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Daf Hashavuah

Sukkot, September 29-October 1

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Sukkot Schedule



Friday, September 29

6:45 AM // Shacharit

6:37 PM // Candle Lighting*

6:40 PM // Mincha/Ma'ariv @ CBI

6:50 PM // Northside Minyan @ Gessow home, 1315 Bonita

7:22 PM // Communal Dinner in the CBI Sukkah, registration required

**Note: It is advisable to light a yahrzeit candle, so that on the second evening the candles may be lit by transferring the flame from this preexisting flame.*

Saturday, September 30

9:00 AM // Morning Services

Drasha by Rabbi Cohen, "Finding Our Balance: From Yom Kippur to Sukkot"

Greeters:

9-10 AM: Ricki Landes

10-11 AM: Josh Kirsch

11AM-12 PM:

9:00 - 11:30 AM // Shabbat Youth Programming:

Ages 0-3 @ CBI loft space // 9 AM drop off // 10:40 AM parent-and-me tot Shabbat circle

Age 3 -4th grade @ Gan Shalom // 9:00 AM drop off, 10:00 AM snack and program

Kiddush is sponsored by Liora Brosbe & Rabbi Daniel Isaacson in honor of Asher Isaacson's recent bar mitzvah

6:25 PM // Mincha followed by learning with Miriam Cohen, "From Alyiah to Higher Education - YOEL Initiative in the Ethiopian Community." Come learn about the work of YOEL (Ethiopian integration into academic studies) from Miriam Cohen, who volunteers as a tutor and a mentor. Several members of the Cohen family have been volunteering with YOEL in the last five years.

After 7:33 PM // Light Candles from a preexisting flame

7:33 PM // Communal Dinner in the CBI Sukkah, registration required

Sunday, October 1

9:00 AM // Morning Services

Drasha by Rabbanit Wolkenfeld, "The Sukkah is a Chuppah"

Greeters:

9-10 AM: Asaf Shor

10-11 AM: Zvika Krieger

11AM-12 PM:

9:00 - 11:30 AM // Shabbat Youth Programming:

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Kiddush is sponsored by Nae Golomb, in memory of her mother, Faye Feldman Golomb and by **Isaac Kaplan** in memory of his father Arthur Kaplan, Avraham ben Moshe

6:30 PM // Mincha followed by learning with Rabbanit Wolkenfeld, "On the Garbage Heaps of Mata Mehasia"

7:31 PM // Havdalah

High Holiday Kiddush Sponsors

We thank the following for their sponsorship of all High Holiday kiddushim: Beth & Stephen Cohen, Rabbi Yonatan & Frayda Cohen, Jim & Carol Cunradi, Malcolm Feeley & Rivka Amado, Karen & Baruch Kadish, Rena & Ori Kanefsky, Laura Lipman, Stephen & Joan Reich, Barbara Schick, Asaf Shor & Hilla Abel, Jeff & Doreet Stein, Rabbanit Meira & Ezra Wolkenfeld

Rosh Hashanah Day 1 Sponsors: Bella Barany, Noga Ravid & Andrew Bestwick, Shira & Noam Haber, Rachel Schor, Zac & Jen Kamenetz, Desmid Lyon, the Mah Jongg Group, Mordy & Rena Rosen, Kaellyn Moss, Henry & Violette Sibony, Adam Rosenzweig & Jessica Fain, Marti & Shelly Zedeck

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Yom Kippur Break Fast Sponsors: Michelle & Yoni Brenner, Sara & Benni Darmoni, Jenna Lewis, Desmid Lyon, Nell & Chaim Mahgel-Friedman, Kaellyn Moss, Adam Rosenzweig & Jessica Fain, Mordy & Rena Rosen, Leslie Valas & Alan Finkelstein, Stanley Wulf & Linda Press Wulf, Marti & Shelly Zedeck

This Week

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Monday, October 2 - Thursday, October 5

6:45 AM // Shacharit

5:25 PM // Mincha/Ma'ariv

Friday, October 6th

6:45 AM // Shacharit

6:27 PM // Candle Lighting

6:30 PM // Mincha/Ma'ariv

Classes This Week

Daf Yomi Learning

8AM // Shabbat morning

7AM // Sunday

7:45AM // Monday-Friday (after Shacharit)

Tuesdays // 12PM

Midrash on the Parsha, **Starting October 10**

Rabbanit Meira Wolkenfeld

This class explores the weekly Torah portion through the lens of midrash. We will also discuss the history of midrash and study selections from both legal and nonlegal midrashic collections. We will consider how the rabbis developed unique and creative approaches to reading the biblical text. Come think about the Parsha on Tuesdays, and you'll always have a d'var Torah ready for your Shabbat table.

Tuesdays // 1PM

CBI's Mah Jongg group meets weekly and is open to players that know how to play and already have their National Mah Jongg Play Card. Beginners are welcome to join as well, Marti Zedeck will be teaching every Tuesday. To join, please be in touch with Marti.

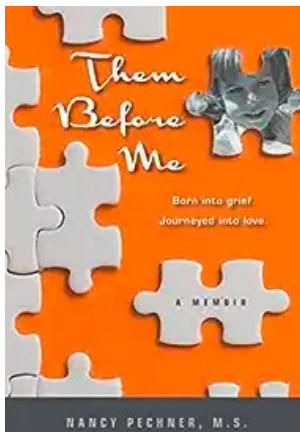
Fridays // 9AM

Talmudic Wisdom: Tractate Sotah, Starting October 13

Rabbi Yonatan Cohen

Tractate Sotah primarily explains the ritual of the bitter water, a trial by ordeal of a woman suspected of adultery by providing close Halakhic readings of biblical verses. Rich in Aggadic references, Sotah also includes material relating to central biblical figures and events. Time and time again, talmudic discussions offer a lens into the rabbis' views on religious, moral, and theological questions.

Holiday Classes and Events



Sisterhood Book Talk, TONIGHT

Thursday, September 28, 7:00 PM @ CBI

The Beth Israel Sisterhood invites you to hear author Nancy Pechner discuss her new memoir *Them Before Me: Born Into Grief. Journeyed Into Love*. A personal journey about healing and finding forgiveness from generational trauma. Book reading, Q & A and signing. Books will not be sold at event, so please bring yours for signing! **Book purchase links are on Nancy's website home page NancyPechner.com.



Communal Sukkot Dinners

Friday, September 29 and Saturday, September 30

Join us as we fill Beth Israel's sukkah with warmth and joy. We will feast, learn, sing and gaze at the stars through the sukkah's schach. *\$30 Adults • \$20 Students & Young Professionals & Children (to 12) • \$80 max. per family. Pay by Zelle to office@cbiberkeley.org; Venmo @CBI-Berkeley; by check to Congregation Beth Israel; or by credit card or through Paypal on our [website](#) (note which dinner it is for).*



Tot Supper in the Sukkah

Tuesday, October 3, 5:30-7:00 PM

Children under 5 and their families are invited to join CBI and Gan Shalom on Tuesday, October 3 from 5:30-7:00 PM for dinner and a show! We will eat dinner in the CBI sukkah. Risa from Jelly Jam will perform a puppet show called "Greedy Gus." Please RSVP no later than Friday, September 29, by signing up [HERE](#).



Thursday Night Music Mishmar

Thursday, October 12, 8:00 PM

The Thursday Night Music Mishmar will be a Jewish music jam session meeting at different East Bay Jewish Community spaces each week. Lyrics and chords will be projected so that people can play or sing along. Join the first session, taking place at CBI, to prepare musically and spiritually for Shabbat by learning new songs and enjoying old favorites.

CBI – General Announcements



Community-Wide Simchat Beit HaShoeva
Wednesday, October 4, 8:00 PM @ Congregation Netivot
Shalom, 1316 University Ave, Berkeley

Join the East Bay Jewish community for an evening of song and celebration led by local community leaders. Lyrics and chords will be projected so everybody can sing, play, and dance along.

TALMUD FOR GIRLS 2023
FALL

SUN DAY **BEKIUT: PEREK HAKONES**
Ms. Tzophia Stepanky GRADES 6-12
12:30PM Eastern, 9:30 AM Pacific, 7:30PM Israel

MON DAY **DEBATING THE TALMUD: PEREK HAKONES**
Rabbanit Leah Sarna GRADES 9-12
8PM Eastern, 5PM Pacific

TUES DAY **MIDDLE SCHOOL TALMUD: PEREK HAZAHAV**
Mrs. Deborah Klapper GRADES 6-8
7PM Eastern, 4PM Pacific

SUM MER **APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN FOR OUR IMMERSIVE SUMMER PROGRAMS!**
HIGH SCHOOL June 25-July 25
MIDDLE SCHOOL July 2-21

MORE INFO: [GIRLS.DRISHA.ORG](https://www.girls.drisha.org)

Talmud For Girls Grades 6-12: Fall Drisha Offerings

Drisha has a great line up of Zoom learning opportunities for girls grades 6-12 who are interested in learning Torah this Fall!

Mourning and Healing: A gathering to remember pregnancy loss, honor your experience, and nurture your heart and soul.

When: October 15th, 10:00 – 11:15 am

Where: The Memory Garden at Eternal Home Cemetery, [1051 El Camino Real, Colma](https://www.eternalhomecemetery.com)
Info and

RSVP: Idit@hasidah.org or <https://www.tinyurl.com/MourningAndHealing>

Reaching out to someone you know who has experienced pregnancy loss will show them you care and see them and give them an opportunity for healing. Pregnancy loss affects as many as 1 in 4 pregnancies. So many people carry the pain of pregnancy loss with them silently, not having a time, a place, or a way to mourn. Acknowledging loss and Jewish ritual help heal. October is Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Month, honored on October 15th. The Bay Area now has a place in the Memory Garden at the Eternal Home cemetery for the Jewish community to gather, remember and support those who have experienced pregnancy loss. Hasidah, Sinai Memorial, and Jewish Family and Children's Services will be collaborating to offer an opportunity

for those who have experienced a pregnancy loss to acknowledge their loss, experience communal and Jewish support and receive comfort. We hope this is the first of an annual community program.

Vehicle Donation - Give your used vehicle new life when you donate it to CBI/Gan Shalom Preschool: Donating your car, truck or boat is easy; any assets are welcome (jewelry, coins, etc.). We'll provide free pick-up, and your gift is tax-deductible and will benefit Gan Shalom's Scholarship Fund. We will provide release of liability, DMV and IRS documents, and handle any title, or ticket issues. Call Morton Thomas Rand at (650) 629-4000 or email mtrans25@yahoo.com.

CBI AT THE SHELTER: CBI has been making regular donations in lieu of meals. Please donate to the Rabbis Discretionary Fund and indicate shelter dinner:

- [by Paypal or credit card](#), please pick the Rabbi's Discretionary Fund
- @CBI-Berkeley by Venmo
- to office@cbiberkeley.org by Zelle
- by check to "Congregation Beth Israel", 1630 Bancroft Way, Berkeley, CA 94703

The Berkeley Eruv

Berkeley's Eruv status is posted every Friday generally by 1:30PM.

For the Eruv's map and more information, please consult <https://www.berkeleyeruv.org/>
