The Shofar



Temple Beth El Israel

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February 2020 SHEVAT / ADAR 5780 Upcoming Events.....

February:

1	Meal and a Movie	6 PM
3	Sisterhood Board Meeting	10 AM
3	Brotherhood Board Meeting	7:30 PM
7	Family Service	7 PM
9	Treasure Coast Jewish Film Festival - TBEI	2 PM
11	Sisterhood Luncheon/Card Party	11:30 AM
18	Brotherhood General Meeting	12:30 PM
18	Ritual Committee Meeting	7:30 PM
20	Temple Board Meeting	7:30 PM
22	Julie Budd Concert @ Lyric Theater	7 PM
25	Fundraising Meeting	7:30 PM
28	Shabbat Across America	6 PM

Tickets for all events are available at the Temple office

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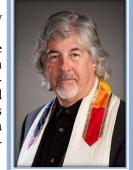
Sisterhood Card Party February 11th 11:30 AM



From the Desk of Rabbi Bruce Benson

February is a month with so much living inside of it, it's easy to get started.

We've just started the book of Exodus. The apex story of the Israelites as they travel and eventually become the Jews. We morph from a people who know the challenge of being repressed (what eventually we called "slavery"), of being held back from moving forward with our dreams and aspirations. It took Moses and an act of enormous faith to move our people, and the world, ahead into an age wherein a singular God is our partner, our challenger, our provider and the deliverer of truth and vision for us.



It is free will that clearly spells out the story of Exodus, choosing to follow the dictates of God by making a choice. Let us choose to raise TBEI up, to increase our numbers, to be more supportive to our community and bringing more to our doors and greeting them with our vision, our friendship and our hands reaching out.

This month we have a Tu B'shevat seder which will take place after Shabbat morning services February 8. If you have never attended one, read inside for details and join us during our Oneg after the service and be there as we add the Tu B'shevat seder to our celebration.

All organizations need to find additional ways to create financial strength. We have an extraordinary opportunity to do that AND enjoy an extraordinary night of music.

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 22, outstanding LAS VEGAS performer JULIE BUDD will be at the Lyric theater to help us by performing her Las Vegas show...I encourage you to go onto YouTube.com and type in: JULIE BUDD to see an exquisite performer in action. Come - bring a friend - enjoy a wonderful show!!

See a performer perform songs from the American Songbook as well as so many songs you know. Julie has opened during her storied career for the likes of Frank Sinatra, Sammy Davis Jr., George Burns and many others.

This is the real deal!! Don't miss this double opportunity!!

A community will only be as strong as its weakest supporter. Imagine a Saint Lucie county without Temple Beth El Israel - well, try hard - as it won't happen while we are here. We won't allow it to be so. It is by your support of programs, large and small. Come and sustain the major Jewish presence in the county. It will attract those who need a synagogue as part of their Jewish lives. Let us strive to bring one new member each. Just one!! Imagine where that will take us.

Watch for information on many exciting events that will be taking place in the months of February and March....

Looking forward to seeing you here!!

Rabbi B

The President's Communication Corner

If laughter is the best medicine, then those who attended the show with Rabbi & Comedian Bob Alper went home feeling a lot better! He provided 90 minutes of entertainment filled with jokes and hilarious stories. People laughed, smiled, and walked out feeling good. Everything seemed so upbeat and positive.

Let's keep that momentum going. Let's enjoy more entertaining afternoons/evenings together at the Meal and a Movie, Sisterhood Mah Jongg/Card Party & Luncheon, Julie Budd Concert, Sisterhood & Brotherhood Dinner Show, and Trivia Night, to name just some of the planned events.

Check the *Shofar*, our website, the flyers in the temple, or call the office for details. Then purchase your tickets and join us for a great time!

~Tobi



Help support the Temple.

By participating in our programs and fund-raisers

Let's greet and make visitors (and our own members) feel welcome when they come to services, in the social hall, after services or after special events.

Invite people you don't know to sit with you and get to know the people that come to our Temple. Saving seats in the Social Hall for the people we already know is not the way to meet and get to know our fellow congregants and guests.

SISTERHOOD NEWS

January has been a busy month for Sisterhood. We hosted three Onegs this month. Len and Eve Epstein sponsored an Oneg in honor of their January birthdays. Susan and Robert Polakow sponsored an Oneg in honor of Alan Bornstein's 90th birthday, and Arona Winer sponsored an Oneg in honor of Ray Feldman's birthday.

This coming February 11th, Sisterhood will be hosting our semi-annual Card and Mah Jong Party. The deadline for purchasing tickets will be February 5th. Tickets are available from the Temple office at a cost of \$20.00 each. Lunch will be catered by Too Jay's.

Our General meeting for March 10th, will feature Port St Lucie Councilwoman, Jolien Carabello. She will be giving us an update from the Port St Lucie Council. Some of you will remember her presentation for Sisterhood about one year ago.

If you are interested in joining our Sisterhood book club, we meet on the first Tuesday of the month at noon. Hermas Grayless is chairing the Book club this year, please give her a call for more information. On February 4th, we will be reviewing "Blackbird House" by Alice Hoffman. On March 3rd, we will be reviewing "Don't Stop the Carnival" by Herman Wouk. We'd love for you to join us.

Co-Presidents, Belle Sidel and Maryann Polk



You can celebrate your special occasion with your friends, fellow congregants and/or relatives at an Oneg on a Friday Night at TBEI.



For a minimum of \$75 you can sponsor your special event.

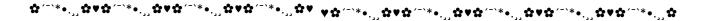
Why not sponsor an Oneg with friends for a joint celebration?

Two weeks prior notice would be greatly appreciated.

Please call or email the Sisterhood Co-Presidents to make arrangements.



Can you spare an hour a month to help set-up the Oneg on Friday mornings? The Sisterhood needs volunteers. If you're available let Belle or Maryann know.



TBEI Sisterhood Book Club



Tuesday, February 4th, 2020 at 12:00 pm

February's Book is:

Blackbird House by Alice Hoffman

For more information please call Belle Sidel 772-785-5337 or Hermes Grayless 713-447-4507 We have many new & beautiful items in the Judaica Shop

Stop in and browse



We still have a few Enjoyment books !!!!

If you haven't already bought yours stop in to the Judaica Shop or the office to pick one up.

They make great gifts, too.

BROTHERHOOD NEWS:

The TBEI Brotherhood will be joining the rest of the TBEI family at the Remembrance Celebration Open House for our friend Rich Schnabolk Z"L, Saturday, February 8, 1-4 pm, at his home at 9764 Chestwood Avenue in Port St. Lucie. Rich was the secretary of the Brotherhood, and at the celebration we will unveil a special recognition for Rich.

The guest speaker at this month's Brotherhood meeting will be St. Lucie County Supervisor of Elections Gertrude Walker. One month before the Florida primary (Tuesday, March 17), she will speak about the safeguards in place to ensure the accuracy and security of our votes. The meeting is Tuesday, February 18, at 1 pm. The monthly Brotherhood business meeting will follow Ms. Walker's presentation. As always, bagels and coffee will be provided, and all are welcome!

Ellis Bromberg ~ Brotherhood Co-president



Please join us.

On February 8th, we will be having our Annual Tu B'Shevat Seder following the Saturday morning service. Tu B'Shevat is the new year for trees and we will be eating traditional fruits, nuts and other foods to commemorate the holiday.





DON'T MISS OUR NEXT UPCOMING SHOW ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND AT 7 P.M. JULIE BUDD AT THE LYRIC THEATER

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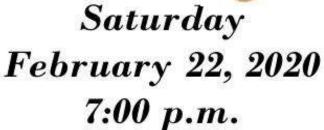
Notify the Temple office or call the Rabbi if a family member, or if you are aware, a fellow congregant is ill, has had an accident, or is in need of the Rabbi's services.

The Rabbi can only help if he is informed that he is needed.

Julie Budd

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Julie has performed and co-starred with some of the most legendary stars in show business history including Frank Sinatra, Danny Thomas, Joan Rivers, and Liberace – to name just a few. Her numerous recordings span a wide range of genres and have garnered broad acclaim.

We will be issuing tickets - on a first come basis beginning Monday, February 3rd at the Temple office during regular office hours (Monday - Thursday 10 - 4 and Friday 10 - 3)

We have a limited amount of tickets and they must be picked up in person.

TREASURE COAST JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL SHOELAGES

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2020

REFRESHMENTS 2:00 PM FILM 2:30 PM

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FYI:

MOSAIC IS BACK
ON SUNDAY MORNINGS
AT 10:30 A.M. ON NBC
WITH VERY INTERESTING TOPICS
OF INTEREST TO THE
JEWISH COMMUNITY

Upcoming Family services will be on the following dates:



2020

February 7th March 6th April 3rd May 1st June 1st

Friday night Torah services (usually the 3rd Friday each month):

2020



February 21st March 20th April 17th May 15th June 19th

WE HAVE SO MANY GREAT EVENTS PLANNED FOR THE UPCOMING MONTHS

JOIN US AND SUPPORT OUR FUNCTIONS

To Be or Not To Be.....

In March, the TBEI players will be presenting "SHAKESPEARE IN ADAR" the megillah according to William Shakespeare.... the entire story told in the words of the bard....

WE NEED A CAST!!

If you would like to appear in the Megillah by Shakespeare - LISTEN UP!!

Auditions will be held on Saturday February 15, after the Shabbat morning service (in the sanctuary). That's right around 12:00....

The performance will be directed by: SAUL BRONSTEIN. You will NOT be required to memorize your part of the script, although it will be great if you can.

We'll also need folks who can help us create costuming, etc.

Let's do this and have some fun!!!

DO A "JUBER" MITZVAH ~ ~

IF YOU LIVE IN A COMMUNITY, OR NEAR WHERE SOMEONE ELSE LIVES, WHO CAN'T DRIVE AT NIGHT OR JUST NEEDS A RIDE TO GET TO THE TEMPLE, PLEASE CALL THE TEMPLE TO FIND OUT IF YOU CAN HELP ANOTHER MEMBER WHO WOULD LIKE TO COME TO SERVICES OR ANY OF OUR EVENTS OR SHOWS.

This past month:



Adam, Jakob and Max Dobrin took part in the Family Service this past month.



We started our 2020 onegs by celebrating Len & Eve Epstein's Birthdays



If you take pictures at any of our functions, please send them to me so we can all share your photos. Send them to: faithkrumenacker@comcast.net

We celebrated Alan Bornstein's 90th Birthday with his family & friends



We celebrated Ray Feldman's Birthday with his temple family & friends



February Birthdays

- Deborah Brateman
- Ethan A. Schultz
- 12 Zachary Myles Birch Farragut
- 12 Justin Glickman
- 12 Joseph Greenwald
- 13 Sam Bronstein
- 13 Jacqueline Ward
- 14 Traci Glickman
- 15 Sheila Marks
- 16 Abigail Roth
- 21 Linda Wigdor
- 22 Sara Maggin
- 23 27 Liana Rose Rosichan-
- Lester Schwartz
- 27 Francine Tama





February Anniversaries



Mr. & Mrs. Richard Levine 14 Mr. & Dr. Judith Logue 19 Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Stillman

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Nader

If you don't see your birthday or anniversary listed in the Shofar contact the Temple office and ask to have your special day included on our list.





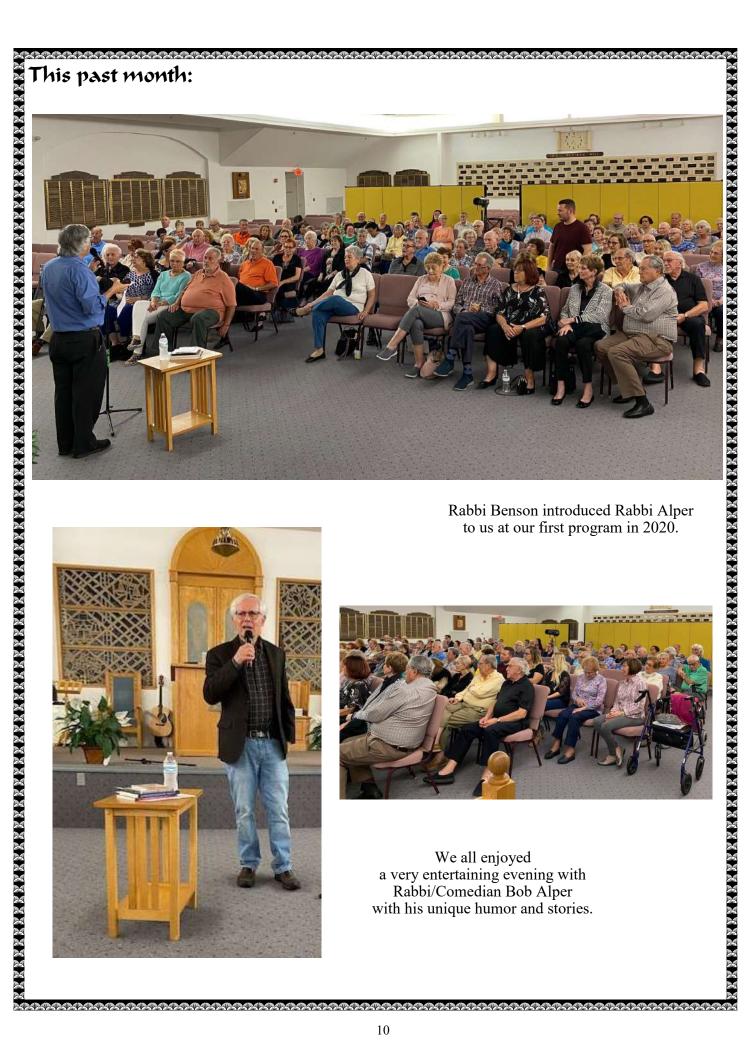
Invitation to the Remembrance Celebration Open House For Rich Schnabolk Saturday, February 8th From 1:00pm - 4:00pm

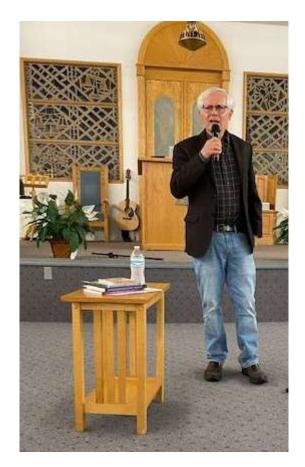
At his home at: 9764 Chestwood Ave Port St. Lucie Fl 34987

Please join his friends and family for casual conversation about Rich's life at the home he loved.

All are welcome and

Refreshments will be served







UNABLE TO GET TO TEMPLE TICKET OFFICE? Complete the form below, enclose your check, mail to: TBEI, 551 SW Bethany Drive, Port St. Lucie, FL 34986 and we will have your tickets waiting at the door. Tickets are NON REFUNDABLE.

Event Name	Date of Event	Purchase Ticket Deadline	Price Per Ticket	Number Of Tickets	<u>Total</u>
Sisterhood Card Party/Luncheon	February 11th	February 5th	\$20 pp		
Julie Budd Concert	February 22nd	No deadline	No charge	Tickets are at the Tem The Lyric	ple or at
Sisterhood~Brotherhood Dinner/Show	March 2	February 20th	\$38		
Trivia Night	March 28th	March 24th	\$15		

NAME:	TELEPHONE:	
EMAIL:	TOTAL ENCLOSED:	



WEDNESDAY BINGO IS HERE !!! Spread the word !!!

Doors open at 5 p.m. - Game starts at 6:30 p.m.

A grateful thank you to everyone that has been helping at our Bingo games. Our games have been very successful and we could use help whenever you are able to give some time - any Monday and/or Wednesday between the hours of 5:00 and 9:15.

Thank you to the following members for sponsoring an Oneg or Kiddush in the past month:

Sisterhood

Eve & Len Epstein in honor of their Birthdays
Robert & Susan Polakow in honor of Alan Bornstein's 90th Birthday
Alan Bornstein in honor of his Birthday
Ronni Winer in honor of Ray Feldman's Birthday

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Ruth Siegel & Naomi Saphire

Cecile & Sam Levy

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Cecile & Sam Levv

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Karol & Richard Levine

Eileen Katzman

PLEASE CALL KAROL LEVINE TO SEND IDA RUBIN CARDS 240-285-3039

GET WELL WISHES TO DOROTHY JANIN:

Doris Haendel

Karol & Richard Levine

SPEEDY RECOVERY TO LINDA WIGDOR:

Doris Haendel

LEAH WILLIAMSON CHAPTER OF HADASSAH

The next General Meeting is Tuesday, February 25th at 12:30 pm

Our guest speaker will be Marty Jacobson He will discuss "Crimes against Seniors"

Refreshments will be served Bring your lunch

Arlene Schweitzer & Sue Schwartz Co-Presidents



Please call Miriam Cassel

at 336-3819 to volunteer

for a Haftorah reading.







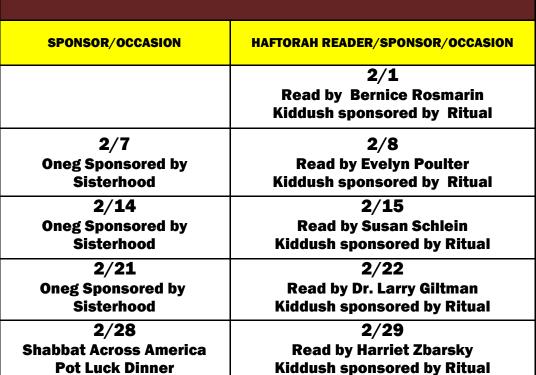








FEBRUARY ONEG SPONSORS HAFTORAH READERS & KIDDUSH SPONSORS















The Shofar has updates with corrections, new addresses and/or phone numbers, and new member information for you to add to your Temple Directory to keep it current.

Welcome all new and returning members to our TBEI family.

Temple Beth El Israel

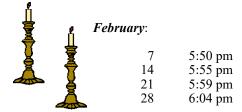
Welcome New Member:

David Dickter 46 Florida Way Port St Lucie, FL 34952 772-359-6750



For more information about what's happening in the Temple check out the flyers in this issue of the Shofar, or go online to TBEI.org

Friday night Candle Lighting Schedule:



Lighting the Shabbat Candles:

בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְנָ אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶּךְ הָעוֹלָם אֲשֶׁר קִדְשָׁנוּ בְּמִצְוֹתָיו וְצִּנָנוּ לֹהַדְלִיק נֵר שָׁלֹ שַׁבַּת: (אַמֵּן)

Baruch ata Adonay, Eloheynu melech ha-olam, asher kid-shanu b'mitz-votuv, v'tzivanu l'hadlik nayr shel Shabbat.

Praised are You, Lord our G-d, King of the universe, who has taught us the way of holiness through the Mitzvot, and enjoined upon us the kindling of the Shabbat lights.



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A DAY IN DELRAY





A Temple Beth El Israel Brotherhood Event

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2020

Bus departing from TBEI at 9:30 a.m., returning at 5:00 p.m.

Price: \$25 per person

Join the TBEI family for a "Day in Delray" featuring:

- free admission to the interactive Silverball Museum with its restored classic pinball machines, free soft drinks and coffee included;
- discounted menu at the museum (or grab lunch in Delray Beach);
- an afternoon at the Delray Affair, the largest arts & craft festival in the Southeast United States.

Make checks payable to TBEI Brotherhood and send or bring to the temple office by Wednesday, April 1.

Office hours: Monday - Thursday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m., Friday 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. For questions call the temple office at 772-336-2424.

Space is limited to only 56 people so reserve your seat today!



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Our Monthly TBEI Library Book Review.....by Sheilah Korinow



<u>Golda Meir Speaks Out</u>, edited by Marie Syrkin, is a book which shows the various sides of Golda Meir through her statements, which makes it a "kind of oral autobiography in which Mrs. Meir's extraordinary personality is expressed in her own words." The book covers a lifetime, not just

her tenure in government jobs. She was always a "fighter", in many ways - fighting against the swamps of her kibbutz as well as against Israel's external foes.

The book contains moving statements she has made, about one crisis or another in Israel's struggle for survival, and about analyzing various social problems. The editor wrote: "They reflect her unaffected good sense and human sympathy in the most personal sense." The editor goes on to describe Mrs. Meir's "simplicity of style" which "corresponds to the clarity with which she perceives the essentials of a problem." She has the "ability to disengage the kernel of truth from the husk of spurious complexities," which seems to be a "refreshing gift in the midst of diplomatic double-talk." Couldn't we use someone like that today? She was, the editor states, "a formidable antagonist". Come sit and read her words, and gain an understanding about why she became an important figure of her time.

There are 26 chapters, plus an additional section, each one containing a particular topic - in interviews, written articles, speeches, statements, discussions, and even testimony at a trial. Let's take a look at some of what the book contains. I'll tell you the names of some of the chapters, and whether it is a speech, statement, discussion, etc.). I'll include a short quote from the text which seems to define what kind of person she was.

Chapter 1 - "My Beginnings" - gives a good background in Kiev in the Pale of Settlement. This chapter contains a radio interview given in Israel in 1969, where Mrs. Meir talks about her relatives. Then her life in America is described, as well as her settlement in Israel. About her parents she says: "To what extent did Father and Mother make me what I am? ... From my Father I got, let us say, my obstinacy. From my Mother I got optimism."

Chapter 3 - "Women's Lib" - is an article written in 1930. It delves into the pros and cons of a woman who works as one who stays at home. She really discusses this thoroughly and ends with the following: "This eternal division, this double pull, this alternating feeling of unfilled duty - today toward her family, the next day toward her work - this is the burden of a working mother." This is quite an interesting and meaningful chapter.

Chapter 8 - "In the Midst of Battle:1948" - is a speech before the Council of Jewish Federation in Chicago. Mrs. Meir came there to help raise funds due to the lack of weapons and Arab attacks. Even Ben Gurion said about the rest of her mission: "Someday when history will be written, it will be said that there was a Jewish woman who got the money which made the state possible," Her speech was emotional - "Rifles and machine guns without spirit are not worth very much, but spirit without arms can in time be broken with the body." It is worth reading this speech.

Chapter 13 - "A Solemn Appeal to the Arabs" - This was when Mrs. Meir, in front of the General Assembly in 1957, surprised everyone by abandoning the prepared text and made a spontaneous appeal to the Arabs. She finished by saying: "It is our profoundest hope that the coming period may make a decisive step in this regard, to the inestimable benefit of all the people of the Middle East and perhaps the entire world."

Chapter 15 - "The Trial of Eichmann" - Here we have a statement at the Security Council, when Mrs. Meir answers "the charges brought by the Argentine government - 1960" You will read testimonies given at the trial, and Mrs. Meir's final statement which asks: "Did the threat to peace lie in Eichman at large, Eichmann unpunished, Eichmann to spread the poison of his twisted soul to a new generation?" This is another informative and emotional speech. She ends with: "We are driven by the memory of the past, the responsibility for the future, and by the desire to live up to a sense of 'chosenness' - not because we are better than others, but because we dream of doing better in building a society in Israel which will be a good society on concepts of justice and equality."

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS:

Donations to the General Fund In memory of Richard Schnabolk:

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Anonymous

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NOTE:

Above donations were received in December

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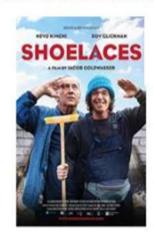


TREASURE COAST JEWISH FILM FESTIVAL



2020 Schedule

Join Us!!



February 9, 2020 Temple Beth El Israel Port St. Lucie

a complicated relationship between an aging father and his special-needs son, whom he abandoned while he was still a young boy.





March 15, 2020 Temple Beth Shalom Vero Beach

The Samuel Project is a story about a boy who gets to know his grandfather for the first time when he makes him the subject of an animated art project for his school.

Refuge tells the story of a Jewish-American woman who moves to Vienna and befriends an Ethiopian Jewish refugee.



April 19, 2020 Temple Beit HaYom Stuart

Humor Me is a comedy about an aging, widowed father who refuses to engage emotionally with his recently divorced son—and who is desperate for approval.

Join Dr. Larry Giltman on Saturday mornings at 9 AM for interesting Torah Study discussions. We can all learn more about Judaism.





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There are many chapters that I have not mentioned, but topics discussed in them include: kibbutz life, Jewish workers and their grievances, the *Exodus* - 1947, discussion of the widening economic gap between veteran settlers and newcomers, the Israeli action in Sinai and its withdrawal, a solution of the Arab refugee problem, Israel's search for peace, and poverty in Israel. Reading these speeches and statements will give you much more knowledge about Golda Meir than most of you already have. I don't mean this to be an insult, but this book really gives the reader a look at her that no other book can. They are her words, spoken in a way that gives us more insight into what type of woman she was, and how much she has contributed to her country, to the Jewish People, and to the world.

At the end of the book, there is a group of topics Mrs. Meir speaks about in various interviews: "On Being a Woman", "On Zionism", and "On Peace", in which she states: "I want my grandchildren to live in an Israel that is part and parcel of this entire area, but I don't want them to live in an Israel that will always be complimented as the only democratic state here, the only developed state. I want Israel to be a part of a highly developed culturally advanced Middle East with much cooperation between its peoples. Each people maintaining its individual characteristics and yet a region that lives together. Above all, I hope that Israel will become the ideal, just society of which we dream." -1970 What insight she had!

If you would like to check out this book, look for it in the third section of shelves on the left as you enter the library. It is on the 4th shelf of that section with a small wooden box next to it. Remove a slip from the box, fill it out and place the slip back in the box, and the book is yours to take home. When you return it, just leave it on the shelf where you originally found it. One word of caution. Please be gentle with this book. It has seen much use in the past, so it is not in the greatest of conditions. However, what it holds is a treasure!

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2019 & 2020 Sisterhood Book Club Selections:

February 4th	Blackbird House	Alice Hoffman
March 3rd	Don't Stop the Carnival	Herman Wouk
April	~ No Meeting ~	
May 5th	People of the Book	Geraldine Brooks
June 2nd	We Were the Lucky Ones	Georgia Hunter

All books except for the November and May books (which need to be purchased) are complimentary from the St. Lucie Library System "Book-in-a-box"

> The book club meets following the Sisterhood Board meetings at 12 noon in the Temple library.















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- Memorial candle at home
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Life Cycle Events

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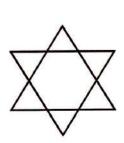
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