

JULY 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
2 <i>BJBE Building Closed</i>	3 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	4 Independence Day <i>BJBE Building Closed No Chava Center Camp</i>	5 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study	6 7:30am-Tai Chi	7 5:15pm-Pre-Oneg 6:00pm Shabbat Service	8 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study 12:00pm-Pot-luck Rabbi's Table Welcoming Rabbi Fenster
9	10 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta 7:30pm-Executive Board Meeting	11	12 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 7:00pm-Pro prospective Member Event	13 7:30am-Tai Chi 5:00pm-Family Night @ Max & Benny's 6:00pm-Post Carpool Club Event @ Botanic Garden 7:15pm-PFLAG Meeting	14 5:15pm-Pre-Oneg 6:00pm Shabbat Service	15 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
16 10:00am-Sunday in the Park with Bagels @ Sunset Woods Park, Highland Park	17 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	18	19 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 7:30pm-Board Meeting	20 7:30am-Tai Chi	21 Sisterhood Kallah 5:15pm-Pre-Oneg 6:00pm Shabbat Service	22 Sisterhood Kallah 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
23 9:00am-Project Nourish	24 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	25	26 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 6:00pm-Torah on Tap @ Lynfred Winery	27 7:30am-Tai Chi	28 6:00pm Shabbat in the Park @ Wood Oaks Park, Northbrook	29 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
30	31 Erev Tisha B'Av 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta 8:00pm-Tisha B'Av Service					

Note: For the most up-to-date information, please visit: www.bjbe.org

AUGUST 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Tisha B'Av Sisterhood trip to the Driehaus Museum	2 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 7:30pm-Executive Board Meeting	3 7:30am-Tai Chi 5:00pm-Playdate in the Park @ Maplewood Park, Deerfield	4 5:15pm-Pre-Oneg 6:00pm Shabbat Service	5 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study 2:00-8:00pm-Re-Sale Drop-Off
6 9:00am-4:00pm-Sisterhood Re-Sale 5:00pm-Post Carpool Club Event @ Ravinia	7 12:00-7:00pm- Sisterhood Re-Sale 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	8	9 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 7:00pm-Torah on Tap @ The Beer Market	10 7:30am-Tai Chi 5:00pm-Family Night @ Max & Benny's 7:15pm-PFLAG Meeting	11 5:15pm-Pre-Oneg 6:00pm Shabbat Service	12 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
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20	21 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta 7:00pm-Prospective Member Event	22	23 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study	24 7:30am-Tai Chi	25 7:30pm-Shabbat Service & Dessert Under the Stars	26 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 10:45am-Blonz B/M 11:00am-Torah Study 5:00pm-Anders/Dorman B/M
27 9:00am-Project Nourish 9:00am-Board Retreat	28 1:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta 7:00pm-Chava Center Parent Orientation	29 9:00am-Chava Center Meet & Greet	30 6:45am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 9:00am-Chava Center First Day and Parent Bagel & Coffee Reception 4:00pm- Meet Rabbi Fenster @ Graeters	31 7:30am-Tai Chi	Note: For the most up-to-date information, please visit: www.bjbe.org	



Share this summer's membership events with your friends and family.

July 12th at 7:00pm

Learn more about BJBE through conversations with our clergy and new Director of Education.

July 28th at 6:00pm

Shabbat in the Park - worship with us at Wood Oaks Park, 1198 Sanders Road in Northbrook.

August 21st at 7:00pm

Discover more about BJBE by connecting with clergy and professional staff.

August 25th at 7:30pm

Join us at BJBE for Shabbat and dessert under the stars.

Visit bjbe.org for more information on membership and other upcoming events. For more information and to RSVP, contact Anne at arobbin@bjbe.org or 847.940.7575



SUMMER AT BJBE

Whether you're a kid or a kid at heart, join us and bring your friends for a summer of fun with your BJBE community.

July at BJBE

Every Friday evening - Shabbat Services - 6:00pm

Worship with us weekly with a soulful service featuring contemplative music.
Join us at 5:15pm for a wine & cheese pre-Oneg, followed by the Service at 6:00pm.

Every Saturday morning - Kol Shabbat Services - 9:30am

Celebrate Shabbat in a relaxed and informal environment with beautiful music and spirited singing, Torah reading, and an inspiring D'var Torah.

July 12 - Prospective Member Event - 7:00pm

Learn more about BJBE through conversations with our clergy and new Director of Education.

July 13 - Family Night at Max & Benny's - 5:00pm

Join BJBE clergy and staff for a family night out at Max & Benny's in Deerfield. Families are responsible for their own meals.

July 16 - Sunday in the Park with Bagels - 10:00am

Families with young children - enjoy a free "taste" of the Jewish calendar through food, games, crafts and music.

July 26 - Torah on Tap @ Lynfred Winery - 6:00pm

Join our clergy for a lively discussion and a glass of wine. Appetizers will be provided, pay for your own drinks. 21+ please!
Lynfred Winery - 971 N Milwaukee Ave. Wheeling

July 28 - Shabbat in the Park - 6:00pm

Worship with us at Wood Oaks Park, 1198 Sanders Road in Northbrook.
Enjoy an uplifting service, followed by a special treat from the ice cream truck provided by BJBE!

August at BJBE

August 3 - Playdate in the Park - 5:00pm

Join us at Maplewood Park in Deerfield for a chance to connect with other families with young children. Bring your own picnic dinner!

August 9 - Torah on Tap @ The Beer Market - 7:00pm

Join our clergy for a lively discussion and a glass of beer. Appetizers will be provided, pay for your own drinks. 21+ please!
The Beer Market - 1270 S Milwaukee Ave. Vernon Hills

August 10 - Family Night at Max & Benny's - 5:00pm

Join BJBE clergy and staff for a family night out at Max & Benny's in Deerfield. Families are responsible for their own meals.

August 21 - Prospective Member Event - 7:00pm

Discover more about BJBE by connecting with clergy and professional staff.

August 25 - Shabbat at BJBE & Dessert Under the Stars - 7:30pm

Join us for an uplifting Shabbat Service, followed by dessert outside in our beautiful courtyard.

August 30 - Meet Rabbi Fenster at Graeters - 4:00pm

Enjoy a scoop on BJBE and get to know our new Rabbi! Graeter's Ice Cream - 1347 Shermer Rd. Northbrook

For more information about BJBE or any of these programs, contact Anne at aRobin@bjbe.org or 847.940.7575



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where *community* matters

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ENJOY A SUMMER EVENING UNDER THE STARS WITH GREAT MUSIC, FOOD, AND THE POST CARPOOL CLUB



CHICAGO BOTANIC GARDEN Thursday July 13th. R-Gang

Hot Summer Nights Program begins at 6PM. R-Gang specializes in R&B music from the Motown era through the 90s. Their show includes soul, gospel, blues, and rock. Admission is free with a membership parking sticker. If you do not have one, let us know and we will try to connect you with someone else attending who is a member. Bring your own dinner and beverage. We will provide dessert. Some chairs are available. You may want to bring your own.

RAVINIA Sunday, August 6th. Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Mancini & Moon River plus hits from Pink Panther, Days of Wine and Roses, Victor /Victoria and much more. Meet us at Ravinia when the **gates open at 3:00PM. The concert begins at 5:00PM.** Bring your own main course, beverage, chairs and table for your picnic, and either an appetizer, side dish, or dessert to share with others in attendance. When you arrive at the Park, please take the path to the left of the Theater (you will be facing it after you enter the gate) follow the path down to the corner where the paths cross just before the Pavilion. We will be on the corner to the left of the Pavilion, near the wine cart and Rest Room. If you came last summer, it is the same corner. Lawn Admission Tickets are \$10.00 each or you may choose to picnic with us pre-concert and enjoy pavilion seats (\$25) **BJBE WILL NOT ARRANGE FOR RAVINIA TICKETS. YOU MUST PURCHASE YOUR OWN TICKETS,** EITHER ON LINE <http://www.ravinia.org> OR AT THE GATE.

CHICAGO BOTANIC GARDEN: THURSDAY, JULY 13 TH, RAVINIA: AUGUST 6TH .
Please RSVP to Carol Berger 847 205-9793, ponderer4552@sbcglobal.net, or mail to 4552 Lindenwood Lane, Northbrook, IL 60062, so that we know how many are coming. No payment to BJBE is required for Botanic Garden or Ravinia. You are responsible for your own Ravinia admission tickets!

Name _____ Email _____
Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

BOTANIC GARDEN. ___ I have a membership sticker on my car, and would be willing to carpool.
___ I do not, and would like to carpool with someone who has a sticker.

RAVINIA: I will bring ___appetizer ___side dish ___dessert
Number of people in my party _____

Post Carpool Club events are planned for "mature" BJBE members. For further information contact Carol Berger, 847 205-9793. ponderer4552@sbcglobal.net

Back by popular demand!

The (almost) annual BJBE
Sisterhood Kallah!

4:00 Friday, July 21 – 3:00 Saturday, July 22
Get away for 24 hours and decompress!



Chicago Marriott Northwest, 4800 Hoffman Blvd., Hoffman Estates
Offering

- Scrumptious food * wonderful, comfortable beds * great service

Our kallah will feature sessions presented by

Doris Schyman

Bonnie Koss

*Cantor Rayna Green
and others*

Tracy Friend

We will eat together, pray, eat, sing, eat, learn, eat and have lots of fun!

Cost: \$150.00 per person for shared room. \$200 for a private room.
\$25 deposit required with application, NO LATER THAN JUNE 16.

Remainder due by June 30. (Deposit is refundable if cancelled by June 30.)

Note: Attendees must pay 2017 Sisterhood dues to attend.

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Send checks made out to BJBE Sisterhood to
Lynne Kleiman, 455 Harmony Dr., Wheeling 60090

Name _____

Email _____ Phone _____

I would like to room with _____

I would like a private room

SUNDAY IN THE PARK WITH BAGELS

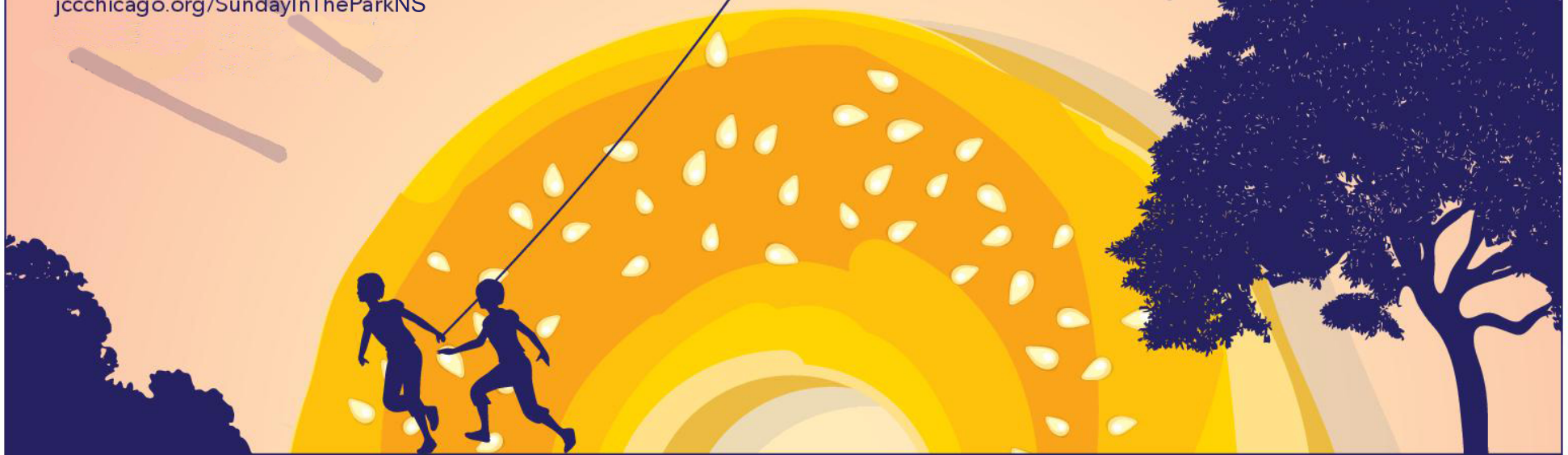
Sunday, July 16, 2017 | 10am-12pm
Sunset Woods Park, Highland Park

Tour the Jewish calendar through food tastings, arts & crafts and more!
This free event welcomes families with young children.

Advance registration by July 5th encouraged
jccchicago.org/SundayInTheParkNS

Inclement Weather Plan: Bernard Weinger JCC
(300 Revere Drive, Northbrook)

Notification will be emailed to registered participants by 8am



Join BJBE, along with over 15 other local Jewish community organizations for this great program!

BJBE SISTERHOOD INVITES YOU TO...



STEP BACK INTO THE PAST

Relive the beauty of another century.

Join Us as we tour the beautiful

DRIEHAUS MUSEUM

40 E. Erie St...Chicago, Il...312-482-8933...\$12.50 senior \$20 adult

This lovely home was built in the 19th century, using only the finest materials and containing priceless objects and furnishings which continue to delight us. Adding to that beauty is a wonderful collection of French posters.

Tuesday, August 1, 2017

TIME, TRANSPORTATION AND FOOD TO BE DETERMINED BY GROUP. ALL WELCOME!

RSVP TO SUE@ADGLAW.COM

It's Re-Sale Time. Can You Help?



DROP OFF

sat. aug. 5.
2-8 pm

Can't make drop off date?
Contact Diane Sachs

SALE

sun. aug. 6.
9am-4 pm
mon. aug. 7
12-7 pm

Donations Needed

- CLOTHING
- INFANT & CHILDREN'S CLOTHES
- TOYS & BOOKS
- HOUSEWARES
- APPLIANCES

* Sorry, no computers, magazines, or undergarments.

Clothing should be clean and on hangers.

Please come in to hang up your items.

Appliances must be in working order.

Re-sale numbers not needed, we no longer use earning fund credit.

to volunteer or for more info:

Diane Sachs

(847) 559-8950 | (847) 710-6625

tripmom22@aol.com



TORAH ON TAP

JOIN OUR CLERGY FOR A LIVELY DISCUSSION AND A DRINK!



BRINGING A FRIEND WHO IS INTERESTED IN FINDING A SPIRITUAL HOME IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED!

APPETIZERS WILL BE PROVIDED. PAY FOR YOUR OWN DRINKS. 21 AND OVER, PLEASE!



**JULY 26, 6-8PM @
LYNFRED WINERY**

971 N MILWAUKEE AVE, WHEELING

**AUGUST 9, 7-9PM @
THE BEER MARKET**

1270 S MILWAUKEE AVE, VERNON HILLS



CONTACT ANNE AT [AROBIN@BJBE.ORG](mailto:arobbin@bjbe.org) TO RSVP OR FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please join us for...

BJBE Shabbat in the Park

*July 28th at 6:00pm
Wood Oaks Park
(1198 Sanders Road, Northbrook)*

*Enjoy an uplifting service, followed by a special treat from the
ice cream truck provided by BJBE!*

Please contact Anne at arobbin@bjbe.org or 847.940.7575 for more information or to RSVP

JOIN.

charge into sisterhood



Give yourself and BJBE the gift of friendship and mitzvah making.

Make new friends. Have fun. It's a year ahead of spectacular programs and events to entertain and inform you. Get to know your sisters, enjoy the camaraderie, benefit the temple community and so much more!



Monday October 16

6:30 pm *SAVE the DATE!*

membership dinner

Featuring Maggie Anton, author of *Rashi's Daughter* and her newest book, *50 Shades of Talmud: What the First Rabbi's Had to Say about You-Know-What* **FREE** for sisterhood members.



BJBE SISTERHOOD

mail check to: Terry Sachsel
9386 Landings Lane #105 Des Plaines IL
60016-5271

to pay your dues with a credit card
Go to BJBE.ORG/SISTERHOOD

Dues \$44
add a donation!

Chai	\$18
Double Chai	\$36
YES Fund (suggested)	\$36
TOTAL	\$___

YES Fund supports youth, education & special projects of the WRJ; NIFTY, camps & more

- please print -

Name _____ Partner/Spouse Name _____
name(s) exactly as you prefer to be listed in the Sisterhood directory

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____ - _____ Cell Phone (____) _____ - _____ Email _____

BJBE member? yes no

We look forward to your membership and friendship
Carol Berger, President and Judy Marcus, Administration and Membership VP
Don't forget to fill out interest sheet on reverse side ➡➡➡



TELL US WHAT YOU LIKE TO DO...WE'LL MAKE IT HAPPEN!!

_____ **I LOVE TO BAKE AND COOK!** There is a bake sale at the **HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE** and at many other events during the year that need sweets and/or appetizers;

_____ **I LOVE TO ENTERTAIN!** The **WOMEN'S SEDER, SENIOR LUNCHEON, MEMBERSHIP DINNER** and many other programs are coming up. We always need help with planning, hosting, set up and clean up.

_____ **I AM SOCIALLY CONSCIOUS!** We collect **CORRESPOND WITH ISRAELI SOLDIERS**; collect **TOYS** and **SCHOOL SUPPLIES** for **JCFS**; contribute to the **ARK**; we have **MADE PILLOWS** for cancer patients and all of these activities need your help in many ways.

_____ **I LOVE TO SELL!** We have opportunities to sell at the **HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE, GIFT SHOP, RAFFLE TICKETS, RESALE** and other events.

_____ **I'D LIKE TO DO A MITZVAH!** We deliver **SHABBAT BAGS** to new families, help in the **CHAVA CENTER AND HEBREW SCHOOLS**; we send treats to our **COLLEGE STUDENTS**; we present gifts to **B'NAI MITZVAH** and **CONFIRMATION STUDENTS**.

_____ **I AM CAPABLE ON THE COMPUTER! POST IT, SHARE IT, TRENDING...**We need your help with the Internet and Facebook as well as data entry and mailings.

_____ **I AM CREATIVE!** Every event needs **FLYERS, POSTERS, CENTERPIECES** and **DECORATIONS**. We like to get together and create things for all of our events and we're looking for creative people who can share their ideas.

_____ **I WANT TO BRING MY FAMILY!** We have a **FAMILY EVENT** during the year and our **KID'S CLUB EVENT** for 0-5 year olds.

_____ **I ENJOY SOCIAL EVENTS!** Every Friday night we are the hostesses for **ONEG SHABBAT**; we have **AFTERNOON** and **EVENING BOOK CLUBS**, we have **MAH JONG, CANASTA, BINGO** and much more!

_____ **I HAVE OTHER TALENTS AND IDEAS I WOULD LIKE TO SHARE:**

NAME: _____ EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____



Tot-Adult Programming Fall 2017

BJBE offers a range of high quality programming for young children and the adults who love them. All of our classes are taught by caring professionals, with an expertise in facilitating intergenerational interactions in a developmentally appropriate way.

Little Explorers

This program offers toddlers 10-24 months old the opportunity to learn and explore in an environment that enhances all areas of development including social/emotional, cognitive, fine and gross motor. The structure of the class gives toddlers a “snap-shot” of the preschool experience. This weekly seventy-five minute class weaves Judaic values, traditions and songs into each class session. Each class begins with socialization time for adults before transitioning to a short circle time for songs, finger-plays and instruments. Opportunity to explore all learning areas including art, dramatic play, manipulatives, and block play, sensory and gross motor activities are included in this developmentally appropriate program.

Although geared toward specific developmental levels, all classes are open to all children. Classes are available Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays starting in September. Visit bjbe.org/tot-adult for more detailed information.

Shalom Shabbat

This program offers toddlers 10-24 months old a chance to enjoy rituals and music of Shabbat and the Jewish holidays. This weekly forty-five minute class weaves Judaic values, traditions, stories and songs into each class session. Stay at the end of class to join the ECC Shabbat celebration with the clergy. Shalom Shabbat is on Fridays starting in September. Visit bjbe.org/tot-adult for more detailed information.

BJBE adds new programs to meet the identified needs of our community. If you are interested in learning more about the program currently offered, or have suggestions for a class you would like to take, please contact:

Susie Wexler, BJBE Early Childhood Program at the Chava Center Director
(847)940-7575 swexler@bjbe.org

Monday, Sep 11, 7:30 - 9pm @ BJBE

Join BJBE Stars member Larry Glickman, Director of Network Engagement and Collaboration for the Union for Reform Judaism, to learn how Working Out Loud can start working for you.



The practice of building relationships for a better career - and a better life.
The first 25 attendees will receive a free copy of the book, *Working Out Loud*.

Open to all BJBE Members
RSVP to Larry Glickman: rsvp@bjbestars.org

**Education & Collaboration for all:
BJBE Stars for Business**

High Holy Days 2017 | 5778 S'lichot



Saturday, September 16
A light nosh will be provided at 7:00 pm, followed by a
7:30 pm study session and an 8:30 pm service

Rosh Hashanah

Evening Services
Wednesday, September 20 at 6:00 pm or 8:30 pm

L' Dor Vador Services
Thursday, September 21 at 9:00 am or 12:00 pm

Traditional Services
Thursday, September 21 at 9:00 am or 12:00 pm

Tinok (pre-reader) Service*
Thursday, September 21 at 2:30 pm

Tashlich*
Thursday, September 21 at 4:00 pm
Wood Oaks Green Park, Northbrook

Yom Kippur

Evening Services
Friday, September 29 at 6:00 pm or 8:30 pm

L' Dor Vador Services
Saturday, September 30 at 9:00 am or 12:00 pm

Traditional Services
Saturday, September 30 at 9:00 am or 12:00 pm

Tinok (pre-reader) Service*
Saturday, September 30 at 2:30 pm

Torah Study
Saturday, September 30 at 2:30 pm

Contemplation and Reflection, Yizkor (Memorial) & Neilah
(Concluding) Services*
Saturday, September 30 at 4:00 pm

* Ticket not required

Questions? Please contact the office at 847-940-7575 or check the website: www.bjbe.org

Look for your
High Holy Day
ticket information
in the mail the first
week of August!



Purchase Your New Prayer Books Before the High Holy Days!

מחזור לימים הנוראים
משכן הנפש
MISHKAN HANEFESH
Machzor for the Days of Awe



Prayer book sets are available for purchase in the office prior to Rosh Hashanah.

BJBE does not supply the Mishkan Hanefesh books for the High Holy Days Services.

The new Machzor sets consist of one book for Rosh Hashanah and one book for Yom Kippur. You do not have to bring both books to each service.

Note: The new Machzors will be used during the following services:

- Erev Rosh Hashanah
- Rosh Hashanah - Traditional
- Kol Nidre
- Yom Kippur - Traditional
- Concluding Services

You will not need the new Machzors for L'dor Vador Services.

Costs: (Subject to Future Increase)

\$38 – pair of books

\$86 – pair of books in large print



Our BJBE website has a brand new look -
check it out at www.BJBE.org!

Our website has been redesigned to be more accessible and user-friendly with a cleaner look for our members. Read on to find out more about our improved, easier-to-use website!

Do You Love Singing? Join the High Holiday Adult Choir!



We are always looking for new members!
Rehearsals start weekly in August with
Cantor Frost and Cantor Green.

Contact Leslie Block for more information
at lblock@bjbe.org or 847-940-7575.



- Use the **easy-to-read menus** to navigate - explore all of the different areas of our website and see what BJBE has to offer - from service times to Adult Ed classes to Sisterhood events, and more!
- **Rotating images** at the top of the page will highlight different events happening at BJBE.
- The **Featured News** section will be updated frequently with information on upcoming programs and services.
- Our website is now **mobile friendly!** You can now easily access all of the features of the BJBE website from your phone or tablet!
- The **Upcoming Events** section will link directly to our new & improved calendar - read more about this below!

 **New BJBE Online Calendar - CalendarWiz!**

Our new calendar is much more user-friendly with new features to help you find out information about upcoming programs and events.

- New calendar **categories** - filter the calendar based on your interests and view just those programs or events quickly.
- Find out more information via **detailed event descriptions**, including links to flyers and registration information.
- Easily **set a reminder** for an event, **download it** to your personal calendar, and **share it** with family & friends via email or social media.

Any questions about the website or calendar? Contact Anne Robbin, Membership & Communications Director, at arobbin@bjbe.org or 847-940-7575.



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**Or Current
Occupant**

Non-Profit Organization
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit No. 269
Skokie, IL

Dated Material

Welcome to BJBE!

We are thrilled to welcome Assistant Rabbi Jason Fenster and his wife, Gavi, and Director of Education Missy Bell to the BJBE Community! Check out their bios on bjbe.org and watch for opportunities to meet them!

