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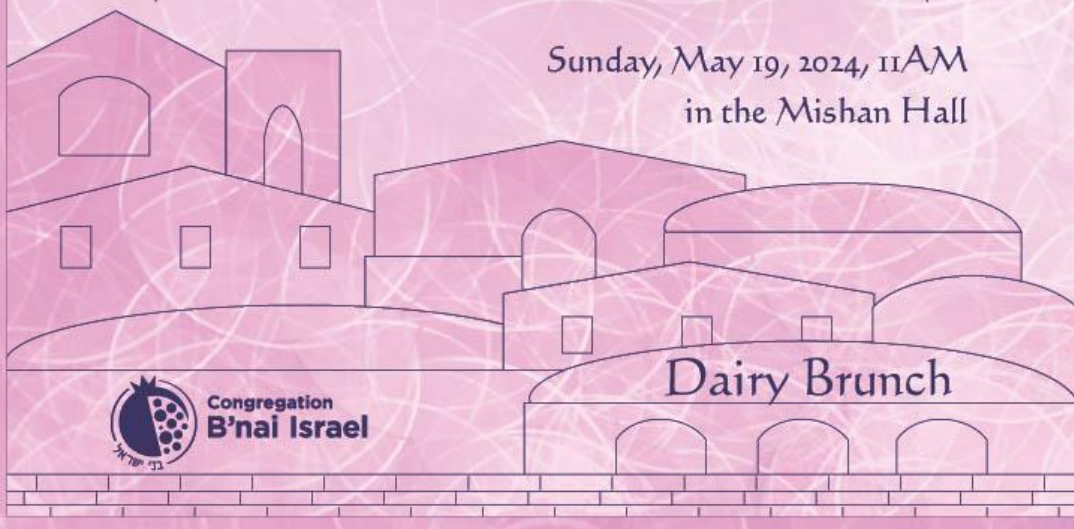
Daughters of Israel  
&  
Men's Club

Celebrate our Couple of the Year

Sharon & Vic Schioppo



Sunday, May 19, 2024, 11AM  
in the Mishan Hall



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**Announcements**

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**BIRTHDAYS**

<b>1st</b> Andrea Friedman Louise Linder	<b>11th</b> Eli Korn	<b>20th</b> Alan Kurlander
<b>3rd</b> Nancy Goldstein	<b>12th</b> Maxine Traiman-Beckerman	<b>22nd</b> Batsheva Brodtkin
<b>4th</b> Gary Finkelstein	<b>13th</b> Steven Leff	<b>23rd</b> Joyce Nabozny Carole Kass
<b>7th</b> Irene Russin	<b>16th</b> Roberta Friedman	<b>25th</b> Alan Brooker
<b>8th</b> Steven Nessenson Howard Levine	<b>17th</b> Moshe Benous Stacey Katz Rabbi Ken Brodtkin	<b>26th</b> Ari Tepper
<b>9th</b> Susanna Faerman	<b>18th</b> Aileen Minchello	<b>28th</b> Jay Lillianthal
<b>10th</b> Sandra Pollock	<b>19th</b> Barbara Fessler	<b>29th</b> Mark Ginsberg Stephen Rock
		<b>31st</b> Mimi Werbler

**ANNIVERSARIES**

<b>6th</b> Emily & Mark Appledorf	<b>19th</b> Devora & Hal Bluzer	<b>27th</b> Aileen & Joseph Minchello Roberta & George Thaler Shari & Scott Tepper
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**MAZEL TOVS**

**Ilene & Lester Kornblum** on the birth of their granddaughter, Emily Rae Solomon!  
**Aline & Harry Shlinger** on the bar mitzvah of their grandson, Zev Aryeh!  
**Maya Tepper, Judith Soltanovici & Gabriella Hilton** on their successful performances in The Hebrew Academy's production of Beauty & The Beast, Jr!  
**Mimi Werbler** and her team at the Center for Holocaust, Human Rights & Genocide Education (Chhange) for their hugely successful Spring Testimonial Dinner!  
**Rafi Mishan** on celebrating your 90<sup>th</sup> birthday!

## YAHREZIT LIST

<b>May 1</b> Beatrice Ditkoff	<b>23 Nissan</b> mother of Ellen Kurzer	<b>May 15</b> Minnie Schwartz	<b>7 Iyar</b> mother-in-law of Irma Schwartz
<b>May 2</b> Shirley Siegel Edna Rosen	<b>24 Nissan</b> mother of Donna Binder aunt of Sandra Shenberg	<b>May 18</b> Charlotte Arenson Freida Brooker Bashner Lillian Marsh	<b>10 Iyar</b> mother of Eileen Stern grandmother of Alan Brooker  mother of Roberta Friedman
<b>May 3</b> David Werbler David Werbler	<b>25 Nissan</b> father Daniel Werbler father of Jack Werbler	<b>May 19</b> Gizi Binder Isak Hoff Froster Chava Kohn Sally Marshall Eugenie Stern	<b>11 Iyar</b> mother of David Binder father-in-law of Pauline Froster grandmother of Stephen Litwok wife of Ira Marshall mother of Elaine Stern
<b>May 4</b> Morris Katz	<b>26 Nissan</b> grandfather of Michele Sacks	<b>May 21</b> Jake Faden Hilda Rosin Morris Sobel	<b>13 Iyar</b> great uncle of Nancy Goldstein mother of Robert Rosin father of Devora Bluzer
<b>May 5</b> Marion Green	<b>27 Nissan</b> mother of Marsha Reimer	<b>May 22</b> Perel Gold	<b>14 Iyar</b> mother of Aline Shlinger
<b>May 6</b> Harry Katz Mark Tasimowicz	<b>28 Nissan</b> father of Allan Katz father of Ruth Kantor	<b>May 23</b> Betty Reich Samuel Reich Stanley Tutnauer	<b>15 Iyar</b> mother of Nathan Reich father of Nathan Reich father of Judy Loewenstein
<b>May 7</b> Anna Kunis Edith Schwartz	<b>29 Nissan</b> mother-in-law of Allan Dolman mother of Nancy Goldstein	<b>May 24</b> David Greenspan Barry Kaplan Betty Strear Vanessa Wilhelm	<b>16 Iyar</b> brother of Minnie Burns husband of Tola Kaplan mother of Mitchell Strear sister of Amanda Isaacson
<b>May 8</b> Gloria Landy Rachel Moskowitz	<b>30 Nissan</b> mother of Samuel Landy mother-in-law of Leah Moskowitz	<b>May 25</b> Howard Feinstein Lillian Thaler Leida Sheila Schindel Elaine Weinblatt	<b>17 Iyar</b> husband of Susan Feinstein mother of George Thaler wife of Leonard Schindel mother of Margery Schwartz
<b>May 9</b> Dora Satuloff	<b>1 Iyar</b> mother of Ruth Levine	<b>May 26</b> Alex Horowitz Szyja Tugentman	<b>18 Iyar</b> father of Regina Werbler father of Cyla Karp
<b>May 10</b> Ruth Lebovitz Max Mucha Gerald Russin Donald Wexler	<b>2 Iyar</b> mother of Michael Lebowitz father of Howard Mucha husband of Irene Russin brother of Floralie Tulgan	<b>May 29</b> Herman Barshay	<b>21 Iyar</b> father of Nancy Kaplan
<b>May 11</b> Henry Alpert	<b>3 Iyar</b> uncle of Alan Brooker		
<b>May 13</b> Gloria Kaplan Kenneth Plattman	<b>5 Iyar</b> mother of Phyllis Katz father of Mitchell Plattman		
<b>May 14</b> Irving Brooks Gilbert Fishbein Morris Kimel Samuel Rubin	<b>6 Iyar</b> father of Barbara Fessler father of Maxine Pilavin father of Sharon Dolled father of Joel Rubin		

**TODAH RABAH!**

We wish a hearty thank you to the following individuals:

**Mayer Brandwein, Art Finkel, Michael Katz and Ron Gorsky** for meeting with Rabbi Brodtkin & Etan Finkel to start preparing for our High Holiday services and ensuring that we have a good experience – with familiar tunes, explanations and some English – for all of our members.

**Shari & Scott Tepper** for sponsoring our April Family Shabbat Kiddush.

**Daughters of Israel** for their Kiddush sponsorship.

**Bill Berger, Scott Tepper and Maurice Zagha** for all of their help with loading and unloading all of our shaimos for burial.

All those that participated in April Shabbos services, including leining, leading services, Gabbai duties, prayer for the government and Mi Sheberach readers: **Yair Alouf; Bill Berger; Dov Brodtkin; Shaya Brodtkin; Jeff Burns; Art Finkel; Ron Gorsky; Michael Katz; Michael Lebowitz; Mitchell Lustgarten; Stephen Litwok; Josh Nabozny; Steven Wertheim; and Martin Wisniewski.**

**Meira Brodtkin** for her work preparing and co-leading the children’s activities at our April Family Shabbat.



*Trees for Israel*



Purchase trees for Israel. The cost is \$18 per tree.

TO: Sheryl Finkler & Family

*In memory of Shirley Bier*

FROM: Pnina & Ira Matlow

TO: Ilene & Lester Kornblum

*Mazel Tov on the birth of your granddaughter!*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

TO: Jay Fields

*Wishing a speedy recovery to you & your bicycle*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

TO: Shari Tepper

*In memory of Stanley Fessler*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

TO: Rabbi Ken & Aviel Brodtkin

*In honor of the marriage of Leah & Yisroel Arnon*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

TO: Cory Harris

*Thank you for the machine!*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

TO: Aline & Harry Shlinger

*Mazel Tov on the bar mitzvah of your grandson!*

FROM: Barbara & Maurice Zagha

**DONATIONS**

**Your dues make up only a small part of our synagogue's total income. We rely upon your generous contributions and we thank the following for their tzedakah to our congregation.**

**"IMO" in memory of**

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Nancy & Yitzhak Goldstein IMO Zisel Rechtman  
Anita Raboi IMO Myrna Rizick  
Anita Raboi wishing a speedy recovery to Jay Fields  
Anita Raboi as a thank-you for Carole & Steve Kass'  
Family Shabbat kiddush sponsorship  
Leah Moskowitz IHO the birth of Emily Rae,  
granddaughter of Ilene & Lester Kornblum  
Michelle & Jay Fields IMO Seymour Fields  
Pauline Froster IMO Shloyma Wachtelkonig  
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Nancy & Yitzhak Goldstein IHO Leah & Yisroel  
Arnson  
Ronald Leiser IMO Sandy Leiser  
Sandra & Martin Pollock  
Carole & Steven Kass  
Eileen & Steven Stern  
Cheryl & Stephen Rock IMO Miriam Rock  
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Ellen Kurzer IMO David Ditkoff  
Margery & Kenneth Schwartz IMO Elaine Weinblatt

Caryn & Sam Schweitzer

**MAY CALENDAR**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Omer Day 8 Sisterhood Book Chat at CBI 7:15pm 23 Nissan	2 Omer Day 9 24 Nissan	3 7:38pm Omer Day 10 25 Nissan	4 8:42pm Omer Day 11 Acharei Bench Rosh Chodosh 26 Nissan
5 Omer Day 12 27 Nissan	6 Omer Day 13 28 Nissan	7 Omer Day 14 29 Nissan	8 Omer Day 15 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 8:00pm 30 Nissan	9 Omer Day 16 1 Iyar	10 7:45pm Omer Day 17 2 Iyar	11 8:50pm Omer Day 18 Kedoshim Mother's Day Kiddush 3 Iyar
12 Omer Day 19 Mother's Day 4 Iyar	13 Omer Day 20 5 Iyar	14 Omer Day 21 6 Iyar	15 Omer Day 22 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 8:00pm 7 Iyar	16 Omer Day 23 Social Group Lunch, Schmooze & White Elephant 11:00am 8 Iyar	17 7:52pm Omer Day 24 9 Iyar	18 8:58pm Omer Day 25 Kid's program 10:30am Emor Kiddush Sponsored by Shlinger / Teitelbaum 10 Iyar
19 Omer Day 26 Couple of the Year Brunch 11am 11 Iyar	20 Omer Day 27 12 Iyar	21 Omer Day 28 CBI Board Meeting at CBI 7:30pm 13 Iyar	22 Omer Day 29 Weekly Parsha Class with Rabbi Brodkin 8:00pm 14 Iyar	23 Omer Day 30 15 Iyar	24 7:58pm Omer Day 31 16 Iyar	25 9:05pm Omer Day 32 Behar 17 Iyar

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26 Omer Day 33  Lag B'Omer  18 Iyar	27 Omer Day 34  Memorial Day Office Closed  19 Iyar	28 Omer Day 35    20 Iyar	29 Omer Day 36    21 Iyar	30 Omer Day 37    22 Iyar	31    ⚡⚡ 8:03pm Omer Day 38   23 Iyar	1    ⚡⚡ 9:11pm Omer Day 39  Bechukotai  24 Iyar
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## Upcoming Events

Wednesday, May 1 7:15pm	Sisterhood Book Chat: <i>The Museum of Failures</i> by Thrity Umrigar
Saturday, May 11 10:30am	Mother's Day Kiddush
Thursday, May 16 11am – 1pm	Social Group Lunch and Schmooze: White Elephant Exchange
Saturday, May 18 10:30am	Family Shabbat: Kids' Service & Kiddush
Sunday, May 19 11am	Celebrate our Couple of the Year: Sharon & Vic Schioppo
Tuesday, May 21 7:30pm	CBI Board Meeting (In-person)
Sunday, May 26 TBC	Lag B'Omer Bonfire at The Brodtkin's

## Minyan Times – May

Saturday Mornings..... 9:00am  
Sunday Mornings & legal holidays ..... 8:30pm  
Monday and Thursday mornings ..... 7:00am  
Please support our services, both in-person and via ZOOM.

**NEED MINYAN ON ANOTHER DAY TO SAY KADDISH? LET US KNOW AND WE WILL ARRANGE!**

### ZOOM Minyans

Evenings:  
Sunday through Thursday..... 8:30pm  
Mornings:  
Sunday & legal holidays: ..... 8:30am  
Weekdays..... 7:00am

Note: On Sunday through Friday mornings, minyan will be streamed on Zoom. On Shabbat and holidays, no Zoom.

**ZOOM ID: 901 821 5755**