



# CONTRIBUTE TO WJC'S FUTURE

Provide your insight and perspective to help prepare WJC for a vibrant future. If you haven't already, please take the time to share your thoughts via our online, strategic planning survey. Please provide your feedback by Monday, November 7.

Community Conversations Sunday, November 6 Share your thoughts during one of our sessions (10:00am, 1:00pm, and 4:00pm) at WJC. Your input will help guide our direction, priorities, and programming—religious and otherwise.

To fill our the survey or RSVP to one of our Community Conversations, please visit wjcenter.org.

# REVIEW



Join WJC's Social Justice Action Committee for a day dedicated to helping others! There are plenty of fun opportunities for individuals and families to participate and donate to our of our partner organizations. To learn more or RSVP, visit wicenter.org.

See page 4 for more reasons why WJC is the place to be November 6!



Blessings play an important role in our Jewish lives. Please visit our website and share a blessing you've recited or experienced today. We hope you will submit a blessing every day of the 100 Blessing Campaign, and we encourage you to submit a different blessing each day.

# SYNAGOGUE FAMILY

Mazel Tov & Best Wishes to Adele & Bob Shansky on the birth of a granddaughter, Mirael Sadie to their son, Aaron & Shuli Rank... Suzi & Stephen Rabinowitz on the engagement of their daughter, Rachel to David Spiro... Jackie & Sol Israel and Debbie & Mark Jacoby on the marriage of their daughter & niece, Rachel to Jason Heiser... Melanie & Spence Kirschner on the engagement of their daughter, Rebecca to Ryan Brown... Randy & Roger Stavis on the engagement of their daughter, Ally to Jason Jacobs... Hanne Holsten on the birth of a great-granddaughter, Gray Zara to Shira & Courtney Daniels... Sue & Abe Mizrahi on their making aliyah to Israel and on the engagement of their grandson, Avi Tamir to Noga Korem... Mindy & Andy Feldman on the engagement of their son, Russell to Jenna Talesnick... Laurie & Stephen Girsky on the marriage of their son, Seth to Nicole Berg... Rabbi Adir Yolkut and Lauren Binder on the birth of a son, Cal Eiden Yolkut.

# **CONDOLENCES**

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Suzanne (Jeffrey) Corbin & Family on the loss of her father, Ira London.

# THIS MONTH'S CELEBRATIONS



Bar Mitzvah of Nathaniel Rudich ~ November 5 I am an 8th grade student at Hommocks Middle School. I enjoy baseball, tennis, fantasy football, and the Mets. For my Bar Mitzvah project, I am raising funds for the Mount Vernon travel baseball program. I would like to thank Cantor Alcott, Rabbi Dalton, and Rabbi Arnowitz for helping me prepare. I also am grateful to my parents and brothers, Noah and Ben.



Bat Mitzvah of Lia Seelenfreund ~ November 12 I'm a 7th grader at Albert Leonard Middle School in New Rochelle. I love to play the trombone, run cross country, read, and play games. Over the summer, I go to Camp Young Judea Sprout Lake. I would like to thank both rabbis, the cantor, and all of my Hebrew school teachers. I'd also like to thank my mom, dad, and brother, Cory, for their love and support.



Bat Mitzvah of Eden Paul ~ November 19 I am in 8th grade at Hommocks Middle School. In my spare time, I like to hang out with my friends and play volleyball. I spend my summers at Camp Echo. I am grateful for my parents and my younger sister, Evie, for making this day possible. I would like to thank Cantor Alcott, Rabbi Dalton, and Rabbi Arnowitz for helping me prepare.

# **FACE TIME**



# ECC DECORATES THE SUKKAH

Students in the ECC prepared for Sukkot by painting mini pumpkins, which they hung in the Sukkah.



# **SOUND THE SHOFAR**

Thank you to our resident expert Stu Seltzer for teaching Religious School students about the shofar.



# REVERSE TASHLICH

We had a fantastic turnout for WJC's very first Reverse Tashlich event, where we pulled our "sins" (debris) from Harbor Island Park in Mamaroneck.



6th Grade B'nai Mitzvah and Beyond November 6, 13, and 20 from 11:00am - 12:30pm 6th-grade students and parent(s) join the clergy in the sanctuary to discuss different topics. Brunch follows each session. The series continues on December 4, and December 11.

# **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

For more information about these upcoming events, visit wjcenter.org

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# Teen Mitzvah Night Tuesday at 6:00pm

Help our neighbors by assembling soup-in-a jar kits and decorating fun labels with SOJAC.

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# ShaJam Sing Along with Tkiya Thursday at 9:30am

Join us for a music and movement Shabbat experience! Open to children birth through pre-school age and their grown-ups.

> ECC Community Shabbat Service Friday at 5:30pm

Young children and their grown ups are invited to share in a song-filled and joyous welcoming of Shabbat with the WJC clergy!

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# Community Shabbat Dinner

Friday at 6:30pm

Join us for dinner following the Community Service. RSVP at wjcenter.org

# Rhythm and Ruach Friday at 7:30pm

We welcome everyone to celebrate Shabbat with revitalizing music and song.



# Jewish Perspective Concerning Organ Donation Friday at 8:30pm

We welcome you to attend a panel discussion exploring the personal and Jewish aspects of organ donation. Panelists will include Andrea and Sophia Danziger and Rabbi Jeffrey Sirkman of Larchmont Temple, who have personal experience with organ donation.

# WJC IS THE PLACE TO BE NOVEMBER 6!

From contributing to WJC's future to helping the local community, we have an event for everyone!

Community
Conversations
Sunday at 10:00am,
1:00pm, and 4:00pm
See page 1 for details.

Mitzvah Day Sunday at 9:00am See page 1 for details.

Havdallah Candle Workshop and Bagel Brunch Sunday at 12:00pm

Make your own Havdallah candle and enjoy a bagel brunch with the B'nai Mitzvah Committee.

J.O.Y. Club: Medical Ethics: Just Because We Can—Should We? Sunday at 3:00pm

Discussion of Medical Ethics in today's dramatic technological age led by Herb Leventer.

5th Grade Havdallah & S'mores at Rabbi's House Sunday at 6:00pm

5th Graders and their families come celebrate with Rabbi Arnowitz and Tami at their home. RSVP at wjcenter.org.

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# Movie, Games, and Open Gym Night Saturday at 6:00pm

WJC kids in Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to join together for a pizza dinner, games and a movie.

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# "Rebuilt from Broken Glass" - Kristallnacht Commemoration Sunday at 10:00am

Featuring a short film screening and conversation with survivor Fred Behrend and filmmaker Larry Hanover. The documentary spans Fred's remarkable life, from a youth shattered by Kristallnacht.

# Renewal Sunday at 7:00pm

After our SRO evening in September, Randy, Seth and the musical crew hope to keep your spirits rising with another evening of inspirational song.

# **WEEKLY SERVICES & STUDY**

For the most up-to-date information, please be on the lookout for our weekly emails, which include the links to join us virtually.

Weekdays at 7:00am; Sunday at 8:30am: Morning Minyan Service Led by one of our clergy. WJC Chapel or join virtually

Sunday-Thursday at 7:00pm: Evening Virtual Mincha Minyan A 15-minute opportunity for prayers and to say the Mourner's Kaddish. WJC Chapel or join virtually

Tuesday at 9:45-10:45am: Torah with Rabbi Dalton Rabbi Dalton's weekly parsha class. ZOOMID: 83172526127

## Friday Evening\*: Kabbalat Shabbat Services

Join us in person or on the live stream for Kabbalat Shabbat and Ma'ariv with a Shabbat D'var Torah. Saturday at 8:30am: Jewish Learning with Rabbi Arnowitz

A deep source-driven discussion on a relevant topic. WJC Library

Saturday at 9:15am: Shabbat Morning Services Led by our clergy.

Saturday at 11:00am: Torah for Tots Children ECC-age through kindergarten sing songs and learn about Shabbat.

Weather permitting, our group will meet outside on the Library Patio. If we cannot meet outside, we will meet in the WJC Youth Lounge.\*

Saturday at 11:00am: Youth Services Children in 1st through 5th grade are welcome to meet us in Room 1-5.

Weather permitting, our group will meet outside on the Activity Center Patio.\*

Saturday\*:
Havdalah with WJC
Send out the
sweetness of Shabbat.
There will also be an
opportunity to say the
Mourner's Kaddish.

\*Please check our Friday Shabbat emails.

Please see wjcenter.org for our updated Vaccination and Mask Policies.

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Dodgeball
Thursday at 7:30pm
WJC Brotherhood
Dodgeball in the gym.

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Project Ezra Luncheon Sunday at 11:30am SOJAC hosts the elders of Project Ezra for a special afternoon in which they are the cherished quests in our synagoque home. The Project Ezra Luncheon is a Jewish Peoplehood event, in which two Jewish communities that differ by age, geography and resources joyfully share common Jewish heritage through music, dance, prayer, food, story and conversation.

An Afternoon of
Music and Joy
Sunday at 4:00pm
Enjoy the talented
Cantors of Kol
Hazzanim/the Cantors of
Westchester (including
Cantor Goldberg) for a
county-wide afternoon of
music and joy.

# WE ACKNOWLEDGE WITH GRATITUDE

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund In honor of... Rabbi Arnowitz From Ellen Adler Shelee Berghaus a speedy recovery to Marilyn Weisbrot From Bernice Schargel the marriage of Jonathan Shein to Sara Brodsky From Cynthia Cohen & Glen Applebaum With thanks to Rabbi Arnowitz for leading the service dedicating Stanley's new monument From Fllen Adler & Family In appreciation of Rabbi Arnowitz for the auf ruf you led for Sara & Jonathan & your participation in their wedding ceremony From Jill & Leon Shein With thanks to Rabbi Arnowitz for his kindness to our family in this trying time From Florence

In memory of...
Julian Goldsmith
From Natalie Goldsmith
Betty Steingoetter
From Iris &
Leland Scopp

Schwartzberg

Ira London
From Laurie & Stephen
Girsky
Simmie Applebaum
From Cynthia Cohen &
Glen Applebaum
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# **WE ACKNOWLEDGE WITH GRATITUDE**

Neville Sassoon From Albert & Jodi Sassoon Menachem Arad From Graham Arad & Ellen Miller Arad **Ruth Arad** From Graham Arad & Ellen Miller Arad Phyllis Arad From Graham Arad & Ellen Miller Arad Isaac Salem From Sondra & Joel Levy Marilyn Ross Elisa & Ken Greenberg Amnon Michaeli From Ellen Dunkin & Joseph Michaeli Sol Dunkin From Ellen Dunkin & Joseph Michaeli Malvin Lutchen From Mark & Alana Lutchen Fay Platt From Carol & Jonathan Opas Lee Cohen From Carol & Jonathan Opas Meyer Platt From Carol & Jonathan Opas Miriam Bruh From Debra & Jeffrey Katz Samuel Seinfeld From Nina & Mel

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Social Justice Action Fund In memory of... Ira London From Myra Harris

Donation from... Edith Chess

Kiddush Fund In honor of... Tammy & Evan Cohen From Edythe & Larry Weiss Frederic & Jeanette Bogart's Wedding Anniversary From Susan McKay

In memory of...
Harry Paikin
From Susan & Allan
Abravanel
Frederick Raine
From Evan & Rashmi
Raine

Donation from... Elizabeth Samuelson

Holocaust Memorial Fund In memory of... Hyman Flancbaum From Barry & Florence Sideroff

Stanley Adler Youth Enrichment Fund In memory of... Joseph Adler From Ellen Adler J.O.Y. Club Fund In memory of... Joseph Woll From Bernice Rosen Libby Woll From Bernice Woll

Landscape Fund In memory of... Sylvia Becker From Bernice Schargel

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# HIGHLIGHTS

- 1 Men's Basketball 8:00pm
- 2 Beginners Israeli Dancing 6:30pm ZOOM Intermediate Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm ZOOM

3 Israeli Dancing - 7:30pm

4 Rhythm & Ruach – 7:30pm

6 Mitzvah Day

J.O.Y. Club Event – 3:00pm 7 Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm (zoom

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 8 Men's Basketball – 8:00pm

9 Beginners Israeli Dancing – 6:30pm ZOOM Intermediate Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm ZOOM

10 Israeli Dancing - 7:30pm

- 13 Kristallnacht Program 10:00am Renewal Service – 7:00pm
- 14 Israeli Dancing 7:30pm

15 Men's Basketball – 8:00pm

- 16 Beginners Israeli Dancing 6:30pm ZOOM Intermediate Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm ZOOM
- 17 Brotherhood Dodgeball 7:30pm Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm

19 Simple & Soulful – 10:15am

20 Project Ezra Luncheon - 11:30am Night of Music – 4:00pm

21 - Israeli Dancing – 7:30pm 22 - Men's Basketball – 8:00pm

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# **YOUTH & TEEN PROGRAMS**

- 1 Teen Mitzvah Night 6:00pm
- 3 ShaJam in Westchester 9:30am
  - 6 6th Grade B'Nei Mitzvah Family Experience – 11:00am BM Havdalah Workshop – 11:00am 5th Grade Havdalah & S'mores – 6:00pm
- 8 Teen Veteran's Program 6:00pm
- 12 K-6th Grade Youth Event 6:00pm
- 13 6th Grade B'nei Mitzvah Experience – 11:00am
- 15 Teen Kristallnacht Program 6:00pm
- 17 RS 6th Grade Soferet Program 4:00pm
- 20 6th Grade B'nei Mitzvah
   Experience 11:00am
   Teen Program 6:00pm
   RS 7th Grade Trip to Jewish Museum

ECC Thanksgiving CelebrationTeen Lounge Night