

October 2018

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Fall in North Georgia
High Shoals Road
Dawson County, Ga.

Haas Topics: Holiday Sermons
The Shalom Y'All Jewish Food Festival's 30th Year
Impact of Reform Movement
Youth Programs on Lifelong Jewish Identity



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WITH RABBI ROBERT HAAS

JUNE 11-21, 2019

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JUNE 11 - 21, 2019

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- Wine Tasting in Golan Heights
- Live it up in Tel Aviv
- Celebrate Shabbat in Israel

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IT'S ALL ABOUT!***

Informational Meeting:

Oct 30th, 6:30pm

at Mickve Israel

or for more information call

Rabbi Haas at 912-233-1547

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MONDAY 10/1

Simchat Torah Yizkor Service,
Changing of the Torah covers,
and potluck lunch, 10:30am

FRIDAY 10/5

Kabbalat Shabbat Service
and Sam Gross Bar Mitzvah:
6:00pm

SATURDAY 10/6

Shabbat Morning Service
and Sam Gross Bar Mitzvah:
11:00am

Kiddush lunch sponsored by
David Gross in honor of Sam
Gross's Bar Mitzvah.

FRIDAY 10/12

Young Family Gathering in
Monterey Square: 5:30pm

Contemporary Shabbat Service
with the PJ Library: 6:00pm

SATURDAY 10/13

Shabbat Morning Service:
11:00am

Weekly Torah Study, 1:00pm

Kiddush lunch sponsored by
Lauren Denton in honor of her
birthday!

FRIDAY 10/19

Kabbalat Shabbat Service:
6:00pm

Rabbi Haas presents Jews in
Entertainment Dinner and
Presentation: 7pm

SATURDAY 10/20

Shabbat Shuva Service:
11:00am

Weekly Torah Study, 1:00pm

Kiddush lunch sponsored by
Marie Dodson in honor of
October birthdays!

FRIDAY 10/26

Shalom School Shabbat
Service at Agudath Achim:
6:00pm
No Services at CMI

SATURDAY 10/27

Shabbat Morning Service:
11:00am

Weekly Torah Study, 1:00pm

No Kiddush Lunch as we get
ready for the Shalom Y'All
Jewish Food Festival.

FRIDAY 11/2

B'Nei Mitzvah Shabbat Service
at CMI: 6:00pm

SATURDAY 11/3

Shabbat Morning Service at
the Jewish Education Alliance
for Rock & Roll marathon:
11:00am

Weekly Torah Study, 1:00pm

No Kiddush lunch.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCT 3

KABBALAH IN SUN CITY

Wednesday, October 3,
10:30am location TBA.

OCT 4

**THE MAIN EVENT
SAVANNAH JEWISH
FEDERATION 2019
CAMPAIGN KICKOFF
DINNER**

Thursday, October 4,
6:30pm, at the Jewish
Federation Alliance featuring
Keynote Speaker Jeff
Goldman, Emmy Award
winning producer and
Reporter for CBS News and
the PBS NewsHour. Cost: \$18
per person. RSVP to
912-355-8111

OCT 7

**CONGREGATION
MICKVE ISRAEL'S
SISTERHOOD BLUNCH**

Sunday, October 7, 1pm, at
Congregation Mickve Israel
in the Mordecai Sheftall
Memorial Hall.

OCT 14

**JACK MALITZ AND
MIRIAM SLOTIN LEVY
MEMORIAL CONCERT**

Sunday, October 14, 2pm,
doors open at 1:30pm.
Featuring the dynamic music
of The Savannah VOICE
Festival and Special Guest
Pianist Benjamin Warsaw.

OCT 17

**HADASSAH BREAST
HEALTH AWARENESS**

Wednesday, October 17,
10:30am at B'Nai Brith Jacob
Featuring Dr. Elena Rehl, a
distinguished breast care
surgeon with Memorial
Health. Cost: \$10 per person
RSVP [susandemberadler@
gmail.com](mailto:susandemberadler@gmail.com)

OCT 18

**SAVANNAH JEWISH
FILM FESTIVAL
PRESENTS: "I'M
DREAMING OF A
JEWISH CHRISTMAS"**

Thursday, October 18, 7pm
at the Jewish Educational
Alliance. All proceeds benefit
BBYO

OCT 19

**RABBI HAAS
PRESENTS "JEWS IN
ENTERTAINMENT"**

Friday, October 19, Dinner
and talk, 7pm following
Shabbat services.

Cost: \$6 per person /
members, \$8 per person,
non-members.
RSVP required

OCT 21

**CONGREGATION EVENT
WITH LISA RING AND
CONGRESSMAN BUDDY
CARTER**

Sunday, October 21, 11am,
at Congregation Mickve
Israel. Come meet your
candidates for the upcoming
election. Find out their
views on issues and get
informed before you vote. For
Congregation Mickve Israel
members only.

OCT 28

**THE SHALOM Y'ALL
JEWISH FOOD
FESTIVAL**

Sunday, October 28, 11am -
3pm in Monterey Square. Join
us as we celebrate our 30th
year! Tickets available now
by calling 912-233-1547.

OCT 30

**TRIP TO ISRAEL
INFORMATION
MEETING**

Tuesday, October 30th,
6:30pm. Interested in the
Israel trip next summer?
Come to this informational
meeting to get all the details.

MAZEL TOV!

Mazel Tov to the Gross family on Sam Gross becoming a bar mitzvah!

Mazel Tov to Tami and Lenny Tishberg on celebrating their 57th Wedding Anniversary!

Mazel Tov to Carol and Dr. Joel Greenberg on the marriage of their son Dr. Harris Greenberg to Jennifer Fitzgerald, Esq.

Mazel Tov to Edwin Byck on becoming the Savannah Jewish Federation President.

Mazel Tov to Edwin Byck and Bill Glass on their inclusion in the *Best Lawyers in America 2019*.

Mazel Tov to Arlene and Ron Schwartz on the birth of their great granddaughter Isabelle Rae.

Mazel Tov to Cookie and Barry Gale on their daughter Megan's wedding to Mark Realbuto.

Mazel Tov to David and Peggy Byck and Ellen Byck on the birth of their granddaughter/great-granddaughter, Harper Caroline Hensley.

Introducing the Savannah Jewish Community's Leadership Development Program Graduates



Michelle Allan	Jonathan Javetz
Matthew Allan	Allison Konter
Kasey Berman	Steven Richman
Robyn Carroll	Mark Schwartz
David Eichholz	Josh Shear
Adam Fins	Naomi Silva
Lauren Fins	Stephanie Sweeney
Seth Grenald	Jason Tirey
Stuart Halpern	Tara Tirey
Steven Hollander	Tova Tolman

JUDAICA SHOP SALE

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER SPECIAL

Our special members-only sale
for October/November 20% off menorahs



OF BLESSED MEMORY

Jerald Cohen

Brother of Ronnie Cohen,
Friday, August 31, 2018

Phyllis Christine VanGilder

mother of Patty (Robert) Levenson
Friday, August 31, 2018

Kenneth Edel

son of Julius and Danyse Edel, brother of Cathy
Solomons and nephew of Peggy Good
Thursday, September 6, 2018

Dr. Ronald G. Victor

cousin of Herbert & Teresa Victor and Rhonda Victor,
Monday, September 10, 2018

Gary Levy

husband of Joan Levy, father of Jennifer Levy,
son-in-law to Marion Mendel and
brother-in-law to B.H. and Margie Levy
Thursday, September 13, 2018

Nancy Sweeney

mother of Stephanie Sweeney
Sunday, September 16, 2018

Charles Eugene "Bucky" Bloom
father of Stacey (Barry) Schlafstein
Friday, September 21, 2018

Holiday Sermons

I was driving in the Whole Foods parking lot one day, because.... we don't have a Trader Joe's here, when I saw a car ahead of me moving into a parking spot on the right, so I drove into a spot on the left, not realizing the woman ahead of me was actually driving into the spot on the right to better maneuver into the space I had taken on the left. In other words, I stole her space. The woman, surprisingly enough, seemed very comfortable in letting me know how she felt about my maneuver. She may have even yelled a few expletives that I won't repeat here and further added "You're lucky I didn't back my car right into your car." But then she calmed down and waved at me in an apologizing fashion as she walked away, although, I noticed she didn't have all of her fingers out while she waved.

The very next day, I needed to check something on my phone while driving, so I moved to the side of the road, and a man on a bicycle, flies by me going about 40 miles an hour, smacks my car with his hand, and yells the exact same expletives at me that the woman had the day before. Luckily, he calmed down as he rode by and then waved the same apology as the woman the previous day. I honestly hadn't realized that I parked in a bike lane when I stopped to check my phone.

Now, I was wrong in both cases. I admit that. Rabbis can be wrong about twice a decade. My two times just happened to have been on consecutive days. I stole that woman's parking space. I parked in a bike lane.

I was in the wrong, but I was shocked that both of these strangers assumed I had committed my transgression intentionally just to ruin their day. Neither of them knew

me. If they had known me then I think we all know they would have had justification. However, they didn't. They just automatically assumed I set out to injure them.

Abraham Joshua Heschel, the noted philosopher and Civil Rights advocate once said, "In several ways human beings are set apart from all beings created in six days. The Bible does not say, God created the plant or the animal; it says, God created different kinds of plants, different kinds of animals (Genesis 1: 11 12, 21-25). In striking contrast, it does not say, God created different kinds of human beings, human beings of different colors and races; it proclaims, God created one single human being. From one single human being all human beings are descended."

I decided to write four of my High Holiday sermons on issues we face because we forget that we all religiously trace ourselves to one single ancestor. Whether we need to learn how to: argue with each other by day then go for a beer afterwards, mesh our blended families together, live life as if we're on vacation, or give the person who stole our parking place the benefit of the doubt, we all stem from one single human being. As we conclude the holiday month of Tishrei I wish us all the best as we find ways to improve ourselves and our relationships. Also, let's not forget that according to Jewish tradition, the month of Cheshvan, which immediately follows Tishrei, must remain a month without holidays, to give us a rest from all the hubbub. We at Mickve Israel decided that we might just add one little holiday to this month. So, please join us for our Shalom Y'all Food Festival.

Weekly Torah Study

*Saturdays after Shabbat Service
starting October 13th.*



Rabbi Haas presents...

Jews In Entertainment!



Friday, October 19,
Dinner and talk, 7pm
following services.
Cost: \$6 per person
/ members, \$8 per
person, non-members.
RSVP required



Strong Evidence of the Impact of Reform Movement Youth Programs on Lifelong Jewish Identity

Union for Reform Judaism Releases Youth Alumni Impact Findings

September 20, 2018, NY, NY – The Union for Reform Judaism’s youth programs create quality, lifelong Jewish outcomes, with benefits that extend to the next generation. New research proves that across different types of experiences, the Reform Movement delivers youth programs that have long-lasting impact on participants’ Jewish identity. Alumni choose to actively participate in Jewish community, find meaning in Jewish ritual, do good in the world, and choose Jewish education for their children.

A new study conducted for the Union for Reform Judaism (URJ) by leading impact evaluation firm Rosov Consulting demonstrates lifelong Jewish outcomes for alumni of URJ youth experiences such as NFTY, the Reform Jewish Youth Movement, and URJ Camps.

The survey of more than 3,000 alumni (aged 25+) was compared to the Pew Center’s study of American Jewish Life and offers a representative sample of more than 375,000 alumni of URJ youth programs. The detailed findings and methodology of the study are available at www.URJYouth.org/Impact.

“The data vividly demonstrates that having had Reform Jewish experiences as a teen – in the context of NFTY, URJ Camps, or other congregational teen experiences – is strongly associated with an array of Jewish outcomes later in life, the effects of which are boosted by Jewish engagement during college-age years,” Miriam T. Chilton, URJ Vice President of Youth, said of the findings.

“Our research on the URJ’s impact reveals a continuum of influence that starts during a person’s childhood and youth, continues through their college years, and sees expression in Jewish engagement and identification during adulthood, even many years later,” said Alex Pomson, Managing Director, Rosov Consulting.

Among the key findings:

- Alumni care about being Jewish and feel that Jewish community is essential (81%). Alumni say “Being Jewish is very important in my life” at more than 2x the rate of those Reform-identifying Jews in the 2013 Pew Study of American Jews (81% vs. 37% in Pew). Beyond the great importance of identifying as Jewish, alumni care deeply about identifying as Reform Jews.
- Alumni care about finding meaning in Jewish rituals. Alumni care deeply about living Jewish life with meaning and intent. In fact, about two-thirds (65%) of alumni say that “choosing and adapting Jewish rituals that are meaningful to me” is an essential part of what being Jewish means to them. Nine in ten alumni (91%) agree or strongly agree that “participating in Jewish activities makes me feel good about myself.” These findings bring into focus a signature outcome of Reform youth experiences – choosing and adapting meaningful Jewish rituals.
- Alumni care about doing good. Alumni agree (87%) that “doing volunteer work is important to me.” They also say that Jewish concepts of Tikkun Olam inspire them to

make the world a better place. Alumni credit Reform youth experiences with deeply influencing their views and actions on today’s most pressing social justice issues, including anti-Semitism, gun violence prevention, LGBTQ equality, and more.

- Alumni provide Jewish education to their children (98%). Jewish education is all but universal among the children of alumni, with the great majority (89%) reporting that they choose some kind of Reform Jewish education for their children.
- Reform Movement teen experiences translate into greater Jewish participation in college, which in turn is a catalyst for greater Jewish engagement later in life. Reform Movement teen experiences are associated with high levels of Jewish participation during young adulthood, including participation in Hillel or other Jewish programs on campus; studying Jewish content; volunteering for Jewish causes; and working for URJ camps or as NFTY counselors in college. Participation in multiple teen experiences seems to have a compound effect on college-age engagement.
- Alumni exhibit similar social and behavioral outcomes to alumni of other Jewish movements. Over the past decades, several studies have been conducted which look at the long-term effects of Jewish youth movements and summer camps on their alumni. While these studies vary somewhat in their methodological approach, they offer several points for comparison to the URJ’s study. Overall, alumni of Reform Movement teen experiences share similar levels of Jewish engagement outcomes with alumni of other movements, in categories including Jewish identity, Jewish friendships, and synagogue membership.

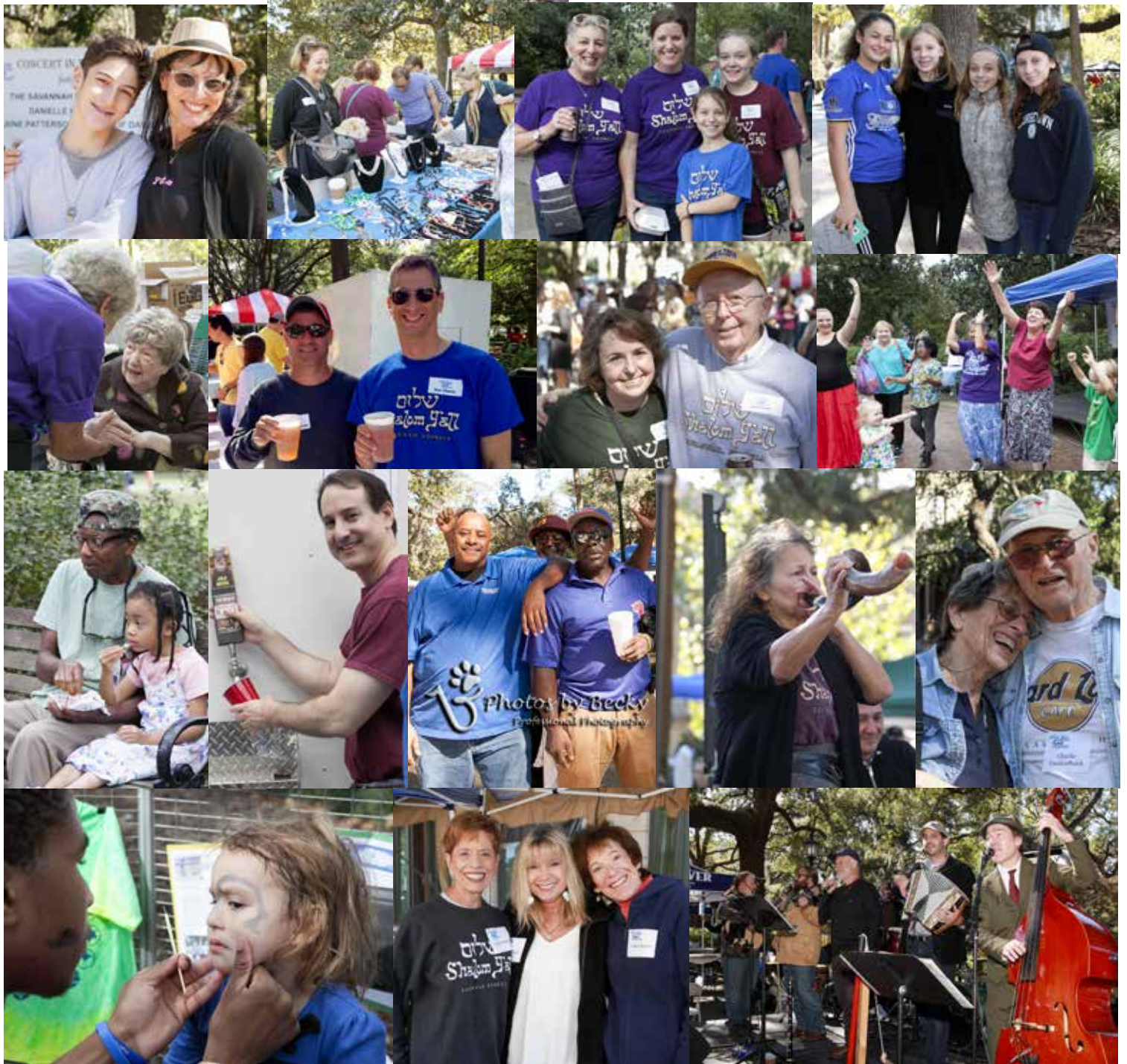
The data supports the importance of young people having immersive Jewish experiences. As the Jewish community faces challenges to retain active participants, the URJ’s youth programs prove to be an antidote, offering a future of engaged adults and active global citizens looking to pass along their Jewish values and education to their children.

Methodology: In September 2017, a survey created by Rosov Consulting was fielded to alumni of Reform teen experiences and others connected with the Reform Movement through a variety of distribution channels. The survey received 3,296 responses of which 2,180 were alumni of Reform teen experiences. Post-sample weights were applied to correct known biases in the sample in terms of age and gender. The data collected by the Pew Research Center in its 2013 study of Jewish Americans was used for this purpose, as it is presumed that the Pew data offer a reliable representation of the age and gender among all raised-Reform individuals in the United States. The Rosov Consulting team has undertaken two parallel approaches to analyze and make meaning of the data collected, comparative sample and multiple hierarchical regression analysis.

Learn more: www.URJYouth.org/Impact

The Shalom Y'All Jewish Food Festival Turns 30!

Join us for the 30th Anniversary celebration of the Shalom Y'all Jewish Food Festival! All your favorite foods, great music, friends and fun! This year we're expanding our Kids Zone with the addition of Midway Carnival games and a professional face painter. Don't miss out on the fun! Tickets available now – call the office 912-233-1547.



SAVE *the* DATE

for the 2018 Shalom Y'all Food Festival's
30th Anniversary!



SUNDAY, OCT 28
11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
at Monterey Square

The Shalom Y'all
**Jewish
Food
Festival™**



Volunteers Needed!

The 2018 Shalom Y'all Jewish Food Festival is approaching and we'd love you to sign up as a volunteer! Whether you love to cook, organize, serve food or sell tickets, we've got a space for you!

Online registration is
OPEN now at
www.mickveisrael.org/foodfest

Phone-A-Thon Results and Sponsorship Opportunities

*Many thanks to all who made a sponsorship commitment via the June 24th Food Fest Phone-a-thon.
We raised \$8446!!!*

*Much appreciation to our wonderful group of callers:
Margo and Andrew Ames, Fran Burton, Josh Carter, Seth Grenald, Peggy Harris, Harvey Lebos (Phone-a-thon Chair), Andrea Matthews, Lauree Morris, Michael Siegel, Lenny and Tami Tishberg, Laura Walker, Leslie Westmoreland, and to Lauri Taylor and Jennifer Rich, Food Fest Chairs.*

If you did not receive a call, or had a message left on your phone, please consider becoming a Friend of the Festival for an individual/couple (\$118 or \$130 to honor our 30th anniversary), or a business sponsor (\$250 and up) by contacting the Temple office or Toby Hollenberg, General Sponsor Chair (tobyjanemail@aol.com, 912-598-8921) or David Rubnitz, Business Sponsor Chair (dmrubnitz@ebenconcepts.com) to make your commitment as soon as possible.

Sponsorships are the backbone of every successful fundraiser – thank you for your help in making our 30th annual festival the best ever.



**Hear Ye!
Hear Ye!**

SHALOM Y'ALL FOOD FEST SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

OPPORTUNITIES ABOUND TO HELP UNDERWRITE THE COSTS OF OUR WONDERFUL SHALOM Y'ALL JEWISH FOOD FESTIVAL, MAKING IT THE MOST SUCCESSFUL EVENT FOR OUR CONGREGATION AND THE COMMUNITY.

Please consider choosing a category and contact Toby Hollenberg at tobyjanemail@aol.com or 912-598-8921 to let her know how you can help. Please note the many new categories at \$118 per person or per couple!

Shalom Y'all Food Festival, October 28, 2018 Sponsorship Opportunities

PILLAR OF THE FESTIVAL - \$2500 and up

Contribution underwrites Event logistics and Security

All incentives from Chaverim (Friends) plus:

Hourly Thank You from Entertainment MC

Receive 5 tickets books

SUSTAINERS - \$1000 to \$2499

Contribution underwrites the Deli, Lamb and Hot Dogs Booths

All incentives from categories below plus:

Thank You from Entertainment MC at beginning and end of festival

Receive 3 ticket books

MITZVAH TRIBE (A MITZVAH IS A COMMANDMENT AND A GOOD DEED) - \$500 to \$999

Contribution underwrites the Latkes, Stuffed Cabbage and Blintz Booths

All incentives from categories below plus:

Receive 1 ticket book

FESTIVAL BOOSTERS (FOR INDIVIDUALS OR BUSINESSES) - \$250 to \$499

Contribution underwrites the Kugel, Chopped Liver, Challah & Cold Drink Booths

All incentives All incentives from categories below plus:

Receive Category Designation in our Congregation Mickve Israel Online Business Directory

CHAVERIM (FRIENDS) (FOR INDIVIDUALS, COUPLES OR FAMILIES) - \$118

Contribution underwrites Paper Goods, Entertainment, and Comfort Station

Recognition Listing on Sponsor Banner Wall in Monterey Square

Receive Listing on Map/Menu Handout - by name under the following categories:

- Doctors/Health Professionals
- Lawyers
- Financial/Insurance Services
- Real Estate/Property Management
- Educators
- Friends of the Festival

Payment may be made by sending a check to:
Congregation Mickve Israel, P.O. Box 816, Savannah 31402 or
by calling the office at 912-233-1547 to put on a charge card.

Welcome Back to Shalom School

The first few days back at Shalom School we jam-packed with learning and fun! Classes buckled down and dove right into learning about the high holidays. We are so glad to be welcoming back so many returning students and we loved seeing so many new faces.

Our classes are participating in hands-on activities, games and utilizing technology to further their understanding of a topic. We are preparing for our first school wide Shabbat services at Agudath Achim. We are looking forward to a wonderful year.



YOUTH AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

Congregation Mickve Israel



Friday Oct 12
Young Family Gathering, 5:30
Contemporary Service, 6pm

Join us for a family friendly Shabbat brought to you by Mickve Israel and the PJ Library. We will have a short gathering in Monterey Square at 5:30pm followed by a contemporary service at 6pm.

B'Nei Mitzvah Shabbat Service

Friday, Nov 2 at 6pm
Come watch as the
B'Nei Mitzvah Students
Lead the Service!



MEMBERSHIP

Welcome New Members


Recently relocating to Savannah from Vermont, **Sammie Friedman** is originally from New Orleans. She is in the process of renovating a house into which she hopes to move shortly and has the pleasure of having her son, Ari, staying with her temporarily during this process and possibly beyond.

Her background is in art history and she worked in the gallery world in Manhattan and Beverly Hills prior to her Vermont move with her late husband, Alan, and her son. She then spent 20 years with the Fletcher Free Library in Burlington, VT and retired in 2012. She has already become a regular at Mickve Israel services so be sure to look for her and introduce yourself.


Sisterhood Delivers the Goods!

Every year before the High Holy Days members of Sisterhood bake challah to take to homebound congregants. It's such a treat for both delivery person and recipient, as you can see! Thanks again, Sisterhood, for everything you do!






Ages 6 months to 8 years old



Ages 9-11 years old

PJ Library and PJ Our Way invites kids ages 11 and under to

Sunday, October 21
4:00 p.m.
Jewish Educational Alliance



Join your friends at PJ as we learn the value of Tzedakah ("justice" or "helping others in need"), then build and decorate your very own Tzedakah box!

RSVP by Wednesday, October 17 to pjlibrary@savj.org or 912.355.8111.

SAVE THE DATE!
Congregation Mickve Israel and PJ Library's



October
12

For more information about PJ Library,
Email pjlibrary@savj.org

PJ Library and PJ Our Way Savannah are made possible through generous support from the Savannah Jewish Federation, Jane Slotin, Nancy & Leon Slotin, and the Ceceile Richman JEA Fund.



Savannah Jewish Federation Beneficiary Agency
Your Campaign Dollars at Work

bbyo Invites teens in grades 8-12 to the

IC Kickoff Party

Thursday, October 4
6:30 PM
Blake Strauss' House

RSVP by September 28 to engagement@savj.org or 912.355.8111 to receive location address



MIT/AIT New Member Convention
October 26-28

- For teens in grades 9, 10, and up
- Learn the basics of BBYO, history, rituals, traditions, and cheers!
- Great first convention for new members!
- Visit www.savj.org/savannah-bbyo to learn more!

For more information about
BBYO or BBYO Connect,
visit our website
www.savj.org/savannah-bbyo

THANK YOU!

The generosity we receive does not go unnoticed. We thank everyone who supports Congregation Mickve Israel through contributions, participation, volunteerism and other means. A special thank you to those listed below who have given Honor Dues. Please consider joining this special group by giving Honor Dues in 2018.

PILLAR
(\$10,000 and above)
The Solomons Family

BENEFACTOR
(\$5,000-\$9,999)

SUSTAINER
(\$3,600-\$4,999)
Mrs. Toby Hollenberg
Mr. & Mrs. Donald Kole

LEADER
(\$1,800-\$3,599)
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Anonymous

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(\$720-\$1,799)
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Mr. & Mrs. Duane Tomlin
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Dr. & Mrs. Anthony Sussman

*Of Blessed Memory

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young jewish
savannah

*We want to get to know you!
New to Savannah and want to get
connected?
Want to help plan events?
Have ideas you want to share?
Just want to hang out?
Let us take you for coffee!*



We want to hear from you!
For more information about
Young Jewish Savannah
call Jacqui Drazen at 912-355-8111
or email yjs@savj.org.

If you are Jewish, in your 20s and 30s and want to meet new people, connect to the community and make a difference - YJS is where you want to be!

Young Jewish Savannah's goal is to provide meaningful opportunities for engagement in the Jewish community through social and professional networking, community service, Judaic and leadership programs for Jewish young adults in their 20s and 30s.

Young Jewish Savannah is made possible through the Savannah Jewish Federation.

Your Campaign Dollars at Work



Meet at Telfair Square (121 Barnard St.) at 7:00, bikes will take off at 7:30 for a two hour tour.
Spots are limited so please RSVP to programming@savj.org



Shalom from Sisterhood

With the spiritual renewal we have experienced with our High Holy days (thank you Rabbi Haas), we are looking forward to Fall events.

In addition to our Sisterhood Blunch this year, we are planning many exciting events throughout the year. Hopefully everyone will check the Contact to learn about each one and save the date.

A special thank you to all who helped bake for Erev Rosh Hashanah.

Sisterhood Hospice Thanksgiving

Every November we participate in Sisterhood's most beloved and gratifying activity, the Hospice Thanksgiving Dinner, which we provide for staff and families of patients of Hospice. Our members provide everything from soup to nuts (and turkey and dressing and....well you get the idea). Contact Gail Kaplan at 912-658-5846 for more information and to volunteer.

Congregation Mickve Israel's Sisterhood Blunch

Sunday, October 7, 2018 - 1:00 p.m.

Congregation Mickve Israel

Mordecai Sheftall Memorial Hall

Special Guest Speaker: Jonathan Rabb

*New congregation members have a year
of free membership.*

*Unique prizes! Raffle tickets are \$2.00
each or 3 for \$5.00*

*RSVP to Rena Meltzer at
renameltzer2016@gmail.com*

843-707-1953 or 843-415-2418

Shalom Y'All Sisterhood Sweets Booth



Every year members of Mickve Israel bake cakes, pastries, cookies, etc. to sell at the Shalom Y'All Jewish Food Festival. Please bake your specialty sweets and bring it to the Temple Saturday, October 27th or directly to the booth on Sunday, October 28th. Please make sure every item is labeled with the name of the item and whether it contains nuts.

WE REMEMBER THOSE WITH YAHRZEITS

Only those names with Memorial plaques are published. For information on purchasing a plaque or to request that a loved one's name be read during Shabbat services, contact Jennifer Rich at 912-233-1547, ext. 302 or jennifer.rich@mickveisrael.org

OCT 5 & 6

Max L. Wolff
George A. Abeshouse MD
Nancy Rothschild Hill
Percy Howell Myers
Ignatz Hellman
Sigmund Silverfield
Beverly Mehl Hofstein
Dr. Alexander Paderewski
John William Weston
Henrietta Byck Dryfus

Ethel Guckenheimer Marks
Herman Friedman
Mamie Lehwald Wolf
Herbert G. Lankford
Samuel Gross Hiller
Florine J. Michels
Maier Utitz
Laurence G. Mintzer

Eppie Wortsman
Michael Roaman
Samuel E. Cohen
David I. Roos Sr.

OCT 12 & 13

Harriet "Pam" Eichholz
Freda E. Markowitz

OCT 19 & 20

Baldwin "Buddy" Kahn
Abraham Kowalsky
Ida M. Hirsch
Garrett Blayze Maclellan
Jeanne L. Coleman

OCT 26 & 27

Dora S. Mendes
Maurine M. Wiener
Julius Morgan
Eloise Minkoff Paderewski
Gladys Rabhan
Joseph M. Byck
Nathan Krapf
Albert Mazo



Savannah Hadassah's Breast Health Awareness Event

Featured speaker: Dr. Elena Rehl
Breast Surgeon, Memorial Health

Dr. Elena Rehl is a decorated U.S. Army veteran and former battle surgeon. After serving our country, she completed a breast care fellowship at Vanderbilt University Medical School and joined Memorial Health University Physicians in 2013.

OCTOBER 17, 2018
10:00A-11:30A

CONGREGATION
B'NAI B'RITH JACOB
5444 ABERCORN STREET

RSVP to Sue Adler
susandemberadler@gmail.com

Members - \$10/per person
Or bring a non-member friend
and it's \$5 for each of you!

Refreshments will be served



IT IS WITH GREAT PRIDE THAT HADASSAH SAVANNAH PRESENTS

THE PRESTIGIOUS 2018

MYRTLE WREATH AWARD

IN HONOR OF

Dr. Joel and Carol Towbin Greenberg

Sunday, November 18, 2018

5:30 in the evening

Jewish Educational Alliance

Dinner and open bar to follow

\$65 couvert per person

All additional contributions made benefiting the
Hadassah Medical Organization's Neurology Department
are tax deductible and will be acknowledged in framed artwork
to be presented to the Greenbergs at the event.

For more information, please contact Sue Adler, susandemberadler@gmail.com



Congregational Event

sponsored by Mickve Israel



Candidate Lisa Ring and
Congressman Buddy Carter
to speak at Mickve Israel



Sunday, October 21 from
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
in the CMI Sanctuary

THIS EVENT IS FOR MICKVE ISRAEL MEMBERS ONLY

Guest candidates will be discussing topics of current interest submitted to them by the committee. Afterwards we will have questions from the audience that will be submitted in writing to the panel for responses by the candidates.

Refreshments will be served in the atrium after the event.

About Our Candidates:

Lisa Ring is the Democratic candidate for the 1st Congressional District of Georgia. She is a mother of four, a military spouse, a military mom, a former corrections officer (Lehigh County Prison in Pennsylvania) and the former Executive Director of the Allentown Day Reporting Center - an anti-recidivism program for convicted felons out on parole. Lisa has been politically active as a grassroots organizer for over 30 years and has worked on several political campaigns.

Earl Leroy "Buddy" Carter is the U.S. Representative for Georgia's 1st Congressional District. Previously, he was a member of the Georgia state senate. Carter was first elected as a state senator in the 2009 general election. He is a father of three, grandfather of three, owner of Carter's Pharmacy, Inc., is serving his second term in the United States House of Representatives and is a member of the Committee on Energy and Commerce and the co-chair of the Community Pharmacy Caucus.

OCTOBER 2018

September 2018

November 2018

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Simchat Torah CMI Offices Closed Yizkor Service & Lunch, 10:30am	2 Executive Board mtg, 5pm Board of Adjunta mtg, 6pm	3 Kabbalah in Sun City, 10:30am Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	4	5 Shabbat Service and Sam Gross Bar Mitzvah, 6pm	6 Shabbat Morning Service & Sam Gross Bar Mitzvah, 11am
7 Shalom School, 9:30am Sisterhood Blunch, 1pm	8 Columbus Day	9	10 Lunch & Learn @ CMI, 12pm Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	11	12 Young Family Gathering Monterey Sq., 5:30pm Contemporary Service with PJ Library, 6 pm	13 Shabbat Morning Service, 11am
14 Shalom School, 9:30am	15	16 Social Action Committee meeting, 6pm at CMI	17 Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	18	19 Kabbalat Shabbat Service, 6 pm Dinner & Jews in Entertainment Series, 7pm	20 Young Family Gathering Project, 9:30am Shabbat Morning Service, 11am
21 Shalom School, 9:30am Congregation Event with Congressman. Buddy Carter & Lisa Ring, 11am	22	23	24 Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	25	26 Kabbalat Shabbat Service with Shalom School At Agudath Achim, 6pm No Service at CMI	27 Shabbat Morning Service, 11am No Lunch for Food Fest Preparations
28 SHALOM Y'ALL FOOD FEST!! 11am-3pm in Monterey Square	29	30 Trip to Isral Planning Meeting, 6:30pm	31 Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim) Halloween			

NOVEMBER 2018

October 2018							December 2018						
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 B'nei Mitzvah Shabbat Service, 6pm	3 Shabbat Morning Service at the JEA, 11am
4 Shalom School, 9:30am Congregations In Service, 12pm Daylight Saving Time Ends	5	6 Executive Board mtg, 5pm Board of Adjunta mtg, 6pm	7 Kabbalah in Sun City, 10:30am Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	8	9 Young Family Gathering Monterey Sq., 5:30pm Contemporary Service, 6 pm	10 Veterans Day Shabbat Morning Service at the Mighty Eighth Museum, 11am
11 Shalom School, 9:30am Veterans Day	12	13	14 Lunch & Learn @ CMI, 12pm Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	15	16 Kabbalat Shabbat Service, 6pm	17 Shabbat Morning Service, 11am
18 Shalom School, 9:30am Shalom School Grandparents Breakfast, 10am	19	20 Interfaith Thanksgiving Service, 6pm	21 Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	22 OFFIC CLOSED Thanksgiving Day	23 OFFICE CLOSED Kabbalat Shabbat Service, 6pm	24 Shabbat Morning Service, 11am
25	26	27	28 Shalom School, 4pm (Agudath Achim)	29	30 Kabbalat Shabbat Service, 6pm	Shabbat Morning Service, 11am

We know that Temple of Israel and Congregation Bnai Israel in Wilmington, and Temple B'nai Sholem in New Bern, all in North Carolina, have sustained significant damage. We are starting to hear about individual families and individuals whose homes have flooded.

JFNA is also working in close coordination with our partners at the Network of Jewish Human Service Agencies, Nechama, IsraAid, and the Afya Foundation to share information and connect them with local contacts and resources among the communities. The Atlanta Federation has mounted an extensive mobilization to provide refuge for evacuees and the gather relief supplies.

We are aware that the Union for Reform Judaism (URJ), United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, and the Orthodox Union are all pointing their constituents to Federations' efforts. We are one!

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Savannah, GA 31405

You Are Invited To

**THEmain
EVENT**

*Savannah Jewish Federation
2019 Campaign Kick-Off Dinner*

**Thursday, October 4
6:30 p.m.**

Jewish Educational Alliance
\$18 per person

Featuring Keynote Speaker
Jeff Goldman
*Covering the White House from Reagan to Trump:
An Insiders Retrospective*



Jeff Scott Goldman is an Emmy Award winning Producer and Reporter for CBS News and the PBS NewsHour. Jeff worked at the White House covering 6 Presidents over the past 34 years.

Please RSVP at www.savj.org
or by calling 912-355-8111.

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