

Teplitz: Senate Designates 'Days of Remembrance' of Holocaust Victims

HARRISBURG, March, 20, 2013 - The Pennsylvania Senate today unanimously approved a resolution designating April 7 to 14, 2013, as "Days of Remembrance of the Victims of the Holocaust" in Pennsylvania, according to state Sen. Rob Teplitz, who co-sponsored the resolution.

"It's deeply meaningful for the Jewish community that the commonwealth recognizes this horrific period in history so that we never forget and we work to ensure that this type of tragedy never happens again," said Teplitz (D-Dauphin/York). "As time continues to pass, it's important that we do not become desensitized to the horror that millions of Jews and other minority groups suffered and endured during the Holocaust."

Citing a recent New York Times article "The Holocaust Just Got More Shocking," Teplitz said researchers are still learning about the impact of the atrocities committed under the Nazi regime.

"While we're fortunate that survivors are still in our communities to serve as a living reminder of the Shoah, we must continue to examine these dark times because we are now learning that there were many more concentration camps and labor camps than previously thought," Teplitz said. "The Days of Remembrance of the Victims of the Holocaust serves as a serious reminder that we must embrace people of all backgrounds and shun all forms of discrimination and hatred."

Teplitz will participate in the Annual Holocaust Civic Commemoration, hosted by the Pennsylvania Jewish Coalition, on April 8 in the state Capitol.



Community-Wide Israel @ 65 Celebration

Sunday, April 14, 2013

Jewish Community Center, 3301 N Front Street, Harrisburg

9:15 am

Opening Ceremonies

9:30 am

Walk For Israel Down Front Street

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Festival Featuring Booths and Activities for all ages and stages,
A Shuk Featuring Israeli & Judaica Merchandise & An Ethnic Food Fair

11:00 am

Storyteller Peninnah Schram sponsored by PJ Library and The Silver Academy

Free Admission

Lunch will be served at a nominal fee

Lunch Menu

falafel, Israeli salad, humus, pita, shakshuka, bourakas, pizza and more
Beth El Temple, Chisuk Emuna Congregation, Hebrew High School, Keshet Israel Congregation,
The Silver Academy, Temple Beth Shalom, Temple Ohev Sholom & The Harrisburg Jewish Film Festival

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Follow Me: The Yoni Netanyahu Story

One of modern Israel's greatest heroes, Yoni Netanyahu led the counter-terrorist hostage-rescue mission forever known as "the Raid on Entebbe" in 1976, and paid with his life. Follow Me's writer-director, Jonathan Gruber, will speak about his film and Yoni after the screening.

6:15 pm: Dessert Reception

7:00 pm: Screening of the Film

Tickets: \$10

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The Community Investor

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Pay Off Time - The Community Endowment

Two years ago the Jewish Federation of Greater Harrisburg joined with the Jewish Community Foundation in creating a “second line” on the annual Jewish community campaign.

For the past two years, when you were asked for your annual gift, you were also encouraged to make a second, smaller gift, to the “community endowment”. This money was not to be spent, but invested for the good of the community. The annual proceeds were to be added to the following year’s annual campaign.

Well, pay off time has arrived and, for the first time, a check was written to the Jewish Federation of Greater Harrisburg from the endowment.

A good start, but only a start.

Each year, as a part of the annual community campaign, you will be asked to give a little bit to the community endowment and, year by year, the principal in the endowment will grow and the annual amount going to the campaign will, in turn, grow.

If we are successful, each year a greater part of the community’s annual campaign needs will be supplied by the endowment. The dream is to have a large enough endowment to assure that communal needs are fulfilled by the steady stream of income from this cumulative and annually growing fund.

Are you are part of the community endowment? Did you say yes along with your fellow greater Harrisburg Jewish community when asked for that second gift? If not, it is never too late. Call Beth Romano at the Federation and tell her that you too want to be a part of the future of the Greater Harrisburg Jewish community.

Be a part of the mitzvah of assuring that it will be here for our grandchildren and for their grandchildren.

Check out our Specialty Camps:

ART WITH JODIE

For: Entering grades 1 – 4 • Dates: July 8 – 12 • Times: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
From 9 am – noon campers will enjoy their specialty camp, Art with Jodie. From noon – 4:00 pm, campers will join their age group and participate in free swim, art, sports, nature, music, theme days and lots more.

Instructor: Jodie Raffensperger • Fee: \$370, JCC Members Discount: \$295

Would you like to experiment with various techniques and art materials, combining them to create unique and individualized creations? By participating in this camp, you will learn techniques of master artists and experiment with various art mediums to create drawings, paintings, collages, and other works of art, using imagination and creativity.

BROADWAY FUN

For: Entering grades 2-9 • Dates: June 17-June 21
Times: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm (before and after care available)

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky • Fee: \$370, JCC Member Discount: \$295

Do you love watching “Hairspray”? Can you sing all the songs from “High School Musical”? Is your aspiration to get a part in your school’s musical production or do you want to audition for a local community theatre? Or perhaps you dream about performing professionally on Broadway? Enhance your singing skills while learning a variety of fun selections from famous musicals and movies. Develop and improve vocal projection, breathing technique, stage presence, and expressiveness, while incorporating choreography and acting. At the end of the week the future Broadway stars will present a concert for family and friends!

This camp would be beneficial for the students who are planning to participate in Beauty and the Beast camp.

GLEE CAMP

For: Entering grades 2-9 • Dates: July 2 - July 26
Times: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm (before and after care available)

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky • Fee: \$370, JCC Member Discount: \$295

Are you a fan of the hit TV show “GLEE”? Can’t wait to see the next episode and sing and dance along with “New Direction”? Then join the JCC’s own

“Glee” camp and learn some of the songs and dance moves from the show. Demonstrate your talents while performing solos, duets, and being a part of small ensembles and group numbers, culminating in a concert for family and friends on the last day of camp. By the end of the week, you could be the next Rachel, Mercedes, or Finn!

CSI CAMP

For: Entering grades 2 - 4 • Dates: August 5 – 9 • Times: Times: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
From 9 am – noon campers will enjoy their specialty camp, CSI Camp. From noon – 4:00 pm, campers will join their age group and participate in free swim, art, sports, nature, music, theme days and lots more.

Fee: \$370, JCC Member Discount: \$295

Help solve the mystery of the missing heir. Campers will use their forensic skills to investigate a kidnapping. Learn how to dust for fingerprints and analyze blood, fiber, paper and ink.

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST JR.

For: Grades 3-12 • Dates: August 12-16 & August 19-23 (2 weeks)
Times: 9:00 am- 4:00 pm (before and after care available)

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky
Fee: \$530, JCC Member Discount: \$470

Performances will be held Friday, August 23 at 3:00 pm and Sunday, August 25 at 1:00 pm.

Discover all the exciting elements of musical theatre, learn dialogue, musical score, and choreography and participate in a fully-staged production of the one-act musical Beauty and the Beast Jr!

The JCC’s Theater Program provides star treatment, great education and inspiring challenges. Our children’s theatre camp provides the opportunity for young people – grades 3 to 12 to shine onstage and backstage. Our ensemble is process-oriented, child-centered and committed to creating high quality theatre. Participants love honing their talents in a challenging but safe atmosphere.

To register please call the JCC at 236-9555, ext.0. Questions?? please contact Andrea at a.weikert@jewishfedhbg.org, 236-9555, ext. 3108.

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CELEBRATING JEWISH LIFE

Sunday, April 28

1:00 pm – 8:00 pm

**Jewish Community Center,
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**Celebrate Jewish Life & Learning
and be a part of the
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Join Harrisburg area Rabbis, Scholars and Educators for a full afternoon of classes and programs. You chose the sessions you want to do. There will be a kosher buffet for dinner, programming for families, babysitting, entertainment and an afternoon of Judaic Studies courses and much more!

Fee: \$15/adults

More information to follow including a class schedule and list of instructors.

This program is sponsored by the Norman and Phyllis Lipsett Fund of the Jewish Community Foundation of Central Pennsylvania.

JCC Adult Programs

Classes available at the Jewish Community Center:

SilverSneakers® MSROM – Have Fun and move to the music through a variety of exercises designed to increase muscular strength, range of movement, and activity for daily living skills. Hand-held weights, elastic tubing with handles, and a ball are offered for resistance, and a chair is used for seated and/or standing support. Tuesday/Thursday mornings 9:15 -10:00 a.m AND Wednesday morning at 9:45 – 10:45 a.m. Drop-in Fee \$5.00 per class. Free to JCC members and SilverSneakers® participants.

SilverSneakers® CardioFit – Get up & go with an aerobic class for you – safe, heart healthy and gentle on the joints. The workout includes easy to follow low-impact movement and upper body strength, abdominal conditioning, stretching and relaxation exercises designed to energize your active lifestyle. Mondays and Wednesdays at 10:45-11:30 a.m. Drop-in Fee \$5 per class. Free to JCC members and SilverSneakers® participants.

SilverSneakers® YogaStretch – YogaStretch will move your whole body through a complete series of seated and standing yoga poses. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Restorative breathing exercises and final relaxation will promote stress reduction and mental clarity. Mondays and Wednesdays 11:45-12:30 p.m. Drop-in Fee \$5 per class. Free to JCC members and SilverSneakers® participants.

Gentle Yoga – Easy Poses for those new to Yoga. Must be able to get down on to floor. Mondays at 9:45 -10:30 a.m. or Tuesdays at 5:00-5:45 p.m. Drop-in Fee \$5 per class. Free to JCC members and SilverSneakers® participants.

SilverSplash® – Activate your aqua urge for variety! SilverSplash® offers lots of fun and shallow water moves to improve agility, flexibility and cardiovascular endurance. No swimming ability is required and a special SilverSneakers® kickboard is used to develop strength, balance and coordination. Mondays/Wednesday 9:30 -10:30 a.m. Drop-in Fee \$5 per class. Free to JCC members and SilverSneakers® participants.

The Jewish Community Center is offering the following senior events:

Every Tuesday at 9:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m. SilverSneakers MSROM

10:15AM – Discussion Group

Every Thursday at 9:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m. – SilverSneakers MSROM

Senior Lunch will be served Tuesdays and Thursdays at Noon. Reservations are preferred two days in advance if possible, but no later than 4:00PM the day before. Call Cheryl 236-9555 EXT. 3115

After Lunch Programs are:

April 2, 2013 – NO MEETING – LAST DAY OF PESACH

April 4, 2013 – Dennis Sandman will discuss “Communicating as We Age” This topic refers to our interpersonal, family and public conversation skills.

April 9, 2013 - “The World of Henry II” a lecture by Dr. Donald Koones of HACC

April 11, 2013 – Chisuk Emuna/JCC Senior Adult Club Lunch and Learn

April 16, 2013 –The Jewish Perspective by Robert Axelrod, Educational Director of Beth El Temple. Come join the discussion. Bob really brings out some very controversial subjects and everyone’s opinions are heard!

April 18, 2013 – Come and enjoy a Sing-a-Long with our retired professional pianist, Al Goodman.

April 23, 2013 – “The Legacy” – Rothchild’s influence on Downton Abbey. A conversation with Alyce Spector.

April 25, 2013 - Chisuk Emuna/JCC Senior Adult Club Lunch and Learn

April 30, 2013 – Attorney Corky Goldstein will discuss “City of Harrisburg: Where we are?”

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FOLLOW ME
THE YONI NETANYAHU STORY

Sunday, April 14

6:15 pm – Dessert Reception ◦ **7:00 pm** – Screening of the film

Mary Sachs Auditorium

3301 N. Front Street, Harrisburg

One of modern Israel's greatest heroes, Yoni Netanyahu led the counter-terrorist hostage-rescue mission forever known as "the Raid on Entebbe" in 1976, and paid with his life.

Follow Me's writer-director, Jonathan Gruber, will speak about his film and Yoni after the screening.

Tickets: \$10

Why We Belong Here!

The DeBroff Family *Traci, Scott, Jake and Ethan*

Members Since: Our whole life!

We Joined the JCC Because: We wanted a place to call "home." We also wanted to be part of the Jewish Community and have a safe place for our children

Our Membership Has Value to Us Because: We take advantage of the many activities.

Our Favorite Thing About the JCC: The comfortable feeling we have when we are here no matter what event/activity we are participating in.

Our Involvement at the JCC Includes: Over the many years we have participated in the JCC preschool, Silver Academy, Hebrew High, the fitness center, sports for Jake and Ethan such as flag football and basketball. Scott and I even had our wedding reception & our boys bar mitzvah party and birthday parties at the JCC. We have been a part of countless fundraisers and social events...the list goes on and on!!

Our Children's Favorite Thing to do at the JCC is: EVERYTHING!

We Look Forward to: Being a part of this community building for many more family/social and community events

Without the JCC, We Wouldn't Be Able to: Feel connected in a place where everyone can belong. It would sadly impact our lives.



If you would like to have your family featured in the Community Review please contact Andrea Weikert at a.weikert@jewishfedhbg.org and we will get you in the next issue!

A Musical Showcase

The First Annual JCC Drama Department Fundraiser



Sunday
June 16, 2013
2:00 pm

Jewish Community Center
3301 North Front Street, Harrisburg

Tickets - \$5

For more information or to purchase tickets call (717) 236-9555.
Tickets also available online at www.jewishharrisburg.org

Director: Marina Cherepinsky • Accompanist: Anthony Haubert

Rachel Chambers, Andy Chlaifer, Zoe Clark, Ari Dym, Brian Dym, Ella Ferguson, Mikel Garner, Ben Gordon Meredith Hazen, Bailey Howell, Melissa Kline, Adam Kobl, Kaya Konevitch, Victoria Mikula, Lily Myers, Matthew Peck, Jillian Powell, Alana Reid, Miriam Reid, Sarah Yoffe

AARP SAFE DRIVING REFRESHER COURSES

For those of you who have taken the AARP Safe Driving Class three years ago, AARP is offering three ONE DAY – 4 HOUR REFRESHER COURSES. These classes will be given on Thursday, April 11, 2013, Wednesday, July 17, 2013 and Thursday, October 24, 2013. ALL THREE CLASSES ARE FROM 12:30-4:30PM. Since this class is concentrated, in order for the instructor to have your certification cards prepared ahead of time, when you register you will need to have the following information ready:

Name

Address

Phone number

Date of Birth

8-digit Driver's License Number and expiration date

To get discount your AARP membership number

YOU MUST BE ABLE TO SHOW A COPY OF YOUR LAST AARP SAFE DRIVING COURSE CERTIFICATE

Class size is limited to 32 people and the cost is \$14 (check made payable to AARP) or if you are an AARP member you get a \$2 discount. To register, call Cheryl at 236-9555 Ext. 3115

HBG JCC

LesMills Body Pump - New Release Party - Sunday, April 7 • 10:30am

Join the HBG JCC BodyPump Instructors as they kick off the release of BodyPump 85. Come hear the newest music and learn the newest moves as we kick up our workouts to help prepare for summer!

No Party is complete without refreshments so stick around after class and grab a drink and a snack!

JCC Members—Bring a non-member friend or family member to try out the class and be entered in a drawing to win a \$25 Giant Gift Card. Your guest will automatically receive a free two week trial membership!

Class is limited to the first 16 participants.

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Jewish Community Services- SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAM & GUEST SPEAKERS

The Jewish Community Center of Greater Harrisburg is dedicated to providing social, cultural, recreational and educational opportunities for people of all ages throughout the greater Harrisburg area. “Senior adult” may be defined by age, but “old” is a state of mind, and for decades the Jewish Community Center Senior Adult Club has been defined by a gathering of people who - while their age might make them eligible for senior discounts at the movies - act and feel young. Whatever you are looking for in a senior adult program, the JCC has something for you.



For more information please contact:

Chery Yablon

717-236-9555 ext. 3115.

c.yablon@jewishfedhbg.org

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what's Happening in and Around the JCC

Summer Camp

June 17 – August 9, 2013

Camp K'ton Ton (Little Ones)

Toddler and Turning 3's (2 years by 6/20/13)

Choose from a 3- or 5-day a week indoor-based program. Camp K'ton Ton emphasizes separation from parents, socialization and introduction to preschool and JCC routines. While based indoors, outdoor experiences are enthusiastically incorporated into camp.

Camp Yeladim (Children)

Turning 4s: 3-years-old Pre-K: 4-years-old by 6/20/13

This camp is a combination of being based indoors and outdoors. A 3 or 5 day program is offered for turning fours and Pre-K campers. Camp Yeladim emphasizes the world outdoors as children explore music, movement, make believe, arts and crafts, sports and games, discovering nature and Jewish culture. Participants receive swim instruction as part of camp. Pre- K's will visit the Green Hills Camp twice a week. Shabbat and Jewish activities are integral to the daily and weekly programs. For more information about Camp K'ton Ton or Camp Yeladim, contact Early Childhood Department at 236-9555, x 3107.

Camp Gan (Garden)

For campers turning 5 as of 9/1/13

This camp offers unique individual and group experience for campers entering kindergarten, Camp Gan is a special adventure where friends and memories are made and cherished. With professional staff, this full-day program features a careful balance of daily activities, a rest period and story-telling time. For an unbeatable summer of positive growth, you can't beat Camp Gan!

Camp Chaverim (Friends)

For campers entering 1st & 2nd grades as of 9/1/13

This camp gives children the opportunity to have summer time fun in a safe and pleasant environment. The group experience and the camp program offers campers the chance to enhance their personal development and acquire new skills, as well as enhance their social development by making new friends and learning to be responsible, sharing and caring people.

Camp Sabra (Israeli Native)

For Campers entering 3rd & 4th grades as of 9/1/13

Campers never run out of new challenges and adventure in Camp Sabra. This camp offers

socialization, new experiences and, even more important, having fun! It's a chance to break away from the traditional summer doldrums.

Camp Giborim & Camp Maccabee (Travel Camp)

For campers entering 5th & 8th grades as of 9/1/13

This is our unique travel camp that creates a special atmosphere and companionship. With professional staff, our travel campers see parts of the country the best possible way-with friends.

What's Hot This Summer?

Camp is about fun, friends and new experiences. Fun begins with an exciting activity program that features outdoor programs, sports and games, performing arts and drama, instructional swim and recreational swim, cultural activities, arts and crafts, music, environmental living and nature and Israeli culture and Jewish life. This summer, returning by popular request, special camp wide programs include: Olympics, overnights and late nights, talent show, special theme days, special guests and lots more. Specialty camps will once again be incorporated into the daily camp day. Campers will have the chance with their groups to participate in age-appropriate activities.

Instructional Swim: Professional water safety instructors supervise and teach campers as they progress throughout the summer.

Athletics: We've got it all! Whether you're looking to learn new skills or to play your favorite sports, our athletics program is focused around both individual and team sports.

Arts & Crafts: Campers can explore their creativity through nature crafts, candle making, tie-dyeing, paper mache, ceramics, sandcrafts, modeling and lots more.

Performing Arts: Campers strut their stuff each summer as they enjoy a range of expressive arts including theater, mime, talent shows, plays, skits, song and dance.

Environmental Living: Campers gain an appreciation for the out-of-doors by hiking, creek walks, cookouts, nature crafts, orienteering, fishing and developing a sensitivity to the environment and ecology throughout the campsite.

Jewish Life: Israeli song and dance, Shabbat and Jewish theme programs, and learning about Israel are all part of the fun of Jewish Heritage.

Summer Fun Days

Before and After Specialty Camps | Each camper should bring lunch, bathing suit and towel



Check Out Our

Specialty Camps

What can you explore in one week? Anything and everything! We've got activities galore – and truly something for everyone. Help your child build skills in the activities they like best with a JCC specialty camp.

Spend 9:00 am – 12:00 pm with the specialty instructor focusing on specialty-based programming and from 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm doing campy things such as free swim, art, sports, nature, theme days and lots more (specialty campers will not have instructional swim). Half day registration is also available for those that choose to attend only the specialty portion of the day. Please call Andrea (717) 236-9555, ext. 3108 or email: a.weikert@jewishfedhbg.org for rates and for an entire listings of camps

See back page for a complete list and dates of specialty camps.

Adventures On The Go Week

June 10 to June 14, 2013

8:00 am – 6:00 pm

(Friday close at 5:30 pm)

For: Grades K – 8

Fee: \$325 entire week/JCC Member
\$265 entire week/Non-Member

Anything goes during this fun and exciting week of mystery and adventure.

Anything Goes Week

August 12 to August 16, 2012

8:00 am – 6:00 pm

(Friday close at 5:30 pm)

For: Grades K - 8

Fee: \$300 entire week/JCC Member
\$240 entire week/Non-Member

Anything goes during these 5 days. Children will have fun participating in cooking, art, sports, outdoor play and much more.

For more information or to schedule a tour of the facility please contact
Linda Skulsky at (717) 236-9555 x3050 or l.skulsky@jewishfedhbg.org

Land & Specialty Classes

Boot Camp

Instructor: Jeremy Kreiser

Wednesday/Friday: 12:15-1:00 pm

This class combines resistance training with aerobic exercise. Regardless of your fitness level, emphasis will be placed on having a safe, fun and effective workout.

Gentle Yoga (Floor and Standing)

Instructor: Cheryl Yablon

Monday: 9:45 am-10:30 am

Tuesday: 5:00 pm -5:45 pm

Class designed as a preventive program for a healthy population that suffers, either intermittently or chronically, from mild to moderate back pain or from back pain of non-specific origin. Also appropriate for healthy seniors or beginners who have had no prior yoga experience.

Hatha Yoga

Instructor: Marlene Saxe, RN

Monday: 5:30 or 6:30 pm

Wednesday: 5:30-6:30 pm

Cost: Non-member \$7 per class

Strengthen your balance, increase your flexibility, rejuvenate your mind, body, and spirit, and promote relaxation.

Les Mills BodyPump

Sunday: 9:15 to 10:15 am

Tuesday: 5:45 to 6:45 pm

Thursday: 6:30 to 7:30 pm

Friday: 9:30 to 10:30 am

Instructor: Varies

A barbell workout that strengthens your entire body. Tones muscles, changes your body shape, increases your metabolism, makes you stronger, and gives you better muscle and cardiovascular endurance.

Motherwell Yoga

Instructor: Cheryl Yablon

Wednesday: 6:00-7:00 pm

A medically endorsed pregnancy/postpartum health and fitness program. For cost and more information contact Cheryl Yablon (717) 236-9555, x 3115.

Pilates

Instructor: Stacie Rettberg

Tuesday: 9:00-10:00 am

Thursday: 9:00-10:00 am

This class will help improve posture and develop core control, which is the ability to move effectively and efficiently by transmitting force from the body's center through the torso and limbs. The exercises emphasize precise alignment and efficient sequencing of movement.

Body Sculpting

Instructor: Michele Ruth

Monday/Wednesday: 9:00-10:00 am

5 minute warm up, 5 minute stretch, then working each muscle using weights, body bar, medicine ball, big ball, and bands for building muscle strength. From beginner to advanced, all levels welcome. Work at your own pace. Focus is on correct positioning for optimum results.

ZUMBA

Monday: 5:30-6:30 pm

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 pm

Instructor: Kelly Straub

Dynamic fitness workout that will blow you away. Come join the party!

SilverSneakers® Classes

Instructor: Cheryl Yablon

Cost: Non-member \$5 per class



Muscular Strength & Range of Movement

Instructor: Cheryl Yablon

Tue./Thur.: 9:15-10:15 am

Wed.: 9:45-10:45 am

Have fun and move to the music through a variety of exercises designed to increase muscular strength, range of movement, and activity for daily living skills. Hand-held weights, elastic tubing with handles, and a ball are offered for resistance, and a chair is used for seated and/or standing support.

Cardio Fit

Mon.: 10:45-11:45 am

Wed.: 10:45-11:45 am

Get up & go with an aerobic class for you – safe, heart healthy and gentle on the joints. The workout includes easy to follow low-impact movement and upper body strength, abdominal conditioning, stretching and relaxation exercises designed to energize your active lifestyle.

YogaStretch

Mon.: 11:45 am-12:45 pm

Wed.: 11:45 am-12:45 pm

YogaStretch will move your whole body through a complete series of seated and standing yoga poses. Chair support is offered to safely perform a variety of postures designed to increase flexibility, balance and range of movement. Restorative breathing exercises and final relaxation will promote stress reduction and mental clarity.

Spinning (Indoor Cycling)

See Times and Instructors Below

A challenging stationary group cycling class, set to music, utilizes various training and motivation techniques to simulate actual outdoor riding experiences such as hills, sprints and racing. A heart rate monitor may be used. **Water and towel are required.**

Early Morning Spin

Monday: 6:15-7:00 am

Instructor: Gina McDonald

Wednesday: 6:15-7:00 am

Instructor: Gina McDonald

Friday: 6:15-7:00 am

Instructor: Gina McDonald

Lunch-Time Spin

Monday: Noon-12:45 pm

Instructor: Michele Ruth or Lauren

Thursday: Noon-12:45 pm

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz

Evening Spin

Monday: 5:45-6:45 pm

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz

Wednesday: 4:30-5:30 pm

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz

Wednesday: 5:45-6:45 pm

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz

Friday: 4:00-5:00 pm

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz

Sunday Spin

Early Sunday Spin: 9:00-10:30 am

Instructor: Arthur Kravitz



Senior Adult Programs

The JCC Senior Adult Club continues its wonderful schedule of bi-weekly programming on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The Club offers something to meet the interests of almost anyone, with a tasty lunch "sandwiched" right in the middle.

AARP Safe Driving Refresher Course

April 11, 2013 from 12:30 to 4:30 PM

July 17, 2013 from 12:30 to 4:30 PM

October 24, 2013 from 12:30 to 4:30 PM

One Day – 4 hour refresher course.

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Sports, Fitness, & Recreation Children & Teens

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Sunday – May 5, 2013
Contact: Andrea at a.weikert@jewishfedhbg.org

JCC Maccabi Games

Orange County, Calif.
For Jewish Teens 13 to 16
August 4 – 9, 2013
Sports Offered: Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Soccer, Volleyball, Boys Inline Hockey, Lacrosse, Swimming, Tennis, Table Tennis, Bowling, Track & Field.

JCC Maccabi ArtsFest

Orange County, Calif.
For Jewish Teens 13 to 17 years
August 4 – 9, 2013
Art Specialties: Acting/Improv, Dance, Jazz Ensemble, Musical Theater, Rock Music, Visual Arts and Vocal Music.
The JCC Maccabi Games and JCC Maccabi ArtsFest are amazing programs open to Jewish teens who will be 13-17 years of age as of July 31, 2013.
For more information on these programs contact Terri Travers at t.travers@jewishfedhbg.org or 717-236-9555 x 3110

50 Mile Swim

See Becca Doctrow for details

Kid Certified Fitness Program

This program allows children ages 12-13 to use the Fitness Center after completing the programs with a Fitness Center Manager. Call 236-9555, ext. 3103 to schedule. Cost: \$60 for three 30-minute sessions. introduction.

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J-Serve

Sunday, April 28 from 12 to 4pm
Day of service for teens in 6th-12th grade. For more information contact Terri at t.travers@jewishfedhbg.org or (717) 236-9555, ext. 300

Middle School Overnight – Sports Lock In

April 6-7th
Drop Off: April 6th – 9pm
Pick Up: April 7th – 8am
Cost: \$15-Members
\$25 Non-JCC Member

Water Classes

Aqua Zumba

Instructor: Bev Sable

Tuesday: 9:30-10:30 AM

Wednesday: 5:45-6:45 PM

Friday: 9:30-10:30 AM

Cost: Non-member \$7 per class

A challenging water-based workout that's cardio-conditioning, body toning, and most of all, exhilarating beyond belief.

Deep Water Exercise

Instructor: Diana Budd

Monday/Wednesday: 8:15-9:15 am

Cost: Non-member \$7 per class

The deep water provides an environment for exercises that are stress free on the joints yet build muscle strength and endurance. Cardio activities are included. A great way to work hard, have fun and start your day energized. Flotation belts are worn/no swimming skills required.

SilverSplash®

Instructor: Diana Budd

Monday/Wednesday: 9:30-10:30 am

Cost: Non-member \$7 per class

Activate your aqua urge for variety!

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Motherwell Water Exercise

Instructor: Cheryl Yablon

Monday: 6:00-7:00 pm

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Introduction to Deep Water Exercise

Instructor: Diana Budd

Monday: 10:40 to 11:30am

This class is designed for those who wish to enjoy the healthy benefits of water exercise, but have back and joint problems or are unable to stand in the shallow water for long periods of time. The 30-minute class will work on balance, strength, coordination, stretching and relaxation. You do not need to know how to swim, but should be comfortable in the water. Flotation belts and props are used. Join us and learn how much fun deep water exercise can be.

Zumbathon At the HBG JCC

Sunday, April 21, 2013

1:00 – 3:00PM

6 years and older

Cost: \$10/per person

The Harrisburg JCC will be hosting a Zumbathon. All money raised will benefit the 2013 Harrisburg JCC Maccabi Delegation. Come have Fun!

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Green Hills Family Swim Club

All JCC Memberships include a membership to Green Hills Family Swim Club, a pool and park facility located on Fishing Creek Valley Road. Green Hills is open from Memorial Day to Labor Day weekends and is open seven days a week. Enjoy a summer day in the serene, wooded surroundings of Green Hills.

Semi-Private & Private Swim Lessons

For more information, contact Terri at t.travers@jewishfedhbg.org.

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For more information on Green Hills or to obtain a form for membership, please

contact the Sports, Fitness & Recreation Director at 236-9555 ext 3110 or email at t.travers@jewishfedhbg.org

Cost: \$200 Family
\$100 Single Adult
\$100 Senior Family
\$75 Senior Single

JCC Members have a Free Green Hills Membership for 2013!

Dates & Times *Opening Weekend*
May 25-27
Closing Weekend
August 31-September 2
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June 3 - August 23

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(approximately 12-18 mo.)

The staff caters to the children's ever growing need to explore; daily walks (inside and out), singing, and playing are how Toddlers spend their days.

Turning 3s

(2 yrs. old by Sept. 1)

Activities are centered on the sense of independence that comes along with being two. Children are encouraged to participate in activities that explore art, music, science, and simply getting along.

Turning 4s (3 yrs. old by Sept. 1) and Pre-K (4 yrs. old by Sept. 1)

These groups are exposed to activities that promote reading and math readiness, scientific discoveries, music appreciation, and just plain fun. They also participate in field trips that coordinate with classroom activities. Pre-K is required to attend a minimum of five mornings.

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ELC Enrichment

To register for a class, please stop by the Atrium desk or call 236-9555, ext. 0. Payment must be made at time of registration.

MONDAYS

Artistic Afternoon

1:00 to 1:45 pm – Ages 3 to 5

Cost: \$70/M, \$110/NM

Instructor: Jodie Raffensperger

Martial Arts Heroes Class

12:30 to 1:15 pm – Ages 3 to 5

Cost: \$40/M, \$80/NM

Instructor: Master Jose Johnson

Master Jose Johnson will help your child develop the skills they will need to be successfully in life, through martial arts. If your child is ready for an adventure, this is the program to join!

WEDNESDAYS

Swim Instruction

12:30 to 2:30 pm – ½ hour lessons based on child's age

Ages: 3 to 5 – 20 Kids Maximum

Cost: \$48/M, \$63/NM

Instructor: Becca Doctrow

Soccer

1:00 to 1:30 pm

Ages: 3 to 5

Cost: \$50/M, \$70/NM

THURSDAYS

Suzanne's Jumpin' Jitney

12:30 to 1:00 pm – Ages 2 to 5

Cost: \$40/M, \$80/NM – Monthly

FRIDAYS

KinderDance

12:30 to 1:15 pm – Ages 3 to 5

Cost: \$40/M, \$90/NM – Monthly

Instructor: Miss Candy

Summer Specialty Camps

Broadway Fun

(Entering grades 2-9)

Dates: June 17 – June 21

9:00am – 4pm

(before care & after care available)

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky

Enhance your singing skills while learning a variety of fun selections from famous musicals and movies. Develop and improve vocal projection, breathing technique, stage presence, and expressiveness, while incorporating choreography and acting. At the end of the week the future Broadway stars will present a concert for family and friends! The camp would be beneficial for all students who are planning to participate in Beauty and the Beast camp.

Art With Jodie

(Entering grades 1-4)

Dates: July 8 – July 12

Minimum 8/Maximum 15

Instructor: Jodie Raffensperger

Would you like to experiment with various techniques and art materials, combining them to create unique and individualized creations? By participating in this camp, you will learn techniques of master artists and experiment with various art mediums to create drawings, paintings, collages, and other works of art, using imagination and creativity. Campers will be transported round trip to Green Hills for this camp.

CSI

(Entering grades 2-4)

Dates: August 5 – August 9

Minimum 10/Maximum 15

Help solve the mystery of the missing heir. Campers will use their forensic

skills to investigate a kidnapping. Learn how to dust for fingerprints and analyze blood, fiber, paper and ink. Campers will be transported round trip to Green Hills for this camp.

Glee Camp

(Entering grades 2-9)

Dates: July 22 – July 26

9:00am – 4:00pm

(before care & after care available)

Location: Jewish Community Center

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky

Join the JCC's own "Glee" camp and learn some of the songs and dance moves from the show. Demonstrate your talents while performing solos, duets, and being a part of small ensembles and group numbers, culminating in a concert for family and friends on the last day of camp. For more information please contact Marina Cherepinsky at 717-651-6641 or mcherepinsky@hotmail.com



August 12-16 &
August 19-23
(2 weeks)

Grades 3-12

9:00 am- 4:00 pm

(before and after care available)

Instructor: Marina Cherepinsky

Fee: \$530, JCC • Member Discount: \$470

Performances will be held Friday, August 23 at 3:00 pm and Sunday, August 25 at 1:00 pm.

Discover all the exciting elements of musical theatre, learn dialogue, musical score, and choreography and participate in a fully-staged production of the one-act musical Beauty and the Beast Jr!

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Ages: 7-16

Cost: \$150 members
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HEBREW HIGH GRADUATION SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 21

The entire community is cordially invited to attend the Harrisburg Hebrew High School graduation ceremony on Sunday evening, April 21, 2013 at 7:00 pm at the Jewish Community Center. Hebrew High graduation is achieved upon completion of five years of post B'nai Mitzvah Jewish education.

We are very proud of the students who make up the 2013 Hebrew High School graduating class:

- Ethan DeBroff**, son of Traci and Scott Debroff
- Jake DeBroff**, son of Traci and Scott Debroff
- Annie Doctrow**, daughter of Ricci and Michael Doctrow
- Gabe Freedman**, son of Margaret and Charles Freedman
- Sophia K. Fox**, daughter of Jeanette Krebs and Barry Fox, z"l
- Rachel Glick**, daughter of Margaret Grotzinger and Mark Glick
- Dani Oken**, daughter of Ilene and Kenneth Oken
- Lila Portman**, daughter of Kellie and Kip Portman
- Ali Rosenthal**, daughter of Robin and Avi Rosenthal
- David Rosenwasser**, son of Miriam and George Rosenwasser
- Ali Rubin**, daughter of Jennifer and Stephen Rubin
- Rebecca Solomon**, daughter of Mindy Solomon and Richard Solomon

Certificates of Attendance

- Jessie Weber**, daughter of Sherrie and Matthew Weber
- Emily Wolf**, daughter of Susan and Donald Wolf

A very joyful mazel tov to our Hebrew High graduates and their families! We look forward to sharing our pride in their accomplishments with the community.

Silver Academy students perform a double mitzvah for Jewish Family Service and the community



The Silver Academy students collected 451 food items for the Jewish Family Service (JFS) Food Pantry. The Student Council officers, Anya Fox, president, Yael Muroff, treasurer, and Miriam Reed, secretary, delivered large boxes filled with a great variety of food products. The students worked for a month to gather all the wonderful items that Jewish Family Service will use to provide the families who come to the agency for help with food. This is the second annual pre-Pesach food drive held by the Silver Academy student council. It is a win-win for everyone. Families have the opportunity to clean their homes of chometz and

JFS receives stock for the Food Pantry. The Pantry is closed during Passover and reopens at the conclusion of the holiday.

The first grade students at Silver Academy with their teacher, Morah Aviva (Aviva Woodland) and Lori Weitzman, JFS Senior Services Case Manager, packed 100 Passover packages to be delivered by Jewish Family Service volunteers to Jewish seniors living in assisted living and long-term care facilities (not including the Jewish Home) and the Jewish Group Homes. JFS delivers the packages locally in Harrisburg and as far away as Elizabethtown. The Outreach program has been in existence 15 years. Ms. Weitzman has been supervising this program for eight years. The first grade Silver Academy students have been helpers for more than eight years, compiling the packages and writing messages on the holiday cards. The students put holiday packages together for JFS three times during the year, at Passover, Rosh Hashanah and Hanukkah. The recipients enjoy the goodies and especially enjoy the cards.

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SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE WEEKEND AT BETH EL TEMPLE

With Bible Scholar Dr. Amy-Jill Levine, April 26-27



Beth El Temple is pleased to host Bible scholar, professor, renowned author and much sought-after speaker Dr. Amy-Jill Levine as Scholar in Residence on Friday night, April 26 and Saturday afternoon, April 27 as part of a Jewish-Christian dialogue series in our community. Besides Shabbat at Beth El Temple, Dr. Levine will speak on Friday at noon, and Sunday morning and Sunday afternoon at three different Presbyterian churches. This unique series of lectures and dialogue, underwritten with the support

of generous donors, is open to the entire community and free of charge. Dr. Marcia Robbins-Wilf of Beth El Temple, a visionary supporter of educational programming, is our benefactor for the Friday night and Saturday portion of the weekend, the "Dr. Marcia Robbins-Wilf Scholar in Residence for Shabbat," which takes place at Beth El Temple.

Amy-Jill Levine is the foremost Jewish expert on the New Testament and a Bible scholar of national and international renown. She is University Professor of New Testament and Jewish Studies, E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Professor of New Testament Studies, and Professor of Jewish Studies at Vanderbilt University Divinity School and the College of Arts and Sciences in Nashville, Tennessee. She is also Affiliated Professor at the Woolf Institute, Centre for the Study of Jewish-Christian Relations, at Cambridge University in the United Kingdom. An observant Jew, she is active in her local synagogue, Congregation Sherith Israel, in Nashville.

A self-described "Yankee-Jewish feminist who teaches in a predominantly Christian divinity school in the buckle of the Bible Belt," Amy-Jill Levine combines "historical-critical rigor, literary-critical sensitivity, and a frequent dash of humor with a commitment to eliminating anti-Jewish, sexist, and homophobic theologies."

On Shabbat at Beth El Temple April 26 and 27, Professor Levine will present three learning opportunities. On Friday night at 8:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary she will speak on "The Common Mistakes Jews and Christians Make about Each Other." On Saturday she will lead a Torah study lesson as part of the Shabbat morning service, and at 12:45 p.m. in Rosen Sisterhood Hall will speak on "How to Hear a Parable: The Prodigal Son in His Jewish Context."

Other lectures over the weekend include "Hearing Jesus' Parables Through Jewish Ears" at Dickinson College, Schlecter Auditorium at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday; "How to Avoid Anti-Jewish Preaching and Teaching" at Silver Spring Presbyterian Church at noon on Friday (brown bag lunch); "Jews, Christians, and the Meaning of the Bible" at Pine Street Presbyterian Church at 9:40 a.m. Sunday morning; and "Jesus, Judaism, and Jewish-Christian Relations" at Derry Presbyterian Church at 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon.

We are indeed privileged to have the opportunity to study with Amy-Jill Levine who is well known for her lively and

engaging teaching style, her exciting and excellent presentation, and her contagious passion for her subject. A noted author and lecturer, her recent books include The Jewish Annotated New Testament, The Misunderstood Jew: The Church and the Scandal of the Jewish Jesus, and The Meaning of the Bible: What the Jewish Scriptures and Christian Old Testament Can Teach Us. In addition, audio courses by Professor Levine on Biblical topics covering Old Testament and New are available on CD through The Teaching Company.

The Scholar in Residence Shabbat at Beth El Temple is a wonderful opportunity for our community to engage in fellowship and learning. No reservations are needed for any of the lectures—come one, come all! However, participation in Friday night dinner and Shabbat lunch are strictly by reservation only since space is limited. RSVP to the Beth El Temple Office at 232-0556 by April 15.



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Kesher Israel to Welcome Peninnah Schram as Scholar In Residence

KI is excited to welcome Peninnah Schram – internationally known storyteller, author, and Professor of Speech and Drama at Stern College of Yeshiva University, New York, NY – as its Scholar In Residence for the Shabbos of April 12-13, 20013.

Peninnah will be joining KI for the fourth annual Frances & Dave Cohen Memorial Weekend. This wonderful Shabbaton is generously sponsored by Dr. Sid and Phyllis Cohen (Cleveland, OH), in memory of their beloved parents.

In a wonderful spirit of collaboration, as part of the Harrisburg Jewish Community's "Israel at 65" Celebration, on Sunday morning, April 14th, at 11:00 am at the JCC, Peninnah Schram will share a presentation for children of all ages entitled: Folktales of Israel: Painting a Portrait of the People. (Sunday's presentation has been sponsored by the PJ Library and the Silver Academy. Funding for Sunday morning's presentation was made possible in part by a JFGH Annual Campaign gift from Mimi Bernstein.)

Peninnah Schram was born and raised in New London, Connecticut. As she was growing up, her father, Cantor Samuel E. Manchester, a chazan, mohel, shochet, and composer of cantorial music, spent much time recounting tales of the works and wonders of Elijah the Prophet, as well as other familiar and beloved tales from the Bible. Her mother, an entrepreneur and enthusiast of the Yiddish language, taught her daughter how to be a mensch through the telling and retelling of stories and proverbs. Hearing her father's heart-felt voice and beautifully articulated words when he prayed, in addition to hearing wise stories from both her parents, enabled Peninnah Schram to comprehend deeply the power and fascination of the oral tradition.

After graduating from the University of Connecticut and Columbia University, Peninnah Schram and a friend created Theatre à la Carte, a theatre company which produced and toured adult and children's plays in the New York area. In 1966 they were invited to develop musical plays for children through the Jewish Heritage Theatre at the 92nd Street Y in New York. In 1967 she began her teaching career at Iona College. Two years after that she joined the faculty of Yeshiva University's Stern College for Women, where she still proudly serves as its Professor of Speech and Drama.

In 1970 Peninnah Schram started recording books for the blind at the Jewish Braille Institute. That experience inspired her to begin to teach Jewish storytelling as a separate subject, and

in 1974 she taught her first course on Jewish storytelling. The year 1974 heralded several other groundbreaking projects: She became "storyteller-in-residence" at The Jewish Museum, and she recorded three record albums and broadcast two storytelling series on radio. Some of this recorded material is now in the National Jewish Archive of Broadcasting. Ms. Schram is the Founding Director of the Jewish Storytelling Center. She has told stories in America, Canada, England, and Israel, at synagogues, festivals, conferences, colleges, organizations, camps, and schools. She is also a catalyst, sparking ideas, inspiring others to tell stories, and creating places for other storytellers to gather and share stories. Several of her collections of folktales have been published by Jason Aronson Inc.

In Peninnah's own words:

"As a storyteller, I never know when a story or an image or words from a story will take hold, like a seed that is planted that may take seven years to root and flower. But I know that with these Jewish stories I have been nourished and nurtured in my understanding of people and the wisdom of Judaism. And so I hope to enrich others with these stories. I want to instill an appreciation for the Jewish story."

For more information on Peninnah Schram's scheduled presentations, or to make a reservation for the Friday night dinner program at KI, please contact Kesher Israel's Rabbi Akiva Males at rabbimales@yahoo.com



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Dr. Bronner is Distinguished Professor of American Studies and Folklore at Penn State Harrisburg and the lead scholar of the college's Holocaust and Jewish Studies Center. His talk is part of the college's Yom Hashoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day) commemoration activities.

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Daddy Daughter Date Night

Sunday, May 19, 4:30 – 6:30 pm

Join us for a special evening on the red carpet with dinner,
fun and dancing! Daughters of all ages are invited to the place
to be for fathers and daughters wanting a special night.

The event is not limited to just fathers and daughters.
Uncles, Grandpas, and other special men in the lives of a
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synagogue life

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232-0556 | www.betheltemplehbg.org

Minyan 7 a.m. daily and 5:30 p.m.

Sunday morning at 9 a.m.

Friday night Kabbalat Shabbat 6 p.m.

Shabbat morning 9:15 p.m.

Saturday night mincha/maariv/havdalah
at same time as Friday evening
candlelighting time

Adult Education with Educational Director
Bob Axelrod "Critical Issues Facing the
American Jewish Community" Four
Mondays at 7:15 p.m. April 8, 15, 22 & 29

Thursday, April 11

7:00 p.m. Freedom Seder: interfaith
program at Beth El Temple with African
American church congregations

Saturday, April 13

Chaverim Shabbat. Shabbat morning
service led by members of our Chaverim
young families group

Friday, April 19

Tot Shabbat 5:30 p.m.

Congregational dinner 6:00 p.m.

Junior Congregation 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, April 20

Learners Service

Sunday, April 21

Chaverim Coffee & Bagels Social 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 23

Sulam Leadership Training 5:30 p.m.

Friday & Saturday, April 26-27

"Dr. Marcia Robbins-Wilf Scholar in
Residence for Shabbat," with visiting New
Testament scholar Dr. Amy-Jill Levine.
Friday 8:00 p.m. lecture: "The Common
Mistakes Jews and Christians Make about
Each Other" Saturday 12:45 p.m. lecture:
"How to Hear a Parable: The Prodigal Son
in his Jewish Context"

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

CHISUK EMUNA CONGREGATION

232-4851 | www.chisukemuna.org
info@chisukemuna.org

Weekly Minyan times: Monday, Thursday
mornings, 6:50 a.m.

Sunday through Thursday evenings, 7:15 p.m.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, 7 a.m.

For more information about Chisuk Emuna
programs and services, please call our office
at 232-4851.

CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL

Lebanon | 273-2669

Visit the Congregation Beth Israel Web Site at
www.congregation-beth-israel.org

All are welcome to our egalitarian services:
Sundays at 9 a.m., Mondays and Thursdays

at 7:30 a.m. Our Shabbat services, lead by
Rabbi Paula Reimers, are at 8 p.m. on Friday
evenings and on Shabbat morning at 9:30
a.m. followed by Kiddush.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

CONGREGATION BETH TIKVAH

Carlisle | 245-2811 | www.bethtikvah.org

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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Middletown | 319-3014 | www.bnai-jacob.org

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PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

KESHER ISRAEL CONGREGATION

238-0763 | www.kesherisrael.org

Participate in our daily Minyanim. Mornings:
Sundays and Federal holidays at 8 a.m.,
Monday through Friday at 6:45 a.m. Rosh
Chodesh and fast days at 6:30 a.m. Evening
services begin at 20 minutes before sunset.

Please join us for our 9 a.m. Shabbat
morning services - followed by kiddush

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

TEMPLE BETH SHALOM

697-2662 | www.tbshalom.org

Join us for our contemporary Kabbalat
Shabbat at 7:15 p.m. or our more
traditional Shacharit Shabbat at 9
a.m. Temple Beth Shalom is proud to offer
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events, visit www.tbshalom.org or contact
us at tbs.temple@verizon.net.

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

TEMPLE OHEV SHOLOM

233-6459 | www.ohevsholom.org

Friday, April 5: Leadership Shabbat Service,
7:30 pm, Sanctuary

Saturday, April 6: B'nai Mitzvah, 10:30 am,
Sanctuary

Friday, April 12: Soup & Study Service, 6:00
pm, Lehrman Chapel

Saturday, April 13: B'nai Mitzvah, 10:30 am,
Sanctuary

Friday, April 19: Family Shabbat Service,
7:30 pm, Sanctuary

Saturday, April 20: B'nai Mitzvah, 10:30 am,
Sanctuary

Friday, April 26: Shabbat Service, 6:00 pm,
Lehrman Chapel

Saturday, April 27: B'nai Mitzvah, 10:30 am,
Sanctuary

NORMAN AND PHYLLIS FEINBERG

On February 27, 2013, Norman A. Feinberg, 90, and on March 5, 2013, Phyllis B. Feinberg, 89, passed away. They were married on January 2, 1944 and had just celebrated their 69th wedding anniversary. Norman was born in West New York, NJ, and Phyllis was born in Homestead, PA. They grew up in Pittsburgh and lived there until October, 2012, when they moved to Emeritus at Creekview in Mechanicsburg, PA. They are survived by their children, David Feinberg (Deb) of Camp Hill, PA, Iris Feinberg (Myron Brown) of Graham, WA, and Edward Feinberg of Santa Clara, CA, six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

LAUREN PEARL HALPER

Lauren Pearl Halper, of Allentown, passed away on Friday, March 8, 2013 after a courageous six-year battle with brain cancer. Lauren, born in Allentown, is the daughter of Barry and Carol (Richman) Halper. Lauren, 31, was surrounded by her family and will be remembered for her love of family and friends, especially her beloved daughter, Ava. Lauren was a licensed esthetician and worked in retail sales. Lauren is survived by her daughter and parents; her brother, Alex, his wife Emily; her niece and nephew, of Harrisburg; her uncles, aunts, many cousins and all her friends. Services were held on Sunday, March 10th at Bachman, Kulik & Reismith Funeral Home, Allentown. Interment was in Sons of Israel Cemetery, Fullerton, PA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the National Brain Tumor Society at braintumor.org, or mail to 124 Watertown Street, Suite 2D, Watertown, MA 02472.

The family of Edwin B. Silver thanks the community for its generosity through donations, as well as the outpouring of kind and thoughtful messages. We were so fortunate to have Eddie in our lives and know that his sweet spirit will be remembered by his many friends.
 Susan Silver Cohen and family
 Dr. Lawrence Silver and family

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community calendar

TUESDAY, APRIL 9
 Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC

THURSDAY, APRIL 11
 Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC

SUNDAY APRIL 14
 Community-wide Israel @ 65 Celebration, 9:15 a.m., JCC
 Follow Me: The Yoni Netanyahu Story, 6:15 p.m. Dessert Reception / 7 p.m. Film Screening, JCC

TUESDAY, APRIL 16
 Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC

THURSDAY, APRIL 18
 Senior Lunch Program, 10 a.m., JCC

CANDLELIGHTING

April 5 7:16 p.m.
 April 12 7:23 p.m.
 April 19 7:30 p.m.

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