



Congregation Eitz Chaim

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January 12, 2018

25 Tevet 5778

Shabbat
Parshat Vaera
January 12-13

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Friday January 12:

- Kabbalat Shabbat. 6:00 PM.

Saturday January 13:

- Shabbat morning services, 9:00 AM
- Kiddush sponsored Karen and Bruce Fischer in memory of Bruce's mother Beverly Root Fischer.

Eitz Chaim is a caring community. A B'kor Cholim committee has been formed to offer support to our Eitz Chaim family. If you or anyone you know in our congregation needs a call, a card or a contact, please EMAIL US. All information will be kept strictly confidential.

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January:

20th - Rabbi Polisson is at Eitz Chaim.

27th - Kiddush sponsored by Rochelle Marshall to mark Ida's yahzeit.

SAVE THE DATES!

The Gladstein Fellowship Conference

As a participant in the Gladstein Fellowship Eitz Chaim members are invited to the annual Fellowship weekend.

This year's conference will take place

February 2 - 4, 2018

at

Conservative Synagogue Adath Israel of Riverdale

Please let Diane know if you are interested in participating.

JOIN Community Organizing Weekend

The Gladstein Fellowship is sponsoring a weekend of community training that will take place at Eitz Chaim
April 13 -14, 2018.

All members are invited to participate

Thinking of a Trip to Israel?

Rabbi Barry Dov Katz and Shoshi Talesnick are hosting an Israel trip this summer. Eitz Chaim members and others are invited to join! (Rabbi Katz served at Eitz Chaim from 1991-1998!). For a summary [CLICK HERE](#)

Then click the button on the page to view a booklet with details. You can also [email Rabbi Katz](#)

Synagogue Office Hours:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Tuesday and Thursday 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

If you have been enjoying Kiddush with your Eitz Chaim family and friends, please become a sponsor so that we can continue our delicious time together.

Women with Wool, Tuesday's at 10:00 AM, needlework, knitting or crocheting. Free coffee will be served. For more

information, contact Sheila Ornstein.

HEBREW SCHOOL NEWS:

SHABBAT SHALOM from your Hebrew School!

Please visit our school website!

<http://www.eitzchaimhebrewschool.org>

Dear Congregants,

The fifth year of our program to provide after-school snacks to Sapphire Elementary School children grades K and 1 has resumed! Children grades K and 1 who qualify for free lunch are eligible. This mitzvah has been a great success! The children love and benefit from the high quality healthy snacks to supplement their diet. Teachers, administrators and families are grateful. We are a visible presence in our community by providing this extraordinary and needed service. We hope that all of you who have supported this program in the past will continue to be generous and that more families will join us to provide this important service.

Each child gets one snack per day for each day of the week, a total of 7 snacks per child per week during the school year. As of this week we are providing snacks for 27 children. One child has a peanut allergy. That number will no doubt increase so check the SignUpGenius site or with us before you shop or pack.

Here is how this program works best.

A family can sign up to do this themselves or make it easier and cheaper by pairing up with one or two other families to sponsor a week or weeks.

Each congregant or team shops and purchases 7 snacks per child for the week. Remember, each child gets a snack each day. With 27 children that would be 189 snacks total. When shopping think healthy! Most children already get plenty of sweets and empty calories. They need protein, fresh fruits and vegetables such as apples, bananas, tangerines, oranges, raisins, cereal, hummus, popcorn, cheese and crackers, carrots, tuna fish, applesauce, 100% fruit drinks, peanuts granola bars, and cheese sticks that do not require refrigeration.

Please pack each child's seven snacks in a paper or plastic bag and leave the bags in the kitchen of Eitz Chaim by Sunday evening or arrange with Jerome Spector for delivery on Monday mornings. If each family signs up to sponsor two weeks we should be able to have another successful year.

Please help us continue this important mitzvah. Even if you cannot physically shop and pack you can still participate by making a donation to cover the costs. Louise Silver has graciously offered to shop and pack if you cannot do it yourself.

To sign up [click HERE!](#)

Sign in as a member with your name and a password and choose the weeks you wish to sponsor. If you have trouble with signing in on the site or do not have a computer, call us and we can do it for you.

Contact [Email Us](#) or call 845-610-3548 if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Jerome Spector
Chairman Social Action Committee



Come Join Us in Sisterhood!

It's time to send in your dues for the new year!

Make friends, share your ideas and help to create a wonderful year.

I am enclosing my check for \$40.00 payable to MWJCC Sisterhood for 5778 dues (Sept. 2017-Aug. 2018). To receive the Women's League Magazine, I understand my dues must be received by December 2017.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

Mail to: Bonnie Brunner 11 Dover Ct. Washingtonville, NY 10992

Please call Bonnie at: 497-8321 or Ellen McNally at: 294-9047, or email Ellen at: ellencohenmcnally@gmail.com with your questions and/or suggestions.

SAVE THE DATE

You can help now!!

Our shul office is now set up for anyone ready to spend a few minutes addressing 10 envelopes from a book of celebrities names and addresses.

Please highlight each one as you do it. Put a letter in each envelope, take them home, stamp, and mail. Write your name on the box when you're done. That's it! It's quick and easy and cool to read the addresses of possibly your favorite stars.

Thank you everybody in advance.

Goods and Services Auction at Eitz Chaim



GOODS & SERVICES AUCTION

@ EITZ CHAIM

MARCH 11, 2018 (snow date March 18th)

!We Need You To Succeed!



**Donors, Callers, Posterers, Schleppers,
Mailers, Set Uppers, Cleanuppers ...
And any other "uppers" that may arise!**

Volunteers, please contact:

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