

THE SHOFAR

Temple Beth Shalom Summer 2022 Florida, New York Av / Elul 5782

From the Desk of Rabbi Rebecca P. Shinder

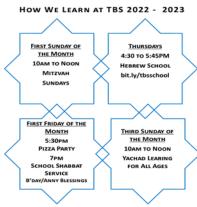
Dearest TBS Friends,

I hope that you all are enjoying some much-needed downtime. I am relishing a quiet summer full of family fun, trips to the theater, reconnecting with friends, and taking time for some fantastic non-academic reading including "Wish You Were Here" by Jodi Picoult and "Lessons in Chemistry" by Bonnie Garmus. For our younger congregants; "Sally Opened Doors" by Sandy Eisenberg Sasso - a "hot off the presses" children's book about the trailblazing, Rabbi Sally Preisand and I highly recommend "The Last Rose of Shanghai" by Weina Dai Rande.



Our kids have had fantastic adventures and experiences this summer. Jeremy studied film at The University of Bolgna, and trekked around much of Italy during his downtime! Jacob was a counselor at his beloved diabetes camp, and was the lead singer & guitar player of the camp band, Jacob & The Diabetics! Hannah is about to star in two local productions, All Shook Up and Punk Rock Girl. There is never a dull moment in the Shinder House.

While I have yet to coordinate two separate pre-college shopping trips and oversee plenty of packing, I have been coordinating elements for our upcoming TBS academic year. Specifics will be put forth in the September Shofar, but to share some broad strokes of the program, we will continue with the highly attended Hebrew School, Thursdays on Zoom from 4:30 to 5:45PM. We will feature much of that learning during the first of the month Shabbat services, with birthday blessings and after a community Shabbat dinner and will build upon the social and savvy learning during our monthly Yachad programs. AND we will gather for a monthly TBS mitzvah Saturday or Sunday. All of these educational events are planned to make real our motto TBS: Making Memories while making a difference. Please see the graphic below in order to get a feel for how we are going to "do Jewish" this year. We will learn, we will socialize, we will perform mitzvot, we will celebrate and so much more.



More details will follow. In the meantime, "See you in September." Rabbi Shinder

Please mark your calendars as we reclaim a terrible date in our nation's history. Sunday, September 11th will feature the comeback of our traditional opening day Barbeque and Open House. We begin with an opening ceremony in our sanctuary at 10AM complete with blessings and time with the Torah. We then transition to learning and team building with field games outside. In the spirit of some silliness, healthy competition, class bonding, and fun we will play in teams according to our Hebrew color modules:

Pre-Hebrew w/ Cheryl & Liz, Kachol (Blue)
Levels 1 & 2 w/ Scott, Adom (Red)
Level 3 & 4: w/ new teacher Tepper, Tzahov(Yellow)
Level 5 w/ the Rabbi, Yarok (Green)
Post B'nei Mitzvah Community Service Club, Lavan (Wh



FRIDAY
AUGUST 12th 6PM
At the home of
Flo and Andy Hannes
RSVP to
tbs-ny@optonline.net
for address



Family Mitzvah Opportunity!

Please join with TBS members to perform our mitzvah magic at the Goshen Ecumenical Food Pantry food giveaway on Saturday, August 13th from 8 to 10AM at the Goshen Presbyterian Church located at 33



Park Place Goshen.

Kindly RSVP ASAP to Marcia Mattheus (845) 294-7314 or (845) 699-8879 or marciamattheus@yahoo.com.

AND...Stay tuned ... We have created a community service club for post B'nei Mitzvah

students. We will gather once a month, mostly on Sunday mornings to achieve the goal of our motto:

"TBS: Making memories while making a difference"

More details will follow.



CO-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Ahhh, summer in Orange County. The warm weather, the sunny skies, the greenery all around us. I hope you've all taken the opportunity to enjoy some outdoor activities and time with friends and family.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Round Table discussions in June. We received some great insight into what our community does well and where people would like to see change. If you weren't able to participate, and have some



questions or insight to share, Catherine and I are always available to connect with you.

Thank you to Shari Rake and Rich Schwartz who opened their home to us for dinner and Havdallah last month. It was great to spend some time with temple folks, enjoy some good food (what else would Jews do when they get together?!), and have a bit of Jewishness together.

Thank you in advance to Flo and Andy Hannes who will be opening their home for a Shabbat experience on 8/12. It's not too late to let us know if you'll be joining us, and to prepare a dish for the pot luck dinner.

September will be upon us before we know it. The High Holidays fall at the end of September this year, but Shabbat services will begin early in the month. It's been challenging to muster up the energy to get out of the house since the start of the pandemic, but it's soooo re-invigorating to enjoy a little bit of Sabbath Peace and reconnect with our community on Friday nights! I hope you'll find the energy to come out too, and we can reconnect after hibernating for over 2 years.

Looking forward to seeing you soon, Wendy wendybcedar@gmail.com

TIYULIM = HIKING/TOURING

We'll try to meet once a month for a walk or a hike. **Weather permitting, our next meet is** Saturday, August 27th 9AM. Location to be announced. Walk as long or as far as you want, talk, schmooze, connect with old friends or make new friends. RSVP with your cell number to wendybcedar@gmail.com so she can call to cancel if necessary.







Above—June walk in Highpoint State Park. Left—July walk at the Delaware River where NY, NJ and PA intersect.

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Starting in September we'll be back to in-person services. How about hosting an Oneg Shabbat for the two Fridays available:

Violet Tinnerillo will become a Bat Mitzvah on September 10th, so her family will be hosting September 9th

September 16th and September 23rd are open.

If you have something to celebrate anytime, do it with an oneg!
Contact the temple office, 845.651.7817.



AUGUST YAHRTZEIT REMINDERS 😘

Shabbat for Kaddish: At	ugust 5, 2022	Shabbat for Kaddish: A	ugust 26, 2022
Robert Nathan	7 Av	Eva Cuttler	23 Av
Samuel Schneider	7 Av	Charles Palais	23 Av
Edie Seiderman Burcz	30-Jul	Melvin Gelfer	24 Av
Linda G. Dworetzky	31-Jul	Saul S. Mahlab	24 Av
Nathan Werner	3-Aug	Sarah Denenberg	25 Av
Nancy Hannold	3-Aug	Max Applebaum	26 Av
Shabbat for Kaddish: A	ugust 12 2022	Harry Tuckfelt	28 Av
Herbert Waldman	9 Av	Lillian S. Hannes	28 Av
Rachel Block	12 Av	Ruth Derevensky	21-Aug
Anna Kronitz	12 Av 12 Av	Jerome Neustadt	22-Aug
Issac Shulman	12 Av 12 Av	Joseph Goldstein	22-Aug
Nathan Werner	12 Av 13 Av	Abraham Eisner	23-Aug
Rosalie Auerbach	15 Av 15 Av	Murray Tischler	24-Aug
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Eva Billick	15 Av	Helene Weisbuch	30 Av
Ethel Barlet	7-Aug	David V. Cohen	4 Elul
Bob Margolin	7-Aug	Sandra Gayle Fishman	29-Aug
Iris Haas	10-Aug		
William Korn	10-Aug		
Solomon Katz	11-Aug		
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May the Source of peace send peace to all who mourn, and comfort to all who are bereaved.

A candle may be lit at home the evening before the yahrtzheit date. These names will be read during the Zoom erev Shabbat service before kaddish is recited. If you have a loved one you wish to add to our yahrtzheit list, or if you have not been getting yahrtzheit reminders from us, please email tbs-ny@optimum.net.

Shabbat for Kaddish: August 19, 2022

17 Av

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13-Aug

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15-Aug 16-Aug

16-Aug

Herman Mack

Gloria Mann

Thekla Aron

Sidney Cohen

Sevmour Gordon

Lucille Appelbaum

Edythe Weintraub

Annette Hochberg

Faith Krzywicki

Mark Tischler

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Charlotte Schoenholz



SISTERHOOD PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy Summer!

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer, spending time with family and friends. Please look for Sisterhood events in the fall. We'll be having a Rosh Hashanah fundraiser and a New Year Sisterhood gathering. Please email any ideas you would like to share to me.

Robin Bordman...thebordmans@aol.com.





The Jewish Federation of Greater Orange County, who is partnered with My Tree in Israel, is investing in Israel by receiving a plot in an orchard of an Israeli farmer. We have the opportunity to extend our plot by adopting olive trees, which will help support an Israeli farmer, yield us boutique, kosher, Israeli olive oil, and be a fundraising opportunity for the Federation. Our Goal: To give all of our members the opportunity to participate in the community plot. For a modest contribution of \$50, you can invest in community trees, and receive a bottle of boutique, kosher, extra virgin olive oil with the community label. Fifteen dollars from your contribution will return to our community. You can also adopt your own tree in our plot and receive six bottles with your own personal label.

Support Israeli farmers while supporting The Jewish Federation of Greater Orange County here! https://www.mytree.org.il/federation-orange-county-ny

TBS MEN'S CLUB ()

TBS Men's Club...We put the 'Brew' in 'Hebrew'!

On Saturday, June 25th, not only men got together and enjoyed a brewski or two and some delicious pizza. It was a great time to just sit together in the shade and re-connect. Thanks to Eric Goodman for putting this together!













THE AMAZING GEORGE GERSHWIN SUNDAY, AUGUST 28th 2 TO 3:30PM AT KOL YISRAEL 290 NORTH ST., NEWBURGH

People view Classical music the same way they think of kale. They know it is good for them, but still wont eat any. We all know the wonderful word of classical music is out there, but are still searching for the recipe that will make it palatable.



There is no better composer to bring all listeners to the magnificent world of symphonic music than George Gershwin. He wrote funny and timeless show tunes such as "You say Ee-ther and I say Eye-ther," but also the Opera "Porgy and Bess." He wrote adorable symphonic miniatures such as "Walking the Dog" but also the iconic "Rhapsody in Blue"

Ken's presentation blends both live and recorded performances of his fun and easy to digest music, but also introduces his more substantial compositions as well. Gershwin did not compose his show tunes to a lower standard than his symphonic music. Ken will show how the same level of sophistication and brilliance found in his 'Concerto in F' is also found in 'Fidgety Feet.'

Likewise the wit and humor of his show tunes permeates his concert works as well.

TBS congregant, Ken Korn, local music teacher and musician, will take us through a journey of Gershwin's music. We'll learn how being Jewish in America shaped him and his work.

REGISTER: jewishorangeny.org/JewishComposers



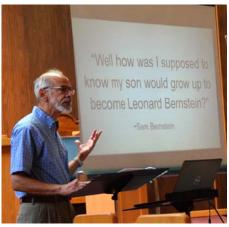
Below: At TBS in July, Ken gave us the fascinating background story of West
Side Story and its composer





Leonard Bernstein.











Clockwise from top left: Ken and Federation Director Wendy Cedar, Ken at Monroe Temple discussing Leonard Bernstein, Ken, Wendy and Monroe Temple Rabbi Roger Lerner, Ken playing and singing one of Irving Berlin's tunes, Rich and Sharon Ball with Ken at Temple Sinai.

Photos by Gail Conklin



Young Families Summer Get Together Sunday, August 14th 10AM Heritage Trail on Greycourt Ave, Chester

PJ Library families and Jewish Orange Youth of all ages are invited to get together for a walk, some cool snacks, and an opportunity to connect with other Jewish families from all over Orange County!

The trail is a paved, shaded and good for the whole family. We'll walk a bit, schmooze a bit, and finish with a cool, kosher treat. Questions? Reach out to Wendy, director@jewishorangeny.org. RSVPs to Wendy are appreciated, but if planning ahead isn't your jam, if it feels right that morning, please join us anyway!





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community to submit
items for curation for
the first Jewish Museum
of the Hudson Valley.

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HYMAN'S VIDEO
HERE TO SEE WHAT
ITEMS CAN BE
CURATED:
voutube.com/watch?v=-

Below: screenshots from Mimica's video

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Submissions are being accepted through August 15th. Examples of items to submit include but are not limited to Jewelry, Family heirlooms, and Artifacts of significance. We will publicly display these items in a secure room in the building on that day. Owners can stand next to their displays to share the history and meaning with museum guests. Security will be provided to ensure the safety of the presenters and artifacts. If the presenter prefers, a photograph of the item can be displayed instead of the actual item.

Please submit a picture and brief description of your item for consideration here: *congregationagudasisrael.org/jewish-museum-submissions.html*

Final decisions will be made by 8/31/22.

The World's Oldest Hatred Understanding Antisemitism and the Jewish Experience

Sunday
August 21st 2 to 4PM
SUNY Orange Newburgh
Kaplan Hall



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This program is designed to help Jews and their allies better understand what antisemitism is, how it works and why addressing it everywhere is necessary for the well-being of all of our communities.

Space is limited.

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Cost: \$36 donation to the Federation.

Please register here: *jewishorangeny.org/jewish-life/modern-hebrew-class-part-3*The zoom link for the classes will be in your confirmation email.



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Name(s):		
Address;		
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	

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