# Congregation Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner

# BIMAH NOTE

Shabbat Parshat Bereishit

October 26, 2019 - 27 Tishrei 5780

Our Mission: To be a welcoming, caring and spirited Orthodox congregation that enables and inspires our members, our children and all Jews to deepen their commitment to live, learn and love Torah, applying it to everyday living in the modern world.

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# **EREV SHABBAT D'VAR TORAH**

NCSY Advisor Jacob Roffe will deliver this Friday's D'var Torah.

# SHABBAT SHIUR-4:45 PM

Rabbi Aron Rubin: "Is Knowing Good and Evil a Negative Quality?"



# **SHABBAT SHABANG!**

Rabbi Nati, the NCSY chapter board, and JSU are delighted to welcome visiting advisors Liora Steinberg, Yehudis Kalish, and Jacob Roffe this weekend for:

- Kabbalat Shabbat at BIAV, followed by dinner and oneg at Sara and Danny Wajcman's house.
- ✡ Shabbat Lunch at the Wajcman's.
- \* Seudah Shlishit with BIAV.
- Saturday night virtual reality experience

NCSY/JSU would like to invite the BIAV community, Jr. NCSY, and parents for singing and ruach at Seudah Shlishit.

Rabbi Nati and the teens would like to thank Mindy Wajcman, Sara and Danny Wajcman and all the other volunteers who helped make this Shabbat Shabang happen.

# **BIAV RABBINIC SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE**

With the Chagim over, we are beginning to receive application material through YU's Center for the Jewish Future. The Search Committee will be meeting in November to begin reviewing resumes and setting up initial phone interviews. While we cannot disclose details of the candidates, we are very encouraged by what we have received so far. Please do not hesitate to reach out to the search co-chairs—Carol Katzman or Sam Arbesman—if you have any questions.

# **TIME CHANGE SHABBAT DINNER**

The clocks change next weekend, so let's have dinner together the first *early* Shabbat. **RSVP to the office this** week for the November 8 dinner—\$10/person or \$36/family.

# This Coming Week Happy Birthday!

Avery Kaye Jeremy Kráshin Yehoshua Stern Jonah Wajcman Ricky Wolder Eliana Schwartzbard Ora Rockoff

# SHABBAT FORECAST





High 57

# **Shabbat Zmanim:**

6:05 PM Friday Mincha Candle lighting 6:08 PM Shacharit 9:00 AM Mincha 5:30 PM 7:06 PM Shabbat ends

# **YAHRZEITS**

October 28-29 Tishrei Harry Berger Bertha Chernicoff Freda Rozenblitť

October 29-30 Tishrei Issie Bratt

#### **SAVE THESE DATES FOR UPCOMING BIAV EVENTS!** Nov. 8 Shabbat Time-Change Shabbat Dinner following Youth-Led services. \$10/36 Nov. 19 8:30 PM with Miriam Shapira, Learning Psychologist and Resilience Expert, member of the Amiel BaKehila contingent 3rd Annual BIAV Trivia Night Dec. 7 Motzei Shabbat Dec. 11 8:00 PM Women's Rosh Chodesh Group- a self defense class in honor of the

Macabees.





# Weekday Minyanim:

Oct 27-Nov 1	<u>Shacharit</u>	Mincha/Ma'ariv
Sunday	8:30 AM	6:00 PM
Monday	6:30 AM	6:00 PM
Tuesday	*6:15 AM	6:00 PM
Wednesday	*6:15 AM	6:00 PM
Thursday	6:30 AM	6:00 PM
Friday	6:30 AM	5:55 PM

# **Upcoming week:**

Tuesday, October 29 Rosh Hodesh Heshvan Wednesday, October 30 Rosh Hodesh Heshvan





# BIAV NEWS Youth Programming

Babysitting	ages walking through 5	9:00-12:00	
Shabbat B'Yachad	ages 0-3 and their parents	10:45-11:00 AM	Aryn Soffer
Tot Shabbat	ages 3-5	10:15-11:15 AM	Lily Marchick
Kinder Congregation	grades K-1	10:15-11:15 AM	Leia Rubin
Junior Congregation	grades 2-3 Learning	10:45-11:00 AM	Danny Wajcman
	Games	11:00-11:15 AM	Eitan Miller
Junior Congregation	grades 4-6	10:45-11:00 AM	Rabbi Aron Rubin
Shabbat Youth Service**	2nd grade - bar/bat mitzvah	10:00-10:45 AM in the Beit Midrash	Jason Sokol

<sup>\*\*</sup>boys wear tzitzit and can leave them in shul if they want

### **Youth Policy**

In order to ensure the safety of our children and encourage attendance in our educational programs, it is the shul's policy that all children must either be in the Shabbat Groups Program or supervised in shul by their parents. Children ages 5 and under can only leave Shabbat groups when accompanied by a parent. Older children participating in Shabbat Groups may only leave once their group has ended. After shul is over, children playing on the playground must be supervised by their parents. Thank you for your cooperation in this process.

# **BIAV Vaccination Policy**

For the safety of our community, effective immediately, we require any child or adult to be up to date on all vaccinations as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control (barring age or medical restrictions) in order to enter any BIAV facility, including youth groups and the playground.



# Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

needs your donations!

As the cold winter months come upon us, please consider making a donation to the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund to help those who could use some extra financial assistance to pay for utilities, food and clothing. Thank you to those who have already donated to support this effort.

Vasher Koach

BIAV is as successful as its volunteers, therefore we would like to acknowledge the following for their efforts on behalf of the shul:

Kiddush Helpers This Week (October 26): Katriel Kennedy Beer, Sheila & Sy Miller, Kaley & Jon Schwartzbard, Jacqueline & Ricky Wolder

Kiddush Helpers Next Week (November 2): Katie Luchen, Flora Winitz, Debbie Greenberg

Seudah Shlishit Helpers—Kim Fogel, Raylie Kopelman, Helene Singer

# COMMUNITY

# **Jewish Family Services Food Pantry**

Let's start now on the December holiday drive with Vegetable Oil and Paper towels!

Other needed items include non-perishable boxed foods and canned goods, including canned corn and beans, protein items such as peanut butter and tuna fish, as well as personal care items such as toilet paper, feminine hygiene products, toothpaste and deodorant.

Help fill the white JFS barrel at BIAV.

Thou Shalt Innovate! Tuesday, October 29, 7:00 PM, \$12. Author Avi Jorisch discusses this book. "Innovation is the sacred calling of modern Israel." But while many have written about Israel's grand success in developing problemsolving technologies, this is the first study to focus primarily on Israeli innovations that extend, improve, and save lives.

Midwest Center for Holocaust Education—Kristallnacht Commemoration—Thursday, November 7, 7:00 PM. Belger Crane Yard Studios, 2011 Tracy Ave, KCMO 64108. This year's community-wide Kristallnacht commemoration will feature Israeli-American artist Rae Stern who will discuss her current exhibition, In Fugue, on display at the Belger Crane Yard Studios.

Join us for HBHA's first-ever Dodgeball Tournament FUNdraiser, Sunday, November 17 from 5:00-7:00 PM in the JCC Gymnasium. The Tournament is open to any K-12 student in the KC area. Register as a team of 8 or individually. \$10 per participant. Registration deadline is November 1, Email HBHADodgeball@gmail.com with any questions.

Henna House, Thursday, December 12, 7:00 PM, \$16. Author Nomi Eve discusses this book. Set in the exotic and little-known world of Yemen's Jewish community from the 1920's to its wholesale exodus to Israel in 1949-50, this coming of age story is woven with ritual and intrigue." Henna demonstration, North African tea and sweets.

# **KC KOLLEL: Contemporary Conversations**

A new series by Rabbi Aron Rubin: Mondays, 8:30 PM, in the Board Room at the Jewish Community Campus.

Topic for this coming Monday (October 28th) will be "Creationism vs Science - How Old is the Universe?"

For more information, contact Rabbi Rubin at aron.rubin@kckollel.org or rabbirubin@biav.org.

# In Our Family...

The following events are hosted by our members, and are listed here as a courtesy.

Simchat Torah Honorees Andy Ernstein, Javid Noorollah, and Jason Sokol are sponsoring a meat kiddush on November 2.

**Rabbi Allan and Rini Gonsher** invite the congregation to their farewell Seudah Shlishit on **November 9**, right before they leave the BIAV community to make Aliyah!

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