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Broadway on Highland

Coming to Temple Beth Shalom, Saturday night, April 26, 2008

Cocktails, Hors d'oeuvres, Dessert

Fabulous live and silent auction to benefit Religious School and youth programming

Showcasing the talent of the Music Man cast

* Looking for committee members and auction items *

For more information, contact David Grebber at dgrebber@comcast.net.

Auditions for the Temple Beth Shalom Spring Musical



will be held at Temple Beth Shalom on
Sunday, February 10 and Monday, February 11
February 10 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. - Children's Audition*
7:00 p.m. - Adults Audition

Prepare to sing 16 bars of a song of your choice.
February 11 from 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. - Adult's Audition
8:30 p.m. on - Call Backs

This wonderfully entertaining and timeless show will be directed by Jennifer Condon. Don Boroson will be the Music Director. Carrie Klimeczko is in charge of choreography.

For more information about auditions or to volunteer, please contact Beth Pinals at bpinals@comcast.net or 781-444-0251 Michael Herman at mntmike46@rcn.com or 781-444-2158

**Children must be in the second grade or older to audition.*

Roles also exist for teenagers.

Rehearsal nights will be Sunday, Monday and Wednesday. There will be three performances; Saturday, May 3 at 8:00 p.m., Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

We are currently seeking a Costume Designer

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From Rabbi Perlman



In one of the most striking stories in all of Torah, Jacob comes upon a particular place in the wilderness where he decides to camp for the night. During

Jacob's sleep, he has a dream - a miraculous dream - of a ladder connecting heaven and earth. Angels are ascending and descending the ladder's steps as God reaffirms the sacred promise that God had made to his parents and to theirs. When Jacob awakes, the text tells us, he exclaims: "How awesome is this place!" - in Hebrew: "Mah Nora HaMakom!" One word from this text was of particular interest to the rabbis: "HaMakom." Literally meaning "the place" they recognized that this was not simply an ordinary location for Jacob. It was, rather, a place of divine encounter. A place where God and Jacob had met.

In its study of this text, rabbinic tradition seized upon this coming together of place and providential presence and chose to combine them in one of its names for God. In addition to referring to God as "The Holy One," and "Lord," and "Ruler," the rabbis taught that God should also be known by the Jewish people as "HaMakom" - "The Place." Their interest was not in limiting God to any singular location, but rather in reminding us that in any place where we experience something best described as holy (a moment whose meaning is beyond words, a prayer of heartfelt meaning, a feeling of true welcome, acceptance, and belonging) like Jacob before us, somehow we have come upon God's presence as well.

At Temple Beth Shalom our vision is clear. So much of what we do is done in order to help make our temple a "makom" - "a place" of sacred meeting and meaning for everyone in our community - and for all who visit. Our "tent doors" are open wide as together we learn, and pray, and sing, and celebrate. Our hands remain outstretched as we strive to help and heal a world so very much in need of help and healing. We embrace the diversity of our community and celebrate our different ages, backgrounds, beliefs, understandings, and approaches to

Jewish life. And, at the same time, we remain unified as a single congregational family affirming that each person is created in the image of the Holy One.

As we can well imagine, the work of creating a "makom" is never finished. And as a temple community, in many respects, we are always under construction. Responding to that which needs our attention. And, as well, pursuing new opportunities that will help us make Beth Shalom more of the "makom" that we want it to be.

At our November Board of Trustees meeting, our congregation's leadership voted overwhelmingly to accept an invitation from the Boston based Jewish organization, "Keshet." Keshet, (Hebrew for "rainbow") is an organization that works with synagogues to help them become fully welcoming and inclusive communities - particularly for those who are gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender (GLBT). The invitation extended by Keshet was for Temple Beth Shalom to be part of their "The Massachusetts Jewish Safe Schools & Supportive Communities Network." The goals of the program are: "to increase the institutional capacity of Network participants to be inclusive and meet the needs of GLBT Jews, staff, and families; to create an inter-institutional

and cross denominational network of synagogues and Jewish educational institutions that work together and share resources towards the goal of creating inclusive communities; and to support the sustainable, continued growth of local institutions in becoming inclusive of Jews across the full spectrum of sexual and gender diversity."

There are several synagogues in the Boston area who participate actively in the Safe Schools and Supportive Communities Network. And Temple Beth Shalom is proud to be included amongst them. Each congregation works closely with Keshet in order to find ways of participation that are most appropriate for their particular community. This is an exciting and thoughtful journey that our congregation is now beginning. If you are interested in taking an active role in representing our congregation in the Network or have any questions, please feel free to contact either me (jperlman@ix.netcom.com) or Rabbi Lenke (rabbilenke@ix.netcom.com)

We are very much looking forward to our new relationship with Keshet. And even more, we are looking forward to our congregation taking its next step in becoming even more of a "makom" - a "place" where every soul might experience the presence of God.



Needham METCO & Friends Presents the 15th Annual

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration

Celebrating the Dream: The Legacy Continues

Monday, January 21, 2008 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

St. John of Damascus 300 West Street (Dedham Avenue),
Dedham, MA

Guest Speaker: Rabbi Jay Perlman

Featuring choirs and dance groups from throughout the Needham community, including the Temple Beth Shalom Youth Choir and Teen Choir!

Light lunch to follow the program • Donations of baked goods greatly appreciated

Tickets available at the door, in Needham Schools and at the METCO Office

\$25.00 Family - \$10.00 Adults - \$5.00 Students

Make checks payable to: MLK Scholarship Fund

Funds to benefit the MLK Memorial Scholarship Fund

Volunteers needed, for information please contact:
Willette Conroy or Darlene Fisk at 781-455-0800 x2542

From Rabbi Markley



I've had a lot of special moments at the Reform Movement's Eisner Camp in Great Barrington over the years. I worked there training counselors for several summers. I

have taken countless teen groups there for youth group and synagogue events over the years. Michele and I met at Eisner, and our ketubah depicts camp's beautiful landscapes.

But my earliest memories of the Eisner Camp are from my own childhood, not as a camper, but as a young participant in congregational family retreats there. I have very fond and warm recollections of Friday evening services conducted in Eisner's majestic Manor House living room, of Saturday afternoons playing softball, of Havdallah around a campfire. I remember how significant it was, not only for our family to get a weekend away together, but to be able to share that time with others from our congregation. My parents still remind me that we fostered some of our closest synagogue friends on those weekend retreats - relationships which have strengthened and deepened until this day.

As a matter of fact, at the Reform Movement's Biennial Convention this week, I was thrilled to see three different people who had attended those

family retreats with us during my childhood. Each of them helped me to grow into the Jewish person I have now become, and each has remained a dear family friend. Relationships forged at Eisner tend to have such staying power.

That is why it is particularly meaningful to me that Temple Beth Shalom's first annual Family Kallah (retreat) will be held at the Eisner Camp this coming spring from April 4 - 6. We are already in the midst of planning a phenomenal weekend of learning, spirit, and fun with one another! In addition to all of the excitement and relaxation that comes with such a weekend, these days will give us a unique opportunity to experience Shabbat as it was truly in-

tended. We can all get away from the hustle and bustle of a regular weekend at home and create a palace in time to enjoy our Judaism, our families, and our community. This is an opportunity not to be missed!

I am thrilled that our Mia will have her first family kallah experience in the same place that I did as a child, and I am even more excited that she will be sharing that time with our Temple Beth Shalom community. Registration information will be arriving at your home shortly, so keep an eye on your mailbox. On behalf of my family, and Rabbi Jay's as well, we hope that you can join us for this very special weekend.



SAVE THE DATE!

Temple Beth Shalom

Family Kallah/Retreat

April 4-6, 2008



✧ **A great weekend of rest, family time, and FUN!**

✧ **Learning with our clergy and educators**

✧ **Music led by Emily Perlman**

JOIN US!!!



At the Union for Reform Judaism
Eisner Camp
Great Barrington, MA





**Don't miss our Adult Kallah sponsored by Triple Chai Saturday, February 2, 2008
Ledgebrook Condominiums Clubhouse - 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

"The Legends About King David"

led by Rabbi Rifat Sonsino

Join your friends for a special day of study, friendship, food, schmoozing and fun. We are pleased to have Rabbi Rifat Sonsino lead and teach us as we share this unique and exciting learning opportunity.

Great leaders attract great legends. King David is one of them!

We will probe some fascinating stories that were ascribed to this outstanding king, and end our day reading a few of the funniest urban legends of our time. \$50 per person includes a continental breakfast, lunch, social hour and dinner.

Name(s) _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ Number of people attending: _____ \$ _____ Total enclosed

**Please make check payable to "Temple Beth Shalom" and return by January 15 to:
Lucille Sands, 219 Nahanton Street, Newton, MA 02459. Everyone is welcome!**

Shomrei Adamah

Guardians of the Earth



Shomrei Adamah's Green Tip of the Month

courtesy of Green Needham Collaborative and Debbie Schmill

Energy Efficient Light Bulbs Help the Environment!*

Why? Using compact fluorescent bulbs (CFL's), especially in your most frequently used fixtures, is an easy way to lower carbon emissions from lighting. Each bulb uses about a quarter of the energy of a standard light bulb and gives off the same amount of light. Over the long run CFL's are less expensive and last longer. The least expensive are spiral, according to NSTAR, and their best use is for table and floor lamps and outdoor protected fixtures.



Where to buy - Bulbs can be purchased at most hardware and retail drug stores. You can also find them online at www.energy/federation.org/greenstart. In addition, the Energy Star Lights Catalog offers numerous sizes and shapes of bulbs for use in most indoor and outdoor lighting fixtures.

How to dispose of - Safe disposal of CFL's is necessary as they contain a small amount of mercury vapor. (less than a mercury thermometer). They should not be disposed of in regular trash but taken for recycling to the Universal Waste shed at the Needham RTS securely wrapped in paper to prevent breakage.

If you break a CFL bulb, shut the doors to the room, open a window, and leave the room for 1 hour. Afterwards, sweep up the parts (don't vacuum), double bag the residue in plastic bags, wipe the area clean with a damp paper towel and add to bag, and dispose in regular trash. Even though CFL's contain mercury, these energy efficient bulbs actually reduce the amount of mercury released into the environment from coal-fired power plants.

* Courtesy of Carol Knapton, League of Women Voters of Needham, Climate Action Committee

The Shomrei Adamah Committee
and

The Sisterhood of
Temple Beth Shalom

Proudly bring you
exhilarating, informative film

A Green Screening of
Al Gore's award-winning film:
An Inconvenient Truth

The Documentary that challenges
us all with the most crucial moral
issue facing our global civilization

Monday, January 7, 2008
7:00 p.m. in Simon Hall

Please, join us, and bring your
ideas, questions, and. . .

a coffee mug

Please stay after the film

for a discussion on

our environment and

ways to live greener lives.

an inconvenient truth

A GLOBAL WARNING

*The Temple Beth Shalom Jewish Life Education Program
invites you to participate in a special Adult Learning Opportunity*

A Torah-Based Approach to Spiritual Growth

Special guest teacher, Rabbi David Jaffe will lead this ten session course that will explore the practical techniques for personal, spiritual growth developed by the 19th Century Mussar movement. Participants will learn about the potential of the soul, the roles of our innate inclinations to do good and evil, as well as practices for realizing our spiritual potential.

Each session will include theory, Torah learning, and practice. Participants will be asked to draw on both their minds and their hearts in this exciting group journey.

This is a course for people with all levels of Hebrew and Jewish knowledge. It is specifically aimed toward the spiritual seeker who is looking to draw on a particularly Jewish path to growth.

WHEN: Mondays, January 7, 14, 28, February 4, 11, 25, March 3, 10, 17, 24

TIME: 7:30 - 9:00 pm

TUITION: \$250 for ten sessions (scholarship is available)

REGISTER: Contact Susan Rubin in the TBS Education Office at rsadmin@tbsneedham.org or 781-444-0388

Note: A minimum of ten students is necessary for this class to take place.

ABOUT OUR INSTRUCTOR: RABBI DAVID JAFFE received his rabbinic ordination from the Bat Ayin Yeshiva in Israel. He is a faculty member in the Talmud Department at Gann Academy and is a regular instructor in the CJP's well regarded "Ikkarim Program."

Rabbi Jaffe is committed to making these teachings available for people of all backgrounds and levels of Jewish observance.

Youth Education



Recently, I stood in the front row at a Hadag Nachash concert at Brown University. Hadag Nachash is an Israeli, politically-conscious funk and hip-hop group,

who are hugely popular in Israel and are now starting to gain a growing fan base in the US. Their music is all in Hebrew, and I spent much of the concert trying to pick out the few words I had learned. As I walked out of the concert, my immediate reaction was "wow, I really need to learn to speak Hebrew."

I've always wanted to learn to speak Hebrew, feeling that it would make me more connected to my religion and

to other Jews. My experience seeing Hadag Nachash, surrounded by other Jewish kids yelling out every word in perfect Hebrew, made me decide to finally take the plunge. I'm now planning to take a conversational Hebrew class this coming spring.

A few days after the concert, as I found myself still talking about how great it had been, it struck me that this was exactly the same kind of experience the TBS youth programs are working to create - touchstone, Jewish, "wow" moments, those that leave a kid feeling a little more connected and wanting to further their Jewish experience. I'm confident, however, that we don't need to bring one of the most famous Israeli bands to perform here in order to make this happen.

Whether it's a great experience at a youth group event, an interesting class discussion, a Rick Recht concert, or a formative summer at Jewish overnight camp, these outside the box, "wow" moments are what make kids say "I like this. I want to get more involved." Maybe that involvement will mean trying out a youth group event. Maybe it will mean going on Birthright Israel when they're in college, or deciding to take Hebrew, or trying falafel for the first time. Any of these outcomes and many others all help to make Judaism more significant and more meaningful in kids' lives.

So parents, encourage your kids to try out a BESTY or NFTY event, or to give Jewish sleep-away camp a shot. In addition, have them listen to some music by Hadag Nachash. While a few of their lyrics are a little bit objectionable just like any other American music group, luckily, it's all in Hebrew.

*Allie Klein
Youth Educator*

URJ Berkshires Camps Come to Needham



On Thursday, January 10 Louis Bordman, the Director of Northeast URJ Camps Eisner and Crane Lake, will be visiting with TBS congregants. If you're considering overnight camp for this summer (or even for summer of 2009) we hope you will join us at 7:15 pm at the home of Margo and Morris Porter, 101 Grosvenor Road for a no obligation, informational session about these great camps. The Union for Reform Judaism camps are "our camps" - the camps of the reform movement and both Rabbi Jay and Rabbi Todd spend two weeks each summer as faculty at these beautiful Berkshire camps.

And, we still have a few Combined Jewish Philanthropies incentive grants left for this coming summer. The CJP grant provides \$1000 towards tuition for first time Jewish Educational Overnight Campers. For more information about Jewish overnight camps, the CJP Grant, or about the Eisner/Crane Program, please contact Wendy Gutterson at 781-453-0732 or wgutterson@rcn.com.



Congregational Shabbat Dinner
Friday, January 4 at 6:15 p.m.
Simchat Shabbat Service (child friendly)
to follow at 7:15 p.m.

Lots of reasons to come celebrate with dinner beforehand

Adults \$15.00 per person • Students age 6-12 - \$8.00

Children under age 6 pay their age.

To help us plan, please RSVP by December 24.

RSVP forms available at www.tbsneedham.org

We'll be there on January 4!

Family Name: _____

Children's Names: _____

Phone Number: _____ # of People Attending: _____

Children (under 6): _____ @ pay their age Ages: _____

Children (6 - 12): _____ @ \$8.00

Adults/Children over age 12: _____ @ \$15.00 per person

\$ _____ Total Enclosed

**Please make check payable to "Temple Beth Shalom"
and return to the Religious School office by**

December 27 or send to:

**Shabbat Dinner, Temple Beth Shalom
670 Highland Ave., Needham, MA 02494**

President's Message



We boarded the plane to San Diego for the Union for Reform Judaism's Biennial with a storm on the horizon. We returned with a storm having just passed. G-d was with us! And in the time in

between in warm, sunny and hospitable San Diego; members of our Temple clergy and leadership took advantage of awe-inspiring programming and the magic of Biennial!

Participating with over 4,000 Reform Jews in worship, exchanging of ideas and learning, impacted me in unforgettable ways. It also provided me the opportunity to learn some very important lessons about what it means to be a part of a community. As members of the URJ we are all part of a movement that is dy-

namic, progressive, inclusive and responsive. As part of a global community, I better understand that as Jews we have the responsibility to move forward and better understand those around us with different belief systems. Through casual late night encounters and a variety of sessions, my prevailing thoughts about our community were confirmed. Temple Beth Shalom is an extraordinary community of learners and providers and I take great pride to represent all that we do and do so well.

There were other meaningful moments that I brought home with me as well. As actor and activist Michael J. Fox accepted the Eisendrath Bearer of Light award on Friday morning, he so eloquently spoke about his family's and congregation's support as he lives with the ravaging effects of Parkinson's disease. As he actively seeks a cure, he also seeks out

and receives healing from his extraordinary synagogue community. Jewish music icon Debbie Friedman poignantly accepted her Alexander Schindler Distinguished Service award on Saturday night reminding us of how she has brought communities together through music.

Of course, the fun of rocking with Jewish/Gospel musician Josh Nelson, casually socializing with old friends and newly made friends from around the country, as well as spending quality time (and some delicious meals with international flair) with the TBS attendees, all made this an enriching and rewarding experience. It further underscored how wonderful it feels to be a part of it all.

Dana, Carol and I wish you all a very happy secular new year with continued blessings and inspiration. I certainly continue to be inspired by those around me and truly value our community!

Jonathan

TBS Bagels and Book Talk • Sunday, February 3, 2008

11:00am -12:30pm in the Community Room

You will not want to miss this event!

A discussion and reading of *Spiritual Radical: Abraham Joshua Heschel in America, 1940-1972*, by Edward Kaplan

About the Author:

Edward Kaplan is Key and Hortense Kaiserman Professor in the Humanities at Brandeis University. Kaplan met Heschel in 1966 and has been writing about him for thirty-five years.

Volume 1 of this biography, *Abraham Joshua Heschel: Prophetic Witness*, co-authored with Samuel Dresner, covers Heschel's first thirty-three years in Europe, before his immigration to the U.S. in 1940.

Spiritual Radical completes the first biography by examining Heschel's life and works in the three decades during and after World War II.

What reviewers have to say about this excellent book:

"This is a prodigiously researched, sound, and important book. Spiritual Radical is a substantial achievement, a work of love and devotion and real bibliographical acumen."

~ Steven Zipperstein, Kosbland Professor in Jewish Culture and History, Stanford University

"During a time when deep religious belief is so often associated with intolerance and intransigence, it is refreshing to be reminded that Abraham Joshua Heschel and Martin Luther King, Jr., once joined in a prophetic, morally courageous pursuit of peace and social justice."

~ Clayborne Carson, Director, Martin Luther King, Jr., Research and Education Institute at Stanford University

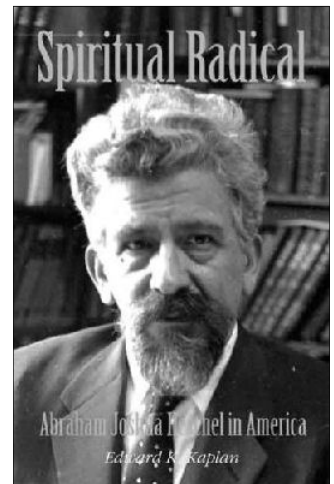
"The care with which it is assembled and the research upon which it is based is truly inspiring. Spiritual Radical is clearly written, insightful, honest."

~ Adam Seligman, author of *Modest Claims, Dialogues and Essays on Tolerance and Tradition*

Please Note: The author encourages us to read the book prior to the discussion, but it's not a prerequisite.

The hardcover book retails for \$40.00 but is available from Amazon.com at a significant savings (\$22-26), which may include free shipping if you act now.

Refreshments provided. This event is free of charge.



Sisterhood

I am writing this during Thanksgiving weekend. It will be January 2008 before you read this. We're going from a time when we thank God for all we have to a time when we reflect on ourselves and make resolutions for the (secular) New Year. These resolutions are usually promises to stop smoking, go on a diet, exercise more, read more, or spend more time with our children.

Combining the two holidays of giving thanks and looking inside oneself to decide how to become a better person, I am reminded of what I have learned from Billie Burstein, my dear friend and co-president. Billie has taught me to be thankful for what God has given us, not to dwell on the negatives but to treasure the gifts we have. I am thankful for my family, friends, and the community at Temple Beth Shalom. When Steven and I joined the temple just three years ago, the warmth, openness, and kindness we received were overwhelming. We knew we had found our new spiritual home. I am grateful for the tremendous support I receive each day from our extraordinary Sisterhood Board and from so many other members.



May all of us find 2008 a year to reflect on our blessings and to be thankful for what we have.

*In Sisterhood,
Betty Weiner
Co-President*

Essential Dates:

Monday, January 7 - It's Monday night at the movies! Sisterhood and the Shomrei Adamah Education Committee will be presenting Al Gore's film **An Inconvenient Truth**. A discussion will follow the screening of the movie, and, of course, there will be refreshments.

Join us in Simon Hall at 7:00 p.m. for a stimulating evening.

Monday, January 14 - Our Board meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Temple Library.

Thursday, January 17 - It's **Mah Jongg Night** at TBS. Our annual Tournament starts at 7:00 p.m. Contact Harriet Felts at hcfelts@aol.com or 781-444-6255 for more information.

Saturday, January 26 - This year Brotherhood & Sisterhood presents a **Murder Mystery Night**. Get a baby sitter, if you need to, and help us solve the crime. Come at 7:00 p.m. for dinner, mystery

and fun. Contact Carol Bolton-Kappel at carolbk@comcast.net, or Randi Pleskow at randi.pleskow@tch.harvard.edu to learn more.

Wednesday, February 6 - Is there a student in your family who is thinking about college? Get your questions answered at our **College Night**. College advisor Linda Shapiro will give you the tools to get through this process. Meet in the Community Room at 7:30 p.m. For more information, contact Ann Shuman at shuman5@aol.com.

Friday, February 8 - Celebrate Shabbat with a special service starting at 6:15 p.m. It's **Sisterhood Shabbat**, and as part of the Temple's environmental initiative, Rabbi Natan Margalit, Ph.D., renowned scholar and environmental activist, will be addressing "What is Jewish About Protecting the Environment?"



Brotherhood

Essential Dates:

Thursday, January 10 at 7:00 p.m. Please join us for our monthly open board meeting at the Temple.

Sunday, January 13 at 10:15 a.m. Please join us for Brotherhood's Breakfast with the Clergy. Reverend Buehrens joins our Rabbis in Simon Hall for an informal breakfast get together. Members of The First Parish congregation are also invited.

Saturday, January 26
A joint Brotherhood/Sisterhood evening event. Details will follow.

Sunday, January 27 at 4:00 p.m. Brotherhood Bowling at Fairway in Natick (see below for details).

Brotherhood Thanks:

Thanks in abundance go to all who helped out with our annual Red Cross Blood Drive. We couldn't run this drive without the support of a cadre of volun-

teers and, of course, generous donors. Mazel Tov on a job well done.

Brotherhood Musings:

There is nothing "mysterious" about having a great time at the Annual Brotherhood/Sisterhood Event. **Save the Date - Saturday, January 26**, for a night of fun, laughter and food with friends! Details to follow very soon!

In addition to our Clergy Breakfast this month, Brotherhood is initiating a new family event - we're goin' bowling! Bring the family to Fairway Bowling on Rt. 9 in Natick. The cost per person for one hour of bowling, plus shoes and pizza, salad and drink with dessert is \$10.00. It is a family oriented event and we warmly encourage young temple members and their families to join us. If you need more info, please contact Ed Schreider at edschreider@yahoo.com.

Coming up next month, on February 9,

we have a terrific joint music event with our friends at First Parish. Please plan on attending the Homegrown Coffee House performance by national touring band Red Molly, a female trio playing Folk/Americana music and known for impeccable three-part harmonies. The show is at 8:00 p.m. at The Carter Memorial United Methodist Church located at 800 Highland Avenue. Tickets are \$15.00. For information call 781-444-7478. You can get information on Red Molly by visiting their web site at www.redmolly.com.

On February 9 we have our Brotherhood day at the Needham Recycle Center from 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. If you'd like to sign up for a shift, please contact Eric Luskin at luskin@comcast.net. This is a great way to meet brotherhood members and perform a mitzvah at the same time!

We're always looking for new ideas and better ways to serve the temple community. Please join us at any Brotherhood event or open board meeting.

*"L'hitraot b'migrash chanayah"
Eric Luskin*



Please join us for an information-filled evening! **COLLEGE NIGHT**

Sponsored by TBS Sisterhood
Wednesday, February 6, 2008 at 7:30 pm

Worried about your child getting into college?

What do you need to do to prepare?

How soon do you need to worry about college?

All of these questions and more will be answered by Linda Shapiro, college advisor, who will present to parents everything you need to know to calm yourself and know what to do to get your child into college. Linda's vast experience, including being head guidance counselor at Newton North High School, as well as her calm style, will help you to plan appropriately for your high school student to get into a college of his or her choice.

Temple Beth Shalom • 670 Highland Avenue • Needham

FREE ADMISSION
Light Refreshments Served



Sisterhood Shabbat *"What is Jewish About Protecting the Environment?"* February 8, 2008 • 6:15pm

featuring
Rabbi Natan Margalit, Ph.D.
Renowned scholar and environmental activist



Rabbi Natan Margalit

Join us after services and share
*"Shabbat Soup and Sandwiches
for the Soul"*
\$15 per person

Everyone is welcome!

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Number of people attending at \$15 per person

\$ _____ Total enclosed

Please make check payable to Temple Beth Shalom Sisterhood
and return by January 22 to:

Jane Blauvelt, 52 Whittier Road, Needham 02492

Temple Beth Shalom Sisterhood is asking for your help

To help defray costs and foster an increased sense of community, we would like to include a congregation sponsored Oneg following every "Simchat Shabbat" Service held the first Friday of every month.

We are asking that families volunteer to bring 3-4 dozen cookies, brownies, pastries, etc., a cake or a fruit platter.

Feel free to bake or buy.

These are "special, musical and spirited services" appropriate for all ages, typically followed by an Oneg with music and dancing.

Please respond as soon as possible so we can plan accordingly.

Tear off the sheet below and mail to:

Michelle Zaff 134 Damon Road Needham, MA 02494
Contact Michelle with any questions at 781-453-2328
or mzaff@rcn.com.

Please bring the food to the Temple that day on a disposable platter if it is convenient.
(If not, it's okay to bring it wrapped up before 7:15pm when the service begins).

Please consider choosing the Sisterhood Oneg Fund when making donations.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Please select which Simchat Shabbat service(s) you'd like to help sponsor:

1/4 2/1 3/7 4/4 5/2 6/6

Please select what you would like to bring:

3-4 dozen cookies, brownies, or pastries cake fruit platter

Temple Beth Shalom Sisterhood,
Temple Aliyah Sisterhood and Needham Hadassah present a



MAH JONGG TOURNAMENT

Thursday, January 17, 2008
Doors open at 6:30pm • Start time: 7:00pm
Temple Beth Shalom
670 Highland Ave. Needham

\$18.00/person
Refreshments
Cash Prizes

Any questions, please call:
Harriet Felts
781-444-6255
Tammy Sadok
781-444-7337
Mindy Merow Rubin
781-449-8152

Name: _____ Partner Request: _____

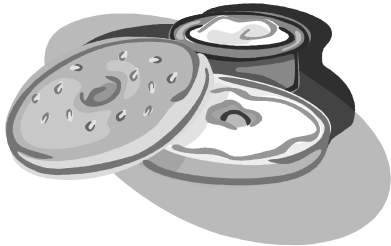
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**RSVP by January 9 • Make checks payable to Temple Aliyah Sisterhood and mail to:
Tammy Sadok, 41 Edwardel Road, Needham, MA 02492**

Beginner Table: (This is not a teaching table, just for new players who want to play with other beginners)

Can provide table

Can provide set



BESTY's David Aronson Memorial Bagel Day Sunday, February 3

BESTY is the senior youth group at Temple Beth Shalom for grades 8-12. Bagel Day is our annual fundraiser to help continue to improve upon the quality of programs and activities we are able to offer and the event scholarships we are able to provide members towards regional and national events.

On Sunday, February 3, BESTY members will deliver fresh bagels to your doorstep. We can deliver your bagels to your house from either: 8:30 - 9:30 am or 10:00 - 11:00 am, or you can pick up your bagels at the Temple between 8:00 - 11:00 am. Bagels will cost \$10 per dozen.

We cannot mix different types of bagels or sell fewer than a dozen.

If you would like to help support BESTY please fill out the order form below and make your checks payable to "BESTY" and mail to Temple Beth Shalom, 670 Highland Ave., Needham 02494.

Forms and checks must be received by January 21.

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Do you want your bagels delivered? Yes No

What time do you want your bagels delivered? (circle one) 8:30-9:30 a.m. 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Directions from Temple: _____

Dozen Plain Dozen Poppy Dozen Egg Dozen Cinnamon-Raisin Dozen Sesame

We do not want any bagels, but please accept our donation to BESTY.



We extend Mazal Tov to
מזל טוב!

**David and Mara Gorden and son Noah,
 on the birth of their son and baby brother,
 Eli Aaron born on November 22**

We extend our sympathy to
המקום ינחם

**Arthur, Peter and Leslie Bloom
 on the passing of their wife and mother
 Roberta Bloom**

**Daniel Teplin and Jody Feinberg, Jacob, Sammy, Eli and Noah
 on the passing of their mother, mother-in-law and
 grandmother
 Rita Teplin**

NEED A "HUG"?

*Do you know a member in our
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 who is experiencing an illness,
 recuperating from an accident or
 major surgery, rehabilitating in a
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*The Knitting Mavens
 would like to give them a "hug"
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 781-444-0943 or
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RABBI MICHELE LENKE
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 THE 2007
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Children's Center



The month of December was not only filled with the light of Chanukah, but was also illuminated with the light of mitzvot performed by the children and their

families in the Children's Center. While we were celebrating the many lights ~ the many blessings ~ in our lives, our children had the opportunity to bring a special light to the world: by helping children who did not have homes, toys and books like they do.

The Children's Center Parent-Teacher Committee (PTC) held a toy drive for an organization called "Horizons for Homeless Children". Leemarie Mosca, one of the Horizon's teachers, came in to speak with our four and five year olds. I must share that our children were incredibly, thoughtful and caring. Leemarie started by asking: "What does it mean to be a friend?" One four year old an-

swered: "You have to play, you've got to be a real friend." "What's important about playing?" Leemarie asked. The answers included, "That you share," "Being polite," and that "You don't feel so angry." Then Leemarie asked them, "What if your friend is sad?" "You make them feel better," "You say something nice," "Help them," "See if they're okay," and "Give them a hug." These children were demonstrating how they live their lives thinking and acting upon acts of loving-kindness!

Leemarie then showed our children pictures of the children in her center, so they could see that these children also like to play with Legos, create art projects, do puzzles and hug their friends, just like they do. They had a lot in common!

Her next questions took a different direction. "What does it mean to have a home?" The children spoke about their rooms and what they have in their homes and rooms. She asked

which children, if any, shared a room, and what that was like for them. She explained that the children in the pictures share a room with their whole family because they are homeless. She told them how the children lived in a place called a "shelter", which was a building with ten to twelve rooms, with one kitchen, one living room, one television and that they all shared everything. Leemarie asked them what they thought this would be like. Someone said, "Squishy." Another said, "Noisy." The five year olds carefully considered what they were hearing and asked how the homeless people would be able to eat.

One of the five year olds mentioned that she remembered that last year, her family gave money and toys to help. Leemarie told them that when they help someone, it means that they are kind, that they have a good heart.

This event was deep on so many levels! By helping the children to understand that making a difference in the lives of others is a Jewish way to live, the parents were able to provide a wonderful model of how we all strive to live Jewishly. Our parents engaged their children in giving tzedakah in a meaningful way, by having them pick out the toy that they would donate to the children in the shelter. The children in our "All Star" and "Scientist" classrooms drew pictures to go along with the toys that were donated, with messages such as "You are my friend" and "We are friends". The children were extremely thoughtful about what it meant to be a friend, to be homeless, to have a home, and how to cheer up these children ~ children with whom they had much in common: they all like to do the same things and go to preschool! Our Children's Center children truly gave from their hearts, their thoughts, their wishes and from their own collections of cherished toys, in order to bring joy and light to other children in the world. We, the Children's Center Staff, couldn't be more proud of them and their families!

*L'Shalom,
Marcie Berul
Director, Children's Center*



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Any questions? Contact Margaret McConchie at memconchie@gmail.com

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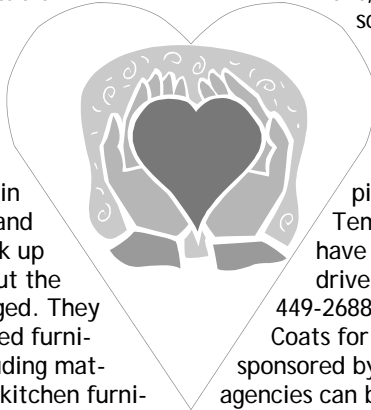
You will not receive tickets in the mail but an email confirmation will be provided.

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Phone Number: _____

Social Action

The chill of winter reminds us that not everyone has comfortable shelter and clothing, and those of us that do, have two opportunities in January to help those who don't. The Coalition for the Homeless is conducting a furniture drive in Needham on January 23 and 24. The Coalition will pick up donations at no charge but the pickup must be prearranged. They will accept un-upholstered furniture, bedroom sets, including mattresses, dining room and kitchen furniture, working appliances, lamps, ta-



bles, chairs, dishes, kitchen equipment, and book cases. To schedule a pickup, contact the Coalition at 781-595-7570 ext 13, and they will give you an approximate pickup time. There is no charge for the pickup if you mention Temple Beth Shalom. If you have any questions about the drive, call Marge Cohen at 781-449-2688.

Coats for the annual coat drive sponsored by various community agencies can be donated, but only through January 15. Donations of winter

coats for kids, adults, and babies can be made to Anton's Cleaners at 1433 Highland Avenue in Needham Center. Anton's will clean the coats and donate them for this drive.

Please join us for Social Action Shabbat on January 25 when the Temple Beth Shalom tutors participating in the Greater Boston Jewish Coalition for Literacy will be honored. Over the years, our tutors have made a difference for many students at the Mozart School in Roslindale - and that difference has been reflected in the school's rising MCAS scores.

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The Marson Family	Rabbi Perlman, Rabbi Markley & Rabbi Lenke for their inspiration & support in preparing Jade for her Bat Mitzvah
Sheila & Howard Agranat	Rabbi Perlman, Rabbi Markley & Rabbi Lenke for their support, encouragement, enthusiasm & love in preparation of Emily's Bat Mitzvah
Dorothy & David Marson	Their Aliyah at the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Sam Moller
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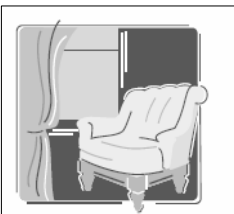
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;"> December 07 S M T W T F S 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 </div>		1 Temple Office Closed <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> Winter Break-No RS or CC </div>	2 6:00 PM Youth Comm Mtg-GCR 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal-SH RS & CC Classes Resume	3 3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 3:30 PM RS T'fillah & Music-Sanct. 7:30 PM Worship Comm Mtg-Rm 15	4 10:15 AM CC Shabbat Prog-Sanct. 6:15 PM Congregational Shabbat Dinner 7:15 PM Simchat Shabbat-Sanct.	5 9:00 AM Shacharit Service-CR 9:30 AM Torah Study-CR 11:00 AM Bar Mitzvah-Noah Teplin-Sanct.
6 8:45 AM RS Music-CL 10:30 AM Temple Totis-CR 10:45 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 11:10 AM RS Music-Sanct. 11:30 AM Family Table Distr. Day-OOT 1:30 PM Madrichim Mtg-CR 3:30 PM Rosh Hodesh-CR, YL	7 7:00 PM Showing of An Inconvenient Truth-SH 7:30 PM RS Comm Mtg-CR,A	8 5:45 PM Hebrew Review CI-Rm 12 6:00 PM Gr.10-12 Dinner-CR,A 6:30 PM Conf. CI-Rm 13 6:30 PM Post Conf. CI-Rm 11 6:30 PM PPC Mtg-LIB 7:15 PM GC Prog-SH	9 6:00 PM RS Staff Mtg-Rm 15 7:00 PM CC Parent Ed CI-CR 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal-SH 7:30 PM Triple Chai Mtg-GCR	10 11:30 AM Torah Class-Rm 15 11:45 AM CC Closes Early-No LB 3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 3:30 PM RS Music-Sanct. 7:00 PM Ad Ed CI-Rm 15 7:00 PM Brthrhd Bd Mtg-GCR 7:15 PM Membership Comm Mtg-LIB	11 10:15 AM CC Shabbat Prog-Sanct. 6:15 PM Shabbat Service-Sanct. Adult Choir	12 9:00 AM Shacharit Service-CR 9:30 AM Torah Study-CR 4:00 PM FC-GR I-PJ Havdallah-SH
13 8:45 AM & 11:10AM RS Music & T'fillah-CR 10:45 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 11:00 AM Rabbin' Brunch-SH RS Wilderness Explor.-OOT	14 7:30 PM Sisterhd Bd Mtg-LIB	15 4:00 PM Telem A-Rm 15,OOT 6:00 PM RS Cooking Connect-CR,A, Kitch. 7:00 PM Safety & Security Comm Mtg-LIB 7:30 PM Lech Lecha #4-SH	16 3:30 PM Rappin' w/ the Rabbi-LIB 7:30 PM Ad. Learning Comm Mtg-Rm 15	17 12:00 PM CC Staff Mtg-GCR 3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 3:30 PM RS T'fillah & Music-Sanct. 6:00 PM Mah Jong Tournament-SH	18 10:15 AM CC Shabbat Prog-Sanct. 6:15 PM Shabbat Service-Sanct. 6:30 PM Tot Shabbat-CR Torah Service Torah Portion Handout MLK Shabbat <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> 9th Gr.MLK Trip South </div>	19 9:00 AM Shacharit Service-CR 9:30 AM Torah Study-CR 11:00 AM Bar Mitzvah-Gabe Jonas-Sanct.
20 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;"> MLK Weekend-No RS or CC-9th Gr. MLK Trip South </div>	21 Temple Office Closed	22 6:00 PM Gr.10-12 Dinner-CR,A 6:30 PM Conf. CI-Rm 13 6:30 PM Post Conf. CI-Rm 11	23 6:15 PM Exec Comm Mtg-LIB 7:30 PM BOT Mtg-CR	24 11:30 AM Torah Class Rm 15 3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 3:30 PM RS Music-Sanct. 7:00 PM Ad Ed CI-Rm 15	25 9:00 AM CC Tu B'shevat/Shabbat Celebratn-Sanct, SH,CL 6:15 PM Shabbat Service-Sanct.	26 9:00 AM Shacharit Service-CR 9:30 AM Torah Study-CR 11:00 AM Bar Mitzvah-Sofie Yellin-Sanct. 6:00 PM Brotherhd/ Sisterhd Event-SH
27 8:45 AM Music & T'fillah-CR 10:45 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 11:10 AM FC-Gr5-Sacred Places-CR 11:10 AM RS Music & T'fillah-Sanct 2:30 PM CC Winter Fundraiser-SH	28 6:45 PM GC Bd Mtg-GCR	29 4:00 PM Telem A-Rm 15,OOT 6:00 PM RS Cooking Connect-CR,A, Kitch.	30 8:30 AM CC Day of Learning-CR 7:30 PM Lech Lecha #5A-SH CC Closed	31 3:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal-Sanct. 3:30 PM RS T'fillah & Music-Sanct. 7:30 PM Lech Lecha #5B-SH	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 0 auto;"> February 08 S M T W T F S 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 </div>	

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