



Calendar & Announcements for the Jewish Federation's Bronfman Family JCC

Help us help those affected by the Montecito mudslides.

Emergency Fire and Flood Relief Fund

<https://jewishsantabarbara.org/home/jfed-storm-update>

Ongoing Activities & Classes

BRANDEIS WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB
Monday, Apr 23rd • 9:30-11:30 am
Lincoln in the Bardo by George Saunders

EASY YOGA • Carole Baral
Mondays, Weekly • 12:30-2:00 pm

INTRO TO HEBREW • Renee Golan
Tuesdays, Weekly • 7:00-8:00 pm
7-week course, pro-rated cost available

GENTLE HATHA YOGA • Pali
Wednesdays • 10:30 am-12:00 pm

YIDDISH • Arthur Schwartz
Wednesdays • 10:30-11:45 am

ASK MILT: OUR COMPUTER GUY
(Windows & Android Based)
Thursdays • 9:00 am-12:00 pm • Milt Hess
By appointment, call (805) 957-1115

MAH JONGG CLUB • Cecia Hess
Thursdays • 9:30 am-12:00 pm
Experienced players, bring a set & 2018 card.

VERSUS: Jewish Poets at the Margins
Poetry Program • Steve Braff
3rd Thursdays • 2:00-3:30 pm
Featured poet of the month- Gertrude Stein
Drop-ins welcome!

CURRENT EVENTS
DISCUSSION GROUP • Open to all!
1st & 3rd Fridays • 10:30-11:30 am
Cosponsored by Santa Barbara Village.

LILA & JOSEPH SCHER LIBRARY
Come in, browse & borrow. Discover this hidden gem of resources. See our book sale rack for amazing deals!

Seeking Volunteer Instructors for Ping Pong, or Bingo as well as handy volunteers for capital projects, library assistance and our Santa Barbara Jewish Festival.
<https://jewishsantabarbara.org/volunteer>

Portraits of Survival & Upstanders

SURVIVORS DISCUSSION GROUP
4th Thursday • Apr 26th • 1:15-2:30 pm

CHILDREN of SURVIVORS GROUP
If you are interested in a 2nd generation meeting, contact Director Ruth Steinberg at (805) 957-1116 x123 or rsteinberg@sbjf.org

Contact Us

Jewish Federation of Greater Santa Barbara
Bronfman Family JCC
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Building Open Hours:
Mon-Th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Fri 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Happy Passover! Mar 30th - Apr 7th
Closed: Friday, Apr 6th for Passover

www.jewishsantabarbara.org

Jewish Family Service

We serve all members of our community, regardless of religion, race, age, gender identity, ethnicity, or disability.

COUNSELING SERVICES

For individuals, couples & families. All ages & situations. Affordable, sliding fees. Medicare & some insurance plans accepted. Professional, certified counselors. For inquiries call Megan Weingartner, LCSW, Clinical Coordinator, (805) 957-1116 ext. 115

Makom Shalom BEREAVEMENT GROUP
Mondays • 5:00-6:30 pm with Ruth Steinberg
For information, or to join the group, please contact JFS, (805) 957-1116

SCHMOOZE ROOM

FREE COMMUNITY CAFÉ
Tuesdays • 12:00-1:15 pm (Lunch 12-12:30 pm)
Programs subject to change.
<https://jewishsantabarbara.org/schmooze-room>

- **Apr 3rd** - Passover with Ira Youdovin
- **Apr 10th** - Len Berman's JAZZ Plus
- **Apr 17th** - SB Jewish Festival Preview
- **Apr 24th** - Open Schmooze & Poetry (Happy Birthday Schmoozers)

MATINEE AT THE J

Tues, Apr 17th • 2:00-4:00 pm • FREE
Film: *Exodus 1960*
(Drama/Action 2014, 2hr 30m)

KINCARES SUPPORT GROUP

Grandparents Raising Grandkids
Wed, Apr 18th • 10:00 am-12:00 pm

Young Adult Division (YAD)

BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL

Fly from LAX & explore Israel with Israelis with other young adults from Santa Barbara on the perfect Israel adventure
TRIP DATES: May 31st - June 11th

Summer Registration is now open!
Contact Jilli Spear, Jspear@sbjf.org, for details

Women's Division

34TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S PHILANTHROPY LUNCHEON
Thursday Apr 19th, 2018, 11:30-2:00 pm

Hotel Californian
36 State Street Santa Barbara
Valet and Self-Parking

Judy Foreman, Alix Rabinowitz, and Sarice Silverberg, Luncheon Co-Chairs

Please remember that a minimum donation to the 2018 Annual Campaign of One Dollar a Day, \$365, is a prerequisite to attend. Gentlemen are welcome!

Contact Jilli Spear, Jspear@sbjf.org, for details

Children & Family Programs

To RSVP for events or receive more information, contact Ruth Steinberg at (805) 957-1116 x123 or rsteinberg@sbjf.org

TEEN COMEDY CLUB • Louise Palanker
Mondays • 4:15-5:15 pm for 7th-12th graders
Develop your act & perform for live audiences!

SHALOM BABY BASKETS

A wonderful complimentary basket for you and your baby with gifts and information about our local Jewish community.



PJ Library: Sign up for free Jewish children's books every month! Ages 6 mo-8 years.



PJ Our Way: A new PJ program for ages 9-11 years! Kids choose their own book each month. Santa Barbara is a pilot city for this new program! www.pjlibrary.org

DROP-IN OPEN PLAY WITH YOUR CHILD!

Fridays • 10:30 am-12:00 pm
Enjoy pre-Shabbat open play time with our toys, PJ Library Books, games, and equipment.

NASW Social Work Grand Rounds:

Childhood Trauma & the Family System:
A Holocaust Survivor & her daughter share their story.

Wednesday, May 9th, 5:00-7:00 pm

524 Chapala St., Santa Barbara
Facilitated by Ruth Steinberg, JFS Director.
Co-sponsored by JFS and NASW.

Volunteer Appreciation Month Brunch

Friday, Apr 13th • 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

ALL Volunteers, please join us for a catered brunch, in celebration for all that you do for the Jewish Federation! To RSVP, please contact Volunteer@sbjf.org or 957-1115 x103

New! JFS Caregiver Support Group

JFS is happy to announce the creation of a Caregiver Support Group. For more information on this upcoming group please contact Megan Weingartner, JFS Clinical Coordinator, meganw@sbjf.org or (805) 957-1116, ext 115.

Become a Visitor & Make a Difference in Someone's Life!

JFS Senior Visitation Program

Do you enjoy spending time with senior citizens? Do you have 1 hour free each week? Then consider donating your time as a **Visitor** to a lonely senior.

You'll provide precious companionship and connection, while enjoying a deeply meaningful way to give back to our community.

Contact Megan Weingartner, JFS Clinical Coordinator, meganw@sbjf.org or (805) 957-1116 ext. 115 to learn more!

Tributes from the Community

In Memory of...(z"l)

- Harris Meisel

In Honor of...

- Fran Granet
- Helen Rabin

Speedy Recovery...

- Skona Brittain

To honor a friend or loved one with a tribute please contact
info@sbjf.org or call (805) 957-1115

Give the gift of giving, and donate to the Jewish Federation in honor of a loved one. Donate online at www.jewishsantabarbara.org or by phone at (805) 957-1115

Art at the JCC

Art at the JCC Presents 70/70/70, Israeli Artists in Santa Barbara

on exhibit thru May 8th
 Gallery Hours M-TH 9am-5pm, F 9am-3pm



Oren Luski - Orthodox Jewish Women at Tel-Aviv Segregated Beach
 Gabriella Klein
 Galia Posternak - Girl's Heart, Pastel & ink on paper

With support from the Squire Foundation, introduces a total of 70-emerging, mid-career and established working artists. 70/70/70 aims to expose the fascinating, innovative and less known scope of current artistic creations by Israeli artists. The exhibitions are initiated and curated by Sagi Refael, an Israeli art historian, author, and curator.



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2018 Santa Barbara Jewish Festival!



Sunday, May 6th
 11:00^{am}-4:00^{pm}
Plaza del Mar

Join us at our new location!
 Next to Pershing Park.

Organized by Jewish Federation OF GREATER SANTA BARBARA



Free admission! **Everyone is welcome.**

Featuring FALAFEL, and great Jewish Food Court. Headlining entertainment by the Red Sea Rhythm Rockers, Cantor Mark Childs, Kalinka, and Festival Emcee extraordinaire, Mashey Bernstein. Also, Israeli Dancing, Children's Area Activities, YAD beer/wine garden activities and a special celebration of Israel at 70.

More info @ jewishsantabarbara.org/festival

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