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*The Voice of
Congregation Beth Shalom*

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Cantor's Corner *by Cantor Bruce Shapiro*

...because right after that in April is Passover.... FREEDOM!
(from last month's newsletter)



Can you believe how fast March flew by? We had so many wonderful events and right in succession. We ended the month honoring those who have helped to be supportive of our goals here at CBS. **Todah Rabbah...** Thank you!

Now on to April. The month of **Passover**. First off, please remember to send in your form to **"Sell your Hametz"** as we are commanded to not own any leaven bread during the holiday (Exodus 13:7). All proceeds will be donated to Settlement House right here in Corona!

During the month of April, one of the Torah portions for the month is Re'eh. It includes the laws of Pesach and the other

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WORLD WIDE WRAP **MAY 15**

Plan now for our annual WRAPPING of Tefillin. Congregation Beth Shalom (CBS) will participate in the World Wide Wrap on Sunday, May 15. Properly putting on and wearing tefillin is a mitzvah to perform as part of our weekday morning prayers and the World Wide Wrap (WWW) helps our members experience it. We are happy to announce our rescheduled date will include the breakfast put on by the Brotherhood just prior to the World Wide Wrap. If you are



interested in assisting the congregation in laying Tefillin connect with Cantor Shapiro. If you are able to assist the Brotherhood with the breakfast, please contact Joel Friedberg.

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* = through June 2022

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Pilgrimage holidays. Ultimately, Re'eh means seeing or be seen. Eitan Cooper, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer of The **Schechter Institutes** points out "that to fulfill our human potential and become in the image of an invisible G-d, we actually need to be visible, show up, and be responsible for each other."

Here is another concept to consider for the upcoming holiday. We may really get to enjoy 2 holidays instead of 1. Who does not like a "two-fer"? The holiday of Passover is celebrated for 2 days (1 in Israel) and the balance of the 6 days is called the Festival of the Unleavened Bread.

Prof. Michael L. Satlow, Professor of Judaic Studies and Religious Studies at Brown University, wrote the following to help us put this idea into perspective and to help us relate the holiday to our current situation. "The Passover *seder* need not be just about remembering the Exodus, but can also be a recognition of the wonder of spring and G-d's work in creation. And if during the next six days we focus a bit more on enjoying our time off or outdoors, we can also remember our ancestors setting off into the desert, away from slavery and toward Sinai. This synthesis is the genius of Passover, and it is one that we should strive to embrace."

Please remember those who are less fortunate than us, those who are being driven from their homes in the Ukraine, and wherever there is upheaval for our Israelite family!

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, may we all be blessed with connections to each other, Mitzvot according to our ability, and allow us the energy to stretch ourselves to take actions we may never have taken before to learn and to connect to others in need. May we remember our Mitzraim, "our narrow places" and the things that hold us back from being the best version of ourselves! **Chag Pesach Sameach!** A Happy and Joyous Passover!

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 (except for April it will be April 23rd) 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 FELIX SMITH'S WORDS



Bruce Rouman
President of CBS

The article below is the speech given by Felix Smith on Shabbat of his 2nd Bar Mitzvah. Of course Felix permitted me to trim this back so it would fit on one page, but of course it didn't.

Please enjoy his talk... Bruce Rouman

Shabbat Shalom everyone and thank you for coming to celebrate my second Bar Mitzvah.

I recall my first Bar Mitzvah clearly. It seems that the older you get ancient memories come into focus. I can't remember what I did last week, or where I left my keys but my Bar Mitzvah in January 1952 is clear in my mind. I was in the 6th grade of Hebrew school. I was a pretty good student, adept at reading Hebrew. My teachers helped me with the Haftarah and preparing my speech. My father of blessed memory and I went on a shopping spree in downtown Boston to find just the right suit. He was a very handsome man and insisted that his only son be elegantly dressed. We went to Jordan Marsh, Filenes, Kennedy's (these were the department stores in Boston). None of the suits there met his standards. Finally, we selected one at Sumner's, a small men's boutique. I was exhausted.

Finally the big day arrived. My mom, dad and sister Leona walked to Shul. When we arrived the nerves set in. The synagogue was packed. I had never performed before such a large crowd. While I knew my Haftarah backwards and forward, I was still very nervous as I approached the Bimah. When I started to recite the Haftarah, my voice cracked. (Part of the joy of adolescent life). I was also suffering from childhood asthma and started to cough extensively. But I got through it. I recall that I delivered my speech without complications. I wish that I retained a copy of it since it received plaudits from the attendees and the Jewish press in Boston. I was told that I should become an attorney. Voila!

The post Bar Mitzvah dinner was at my house. We had a large dining room that extended into the living room. My family that included grandparents, 11 cousins, aunts and uncles, distant relatives and friends were there. The

dinner was catered. The caterer prepared a large chopped liver mold in the shape of the steamboat, Robert E. Lee. One of my Dad's cousins approached the mold and with her hand dug into the bowl and extricated a handful of chopped liver. The Robert E. Lee was destroyed. I was mortified and angry. But being a respectful kid, I bit my tongue and didn't say anything.

My sweet mom helped with the cooking since chicken soup was her specialty. My Grandfather, a famous orthodox Rabbi, delivered a stirring address. He compared me to the Biblical Ephraim, which happens to be my Hebrew name.

This dinner was followed by a party for my friends. I received my fair share of fountain pens. The old joke of the Bar Mitzvah boy declaring "Today I am a fountain pen" was true at my Bar Mitzvah.

Now here we are for my second Bar Mitzvah. I'm not nervous but my voice is cracking this time from old age. But I ask myself why would I want to put myself through this again? Certainly I don't need more fountain pens. My quill pen and inkwell work good enough.

I'll tell you why. It's an opportunity to declare my gratitude to you, members of the congregation and my incredible family. It also allows me to thank God for granting me a long life, sustaining me and enabling me to celebrate this second Bar Mitzvah with you.

This is one of the many Psalms written by Moses and incorporated into The book of Psalms by David. Moses states that the average life expectancy of the people was 70 years. Accordingly the tradition arose that when a Jewish male surpasses 70 years by 13 years (the age of a Bar Mitzvah) he should have a second Bar Mitzvah at age 83. And when a woman surpasses 70 years by 12 years, the age of a Bat Mitzvah, she should have a second Bat Mitzvah when she reaches the age of 82.

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President's Message continued
IN FELIX SMITH'S WORDS

We sure will have a busy congregation of old folks.

Seriously, it gives us an opportunity to reaffirm our commitment to adhere to the Mitzvot, good and kind deeds. It's also an opportunity express our thanks to God through prayer.

I thank God that I have lived to age 83. I indeed deem this day as my personal day of Thanksgiving, where I can express gratitude to my dear friends, congregants and family for your love and support.

We thank God for giving us life, sustaining us and enabling us to enjoy this time, this Shabbat and this Second Bar Mitzvah.

I want to thank the members of the Congregation for their friendship and enabling me to conduct Yizkor services, and Shiva services and an Unveiling service. I want to thank the Cantor for his inspiring services for the past 13 years. This is his second Bar Mitzvah as well. I want to thank my wonderful family for the joy and pride that they have given me. I want to thank my friends in attendance especially Retired Judge Greg Johnson and his lovely wife Odessa. I have been a colleague and friend of Greg for 47 years. He represented State of California agencies while I represented injured public sector employees. We litigated and settled many cases. He was an exceptional judge whose fairness and judicial comportment were celebrated. Thank you Greg and Odessa for honoring me with your presence.

God bless all of you.

Felix Smith, March 19, 2022

EDUCATION *Report*

I will begin my article with a heartfelt thank you to all who participated in our Purim fundraiser. Dennis Itzkowitz, Felix Smith, Stephanie Sachs, Ronni Armstrong, Phil Agins, Tanya Spiegel, Sol Shapiro, The Fusco Family, Ken & Joan Jacobs, Cheryl & Joel Friedberg, Sam & Renee Miller, Bobby & Karen Spiegel, The Whittemore Family, Bob & Kathy Stone, Morrie Barembaum, Bruce & Marci Rouman, Cantor Bruce & Marcy Shapiro, Bruce & Jackie Williams, Bryn Barkan, Renée Tieszen, Jessie Rouman, Deborah Wutzke, Shirli Driz, Pete D'Agostino, Mark & Paula Fogel, The Lindenbaum Family, Mark & Gail Koren, Lenny & Sharon Elkins, Joel & Brooklyn Notick, Dave & Joyce Severson, The Hernandez Family, Joan Zak and Dennis Brooks. Congregation Beth Shalom, you are amazing.

The Purim play that was performed at the Megillah reading was a great success. The CBS players did a fine job. Thank you to Renee Tieszen for all the hard work on the play this Purim.

I had amazing assistance with the Purim carnival from our parents. These parents also filled our Purim boxes. So, thank you to Melissa Lindenbaum, Ada Whittemore, Rebecca Spiegel, and Brenda Fusco. Also thank you to Renée Tieszen and Arrianna Wolfe for helping out as well. It was a great Purim season.

*Marci Rouman
Education Director*



PURIM *Carnival & Prep*



*Congregation
Beth Shalom
of Corona*



Community Passover Seder

*Saturday April 16, 2022
6:00PM @ CBS*

Reservations are required !

Member Adults \$60

Kids 12 and under - \$30

Non-Member Adults: \$70

Non-Member kids 12 & under: \$36

- A full catered meal which includes: matzah, wine, matzah ball soup, kosher chicken w/sides, desserts, fruit & beverage.

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March Madness—CBS Style

THE LITTLE SHUL THAT COULD...

This past month was nothing short of a miracle, or as we are nearing Pesach, we could relate to the story and question [replacing night with month]: “Why is this Month different from all other Months?”

Certainly, there have been lots of changes over the prior two years, yet March 2022 surely was an opportunity to ‘catch up’ and run full speed ahead!

Reflecting on the many activities and committees we have at CBS, our members were busy providing the high quality of programming we’ve come to expect. The Education Committee and the Religious School did an amazing job on the Purim Play, written by Renée Tieszen and orchestrated by a cast of the children of CBS. See pages 5-8 for photos of this event. Thank you Dennis Brooks and Mark Koren for taking pictures on these pages. The students made their own groggers. The outpouring of financial support for the Mishloach Manot boxes, filled with goodies for every congregant to enjoy, was an added surprise for everyone who attended. Additionally, the Education Committee hosted the annual Purim Carnival (see photos on page 4).

Adult Ed Education and Torah Study, both led by Joan Zak, were active in March too. Joan, who worked diligently throughout her birthday month, never slowing down—reading Torah, participating in services, managing the Zoom portion of every service, and ensuring those persons who were logged in could participate. Joan led services on March 25. with visitors from CBU, and explained various prayers and customs...simply delightful! Dayenu!

The month of March is International Women’s Month. Cantor Shapiro invited all women of the congregation to participate in the Friday evening service. It was beautiful to watch, to listen and to hear the many female voices. It was wonderful for everyone who participated in services. If the aforementioned wasn’t enough... Dayenu!

A new tradition was unveiled on Saturday, March 19. We heard Felix Smith recite and share words that will impact my life ... with more meaning, purpose, and gratitude. Felix created a beautiful Mitzvah by celebrating his 2nd Bar Mitzvah, honoring 70 years since he first was called to the Torah and became a Son of the Commandments. (After the service, I heard various other congregants expressing thoughts of following in Felix’s footsteps specific to a 2nd Bar Mitzvah). Felix’s D’var Torah is on page 3 of this publication and is this month’s submission from President Bruce Rouman [as his message]. The pulpit was shared that Shabbat with Cantor Bruce Shapiro,

who also created a beautiful Mitzvah by celebrating his work-Bar Mitzvah. It was 13 years ago that Cantor Shapiro joined our CBS family as our spiritual leader. His words are found on page 10 of this publication. The service attracted a larger than normal attendance, and so many moving parts and individuals who stepped forward to participate. Relatives from both honorees were plentiful, and I can simply say it was a beautiful Shabbat. Mazel Tov Felix and Cantor Shapiro! Again, Dayenu!

The evening of Monday, March 21, CBS welcomed a special guest from Israel, Yaakov Selavan, the grandson of Holocaust survivor Ben Hirsch (z”l). Yaakov represented his company, Slingshot, and spoke to a packed facility of over 90 people in our shul, highlighting the role that the Golan plays, the current situation in Israel and answered questions from attendees. His passion for Israel and first-hand experiences of the Golan Heights were very educational and informative. He captivated the attendees during his presentation.. See pages 24 for photos from this event. Thank you, Tanya Spiegel, for organizing this event. Thank you to the generous attendees who donated to Slingshot to continue their efforts throughout Israel by supporting IDF Soldiers. This was part of our community outreach, providing educational speakers to our community. And to think that the month was not over yet...Dayenu!

To wrap up our month, on Sunday, March 27 we hosted our annual Legacy Luncheon Awards Banquet, where the synagogue honored three amazing individuals: Sol Shapiro as our Legacy Award recipient; MaryAnn Sherman as the Shomer Tzedek (Guardian of Righteousness) Award recipient; and Marta Cortez with Eduardo’s Mexican Restaurant as the Shatuf Tzedek (Business Partner) Award recipient. Over 150 people gathered to honor these great humanitarians. Photos from the event begin on page 11. Thank you to our photographers Mark Koren, Dennis Brooks and Tom Seeling. Dayenu!

As we closed out the month, I reflected on so many comments from the various activities – and the commonality was Dayenu! Even one thing would have been enough – however **the little shul that could, has once again proven... it is the little shul that DOES!**

*Chag Pesach Sameach!
Bobby Spiegel*

13 Years Ago . . . By Cantor Bruce Shapiro

The following are words shared during a special Shabbat Service celebrating Cantor Shapiro's 13th year of being with Congregation Beth Shalom.

½ Score and 3 years ago, we met on a Friday night. It was dark outside when Shabbat started and there was a bit of mystery in the air.

You were in search of a leader. A singer, perhaps a Rabbi who could sing or even play guitar. 1 out of 3 wasn't bad, but the odds were not in my favor. Bobby and Karen Spiegel asked if I was related to Matt Shapiro (my son) as their kids were in USY together with ours. Our connection of Jewish geography began right away.

Again, 1 out of 3 was not in my favor, but, you hired me anyway!

And we got to work right away. Two Bat Mitzvahs right out of the gate, the Watton and Izenman families. A move to a new home on California Avenue and we marched our Torahs from (Foothill) to California Avenue in a procession and a building we were all proud of.

Throughout the years, I have taught you many things about living Jewishly, praying Jewishly, and being a Conservative Jew! And you, have taught me to be a better listener, more open to ideas, humility, and to be present. My job as I saw it, was to make the comfortable uncomfortable, and the uncomfortable comfortable.

We are a mighty congregation, you all know, "the Little Shul that can". We have had our share of ups and downs...together...B'Yachad. We have contributed and still do to the community at large through our Mitzvah projects, selling of Hametz benefitting Settlement House, planting trees in Israel, providing health kits to the homeless and so much more.

You all contribute your time, your families, and your funds to provide this space, our community home. You are all important to CBS and you are all important to me. At one time or another we have held a conversation about one thing or another, sharing stories about family, sharing a joke, a political view, school, problems, life-changes, birth of children and grandchildren, B'Nai mitzvoth, travel to Israel, holiday planning, weddings, and yes, even funerals.

Thanks to all of you who could make it today in person and on zoom and even those of you who could not, I am grateful for the opportunity to have been your Spiritual Leader and Cantor for the past 13 years. You were with me when I was at Yeshiva and started here about the same time. You learned with me for those 9 long years until I obtained my S'micha, now just about 5 years ago!

There are so many stories and so many people to thank for supporting me. Rather than naming all of the individuals, I would like to thank each and every one of you for being here today to celebrate with my family and me this milestone. I would like to thank Felix Smith for being so gracious about sharing his 2nd Bar Mitzvah too. Having two milestones in our shul on the same day is fantastic!

To my incredible wife Marcy of 35 years, my soulmate and best friend, I could not have endured the long hours of driving without my kvetching about traffic on Friday night without you! You are my number one supporter and soundboard!

Lastly, a special thank you to Sandy Kaye, who if it were not for her husband Sol and her, I would not be here today. They heard me leading services in another Shul in Orange County in 2008 (I was davening for one of their family members there) and they suggested to the leadership here at CBS at that time..."you have got to hear just one more candidate"! I appreciated that opportunity.

Adon Olam, Master of the Universe, on this Bar Mitzvah year with CBS, may you continue to bless this congregation with the strength to endure, grow, learn, and commit to being the best version of themselves as we move forward into the next chapter of our lives together here at CBS!

Shabbat Shalom!



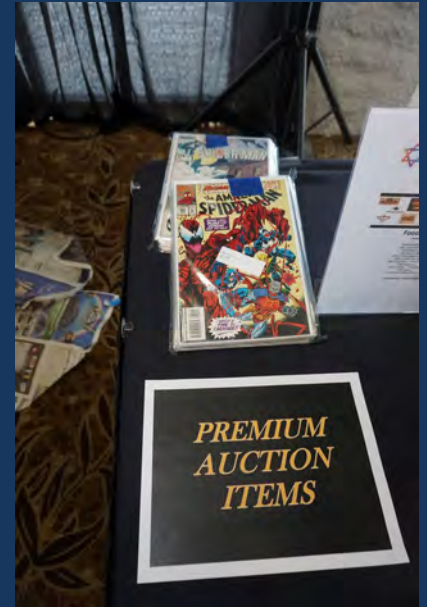
15th Annual event continues *Hamish, Classy, Community and Recognition* Highlights from March 27, 2022 event.

Thank you to Renee Miller and Marci Rouman who both worked a dedicated committee of volunteers. Enjoy these photos courtesy of Dennis Brooks, Mark Koren, and Tom Seeling.

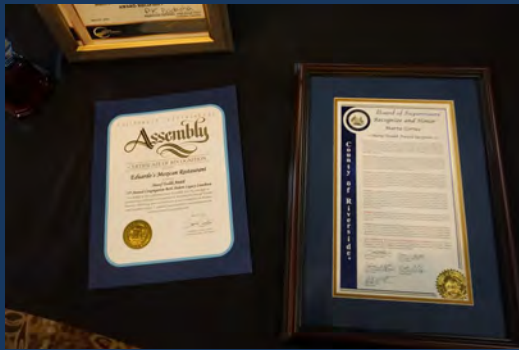




Highlights from this years' event.



More Highlights from this years' event.





Highlights from this years' event.



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The following people purchased trees planted in CBS Groves in Israel—totaling over 800 trees sold!

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10 Trees Bryn Barkan Shirli Driz, Arrianna Wolfe, Marta Driz	Tony & Maria Melgoza Judy Now John Weygandt
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- Ontario Reign
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- Paula's Kitchen
- PF Chang's
- Pole Position Raceway
- Polly's Pies & Restaurant
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- Santa Ana Zoo
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- The Broad Museum
- The Cut Above Hair Salon
- The Derby Room Bar & Grill
- Texas Roadhouse
- Tom's Farms
- Trader Joe's
- USS Midway Museum
- Vito's Italian Restaurant
- Wood Ranch Restaurant

Pesach is almost here!

For your convenience, please complete this form for the **Authorization of Sale of Hametz**, a traditional act of ridding our homes of forbidden leavened items:

We, the undersigned, do hereby appoint Cantor Bruce Shapiro to be our agent to arrange the sale of any and all Hametz which may be located in our possession before the arrival of the festival of Pesach.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

(In order to effect a designation of agency, some transfer of property is required by Jewish law. We suggest you make a donation of whatever amount you wish to CBS-Sale of Hametz and the office will forward your checks.)

Please return this form to the office by Thursday, April 14, 2022.

Make checks payable to: CBS-Sale of Hametz: P.O. Box 2737, Corona, CA 92878

Friday: 4/15 Fast of the Firstborn

Saturday: 4/16 Community Seder Begins at 6:15 PM start

PASSOVER-SEDER HOSPITALITY (Pandemic Rules Apply)

- Please notify the office you if you need to be hosted for a Seder or would consider welcoming Seder guests.
- Please join us for the Second Night, Community Seder@ CBS led by Cantor Shapiro and friends.
- Donations welcome: Minimum \$ 1 (to go to Settlement House)

RITUAL *Report*

Jackie Williams, *Ritual Chairperson*

Thank you to the Religious School Students for leading services on March 11 and to Joan Zak for leading them on March 25. We are so grateful for your participation.

In April it will be Zophia and Melissa Lindenbaum on April 29. There will not be a Friday or Saturday Shabbat service on April 15 or 16 as we will be celebrating Pesach with our families. However on Saturday, April 16 we will have our synagogue seder in the evening. Reservations for that are required by April 4th so our caterers can purchase the right amount food and supplies. We are so happy that we are back in the synagogue for this event.

Please remember to call me at 714-296-4079 to reserve your seats for the synagogue seder by April 4th.

Jackie Williams
Ritual Chairperson

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.

Congregation Beth Shalom COMMUNITY *Seder*

\$60 per person, age 12 or under \$30



Saturday, April 16 at 6pm
Cantor Shapiro will lead the Seder and we welcome all who wish to participate, please RSVP with payment to Jackie Williams no later than April 4. Contact Jackie at (714) 296-4079.



Join us in Celebrating Synagogue Members



April

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| 06 Bob Stone | 21 Brenda Fusco |
| 08 David Barembaum | 22 Amanda Rouman |
| 11 Morrie Barembaum | 24 Rebecca Barembaum |
| 12 Mitch Lindenbaum | 26 Ken Jacobs |
| 13 Joel Williams | 27 Ilana D'Agostino |
| 16 Paula Lipovetsky | 27 Matt Shapiro |
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| 11 Karen Spiegel |
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Heights
to CORONA**

Amazing presentation from Yaakov Selavan founder of Slingshot, an Israeli based Educational company. Over 90 people attended this event. Thank you Tanya Spiegel for coordinating this event. For more information about Slingshot contact Tanya (951) 751-9841.



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.

Apr	1	Renee Miller celebrating Sam's Birthday
Apr	8	Morrie Barembaum celebrating his Birthday
Apr	15	Passover, No Services
Apr	22	Paula & Mark Fogel, as a Mitzvah
Apr	29	Melissa & Mitch Lindenbaum celebrating their birthdays
May	6	Parent of CBS Religious School to honor Teachers
May	13	Joan & Ken Jacobs celebrating Ken's Birthday and future retirement from the US Coast Guard
May	20	Shirli Driz in honor of Arrianna's Confirmation
May	27	Cheryl & Joel Friedberg celebrating Joel's birthday

Recommended items for a Basic Emergency Supply Kit



Recommended Items to Include in a Basic Emergency Supply Kit:

- Water, one gallon of water per person per day for at least three days, for drinking and sanitation
- Food, at least a three-day supply of non-perishable food
- Battery-powered or hand crank radio and a NOAA Weather Radio with tone alert and extra batteries for both
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- First aid kit
- Whistle to signal for help
- Dust mask, to help filter contaminated air and plastic sheeting and duct tape to shelter-in-place
- Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties for personal sanitation
- Wrench or pliers to turn off utilities
- Can opener for food (if kit contains canned food)
- Local maps



FEMA

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

Karen & Bobby Spiegel
*In loving memory of
 Bobby's Grandfather
 Dr. Max Spiegel*

CANTOR'S DISCRETIONARY Fund

Jackie & George Ramsdell
*In honor of
 Aiden becoming a Bar
 Mitzvah*

**Mitch & Melissa
 Lindenbaum**
*In honor of
 Zophia becoming a Bat
 Mitzvah*

EDUCATION Fund

Jackie & George Ramsdell
*In honor of
 Melissa & Zophia's B'noit
 Mitzvah*

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

Yahrzeit Observances

May their memories be a blessing

APRIL

- 2 Luvella Mercier 01 Nisan
- 3 Felice Merrill Rouman * 02 Nisan
- 4 Meyer Shapiro 03 Nisan
- 9 Samuel Agins * 08 Nisan
- 11 Lionel Gillerman * 10 Nisan
- 11 Sherman Gilman * 10 Nisan
- 12 Irving Schlusberg* 11 Nisan
- 14 Rebecca Barembaum 13 Nisan
- 15 Sarah Shulman 14 Nisan
- 17 Dr. Max Spiegel * 16 Nisan
- 17 Dr. Tomas Hirschfield * 16 Nisan
- 18 Rex Davis 17 Nisan
- 18 Marla Saphira 17 Nisan
- 22 Ann Kaufmann 21 Nisan
- 22 Gerda Nordon 21 Nisan
- 22 Tillie Itzkowitz 21 Nisan
- 24 Thadia "Dee Dee" Gillerman * 23 Nisan
- 24 Yshayaho Oshri 23 Nisan
- 26 Evelyn Weinberg * 25 Nisan
- 27 Jerome Tarshis * 26 Nisan
- 28 Max Lechtman 27 Nisan
- 29 Jeffrey Edward Goldstein * 27 Nisan
- 29 Seymour Leeds 28 Nisan

MAY

- 2 Barbara Smith 1 Iyar
- 2 Elena Widder 1 Iyar
- 4 Selma Lich 3 Iyar
- 6 Yetta Gubernick 5 Iyar
- 6 Maurice Taks 5 Iyar
- 11 Betty Friedberg* 10 Iyar
- 12 Edith Werby 11 Iyar
- 12 Baruch Grinshpan* 11 Iyar
- 15 Arthur Shapiro 14 Iyar
- 15 Jacob Haskel Eisen* 14 Iyar
- 16 Bonnie J. Flint* 15 Iyar
- 17 Gerald Notick 16 Iyar
- 20 Augusta Frey* 19 Iyar
- 20 Philip Scharfman* 19 Iyar
- 24 Edward Severson 23 Iyar
- 24 Florence Feller 23 Iyar
- 28 Gary Lee Elkins* 27 Iyar
- 29 Zdenka Fischmann* 28 Iyar
- 31 Bessie Cotler* 1 Sivan
- 31 Ruth Hirschfeld 1 Sivan

* = 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.

Congregation Beth Shalom

Adult Education

Psalms, Which Psalm has meaning for you?

Sunday April 3, 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>

[BQeDUrdDIKNGMzZXRCdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4420163247?pwd=c1NCUkFtRT)

Finish up our general discussion of Psalms

We'll share individual Psalms we find meaningful and discuss how we view them.

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.

Paula's Kitchen

Makes Great Gifts/Hostess | Packaged for gift or Freezer
 Text your Order to Paula Fogel (951) 203-1275
 Custom Orders upon request

Pumpkin Bread



Vanilla Oatmeal Applesauce Bread
 with nuts and or Raisins or without Poppyseed Bread



Zucchini Bread
 (with or without nuts)



Brown Sugar Crumble Zucchini



Orange Cranberry Bread
 (with or without nuts)
 Seasonal Only when Fresh cranberries are in Season



- Lemon Cranberry Bread
- Lemon Bread
- Lemon Poppyseed
- Lemon Blueberry



- Death by Chocolate Zucchini (with or without nuts and or coconut)
- Banana Nut (or without nuts) Bread
- Chocolate Marbled Banana (with or without nuts)
- Blueberry Bread or Raspberry Bread
- Cinnamon Swirl Bread
- Muffins & Cookies on Special Request

\$13 per loaf or 3 Loaves for \$35

SCRIP!!

- * WORKS LIKE CASH
- * NO ADDITIONAL COST
- * USE IT AS GIFT CERTIFICATES
- * BUY IT IN ANY AMOUNTS
- * LOCAL STORES & BUSINESSES
- * 5%-20% RETURNS TO ORGANIZATION
- * SUPPORTS OUR COMMUNITY

- Stores Include:**
- SUPERMARKETS
 - RESTAURANTS
 - DRUG STORES
 - DEPARTMENT STORES
 - GAS STATIONS
 - BOOK STORES
 - HOME IMPROVEMENT



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



**THE STRENGTH OF A PEOPLE.
THE POWER OF COMMUNITY.**

Toilet Articles

- ⇒ Tooth Brushes
- ⇒ Tooth Paste
- ⇒ Soap
- ⇒ Shampoo
- ⇒ Razors
- ⇒ Shave Cream
- ⇒ Skin Cream
- ⇒ Deodorant
- ⇒ Cotton Swabs
- ⇒ Facial Tissue

Show Corona's Homeless

**CBS
Cares**



Beyond the SYNAGOGUE

Aviella is in a movie!



Former CBS Member, and Religious School teacher, Aviella Winder will be on the big screen very soon!

Captured from her mother's Facebook post:

!!AHHHHH!!! THE SECRET IS FINALLY OUT and I can now tell you guys!!!!



AVIELLA IS IN A MOVIE!!!!!! SOOO EXCITING!!

Many of you may or may not know that when Aviella was younger she took acting lessons from the Disney & Nickelodeon coaches in LA, she was in a traveling dinner theater production for many years called "Joey & Maria," she was in several commercials, and numerous professional theater plays...TO NOW THIS!!! HER FIRST FEATURE FILM DEBUT!!!! The sky is the limit!!! WOOOOO!!!!

Sorry guys that I cannot tell you anything about the movie...you'll have to watch it when it's released!!!

STAY TUNED

REBECCA MILLER AT DAR CONVENTION

Rebecca Miller attended her first Ohio State Society for Daughters of the American Revolution.

Akron Chapter Daughters had a great time at the OSDAR State Conference!

Pictured, from left, Juniors Rebecca Armstrong and Rebecca Miller and Project Patriot Chair Peggy Thomas Whitcomb, all Akron Chapter members.



Rebecca Miller is in the center

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.

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)
- ◆ **Adult Education Fund** (to support Adult Education programs)
- ◆ **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)

***** Send this portion back *****

I would like to make a donation of \$ _____ to the _____ Fund.

In Honor/Memory of: _____

Please send a card to (recipient):

Name: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Donor's Info:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Form of Payment: Credit Card Check Cash

Credit Card Number: _____ CRV: _____

Name on card: _____

Billing Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Signature: _____

Donor acknowledgement required? Y N

Thank you for mailing this form and your check to:
Congregation Beth Shalom, PO Box 2737, Corona, CA 92878

ATTN: Donations

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.



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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 (*)

APRIL 2022

1	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO ONEG: Sponsored by Renee Miller	6:30 PM
3	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
3	CONFIRMATION CLASS	8:30 AM
3	ADULT EDUCATION LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM
4	RITUAL MEETING	6:30 PM
7	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
8	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, WITH SPECIAL GUESTS VISITORS FROM CAL BAPTIST UNIVERSITY; ONEG: Sponsored by Morrie Barembaum	7:30 PM
10	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
10	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
11	BOOK CLUB: THE COFFEE TRADER BY DAVID LISS	5:30 PM
15	NO SHABBAT SERVICE-PASSOVER	****
16	NO MORNING SHABBAT SERVICE	****
16	COMMUNITY PASSOVER SEDER	6:00 PM
17	NO RELIGIOUS SCHOOL - PASSOVER	****
20	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
22	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO, ONEG: Sponsored by Mark & Paula Fogel	7:30 PM
23	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
23	SHABBAT MORNING SERVICES LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
24	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30AM
24	CONFIRMATION CLASS	8:30AM
29	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE; ONEG Sponsored by the Lindenbaum Family	7:30PM

MAY 2022

1	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL	8:30 AM
1	CONFIRMATION	8:30 AM
1	ADULT EDUCATION LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:30 AM
2	RITUAL MEETING (ZOOM)	6:30 AM
5	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
6	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO AND ALL CLASSES—TEACHER APPRECIATION ONEG: Sponsored by Parents of CBS Students	6:30 PM
8	NO SCHOOL MOTHER'S DAY	****
13	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE ONEG: Sponsored by Ken & Joan Jacobs	7:30 PM
15	BROTHERHOOD BRUNCH	8:00 AM
15	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL LAST DAY	8:30 AM
15	WORLD WIDE WRAP	9:00 AM
15	BOARD MEETING	9:00 AM
18	BROTHERHOOD POKER	7:00 PM
20	EREV SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO ONEG: Sponsored by Shirli Driz	7:30 PM
21	TORAH STUDY LED BY JOAN ZAK	9:00 AM
21	SHABBAT SERVICE LED BY CANTOR SHAPIRO	10:00 AM
27	SHABBAT SERVICE ONEG: Sponsored by Joel & Cheryl Friedberg.	7:30 PM