



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

Ongoing Activities & Classes

BRANDEIS WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB
Monday, Mar 25th • 9:30-11:30 am
An Equel Music by Vikram Seth

EASY YOGA • Carole Baral
Mondays, Weekly • 12:30-2:00 pm
(Cancelled: Mar 4th)

COMEDY CLASS • Louise Palanker
Mondays • 4:15-5:15 pm for
Teens or College students. Develop your act
& perform for live audiences.

**PUZZLES & GAMES FOR YOUR
BRAIN** Tuesdays, Mar 12th & 26th
2:00-3:30 pm • Skona Brittain

**OPEN BILLIARDS • Drop in and play
a game or two • Tuesdays, 2:30-4:30 pm**

**MATINEE AT THE J • Monthly Movie
Program- Tuesday, Mar 19th • 2:00 pm**

GENTLE HATHA YOGA • Pali
Wednesdays • 10:30 am-12:00 pm
(Cancelled: Mar 6th)

YIDDISH • Lorraine Klein
Wednesdays • 10:30-11:45 am

BEGINNER TAI CHI
Wednesdays • 4:00-5:00 pm
With Instructor Penina Horowitz

MAH JONGG CLUB • Cecia Hess
Thursdays • 9:30 am-12:00 pm
Experienced players.

VERSUS: Jewish Poets at the Margins
Poetry Program • Steve Braff
Thursday, Mar 21st • 2:00-3:30 pm

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

LILA & JOSEPH SCHER LIBRARY at
the Bronfman Family JCC - Our library
has wonderful Jewish resources and books!
Come in, browse or borrow.

Join the Jewish Federation's Volunteer
Team! <https://jewishsantabarbara.org/volunteer>.
Currently, we are in need of
library volunteers, Ping Pong/Table Tennis
instruction, handy jobs and more.

Contact Us

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Greater Santa Barbara
Bronfman Family JCC, 524 Chapala
St, Santa Barbara, CA 93101
(805) 957-1115 | info@sbjf.org

Building Open Hours:
Mon-Thu 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Fri 9:00 am - 3:00 pm.

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 (805) 957-1116



Makom Shalom
BEREAVEMENT GROUP
Mondays • 4:00-5:30 pm. New members
welcome, but please contact us beforehand.
For info. call Ruth Steinberg (805) 957-1116

SCHMOOZE ROOM
FREE COMMUNITY CAFE
Tuesdays • 12:00-1:15 pm (Lunch 12-12:30 pm)
<https://jewishsantabarbara.org/schmooze-room>

5-MAR: NO SCHMOOZE -
Building Under Construction
12-MAR: CAC Heap Utility Assistant
Program, Maria Vega
19-MAR: U.S. Census Bureau
26-MAR: Open Schmooze & Poetry
(Happy birthday Schmoozers)

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL W/
SHORASHIM**

2019 Summer Registration NOW OPEN!
SB Community Trip, June 19th - July 1st
Contact jspear@sbjf.org for more info.

YAD • Purim on the Landshark
Noah's Ark Style!
Saturday Mar 23rd • 4:00-6:00 pm
Contact YAD@sbjf.org for more info.

Family Purim Party

Wednesday, Mar 20th
5:00 - 6:30 pm
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Come celebrate the holiday
with Hamentaschen baking,
facepainting and more!
Food, fun and games!!

TEACHING JEWISH SERIES

The popular Teaching Jewish Series!
Meeting on the 2nd Monday evening
of each month with a different Rabbi
from our community each session.

Monday, Mar 11th • 6:30-8:00 pm
with Rabbi Elihu Gevirtz
"The Spiritual Significance of Brit Milah"

Children & Family Programs

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



PJ Library: Sign up for free Jewish children's
books every month! Ages 6 mo-8 years. :
<https://pjlibrary.org/enroll-in-a-community>



PJ Our Way: PJ program for ages 9-11
years! Kids choose their own book each
month! For more info: www.pjlibrary.org

Monday, Mar 25th • 6:00-7:30 pm
Jewish Federation
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Shmuel Bowman, Executive
Director of Operation Life Shield
joins our community to share
their mission to save innocent
lives by providing Israel's
threatened communities with the
protected air raid shelters they
so desperately need.

Light refreshments provided.
RSVP is required by contacting
RSVP@sbjf.org or (805) 957-1115.

Women's Division

JWN Coffee Hour

Tuesday, Mar 12th at 10:00 am
Lilac Patisserie, 1017 State St. \$10 cost.

With Jenna Fields, MAJCS, MSW,
California Regional Director of Sharsheret

Topic: How do Jews wear their genes?
Understanding the Jewish cancer connection
RSVP to Jspear@sbjf.org

Portraits of Survival & Upstanders

SURVIVORS DISCUSSION GROUP
4th Thursday • Mar 28th 1:15-2:30 pm

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

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

Weekly visits for homebound seniors 65+
in SB, Goleta and Carpinteria for an hour
of company and conversation.

If you are an interested senior or know of
someone who could benefit, contact Debi
Lewis, JFS Clinical Chaplaincy Dept.,
dlewis@sbjf.org or call
(805) 957-1116, ext 113.

Tributes from the Community

In Memory of...(z"l)

- Michael Keston
- Bradley Palley
- Marvin Rosenthal

In Honor of...

- Phyllis Keimach
- Ron Zonen, Happy Birthday

Mazel Tov...

- Molly Morrison

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

Art at the JCC & PJ Library



Santa Barbara
Visual Artists
March 3rd -April 17th

Opening Reception

Sunday, March 3 • 2:00-4:00 pm
Juror, Letitia Haynes. Live Music, & appetizers
Jewish Federation Bronfman Family JCC

MARCH IS NATIONAL READING MONTH!

Join us and PJ Library to enjoy one of their special new recommendations for adult readers:

If All the Seas Were Ink: A Memoir by Ilana Kushan
One woman's moving journey of rediscovery, finding herself through the ancient text of the Talmud.

Contact us for more info at (805) 957-1115 – we will gather at a future date to discuss!

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2019 Santa Barbara Jewish Film Festival



Limited Passes Left!
Grab your Pass Today!

All-Access Passes
\$118 FOR 13 PROGRAMS
For the full tentative Film Festival schedule, to view film trailers, and to purchase passes, visit our website:
www.sbjewishfilmfestival.org

From March 6-10, 2019 at the New Vic Theatre, the highly acclaimed Santa Barbara Jewish Film Festival will bring the community together to experience the power of exceptional films from around the world on themes of Jewish culture and identity.

Organized by the Jewish Federation of Greater Santa Barbara, this year's Festival will include five days of high quality, unique films. The Festival will showcase a wide range of documentaries, dramas, comedies, and shorts by American, European, and Israeli filmmakers.