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Congregation Beth Hamedresh - Beth Israel

BULLETIN

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September President's Message

Friends,

We had lovely weather for our recent annual BHBI summer picnic. The food was great and the company was even better.

Special thanks are due to all who helped make the picnic a success. Leon Metlay purchased the franks & burgers, Andrea Paparocki bought the buns, and Art Mercer got the corn. Setup & cleanup were done by Art Mercer, Hanni Metlay, Katharine Carney, Yacob Deng, Alana Whalen, Stan Schaffer, Leon Metlay, and Harris, Aline & Matt Honickman. Chris & Jordan Paprocki, and Matt Honickman manned the grills. Sweating in the kitchen were Judith Mercer, Steve & Jack Teitel, and Andrea, Chris & Jordan Paprocki. Food servers included Katharine Carney, Ceil Goldman, Alana Whalen, Jimmy Manucso, Paul & Rose Israel, and Mike Kleine. Aaron & Jacob Schaffer sold New Year's greetings. Hanni Metlay and Harris Honickiman sold food and raffle tickets. (Yes Hanni won the raffle, and I certified it!). I regret if I left out anyone's contribution.

Earlier in the month Rebbetzin Esther Solomon had a wonderful 100th birthday party attended by many appreciative and admiring friends from BHBI and the community. It was wonderful to see such a great turnout of BHBI members.

Recently, Yacob Deng received heartening news that both his parents are alive in Sudan. He will now try to contact them and see how to arrange for their aid. We are all very happy for him.

Now we begin preparations for the High Holidays. We will host a joint Selichot service with Beth David at an earlier time than what some of you are used to: 8:30 pm on September 16. Rosh Hashanah begins on the evening of Friday, September 22 and continues through Sunday. See the calendar below for service times. We are pleased that Dr. George Kornfeld will again lead our High Holiday services.

Please tell your friends who are looking for a synagogue to attend on the High Holy Day about BHBI, and ask them to call the synagogue office to arrange to purchase tickets.

At this time of year, we take stock of ourselves and make corrections in the course of our lives. Let us forgive each other our faults and resolve to redouble our efforts to make this world worthy of its Creator.

I wish you all a happy and healthy New Year.

L'shanah Tovah Tekatavu,

Harris Honickman

BHBI CALENDAR OF EVENTS – September 2006

Friday	Sept 1	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 7:26 PM.				
Saturday	Sept 2	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Services Torah: Ki Teitzei				
Sunday	Sept 3	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast, Discussion				
Friday	Sept 8	8:00 PM	Joint Shabbat Evening Services with Temple Beth Am at Beth Am Light candles at 7:14 PM.				
Saturday	Sept 9	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Services Torah: Ki Tavo				
Sunday	Sept 10	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast, Discussion				
Monday	Sept 11	7:30 PM	BHBI Board Meeting				
Wednesday	Sept 13	7:30 PM	Small Conservative Shul Collaborative Joint Torah Study Session at BHBI				
Friday	Sept 15	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 7:02 PM.				
Saturday	Sept 16	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Services Torah: Nitzavim-Vayeilech				
		8:30 PM	Reception followed by Joint Selichot Services with Congregants from Temple Beth David at BHBI				
Sunday	Sept 17	9:00 AM	Service and Discussion				
Friday	Sept 22	7:00 PM	Erev Rosh Hashanah First Day Services Light candles at 6:49 PM.				
Saturday	Sept 23	9:00 AM	Rosh Hashanah 1 st Day and Shabbat Morning Services				
		8:00 PM	Erev Rosh Hashanah Second Day Services				
Sunday	Sept 24	9:00 AM	Rosh Hashanah 2 nd Day Services				
		5:00 PM	Mincha/Tashlich at Lake Riley				
Friday	Sept 29	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 6:36 PM.				
Saturday	Sept 30	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Service Torah: Haazinu Shabbat Shuvah				

We wish everyone a happy, healthy and successful New Year!

L'Shana Tova

THANK YOU TO OUR KIDDUSH SPONSORS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

August 5 Janet Grable in honor Rebbetzin Esther Solomon's 100th birthday

August 12 Jill Clark in memory of her grandmother, Bessie Gastel

August 19 Ira Cohen on honor of his brother, David's 60th birthday

August 26 Leon Metlay and Nina Klionsky



TO OUR DONORS -- THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

GENERAL FUND

In honor of the picnic *Ceil Goldman*

RABBI AARON SOLOMON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In honor of Mrs. Esther Solomon's 100th birthday

Paul and Rose Israel

Charles and Laura Levinson

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Kaplan

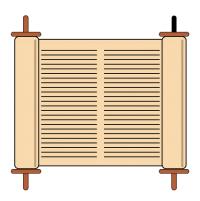
Esther Vogelstein

TORAH FUND

Ira Cohen

TORAH STUDY

Join friends from BHBI, Temple Beth Am and Temple Beth David for an interesting evening of Torah Study at BHBI at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13th. We will be continuing our study of Bereisheit. We are now up to the 6th day of the creation.



HAVE YOU LOOKED AT OUR WEB SITE RECENTLY?

If not, check it out at www.BHBIRochester.org

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.

September 1-2	Elul	September 8-9	Elul	September 15-16	Elul	September 22-23	Tishrei
David Nidetz Anna Zakofsky* Sylvia Album*	12 12 13	A. Ben Glaser* Celia Wolk* Leonard Mayer	16 17	Bessie Cominsky* Rose Levin* David Goldman*	23 25 26	Shirley Arlene Dvorkin* Ronni Lynn Gordon*	1 1
Morris Mittelman* Isidor Hess* Frumeh Hinensky* Joseph Taub September 29-30	13 14 14 14 Tishrei	Grossman* Albert Perahya Pearl Gross Abraham Goldman* Maurice Seide* Hyman Senzel*	18 18 20 21 21 22	Robert Lewis* Phillip Rogachefsky* Janet Kanthor* Gerald Glaser* Mollie Levy	27 27 28 29 29	David Lester Kauffman* Catherine Braz* Hyman A. Davis* Rose Lewis* Annie Schwartz*	1 3 5 6
Fannie R. Spector* David Schaffer Milton Honickman Ida Strom Annie Kovel*	8 10 11 13 14	Try main Scrizer	22	* Denotes name memorialized on BHBI Memorial Plaque		Zillile Sellwartz	o l

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.

Would you like to honor or remember a friend or loved one? Then why not sponsor one of our wonderful Shabbat kiddushim? Contact Aline Honickman at 271-5145 for more information.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Yom Kippur - Monday, October 2 First Day of Sukkot - Saturday, October 7 Shemini Azeret - Saturday, October 14 Simchat Torah - Sunday, October 15







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

Jill Clark
Ira Cohen and Dianne Hooker
Mrs. Esther and Richard Cole
Simon and Ella Finkelman
Alan and Emily Fishman
Phil and Annette Garver
Mrs. Maxine Gold and Lyn Michaels
Janet Grable

Benjamin and Muriel Hobel
Harris, Aline, Matthew and Noah Honickman
Rabbi David and Pammy Isaacs
Paul and Rose Israel
The Kleinstein Family
Bob and Rise Levine
Charles and Laura Levinson
The Mercer Family
Mrs. Katharine Metlay

Leon Metlay, Nina Klionsky, & Hannah,
Katharine and Robynne
Jeff Nidetz, Leslie Toker, and Mark
The Paprocki Family
Dave Rogachefsky
Harry Rogachefsky
Tamar Rogachefsky
John Rothbard
Stan, Elaine, Aviva, Aaron and Jacob Schaffer
Karen Schulman
Mrs. Esther Solomon and Family
Herb Spencer
Jeff, Lyn and Gavi Springut
Ruth, Steve and Jack Teitel
Peg Toker

Ken and Mollie Traub
The Yudelson Family



DO YOU HAVE FRIENDS WHO ARE UNAFFILIATED?

Tell them about BHBI and invite them to attend our services – they will be sure to get a wonderful welcome. We would also be happy to add them to our bulletin distribution list.

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So far our *TOPS* Gift Card fundraiser has been quite successful. Remember, *TOPS* Gift Cards are now available through BHBI in \$50 denominations.

To purchase *TOPS* Gift Cards, contact Stan Schaffer at 473-8072 or by e-mail at the schaffers@juno.com

<u>OFFICE</u>: The shul office is checked regularly for mail and messages. The shul phone is 244-2060. For urgent issues, call Harris Honickman at 271-5145 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 make 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.

BULLETIN CONTENT

What do you enjoy reading in the BHBI Bulletin? Is there something that you would like added (or taken out)? If so, please let Stan Schaffer know. We always appreciate feedback.

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<u>WANT TO GET YOUR BULLETIN HOT-OFF-THE-PRESS</u>? Consider having us e-mail it to you! Contact Elaine or Stan Schaffer at: the schaffers@juno.com

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