B'NAI JEHOSHUA BETH ELOHIM where Community matters

MARCH 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 9:00am-Mishkan Shalom 7:30pm-Mizmor L'Shabbat Service featuring our T'filah Band	2 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study 4:00pm-Family Havdalah 5:00am-Lipp Bat Mitzvah
3 9:30am-JLC Sunday 9:30am-4th Grade Family Program—Wedding 9:45am-News, Nosh, & (k)Nowledge 12:00pm-Chai School	4 <i>No Chava Center-Pulaski</i> <i>Day</i> 12:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	5 10:00am-Symposium: Yeshivat Maharat & Orthodox Feminism 4:30pm-JLC Tuesday	6 Sisterhood Fundraiser at California Pizza Kitchen 7:00am-Morning Minyan 8:00am-Talmud Study 4:30pm-JLC Wednesday 5:00pm-Family Night at Max & Benny's 6:30pm-SYG Lounge Night 7:30pm-Sisterhood Interfaith Program	7 AIPAC North Shore Community Program @ B'nai Tikvah	8 NFTY 678 Kallah @ OSRUI 9:00am-Mishkan Shalom 7:30pm-Shabbat Service	9 NFTY 678 Kallah @ OSRUI 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study 11:00am-Jacobs Bar Mitzvah
10 Daylight Saving Time NFTY 678 Kallah @ OSRUI 8:00am-Spring Blood Drive 9:30am-JLC Sunday 12:00pm-Chai School 3:30pm-Sisterhood Family Trivia Night 7:30pm-Hallel v'Zimrah Concert (@KAM Isaiah Israel)	11 12:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta 6:00pm-BJBE Hamantaschen Making with a Special Invitation to HUGS 7:30pm-Family Israel Trip Informational Meeting	12 10:00am-Symposium: Jewish Spirituality 4:30pm-JLC Tuesday 7:15pm-CHAT: Bedtime Rituals 7:30pm-Eastern Europe Trip Informational Meeting	13 7:00am-Morning Minyan 8:00am-Talmud Study 4:30pm-JLC Wednesday 6:30pm-SYG Board Meeting	14 7:15pm-PFLAG Meeting	15 9:00am-Mishkan Shalom 5:15pm-KYG Undernighter 5:15pm-Matzah Ball Oneg 6:00pm-Family Shabbat Service 7:00pm-3rd Grade Family Shabbat Dinner	16 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study 11:00am-Freedman Bar Mitzvah
17 No JLC Sunday No Chai School 9:00am-Low Sensory Purim Carnival 9:30am-The Greatest Shpiel & Purim Carnival	18 12:00pm-Mah Jongg & Canasta	19 10:00am-Symposium: Conservative Judaism 4:30pm-JLC Tuesday 7:30pm-Board Meeting 6:15pm-Interfaith Israel Trip Informational Meeting	20 Erev Purim 7:00am-Morning Minyan 7:45am-Talmud Study 4:30pm-JLC Wednesday 6:30pm-Erev Purim Celebration, Potluck Dinner, and Social Action Project	21 Purim	22 9:00am-Mishkan Shalom 7:30pm-Mizmor L'Shabbat Service featuring Soul Zimra	23 9:30am-Kol Shabbat 11:00am-Torah Study
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Family Havdalah for the young and young at heart

Join us as we celebrate Havdalah. Say goodbye to Shabbat and usher in a new week with sweetness and light. Our short, multi-sensory service is ideal for families with children in 2nd grade and younger. Each program includes songs, crafts, and a light snack.

RSVP at www.bjbe.org

March 2 4:00-5:30pm

Save the date for our last Family Havdalah of the year on April 13

At BJBE, we work to ensure an inclusive worship, educational, and social experience for all in a supportive environment. Prayer looks, feels and sounds different for all people. BJBE welcomes everyone regardless of ability or expression of prayer.



9th-12th Graders for Senior Youth Group's Wild Wild West Lounge Night

Wednesday, March 6th 6:30-8:00pm BJBE Youth Lounge

Dinner Reward: Buffalo Wild Wings

For questions contact Raya at rseidman@bjbe.org



Pizza with a purpose

Bring in this flyer, present it to your server and we'll **donate 20%** of your check to the organization listed below. Purchases include dine-in, takeout, catering and all beverages.

Fundraiser in support of: BJBE Sisterhood (03-06-2019) (All Day)

Valid at the following location: California Pizza Kitchen Northbrook Court

Join the **Pizza Dough® Rewards** program and receive a **free Small Plate** on your next visit after registering. Register today at **cpk.com** or download our new app today!



Fundraiser offer valid only on the date(s) and at the CPK location identified on the flyer. Only 501c organizations and non-profit schools are eligible to participate in CPK's fundraiser program. CPK will donate 20% (twenty percent) of all food and beverage sales to the organization. Tax, gratuity, gift card and retail sales are excluded from the donation. Offer valid for thine-in, takeout, online, catering, curbside or delivery orders placed directly with CPK. Not valid for third-party delivery. Offer void if flyer is distributed in or near restaurant. For more information about the 501c organization participating in the fundraiser, please contact the organization directly.



Please join BJBE Sisterhood for our Interfaith Event:

KEEPING FAITH: SISTERS OF STORY Wednesday, March 6, 2019, 7:30pm-9:00pm 1201 Lake Cook Road - Deerfield, IL

"With the recent uptick of hateful and vitriolic language in this country since the 2016 election, Rohina Malik, a Muslim woman and storyteller, wanted to create a project to demonstrate peace and commonalities between us all. She approached Susan Stone who is a Jewish woman and storyteller and Kim Schultz, who identifies as a Christian woman and storyteller with an idea: what if we all told stories from our faiths with the goal of bringing people together and showing peace, curiosity and similarities amongst the faiths. Kim and Susan jumped at this opportunity and KEEPING FAITH: SISTERS OF STORY was born. We hope you agree that now more than ever, we need to come together and decide who we are going to be as a community and as a nation and how we are going to allow our *story* to be told."

"Each storyteller tells 3 stories inspired by their personal faith journey. We are often joined by a cultural musical storyteller, Lucia Thomas, on violin, oud, and guitar. We hope you will join us at a performance and share in our story."



Rohina Malik Hasany: A critically acclaimed playwright and solo performance artist. She is a resident playwright at Chicago Dramatists and an Artistic associate at the 16th Street Theatre. Her plays, *The Mecca Tales & Yasmina's Necklace* were both nominated for a Jeff Award for Best New Work, and her one woman play, *Unveiled* has been produced at various theaters. <u>http://rohinamalik.weebly.com</u>

Kim Schultz: An author, actor and refugee advocate who has performed on many local and national stages. She has written two solo shows and recently published *Three Days In Damascus* (Palwell Press, 2016), a memoir about falling in love with an Iraqui refugee. Kim loves stories and how they shape our memories and lives. www.kimschultz.net

Susan Stone: A storyteller and teaching artist, has traveled all over the country, as well as to Poland, telling Jewish tales-Chasidic, folkloric and personal-for adults and children at schools, synagogues, museums and festivals. She believes that listening to stories nurtures our shared humanity. She offers workshops and

coaching. www.susanstone-storyteller.com

Lucia Thomas: Musician-a violinist/multi-instrumentalist and arts organizer. She has traveled all over the U.S., Europe and Mexico playing professionally with various ensembles. She is artistic director of the Chicago Folklore Ensemble, which celebrates immigrant communities in the U.S. by performing dynamic arrangements and stories learned from immigrants. Their recent book and CD have been featured throughout the Chicago area.

Please RSVP to Gloria Kaiz at <u>gloria@kaizs.com</u> or at 847-945-3741 by Friday, March 1, 2019. Feel free to bring a friend or two to this amazing event! We look forward to seeing you then!



BJBE Sisterhood presents a Family Night geared towards families with tweens and teens...



MATCH YOUR WITS AGAINST OTHER TEAMS FOR PRIZES & BRAGGING RIGHTS!



הלל Hallel הזמרה VZimra

Jewish Liturgical Music, Present & Future A Joyous Concert Sunday, March 10 | 7:30 PM KAM Isaiah Israel | Chicago (Hyde Park)

This incredible concert will bring together an array of jewish music from all genres, performed by an extraordinary group of musicians including Noah Aronson, and Cantors David Berger, Richard Cohn, Jeff Klepper, Alberto Mizrahi, Benjie Ellen Schiller, and **our own Jennifer Frost and Rayna Green**.

BJBE will offer a bus to the concert, departing at 5:30pm, and returing about 10:15pm. Reservations are required, and seating is limited. Cost \$35 per person for adults, \$22 for students under 30 (includes bus and concert ticket) Please contact Carol Berger at ponderer4552@sbcglobal.net or 847 205-9793 by March 1st to reserve your seats and for further information.

This concert is part of a conference hosted by The University of Chicago Divinity School, The Mordecai M. Kaplan Center for Jewish Peoplehood, and The Mervis Chair in Jewish Culture at Indiana University.





BJBE Spring Blood Drive

Every two seconds, someone needs blood. Help save a life.

Sunday, March 10, 2019 Congregation BJBE - Multipurpose Room 1201 Lake Cook Road, Deerfield 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Please email blooddrivebjbe@gmail.com to register.

coordinated by the BJBE Social Action Network.

Community Having Adult Time

Join us for our first session: Ways to Improve Bedtime Rituals, facilitated by Susie Wexler

Adulting is Hard: Come join us as for a glass of wine to discuss the topics that impact our lives. As parents, children, professionals, and partners, we face challenges in making the most of each day. These informal chats provide the time to reflect and learn from one another.

Please RSVP at www.bjbe.org/CHAT

Have a suggestion for a future topic? Reach out to Anne (arobbin@bjbe.org) or Susie (swexler@bjbe.org).

Tuesday, March 12 7:15 pm Congregation BJBE



JOIN YOUR FRIENDS FOR BJBE'S K'TANIM YOUTH GROUP UNDERNIGHTER

Food, Fun & Games, Dinner included!

Grades 3-5

Friday, March 15 7:00-9:00pm BJBE, Studio 1201, \$8

Undernighter will follow 5:15pm Matzah Ball Oneg & 6:00pm Family Shabbat Service

To RSVP: bit.ly/UNDERNIGHTER For more information contact Raya at rseidman@bjbe.org

Congregation BJBE & HUGS Present Purim Hamantaschen Making

Monday, March 11, 2019 6:00-7:30 p.m. Congregation BJBE - 1201 Lake Cook Road, Deerfield

We extend a special invitation to the HUGS* Community for this program!

Please join us for a special musical presentation and telling of the story of Queen Esther, a craft project, and of course, hamantaschen making & eating!

This event is free and open to the community. Family members and caretakers are welcome to attend. BJBE is fully accessible.

Please RSVP to Caryn at cblomquist@bjbe.org or 847.940.7575

***HUGS** is a collaborative effort of Chicago north suburban synagogues. HUGS values welcoming people of all abilities and strives to offer meaningful holiday celebrations for children and adults of all ages with special needs. Programs take place in synagogues around the Chicago north suburban area and are always held in spaces that are accessible to all. Family members or caregivers are welcome at all events.



Low-Sensory Purim Carnival Experience

Sunday, March 17, 2019 9:00-10:00am

We are proud to open our Purim Carnival early for families who have a child with special needs and would benefit from a quieter, lower-stimulating carnival experience.

No charge, but registration is required by email to Caryn at cblomquist@bjbe.org.







GREATEST SHPIEL

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LADIES AND GENTS... THIS IS THE MOMENT YOU'VE BEEN WAITING FOR

CONGREGATION BJBE PRESENTS... **"The greatest shpiel"**

MARCH 17, 2019 9:30 AM BJBE | 1201 LAKE COOK ROAD | DEERFIELD

FOLLOWED BY THE PURIM CARNIVAL CONTACT THE BJBE OFFICE AT 847.940.7575 WITH ANY QUESTIONS

CONGREGATION BJBE PURIM CARNIVAL

GAMES & PRIZES FOR ALL AGES ENTERTAINMENT ARTS & CRAFTS DELICIOUS FOOD & SNACKS

COSTUMES ENCOURAGED!

WATCH YOUR EMAIL & THE BJBE WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION INCLUDING HOW TO PREORDER TICKETS AND WRISTBANDS SUNDAY

MARCH 17

CARNIVAL IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING SHPIEL AT 9:30 AM CONGREGATION BJBE 1201 LAKE COOK ROAD DEERFIELD, IL





Erev Purim Celebration, Potluck Dinner, & Social Action Project

HAPPY PURIM

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 6:30pm

- Come in costume
- Enjoy a delicious potluck dinner
- Participate in a social action project
- Play Family Feud, Shushan Edition
- Win prizes

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Please RSVP online or to Dani at dglass@bjbe.org by March 15, and include what dish you will be bringing to share.

If your last name begins with: A-F: bring a dessert* G-R: bring a salad or side dish* S-Z: bring a main course* (dairy or vegetarian, please)

*please bring enough for 10 people and note that BJBE is a nut-free facility!

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Join the Senior Youth Group for



Lounge Night

9th-12th Graders

Wednesday, April 3 6:30-8:00pm BJBE Youth Lounge Once Upon A Bagel Dinner



Chava Center Summer CIT Program

Looking for a fun opportunity this summer?

Fun in the Sun with Friends, BJBE's Early Childhood Camp is accepting applications for our summer CIT program. A great way to spend time with young children while enjoying summer fun. Full and partial summer options.

For more information, contact Susie Wexler, Early Childhood Director at swexler@bjbe.org or 847.940.7575.



BJBE SISTERHOOD WOMEN'S SEDER



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3 5:30-8:00

The Women's Seder is a multi-generational celebration filled with worship, song, and a traditional meal, shared among women.

Questions?

Laurie Krupp: llichko@comcast.net 630-390-4470 or Ellyn Leib: Leibfam@comcast.net 847-707-8406

BJBE Sisterhood Women's Seder Registration Form–Due by March 29					
Name	Total Dinners Ordered:				
Email	# Traditional Meals (chicken):				
Phone	# Vegetarian Meals:				
# Adult Sisterhood Members: x \$40 = # Adult Non-Members: x \$44 =	# Gluten Free Meals:				
# Girls of Religious School Age: x \$17 =					
Early Bird Registrations by March 15, deduct \$2 per person:x \$2 = Subtract from Total					
Total Amount Enclosed: \$					
Optional: Please seat me with					

Make check payable to BJBE Sisterhood and send by March 29 to: Laurie Krupp, 1695 Central Avenue, Deerfield, IL 60015

"COME LET US HAVE SOME TEA AND TALK OF HAPPY THINGS!"

Chaim Potok



This Mother's Day, honor the special women in your life by telling them how much they mean to you. For a **\$10 donation**, you can have a "virtual tea party" with a wonderful mother, grandmother, aunt, sister, teacher, daughter, daughter-in-law or friend. We will send her/him a beautiful letter, expressing your love, to let her/him know just how much she/he is valued and appreciated.

A letter, containing a gift of tea, will arrive before Mother's Day to the woman you have listed below. You may duplicate this form for more orders or list the information below for additional women on the back of this sheet!

Please return the bottom portion of this flyer with your check made out to BJBE SISTERHOOD, C/O Dolly DeCaro, 1478 Pennsylvania, Des Plaines, II. 60018, <u>dolnu18@wideopenwest.com</u> with your information and send a check by May 1, 2019.



I'll gladly send a donation to honor a wonderful person on Mother's Day. The Sisterhood of B'nai Jehoshua Beth Elohim

SEND LETTER TO:	
THEIR ADDRESS:	
FROM:	
YOUR PHONE:	
HOW DO YOU WANT IT SIGNED:	

BJBE Sisterhood works to benefit women and children throughout the world as well as enhance our temple life to perpetuate our Jewish traditions.



SING AND DANCE TO YOUR FAVORITE BROADWAY AND MOVIE TUNES AT OUR LARGEST ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENT

\$90Admission\$1,000Reserved Table* of 8\$108Admission + Open Bar\$1,250Reserved Table* of 10

All ticket prices include a reserved seat

Purchase Tickets by March 15 • Cocktail Attire Call 847.940.7575 or visit BJBE.ORG/GALA

*Includes premium seating, open bar & bottle of champagne

HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE CORNER OF BROADWAY AND BJBE 🔹 1201 LAKE COOK ROAD DEERFIELD, IL



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For more information on all of these programs, including registration, look inside or visit www.bjbe.org/Purim