggling with the recent economic downturn. However, we have come up with a way that will allow you to donate to the Temple without spending a penny of your own money, plus you will actually save money on many purchases that you normally make!

We would like to introduce you to Goodshop and Goodsearch. Goodshop works with more than 5,000 stores that will provide all of you with discounts on what you normally buy and then will donate up to 20% of the purchase price to the Temple. You will simply click on a link on the Temple Home Page, start saving money for your family and help the Temple out as well! We have included an easy step-by-step signup guide with this letter. Here are some examples of companies that participate in the program:

Target, Macy's, Nordstrom, Neiman Marcus, Sears, Sak's, Apple, Old Navy, the Gap, Amazon, Office Depot, Petco, Staples, Dell, The Limited, Holiday Inn, Groupon, Levi's, Lands End, Best Buy, 1-800 Flowers, 24 Hour Fitness, and Victoria's Secret.

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.

Likewise, we are also rolling out Goodsearch. By doing your internet searches through Goodsearch.com, which links with Yahoo, the Temple will receive a penny for every internet search. If you can imagine how many internet searches you do, and your families do, this will also add up to real money for the Temple.

We encourage all of you to participate and to help strengthen our Temple for all of us and for the generations to come.

With best regards,

Neil Kornswiet
Ways and Means

Aaron Kern
President

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Rabbi



[CLICK HERE FOR INSTRUCTIONS](#)

Donations

In Remembrance

We note with sadness the recent passing of...

Trudi Ratner Levy

Sister of Roslyn Sudakow and aunt of Rabbi Robin Foonberg, who passed away, Sunday, September 18, 2016.

Frederick Krieger

Father of Terry Krieger, who passed away, Friday, September 23, 2016.

Cantor's Discretionary Fund

Michael & Arlene Filkoff
in honor of Cantor for adding music to our services

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In honor of Rabbi for all she has done





ANNOUNCEMENTS

Be A Greeter For Friday Night Services!

We love to warmly greet members and guests to Friday night Shabbat Services.

If you are interested in being a Greeter, please let Elaine Netzer on the Membership Committee know.

Email: eknetzer@yahoo.com

*** Our Religious School / Youth Program is funded, in part, by the Annual Community Campaign of the Jewish Federation of Greater Long Beach & West Orange County**

HELP DEFRAY THE COST OF OFFICE SUPPLIES.

The temple office buys a lot of office supplies. If you have any office supply store coupons, discount cards, or e-mail sales advertisements, please share them with our office to help cut costs.

Thank you to all who have donated! We appreciate your support!!!

Please make sure they are valid dates and not expired

If you have any unused envelopes, the TBD office would appreciate them. Please drop off any time!!! Thank you!!!

**TBD offers FREE WIFI
in the Social Hall.
Password: year5771**

The Temple Office Staff Thanks...

- Jan Klein for editing the Megillah
- Gloria Schwartz for ongoing office support & preparation for Shabbat services
- Millie Vogel for all her help with Shabbat preparation



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at the Alpert Jewish Community Center

on the Weinberg Jewish Federation Campus

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Opening Night
& Annual Community
Campaign Launch
Wed, November 9
6:00pm: Reception
7:00pm: Film Screening

Film Schedule

Wed, Nov. 9, 7:00pm	Dough
Thur, Nov. 10, 7:30pm	Sabena Hijacking: My Version
Sat, Nov. 12, 7:30pm	Atomic Falafel
Sun, Nov. 13, 10:00am	Rosenwald
Sun, Nov. 13, 2:00pm	Fire Birds

Films will be shown at the Alpert JCC

Tickets: \$10/per film; \$45/Festival Pass

For more info. and sponsor opportunities, contact Susan Paletz
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October 2016

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
2 NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL 7:30PM Erev Rosh Hashanah	3 Office & ECLC closed 10:00AM Rosh Hashanah Service 4:00pm Tashlich	4 Office & ECLC closed No Hebrew School 10:30AM 2nd Day Rosh Hashanah	5 10:30am Club 55 6:30pm Sisterhood Board Meeting	6 10:30am Don Schwartz Lecture	7 7:00pm Family Shabbat Service	8 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
9 9:00am Religious School 10:30am Adult Ed & Sisterhood Light Brunch	10 Columbus Day	11 Office & ECLC closed Erev Yom Kippur NO HEBREW SCHOOL 7:30pm Kol Nidre Service	12 Office & ECLC closed 10:00am Yom Kippur Service	13 10:30am Don Schwartz Lecture	14 7:30pm Choir Shabbat Service	15 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
16 9:00am Religious School 6:00pm Erev Sukkot Dinner 7:00pm Erev Sukkot Service	17 Office closed SUKKOT	18 10:30am Club 55 4:15pm Hebrew School 9th grade program	19 7:30pm TBD Board of Trustees Meeting	20 10:30am Don Schwartz Lecture 12:00pm Lunch & Learn	21 7:30pm ALIVE! Shabbat Service	22 9:00am Torah Study in Sukkah 10:30am Sukkot Tot Shabbat
23 9:00am Religious School 7:00pm Erev Simchat Torah Service	24 Office closed SIMCHAT TORAH	25 4:15PM Hebrew School	26	27 10:30am Don Schwartz Lecture 7:30pm Brotherhood Meeting	28 7:30pm Torah Shabbat Service	29 9:00am Lay Led Minyan
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