

CBS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER | JANUARY 2022 | TEVET—SHEVAT 5782

by Cantor Bruce Shapiro

This thought has been on my mind for a while. We all have starting and stopping points in our life. From the time we are born to the time we pass, we will all start and finish something and move on to the next project (grade, job, activity) on this journey we call Life!



And so it goes with our secular New

Year. "For auld lang syne" (Robert Burns 1788) meaning "a long time ago", for old times' sake", or "in days gone by". The song is about old friendships, looking back over the years, and preserving relationships.

As we continue in our cycle in the Jewish year, Tu Bishvat (15th of SheVat), the New Year for trees comes on Sunday, January 16. Yes, even trees have a cycle of life! To celebrate SEE CANTOR Continued on page 2

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WORLD WIDE WRAP FEBRUARY 6, 2022 We Can Do It!

Join us on Sunday, February 6 for our WRAPPING of Tefillin. annual Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS) will participate in the World Wide Wrap (WWW), where all members of the community are welcome to join us in the daily traditional prayers, and the importance of putting on Tefillin:

Wearing Tefillin reminds us, by way of heart and mind who our Creator is. In the verses of the Shema in Torah, we are commanded to "Bind them for a sign upon your hands and upon your heart." It reminds us that we are part

of a community and provides focus for the day. Tefillin provide an impetus for us to say 100 Blessings Daily.

Breakfast, provided by the CBS Brotherhood, begins at 8:00 AM, followed by the World Wide Wrap program.

Breakfast is \$5 per person, or \$10 for the immediate family. Please see the flier on page 9 in this newsletter.



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we eat a fruit that we have not tasted yet this season. Our children will celebrate this minor holiday with a Seder and eating fruits/nuts. This holiday represents the blossoming of the trees after this date that would belong to the next year for tithing purposes.

During SheVat, G-d reveals the 10 Commandments or the 10 Pronouncements to Moses beginning with the words, "G-d spoke all these words saying: "I AM"...(Exod 20:1-2). Rabbi Tanchuma said: "All at Mount Sinai, old and young, women, children, and infants, heard the voice of G-d according to their ability to understand." This is an important Midrash because no matter what your level of understanding is of Judaism, faith, Hashem, or related material, we all learn, absorb, and live our Jewish lives in a way that we understand, respect, and grow with it.

One of my favorite parts of Parasha **Yithro** emphasizes the observance of Shabbat. Everyone observes Shabbat in their own way. I encourage you to continue to observe Shabbat in your own way, but add or include this year, some time away from electronics, phones, or any type of work for a minimum of one hour or longer. See if you can increase this time over the years. Perhaps adding a visit to Shul on the 3rd Saturday of the month to help make a Minyan. This could become part of your repertoire and fulfill a few hours without outside interference.

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, may we continue to heed the advice in the Torah. "And he (Moses) set before them these words", no more no less, meaning whatever I am looking for in my life, may I be open to the idea to strive and make the effort to discover it! May we continue to build upon "old" relationships and build new ones during the year!

In the **Talmud** it says the following:

"Teach me the whole Torah, a heathen said, while I stand on one foot. **Shammai** cursed and drove him away. He went to **Hillel**. Hillel said: **What is hateful to you, do not do to anyone else**; **that is the whole Torah**. The rest will follow...go now and learn it."

I am looking forward to seeing you all in person or on Zoom soon! Make a visit on any Friday evening for Shabbat or once per month on the 3rd Shabbat of the month for Torah Study and morning services. Please continue to **stay healthy and wear a mask as required.**

President's Message THE HIDDEN LANGUAGE OF TUBETEIKAS

(aka. a Russian word for many varieties of traditional Central Asian caps)



Uzbekistan is located in South Fastern Asia near Afghanistan. While the majority of the population is Muslim, there is a sizeable Jewish community that has existed there for centuries. They are known as the Bukharan Jews. Part of Uzbek culture is a decorated skull-cap. which is

considered one of the national cultural art forms and is an integral part of a folk costume. The art of embroidery achieved its greatest influence in the late 19th and mid 20th centuries. This is when skull-caps reached the highest point of popularity in the everyday life of Uzbek people and were manufactured everywhere. The tubeteika is worn typically by the Turkic ethnic groups of the region. ... among Sephardic and Moroccan Jews to wear Uzbeki tubeteikas as a kippah.

Below are some designs and special names of tubeteika.



Shakhrisabz (Men's)

When Timur (Former Amir of the Timurid Empire), a famously recognized

powerful military commander of the 14th century, conquered the land of modern day Iraq, he brought back master tubeteika embroiderers to his homeland. The floral ornaments are symbols of gratitude for the creation and generosity of the Earth and nature. Green on this tubeteika symbolizes immortality, red symbolizes courage, blue is fortune and luck, and yellow is considered a frozen sunray, bringing good luck.

Baysun (Men's)

The combination of colors in each sections has a different sacred meaning. White is the color and thus the symbol of cotton, also as it is diamond shaped. This tubeteika has many sides. On the lower side of it is a decorative stripe that is called a "jiyak". This type of tubeteika is hand woven and has a

supernatural meaning. It protects the wearer from evil forces, so it goes around the rim to protect the head from all sides.





Karakalpak

The round, wheel-like, element on this tubeteika is called "the spit of the queen". According to the legend, a

long time ago, one queen saw the beautiful work of one embroiderer and spat on it so as to not let the tubeteika be jinxed. If certain objects or even children were treated too well it was thought that bad spirits would come and take them away or jinx them so people treated good objects poorly to trick the bad spirits instead. This royal spit has stayed with this type of tubeteika. Ever since, this type of skull cap has kept its ability to repel bad spirits. Women's tubeteikas have a brace lush porn pom. Other than that, women's tubeteikas differ only in the fact that the lines on men's are broken and women's are round.

Gold Embroidered Tubeteika from Bukhara



The patterns embroidered onto these Tubeteikas **PRESIDENT** Continued, see page 24

RITUAL Report

On Erev Shabbat during Chanukah, we gathered together as a community, and held our traditional candle lighting. Since it was the 6th night of Chanukah, the Chanukiyot shined with brightness. Enjoy some of the photos captured before our Erev Shabbat Service. Thank you Cantor Shapiro for leading us in songs and prayers!

Thank you to Jessi Rouman for leading services on December 10 and to Joan Zak for leading them on December 24. We are so grateful for your participation.

In January, Melissa and Zophia Lindenbaum will lead services on January 14 and Dennis Itzkowitz will lead services on January 28.

Jackie Williams, Ritual Chairperson

Bruce Rouman emailed an excel spreadsheet, listing all Friday and Saturday services. We are asking our members to sign up for at least one oneg in 2022. If you haven't already done so, we will be putting your name on the list for you. If you need to change that date it will be your responsibility to switch with another member. Our onegs should be simple with a pastry, maybe a fruit, possibly cheese and crackers, and a drink. You will need to set up the food and clean up the kitchen at the end of the oneg. If you have any questions you may call Gail Koren, Jackie Williams, or Renee Miller. Thank you everyone for your cooperation.

Happy (secular) New Year!



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CHANUKAH Party

A huge thank you to Shirli Driz, Rebecca Spiegel and Tanya Spiegel for jumping in to chair and host a wonderful party celebrating Chanukah. Everyone who attended agreed: the food prepared by the three ladies and Marta Driz was delicious and festive, with Israeli salad, falafel, latkes and more! The games included Latke (similar to bingo) and decorating sugar cookies (thank you Paula Fogel). The entire event was awesome! Thank you ladies for bringing us this wonderful Chanukah Party.







CHANUKAH Party











1. A beautiful display of various types of Latkes;

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- 2. Marta Driz with her award -winning display of Israeli foods from Falafel to Israeli Salad and much more.
- 3. The Synagogue Menorah lit with candles.
- 4. Paula Fogel with the Delicious Cookie Decorating Station.
- 5. The Trifecta co-chairs of our Chanukah Party, Tanya Spiegel, Shirli Driz, and Rebecca Spiegel.
- 6. The Buffet Table with everything imaginable on it. Simply Beautiful!



CHANUKAH Party





Above, those who wore Chanukah decorated sweaters or shirts gathered for a group photo. No it is not the same as the ugly Christmas Sweater contest...

To the left, Bruce Rouman, Mr. Fix-It and Mr. "Tell Me What You Want, I Can Do It" came through for this party. He made the perfect Donut Display in the shape of a Star of David!

Breakfast & World Wide Wrap



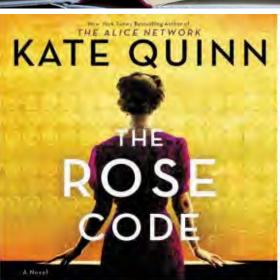




Have Breakfast And Stay For The Wrap! Breakfast Served At 8:00am Breakfast Is \$5 Per Person, \$10 Family

Bring your friends and appetite!

Congregation Beth Shalom BOOK CILUE



The hidden history of Bletchley Park has been waiting for a master storyteller like Kate Quinn to bring it to life. *The Rose Code* effortlessly evokes the frantic, nervy, exuberant world of the Enigma codebreakers through the eyes of three extraordinary women who work in tireless secrecy to defeat the Nazis. Quinn's meticulous research and impeccable characterization shine through this gripping and beautifully executed novel." (Beatriz Williams, *New York Times* best-selling author of *Her Last Flight*)

The year 1940. As England prepares to fight the Nazis, three very different women answer the call to mysterious country estate Bletchley Park, where the best minds in Britain train to break German military codes. Vivacious debutante Osla is the girl who has everything - beauty, wealth, and the dashing Prince Philip of Greece sending her roses - but she burns to prove herself as more than a society girl and puts her fluent German to use as a translator of decoded enemy secrets. Imperious, self-made Mab, product of East End London poverty, works the legendary codebreaking

machines as she conceals old wounds and looks for a socially advantageous husband. Both Osla and Mab are quick to see the potential in local village spinster Beth, whose shyness conceals a brilliant facility with puzzles, and soon Beth spreads her wings as one of the Park's few female cryptanalysts. But war, loss, and the impossible pressure of secrecy will tear the three apart.

The year 1947. As the royal wedding of Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip whips post-war Britain into a fever, three friends-turned-enemies are reunited by a mysterious encrypted letter - the key to which lies buried in the long-ago betrayal that destroyed their friendship and left one of them confined to an asylum. A mysterious traitor has emerged from the shadows of their Bletchley Park past, and now Osla, Mab, and Beth must resurrect their old alliance and crack one last code together. But each petal they remove from the rose code brings danger - and their true enemy - closer....

January 10th at 5:30 PM our CBS Book Club

can be found gathered at CBS to discuss this intriguing book.

We would love all Book Lovers to join us.

Condolences

The Board of Directors and membership of Congregation Beth Shalom extends its condolences to:

Paula and Mark Fogel on the loss of Paula's Step-Father / Mark's Father-In-Law, Willis Wayne Woodring. Dennis and Barbara Brandt on the loss of Dennis' Aunt Lotte Ikenberg Rosenthal.

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Fogel and Brandt families during this exceptionally difficult time.

EDUCATION Report

During the month of December, many students participated in our Chanukah festivities, including the Chanukah Friday night service followed by the Saturday evening Chanukah Party. Our students were well versed in the prayers and songs, and we are so proud of each of them.

In January, we will resume school with our curriculum that prepares students to attend synagogue anywhere and be able to participate in prayers and song. If you know of school-aged students, please let me know, as we want to grow our synagogue's Religious School.

On Sunday, February 6, the students will participate in World Wide Wrap. February also brings us to a special Bat Mitzvah. It is a B'not Mitzvah. A Bat Mitzvah of a mother and daughter will take place at our Synagogue. Ok who is it, you ask? Zophia Lindenbaum is a long time student of our religious school. She is a sweet, lovely young lady. Many of you have participated when she led Shabbat services at our synagogue. We have all watched her grow up here at CBS. To add to the story, Melissa Lindenbaum, her mom, wanted to learn Hebrew and have a Bat Mitzvah with her daughter. That is so special. I committed to teach her Hebrew. She is an amazing, dedicated student. The rest is history. The B'not Mitzvah is approaching quickly. The ladies will be having their B'not Mitzvah on February 19, 2022 at 9:30 AM. Please join the family and congregation in this memorable event.

Marci Rouman, Education Director

Join us in Celebrating Members of our Synagogue



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Fromthe 'HOODS'

The HOODS - CBS's Brotherhood/Sisterhood, would like to have some events for the "sisters" of the congregation. Some ideas include 2 buck blackjack with 2 buck chuck- for \$2 get \$100 worth of chips and play blackjack and drink wine- the last 3 left standing will win money from the pot (all funds raised will be presented, nothing will be taken out for the hoods), painting and wine - bring back an old favorite -all supplies will be provided—cost determined from provider.

All activities of the Brother/SisterHOODS are open to all members including poker on the first Thursday and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

Any other ideas - contact Joel Friedberg at (951) 733-9683.

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Religious Services Conducted by Cantor Bruce Shapiro

Safety and Security Update by Joan Jacobs

CBS continues to be open for services, activities and events for all members and guests both in the synagogue and simultaneously on Zoom.

- 1. We will continue to sit socially distanced in the sanctuary.
- 2. Face masks MUST be worn indoors at all gatherings, according to the State of California.
- 3. The front door is locked 15 minutes after services begin. If you arrive when the door is locked, please ring the bell for admittance.
- 4. Remember that MOST, but not ALL, of our congregants have been fully vaccinated for COVID-19. Continue to take precautions, as needed, for your own personal health.
- 5. There is a possibility that some or all scheduled events listed in this Newsletter may be cancelled or postponed due the Omicron and Delta Variant of Coronavirus. We are monitoring local health conditions daily and will decide to go ahead or cancel events on an individual basis to ensure the health and safety of our members.

Fresh and Mini Challahs

Mark Koren bakes fresh Challah, Challah Rolls and Rye Bread for purchase.

NEW: Mini Challah, individually packaged for a covid-friendly Oneg!

Please order by Tuesday for Friday availability.

Call Gail Koren at (951) 204-4757.

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Oneg / Kiddush Schedule

As you think about special occasions, birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, or in memory of a loved one, please consider sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush!

Please connect with Gail Koren at (951) 204-4757.

Those individuals who host an Oneg or Kiddush will be acknowledged by having their names on the CBS calendar as an Oneg or Kiddush Sponsor.

Please reach out to Gail and reserve the date(s) you wish to sponsor.

Jan	7	Deborah Wutzke in honor of her mother's 85th Birthday
Jan	14	Renee & Sam Miller in honor of Sam's Birthday
Jan	21	Kathy & Bob Stone in honor of their 41st Anniversary
Jan	28	Joan Zak as a Mitzvah
Feb	4	Gail & Mark Koren in honor of Gail's 70th Birthday
Feb	11	Dennis Itzkowitz, in honor of his birthday
Feb	18	CBS Friends of the Lindenbaum Family in honor of Zophia and Melissa becoming a Bat Mitzvah
Feb	19	The Lindenbaum Family in honor of Zophia and Melissa becoming a Bat Mitzvah
Feb	25	Joyce & Dave Severson in honor of their 62nd Wedding Anniversary
Mar	4	Open and Available, call Gail at (951) 204-4757
Mar	11	Parents of Religious School / School Recognition
Mar		Marcy & Bruce Shapiro in honor of Cantor's 2nd Bar Mitzvah / Rebecca Spiegel in honor of RJ's Birthday.
Mar	25	Corina Reiche as a Mitzvah

Recommended items for a Basic Emergency Supply Kit



Refuah Shlema

Our Community Prayer for Healing

- MYRA BILGREI
- SOL BILGREI
- JACQUELINE
 FOGEL
- SANDY KAYE
- **EILEEN NOTICK**
- SANDRA SHULMAN
- RABBI MEL YOUNG

Simcha Board Tree of Life

Congregation Beth Shalom has a beautiful **Simcha Board**, called the *Tree of Life*, on display as you enter the synagogue lobby.

This Simcha Board allows families and individuals to purchase leaves for \$180 each for:

- Simchas
- Milestones
- Birth of a child/grandchild
- Graduations
- Promotions
- Engagements
- Accomplishments and more!

For more information, contact President Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632.



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CBS LEGACY AWARDS LUNCHEON

Congregation Beth Shalom is pleased to host our annual Legacy Awards Luncheon on Sunday, March 27, 2022. This marks the synagogue's 15th anniversary of our fundraiser. It will be held at Eagle Glen Golf Club. This event will recognize some very deserving individuals and bring a group together to raise funds for our synagogue. Please plan to secure your seats or table sponsorship. Funds from this event will help the synagogue in different areas, perhaps the most well-known educational series is the Holocaust / Kristallnacht event. Listed below are our honorees.



Legacy The Award this year will be awarded to Sol Shapiro, longtime Corona resident and CBS member. Sol has demonstrated а high level of commitment to the CBS community and has been involved in many volunteer efforts with the greater Corona community on behalf of CBS.

The Guardian of Award (Shomer Tzedek Award) is being awarded to MaryAnn Sherman, a

former Citizen of the Year in Corona, who is a community volunteer. MaryAnn gives of herself to many area organizations.



Righteousness

MaryAnn Sherman

Partner Business The Award (Shatuf Tzedek Award) is being Marta presented to Cortez of Eduardo's Mexican Restaurant. Eduardo's restaurant continues to donate and support many organizations in our region. They have been offering authentic Mexican cuisine since 1994; truly a success in the restaurant world and the Corona

community.

The Legacy Luncheon is the yearly fundraiser for CBS. All monies that are raised will be used towards our annual community education (Holocaust Program and

Interfaith seminar) and needed operational expenses. Because we were unable to hold the luncheon in 2021 due to the pandemic, a successful Legacy 2022 will be crucial for Congregation Beth Shalom.



Marta Cortez



We look to our members to help secure donations for our popular Silent Auction as well as becoming table sponsors for the event.

On page 17 you will find various people and companies that have already supported this year's event. We would be glad to add your names to this list. And if you have some favorite stores, please secure an auction item, so we can list them in future publications as well.

Please check with Renee before soliciting for items from stores or restaurants, as many have already been asked for donations. We don't want our donors to get mad at us because they've been asked for items more than one time, or have already donated.

For more information and answers to your questions about the luncheon please call Event Chairpersons: Renee Miller (909) 228-5945 or Marci Rouman at (951) 733-3980

DONATIONS

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT Fund

Sandra & Saul Shulman In loving memory of Sandra's brother, Bryan Newman

FACILITY Fund

Joan Zak

In loving memory of Joan's father, Kenneth Dawe

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY Fund

Karen & Bobby Spiegel In loving memory of Albert Jacob Lasko Lillian (Mom-Mom) Lasko Aunt Gerda Spiegel Aunt Helene Meyer Aunt Jenny Meyer Uncle Paul Meyer Uncle Robert Meyer Aunt Sally Meyer Bertha Aurebach Susskind

EDUCATION Fund

Sandy & Chris Pantele In loving memory of Ethel Scharfman

Lenny & Sharon Elkins

CHANUKAH PARTY

Sponsored by Tanya Spiegel

TREES in ISRAEL

The CORONA Chamber

LEGACY LUNCHEON DONORS

The listings of sponsors and donations are recorded by the date which we receive them.

TABLE SPONSORS

- Karen Spiegel, Riverside County Supervisor
- Sam & Renee Miller
- Bobby & Karen Spiegel
- Mark & Paula Fogel
- Cheryl & Joel Friedberg
- Dennis Itzkowitz

DONATIONS RECEIVED

- Kate Spade Fashions
- Lazy Dog Restaurant
- Chili's Restaurant
- Goodfellas Restaurant
- Vito's Italian Restaurant
- TGI Fridays Restaurant
- Wood Ranch Restaurant
- Hong Kong Chinese
 Restaurant
- Marie Calendar's
 Restaurant
- D'Vine Restaurant
- Richard Nixon Presidential Library & Museum
- Derby Room Restaurant
- Outback Steakhouse Restaurant
- Hanger 18 Indoor Rock
 Climbing
- Benjies Deli
- Polly's Pies & Restaurant
- Let's Roam—Team Building
- Adventure Book
- Mimi's Restaurant
- Betty Faye's Restaurant

DONATION OF VARIOUS LEGACY ITEMS

- Legacy Portrait Center donated by Dennis Brooks, Joan Zak
- Photography, donated by Dennis Brooks, Mark Koren and Tom Seeling
- Kippot sponsored by Cheryl & Joel Friedberg
- Graphic Design of Logo & Invitation Layout by Resnik Shaw
- Audio Visual Services by Rhythm Tech Productions
- Video Tributes donated by Bruce Rouman
- Banquet Coordination by Eagle Glen Golf Club

To have your company or name added to this recognition, please contact Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945

The donations listed were received by CBS before December 20, 2021. To make a donation, contact: Bob Stone at (562) 818-9137

Congregation Beth Shalom Adult Education The 29 Kinds of Work You Can't do on Shabbat

Sunday, January 2 at 9:30 A.M. On-Line

Joan Zak is inviting you to a scheduled **Zoom** meeting.

Topic: Joan Zak's Personal Zoom Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4420163247? pwd=c1NCUkFtRTBQeDUrdDIKNGMzZXRCdz09

We will continue our discussion with... What modern conveniences help? What are some of the workarounds?

We'll use Zoom.

Note, this is not Bruce Rouman's link. For more information or help using Zoom, contact Joan Zak (760) 803-5451 or JoanZak92027@gmail.com

GIFT SHOPPE UPDATE



The Gift Shoppe has many new gift and home décor items which are reasonably priced, in addition to special sale items. Celebration, special occasions, birthdays or anniversaries — your CBS Gift Shoppe has meaningful gifts that are readily available. Don't forget to take a look at the wonderful jewelry that we have on display!

Call Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945 for further information.



For orders or questions, please contact our Scrip Coordinator: Shirli Driz at (951) 201-9779 or monypwr@yahoo.com or Backup Rep: Renee Miller at (909)228-5945 or renee.miller.slp@verizon.net

Erev Shabbat Services with CBS

Join us for in-person and via Zoom and experience a rich spirituality

- The first Friday night of the month is a 6:30 PM Family Service.
 - Cantor Shapiro will lead services and celebrate birthdays and anniversaries during the first Friday Services in person and via Zoom.
- All other services are at 7:30 PM.
- The First, Third and Fifth Fridays and Third Saturday of the month are Cantor-led services
 - The Cantor adds a professional touch: the services are very interactive with participation from those in attendance.
- The Second and Fourth Friday Services may be led by:
 - Religious School and Confirmation students and teachers
 - Regular Lay Leaders (Dennis Itzkowitz, Bob Stone and Joan Zak)
 - YOU!!!!!!!!!!!
- Onegs comply with CDC guidelines, call Gail Koren for information (951) 688-1709
- Special Occasion Services
 - Shabbat Under the Stars— is held in September each year
 - Shabbat Across America—A special service honored all over our country



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Food for Jhought: Warming Up the Soul

by Renée Ryan-Tieszen

Nothing warms the soul like a hot, steaming bowl of soup, especially chicken soup. It has been scientifically proven that chicken soup will cure the common cold better than any over-the-counter drug while clearing the sinuses, too. Yet, chicken soup can be a bit boring or uneventful. You can always add matzah balls, but that too, can become the same ol', same old. So, what's mom or bube to do? Have you ever thought to change it up a bit by adding alphabet pasta or wild rice with matzah balls? Kreplach is a fun surprise for the taste buds instead of matzah balls. Or, turn your chicken soup into a ramen by adding Vietnamese pho matzah balls.

Perhaps adding different vegetables such as celery, green onions, mushrooms, or peas may be to your liking. Or, kick it up a notch with jalapeños. Better yet, skinny up your chicken soup with spiralized carrot, zucchini, sweet potato, or butternut squash noodles. Don't forget a touch of garlic, turmeric, or ginger.

Do you have a favorite chicken soup recipe you would like to share? Please send it to Renée Tieszen for publication in our next newsletter. Thank you.

Vietnamese Pho Matzah Balls

By Shannon Sarna of thenosher.com

Ingr edient s

- 1 c. matzah meal
- 1 tsp. kosher salt
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1/2 tsp. baking soda
- 4 large eggs, beaten
- ¼ c. schmaltz or oil (vegetable, safflower, or olive)
- ¼ c. minced scallions/ green onions

Directio ns

- 1. While the soup is simmering, in a large bowl whisk together the matzah meal, salt, baking powder and baking soda. Add the beaten eggs and schmaltz/oil. Add the scallions. Mix everything together until just combined. Do not overmix.
- 2. Refrigerate the mixture for at least 30 minutes. You may store the mixture up to a day before cooking.
- 3. Form the matzah ball mixture into even sized balls based on your preference. They will double in size when cooked. If you rub a little oil on your hands before forming the matzah balls, it will be easier.



You'll get the same prices, selection, and shopping experience as amazon.com with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to CBS.

Also, Buy GIFT CARDS from the CBS Scrip Program for your own shopping and dining. Use them in place of cash, checks, or credit cards for purchases you were going to make anyway! AND THEY MAKE GREAT GIFTS!

- 4. Bring a large pot of water to a boil. Lower to a simmer and gently drip the matzah balls into the simmering water. Place the lid on the pot and continue to simmer for 30 minutes. Once cooked, matzah balls are best stored in their cooking liquid.
- 5. To serve the matzah ball pho, add shredded chicken, raw sliced onion and scallions to the bowl. Ladle hot chicken broth in bowl and add the matzah balls to the soup. Serve along with basil, bean sprouts, lime wedges, hoisin and hot sauces to your liking.

Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Christmas Traditions A group of CBS members continued the 'Christmas Tradition' of going out to eat for Chinese dinner. This year, Hong Kong Restaurant, in Corona, was the selected eatery for the synagogue members to meet at.







PHOTOS WANTED

We are always seeking photos of our members, and their relatives, for inclusion in this section. Submissions for the Beyond the Synagogue are welcomed. Please submit to BJRouman@SBCglobal.net and Bobby@MyChamber.org prior to the 15th of each month. Space limitations may prevent your submission to be included.

JOSH SPIEGEL CHAIRS ANNUAL GIVEAWAY ON CHRISTMAS DAY









One of Josh Spiegel's passions is helping others. On Christmas Day he chaired the Miracle on 6th Street Giveaway and Bar-B -Que for the less fortunate. This is part of Cowboys 4 a Cause a non-profit in Cause, a non-profit in which he is an active board member. Josh solicited his family members, Mom and Dad (Karen and Bobby Spiegel) sisters Tanya, Rebecca, Rachel and nephew, RJ. The CBS Board is proud of you Josh for your commitment to help others.

Congregation Beth Shalom Funds to Donate Towards

To make a donation in honor or in memory of a loved one or friend, select the Fund that you prefer and fill in the Donor card below. Send the bottom portion of this form to the CBS office with your donation.

We appreciate your support very much.

- Youth Development Fund (to provide scholarships for various programs including our religious school students to attend residence camps with significant Jewish programming and other programs)
- General Fund (to support the synagogue's daily operations)
- **Facility Fund** (to enhance, maintain and make improvement to our facility)
- Cantor Discretionary Fund (for charitable, hardship and educational purposes at Cantor's discretion)
- Prayer Book Fund (for purchasing, repairing, updating prayer books)
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- Chesed Fund (for the work of the Chesed Committee which responds in times of need for a birth, illness, emergency, or death in the family)
- **Torah Fund** (for the repair and/or purchase of the Torah Scrolls, Torah Commentaries, and other Bimah needs)

• CBS Education Fund (for materials, field trips, and other educational needs)

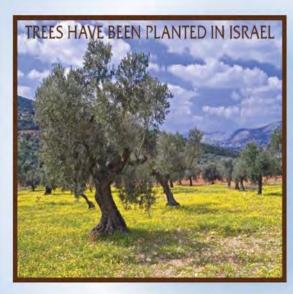
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Thank you for mailing this form and your check to Congregation Beth Shalom, PO Box 2737, Con): rona, CA 92878	ATTN: Donations

Trees in CBS Groves Available

Call or email Bob Stone (562) 818-5451 or Bruce Rouman (951) 847-4632

Each year, at the our CBS Legacy Luncheon event, we offer trees to be planted into a grove that CBS secures. We have about 200 trees in various groves left for purchase. Certificates will be issued for those who wish to support our synagogue purchase and trees. "Honoring" or in "Memory" of" certificates can be customized with proper naming and donor's name included.

Single trees are \$20 each. Circle of 5 trees are \$75 Larger quantities will be quoted to you.



as others have planted so will you plant for your children - Leviticus Rabbah, 28



This Certificate recognizes the purchase of

Trees for Israel

The donation supports the State of Israel and the Jewish Community.

Your Donation Has Been Made To The Congregation Beth Shalom of Corona California Grove of Trees.

Trees Are Planted And Cared For Throughout The Land Of Israel And Serve As A Living Tribute

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in gold and silver thread are indicators that the wearer is of high social status or are worn on special occasions. Popular images displayed on these skull caps are the eye of a nightingale (a bird native to Uzbekistan), the tongue of a sparrow, stars, and dreams of the owner.

Andijan (Women's)

This is a type of tubeteika which starts off as a solid white base with crosses. They often depict flowers, fruits, and other symbols depending on the wearer's values. The most common images on these skull caps are pomegranates, roses, and the path of a snake which Uzbek ancestors believed held magical powers. These tubeteikas are only made for young, unmarried women.

Tashkent (Women's)

This tubeteika has bright bird feathers on it. They can be roosters', pheasants', or peacocks' feathers which are believed to protect the wearer of the skull cap from evil and misfortune. The burgundy which they are made from gives them a dark green or dark blue color. This is accented by the colorful tones of the



embroidered beads. There is more to this skull cap than just symbolic patterns as there are also images of animals and plants. These types of tubeteikas are worn only during certain events and celebrations.



Story by Joshua Vandegrift Submitted by Bruce Rouman

Yahrzeit Observances May their memories be a blessing

Jan 01 Abraham Jacobs	28 Tevet	Feb 02 Irwin Watton	01 Adar
Jan 02 Albert Jacob Lasko*	29 Tevet	Feb 06 Robert Fogel*	05 Adar
Jan 02 Lynn Strauss	29 Tevet	Feb 07 Ivy Lazarre	06 Adar
Jan 04 Samuel Weinberg*	2 Shevat	Feb 08 Harriet Leopold Posner	07 Adar
Jan 05 Sylvia Jacobs	3 Shevat	Feb 09 Dana Severson	08 Adar
Jan 07 Sylvia Tarshis*	5 Shevat	Feb 09 Millie Greenblatt	08 Adar
Jan 10 Bertha Auerbach Susskind*	8 Shevat	Feb 09 Sylvia Horwitz*	08 Adar
Jan 10 Leonard Eichenbaum*	8 Shevat	Feb 11 Sam Berggrun	10 Adar
Jan 10 Sara Goldman	8 Shevat	Feb 11 Abraham Joel Karl*	10 Adar
Jan 12 Rubin Elkins	10 Shevat	Feb 13 Alan Dennis Rabich*	12 Adar
Jan 14 Lillian Ruth Lasko*	12 Shevat	Feb 13 Benjamin Friedman*	12 Adar
Jan 15 Arlene Bierman Shapiro*	13 Shevat	Feb 15 Libby Medrich*	14 Adar
Jan 16 Harry Rosenbaum	14 Shevat	Feb 18 Lisa Schwimmer Clerici	17 Adar
Jan 19 Harold Gamer	17 Shevat	Feb 25 Yankel Weinstein*	24 Adar
Jan 20 Jerry Schwartz*	18 Shevat	Feb 26 Jacob Horwitz*	25 Adar
Jan 24 Etta Prachar*	22 Shevat	Feb 27 Irving Taks	26 Adar
Jan 25 Gerta Spiegel*	23 Shevat	Feb 29 Isaac Bilgrei	27 Adar
Jan 25 Lawrence Bierman	23 Shevat	Mar 04 Sidney Shapiro	01 Adar II
Jan 26 Robert Bossel*	24 Shevat	Mar 05 Joseph Gilllerman	02 Adar II
Jan 28 Franklin Oberstein	26 Shevat	Mar 06 Monty E. Borchardt	03 Adar II
Jan 30 Helene Meyer*	28 Shevat	Mar 07 Flora H. Spiegel*	04 Adar II
Jan 30 Jenny Meyer*	28 Shevat	Mar 08 Robert Fogel*	05 Adar II
Jan 30 Paul Spiegel*	28 Shevat	Mar 13 Dora Fox	10 Adar II
Jan 30 Robert Meyer*	28 Shevat	Mar 15 Sue Sokol	12 Adar II
Jan 30 Sally Meyer*	28 Shevat	Mar 24 Michael Sidler	21 Adar II
Jan 30 Stuart Halperin	28 Shevat	Mar 25 Erich Weil*	22 Adar II
Jan 31 Sari Gamer	29 Shevat	Mar 25 Matthew Kofsky*	22 Adar II
	20 0110101	Mar 27 Scott Thompson*	24 Adar II
		Mar 28 Isaak Meyer*	25 Adar II

* = denotes Memorial Board Plaque For questions or corrections, please contact Joan Zak (760) 803-5451

MEMORIALIZE YOUR DEAR ONES!



Memorial Plaques are available through CBS for only \$360 each

For more information call Bruce Rouman at (951) 847-4632

Plaque forms are available at the Synagogue

NOTICE TO ALL CBS MEMBERS

All CBS members should be receiving Yahrzeit reminder letters / notices of the anniversary of your loved ones.

If you are not receiving notices, please contact Jackie Williams at (951) 734-8045, so we can make the corrections.



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Dates to Remember ACTIVITIES & SERVICES WILL BE IN PERSON UNLESS NOTED MANY ARE OFFERED VIA INTERNET

IN PERSON EVENTS ARE AT 500 HARRINGTON ST. STE. A1 CORONA, CA 92878 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED with an asterisk (*)

JANUARY 2022

1	HAPPY NEW YEAR!!	
2	NO SCHOOL	****
2	ADULT ED LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM
3	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
6	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
7	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO; ONEG Sponsored by Deborah Wutzke	6:30 PM
9	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
9	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
9	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
10	CBS BOOK CLUB: THE ROSE CODE, KATE QUINN—at CBS and on Zoom	5:30 PM
14	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY ZOPHIA LINDENBAUM; ONEG Sponsored by Renee & Sam Miller	7:30 PM
16	NO SCHOOL (MLK Holiday)	****
19	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
21	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO; ONEG Sponsored by Kathy & Bob Stone	7:30 PM
22	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
22	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
23	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
23	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	8:30 AM
28	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY DENNIS ITZKOWITZ; ONEG Sponsored by Joan Zak	7:30 PM
30	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
30	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	8:30 AM

FEBRUARY 2022

3	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
4	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO; ONEG Sponsored by Gail & Mark Koren	6:30 PM
6	BREAKFAST PRESENTED BY BROTHERHOOD	8:00 AM
6	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
6	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	8:30 AM
6	ANNUAL WORLD WIDE WRAP	9:00 AM
6	ADULT EDUCATION LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM
7	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
11	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE; ONEG Sponsored by Dennis Itzkowitz	7:30 PM
13	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
13	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
13	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
16	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
18	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO WITH ZOPHIA & MELISSA LINDENBAUM; ONEG Sponsored by CBS Friends of Lindenbaum Family.	7:30 PM
19	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	8:30 AM
19	B'NOT MITZVAH OF ZOPHIA & MELISSA LINDENBAUM	9:30 AM
20	NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	****
25	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY RJ, REBECCA AND TANYA SPIEGEL; ONEG Sponsored by Joyce & Dave Severson	7:30 PM
27	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
27	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	8:30 AM