

# BULLETIN

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## **October President's Message**

Friends,

This is Rosh Hashanah - "Head of the Year". We say "head" not only in the sense of "beginning" and "new" but also to emphasize the devotion of mind and heart to fulfill that which is required of us during this season and throughout the year - to ask forgiveness from G-d and our fellow man, correct our faults, mend what harm we have caused, search for and share the meaning of life.

During these "Days of Awe" a timeless way to share this meaning is tzedaka - which is at once righteousness and charity. For Jews they are one and the same. Here are three suggestions.

1. The Kol Nidre Appeal raises funds for our congregation to provide for the needs of our members and to make necessary repairs to our building. The congregation relies on your generosity.
2. Make a donation to "The Corners of Our Fields", the High Holy Day appeal that raises funds for MAZON: A Jewish response to hunger. Money and food are raised for distribution to the needy - regardless of religion - through local and national agencies as well as in Israel. Please see information on page 4 of this bulletin for the address where you can send your donation.
3. Buy Israel Bonds - especially this year. This High Holy Day season Israel Bonds will receive a 50% matching gift for every bond purchased, which can end up being a substantial amount of money. Our brethren in Israel have had enormous losses from the war this past summer and there is much rebuilding to be done. You can help by purchasing a bond by calling 800-752-5653.

Until very recently, Peg Toker has been sending out the yahrzeit reminders to our members. Peg has now giving this very important role to Laura Levinson. We thank Peg for the fine work she did, and for helping Laura transition into the job.

Please help construct and decorate our sukkah on Sunday morning October 1. That same evening Yom Kippur begins at 6:30 pm with the Kol Nidre service, lead by Dr. George Kornfeld.

Thanks to Aline Honickman, Steve Teitel, Ira Cohen, Leon Metlay and Yacob Deng for their "Garden Party" effort to tidy up the landscaping around the building before the holidays. Great job! We'll be looking for more members to help with leaf raking in November. Please volunteer.

I wish all our members a sweet, happy and healthy New Year.

L'shanah Tovah Tekatavu,

*Harris Honickman*

## BHBI CALENDAR OF EVENTS – October 2006

Sunday	Oct 1	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast, Discussion followed by Construction of the Sukkah
		6:30 PM	Yom Kippur Kol Nidre Service Light candles at 6:33 PM. Fast begins at 6:47 PM.
Monday	Oct 2	9:00 AM	Yom Kippur Morning Service with Yizkor
		5:00 PM	Yom Kippur Mincha Service
		6:30 PM	Yom Kippur Neilah Service
		7:36 PM	Shofar Sounds to End Yom Kippur
Friday	Oct 6	6:30 PM	Erev Sukkot First Day and Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 6:24 PM.
Saturday	Oct 7	9:00 AM	Sukkot 1 <sup>st</sup> Day and Shabbat Morning Services Light candles after 7:22 PM.
Sunday	Oct 8	9:00 AM	Sukkot 2 <sup>nd</sup> Day Morning Services
Monday	Oct 9	7:30 PM	BHBI Board Meeting
Wednesday	Oct 11	7:30 PM	Small Conservative Shul Collaborative Joint Torah Study Session at BHBI
Friday	Oct 13	6:30 PM	Erev Shemini Azeret and Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 6:12 PM.
Saturday	Oct 14	9:00 AM	Joint Shemini Azeret and Shabbat Morning Services with Yizkor with Congregants from Temple Beth Am at BHBI to Be Followed by the September and October Birthday and Anniversary Kiddush
		7:15 PM	Erev Simchat Torah Services followed by Refreshments Light candles after 7:11 PM.
Sunday	Oct 15	9:00 AM	Simchat Torah Morning Services
Friday	Oct 20	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 6:01 PM.
Saturday	Oct 21	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Service Blessing for the New Month Torah: Bereisheit
Sunday	Oct 22	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast, Discussion
Friday	Oct 27	8:00 PM	Shabbat Evening Services Light candles at 5:50 PM.
Saturday	Oct 28	9:30 AM	Shabbat Morning Service Torah: Noah
Sunday	Oct 29	9:00 AM	Service, Breakfast, Discussion

**THANK YOU TO OUR KIDDUSH SPONSORS  
FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER**

September 2  
September 9  
September 16

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Nina Klionsky and Leon Metlay

**TO OUR DONORS -- THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**

**GENERAL FUND**

*John Rothbard  
Annette and Malcolm Weinberg  
Jill Clark*

Wishing a speedy recovery to Charles Levinson  
*Harriet Lempert*

In memory of Rose Gordon  
*Phil and Annette Garver*

**RABBI AARON SOLOMON SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

In honor of Mrs. Esther Solomon's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday  
*Barbara Forgione and Ismail Massa, Jr.  
Jimmy Mancuso*

**TORAH FUND**

In memory of Sadie Schaffer  
*Charles and Laura Levinson*

**Note: Donations to the High Holy Day Appeal will be acknowledged in  
the November Bulletin**

**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, October 11th.

**CONDOLENCES**

To Charles and Laura Levinson on the passing of Charles' sister, Florence Metelsky  
To Maxine Gold on the loss of her sister, Betty Slaford

**HAVE YOU LOOKED AT OUR WEB SITE RECENTLY?**

If not, check it out at [www.BHBIRochester.org](http://www.BHBIRochester.org)  
It's the best synagogue web site in town – look it over and find out why.

# 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.

October 6-7	Tishrei	October 13-14	Tishrei	October 20-21	Tishrei-Cheshvan	October 27-28	Cheshvan
Irving Solomon	15	Daniel Horowitz	23	Sam Gold	29	Ida Menter*	7
Harris I. Cezer*	18	Beverly Clark*	24	Bernard Israel	30	Clara Spencer	7
Ida Traub*	18	David Israel	24	Celia Israel	30	Marion Lazar*	8
Marie L. Steinmetz*	19	Morris Album*	25	Bessie Miller*	1	Joseph D. Stolnitz*	8
Robert Steinmetz*	19			Ida Phillips	2	Ida Buckbinder*	9
Stanley Toker	20			Sarah Rickler*	4	Irene Bernstein	
				Blanche Florescue		Mikolasek*	9
				Ross*	4	Bernard Lipschutz	10
				Charles Schnidman*	4	Lottie Astrachan*	12
				Harry Silverman*	4	Lewis Glaser*	12
				Rabbi Jordan Taxon*	4	Alfred E. Hart*	12
						Sol Weinstein*	12

\* 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.

*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.*

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SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES  
WITH US FOLLOWING SERVICES ON OCTOBER 14<sup>TH</sup>**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:**

Jake Schaffer 9/13  
Paul Israel 9/21  
Lyn Springut 9/27  
Harris Honickman 9/27  
Esther Cole 10/2  
Dave Rogachefsky 10/6  
Matthew Honickman 10/9  
Noah Honickman 10/10  
Mollie Traub 10/11  
Judith Mercer 10/19  
Steve Teitel 10/27

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO:**

Ben & Muriel Hobel 9/18  
Simon & Ella Finkelman 9/29



**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 [stanschaffer@frontiernet.net](mailto:stanschaffer@frontiernet.net)**



**COME JOIN US AS WE SET UP THE BHBI SUKKAH ON  
SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup> AND YOU JUST MIGHT SEE YOUR  
PHOTO ON OUR WEB PAGE!**

**OFFICE:** 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](mailto: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.

**DID YOU MISPLACE YOUR BULLETIN?**

Don't worry. BHBI Bulletins going back several months can now be found on our web page: [www.BHBIRochester.org](http://www.BHBIRochester.org)

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

Contact Elaine or Stan Schaffer at: [the\\_schaffers@juno.com](mailto:the_schaffers@juno.com)

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