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Cantor's Corner by Cantor Bruce Shapiro

O' the Pandemic.

When will it end? Or has it? This is itself a complicated provocative question depending on who you talk to. Complicated we Jews can do all by ourselves, we Pandemic don't need а complicate matters!



I am reminded that sometimes we can see each other as a community and sometimes we cannot, but we must remember those who cannot reach us via Zoom or in person. Zechar Am Yisrael...Remember, the Nation/People of Israel!

Part of what we do as a community is outreach to those in need of connecting. We can't do it by ourselves and right now, we can't do it in person. The next best thing is to "reach out and touch someone" (AT&T or other carrier) by phone. Yes, we have come to rely on our phones for communicating,

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VORLD WIDE WRAP POSTPONED

Like many events, due to COVID concerns. the leadership at CBS has decided postpone our annual WRAPPING Tefillin. of Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS) will participate in the World Wide Wrap once a new date is confirmed. Properly putting on and wearing tefillin is website, check your emails a mitzvah to perform as part of and we will announce our our weekday morning prayers rescheduled and the World Wide Wrap breakfast put on by (WWW) helps our members Brotherhood and our World experience it. Stay tuned to our Wide Wrap.



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connecting, reading books, and playing games. We even use our phones to get from one place to another (GPS, not a magic carpet or transporter!).

On **Shabbat Shekalim**, 1 of 4 special Shabbatot before Passover, we read in **Shemot (Exodus** 30:11-16), about the Children of Israel who are counted for taxing purposes. to support the Tabernacle, as well as creating a census for men over the age of 20 to be counted for war preparation and warfare. Today these funds support our synagogues and are generally collected around Purim!

https://blogs.timesofisrael.com/midrash-tanchuma-vayakhel -why-a-d-only-grants-wisdom-to-the-wise/

I encourage you to peruse the attached link to this blog as it is an interesting Midrash (Story/Viewpoint) on Parasha Vavekhel. It provides several reasons why Hashem "grants wisdom to the wise" along with the "3 kinds of names people acquire in their lives".

"The name given to us by our father and mother, the name by which others call us by, and the one we earn for ourselves, the most important (name) is the one we earn for ourselves."

In the words of Midrash Tanchuma (Vayekhel): "The reason everyone was instructed to build the Ark is to make sure no one can say to his fellow Jew:

I contributed more to the building of the ark than you, therefore I am more learned and have a greater right to it than you do. And since you contributed little to the ark, you will have no portion in the Torah." That is why the Torah is likened to water, as it is said: "Behold everyone that is thirsty, come to drink' (Isaiah 55:1)."

The ultimate advice provided by this Torah portion is to be consistent in your behavior. You should act the same way on the "outside" as you are on the "inside". "People take different roads to seeking fulfillment and happiness. Just because they are not on your road doesn't mean they've gotten lost." (Dalai Lama)

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, please help us to stay connected to one another during this phase of the Pandemic. Allow our congregants to plan to reach out to those in need. We remember the saying, "a friend in need is a friend indeed."

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 morning of the month for Torah Study (for 45 minutes) with morning services following. Please continue to stay healthy and wear a mask as required.

President's Message

In a Jewish Leap Year, During Which Adar Do I Observe Yahrzeit?



Bruce Rouman President of CBS

This year, the Hebrew Calendar adjusts itself by adding the leap month of Adar II. I found the following very intriguing and since some of our congregants have lost relatives during Adar II, that this could be a good topic for my monthly article.

As you read this article, be sure to read the one below, as with every Jewish topic there is another side. This portion was written by Rabbi Eliezer Posner.

Question: My mother passed away in the month of Adar of 5756 (1996). When do I observe the yahrzeit on this year, a leap year that has two Adars?

Answer: Most years on the Jewish calendar (almost two thirds of them) have only one month of Adar. On a leap year, however, there are two months of Adars (Adar I and ADAR So which of the leap year's two Adars correspond to the Adar of the regular year?

The Talmud discusses a similar question: If one is drawing up a document during Adar of a leap year, how should it be dated? Rabbi Meir says that in Adar I we write "Adar I" but during Adar II, we write "Adar" - un-appended - because when the word Adar is unqualified, it means Adar II. Rabbi Judah says exactly the opposite: "Adar" on its own means Adar I; when referring to Adar II, one must specifically write "Adar II."

Maimonides rules according to Rabbi Meir's view—that the main Adar is Adar II. Thus, it would make sense to observe the yahrzeit during Adar II. However, there is also reason to argue that one should observe the yahrzeit on Adar I, based on the halachic rule that requires a person to always do a mitzvah at the first possible opportunity. According to this principle, the yahrtzeit - and its associated mitzvot should be observed in the first Adar.

So practically what is one to do? Different communities have different customs. In some communities the yahrzeit is observed in Adar I and in others, Adar II. Yet others observe the yahrzeit in both Adars. Speak to your rabbi/cantor to find out what your community's custom is.

But as in every Jewish topic there is another side:

The Aish Rabbi Replies:

There are different customs for this. Some see the second Adar as the primary one, as we celebrate Purim on the second. Others see the first Adar as the "actual" month of "Adar," with the second Adar not being "Adar" but "Adar 2." There is also the consideration that we should not "pass by" a mitzvah when it arrives by skipping the first Adar and only commemorating the second

In practice, the custom of Sephardi Jews is to observe the yahrzeit on the second Adar. Ashkenazi Jews should preferably observe both days - to light the yahrzeit candle, recite Kaddish and fast if they are able. If, however, this is difficult, only the first Adar is observed.

If a person's parent passed away during an Adar of a year with two Adars, then in subsequent years with two Adars only the Adar in which he/she passed away is observed as the yahrzeit.

Confused enough... If you have a yahrzeit observance, CBS Yahrzeit letters hopefully captured the correct Adar month (Adar I or Adar II) dates for the yahrzeit you are observing. Therefore, if you missed coming to shul in Adar I, you have a 2nd opportunity in Adar II.

LINDENBAUM B not Mitzvah

My name is Zophia Lindenbaum and I am 13 years old. I live in Rialto, California, with my mother and father. My mother, Melissa, and I will become B'not Mitzvah on February 19, 2022.

I am in the 7th grade at Etiwanda Intermediate School. My hobbies are reading, playing with my dog, talking to my friends and drawing. Some animals that I love are wolves, ferrets, cats, dogs, and snakes! I have an adorable Goldendoodle dog named Dory.

My mother converted to Judaism in 2016. She works for the Etiwanda School District as an instructional aide substitute. Her hobbies are cooking, reading, listening to music and continuing to learn about Judaism and what it means to be Jewish.

During the pandemic, my mother began Hebrew tutoring with Marci Rouman on Zoom. I had begun lessons with Marci several months earlier. It is very important to both of us that we become B'not Mitzvah together, just as we went to the Mikvah to become Jewish together, as we studied together and as we learned the Shabbat services with Cantor Bruce Shapiro.

We look forward to seeing you at our B'not Mitzvah on Saturday, February 19, 2022, at 9:30 AM at CBS. A Kiddish luncheon will be served directly after the service.



Trees in CBS Groves Available

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

Each year, at the Legacy Luncheon, we offer trees for sale that are planted in a grove owned by CBS. This year we have approximately 200 trees in various groves purchase. Certificates will be issued for those who wish to support synagogue and purchase 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

RITUAL Report

Jackie Williams, Ritual Chairperson

Thank you to Melissa and Zophia Lindenbaum for leading services on January 14 and to Dennis Itzkowitz and Zophia Lindenbaum for leading them on January 28. We are so grateful for your participation. Services in February will be led by Bob Stone on February 11 and Tanya, Rebecca, and RJ Spiegel on February 25.

On Friday evening, February 18 and Saturday morning, February 19, Zophia and Melissa Lindenbaum will lead our services under the guidance of Cantor Shapiro.

We are postponing the World Wide Wrap until we can all be in the synagogue without the worry of COVID. When we do have the Wrap there will be a breakfast hosted by the CBS Brotherhood.

Sophia & Melissa

The Board of Directors wishes to extend a hearty Mazel Tov to Zophia Lindenbaum and her mother Melissa Lindenbaum as they are called to the Torah on February 19 to become 'Daughters of the Commandments'. The terminology typically refers to a Bat Mitzvah (Daughter of the Commandments). however now that both are women, it is called B'not Mitzvah.

We have watched both Zophia and Melissa study, and work on leading our services, each week getting more polished and prepared for this big weekend.

Join your synagogue family on Friday evening, February 18 for Erev Shabbat Services where Cantor Shapiro will introduce our service leaders, Zophia and Melissa Lindenbaum. That service begins at 7:30 PM. An Oneg Shabbat (refreshments) will be hosted by CBS members in honor of Zophia and Melissa.

On Saturday, February 19, our Shabbat Morning Services will begin at 9:30 AM. The entire congregation is welcome to attend, with a Kiddish following the services at the synagogue.

NOTE TO CBS MEMBERS: Because of the pandemic, we have limited capacity to seat all the family and guests of the Lindenbaum family. To enable greater social distancing, we request that CBS members consider watching the B'not Mitzvah at home on Zoom.



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
(951) 734-8045,
so we can make the corrections.

Join us in Celebrating Synagogue Members



February

- 03 Gail Koren
- 10 Lindsay Pineiros
- 11 Dennis Itzkowitz
- 18 Stacy Pineiros
- 25 Myra Bilgrei

March

- 02 Tanya Spiegel
- 08 Amanda Williams
- 09 RJ Spiegel
- 12 Michael Sachs
- 17 Cantor Bruce Shapiro
- 18 Sam Miller
- 21 Joan Zak



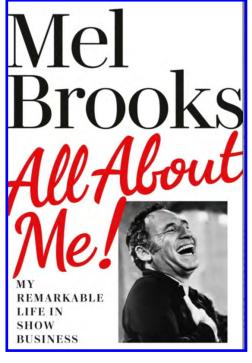
- Feb 08 Sol & Myra Bilgrei
- Feb 17 Mitch & Melissa Lindenbaum
- Feb 20 David & Joyce Severson
- Mar 22 Bruce & Marcy Shapiro



ALL ABOUT ME!

Mel Brooks is the most successful comedian-actor-director of the 20th and 21st centuries. He created iconic film comedy classics like *Blazing Saddles* (1974), *Young Frankenstein* (1974) *Spaceballs* (1987) and *Robin Hood: Men in Tights* (1993), and he now joins an elite pantheon of EGOT (Emmy, Grammy, Oscar, and Tony Award) winners – the veritable "grand slam" of show business.

Melvin Kaminsky was born to Jewish immigrant parents in Brooklyn, New York on June 28, 1926. He had three older brothers, lost his 34-year-old father to kidney disease at the age of two, grew up in tenement housing, was small and sickly and bullied by his classmates, saw his first Broadway show at the age of nine, announced his decision to pursue a career in show business, became a teenage comedian, legally changed his name to Mel Brooks, graduated from high school, got drafted into the United States Army during World War II, defused land mines as the Allies advanced into Germany. returned to civilian life, started comedy writing, became a Hollywood director, and the rest is history.





This short book tells the intensely human story of a man who is changing the world in a way that no one else can.

Book club will meet on zoom February 28th at 5:30 PM to review the fun book

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EDUCATION Report

We returned to Zoom on a temporary basis after Winter Break due to COVID conditions. Recently, we returned to in-classroom learning! We began the spring semester with a cooking session on Zoom with Miss Marta. The students always enjoy cooking. We baked cookies with a Tu Bishvat flair. Oatmeal cookies with apricots were the item of the day. We had the Cantor join us for Hebrew learning and music. It was nice to have him join us.

Here is a "heads up" from the Education Director: Purim is approaching quickly! The religious school will be performing a Purim play. Our Cantor will be joining in on our act! We will bring the famous CBS players back! Also we will be putting our annual Purim fundraiser together as well. Fun times are ahead of us! The proceeds of the Mishloach Manot fundraiser supports the religious school. We will see everyone at Purim.

Marci Rouman. Education Director























Send Purim Greetings with Mishloach Manot



Did you know that it is our tradition to send greetings to someone special for Purim? In our synagogue, we make this very easy. Our synagogue Religious School will prepare a generous box of "treats" for all our member families to enjoy. These boxes include Hamentashen, fruit, candies and other goodies. It's a great way to let others know you're thinking of them. Each family receives one box acknowledging your contribution.



WE WILL MAKE HOME **DELIVERIES IF NECESSARY**

Please write "PURIM" on your check AND call Marci to order at (951)733-3980. Last date to order is March 1, 2022.

The Megillah reading is on Wednesday March 16, 2022 at 6:00pm In-Person at CBS

Mishloach Manot Order Form

Please indicate your participation and attach payment with this order. ☐ All members get a Mishloach Manot Box - \$72 (w/family name as a sponsor) OR ☐ I wish to make a Donation of as an additional sponsor Your Name: _____ Phone: _____ Phone: ____ (Circle: Cash or Check) Contact Marci at (951)733-3980 or Mail To: CBS, PO Box 2737, Corona, CA 92878 ATTN: PURIM

REMEMBERING PETER SCHWARTZ

Our synagogue was founded by six people, three couples, Jerry & Sylvia Tarshis, Stuart & JoAn Halperin, and Nick & Erika Schwartz—all of blessed memory.

On January 18, 2022 Peter Schwartz, the son of founders, and brother to Eileen Schwartz Cohen passed away from cancer. Peter was 72 years young. His Rabbi shared beautiful experiences the two of them had, and added, "Once Peter passed, I wanted to learn more about his home town." After googling Corona CA, and finding all things about the Coronavirus; then Synagogues in Corona, CA only to find a listings of Coronavirus impacting synagogues...the Rabbi's insistence in finding out more, he found our synagogue's website and to his delight read about Nick and Erica and the other founders.

Peter graduated from Corona High School in 1967. He was an established and excellent musician. During high school the Jazz Ensemble grew to national recognition. He later moved to Chicago to run his business and raise his family.

devoted Peter was а husband. grandfather, and brother. Peter is survived by his wife, Jill, of 28 years, his children, Evan (Rebekah) Schwartz, Stamford, CT: Sonia (Aaron) Rubens, Chicago, IL; Jaclyn Schwartz, Park City, UT and Adam Schwartz, Geneva, IL; his grandchildren, Maya and Luca Rubens, Chicago, IL, and his sister, Eileen (Brian) Cohen, Los Angeles, CA. Peter was born in Indio, CA to Nicholas and Erika Schwartz on October 23, 1949. He grew up in Corona, CA where he enjoyed playing tennis, riding horses, hiking through orange groves, playing music in an award-winning jazz band, serving on student council, and spending time with family and friends. He received his B.A. in Political Science from California State University, Fullerton, and then began a long career in association management at NHFA, ASA, NAA, and the



Homebuilders Association of Greater Chicago before purchasing Streng Agency in St. Charles, IL. Peter moved to Chicago in 1979 and also spent time living in Alexandria, VA, and Princeton, NJ, before settling in Geneva, IL. Peter had an infectious laugh and wonderful sense of humor. He had an affinity for history and a love of sailing, fishing, listening to music, travel, and golf. He was a brilliant writer and speaker. Peter had a penchant for style and delighted in the details. Most of all, he adored his family. He was the patriarch of our family and will be missed dearly by family and friends.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the synagogue membership, we extend our condolences to the entire Schwartz / Cohen families.

Safety and Security Update by Joan Jacobs

SAFETY is paramount for CBS' Board of Directors. Their goal is to ensure a place of worship and gathering that is safe from any challenges, interruptions and health concerns.

Recently, CBS received three (3) decorative, concrete planters which will be placed strategically in the front of our building, to enhance safety there.

A special thank you to Ken Jacobs, Sam Miller and Bruce Rouman for their strong backs, in lifting the 120 pound (each) planter. We are grateful for the three men who dedicated TEAM (Time Energy Attitude and Muscle) to bring these planters to Corona!

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.
- 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.
- 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.







Thank You!

Sam Miller (green jacket) picked them up in Brea and is helping unload the 120 pound plus planters with Bruce Rouman (purple jacket) and Kenneth Jacobs (maroon shirt).

Fresh Challahs 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.







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.

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 B'not Mitzvah	
Feb	19	The Lindenbaum Family in honor of Zophia and Melissa becoming B'not 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	18	Marcy & Bruce Shapiro in honor of Cantor Shapiro and Felix Smith'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.



DONATIONS YOUTH DEVELOPMENT Fund

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In loving memory of
Bobby's mother,
Flora Hirsch Spiegel

FACILITY Fund

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In loving memory of
Karen's Uncle
Joseph Gillerman

Joan & Ken Jacobs
Generous donation towards
Concrete Security Planters

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY Fund

Karen & Bobby Spiegel
In loving memory of
Erich Weil
Isaak Meyer

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In loving memory of
Aharon Botzer's brother
Lou Balcher

EDUCATION Fund

Lenny & Sharon Elkins

Mark & Paula Fogel

Bobby & Karen Spiegel
In loving memory of
Peter Schwartz

The donations listed were received by CBS before January 20, 2022 To make a donation, contact: Bob Stone at (562) 818-9137

Yahrzeit Observances May their memories be a blessing

Feb 02 Irwin Watton	01 Adar
Feb 06 Robert Fogel*	05 Adar
Feb 07 Ivy Lazarre	06 Adar
Feb 08 Harriet Leopold Posner	07 Adar
Feb 09 Dana Severson	08 Adar
Feb 09 Millie Greenblatt	08 Adar
Feb 09 Sylvia Horwitz*	08 Adar
Feb 11 Sam Berggrun	10 Adar
Feb 11 Abraham Joel Karl*	10 Adar
Feb 13 Alan Dennis Rabich*	12 Adar
Feb 13 Benjamin Friedman*	12 Adar
Feb 15 Libby Medrich*	14 Adar
Feb 18 Lisa Schwimmer Clerici	17 Adar
Feb 25 Yankel Weinstein*	24 Adar
Feb 26 Jacob Horwitz*	25 Adar
Feb 27 Irving Taks	26 Adar
Feb 29 Isaac Bilgrei	27 Adar
Mar 04 Sidney Shapiro	01 Adar II
Mar 05 Joseph Gilllerman	02 Adar II
Mar 06 Monty E. Borchardt	03 Adar II
Mar 07 Flora H. Spiegel*	04 Adar II
Mar 08 Robert Fogel*	05 Adar II
Mar 13 Dora Fox	10 Adar II
Mar 15 Sue Sokol	12 Adar II
Mar 24 Michael Sidler	21 Adar II
Mar 25 Erich Weil*	22 Adar II
Mar 25 Matthew Kofsky*	22 Adar II
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

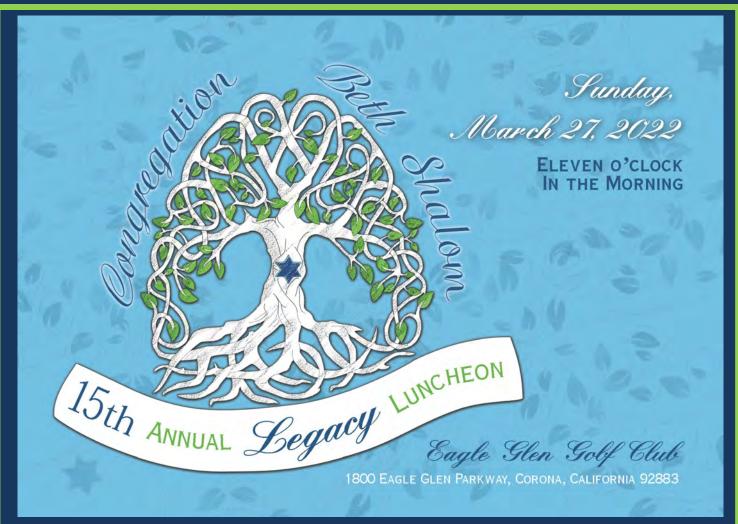
MEMORIALIZE YOUR DEAR ONES!



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

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

Plaque forms are available at the Synagogue.



Highlights from prior years' events.

Please RSVP now to Renee Miller (909) 228- 5945 for your sponsorship or individual seats.



The 2022 Legacy Luncheon Honorees

THE SHOMER TZEDEK AWARD



THE SHATUF TZEDEK AWARD



THE LEGACY
AWARD



MARYANN SHERMAN

THE SHOMER TZEDEK AWARD
(GUARDIAN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS)
RECOGNIZES AN INDIVIDUAL
WHO VALIDATES THE TENETS OF
JUDAISM BY "GIVING BACK" TO THE
COMMUNITY.

AS EVIDENCE OF THIS, MARYANN, IN 2019, WAS SELECTED AS THE 2019 WOMAN OF THE YEAR BY THE 60TH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT. MARYANN HAS BEEN AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE CORONA COMMUNITY SERVING BLUE STAR MOTHERS, CIRCLE CITY KIWANIS AND THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY. MARYANN WAS ALSO A LIBRARIAN WITH THE CORONA NORCO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR 25 YEARS AND WAS A CORONA LIBRARY TRUSTEE. MARYANN IS A TRUE ADVOCATE FOR THOSE WHO NEED ASSISTANCE.

EDUARDO'S MEXICAN RESTAURANT MARTA CORTEZ

THE SHATUF TZEDEK AWARD (BUSINESS PARTNER) RECOGNIZES THE CONTRIBUTIONS THAT BUSINESSES MAKE TO OUR COMMUNITY.

SINCE 1994, MARTA CORTEZ,
ALONG WITH HER SIBLINGS HAVE
OWNED AND OPERATED EDUARDO'S
MEXICAN RESTAURANT. THEY
CONTINUE TO SERVE THE CORONA
REGION THE MOST AUTHENTIC
MEXICAN FOOD IN THE CITY. MARTA
SERVES ON NUMEROUS BOARDS AND
ORGANIZATIONS WHICH INCLUDE:
CORONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
RIVERSIDE COUNTY WOMEN'S
LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE AND THE
CINCO DE MAYO COMMITTEE. SHE IS
PASSIONATE ABOUT BEING ABLE TO
HELP HER COMMUNITY.

SOL SHAPIRO

THE LEGACY AWARD IS AN HONOR AWARDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM WHO DEMONSTRATES A COMMITMENT TO JEWISH LIFE AND THE CORE VALUES OF JUDAISM.

SOL SHAPIRO HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN MANY ASPECTS OF SYNAGOGUE LIFE SINCE JOINING CONGREGATION BETH SHALOM OVER THIRTY YEARS AGO. SOL HAS TAKEN AN ACTIVE ROLE IN FUNDRAISING DURING MANY THE YEARS OF PASSOVER CANDY SALES TO BENEFIT THE CBS RELIGIOUS SCHOOL AND ALSO HAS WORKED TO RAISE MONEY FOR CBS AT CORONA'S ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION. SOL IS RECEIVING THE LEGACY AWARD FOR HIS DEDICATION AND INVOLVEMENT WITH CBS AND THE GREATER CORONA COMMUNITY.

Highlights from prior years' events.

Join us on Sunday, March 27, 2022

Please RSVP now to Renee Miller (909) 228- 5945.













Congregation

Beth Sha

Former Honorees

SHOMER TZEDEK

Guardian of Righteousness

RICHARD GONZALES (2008), JOHN TAVAGLIONE (2009), LOUIS VANDERMOLEN* I ED WATTS* (2010), SHARON MARTINEZ* I MICHAEL GOLDWARE (2011), SYLVIA & LEROY FLEMING (2012) YIRGINIA BLUMENTHAL (2013), SHERIFF STAN SNIFF (2014), CONGRESSMAN KEN CALVERT (2015), BECKY DELL (2016), KEVIN BASH (2017), KEVIN BUTTON (2018), ANGELA ROSSER (2019), KARA LUBIN (2020)

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- Banquet Coordination by Eagle Glen Golf Club

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- Your Name HERE!!

The Legacy Luncheon Awards event will begin at 11 AM on Sunday, March 27, 2022 at Eagle Glen Golf Club.

For Sponsorship and ticket information, contact Renee Miller at (909) 228-5945

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Adult Education

Psalms, Everything You Ever Wanted to Know But were too afraid to ask

Sunday March 6, 2022 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=c1NCUkFtRT

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What are the different type of Psalms?

When are different Psalms said?

How did some Psalms become favorites?

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!

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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
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Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Reunited in the Big Apple

When Becca Miller's flight got cancelled in NYC, she and Michele Schulman were able to spend time together before Becca could get a flight back to Ohio. (Becca and Michele, have the same birthdays and were avid students at CBS' religious school.



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.

HAMILTON FRIEDBERG ACHIEVES MVP AGAIN!



Hamilton Friedberg led his MVP Hustle team to the championship of the Perfect Game MLK Regional NIT (National Invitational Tournament). Hamilton was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player

Hamilton was at bat 17 times and he made 11 hits and walked twice. He got the biggest hit of the tournament when he hit a double in the last inning of the semi-final game! With his team trailing by a run, he eventually scored the winning run which earned them a place in the championship game where he scored the team's first run in a 3-0 game.

Overall he scored 11 runs and batted in 5.

Hamilton is batting .558 for the season of 32 games so far. He has an "on base" percentage of .639 and a hitting percentage of .792.

The team plays 2 tournaments this February at the Great Park in Irvine, Hoping for more success.

Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Costco carries this jam! I felt this story needed to be shared

The incident took place in a supermarket in New Jersey. The tweet is by Michael Perino @ProfessorPerino

"At the supermarket today, I found a small, elderly woman standing in front of a high shelf holding @BonneMamanUS preserves. She was having trouble finding the flavor she wanted because the jars were set back on the shelf.

She couldn't read the labels. She could barely reach them. I offered to help.

After I handed her the raspberry preserves, she thanked me, paused, and then asked, "Do you know why I buy this brand?"

I laughed and replied, "Because it tastes good?"

"Yes, it tastes good." She paused again. "I am a Holocaust survivor."

This was not the conversation I expected on a Sunday grocery run. "During the war, the family that owns the company hid my family in Paris. So now I always buy it. And whenever I go to the store, my grandkids remind me, 'Bubbe, don't forget to buy the jelly."

I told her that that was the best reason I ever heard to buy any company's product. And then we both smiled behind our masks and went our separate ways."

Someone else on Twitter looked into the story and indeed, the town that Andros Company, the makers of Bonne Maman, comes from, hid and saved Jewish families in WW2. It was called Biars sur Cere, which then had about 800 villagers.

From an article, "You have to understand what it was like then. There were posters on the walls,



from the Nazis and from the collaborators, and they said that if you are found to help a Jew, a freemason, a communist, a socialist, or a pervert, you will be shot on sight." Despite the great danger in which helping them put the villagers in, still they kept the children safe."

A good reason to buy Bonne Maman products. And a poignant reminder that when we look out for each other it can change lives, and that there are good and selfless people in the world.

♥Bonne Maman!

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.

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- Torah Fund (for the repair and/or purchase of the Torah Scrolls, Torah Commentaries, and other Bimah needs)

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From The '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.















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 (*)

FEBRUARY 2022

MARCH 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	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
6	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIESZEN	8:30 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 KIDDISH Sponsored by the Lindenbaum Family	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

3	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
4	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	6:30 PM
6	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
6	CONFIRMATION LED BY RENÉE TIEZSEN	8:30 AM
6	ADULT EDUCATION LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM
7	RITUAL COMMITTEE MEETING	6:30 PM
11	EDUCATIONAL SERVICE ALL STUDENTS ONEG Sponsored by the Parents of Students in the Religious School	7:00 PM
13	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
13	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
13	LEGACY MEETING	11:00 AM
16	MEGILLAH READING	6:00 PM
18	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO ONEG Sponsored by Marcy Shapiro and Rebecca Spiegel	7:30 PM
19	CANTOR SHAPIRO & FELIX SMITH 2ND BAR MITZVAH, KIDDISH Sponsored by Marcy Shapiro	9:30 AM
20	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
20	PURIM CARNIVAL	11:00 AM
25	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY ZOPHIA & MELISSA LINDENBAUM ONEG Sponsored by Corina Reiche	7:30 PM
27	NO SCHOOL	****
27	LEGACY LUNCHEON AT EAGLE GLEN GOLF CLUB (1800 Eagle Glen Parkway, Corona, CA 92883) PLEASE RSVP TO RENEE MILLER AT (909) 228-5945	11:00 AM