

In the month of Jammuz, Moses smashed the tablets after the incident of the golden calf. Joday, we gather the pieces together by acts of Jikkun Olam!

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### Schedule of Services

Friday, June 1 8:15pm Services 8:05pm Candle lighting

Saturday, June 2 9:30am Services Sedra: Beha'alotecha Bat Mitzvah of Kalanit Krasner-Cohen

Friday, June 8 8:15pm Services 8:10pm Candle lighting Saturday, June 9
9:30am Services
10:30am Tot Shabbat
Bat Mitzvah of Carmel Smith
Sedra: Shelach

Friday, June 15 6:00pm Barechu and BBQ at Freedom Park 8:13pm Candle lighting

Saturday, June 16 9:30am Services Minyonaires Shabbat Sedra: Korach Friday, June 22 7:00pm Shabbat Learner's Service 8:15pm Candle lighting

Saturday, June 23 9:30am Services Simcha Shabbat Sedra: Chukat

Friday, June 29 6:15pm Services 8:15pm Candle lighting

Saturday, June 30 9:30am Services Sedra: Balak

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### FROM THE DESK OF THE RABBI

#### In honor of Gerry Gross

"Aseh lecha rav, u'knay lecha chaver" - Find a good teacher, and you will discover a friend.

The book of our tradition with the title Pirkei Avot records (1:6) an insight from a Rabbi named Yehoshua ben Perachia. He suggests to us "aseh lecha rav, u'knay lecha chaver." Find a good teacher, and you will discover a friend.

When I think of Gerry, these words spring to mind. These words spring to mind since what Gerry has done every day for almost a decade for us, whether he realized it or not, is become our teacher and our friend.

Think about it and you will see that these are some of the things that Gerry, just by being Gerry, has taught us:

**Be Enthusiastic.** There is not been a part of his complicated job that he has not approached with enthusiasm and with a 'can do' attitude.

**Be Caring.** I cannot not tell you how many of you have told me how Gerry gets to know each of you personally, and is always on the look out to help you. This is not just in the context of his role as Executive Director, it is just who Gerry is and what he does. And Gerry cares so much about who we are a congregation.

**Be Organized and thorough.** The chair that Gerry sat in spanned every part of the synagogue, from bookkeeping and budget, to keeping the building up keep and beyond. He answered the phone a thousand times a day, and if he did not have an answer for you right away, he would find out and let you know. He is the person you turned to for heat and air conditioning, to run the projector and the sound system, but also the one who knew just when to call to see how you are doing, and that we missed you.

**Go Above and Beyond.** Gerry certainly went so far above and beyond his job, and became an integral part of our daily life at the Center. The Shalom Yeladimers and the Shalom Clubbers and everyone who walked through the door, or called on the phone, he made you feel unique and special and part of our community.

In these ways and more, Gerry has been our teacher.

In these ways Gerry was my teacher.

In these ways Gerry became our friend.

In these ways, Gerry became my friend.

So thank you Gerry our teacher and our friend.

# TEAR OUT AND SAVE YOUR QUICK LOOK GUIDE ON PAGE 23



### FROM YOUR (SOON TO BE RETIRING) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR...

I'll be seeing you...

just few days before writing this farewell article, I had the occasion family. to be in NYC for a special performance with my good friends Neil and Dennis Frigand (Herman's boys.) The venue had a nice outdoor One of my favorite poets is Robert Frost and I end with the last patio a number of floors above the hustle and bustle of 42nd Street. lines of one of his most famous poems: As I sat there in this peaceful setting in the late afternoon on an unusually beautiful day, I thought that this is a taste of retirement. My phone didn't ring, no one was looking for me; no one out there even knew me.

It was as they say in Yiddish "a mechayeh" or a total pleasure. I know that many of you were there to celebrate with me and my family on May 6th (what a wonderful evening!!) I thank you all and I return to the title of this article – I'll be seeing you... also to all of you who have reached out to me with your beautiful This is the title to a beautiful, heartwarming song composed in thoughts and words. My heart is full of joy and gladness.

Again, special thanks to all of you who made the evening possible: Many of you, I am sure, can sing along with the lyrics below but the committee: Linda, Flo, Dorothy and all the helpers; our in case you are a bit younger just bring it up on you tube (it is performers, Shana, Rabbi, Mark, Ed, Sam and Alison; Robert for the worth it - I would go with Frank Sinatra) video montage and his photography; Lew and Julie for pictures and the video of the entire event; to Eddie Levy and his entire staff; to Jeremy and of course to the Rabbi.

A special thank you to Fern Spitzer, who lovingly put this whole evening together - from concept to smiles all around. Words are not enough.

And to our own special Melissa Weiner, who tirelessly worked on the spectacular journal and the Streets of NY posters. I know you did it for me and I am forever grateful.

At the end of my remarks that evening I said the following and repeat here: They say that there is nothing in life that's perfect and whoever is "they" are probably correct. However, when the light I most definitely will be seeing you. bulb went off in my head that spring Sunday in 2009 reviewing financial records on the 3rd floor with Robert, I took the step into Gerry what I would consider my "perfect job."

With all that I know and have experienced, I would not have made my decision any different.

Between Simchas and Condolences, I have come to know many of you at a close and personal level. I meet your families, I see your

kids grow up from the playground of SY to the Bimah.

"Retirement is wonderful. It's doing nothing  $\,$  I know you are here to pay tribute to me and to thank me but without worrying about getting caught at I need to thank all of you for giving me the privilege of having it," or so says this comic one-liner. Actually, the best job I ever had and the honor of serving you, my MJCBY

I shall be telling this with a sigh Somewhere ages and ages hence: Two roads diverged in a wood, and I— I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference.

1938 by two Jews (vat else), Sammy Fain and Irving Kahal. Its lyric and music are a perfect way to exit this chapter in my life.

> I'll be seeing you In all the old familiar places That this heart of mine embraces All day and through... I'll be seeing you In every lovely summer's day In everything that's light and gay I'll always think of you that way I'll find you in the morning sun And when the night is new I'll be looking at the moon But I'll be seeing you.



### Synagogue News

### **GOOD & WELFARE**

#### **Condolences to:**

Adam Herbert on the passing of his beloved father, William Herbert.

Mimi Czeisler on the passing of her beloved mother, Ruth Straus.

Steven Lipsky on the passing of his beloved father, Sidney Lipsky.

#### Mazal Tov to:

Robin and David Leitner on the birth of a grandson, Jude, born to daughter Elizabeth and Justin Bornstein.

Ronni and Barry Krauser on the birth of a grandson, Raine Tengerdy Krauser, to their son Matthew and daughter-in law Aqi.

### Refuah Schlema to:

Steven Abend, Jeff Czeisler, Murray Goldfinger, Ellis Hoch, Sue Jacobowitz, Abraham Kadushin, Wendy Kadushin, Gary Lilienthal, Avi Lyon, Scott Reilly, Sonya Oppenheimer, Marcia Samuels and Diane Smith.

# MORRISTOWN JEWISH CENTER BEIT YISRAEL IS YOUR COMMUNITY

nur clergy is here for you.

Please let us know when you need us—if someone is ill or in the hospital—or when you want to share your good news: a new baby, a marriage, or other simcha. We want to know, but you have to tell us. Please call the office at (973) 538-9292 or email office@mjcby.org.

Special note: Let us know if you or a family member would like a visit from the Rabbi due to illness. HIPPA privacy laws prevent us from receiving this information.

Our Gemilut Hasadim committee is able to provide support for those that need it. Please contact Meryl Balaban at meryleo@ aol.com

When you have experienced the death of a loved one, please contact Rabbi Nesson at (973) 538-9292 or (973) 285-9772 before you make any plans. In this way, he will be most helpful in making these preparations in a proper Jewish manner.

### Morristown Jewish Center's Next Adult Bar and Bat Mitzvah Class

Begine this Fall



The time has come for MJCBY to once again offer an adult bar/bat mitzvah class beginning after the High Holy Days.



This class, taught by Rabbi Nesson and Cantor Shana, will be meeting on Wednesday nights.

This will be a learning experience for all those who may not have celebrated a Bar or Bat mitzvah before, and for those who may have had a Bat/ Bat mitzvah but who want to engage their Jewish learning on an adult level. We will cover holidays, thought, prayer, life cycle, and much more. You will also learn how to lead prayers, read from the Torah, and chant Haftorah. Our goal is a celebration on Shavuot, in June 2019.

If you are interested please let Rabbi Nesson know at ravdjn@aol.com. Join our Hebrew classes, beginning this summer, to help you along.

> Morristown Jewish Center Beit Israel 177 Speedwell Avenue, Morristown



### Morristown Jewish Center

And from



Greater MetroWest Federation

At the

ISRAEL DAY PARADE

As Israel celebrates her historic

70<sup>th</sup> anniversary

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

### Synagogue News

Morristown Jewish Center invites you to

### **WELCOMING THE SHABBAT ANGLES** THE JOY OF KABBALAT SHABBAT A LEARNING SERVICE



Rabbi Nesson and Cantor Shana Friday - June 22 - 7:00 pm

This special prayer experience is for everyone!

Open to the Community. Please join us!

RSVP to Gerry at 973-538-9292 or execdir@mjcby.org to let us know you plan to attend.



Rosh Hashanah begins on September 9.

Purchase your own High Holy Day prayer book today. Machzor Lev Shalem is now available at \$36 per book Contact the MJCBY Office.

973-538-9292, to purchase your copy.

#### Morristown Jewish Center Invites the Community to a

#### Barechu & BBQ

Friday, June 15 Freedom Park Randolph

BBQ and Dinner 6:00 PM Vegetarian option available



7:00PM MUSICAL SHABBAT SERVICES

You don't have to attend dinner to attend the service



ADULTS \$12 KIDS UNDER 10 FREE - OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY

RSVP by June 8 to Gerry Gross execdir@mjcby.org or Call the Office 973-538-9292

Save the Dates for the next Barechu & BBQ: July 27 and Aug. 10

Grillers and set up help are needed please let

Gerry know if you can help out. If you would like to be one of our musical participants,

contact Cantor Shana.

Please return your reservation with your check made out to MJCBY to 177 Speedwell Avenue, Morristown, NJ 07960 or email to execdir@mjcby.org.

I/We will be attending June 15(Check all that apply)

# of Adults & Children over 10 @ \$12.00 \_\_\_\_ \_ #Children under 10 \_\_

# of vegetarian options

For more information contact Gerry at 973-538-9292 or execdir@micby.or

### LOOKING TO GIVE BACK TO YOUR **COMMUNITY THROUGH GOOD DEEDS?**

e serve less fortunate members of the Morristown community at the Morristown Soup Kitchen, the 4th Sunrepair the world day of every month.

Our **SOUP**-er volunteers for April:

We can.... repair .... "Tikkun Olam

Carol Leiwant, Rita Fand, Laurie and Fred Iskowitz, David and Kim Ganz, Shelley Bienstock, Kim Synalovski, Sue Wallenstein. Ilisa and Peter Ferrara.

The Social Action Committee is looking for new members. If you are interested in extending what MJCBY does beyond the Soup Kitchen and Family Promise activities, we would like to hear from you. MJCBY prides itself on doing Tikkun Olam to benefit our community, and your suggestions will help us to expand our mission. If interested, please e-mail either Lou Bodian (Loub48@gmail. com) or Howard Buxbaum (howardbuxbaum@gmail.com). We look forward to your great ideas.

### Legacy

### SIMCHA SHABBAT:

Simcha Shabbat is a bimonthly celebration of the wedding anniversaries and milestone birthdays of our members. During the Shabbat



service, members will be recognized on the bimah for their simcha and receive a special gift.

Our ninth Simcha Shabbat was held on April 14 when we honored on the bimah three couples who celebrated a wedding anniversary and three congregants who had milestone birthdays.

Our next Simcha Shabbat will be on June 23 when we will celebrate with our congregants having a wedding anniversary or milestone birthday in May or June.

**Our Summer Simcha Shabbat will take place on August 11** when we will celebrate with our congregants having a wedding anniversary or milestone birthday in July or August. Please mark the date if you are celebrating a simcha!

To ensure that we have everyone's correct wedding anniversary date, we ask that all of our members to take a moment to log into their online ChaverWare accounts to check that they have properly inputted this information and that their email address listed is correct. If you need help with ChaverWare please contact Gerry Gross in the office.

If you have any questions about Simcha Shabbat please contact Jeff Grayzel, the MJCBY Simcha Shabbat coordinator, at grayzel@verizon.netat grayzel@verizon.net.

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The MJCBY Legacy Society Committee is so happy for the success this program has had over the now 4 years that we have been involved.

Fifty plus individuals and families have taken the step to make a commitment to the future of MJCBY and included us in their future planning.

Thanks to all of our Society members and to the generosity of the Grinspoon Foundation and the Jewish Community Foundation of Greater Metrowest.

MJCBY will have received by the end of this June, \$34,000 as the base for Legacy endowment.

It is because of you, the forward thinking and committed members of the MJCBY Legacy Society that the future of our vibrant Jewish community will continue to educate our young and comfort our families when needed.

If you have not yet considered a Legacy commitment please think about including MJCBY in your planning as well.

Making a Legacy commitment does not require you to specify a dollar amount now.

Please reach to one of our Legacy team members to discuss how you can be part of our Legacy Society and the Future of MJCBY.

The Future is Now!

Rabbi David Nesson Robert Berns Irving Cohen Karen Gooen Fern Spitzer Gerry Gross - Chair

Get Centered at MJCBY

L'Dor V'Dor



### The Judie Gerstein Early Learning Center

The last two weeks at Shalom Yeladim were very exciting. Our little chick hatched and the children were able to see the whole process. They have also been taking very good care of him, from giving him water and food to cleaning the box and petting him. What a wonderful lesson on patience and responsibility.

Our summer program starts on June 25 and goes through August 17 and registration for the 2018-19 school year is still open. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Michelle Nulman michelle@mjcby.org (973)538-8284









#### JUNE

6/6	FATHER'S DAY		9:15 am
6/9	TOT SHABBAT		10:30 am
,	GRADUATION (4 YEAR	OLDS)	5:45 pm
,	LAST DAY PICNIC	,	9:45 am
6/13-2	22 BRIDGES	7:30 am -	6:00 pm
	FIRST DAY OF SUMMER	PROGRAM	•

### The Judie Gerstein Early Learning Center

SHALOM YELADIM WISHES GERRY WELL ON HIS RETIREMENT IN A SPECIAL FRIDAY MORNING SHABBAT



### Sisterhood News

We want to thank all the Sisterhood members for a great year. We had a great Paid UP, Sisterhood Shabbat and the recent Torah Fund Brunch, where we honored past Sisterhood Presidents. The programming this year focused on health and wellness and brought in great speakers to educate our members about how to relieve stress and get the most out of life.

The Kiddush committee continued to do an outstanding job providing refreshments for all of the many events we have had this year and we are continually grateful for having such a great team of volunteers.

We look forward to seeing the completion of the carpeting project in the sanctuary for the High Holy Days as well.

We wish everyone a great Summer with their families and friends.

Rachel and Beth

You are cordially invited to attend Sisterhood's Installation!

Tuesday, June 5 at 6:30 when the following women will be installed as members of the Sisterhood Board of Directors for 2018-2019:

Beth Schreiber –President

Jennifer Weinstock & Rachel Horwitz – Membership VPs

Laura Dunn & Hilary Spain-Reilly – Programming VPs

Debra Rudich– Treasurer

Dorothy Cohen - Financial Secretary
Karen Sagor - Recording Secretary
Alyssa Greenberg - Corresponding Secretary
Rachel Richman - Immediate Past President

A festive dinner will be served followed by the Installation ceremony.

You **MUST RSVP** by Tuesday, June 1 to: Sisterhood@mjcby.org







### **Contributions**

#### ALEX CSILLAG FUND

Susan and Charles Joseph in memory of Robert Joseph

#### **BUILDING RENOVATION FUND**

Eileen and Ralph Goldberg in memory of Ernest Goldberg.

Julie and William Lupatkin in memory of Eugene Timins.

Eileen Glasser in honor of Linda and Larry Kornreich's granddaughter's high school graduation.

#### **CHEVRE KADISHA FUND**

Sharon and Harvey Kellman in memory of Bernard H. Kellman.

#### **EDUCATION ENDOWMENT FUND**

Joyce and Alan Levenson in memory of Joel Levenson and Mark Levenson.

Shirley Storgion in memory of Bessie Rubin.

Adrienne and Alan Chanin in memory of Irene Solondz.

Lynn Graf in memory of Valerie Altschuler. Sandra Greenbaum in memory of Lillian and Jack Gold.

Paula Barber and Howard Buxbaum in memory of Shirley Barber.

Lois and Donald Witmondt in memory of Irene Solondz.

Susanne and Allan Berger in memory of Irene Solondz.

Charlotte Turner in memory of Alvin Turner. Beth and Robert Ehrlich in honor of Gerry Gross on his retirement.

Harriet and David Sakofs in honor of the birth of their granddaughter, Eliana Robyn Schachter, and in memory of Irene Solondz. Kirsten Kane in memory of David Kane.

Israela Halpern in memory of Ruth Straus, mother of Mimi Czeisler.

#### **EDUCATION ENDOWMENT FUND**

Barbara Kavadias and Hanoch Yefet in honor of Debbie Brody's being honored by Chabad.

Meryl and Michael Balaban in memory of Ruth Straus, mother of Mimi Czeisler.

Linda Griffler and David Ticker in honor of "25-30-60" celebrations wishing the Secular/Grossman family many more s'machot.

Debbie Brody in memory of Ruth Straus, mother of Mimi Czeisler and grandmother of Paula Czeisler; in memory of Yetta Brody and Ed Brody; in honor of Dena and Jack Green's 65th wedding anniversary and in honor of the marriage of Katie Lewin to Travis Singley.

#### **GEMILUT HASADIM FUND**

Lynne and Joel Goldman in memory of Ruth Goldman.

### **HERMAN FRIGAND FUND**

Babette and Norman Kornbleuth in memory of Max Feuer.

Linda and Stephen Prentiss in memory of Irene Solondz and Michael Brauer.

#### RABBI'S DISCRETIONARY FUND

Mimi Freed in memory of Gussie Wildhorn and Morris Freed.

Susan and William Neigher in memory of Ruth Strassberg.

Beatrice Mintz in memory of Sarah Mintz. Richard Greif in memory of Max Pundyk.

Carol and Arthur Rogoff in memory of Nathan Rogoff.

Marilyn and Peter Loeb in memory of Ruth Straus, mother of Mimi Czeisler.

Bonnie and Ezra Kazam in memory of Rosalind Berman.

Renee and Barry Goldman in memory of Esther Epstein.

Jane and Steven Siegel in honor of the bat mitzvah of Carmel Smith.

#### SHALOM YELADIM FUND

Sheryl and Steven Papish in memory of Hattie K. Kaplan and Bernard J. Kaplan.

Fern and Donald Spitzer in memory of William Herbert.

Stacey and Daniel Brown in memory of William Herbert.

Barbara and Stuart Levy in memory of Bernice Glucoft.

Harriet and David Sakofs.

#### **SOUP KITCHEN FUND**

Toni and Steve Guss in memory of Anna Weiss.

Florence Rudich in memory of Marvin Rudich and Abe Revitz.

Joyce and Alan Levenson in memory of Florence and Alexander Koplin and Samuel Lewis.

Wendy Miller and Philip Rosenbach in memory of Bennett Miller.

Flo and Joe Sager in memory of Carrie Sager.

Carol and Charles Leiwant in memory of Irene Solondz.

### YAHRZEIT FUND

Ann and Warren Rhines in memory of William Baumgarten.

Debra and Barry Rudich in memory Marvin Rudich.

Arline and Selwyn Bandes in memory of Celia Lewis.

Virginia Sobol in memory of Larry Sobol.

Paula and Ira Antin in memory of Isadore Rosenfarb.

Cyrus Halpern in memory of Edith Halpern and Frank Bereznik.

### **Retirement Gala for our**



### **Executive Director- Gerry Gross**



### **Shalom Club**

### SHALOM CLUB HAPPENINGS

#### **JUNE, 2018**

The Shalom Club is a joint project of the Morristown Jewish Center and the JCC of MetroWest. The Shalom Club meets on Tuesdays at the Center at 11 am. Bring a dairy lunch and coffee and cake will be served. Guests are always welcome. For information, call MJCBY at (973) 538-9292.

### **Shalom Club Happenings:**

6/5/18

Rothman Luncheon and Current Events

6/12/18

Presenter, Judy Ebright will give a "Virtual Tour of the Grounds for Sculpture in Hamilton, NJ"

8/7/18

Rothman Luncheon and Current Events

JCC Group Leader, Lori Chimoff

### DO A MITZVAH... GET INVOLVED...

A re you longing to give back to the Community?

Does your child need a mitzvah project for their B'nai Mitzvah?

### **GEMILUT HASADIM!**

The Gemilut Hasadim Committee is looking for volunteers to make an occasional meal for a member of our congregation who is returning from the hospital or rehab facility. If you can help out, please send email to Meryl Balaban (meryleo@aol.com) or Helena Kloder (hgkloder@gmail.com) and indicate if you are kosher.

#### THE OFFICE

Do you have some free time during the week? The office is always in need of helpers to help with the day to day functions of running MJCBY! If you can spare an hour or two, contact Gerry at

973-538-9292 or execdir@mjcby.org

#### CHEVRA KADISHA

Would you like to participate in the ultimate Mitzvah? the ultimate kindness? Our Chevra Kadisha (Holy Society) is looking for both men and women to join our team of Tahara volunteers. Help to provide comfort to mourners and respect to their departed.

To learn more, contact Barbara Kavadias at bkavadias@gmail.com or Gerry Gross at execdir@mjcby.org

### Men's Club

### MEN'S CLUB DUES - 2017-18 - \$36.00

Join Men's Club and get Centered!



Make checks payable to "MJCBY Men's Club" - mail to: Doug Goldstein, 24 Forrest Road, Randolph, NJ 07869 Questions - dggldstn@yahoo.com or (973) 895-3082.

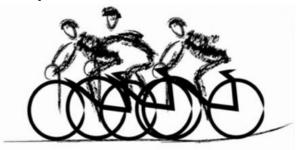
#### **BIKE RIDE**

Sunday, June 24 - 9:30 am

Loantaka Brook Reservation bicycle ride (bring your own bicycle)

Meet at the South Street parking lot near the playground. Approximately 8 miles round trip on paved and dirt surfaces. Bagels and refreshments afterwards. Please bring folding chairs. Families are welcome. Playground available for non-riders.

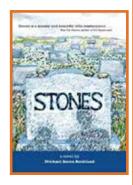
Please RSVP to Doug Goldstein at dggldstn@yahoo.com by Wednesday, June 20



### **BOOK CLUB**

Monday, June 11 - 7:30 pm

**STONES** by Michael Rockland For more information, please contact Howard at howardbuxbaum@gmail.com.



Men's Club needs you to get involved, plan an event, offer new ideas! Please contact Doug Goldstein -- dqqldstn@yahoo.com.

### **Religious School News**

rummer is upon us! At MJCBY Religious School, closing festivities featured sharing memories and highlights with students and 🌙 families. 🛮 We also shared prayers of our heart during Kehillah Together. My goal as Director is helping students and their families learn how and why Judaism makes our lives better; more meaningful, purposeful, fulfilling and full of compassion.

Living Jewishly reminds us how we are to treat ourselves, each other and the environment. This year, programming was all about building and strengthening community, nurturing relationships, cultivating courage, empathy and kindness. Religious School curriculum and gatherings have been all about intention - kavannah. Judaism is our anchor and our traditions give us road maps and hope for making our lives matter.

We are taught to say 100 blessings a day. Wishing you a summer filled with blessings and journeys that bring adventure, fun and relaxation. Read a good book, take a long walk and meet a new friend. I look forward to welcoming you all HOME in September.

Thank you MJCBY for a wonderful year!

Morah Karen

### 2018-2019 Religious School Registration

now open
Go to your MJCBY account & register your child

Pre K - 2nd Grades Sunday 9:30-11:45 am 3rd - 7th Grades Wed 4:30 - 6:30 pm and

Sunday 9:30-11:45 am

ALP Advanced Learning Program 8th - 12 Grades 1 Monday night per month 6:00 - 8:00 pm with dinner

If you don't have an account, contact Executive Director execdir@mjcby.org 973-538-9292 Any Questions contact Karen Lilienfeld Director of Education Karen@mjcby.org 973-538-4848



### **Youth Stuff**

"Oh, the Places You'll Go!"

Calling all High School and College
Graduating Seniors

Please join us at
Minyonaire Services
Saturday, June 16, 2018 at 9:30 AM
So the Jewish Center can honor you
With a special gift
As you take your next steps!

RSVP to Gerry at execdir@mjcby.org

### POSTPONED



### USY:

orristown USY has a wonderful and talented board that wants to see the chapter grow in its numbers and enrich its membership with great programs. This year, we focused on creating a warm and welcoming environment to connect all of MJCBY's High Schoolers through fun and innovative events. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our hard working board members for an amazing 2017-2018 year.

Presidents: Alex Nulman and Beryn Weinstock
Executive/Israel Awareness Vice President: Jonathan
Nulman
Religious Education Vice President:
Andrea Moussan
Social Action/Tikun Olam Vice President:
Avianna Miller
Membership Vice President: Rachel Levy
Communications Vice President:
Sofia Moussan

All 8th-12th graders are invited join us at Elections and Ice Cream – Sunday, June 10th 6:30-7:45.

For those who would like to run for the 2018-2019 board please contact Aly at aly@mjcby.org. org.

Aly Greenstein Morristown USY Advisor

### Tikkun Olam Together

On June 3 at 9:30 we will have our last Tikkun Olam Together project for the year. We are assembling "Welcome Home" kits for new Habitat for Humanity homeowners.

Rabbi Nesson was able to present our gifts directly to new homeowners. They were overwhelmed with our gift and it really meant a lot to them to have the means to take care of their new homes and get set up with household basics. It is easy to imagine how difficult it must be for someone to set up a household "from scratch" expecially with limited financial resources.

The "Welcome Home" packages include basic hand tools in a toolbox and basic pantry and cleaning supplies. There will be collection boxes in the main office and in the religious school. The entire congregation is invited to contribute and financial donations are welcome, as well. If you participate on any of the on-line garage sale sites, you might be able to score some hand tools or tool boxes that way. Or, maybe obtain them the old-fashioned way - at garage sales!! Everything should be gently used and clean. So start collecting and donating!!

### **Family News**



KALANIT KRASNER-COHEN

It is with great pride and joy that the Cohen and Krasner-Cohen family invite the congregation of Morristown Jewish Center Beit Yisrael to join us in celebration as our daughter, Kalanit Zehavya (Kali) is called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on June 2, 2018. We are thankful to Cantor Shana, Rabbi Nesson and Kali's Hebrew School teachers who have helped her prepare for this important milestone.

Kali is a seventh grader at Randolph Middle School who has a thirst for knowledge and a love of learning. An accomplished student with great ambition and confidence, she also enjoys art, basketball, shot putt, swimming and baking when not busy with her academics and volunteering. Possessing her father's sense of humor and love of Indian food, coupled with her mother's compassionate, community-minded and practical nature, all who meet Kali never fail to find her a funny, thoughtful and an instant friend.

One of Kali's greatest passions is travel. As well as venturing widely across The United States and Canada, she has also visited The United Kingdom, France, Germany, Poland, Italy, The Bahamas, South Africa, Turkey, Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan. She already has a long list of places she plans to visit in the future and shows no sign of becoming any less intrepid any time soon.

Born in Morristown and having lived all of her life in Randolph, Kali has been a regular visitor to MJCBY for as long as she can remember. Whether for Hebrew School, services, parties or social groups such as Sababah, she has always looked forward to and enjoyed her time in our shul. All who know Kali will recognize her as a thoughtful and sensitive young woman whose consideration for those around her is remarkable. Kali has brought this to life through her Bat Mitzvah project, both by working with young children with special needs at The Friendship Circle and volunteering for Kids2Kids, where she is a swimming mentor for young children with disabilities as they themselves learn to swim.

Summer camp is a huge part of Kali's life and she relishes the eight weeks she spends each year with her friends at NJY Camp Cedar Lake in Milford, PA., many of whom will be joining us in Morristown on the big day from both near and far. Kali's smile and personality have the power to brighten any room she walks into and we are so proud of her.

We are excited to welcome all of our guests for Kali's special day and hope you can join us along with relatives and friends from The United Kingdom, Israel, Canada, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, California, Florida and North Carolina.

With our love. B'Shalom,

Richard, Yvonne and Gilad



**CARMEL MEADOW SMITH** 

Tt is with great pride and joy that the Smith family invite the congregation of Morristown Jewish Center Beit Yisrael to join us in celebration as our daughter, Carmel

Meadow Smith, is called to the Torah as a Bat Mitzvah on Saturday, June 9, 2018.

We are thankful to Cantor Shana, Rabbi Nesson and Carmel's Hebrew School and Junior Congregation teachers who have helped her prepare for this special milestone.

Carmel is a seventh grade student on the Principal's Honor Roll at Frelinghuysen Middle School. She enthusiastically contributes her energy to her art studio, soccer team, dance and ski clubs.

For her Bat Mitzvah project, Carmel volunteered at the Miracle Project at MPAC, an organization dedicated to providing stage experience and support for special needs children. Carmel enjoyed sharing the stage and performing the Jungle Book musical. Carmel happily spends her summers with her "sisters" at Cedar Lake Camp.

We are excited to welcome all of our guests for Carmel's special day and hope you can join us along with relatives and friends from California, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, and Israel.

With love,

Adam, Mayrav, Jacob, Carmel, Evan Smith and Moo, Snowball and Scout:)

### **Yahrzeits**

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	•	William Kaplan			Frank Sawyer			Alice Green
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		Helen Tilkin Levine			Max Restell			Sarah Mauskopf *
		Ina Stein	•	4.5	Sol Braunstein	13	26	Albert Perlmutter *
		Isadore Back *	2	15	Charles Toffel			Betty Wassner *
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26	9	Rhoda Freid			Yenta Brody			Ida Gross
		Samuel Rosenberg *	7	20	Aaron Notowicz			Sol Smith *
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		Isidor Greengos *			Ruth Kasoff			Louis Greenbaum
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		Mary Beck			Edward Brody			Gussie Rosenberg *
		Rudolph Stone *			Lillian Kornreich *			Joseph Friedman *
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		Helen Fand *			Louis Levey *			Ruth Gudis
29	12	Anna Schachtel			Stanley Rosenbaum *	22	5	Harry Jacobs
		Charles Zudick *						Jack Friedman
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		Sidney Elkind *	10	23	Ernst Kosterlitz *			Leo Blank
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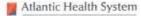
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MARCH WITH MJCBY AT THE ISRAEL DAY PARADE	SUNDAY	JUNE 3	1:30 PM
TOT SHABBAT	SATURDAY	JUNE 9	10:30 AM
USY END OF YEAR MEETING	SUNDAY	JUNE 10	6:30 PM
BARECHU & YOU	FRIDAY	JUNE 15	6:00 PM
FRIDAY NIGHT - A LEARNER'S SERVICE	FRIDAY	JUNE 22	7:00 PM
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