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# The Bulletin

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#### Please join us for our Annual Dinner Celebration

Thanking our outgoing administration and welcoming our incoming leadership

Friday, June 5, 2015

6:00 PM – Services

7:00 PM - Installation of Officers, Directors and Trustees

Recognition of Patrons and Sustaining Members

Presentation of Congregational Awards:

Dr. Sara H. Cohen Dedication to Education Award to Gladys Shubin Membership Services Award to Larry Walowitz

Dinner to follow

Annual Dinner Celebration Co-chairs: Sheri & Howard Herzberg, Morria & David Pedowitz, Arlene & Albert Perlstein

#### Note of Thanks

Message from Jane Herling, President

The last two years serving you as President of my beloved Har Zion Temple have been rich and rewarding. Daily, I pray that I served you well. I pray that I never missed the opportunity to greet you with



a smile, and remind you how important you are to our community and to me.

There are so many people to thank. Thank you to Rabbi Rosenberg, Cantor Vogel, Gavi Miller, Rabbi Alpert, Rabbi Allen, Rabbi Marshall and Debbie Folz for your insights, hard work and concern for our community. To my co-Officers, thank you for your sacrifices of time, wisdom, guidance, devotion, patience and friendship. To our Board of Directors and Trustees, and all our volunteers, thank you for taking your obligations seriously, your (continued on page 5)

### Joint Clergy Message: Contentment and Joy

Message from Rabbi Scott Rosenberg, Cantor Elliot Vogel, Rabbi Uri Allen and Rabbi Robert Alpert

Kulam Yisbe-u Ve-Yitangu Mi-tuvecha - Everyone will find contentment and joy in your goodness.

These words stand at the heart of our Shabbat morning liturgy. They describe how each individual Jew may find their personal Shabbat of joy and happiness within the communal experience. Up until now, we have worked hard to provide opportunities for prayer, study and social interaction each and every Shabbat. Through our conversations with you and through the strategic planning initiative, we have grown in our appreciation of what this should and could mean for Har Zion Temple. We are a proud community that is built on longstanding and deep-rooted traditions. We are also committed to deepening our spiritual practice through innovation and experimentation. As Conservative Jews we have always valued the pairing of tradition with change, and take seriously the need to remain anchored in our sacred heritage even as the expressions of those commitments evolve.

This past year, we have introduced instrumentation to our Friday night services, explored the role of meditation in prayer, communal text study, breaks for snacks and socializing, changes of prayer space and seating configuration. Through your engagement and response to all of these, the clergy team has had conversations about the next best steps to advance our spiritual exploration and growth. To provide our community with the firm anchor to which we have grown accustomed, our sanctuary service on Shabbat morning will continue in its current form and will be led by Cantor Vogel and one of our Rabbis. Additionally, babysitting will continue every week beginning at 9:30 AM and Tot Shabbat every other week at its usual time.

Our Junior Congregation services, led by Norman Einhorn, will continue on a bi-weekly basis with the alternating weeks featuring a new family service led by Rabbi Allen. This service will follow the basic outlines of the Shabbat morning liturgy and will contain joyous singing and instrumentation, storytelling, snack time, *Parshat Hashavua* activities and much more! (continued on page 3)

### RELIGIOUSLY SPEAKING . . .

## SHABBAT SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

Friday, June 5 – 19 Sivan 5775 6:00 PM Minha/Maariy

Saturday, June 6 – 19 Sivan 5775

9:00 AM Morning Service Bar Mitzvah Aaron Reisman, son of

Suzanne & Jason Reisman

8:10 PM Minha/Maariv

Friday, June 12 – 26 Sivan 6:00 PM Minha/Maariv

7:00 PM Guess Who's Coming to Shabbas?

Saturday, June 13 – 26 Sivan 9:00 AM Morning Service

Bar Mitzvah Joshua Schulman, son of

Kristy & Jeffrey Schulman

8:10 PM Minha/Maariv

Friday, June 19 – 3 Tammuz 6:00 PM Minha/Maariv

Saturday, June 20 – 3 Tammuz

9:00 AM Morning Service

Bar Mitzvah Evan Bookbinder, son of

Hannah & Mark Bookbinder

8:15 PM Minha/Maariy

Friday, June 26 – 10 Tammuz

6:00 PM Minha/Maariv

**Saturday, June 27 – 10 Tammuz** 9:30 AM Morning Service

8:15 PM Minha/Maariv

#### **TISCH**

After Wednesday morning minyan.

Join Rabbi Allen for breakfast and inspirational learning.

#### Friday Morning Minyannaires

Join Rabbi Rosenberg for morning minyan and then stay for a bite-size portion of Torah along with your coffee and bagel.

#### Congratulations to

#### Zane Fishbein

for receiving the Jonathan Eric Gleit Fund Scholarship Award. Presentation will take place as part of the Service on Saturday, June 6. Zane will spend this summer at Camp Ramah.

#### **SHABBAT**

Junior Congregation (For children grades K-7) With Norman Einhorn 10:30 AM, Dogole Chapel Saturday, June 6



(For children ages 2-5)
With Susan Yefet, Beverly Goldberg
11:15 AM, Benjamin B. Levin Room
Saturday, June 6

\*Please note: Last Day for Babysitting is June 13 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

(There will be a Shabbat component in which the babysitter reads a Shabbat story as well as sing Shabbat songs, and have challah as a snack.)



#### Milton Pomerantz Interactive Torah Study

Every Shabbat following services and kiddush join in an informal discussion of the day's Torah portion.



#### Shabbat Talmud Study

With Rabbi Gary Charlestein and Rabbi Robert Alpert Saturday afternoon, 1 hour before Minha
Spend an hour learning what issues
mattered to the Sages.



#### Late Shabbat Learning

With Rabbi Scott Rosenberg and Rabbi Uri Allen Shabbat afternoons between Minha & Maariv

#### **DAILY SERVICES**

	Morning	Evening
Sunday	9:00 AM	6:00 PM
Monday	6:50 AM	6:00 PM
Tuesday	7:00 AM	6:00 PM
Wednesday	7:00 AM	6:00 PM
Thursday	6:50 AM	6:00 PM
Friday	7:00 AM	6:00 PM

Exceptions: see calendar on page 19.

#### Joint Clergy Message (continued from page 1)

Noise is encouraged and families of all ages are welcome.

Twice a month Rabbi Allen will be conducting a learning service whose aim is to uncover the meaning in our siddur towards deeper appreciation and understanding of our *tefilah*. This service will be part text study, part communal singing, part experimentation laboratory. No previous prayer knowledge or experience required. This service will conclude by 10:30 AM. At 10:45 AM, Parshah study will be offered by a rotating group of our clergy. Refreshments will be served.

Additionally, opposite the weeks of Junior Congregation, our teens will take ownership of their Shabbat morning service. Rabbi Marshall and Norman Einhorn will serve as their guides as they craft a peer-led Shabbat morning experience.

Every week, all of these Shabbat morning offerings will converge so that the community can enjoy one Kiddush together. On Friday night we are also offering a new model. We will begin the second Shabbat of each month with an instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat and Maariv Service. Recognizing that the inclusion of instruments at a Shabbat service is not comfortable for all, we are committed to supporting more traditional prayer options on those weeks should there be sufficient interest. Planning is in process to create new young family opportunities on Friday night, as well.

One of the important messages that we took away from our strategic planning process is that our members want opportunities to joyously come together as a community to engage in the richness of Judaism and all it has to offer. We see this new model (Sample month is below) as a path that will keep us growing and celebrating together with deeper meaning and greater joy. As we begin down this new road, we know you will join us so that each of us can feel the goodness and contentment of Shabbat together.

Sample	Month
Friday evening	Saturday morning
5:30pm Family Service and Dinner 6:00pm Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv	9:30am  • Main Service • Babysitting • Learning Service  10:30am • Junior Congregation  10:45am • Parshah Study  11:15am • Tot Shabbat  12:00pm • Communal Kiddush
5:30 Traditional Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 6:00pm Instrumental Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 7:00pm Shabbat in a Box	9:30am      Main Service     Babysitting 10:30am     Teen Service     Family Service 12:00pm     Communal Kiddush
6:00pm Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 7:00pm Oneg Shabbat	9:30am  • Main Service • Babysitting • Learning Service  10:30am • Junior Congregation  10:45am • Parshah Study  11:15am • Tot Shabbat  12:00pm • Communal Kiddush
6:00pm Kabbalat Shabbat/Maariv 7:00pm Guess Who's Coming to Shabbas?	9:30am  • Main Service • Babysitting 10:30am • Teen Service • Family Service 12:00pm • Communal Kiddush

## ADULT JEWISH LEARNING . . .

#### One-on-One Learning with the Clergy

All of our clergy would enjoy the opportunity to spend one-on-one time teaching whatever topic or aspect of Judaism you would like to study.

Some suggested topics available are: Hebrew language, Torah Reading, Text Study, Chanting Torah or Haftarah. Call Leah Abrams, 610-667-5000, ext 111, to make an appointment!

#### Classes with Rabbi Rosenberg

#### Popular Commentaries on Genesis Thursday mornings, June 11 and 18, 10:00 AM

We will study the commentaries found in the Hertz Chumash, the *Etz Hayim* Chumash and the commentaries of modern biblical scholars to deepen our understanding of the first book of the Bible.

#### Men's Club Minyannaires

#### Friday mornings, following 7:00 AM Services Jeopardy Rashi Style

We will examine the commentary of Rashi on the Torah to deepen our appreciation of the issues Rashi saw in the text and to understand how his commentary maintains relevance through today.

#### Class with Rabbi Allen

#### **TISCH**

Wednesday mornings following 7:00 AM services *Halakha Yomit (daily halakha) with the Mishnah Berurah* Join us each week as we study a different halakha and ask ourselves about the underlying values that inform our practice.

#### Classes with Rabbi Alpert

#### **Adult Bible Study**

#### Sunday evening, June 14, 7:00 PM

We will study the Book of I Kings. Topics include the transition from David to Solomon, the building of the First Temple, Solomon's spiritual downfall through intermarriages and the splitting of the Kingdom.

#### **Talmud Study**

#### Mondays at 10:00 AM

Continuing our study of the sixth chapter of Bava Metzia.

#### Sisterhood Davening Skills Thursday mornings, 11:00 AM

Learn how to lead the weekday service and feel more at home at Minyan. The class is open to all who know a bit of Hebrew. For info, please contact Debbie Golden, goldendagg@gmail.com.

## SPECIAL ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM NESHAMA BODY AND SOUL

Tuesday, June 23, 4:00 PM

#### with Rabbi Jaymee Alpert and Fernando Martinez



Neshama Body and Soul is a strength-based, active, spiritual practice that incorporates Jewish prayer and contemplation. Please wear exercise clothing, and bring water and a mat or beach towel, as well as an open heart and mind.

Rabbi Jaymee Alpert has been a rabbi for 12 years and currently serves a synagogue in Port Chester, New York. Fernando Martinez is a certified personal trainer with more than 20 years of experience.

There is no charge for this class.

RSVP is requested. Please email or call Rabbi Marshall: rnmarshall@harziontemple.org or 610-667-5000, ext 114

For more information, please visit neshamabodyandsoul.org and 'Like' them on Facebook.

## Rabbinical Assembly Lunch and Learn

For more information, call Rabbi Gary Charlestein, 610-239-6003.

#### Tuesdays in Center City, 12:00-1:30 PM

Offices of Cozen & O'Connor, 1900 Market St., Phila. Stock Exchange Building

Rabbi Robert Alpert teaches on June 16.

### NOW TUESDAYS in Plymouth Meeting, 12:30-1:30 PM

Offices of Premier Dental, 1710 Romano Drive Rabbi Charlestein teaches at this location.

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### Memorial for Vladimir Slepak Tuesday, June 16, 7:30 PM

Vladimir (Volodya) Slepak passed away in April.

The Philadelphia community will gather to honor his memory and say thank you to this giant of a man. Vladimir was the heart and soul of the Soviet Jewry movement, and was recognized as the "father of the movement."

He and his wife Masha finally arrived in Israel after 17 years of waiting. When he arrived he said, "It is not my individual accomplishment to be here. It is the fight of the Jewish people everywhere. I am a simple Jew with a simple strength."

Let's come together to honor this simple, great man.

All are welcome.

Light reception to follow.

#### SUMMER 2015 SCHEDULE

	Candle Lighting		Minha	Shabbat Ends
6/26	8:16 PM	6/27	8:15 PM	9:23 PM
7/3	8:16 PM	7/4	8:15 PM	9:23 PM
7/10	8:14 PM	7/11	8:15 PM	9:20 PM
7/17	8:10 PM	7/18	8:10 PM	9:15 PM
7/24	8:05 PM	7/25	7:45 PM	9:09 PM
7/31	7:59 PM	8/1	8:00 PM	9:01 PM
8/7	7:51 PM	8/8	7:50 PM	8:52 PM
8/14	7:42 PM	8/15	7:40 PM	8:42 PM
8/21	7:32 PM	8/22	7:30 PM	8:31 PM
8/28	7:22 PM	8/29	7:20 PM	8:20 PM
9/4	7:11 PM	9/5	7:10 PM	8:08 PM

#### Special Days

June 17 and 18 - Rosh Hodesh Tammuz (6:50 AM)

July 4 - Independence Day (Sunday - 9:00 AM Minyan)

July 5 - Fast of 17th of Tammuz (9:00 AM Minyan;

1:30 pm- Minha, 6:00 pm Minha)

**July 11** – Shabbat Mevarkhim – Blessing of the month of Menahem Av

July 17 - Rosh Hodesh Menahem Av (6:50 AM Minyan)

July 24 - Shabbat Hazon - The Sabbath of Vision (9:00 AM)

Evening – Tisha B'Av (10th of Av) 7:45 PM Minha; Seudah Mafseket afterwards; Maariv/Reading of Eicha at 9:05 PM

July 25 - Tisha B'Av Fast Day (9:00 AM Minyan;

1:30 PM Minha

**August 1** - Shabbat Nahamu - The Sabbath of Consolation (9:00 AM Minyan)

August 15 - Rosh Hodesh Elul (9:00 AM Minyan)

August 16 - Rosh Hodesh Elul (9:00 AM Minyan with the sounding of the Shofar)

September 7 - Labor Day (9:00 AM Minyan)

September 5 - Selihot (8:15 PM - TBA)

#### **President** (continued from page 1)

generosity, and keeping your sights on our ultimate purpose. Thank you to all the educators and staff who not only supported me, but support each of us and our families, every day. To my darling husband, Irv, and our beautiful family, who promised to support me and respect my commitment, and did, day in and day out, thank you.

I also want to thank all of our B'nai Mitzvah in the last two years. You challenged me to study Torah as I never have before, and understand our weekly *parshiot* in ways that truly moved my soul and changed the way I live. The blessings you shared with me cannot be measured.

Thank you to all the members of Har Zion for the countless smiles, smooches, hand-shakes, hugs, fist-bumps, laughs, whispers and tears that you shared with me. I pray that you felt how much I care about you.

As I pass the leadership baton, I am mindful of how much I have learned, and how important it is for all our members and their families to feel valued and essential to the whole. I pledge to our incoming leadership team to do my best to support them, and help ensure that our beautiful community continues to evolve in healthy, Jewishly-dynamic and holy ways.

Thank you to all for wonderful memories to last a lifetime. Thank you for your confidence and trust. I am humbled, and I am grateful.

See you on Shabbat!

## Guess Who's Coming to Shabbas?

#### Weekend of June 12-13

GWC2S is an initiative that uses the power of Shabbat meals to strengthen our synagogue's sense of kehillah or community. Participants can host Shabbat dinner (on Fridays) or Shabbat lunch (on Saturdays) in their own homes or be guests at someone else's home.

Please let us know if you will join us as a host or guest by emailing us at guesswhoscoming2shabbat@gmail.com.
We will confirm your participation and send you directions for the next steps.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Rabbi Allen, Hannah Bookbinder or Cindy Reisner at guesswhoscoming2shabbat@gmail.com.

Together we can make this a success for our synagogue community.



## HAZAAC Har Zion Active Adults Club

#### Age-Old Paradox

By Gerald Spector

There is an age-old paradox that **Har Zion Active Adults Club (HAZAAC)** members and those eligible for membership face. Everyone desires long life. Having many birthdays is highly desirable. At birthday celebrations we wish the honoree to have many more birthdays. In the science fiction series *Star Trek*, Mr. Spock's favorite expression of friendship was "Live long and prosper." In Jewish tradition we say "May you live to 120."

Although attaining advanced age is considered a blessing, getting old is not. "Old" connotes diminished vitality and loss of vigor. People are offended if they are told they are getting old or they look older. And so we have the age-old paradox; age is good, old is bad.

Har Zion Active Adults Club offers a solution to this paradox. Each HAZAAC event includes a delicious wholesome meal to nourish the body and entertaining and educational programs to stimulate the mind. Our next event will be in October. Please join us then when we will all have advanced our age by a third of a year and grown four months older. Until then, have an enjoyable and healthy summer.

## NACHES, ETC . . .

#### **BIRTHS**

Welcome to the world to

Cameron Alexander Liss, son of Jennifer & Benjamin Liss, brother of Mayson Sloane, and grandson of Margelle & Shelly Liss.

Simcha Bunim Feld, daughter of Debra & Michael Feld, sister of Meyer Moshe, and granddaughter of Margelle & Shelly Liss.

Rose Adele Schley, daughter of Courtney & Harry Schley, granddaughter of Michelle Portnoff & Scott Schley.

Mason Parker Rosenberg, son of Halie & Justin Rosenberg, brother of Emma and Liv, and grandson of Drucie & Gerald Isenberg.

#### **ENGAGEMENT**

Jennifer Rash, daughter of Harriet & Charles (z"l) Rash, is engaged to Dr. Andrew Rosner. She is the granddaughter of Mollie & Samuel Gerson (z"l) and Jane & Jules Rash (z"l). An October 2015 wedding is planned.

Remember to call or email Jane F. Kontopodias, 610-667-5000, ext 107 or jfetscher@harziontemple.org, with all your happy news!

### TIKKUN OLAM . . .

#### Tikkun Olan Upcoming Events

Cook for a Friend – Catering Kitchen Monday, June 8 – 6:00 PM

#### **Shul Stitchers**

Tuesday, June 9 - 11:30 AM Thursday, June 25 - 7:00 PM

#### **Blood Drive**

Monday, June 1 – 1:30-6:30 PM To schedule an appointment call or email Shirley Swinger at 610-353-2723, smswinger@comcast.net.

## Har Zion's Finest Is Honored at Saunders House

Maxine Waxman received the well-deserved honor of being Saunders House Volunteer of the Year after Shabbat services on April 17. Maxine has been volunteering at

Saunders House for the past 15
years. Initially Maxine assisted
Doris Grossmann who leads
the weekly Friday afternoon
Shabbat services. For the past
few years, Maxine has taken
a more active role in not only
Shabbat services, but also in
the planning and preparation
of holiday celebrations. In addition to being "on call" to lead



Maxine & Jay Waxman at Saunders House Volunteer Appreciation

a service in a pinch, Maxine is responsible for purchase and delivery of the weekly *challot* in addition to the specialty foods ordered for Rosh Hashanah, Tu B'Shevat, Purim, Pesah and Sukkot.

Maxine offers her warm and loving personal touches and makes certain that every holiday is one of beauty for each of the residents. She extends the extra effort to welcome and lend an ear to each client, causing them to feel engaged and connected. In the past year or so, Maxine has coordinated with Rabbi Marshall in having the Hebrew school students make gifts for the Saunders' residents to use personally or to decorate their rooms. In doing so, the residents feel like they live in a more home-like environment in addition to feeling more valued.

Through Maxine's *rachmaunes*, she has improved the quality of life of many seniors, people who are acutely ill and folks who are chronically ill as well. **Maxine**, we are all so proud and grateful for the selfless and heartfelt work that you do!!

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## The Second Annual "Open a Book... Open Your Mind" Series Was a Wonderful Success

We want to thank everyone who participated in the second annual "Open a Book... Open your Mind" series. The authors were both stimulating and informative. We hope that this program will continue to contribute to Har Zion Sisterhood and the Jane Fishman Grinberg Religious School, as well as the entire community.

Sheila Kliger and Susan Kochman, Co-chairs



Author Gary Rosenblatt



Luncheon

Cantor Mitch Kowitz



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Author Phyllis Chesler with some of the committee members.



With sincere appreciation to our Supporters
whose generosity made
Open a Book...Open Your Mind possible.



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### SISTERHOOD . . .

## Contribute to Bimah Flowers with Sisterhood Floral Fund

Message from **Debbie Golden**, Sisterhood Co-President

After many months of preparation, Sisterhood is proud to announce the introduction of our updated floral fund cards. Proceeds from the sale of the cards pay for Bimah flowers every week. The updated cards showcase the beautiful artistry of Sisterhood member Gloria Fraimow's mother, Clara Lafair (z"l). Gloria has always supported the Sisterhood and donated the use of her mother's paintings and the printing. The newly printed cards depict two lovely floral still life paintings à la the early 20th Century School of Paris, and are appropriate for honoring and remembering friends and family. These cards are available immediately. The price is \$10 for one card or buy them by the pack of three cards for \$20. Please contact Emily Schwartz if you would like to send a card. She can be reached at emilyruth@gmail.com.

It has been a very good year for Sisterhood programming. We started with the Opening Barbeque, complete with s'mores and singing oldies around the campfire, and ended with a very successful and enlightening "Open a Book... Open Your Mind" week. This year's educational and general meeting programming has been better attended than ever and our fundraising through Open a Book, *Mishloah Manot*, the Landau Gift Box, Torah Fund, and other projects continues. We also nourished our spirituality with our wonderful Sisterhood Shabbat, a davening workshop, and monthly Rosh Chodesh meetings. Norma and I thank our Board and the many women who volunteer their time and energy to organize and produce these events and fundraising efforts.

My goal for next year is to focus on *hesed* – the attribute of grace, compassion and kindness. *Hesed* is a value central to Jewish ethics and theology. Sisterhood is very good at performing acts of kindness, but, occasionally we fall short in our dealings with each other. Rabbi Lord Jonathan Sachs has written that: *Judaism is a sustained meditation on the power of words to heal or harm, mend or destroy. Just as God created the world with words, so we create, and can destroy, relationships with words.* 

Though our acts of charity and work within our organization may be well done, insensitive words can destroy the Sisterhood that we seek to create. Let us embrace the goal of being more compassionate in our dealings with each other as we work to make our Sisterhood vital and relevant.

Norma and I wish you all a warm, wonderful summer.

#### SISTERHOOD FLORAL FUND

Debbie & Jim Golden

Maxine & Jay Waxman in honor of the birth of their grandson Noah; Joan & David Maltz in honor of their granddaughter Samantha Dichter's Bat Mitzvah; Phyllis Weinstock, in memory of Morton Weinstock; David & Jayne Weinstock and family, in memory of Morton Weinstock; Rachel, David, Alix and Jessica Steerman, in memory of Morton Weinstock; Andee & Alan Greenbaum, in memory of Norman Greenbaum; Davida Vogel – Congratulations on your graduation from BU; Sheila & Barry Kliger, in memory of Sheila's mother; Susan & Barry Kochman, in memory of Susan's mother; Lydia Gesoff, in memory of her grandson,

#### Sisterhood Calendar of Events

### Annual Closing Luncheon

Tuesday, June 2, 11:30 AM

Panel Discussion

Anti-Semitism on College Campuses
with guest speakers: Jeremy Bannet, Asst Regional
Director of the Anti-Defamation League, Rabbi
Howard Alpert, CEO, Hillel of Greater Philadelphia,
and Jackie Retig, Director of Academic Affairs,
Consulate General of Israel in New York
RSVP requested.

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Sisterhood Executive Board Meeting Monday, June 15, 7:00 PM Sisterhood Board Meeting at 7:30 PM RSVP by June 12

Women's Rosh Chodesh Group Thursday, June 18, 7:30 PM

Led by group members, these meetings are held in participants' homes with warm, interactive and challenging discussions related to the holidays and themes of each month.

#### We Salute Our Landau Gift Box Volunteers!

We want to thank our loyal volunteers for all their help in the Gift Shop this year. The Gift Shop is the largest fundraiser for Sisterhood and the money earned benefits Har Zion Temple. We are proud to be a major contributor to the beautification and maintenance of our synagogue, and we could not have done it without our loyal customers. We depend on the entire synagogue community to continue to support us. Our 2014 contribution to Sisterhood was \$20,000.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to the following volunteers who make our success possible: Lisa Berkowitz, Shelly Brietling, Rosa Brownstein, Sheila Gerson, Lydia Gesoff, Ruth Gleit, Phyllis Gorson, Andee Greenbaum, Janet Harmelin, Jean Herz, Gloria Horwitz, Dottie Jacobson, Dorene Karasick, Sharon Karasick, Irv Medway, Gretel Posner, Sue Ring, Tema Roth, Sylvia Silverman, Maxine Schwartz, Patsy Tollin, Pam Vinocur, Reisel Weinberger, Sherrie Willner, Yvonne Winig, and Joan Zolot.

A special thank you to Chickie Medway, our shop manager, whose creativity and dedication is invaluable.

Toddah Rabah, Marilyn Becker, Helene Nelson, Jodi Silow Gift Shop Vice Presidents

#### Floral Fund Donation Cards

Minimum contribution: \$10.00

Questions? Please contact Emily Schwartz at 610-660-0609 or emilyruth@gmail.com.
Cards are also available in the Gift Shop.

## MEN'S CLUB . . .



Har Zion Men's Club We've Got It Covered

## The Odd Couple and the Wise Men

By **Doug Sayer**, Men's Club Co-President

Wow, it is June and almost a year has passed subsequent to the Men's Club amending the by-laws to permit co-presidents.

Jack and I, the co-presidents, are so different. Some of you may know that I am the President of Colliers International, a commercial real estate brokerage firm, and Jack aka "Nature Jack," is an educator, who endeavors to develop interest in science among very young children.

Although we are so different, what we do have in common is our commitment to Har Zion and the development of the Men's Club from the legacy we received from past presidents Roy Stander, Dr. Steve Moskowitz, and Gary Novick. There were also officers and many others who supported the election of what I deem to be the "Odd Couple," including Morris Kurtzman, Dr. David Maltz, Larry Brown, and Gene Levick.

Hey, were these guys crazy to elect us? Were they really crazy or were they the "wise men" who were going to guide the "Odd Couple?" So, with unwavering support from the "wise men," we launched the new regime being led by the "Odd Couple."

As a result, we kicked off the new year with our opening event back in September. We were delighted with the overwhelming success with over 50 attendees. This was followed by excursions to the National Museum of American Jewish History to view the exhibit "Jews in Baseball" and next the "Tour de Shuls," a bicycle event to support Camp Ramah and some good family exercise.

Our golf outing in October was attended by 45 golfers. The "Odd Couple" had not participated in past golf outings but were told that this was a great turnout. The year continued with a few "pub night" gatherings. We were also honored to host a variety of interesting speakers and authors including Rabbi Porath, Louis Greenstein, David Barol, Rabbi Fuchs, and others.

Men's Club Shabbat weekend far exceeded our expectations.... So fortunate to have the "wise men" in the wings! We grossly underestimated the number that would attend the Friday dinner. We told the caterer to expect 50. It turned out there were more than 100 and hardly room for more tables. As I recall, we spilled out into the hall. (Unfortunately many Har Zion members forgot to RSVP, my wife commented "Imagine that," with a grin.)

Howard Herzberg, another "wise man," conducted that weekend. His orchestra included Gary Kerstein, Roy Stander, Michael Solomon, Gary Novick, Allan Susser, Dr. David Maltz, Morris Kurtman, Neil Appel, Larry Brown, Michael Wilner, Martin Hirsch, Steve Moskowitz, Steve Mendelsohn, Jack Marine, myself and others. I do not know (continued on page 12)

### RUDOFKER LIBRARY . . .

#### BRING'EM BACK

Please return all items borrowed by you and/or your children before Monday June 7. Thanks.

#### SUMMER BORROWING AND RETRUNS

Books are available for long-term borrowing over the summer. Please stop in and make your selections. Please return all library materials that are due!

#### **NEW BOOK**

Nonfiction

"Hans and Rudolf: The true story of the German Jew who tracked down and caught the Kommandant of Auschwitz" by Thomas Harding.

"This important and moving book describes the unlikely intersection of two very different lives – that of Hanns Alexander, the son of a prosperous German family in Berlin who became a refugee in London in the 1930s and Rudolf Höss, the Kommandant of the Auschwitz Concentration Camp. Well-researched and grippingly written it provides a unique insight into the fate of Germany under National Socialism." (Antony Polonsky, Albert Abramson Professor of Holocaust Studies at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum and Brandeis University)

#### **OLDIES BUT GOODIES**

Our library owns a number of classic non-fiction and fiction books. Please come in and browse.

#### **SUMMER HOURS**

The library will not have regular hours during the summer. For reference questions or other assistance, please call Bill Moody (librarian) at extension 129 or email: rudofker@ harziontemple.org

The staff of the Rudofker Library wishes you an enjoyable summer!

LIBRARY HOURS until June 8 Tuesday and Thursday, 4:00 - 6:15 PM Wednesday, 6:30 - 8:30 PM Sunday, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM Monday by appointment.

#### SAVE THE DATE!

Men's Club BBQ
Steak, Wine and Scotch
Thursday, June 18, 7:30 PM
No Charge – Open to all Men's Club
members and other men interested
in the Men's Club

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### EDUCATION . . .

#### Reflections

Message from

Rabbi Nogah Marshall, Educational Director

Sometimes the lessons one learns in life stem not from the classroom or from our teachers, rather the best lessons in life are learned through experience.

Over the course of the past nine years Har Zion Temple has been part of my everyday life. I know that the majority of these moments were and are the shehechyinau moments. Moments that



allow us to hear God's voice and instruction, experience sacredness, holiness, and specialness. Moments such as morning minyan, B'nai Mitzvah celebrations, the Purim *Shpiel*, Scholar in Residence programming, model *Sedarim*, and baby namings.

God tells us, "You shall be holy, for I, the Lord your God, am holy." For the past nine years as the Educational Director, I have tried to instill in the lives of my students of all ages a sense of holiness, a sense of *kedushah* through Jewish text, uplifting and informative life experiences, and a nurturing community rooted in Jewish values and *Mitzvot*. And throughout life, we experience triumphs and victories, and sometimes failures and disappointments. But for some of us, the Promised Land remains just that, a promise. But sometimes just the journey itself is worthwhile and affirming. And I truly believe we have taken one step closer to reaching the Promised Land.

As we get ready to go on summer vacations, what I hope we carry with us as a plan for the coming year is my optimism in our future. I am excited to continue thinking outside the box in creating a culture and environment in which we will not be afraid to dream new dreams; to realize those dreams and dream even more dreams that brings a sense of *kedushah* into each and every one of our lives.

And as I reflect upon this year, together I would like to take this opportunity to offer up some words of thanks to three special hard working women who are completing their terms: Michele Perlstein, Youth Committee Chair, Dorene Karasick, the Vice President of Education and Youth and Michele Levin, the Vice President of Religious Affairs and Adult Education. Thank you for your vision, dedication and commitment to Har Zion Temple and the Jewish community. It has been a pleasure working and learning with you.

As Rabbi Tarfun, in Pirkei Avot teaches, *Lo Eleicha Hamlacha Ligmor*, *V'lo Atah Ben Horin Levatel Mimena*. "You are not obliged to finish the task but neither are you free to neglect it." No, we as Jewish people have not yet reached the Promised Land. We have not finished our task as a Jewish people or here at Har Zion Temple, but I am confident that we have the skills to continue enriching the lives of Har Zion Temple with *kedushah*.

Have a wonderful summer and I look forward to another year filled with *kedushah*.

### Jane Fishman Grinberg Religious School/PTA

Junior Congregation

Saturday, June 6 – Heh Transition Ceremony

Chai Five and Seventh Grade

Recognition

School

Sunday, June 7 - Last Day of Elementary and

Middle School

Youth

Sunday, June 7 - Kadima and USY Trip to

Hershey Park

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## The Noreen Cook Center for Early Childhood Education/HSA

We hope you enjoyed the Preschool and HSA events in May, including Teacher Appreciation Week, Gan Shabbat Dinner and Lag B'Omer Sports Day! Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make them such a success. We have some exciting events planned for June and we look forward to seeing you there.

#### Prachim Closing Program

Thursday, June 11, 11:00am

#### **Gan Graduation**

Thursday, June 11, 5:00pm

#### Last Day of School/H.S.A. Closing Picnic

Come join your friends and bid a final farewell to the 2014/2015 school year.

Friday, June 12, Noon dismissal

Have a wonderful, safe and healthy summer... see you back at the NCCECE next year!!!

#### Your 2014-2015 HSA Board

Jen Goodbinder, Avi Koffler, Kimberly Kimmel, Rebecca Kirshner, Tracy Waasdorp, Melissa Rand, Kimi Sokol, Tracy Friedman, Elana Weinstein, and Rebecca Michels

## Youth Update

USY has had an incredibly busy year. We collected bins of food for the Mitzvah food pantry during the high holidays. We bonded over Mini-golf, Laser Tag, Death by Chocolate and live performances by our very own at Aroma Coffeehouse. We are looking forward to everyone joining us at our closing event of the year on Sunday, June 7, a day at Hershey Park. Bring your friends and enjoy the day riding roller coasters and eating chocolate! I am looking forward to a restful summer and seeing you all in the fall.

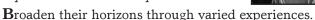
#### The ABC's of Parenthood

Message from

**Debbie Folz**, Early Childhood Education Director

As our school year at The Noreen Cook Center for Early Childhood Education comes to an close and our camp season at Har Zion Day Camp is just about to begin, I want to share with you the ABC's of Parenthood.

Always find some time exclusively for your children each day.



Challenge them to set and achieve high goals in life.

**D**elight in their efforts in school and at home.

Examine your approach so as to keep it loving.

Find something good to say about your children each day.

Guide them in their decisions.

Have a listening ear for their problems and concerns.

Insure that you pay attention to their fears.

**J**oyfully forgive their shortcomings.

**K**eep their confidence.

Live a life that serves as a positive model.

**M**anage your time as to make them your best friend.

Never say "no" when you might be able to say "yes."

Open your home to their friends.

Protect them from their own inexperience.

Quickly show interest in their endeavors.

Remember that they have needs to be met.

Show them love.

Teach them to treat others as they want to be treated.

Understand they are young and learning to adjust.

Very carefully, mean what you say.

Watch them grow and appreciate each stage.

**X**-pect them to follow rules.

Yield to your child's preferences, if it isn't against a principle.

Zealously help your children to enjoy life."

Enjoy your summer and remember the importance of taking time to appreciate each and every moment in the life of your family!

Mazel Tov to our Chai Five Graduates!

Julia Green

Lisa Green

Maxwell Handen

Eli Kestenbaum

Jordan Mazer

Robert Silver

#### Men's Club (continued from page 9)

if Rabbi Rosenberg approved of my sermon!

Food we know is part of our tradition. We were fortunate to enjoy two different cooking exhibitions, one for preparing latkes and the other for matzo brie, each timely relating to their respective holidays. Both were conducted by our favorite chefs Rabbi Alpert and Dr. Joe Carver. Yum!

Each year you should receive yellow Yom Hashoah candles which are paid for, packaged and distributed by the Men's Club. We also support and invite the Har Zion community to join us on Friday mornings for minyan and breakfast, followed by a discussion with Rabbi Rosenberg.

Sports are also part of our program, featuring the golf outing, an excursion to a Phillies game, a Super Bowl party, and our own Har Zion softball team led by Josh Klein.

Now, as this season comes to a close we invite interested men to join the Men's Club led by the "Odd Couple" under the supervision of the "wise men."

#### *IN MEMORIAM*

The congregation extends its deepest sympathy to the families of:

NORMAN GREENBAUM May 2, 2015 13 Iyar 5775 MORTON WEINSTOCK May 5, 2015 16 Iyar 5775



"Oh, if I'd only known (s)he needed a ride to Har Zion."

"Oh, I would have been there but I couldn't get a ride."

**DO YOU NEED A RIDE...** To Services? To daytime or evening meetings and/or programs?

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We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the Sisterhood for their sponsorship of the weekly Shabbat Kiddush.

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We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the following members for their sponsorship of the weekly Shabbat Extended Kiddush:

The Stoloff Family in honor of Quentin's Bar Mitzvah Michelle & Jeffrey Barrack in honor of their daughter Madison's Bat Mitzvah

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#### WEDNESDAY MORNING TISCH

We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the following for their sponsorship of the Wednesday Morning TISCH:

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#### MEN'S CLUB MINYANNAIRES' FRIDAY MORNING BREAKFAST

We gratefully appreciate the generosity of the following members for their sponsorship of the Men's Club Minyannaires' breakfast:

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#### **CHAI SIMCHA WALL PLAQUES**

There is no greater joy than the celebration of Jewish life cycle events. The meaning and memory of your event is heightened when it becomes a permanent part of our synagogue's Chai Simcha Tablet. The Tablet is a beautiful reminder of Bar/Bat Mitzvot, baby namings, weddings, anniversaries, and other happy occasions shared with family and friends. For more information, please call the synagogue office, 610-667-5000.

Plaques have been purchased by the following:

Joel Swartz in honor of Maya Evelyn Swartz, born March 7, 2014, the 11th great grandchild of Belle Swartz

Joel, Matthew, Daniel and Chucky Swartz in honor of the Ohio State Buckeyes, the first college football playoff

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We extend our heartfelt condolences to the following members:

Lydia Gesoff on the loss of her grandson Stephen Appel Sheila Kliger and Susan Kochman on the loss of their mother Sophie Dick

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#### SHARE YOUR SIMHA!

We encourage you to sponsor an Extended Kiddush to celebrate any special simha, such as an Anniversary of a Bar/Bat Mitzvah, Baby Naming, Aufruf, Birthday, Anniversary or Graduation, etc. You may also want to consider contributing to our Shabbat Fund in honor of your special occasion. Please contact Shonnie Lebovitz (ext 106 or slebovitz@harziontemple.org) for more information.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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