

BULLETIN

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October President's Message

Friends,

As this message reaches you, our High Holy Days have gotten underway. Our Selichot service, held jointly with Temple Beth Am and Temple Beth David, was a nice prelude. We viewed the movie "Paper Clips" which was well received by all. Thanks to Leon Metlay for his work in organizing BHBI's participation in this joint service.

Yom Kippur will soon be upon us. The Kol Nidre service is set for Wednesday, Oct. 8th at 6:15 pm, with morning services including Yizkor on Thursday, beginning at 9 am. The Ne'ilah Service will be at 5:45 pm, with the final Shofar blast ending our Days of Awe at 7:20 pm. As in past years, everyone is invited to bring their own shofar to services and to join in for that final blast! We are grateful to the Honickman family who will again sponsor a breakfast at the shul following the conclusion of Yom Kippur services.

When the High Holy Days conclude, there will be no time to rest! We move right on into the last of the three regalim: Sukkot. Please join us Sunday, Oct. 12th, at 11 am in the BHBI parking lot as we meet to erect our shul sukkah. Erev Sukkot services will be on Monday, Oct. 13th at 7 pm, with Sukkot 1st day services following on Tuesday at 9 am. We conclude our holiday season with Shmini Azeret morning services, including Yizkor, on Tuesday, Oct. 21st at 9 am, followed by our joyous Simchat Torah evening service that night at 7:30 pm.

Please be sure to tell your friends and acquaintances of our new FREE 3-month trial membership! What better time than the holidays to see what BHBI has to offer? (Offer available to new 1st time prospective members only.)

Our annual Friday night barbecue on Sept. 5th was a great success! My very sincere thanks to Judith Mercer who spent long hours helping in the kitchen, to Janet Grable who made the desserts, to Leon Metlay who did the shopping, and to Helen Gulack and others who helped with set-up and clean-up.

With one shul dinner over, it is time for the next! Please mark your calendar for Sunday, October 19th, 6 pm, when we will have dinner in the sukkah (weather permitting). This will be a special benefit dinner for our caretaker, Lual (formerly known as Yacob). As many of you know, Lual came to the U.S. as a refugee from the fighting in the Sudan when he was a young boy. It was only relatively recently that he learned that his parents and many other family members survived the fighting and remain in the Sudan. At the end of October, Lual will be making his first return trip to the Sudan to be reunited with his family. Our special dinner will therefore be to wish Lual a safe trip and a safe return, and to help him with the considerable expenses involved. Food is being donated by a member and we ask for the same minimum contribution as for other shul dinners: \$10 per adult, \$6 per child under 12, with a \$36 family maximum. All proceeds from the dinner will be given to Lual in the form of a bonus. Any contributions over the minimum amount are tax deductible. Please send your reservations and check (made out to BHBI) to the shul by Monday, October 13th, so that we can give Lual his bonus before he leaves on his trip. Friends are invited!

See you in shul,

Steve Teitel

May You Be Inscribed for a Good Year

BHBI CALENDAR OF EVENTS – SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2008

Monday	Sept 29	6:30 PM	Erev Rosh Hashanah First Day Service Light candles at 6:35 PM
Tuesday	Sept 30	9:00 AM	Rosh Hashanah First Day Service
		6:45 PM	Mincha/Tashlich at Lake Riley
		8:00 PM	Erev Rosh Hashanah Second Day Service Light candles after 7:34 PM
Wednesday	Oct 1	9:00 AM	Rosh Hashanah Second Day Service
Friday	Oct 3	8:00 PM	Shabbat Shuvah Evening Services Light candles at 6:28 PM
Saturday	Oct 4	9:30 AM	Shabbat Shuvah Morning Services Torah: Vayeilech
Sunday	Oct 5	9:00 AM	Service and Discussion
Monday	Oct 6	7:30 PM	BHBI Board Meeting
Wednesday	Oct 8	6:15 PM	Yom Kippur Kol Nidre Service Light candles at 6:20 PM
Thursday	Oct 9	9:00 AM	Yom Kippur Morning Service with Yizkor
		4:45 PM	Yom Kippur Mincha Service
		5:45 PM	Yom Kippur Ne'ilah Service
		7:20 PM	Final Shofar to Mark the End of Yom Kippur
Friday	Oct 10	8:00 PM	Joint Shabbat Evening Services with Temple Beth Am at Beth Am Light candles at 6:16 PM
Saturday	Oct 11	9:30 AM	Joint Shabbat Morning Services with Beth Am at BHBI Torah: Ha'azinu
Sunday	Oct 12	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast and Discussion Followed by Sukkah Building
Monday	Oct 13	7:00 PM	Erev Sukkot First Day Service Light candles at 6:11 PM
Tuesday	Oct 14	9:00 AM	Sukkot First Day Service Light candles after 7:10 PM
Wednesday	Oct 15	7:30 PM	Joint Small Shul Collaborative Torah Study Session at BHBI
Friday	Oct 17	7:00 PM	Shabbat Chol Ha'Moed Sukkot Evening Service at Heather Heights in Pittsford Light candles at 6:05 PM.
Saturday	Oct 18	9:30 AM	Shabbat Chol Ha'Moed Sukkot Morning Services
Sunday	Oct 19	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast and Discussion
		6:00 PM	Dinner in the Sukkah Honoring Our Caretaker, Lual
Tuesday	Oct 21	9:00 AM	Joint Shemini Azeret Services with Yizkor Together with Congregants from Temple Beth Am at BHBI
		7:30 PM	Erev Simchat Torah Services Light candles after 6:59 PM
Friday	Oct 24	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 5:54 PM
Saturday	Oct 25	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Services Torah: Bereisheit
Sunday	Oct 26	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast and Discussion
Friday	Oct 31	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 5:44 PM

Yahrzeits

At the following Shabbat Services, we will read the names of our late loved ones whose Yahrzeits will occur on that Shabbat or during the following week.

Oct 3-4	Tishrei	Oct 10-11	Tishrei	Oct 17-18	Tishrei	Oct 31-Nov 1	Cheshvan
Hyman A. Davis*	5	Ida Strom	13	Marie L.	19	Sarah Rickler*	4
Rose Lewis*	6	Annie Kovel*	14	Steinmetz*	19	Blanche Florescue	
Annie Schwartz*	6	Irving Solomon	15	Robert Steinmetz*	23	Ross*	4
Stanley Toker*	6	Harris I. Cenzer*	18	Daniel Horowitz	24	Charles Schnidman*	4
Fannie R. Spector*	8	Jean Traub*	18	Beverly Clark*	24	Harry Silverman*	4
David Schaffer	10			David Israel	25	Rabbi Jordan Taxon	4
Milton Honickman	11			Morris Album*		Ida Menter*	7
						Clara Spencer	7
				Oct 24-25	Tishrei – Cheshvan	Marion Lazar*	8
						Joseph D. Stolnitz*	8
				Sam Gold	29	Ida Buchbinder*	9
				Bernard Israel	30	Irene Bernstein	
				Celia Israel	30	Mikolasek*	9
				Bessie Miller*	1		
				Ida Phillips	2		

* Denotes name memorialized on BHBI Memorial Plaque

We pray that our mourners will be comforted among all the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem and that the memory of the deceased continues to be a blessing to all who knew them.



We Send Our Best Wishes for a Happy and Healthy New Year to the Congregation

Jill Clark
 Ira Cohen and Dianne Hooker
 Ella Finkelman
 Alan and Emily Fishman
 Mrs. Maxine Gold and Lyn Michaels
 Janet Grable
 Ben and Muriel Hobel
 Harris, Aline, Matthew and Noah Honickman
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 Leon Metlay, Nina Klionsky, Hannah Metlay
 Joseph Yudelson

Mrs. Katharine Metlay
 Jeff Nidetz, Leslie Toker and Mark
 The Paprocki Family
 Dave Rogachefsky
 Harry Rogachefsky
 Tamar Rogachefsky
 Stan, Elaine, Aviva, Aaron and Jacob Schaffer
 Mrs. Esther Solomon and Family
 Herb Spencer
 Jeff, Lyn and Gavi Springut
 Ruth, Steve and Jack Teitel
 Peg Toker
 Ken and Mollie Traub

THANK YOU TO OUR KIDDUSH SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

September 6	Phil and Annette Garver in memory of David Gordon
September 13	The Congregation
September 20	The Congregation
September 27	Helen Gulack in memory of her mother, Trudy Baran

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In memory of Simon Finkelman

Marco, Patricia, Vivian and Marvella Malka y Negri

In honor of Ben and Muriel Hobel's 60th wedding anniversary

Ruth and Steve Teitel

TORAH FUND

In honor of the birth of her great granddaughter, Amelia Rose Bell

Peg Toker

In honor of the Paprocki family

Sonia and Julian Sugarman

Do you know anyone who is unaffiliated and interested in joining a congregation?

Let them know about BHBI's special **free 3 month trial membership** which includes complementary High Holy Day tickets (available to prospective first-time new members only). Have them contact BHBI at 244-2060 or BHBI@frontiernet.net and we will be happy to give them information about BHBI and this great offer!!

MEMORIAL PLAQUES

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JEWISH BOOK FESTIVAL

The JCC Lane Dworkin Jewish Book Festival will be held October 26 – November 5. For more information, contact the JCC or visit www.rjbf.org

COME TO THE DINNER IN THE SUKKAH ON OCTOBER 19TH TO HONOR OUR CARETAKER, LUAL, PRIOR TO HIS TRIP TO SUDAN

As many of you know, our caretaker, Lual (who has also been known to us as Yacob), is one of the 'Lost Boys' who escaped the violence in his native Sudan as a child and eventually was brought to the United States to start a new life. Happily, his parents are still alive in Sudan and he will be returning there soon to visit them for the first time in many years. We are planning a parve Italian dinner in the Sukkah (weather permitting) on Sunday, October 19th at 6 pm to honor him before his trip and are collecting donations to provide him with a special 'bonus' to be used for his trip.

Minimum donations for those attending the dinner - \$10 per adult; \$6 per child under age 12 (all donations above this amount are tax deductible). You may donate even if you cannot attend the dinner.

Number of People Attending the Dinner: _____ Adults _____ Children Under 12

Names: _____

Please send your reservation form and check made out to BHBI, 1369 East Ave., Rochester, NY 14610, to be received no later than October 13th.



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OFFICE: The shul office is checked regularly for mail and messages. The shul phone is 244-2060. For urgent issues, call Steve Teitel at 473-5741 or Stan Schaffer at 473-8072. You can also e-mail us at BHBI@frontiernet.net

WANT TO REMEMBER OR HONOR SOMEONE OR A SPECIAL OCCASION?

Consider sponsoring a kiddush or making a donation to any one of our funds (General Operating, Kiddush, Library, Torah, Rabbi Aaron Solomon Scholarship, Our Youth, Special Events, or the Sam Malina Memorial Fund). Please indicate which fund you would like your donation to go to and we will send out an acknowledgement card as you indicate and print an announcement in this bulletin. A standard sponsored kiddush at BHBI costs just \$40 while a larger enhanced kiddush is just \$50.

BULLETIN CONTENT

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WANT TO GET YOUR BULLETIN HOT-OFF-THE-PRESS? Consider having us e-mail it to you!

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