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SHABBAT SERVICES

Every Friday Evening 7:30 p.m.

Last Saturday of the Month 9:30 a.m.

Accompanied by the Temple Shalom Choir Michelle Uss, Music Director

Oneg Shabbat following each service

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Through Iris' Eyes

Rabbi Barry H. Block wrote the following passages. On Passover, we are linked to Jews everywhere, as we sit down to Seder tables throughout the world on the same night. We recall that we have been slaves in many times and places since Egypt. We stand in awe of the fortitude of fellow Jews who have worked to set our people free from persecution throughout the ages. We acknowledge that we are the beneficiaries of the sacrifices made by our brothers and sisters in the Land of Israel. We rejoice in the freedom of our people.

Rabbi Block reminds us, "Remember the stranger, for you were strangers in the Land of Egypt." During Passover, we should be mindful of those who continue to be enslaved by poverty and hunger, by illness or by prejudice, by homelessness and by hopelessness. May you be inspired to another act of *zedakah*, to help the needy of our community. The Haggadah tells us that we are not truly free until all men and women live in liberty and in peace.

The Seder at Temple Shalom was lovely. The Hagaddah we shared with the congregants and guests invoked the messages of Rabbi Block. The organizers and readers did a wonderful job. They include: Sheldon, Eveleen, Larry and Lynn Wallace, Michelle Uss, Ted Williams, Rosalind Gantz and yours truly. The many volunteers that contributed their time to plan the Seder and set the tables, prepare the Seder Plates, take reservations, etc. need to be thanked as well. What would we do without Erv Margulis and Gloria Rodetsky? Plus the small army of helpers.....you know who you are!

Sisterhood, led by President Miriam Jersky, also shined this month. The Women's Seder was inspiring. It truly made all who attended remember their place in history. Women hold up half the sky and the Hagaddah that we read that day empowered every single woman who was present. Thank you to the organizers. It was a wonderful experience including not just reading, but dancing and singing.

If you enjoyed Seders at your home or at a family member or friend's home, I know you also celebrated another year of shared history and freedom. It's a blessing that Seders have been part of Jewish life for thousands of years. May you and yours enjoy next year in Jerusalem or wherever you all gather to share the memories.

Please add my Temple email address to your contacts to use for Temple-related matters - thank you. president@tschl.org

See you in Shul,

Iris



Paul Berger (Virginia)
Susan Frisch (Maryland)

Work With Your Board

Renee Gershman, Recording Secretary

My name is Renee Gershman. Three years ago, I was asked if I would fill in for the job of Recording Secretary for just three months, until the new elections took place. I said "yes" and here I am today. Actually, I was quite surprised how kind and receptive the Board was to me and how I really enjoyed taking minutes. I have now served under four Presidents and continue to enjoy my place on the Board.

Since I took office, the Temple has changed and grown in many ways. My duties include recording the minutes of all of our meetings, collecting monthly reports from all of our different committees, consolidating them, and returning them to each of the Board members. All the minutes are on file in the Temple office and posted on the web site. All minutes must be approved before they are made public so that the minutes on the web site are, unfortunately, one month behind. Reading the minutes does give you a chance to see your Board at work. Monthly Board meetings are open to the Congregation and occur every third Thursday of the month starting at 3:30 pm. We would love to have you join us.

In addition, I serve as the Bingo liaison to the Board. I have worked very closely with Joanne Goldin to improve our Bingo. This continues to be a work in progress. I'm also a Bingo worker and love doing it. The people are wonderful and I find it fun.

After attending the URJ Temple Board Seminar, I assumed the chairmanship of the Board Development and Governance Committee. It was felt that Policies and Procedures should be updated and keep current. Manuals for each of these topics are on file in the Temple Office. It is my responsibility to record every motion that changes a policy or procedure and pass this information on to the appropriate people. My committee also wrote the description for Board Trustee, which had not been done before.

Since there had never been any official training for a newly elected Board, a committee was formed and a program created. I met with the new Board to discuss duties and responsibilities. Changes in By-Laws were reviewed. Specific Board roles were mentioned and a positive tone was achieved. It was emphasized that there should be respect in all communication whether face-to-face or in writing. Hopefully, the congregation is seeing an improvement in this regard. Please remember there is a Suggestion Box in the Temple and if you have any ideas, please write them down, put them in the box, and the Board will take them into consideration.

I also serve as a member of the Membership Committee and have become part of the Welcoming group on Friday nights.

Finally, it has and continues to be an honor to serve this congregation. It is of the utmost importance to me that we continue to reflect kindness and courtesy toward each other and make this Temple a warm and welcoming place where our "family of friends" continues to grow.

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Renee

Work With Your Board

John Swanson, Treasurer

From the Temple Shalom By-Laws:

4. Treasurer: The Treasurer shall be responsible for all financial matters of the Congregation. He/she shall: supervise the billing of the congregants; collect all monies; have custody of the Congregation's funds, securities and other fiscal items; deposit all monies and other valuable effects of the Congregation in the name of and to the credit of the Congregation in such depositories as may be designated by the Board; act as Chair of the Budget Committee; render written reports of the Congregation's financial standing monthly to the Board, and at all regularly constituted Congregational Meetings, in such form as may be prescribed by the Board; keep accurate and complete physical records of all receipts and disbursements along the lines of general accounting procedures; disburse the funds of the Congregation as provided for herein.

There is a lot involved in being the Treasurer of an organization with the activity level of Temple Shalom. Fortunately, I have been involved in this activity for several years: four years on, two years off, and now in the middle of another four years. I have also been Treasurer of almost every organization of which I have been a member. It is a good fit for me since it allows me to work on my own

schedule and I can fit it with my other activities and travel, with occasional help from Ed Levine.

In this article I will focus on the major source of Income for the Temple, annual member dues. Dues are assessed once per year, based on the Budget which is approved at the November Board meeting. I bill the assessments for the next year on or about the first week in December, to allow those who want to make the donation in the current fiscal year. I prefer that members pay the full amount by check in the enclosed envelope, because this is the least work for both the office staff and the Treasurer. Other options include credit card (a call to the office), but this reduces our income by the credit card fee.

Dues must be paid by the end of February, either in full or with a partial payment and a payment schedule. You will receive letters if necessary to remind you of this schedule.

As of the last Board meeting, I am also responsible for working with hardship members. We will not allow hardship to prevent membership in Temple Shalom.

In future "Working with Your Board" articles, I expect to discuss the Budget process, the software (Rakefet) that makes this job possible, the disbursement of funds (accounts payable), reports and taxes, restricted funds, the mortgage, and answer any questions you may have.

John



Sunday, May 8 2:30 p.m. The new month of Iyar.

Sunday, June 5 2:30 P.M. The new month of Sivan.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING

[Click here for complete MAY and June calendars with all events and meetings](#)

Click on the blue underlined event for details

If event flyers were added to the web site after the SHALOM deadline, they are available [HERE](#).

1st Monday Sisterhood Meeting 10:30 a.m.

3rd Monday Brotherhood Meeting 9:00 a.m.

Every Tuesday Bereavement Suport 10:00 a.m.

2nd & 4th Tuesdays Texas Hold 'Em 6:30 p.m.

Every Wednesday NO BINGO JUNE & JULY - SUMMER HIATUS

Every Thursday	Group Counseling 10:00 a.m.
Last Saturday	Shabbat Services 9:30 a.m.
Every Sunday	Bar/Bat Mitzvah 12:00 p.m.
various Sundays	Rosh Hodesh 2:30 p.m.
	8-May Rosh Chodesh 2:30 p.m.
	9-May Brother Spousal Appreciation 9:30 a.m.
	12-May Sisterhood Book Club
	16-May Mah Jongg Tournament 1:30 p.m.
	22-May Latin Fusion Concert 7:00 p.m.
	30-May Alzheimer's Support 10:00 a.m.
	30-May Yiskor Shabbat Service 9:30 a.m.
	5-Jun Rosh Chodesh 2:30 p.m.
	5-Jun Concert - please watch for information 4:00 p.m.
	12-Jun Shavuot
	13-Jun Shavuot Yiskor 10:00 a.m.

Sisterhood Strong women working for a strong Temple

Spring blossomed throughout the Villages and the Tri-county area. Sisterhood also had a colorful and successful April. We kicked off the Spring season with our general meeting and heard Joanne Coen and Beth Hicks from the League of Women Voters explain the nuances of Florida election rules.

We celebrated the Sisterhood Shabbat on April 8. **Madi Hosten, WRJ South East Region President** presented us with our WRJ Charter and the Or Ami Award for Community Service for our Community Outreach Program. Check out the photo below to see the committee's latest endeavor!

Harbor Hills Country Club was the location once again for our annual Fashion Show. This sell-out event led by Susan Feinberg and Ina Lidsky received kudos from everyone attending – Sisterhood members and Community friends and neighbors.

Billie Thatcher's April 17th concert at Temple was an artistic success. Billie sang to the live music of the **Kevin O'Donnell Trio**. **The Skipper** also appeared. Well done and thank you, Billie.

Remaining May Sisterhood Events

MAY 10 SHOPPING TRIP TO FLORIDA MALL
MAY 12 BOOK CLUB AT BELVEDERE LIBRARY
MAY 16 MAH JONGG TOURNAMENT
MAY 22 HECTOR GARRIDO IN LATIN FUSION CONCERT
MAY 23 BOARD MEETING
MAY 26 CHAI MITZVAH 2 MEETING

Shalom,
Miriam



Community Outreach Committee members Julie Stein, Mimi Barohn, Sylvia Elinoff [chair], Myra Keltz, and Adrienne Cohen brought the story of Passover, along with its traditional foods and music, to 11 residences and rehab centers in The Villages in April. Forty-one Sisterhood members participate in Outreach presentations for each major Jewish holiday.

Brotherhood great men doing great things

The Brotherhood April Breakfast meeting was enhanced by the engaging appearance of Susan Feinberg and the "Dynamic Dog Club". We were entertained and informed by the dog owners and their charges. We learned the intricacies of Service Dogs and obedience training. Thanks to the owners and trainers of the "Dynamic Dog Club".



Our general meeting reviewed the up coming "Appreciation" breakfast slated for May 9th. The "Kitchen Krew" is preparing the menu, the set up, clean up, surprises, entertainment, are all ready, eager and proud to honor our spouses and /or significant others. They are our help mates , supporters and allow us to do what we do.

Upcoming events in the works: fishing, baseball, July Picnic with Sisterhood, and our annual Brotherhood Golf tournament. Grow with Brotherhood.

Ralph

Ritually Speaking

Kaddish prayers and the announcing of names

There are actually three different Kaddish prayers in our services. Prior to the Shema and its blessings is the Reader's Kaddish. At the end of Tefillah in the Reform prayer book is Oseh Shalom, which is the last sentence of the Kaddish, but in Conservative and Orthodox prayer books the entire Kaddish is recited. The third is the Mourners' Kaddish.

Customs over the years have changed. In our lifetime we have seen the inclusion of the matriarchs in our prayers and the counting of women for a minyan. The Mourners' Kaddish was only recited by men during the 11-month mourning period and on a yahrzeit. However, now it is proper for women to say it, as well as the entire congregation, as we are honoring all who perished during the Holocaust and those who have no one to say Kaddish for them.

When relatives, friends or fellow congregants pass away, many of us want to acknowledge the loss and announce their name(s) at the beginning of our Kaddish as part of the shloshim list. However, it is not the proper time. Names should not be included for shloshim until after a funeral, as the halacha is that the Mourners' Kaddish is recited for a deceased person by the direct mourners for the first time at the conclusion of the interment service. Therefore, it is not proper to include names until after the funeral or memorial service.

B'Shalom

Larry

Suggestions?

Comments?

Concerns?

If you have a suggestion or concern, please place it in the Suggestion Box located on the wall next to the Gift Shop.



2016 Temple Shalom & Sisterhood Directories are ready for pick up in the Temple Office.

WOMEN'S COUNSELING GROUP - Barbara Glick, MS, Psychiatric Social Work, conducts the group. It focuses on **coping with difficult problems that arise as we get older**. The group meets every Thursday at 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. at Temple. Come and explore new choices to be made. For weekly topics and more information [CLICK HERE](#).

BEREAVEMENT GROUP - If you have lost a loved one within the last year and are interested in joining a Bereavement Group at the Temple, we meet from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon every Tuesday in the Sisterhood/ Brotherhood Room. For information, contact Leah Frederick at 352-751-1808 or leahcohen@thevillages.net.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP for caregivers - Meetings are held the last Monday of the month, 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. Please call Leah Frederick at 352-751-1808, leahcohen@thevillages.net or Sharon Schactman at 352-350-1530, schactman@gmail.com.

MITZVAH COMMITTEE - Sisterhood women are here to assist you with your shiva or memorial arrangements. For assistance, or if you wish to call others, please call Carol Pozen 352-391-9329, Lydia Greene 352-233-9133, Sandy Mele 352-259-1728, or Barbara Fieldman 352-350-2950.

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SISTERHOOD BOOK CLUB - If you have not tried it yet and you like to read, the Sisterhood Book Club is the place for you. We meet on the **second Thursday of every month at the Belvedere Public Library** on Belvedere from **4:00-5:45 pm**. Give us a try. For information, please contact Debbie Dessert at debbiteach01@gmail.com or 352-259-8773.

FOR SECURITY REASONS DOORS ARE LOCKED DURING SERVICES - Temple building is locked at 8:00 pm, after Friday night services start. If you get locked out, come around to the windows so someone could see you and let you in. Butch Ballot, House and Grounds Chair.

BINGO Continues in May

Just a few more weeks in MAY to get in on the fun at Temple Shalom on Wednesday nights. Come and PLAY! YOU could be the big winner! BIG PRIZES! FUN GAMES! Support YOUR Temple! Doors open 2:45 pm...games begin 4:30. We are soon on our summer hiatus June and July...so don't wait to try your hand at becoming a BINGO winner.

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To all our BINGO volunteers, thank you for your continued support and dedication the past eight years!

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Gift Cards

If you have relatives and friends living outside of The Villages, the gift cards are a **smart and effective way** to connect with family members on their Birthdays, Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, Graduations and Anniversaries. Your family and friends benefit and Temple benefits, too.

[Click here](#) to see just some of what's available!

See Gerry or Karen Prezioso in the Temple foyer Wednesdays 9:30-4:30 and Thursdays 10-2

Temple Shalom Sisterhood Gift Shop



Critter Capers For Animal Lovers

If you need a gift the Shop has many beautiful items for special occasions. New things arrive all the time. We have a book, "Critter Capers For Animal Lovers," edited by one of the participants in the Sisterhood Therapy Dog Presentation. The book makes a wonderful gift for children, ages 5-12. Custom & special orders are available. We have merchandise for birthdays, holidays, weddings, Bar & Bat Mitzvahs & other special occasions.

Nancy Heyman's CD Can Be Bought At The Gift Shop

Nancy Heyman has cut a CD with a medley of lovely selections from popular well-known music. She is accompanied by Michele Uss with selected Temple Shalom service favorites. There is also a bonus featuring piano solos by Michele. This would make a wonderful gift. The album sells for \$20 and part of the proceeds go to the Temple.

Phil's New Children's Book, "*Evie and the Magic Telescope*"

When Evie spends her summer vacation on the family's farm with her grandparents, she discovers much more than she figured she would when the summer began. Grandpa introduces her to the wonder and mystery of the nighttime sky. He shows her how to use his telescope. Like a ship that travels to unknown and distant shores, the telescope has a name: Angelina.

Written especially for young people in their late elementary school and middle school years, *Evie and the Magic Telescope* will appeal to older readers as well. Everyone who longs to find adventure in unlikely places and to discover a new and exciting path for their lives will enjoy finding out what happens when Evie meets Angelina.

"Charlotte and Phil have donated twenty copies to be sold at the Gift Shop for the benefit of Temple Shalom Sisterhood. The book sells for \$9.

The Gift Shop is **open** Monday thru Thursday, 9:30 am to 3:30 pm and Friday till noon. Call Toby at 753-2622, Lynn at 633-0285, or Derick, our Office Manager, at 748-1800.

The PROMISED LANDscape project is ongoing.

Thank you for the many contributions that are made throughout the year in memory, in honor, or in celebration of someone or some event are very much appreciated and please keep them coming! More improvements, like our recent roadside sign landscape and lighting enhancements, will ensure an attractive visual impression and a welcoming appearance for our temple home.

ED-JEW-CATION...DIAMONDS ARE A MOM'S BEST FRIEND

Mothers' Day is May 8th. Promise her anything, but give her a diamond. Diamonds are a Mom's best friend. A diamond is forever. A diamond is Jewish! Not so surprisingly, for hundreds of years, diamonds have been almost entirely a Jewish business. The surprise is

the actual length of time Jews have been closely involved with the gem, and not the connection to the diamond industry itself.

Until the early 18th century, all the world's diamonds came from India. Jews had trading centers in the Ottoman Empire through which all Indian diamonds passed. Caravans that brought them across Arabia traded the stones to Jewish traders for gold and silver. They resold them to Jewish merchants in Venice, Lithuania and Frankfurt. This was a natural enterprise since most traders were moneylenders who concerned themselves with assessing, repairing and selling gems that had been offered as loan collateral. Furthermore, the cutting and polishing of diamonds was one of the few crafts in which Jews were permitted to engage by the medieval guilds in Europe. By the 16th century, caravan routes were supplanted by ships. The Sephardic Jews in Portugal made arrangements with ship captains to buy diamonds directly from Indian miners. Lisbon became the main entry point in Europe for diamonds, with the market run predominately by Jews. Once diamonds arrived, Jewish merchants set up cutting factories in Lisbon and Antwerp. Poorer Ashkenazi Jews were hired as cutters and polishers. When these people were forced to flee from Lisbon, they resettled in Amsterdam, which immediately made that city the diamond center of Europe. One way or another, the Jews followed the diamonds or the diamonds followed the Jews and the connection remained.

Turning back in time, in 1725 diamonds were discovered in Brazil. The Dutch, trading in Brazil, lost control of this traffic to British sea power. Pirating was rampant. By the mid-18th century, the trading center for uncut diamonds – and Jewish diamond merchants – was London. The jewels were sold to all the royal courts of Europe. These courts chose Jewish gem experts, who became known as "Court Jews," to do the buying and selling of jewels. In Sweden it was the Isaac family; in Hamburg it was the Lippold family; and in Vienna, it was the Oppenheim family. By the end of the 18th century, virtually the entire world diamond market was controlled by Jewish traders.

Just when appeared that diamonds from India and Brazil were running out, the South African mines were discovered. The 10 leading Jewish merchants in London, fearing a flooded South African diamond market, formed a syndicate to buy up all the production from these new mines. Many of these merchants also acquired stock holdings in the De Beers mining monopoly itself. Subsequently, through political influence, a squabble over diamond mining between the German and Dutch companies was eventually settled, with the Oppenheim family becoming dominant over both.

Eventually Christians also became traders, but Jews retained their prominence. Several researchers of the history of diamond trading believe this is because the business is largely based on trust. Purchase of diamonds is conducted by credit, since diamonds change hands a number of times before they reach the final consumer who pays for them. Taking out bank loans isn't an accepted practice because of the cost and the uncertainty of the applicant's ability to pay. Trustworthiness is the key word. Professional diamond polishers mainly belong to the closed ultra-orthodox world, and the exclusion from that community because of theft would seriously impact reputations and the legacy of the diamond world. Respected diamond traders make good money and hope to pass the reins to their children, so they have a huge interest in protecting their good names. Most diamond deals, especially those made by the orthodox Jews, are made on a handshake alone. (You can still see this being done if you look closely when visiting the diamond district in New York City.)

The long history of expulsion from countries further ensured that diamonds are a Jew's best friend. They are an easily transported asset and are of universal value. The tools of diamond polishing are small, enabling a continuation of the trade in a new environment, especially after WWII, refugees and other immigrants to Israel helped make Israel the largest diamond wholesaler in the world, supplying over 50% of all cut and polished diamonds, with the USA importing the majority. So to sum it up, it's because of a combination of geographical, religious, historical, and political reasons that the Jews have such prominence in the diamond industry.

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Eugene Sober	5/11	Adrienne Cohen	5/24
Irving Stein	5/11	Carl Berg	5/25
Selwyn Barohn	5/12	Natalie Kurtin	5/25
Rita Bryan	5/12	Gerald Prezioso	5/25
Martin Riefs	5/12	Alvin Rostolsky	5/26
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Alan Schrager	5/16	Carolyn Cass	5/31
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Arline Levitt	5/19	Sharon Hildebrand	6/1
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Robert Silver	5/20	Arline Cooke	6/6
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Donations

March 13 through April 14, 2016

<u>Skurow Choir Fund</u>	03/15/16	Cooke, George & Arline	IMO Glenn Cook, father of George Cooke
Skurow Choir Fund	03/17/16	Gantz, Herbert & Rosalind	IMO Elaine Dubin
Skurow Choir Fund	03/18/16	Kuperberg, Robert	IMO Mitchell Kuperberg, father of Robert Kuperberg
Skurow Choir Fund	03/18/16	Kuperberg, Robert	IMO Matilda Kuperberg, mother of Robert Kuperberg
Skurow Choir Fund	03/22/16	Dizenhaus, Ana	IHO birth of grandnephew Bruno Dizenhaus
Skurow Choir Fund	03/27/16	Skurow, Sheldon & Eveleen	Speedy recovery for Alexandra Rae
Skurow Choir Fund	03/27/16	Skurow, Sheldon & Eveleen	Speedy recovery for Reva Cedar's daughter Laurie
Skurow Choir Fund	04/09/16	Ratner, Fred & Dory	IMO Samuel Solsky, father of Dory Ratner
Skurow Choir Fund	04/11/16	Tischler, Kenneth & Arlene	IMO Zachary Levy
Skurow Choir Fund	04/11/16	Goodman, Stan & Renee'	IMO Milt Firksee
Skurow Choir Fund	04/12/16	Rubenstein, Harvey & Sydney	IMO Zach Levy
Skurow Choir Fund	04/12/16	Schachter, Richard & Kathy	IMO Zachary Levy
<u>Carol Cohan Music Fd</u>	03/16/16	Rittberg, Samuel & Geri	IMO Elaine Dubin
<u>Jack Vitale Edu Fund</u>	03/24/16	Branscome, Dennis & Sara	IMO Dov Nir, father of Sara Branscome

Morgan Landscape Fd	03/15/16	Gantz, Herbert & Rosalind	IMO Paul Palistrant, brother-in-law of Rosalind Gantz
Morgan Landscape Fd	03/21/16	Phillips, Georgiana	IMO Dennis Phillips, husband of Georgiana Phillips
Morgan Landscape Fd	04/05/16	Lebowitz, Dr. Eric & Paulette	IMO Malcolm Marks, brother of Paulette Lebowitz
Morgan Landscape Fd	04/05/16	Mele, Sandra	IMO Joseph Wax, grandfather of Sandra Mele
Morgan Landscape Fd	04/13/16	Gold, Lawrence & Paula	IMO Saul Gelman, father of Paula Gold
Morgan Landscape Fd	04/13/16	Gold, Lawrence & Paula	IMO Al Gold, father of Lawrence Gold
General Donations	03/15/16	Jaffe, Heinz A	IMO Bertha Wand, mother-in-law of Heinz Jaffe
General Donations	03/15/16	Gantz, Herbert & Rosalind	IMO David Williams, brother of Ted Williams
General Donations	03/15/16	Holtz, Iris	Get well for Ken Elinoff
General Donations	03/16/16	Tischler, Kenneth & Arlene	IHO Toby Grossman's daughter's marriage
General Donations	03/16/16	Tischler, Kenneth & Arlene	Get well for Ken Elinoff
General Donations	03/18/16	Wallace, Larry & Lynn	Speedy recovery to Steve Lowe
General Donations	03/18/16	Wallace, Larry & Lynn	Speedy recovery to Alex Rae
General Donations	03/18/16	Wallace, Larry & Lynn	Speedy recovery to Bonnie Klepner
General Donations	03/18/16	Gallin, Jerry & Rita	IMO Elaine Dubin
General Donations	03/18/16	Gallin, Jerry & Rita	Get well wishes to Steve Lowe
General Donations	03/18/16	Gallin, Jerry & Rita	IHO Steve & Phyllis Lowe's anniversary
General Donations	03/18/16	Gallin, Jerry & Rita	Get well wishes to Alex Rae
General Donations	03/18/16	Gallin, Jerry & Rita	Get well wishes to Bonnie Klepner
General Donations	03/18/16	Mele, Sandra	IMO Elaine Dubin from her Chauvurah: Chauvurah Mishpachah
General Donations	03/21/16	Bussin, Lois	IMO Barry Evans
General Donations	03/21/16	Curry, Sondra Rider	IMO Annette & Jack Rider
General Donations	03/22/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	Happiness in new home for Eleanor Neff
General Donations	03/22/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	Speedy recovery to Bonnie Klepner
General Donations	03/22/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	IMO Elaine Dubin
General Donations	03/24/16	Holtz, Iris	IHO the Preziosos for volunteerism
General Donations	03/24/16	Holtz, Iris	IHO Laurie Duquette for volunteerism
General Donations	03/24/16	Holtz, Iris	IHO Renee Goodman for volunteerism
General Donations	03/26/16	Rickabaugh, Rodney & Michele	IMO Murray Ehrlich
General Donations	03/28/16	Epstein, Dale	IMO Dotty & Bernie Epstein
General Donations	03/29/16	Wallace, Larry & Lynn	IHO Anniversary of Karen & Gerry Prezioso
General Donations	03/29/16	Sontz, Marlene	IMO grandson of Alan Bernstein
General Donations	03/29/16	Sontz, Marlene	Speedy recovery to Sheila Feinstein
General Donations	04/02/16	Goldberg, Carol	IHO Alvin Kramer's 80th birthday
General Donations	04/07/16	Warner, Robert	IHO Alvin Kramer's 80th birthday
General Donations	04/09/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	IMO Zachary Levy
General Donations	04/09/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	Get well for Adell Golub
General Donations	04/09/16	Jasper, Marvin & Ann	Get well for Sheila Feinstein
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General Donations	04/10/16	Lidsky, Ina	Get well for Zach Levy
General Donations	04/10/16	Lidsky, Ina	Get well for Rod Rickabough
General Donations	04/10/16	Lidsky, Ina	Get well for Rita Gallin
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General Donations	04/12/16	Shaw, Carole & Sinai, Stuart	Thanks for wonderful service
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Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/15/16	Levy, Lonnie & Shellie	IMO Edward Bruno, brother of Shellie Levy
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/15/16	Cohen, Murray & Sally	IMO Mannie Lax, father of Sally Cohen
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/17/16	Margulis, Erv	IMO Muriel Margulis, wife of Erv Margulis
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/17/16	Berman, Ivan & Kathy	IMO Jameth Serbin
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/17/16	Berman, Ivan & Kathy	IMO Minnie Berman
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/21/16	Gold, Robert H. & Brenda F.	IMO Ben Franklin, father of Brenda Gold
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/21/16	Singer, Jerry & Joan	IMO Gertrude Singer, mother of Jerry Singer
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/21/16	Cohen, George & Bonnie	IMO Julian Cohen, father of George Cohen
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Adams, John & Sharon	IMO Harriett Adams, mother of John Adams
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Zelnick, Todd & Naidamast, Heidi	IMO Cynthia Zelnick, mother of Todd Zelnick
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Behar, Nelson & Theresa	IMO Loretta Bukowski, mother of Terri Behar
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Kaplan, Evelyn June	IMO Viola Rice, grandmother of Lynn Kaplan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Kalter, Phyllis	IMO Frances Finkel, mother of Phyllis Kalter
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/22/16	Brauer, Evelyn	IMO Abe Weitzman, mother of Evelyn Brauer

Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/24/16	Kaufman, Alvin & Audrey	IMO Annette Davidson, sister of Alvin Kaufman
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/26/16	Plotkin, Rosalie	IMO Jack Plotkin, husband of Rosalie Plotkin
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/28/16	Bovee, Carol	IMO Miriam Levine, mother of Carol Bovee
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/29/16	Sontz, Marlene	IMO Sophie Jaffe, mother of Marlene Sontz
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/29/16	Rubin, David	IMO Rose Rubin, mother of David Rubin
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	03/29/16	Frucht, Howard & Laura	IMO Evelyne Sher, mother of Laura Frucht
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Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Swanson, John & Janet	IMO Andrew Gilbert, brother of Janet Swanson
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Smith, W. Richard & Marlyn	IMO Irving Hammer, brother-in-law of Marlyn Smith
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Corenblum, Alvin	IMO Leonard Denaburg, brother-in-law of Alvin Corenblum
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Gerson, James & Susan	IMO David Gerson, father of James Gerson
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Kaplan, Evelyn June	IMO Albert Kaplan, grandfather of Lynn Kaplan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/01/16	Dessert, Thomas & Deborah	IMO Jack Berlin, father of Deborah Dessert
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/04/16	Wieselthier, Harold & Merna	IMO William Wieselthier, father of Harold Wieselthier
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/04/16	Gillon, Robert & Vesta	IMO Marguerite Jaffe, mother of Vesta Gillon
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/04/16	Sokol, Dennis & Karen	IMO Jerry Gold, father of Karen Sokol
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/04/16	Leifer, Ellie	IMO David Leifer, husband of Ellie Leifer
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/05/16	Riefs, Martin & Marsha	IMO Dorothy Riefs, mother of Martin Riefs
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/06/16	Kaplan, Evelyn June	IMO Leonard Kaplan, father of Lynn Kaplan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/06/16	Goodman, Stan & Renee'	IMO anne Fischer, mother of Renee Goodman
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/06/16	Corenblum, Alvin	IMO Howard David Corenblum, son of Alvin Corenblum
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/06/16	Meyer, Joy	IMO Pattie Rosenberg, sister of Joy Meyer
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/08/16	Buchanan, Isabel	IMO Robert Greenfield, father of Isabel Buchanan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/08/16	Buchanan, Isabel	IMO Bessie Greenfield, mother of Isabel Buchanan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/09/16	Chesnutt, Harriet	IMO William Chesnutt, husband of Harriet Chesnutt
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Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/09/16	Greenberg, Allan & Florann	IMO Sam Greenberg, father of Allan Greenberg
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Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/09/16	Siegel-Dolan, Melanie	IMO Gilbert Siegel, father of Melanie Siegel-Dolan
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/09/16	Resker, Robert & Terry	IMO Abraham Strum, father of Terry Resker
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/10/16	Lidsky, Ina	IMO Barbara Miller, sister of Ina Lidsky
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/12/16	Moore, Ron & Patty	IMO Ellen Moore, wife of Ron Moore
Yahrzeit-Gen Fund	04/12/16	Korman, Alan & Marilyn	IMO Eva Korman, mother of Alan Korman

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BORSCHT BELT CLUB -Meets the third Sunday of every month at Lake Miona Rec Center. For information, email borschtbeltclub@gmail.com or call Arlene Kaplan 352-753-0482. All events are RSVP ONLY.

VILLAGES NORTH JEWISH CHAVURAH - Meets the first Saturday of the month (starting in 2016) at the Lake Miona Recreation Center. For information, contact Ted Harris 352-751-1010 or tvnorthchavurah@gmail.com. All events are RSVP ONLY.

VILLAGES SOUTH JEWISH CHAVURAH - Meets at 7:00 p.m. on the second Saturday of each month at the Rohan Recreation Center. For information, contact 352-633-0707 or TVSChavurah@gmail.com. All events are RSVP ONLY.

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