

April Happenings (and more)

at CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL!



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Tuesday, April 2nd

7:30am **Yizkor service**

No Hebrew School on April 2.
Hebrew School returns Sunday, April 9th



Thursday, April 4th

Lord & Taylor Shopping Day
Fund Raiser for Hebrew School Buy \$5 coupon book at office



Yom HaShoah Programs to Commemorate Holocaust Remembrance Day

Thursday, April 4th and at 7:30pm

Hanna Wechsler will share her personal story at Temple Emanuel in Woodcliff Lake

Sunday, April 7th at 7:00pm at CBI

Our evening will include a film addressing the story of Greece during the Holocaust and a personal presentation. Also, our annual meaningful candle lighting ceremony.



Saturday, April 13th at 10:00am

Shabbat morning services at Jewish Home Assisted Living (River Vale)



Sundays in April from 10:00am - 11:30am

Lifecycle Series Continues

April 14th: Jewish Beliefs in the Afterlife

April 21st: Learn to Lead a Shiva Minyan



Thursday, April 18th at 7:00pm

ONE BOOK, ONE COMMUNITY PROGRAM

Conversation with Diane Ackerman, author of *The Zookeeper's Wife*. Refreshments. Free of Charge

JCC of Paramus, 304 East Midland Avenue, Paramus

Friday, April 26th at 7:30pm

ALEPH & BET CLASS SERVICE

Thursday, April 25th at 1:30pm

SIGNIFICANT SENIORS Program

Capt. Buono of Emerson Police Dept. will speak about safety, scams, and other issues of interest to seniors.

Saturday, April 27th at 10:00am

Jewish Meditation & Spirituality "Shabbat Experience"

Shabbat morning prayer service, with concentration on ritual objects, holy words and letters, and various forms of Jewish meditation.



Sunday, April 28th at 12noon

ANNUAL LAG B'OMER PICNIC

BBQ, softball, and more!

More details to follow



Friday, April 5th – **WEAR SPORTS JERSEYS & UNIFORMS!**

6:30pm: **HOT DOG DINNER**
(vegetarian options available)

Cost: \$6 per person/\$16 per family



7:30pm: **Casual Sports Shabbat Service**
With references to sports and athletics in the Bible and Talmud.

Plus, prayers led by Gimmel students!

Friday, April 12th

7:00pm: **Family Shabbat Program**

Fun Shabbat program, especially for families with children ages 8-11



8:00pm: Erev Shabbat service with an "Israel theme" as Yom HaAtzmaut is celebrated on April 16th



Tuesday April 16th

Happy Birthday, Israel!!!

YOM HA'ATZMAUT

Sunday, April 17th at 7:30pm

Men's Club Poker Night

Cost: \$20 per person (age 18 and older)



Sunday, April 21st at 2:00pm

Tour of the Lower East Side

Sponsored by CBI's Sisterhood & Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel (WCL)

Cost: \$18 (adults); \$16 (seniors); \$12 (children)

Meet in NYC — see website or shmooz for flyer with details!!
RSVPs needed to: sisterhood.chair@bisrael.com

Saturday, April 20th

Shabbat with a focus on Israel

10:00am: **Learning Service**

Dalet/Hey students lead some of the service

10:30am: **Young Family Shabbat Program**

For families with children 7 and under

10:30am: **8-11 Club's Family Service**

For families with children 8-11 years old

Lunch for all to follow, with "pita pizza," salads, and special Israeli foods in honor of Israeli Independence Day!
RSVP's requested. April birthdays will be celebrated!



SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, May 4

COMEDY NIGHT IS BACK!

