Featured Federation Event:

**The French Dispatch**
August 24, 2023
7PM | $15

FreeFall theatre (6099 Central Ave, St. Petersburg, FL 33710)
Director Wes Anderson brings to life a collection of stories from the final issue of an American magazine (loosely based on The New Yorker) published in a fictional 20th-century French city. It stars Benicio del Toro, Adrien Brody, Tilda Swinton, Frances McDormand, Timothée Chalamet, Bill Murray, Owen Wilson, and more.
Rated R | Run Time: 108 Minutes
Language: English and French

Visit JewishGulfCoast.org/REALTOREEL for tickets.

Learn more: Real to Reel Screening of The French Dispatch at FreeFall Theatre

Click here for the latest on Israel
More Federation Events

JOIN THE SOCIABLE SINGLES
THIS WEEKEND

RSVP FOR THE MOMENTUM
WOMEN'S TRIP ALUMNI
EVENT

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE
HCB LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

JOIN THE TRIBE FOR A
REVERSE TASHLICH BEACH
CLEANUP
Parsha Pathways will be taking a break for the summer. We will be back on August 18th with a Parsha lead by Rabbi Danielle Upbin, Spiritual Leader at Congregation Beth Shalom.

CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE

Support the Jewish Federation of Florida's Gulf Coast at JewishGulfCoast.org/DONATE.

DONATE NOW

ICYMI: Watch President Isaac Herzog, former chairman of the executive of The Jewish Agency, address a joint session of the United States Congress.
The historic friendship between the United States and Israel is rooted in shared values, the pursuit of peace and justice and a commitment to democracy. President Herzog’s warm reception today by members of Congress across party lines is a testament to the unique relationship these two nations share, and the eternal bonds that unite us. Jewish Federations are deeply proud to celebrate and work to strengthen these ties every day.

Jewish Federations were honored that many of our leaders were present yesterday for this special address, including former member of Congress and Jewish Federations of North America President & CEO Eric Fingerhut, and Jewish Federations of North America Board Chair Julie Platt, who was a special guest of Ms. Michal Herzog.

WATCH YESTERDAY’S ADDRESS NOW

More Community Events

Please click on the flyer for additional information.
**TBE - Shabbat Yeladim**

Join us on the first Friday of each month for our Shabbat Yeladim (Children’s Shabbat). This joyful, youthful service will have blessings, songs and prayers led by our TBE kids & teens from the Mishkan Tfilah for Youth. **Everyone is encouraged to attend!** Dinner served at 5:30pm before service starts at 6pm.

**JULY 7, 2023 | 6PM**

**AUGUST 4, 2023 | 6PM**

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**TBE - Women’s Spirituality**

This group defines itself as a sacred circle of women, connecting with each other, while exploring our past, and present experiences and beliefs in a non-judgmental, loving and accepting environment. Topics will include Judaism, women’s issues, holidays, and the Torah.

**2ND THURSDAY OF EVERY MONTH**

2PM - OFFSITE AT PRIVATE HOME

6:30PM - TBE

RSVP requested! Call, text or email:

(305) 519-8600 | Myrna.Wolf333@gmail.com

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**TBE - Book Club**

**THE GIRLS IN THE STILT HOUSE**

by Kelly Mustian

**WED., JUN. 28, 10:45AM**

**SEMBLER FAMILY LIBRARY**

Set in 1920s Mississippi, this debut Southern novel weaves a beautiful and harrowing story of two teenage girls cast in an unlikely partnership through murder. As the two girls are drawn deeper into a dangerous world of bootleggers and moral corruption, they must come to terms with the complexities of their tenuous bond and a hidden past that links them in ways that could cost them their lives.

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**THE MAID**

by Nita Prose

**WED., JUL. 26, 10:45AM**

**SEMBLER FAMILY LIBRARY**

A clue-like, locked-room mystery and a heartwarming journey of the spirit. The Maid explores what it means to be the same as everyone else and yet entirely different—and reveals that all mysteries can be solved through connection to the human heart.

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**TBI - Havdalah on the Beach**

**Havdalah on the Beach**

**SATURDAY, JULY 29TH AT 6:00 PM**

**SAND KEY PARK - NORTH BEACH**

ALL ARE WELCOME! DON'T FORGET YOUR SUN BLOCK!

Arrive early for some beach fun.

Bring chairs and a picnic dinner.
Havdalah Service will begin at 7:00 PM.

We will meet on the beach behind the northernmost restrooms/showers (Boardwalk #4).
Sand Key Park charges a $5 parking fee.
TBE - 2nd Saturday Shabbat Brunch

Join us, Be a part of it ALL!

Now Open! Pre-K - 12th
2023-2024 Registration

Save the Date
Open House/
First Day
Sunday, August 20th
@ 9:30 AM

Come meet & mingle!
Visit the classrooms and see what makes us special
Sign up to volunteer & meet the Temple’s leadership

TAS - Weener Religious School Open House

Elul Speaker Series

Fridays in the Month of Elul
August 18 Through September 8

The month of Elul is a holy time. Throughout the month of Elul, the month leading up to the High Holidays, we reflect on our words, actions, and relationships as we prepare to celebrate the new year, alone for our mistakes, and strive for peace. This Elul we will learn from inspiring guest speakers at our Friday night Shabbat service! Who are these speakers? They are our very own friends and community members who have wisdom, spirit, and stories to share which will help us prepare for a meaningful and transformative High Holiday experience!

Chabad SP - CYP Summer Soiree

Please join us for the
YP Summer Soiree

8.16.23 | 7:30 PM
St. Petersburg | Waterfront Home
Cocktails & Bites | 20.5 & 30.5

RSVP for address | $16
ChabadYoungSP.com/summer
Fathom - Golda Movie at AMC Sundial & Regal Park Place

Tampa Bay Rays - Jewish Community Day 2023

SUBMIT AN EVENT TO THE COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Quick List

FEDERATION EVENTS

Now through Sept 1 - Early Bird Pricing for Hope Cohen Barnett Leadership Institute (Tampa JCCs)
July 23 - Tour of the Jungle Prada Burial Grounds (Sociable Singles)
July 25 - Board Meeting
July 27 - Tisha B'Av
August 2 - Tu B'Av
August 18 - Parsha Pathways
August 20 - Back to School Event (PJ Library)
August 22 - Board Meeting

August 24 - Film Screening (R2R, CBI, & freeFall theatre)
August 25 - Parsha Pathways
August 27 - Alumni Event (MOMentum)
September 1 - Hope Cohen Barnett Institute Early Bird Apps Due (Tampa JCCs)
September 10 - High Holiday Event (PJ Library & Chabad SP)
September 10 - Reverse Tashlich Beach Cleanup Group (TRIBE)
# COMMUNITY EVENTS

Please submit your events to the Federation's [Community Calendar](#)!
Questions? Contact us [info@jewishgulfcoast.org](mailto:info@jewishgulfcoast.org).

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## Our Partners

**Jewish Together**
- [Virtual Meetups](#)
- [Visit Jewish Together's Website](#)

**TOP Jewish Foundation**
- [Visit TOP's Website](#)

**Partnership 2Gether**
- [Read the P2G Newsletter](#)
- [Visit P2G's Website](#)
### Community Directory

#### Temples & Synagogues

**North County, Pasco & Hernando**
- Chabad of Pinellas County
- Chabad Jewish Center of West Pasco
- Chabad Spring Hill
- Jewish Community Center of West Pasco
- Temple Ahavat Shalom
- Temple Beth David

**Mid-County**
- Chabad of Clearwater
- Congregation Beth Shalom
- Temple B'nai Israel

**South County**
- Chabad Jewish Center of Greater St. Petersburg
- Congregation B'nai Israel
- Temple Beth-El

#### Community Organizations & Partners

**Click to visit the organization’s website**

**North County, Pasco & Hernando**
- American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC)
- Anti-Defamation League
- Empath Health
- Florida Holocaust Museum
- Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community Services
- Hillels of the Florida Suncoast
- Israel Bonds
- Jewish Agency for Israel
- Jewish Alliance to End Domestic Abuse of Tampa Bay (JAEDA)

**Mid-County**
- Jewish Education Loan Fund (JELF)
- Jewish Federation of Florida's Gulf Coast
- Jewish Genealogical Society of Tampa Bay
- Florida Holocaust Museum
- Jewish Press of Pinellas County
- Jewish War Veterans Department of Florida

**South County**
- Partnership2Gether US Hadera-Eiron SE Consortium
- Philip Benjamin Tower
- PJ Library of Florida's Gulf Coast
- St. Petersburg Chapter of Hadassah
- Suncoast Hospice
- "The Sunday Simcha" Radio Program on 88.5 WMNF
- TampaBay-Job-Links
- Tampa Bay Jewish Film Festival
- TOP Jewish Foundation
Are you a young adult (20's & 30's) living on Florida's Gulf Coast? Stay up to date on upcoming TRIBE events by subscribing to the mailing list! and joining the WhatsApp group. Fill out the form at JewishGulfCoast.org/TRIBE-SIGNUP and Join the WhatsApp chat at JewishGulfCoast.org/WHATSAPP.

JOIN THE TRIBE'S WHATSAPP GROUP
JOIN THE TRIBE'S MAILING LIST

Join the Sociable Singles Mailing List! Stay up to date on upcoming events for our 60+ singles group. Fill out the form at JewishGulfCoast.org/SINGLES-SIGNUP. Questions? Email info@JewishGulfCoast.org.

SIGN UP FOR THE SOCIABLE SINGLES MAILING LIST

Sign up for PJ Library
Free Jewish Storybooks Delivered Each Month! PJ Library sends curated, award-winning storybooks and activities for kids from birth through age 12. The program sparks meaningful conversation and provides opportunities to explore and celebrate Jewish life.

Introducing F Troop!
Are you in your 40's or 50's, looking to connect with peers from throughout your community? Welcome to the F Troop!
Assistance & Services

We are still here to serve, listen, and help you through this time of uncertainty.

Gulf Coast JFCS office locations are open. Please make an appointment before you come to our office and wear a mask and practice social distancing while you are here. Many Gulf Coast JFCS employees are working remotely and may be contacted by phone or email.

Our main number 727-479-1800 is being answered Monday – Friday 8am to 5pm. We are also available via email at GulfCoastInfo@gcjfcs.org.

Below are services to support the local Jewish community. In addition, we can provide information and referral for resources within the community.

Food Pantry Assistance

Food pantry assistance is available by contacting Gail Allen at gail.allen@gcjfcs.org or 727-430-5817.

We also have a list of local food assistance sources. We can provide grocery gift cards to assist with food purchases for those that need this support.

Financial Assistance

Jewish community members should contact Gail Allen for assistance via gail.allen@gcjfcs.org or 727-430-5817.

Holocaust Survivors should contact their case manager or contact Marlene Wain at marlene.wain@gcjfcs.org or 727-200-0563.

CHATS

CHATS provides a friendly caller for seniors in our community. This program is volunteer based, and helps provide social support to seniors, especially those living alone, or isolated during this current crisis. If you would like to be considered for this service, or to volunteer, please contact our CHATS Program.
Make an impact through the Holocaust Survivor Program Urgent Care Fund. Gulf Coast JFCS assists nearly 250 local Holocaust Survivors who require varying levels of assistance for essential daily living activities. For many, the high costs of medical and home care have depleted their financial reserves resulting in a significant gap in care without our assistance. Funds raised will be directed to their most urgent care needs, prioritizing those in their 90’s and others with the greatest safety risk or medical vulnerability. To support local Holocaust Survivors, visit gulfcoastjewishfamilyandcommunityservices.org/faces.

CLICK HERE FOR INTERNATIONAL NEWS FROM JFNA

www.JewishGulfCoast.org | 727-530-3223

Community News & Opportunities

Submit open job and volunteer positions at JewishGulfCoast.org/Job-Volunteer-Central.

Hillel Academy in Tampa is hiring full time preschool teachers for the school year. For the full time Preschool Teacher position, email the Early Learning Center Director: tgold@hillelacademytampa.com

Menorah Life Foundation seeks new Executive Director

Empath Health seeks new Community Partnership Specialist

Federation Inclusion Statement

The Jewish Federation of Florida's Gulf Coast actively promotes and recognizes all participants across intersections of observance, faith, ancestry, marital status, national origin, citizenship, sexual orientation, gender identity, social class, economic class, ethnicity, race, age, disability, and all other identifying factors represented among our diverse community.

By appreciating the importance of inclusion, we acknowledge that the collective and individual talents, skills, and perspectives of our community members and partners foster a culture of belonging, collaborative practice, innovation and mutual respect.