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JUNE/JULY 2016

IYAR/SIVAN/TAMUZ 5776

Congregation Schaarai Zedek, Enriching Tampa's Reform Jewish Heritage for Over 120 Years

SUMMER fun

at Congregation Schaarai Zedek

RSVP requested to the Temple Office at (813) 876-2377 or email office@zedek.org

JUNE

Youth Adventure Day

(rising grades 7-12)

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Lunch at Bartaco & Pottery at Color Me Mine.

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Saturday, June 18 | 5:30 pm

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Discussion led by Rabbi Birnholz

Children's Movie: "The Peanuts Movie"

Cost: Free Event, RSVP Requested

Family Bowling "Pinarama & Pizza"

Sunday, June 26 | 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

We'll supply the pizza,
you purchase your beverages.

Cost: \$8.95 each (bowling & shoes)

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AUGUST

The Cantorettes in Concert

"A Salute to Broadway
Through Stage & Film"

Sunday, August 21 | 3:00 pm

Featuring Cantor Deborah Cannizzaro,

Cantor Beth Schlossberg and

Cantorial Leader Joy Katzen-Guthrie.

Cost: Free Event, RSVP Requested

Summer Movie Night

Saturday, August 27 | 5:30 pm

Grown-Up's Movie:

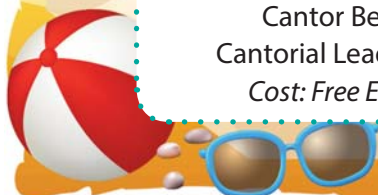
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Let us know your preferred email and we will send you the most up-to-date information about Schaarai Zedek events and activities every Wednesday.

Call or email the Temple Office at (813) 876-2377 or email office@zedek.org to let us know you want to receive the CSZ "e-News".



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- Brotherhood of Schaarai Zedek



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Do You Know Someone...

- New to Tampa?
- Not Affiliated with a Congregation?
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Let us tell them about membership at Congregation Schaarai Zedek.

Please call: Laura Salzer, Vice President of Membership and Programming (727-946-1567) or Sherry Stein, Director of Programming & Membership (813-876-2377, Ext. 212).

FROM OUR CLERGY

Shavuot is, in some ways, the forgotten Jewish Holiday. Shavuot translates as “weeks,” and it falls exactly 7 weeks after Passover each year. It marks the celebration of receiving the Torah at Mt. Sinai, seven weeks after the Passover Exodus from Egypt.

The events described in the Bible are not only a description of a physical journey that may have happened thousands of years ago. It is also a description of a spiritual journey that each of us must undergo, sometimes many times in a lifetime. It begins in Egypt, which in Hebrew is called Mitzrayim. The word comes from the Hebrew root,

tzazar which means constricted, narrow, and penned in. The name “Mitzrayim” literally means “the narrow place.”

In our lives, we have all been in a spiritually constricted place. We have had times that we felt penned in, that we are so constricted that it is hard to breath. We feel trapped, like we are in a state of spiritual bondage. You may even be in such a state now. It is characterized by a feeling that you are not free to guide your own destiny, and that force is larger than you are binding you in place.

This is followed by a shift. An Exodus. The truth is that there is always a spiritual path out of “the narrow place.” It often comes with an “out of the frying pan, into the fire” sense that things are getting even more difficult. Imagine the Israelites between Pharaoh’s chariots and the Sea of Reeds. The difficult times do not go away by running away from them, but by eventually confronting what we fear to face. Yet it is often when things seem most hopeless that God provides a path. It is not always obvious; it is said that the Sea did not split until the faithful Israelites began walking into the waters together. That is the symbolic power of faith.

After passing through the waters, it is like a rebirth. There is a sense of renewed possibility. The world seems wide before you. You can breathe again. Some people make the mistake of believing that the journey is over, but it is only beginning. It is by marching bravely into the wilderness that we can reach enlightenment – receiving the Torah. It is in this state of spiritual renewal that we are able to hear the voice of God guiding us from the mountaintop.

That is Sinai. That is Shavuot. It is celebrating this incredible body of wisdom that we inherited from our parents and grandparents. It is not just the books of Moses. It includes the little life lessons that help us make sense of life. It is the voice of God guiding us through the wilderness. Celebrate this Shavuot by sharing your story and wisdom with others, because we only make it across the sea by “joining hands, marching together.”



Rabbi Nathan Farb

JUNE/JULY WORSHIP CALENDAR

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service & Board Installation.
Rabbi Birnholz will speak

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

5:30 pm - Tot Shabbat
7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Cantor Cannizzaro will offer a Sermon in Song.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

10:30 am - Shavuot Yizkor Service

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

7:30 pm - Brotherhood Shabbat Service

FRIDAY, JUNE 24

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak

FRIDAY, JULY 1

5:00 pm* - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak
**Please note holiday time change*

FRIDAY, JULY 8

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak

FRIDAY, JULY 15

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak

FRIDAY, JULY 22

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak

FRIDAY, JULY 29

7:30 pm - Shabbat Service
Rabbi Farb will speak

FROM THE PRESIDENT



The anniversary of the giving of the Torah is Shavuot which falls on June 12 and 13. The Torah was first given to us 3300 years ago on Mount Sinai. Every year on Shavuot, God re-gives us the Torah. This is the Jews, book of wisdom; a moral code an ethical system and a guiding light in our lives.

Now let's talk about our summer vacations. It's time for summer camps, traveling, and refreshing ourselves. Unfortunately for us living in Tampa, we have the endless summer not like living in the Northeast

and enjoying the warm weather that we have year around, but so be it. But what is my message in all of this. Perhaps after the summer we can rededicate ourselves to helping others, supporting our Temple and the Jewish community at large. We, of course, appreciate financial donations at Scharraai Zedek, but we also appreciate and need your expertise and time put into teaching our children at Sunday School, helping with your expertise and special knowledge on our boards, and involving yourself with Brotherhood and Sisterhood. Enjoy your summer, but come back to us refreshed and ready to help in any way that you can to make our Temple a better place.

Shalom,

Bob Tannenbaum, *President*

Torah Circle

A N N U A L G I V I N G

As you all know, we at Schaarai Zedek have opted to keep our dues affordable and to provide special consideration to any family with limited financial means. The gates of our community are open to all, regardless of ability to pay. To fill the revenue gap and to provide for the varied programs that so enrich our communal life, we instituted the Torah Circle, a vehicle for congregants to make an extra contribution to the Temple.

Thanks to the wonderful generosity of our Congregation, this year's campaign has been a resounding success. And, this year, three families, Cookie & Booky Buchman, Lee & Saul Rachelson, and Missy & Alan Weiner, led the way by contributing \$25,000 each to match all new and increased contributions. The challenge/match has proven to be an invaluable tool to inspire members to participate in the Torah Circle and to increase their contributions. Please join us in recognizing the generosity of the Buchman, Rachelson, and Weiner families and in thanking them for the leading role they played in this year's campaign!

Thank you,
The Torah Circle Committee



The Early Days of Schaarai Zedek *Excerpts from the minutes of the Temple Board**

The Impact of WWII on Board Meetings

April 6, 1942: "Motion by Leo Weiss seconded by Louis Wellhouse that a letter be sent to any member who is called to the armed service, that dues to the Temple will be waived for the duration, motion carried."

September 12, 1943: "Mr. Wellhouse moved that due to the number of soldiers here for the holidays, only adult members and children of the confirmation class and up be allotted seats – and that a special service for the children be held – sec. and carried. Inasmuch as sirens sounded for a blackout the meeting adjourned hastily."

**These minutes were prepared by
Dr. Carl Zielonka, Archives Chair,
for your information about our past history.*



ADULT LEARNING



From the Beginning: A History of Jewish Tampa

Teacher: Carl Zielonka
Wednesdays, 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
June 8 & 15

Who was Tampa's first Jew? Why did Jews migrate to Tampa? When did Tampa's Jewish community organizations start? When did Schaarai Zedek start, and what happened to make it what it is today? What's in the future?

Carl Zielonka, Tampa native and Archives Chair, will answer these questions when he presents a two part history of the Jewish Community and of Schaarai Zedek. Carl will cover almost 175 years of Tampa's Jewish history using multimedia.

RSVP to the Temple Office at (813) 876-2377 or office@zedek.org.

Saturday Morning Torah Study Schedule

Led by Rabbi Farb

Saturdays: 9:00 am - 10:00 am
June 25 | July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

Torah study at Schaarai Zedek includes more than just the five books of Moses. We study diverse topics, from ancient wisdom about marriage, to Jewish laws for modern life. This summer we will be sampling different topics to choose our next area of study.

For more information, contact Rabbi Farb at nfarb@zedek.org or at (813) 876-2377, Ext. 229.

IN OUR SYNAGOGUE

MAZEL TOV

- **Janet Echelman**, daughter of Anne Kantor, received an Honorary Doctorate Degree from Tufts University on May 22.
- **Sabrina Feldman** was awarded the Florida Heritage Award for her History Fair project. This was a state level award.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

- **Chas & Taryn Bruck**
- **Harry & Shirley Richter**
- **Howard & Jennifer Rothbaum**

BIRTHS

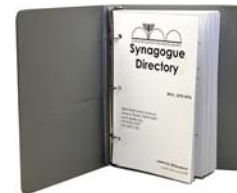
- **Connor Shifrin**
Son of Faith & Matt Shifrin

- **Graham Isaac Wilson**
Son of Amy & Rob Wilson

DEATHS

- **Diana Lopez**
- **L. David Shear**
Father of Jeffrey Shear
- **Barbara Trebes**
Wife of Ed Trebes
- **Albert Wagner**
Husband of Beth Wagner and
Father of Melanie Acosta
- **Martha Zielonka**
Sister-in-law of Dr. Carl Zielonka

New 2016 Temple Directory Available To Pickup!



We are pleased to provide our Temple members with an updated 2016 edition of our Congregation Schaarai Zedek Directory. It is available for pickup in the Temple office from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

If you have questions or would like to make updates to the directory, please contact the Temple office (813-876-2377 or office@zedek.org).



Koleinu Choir Welcomes New Members

Koleinu, our adult volunteer choir, welcomes new members. It is not necessary to know how to read music or to read Hebrew. We work as a team. We love to sing and we learn the music together. Added benefits of the choir are gaining an understanding of Shabbat and High Holy Day liturgy and translating the prayers we sing. Participation is open to anyone post Bar/Bat Mitzvah – 13 years old and older!

Please contact Cantor Cannizzaro at dcannizzaro@zedek.org, with any questions.

June/July Shabbat & Yom Tov Candle Lighting Times

- ☆ Friday, June 3 8:05 pm
- ☆ Friday, June 10 8:08 pm
- ☆ Saturday, June 11 9:06 pm
- ☆ Friday, June 17 8:10 pm
- ☆ Friday, June 24 8:12 pm
- ☆ Friday, July 1 8:12 pm
- ☆ Friday, July 8 8:12 pm
- ☆ Friday, July 15 8:10 pm
- ☆ Friday, July 22 8:07 pm
- ☆ Friday, July 29 8:03 pm



BROTHERHOOD



BROTHERHOOD EVENTS At a Glance

JUNE

**Brotherhood Shabbat
Service
Friday, June 17
7:30 pm**

Social Action Mitzvah: Trinity Café

Trinity Café, located at 2801 North Nebraska Avenue, Tampa 33602, provides hot, chef-cooked meals to those in need. Volunteer opportunities are available to help serve on Mondays through Fridays from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm and Saturdays and Sundays from 8:30 am - 11:00 am.

If you are interested in more Social Action opportunities contact Donna Wood, Religious School Director, at (813) 876-2377, Ext. 210 or dwood@zedek.org.

The past twelve months were dynamic for the Congregation Schaarai Zedek Brotherhood, filled with firsts, including our first co-presidents: Lex Goldenberg and Anthony Weiss. Can two be better than one? You bet! Best part, Lex and Anthony have another year to top this year. Here is a quick review of the fun, camaraderie, and good work our Brotherhood did this past year.

- **The Woman In Gold:** Together with the Sisterhood we filled TWO movie theatres at Villagio Cinemas to watch. Rabbi Birnholz led an insightful discussion afterwards.
- **Scotch and Cigars:** Tasting new scotches and great Scottish food by our own Chuck Goldstein's Culinary Creations, while getting a fantastic taste and tour of Tampa's cigar history from Brotherhood member Eric Newman in his Ybor City factory.
- **Our Fall Kickoff:** Was hosted by Marc Blumenthal at his beautiful South Tampa home. Brotherhood members and guests from 22 to 92 filled Marc's home, enjoyed our now famous Brotherhood Bar, and consumed great food.
- **Coppertail:** Brotherhood invaded Ybor City's newest craft brewery to sample beers and enjoy a great catered dinner.
- **Pané Rustica:** We were rolling in the dough as we toured the back room operation of Tampa's largest artisan bakery, while enjoying excellent cuisine and choice cocktails.
- **Top Golf:** Was a blast, literally! Golfers and Duffers of all ages hit for the fences at this huge high-tech driving range and lounge. We grazed on fun food, and might have consumed a beer or two.
- **Spring Training, Yankees vs Rays:** We filled a bus and filled a section with Brotherhood members, family, and guests. What a great spring evening!
- **7th Annual Signature Event:** THE LOVE BOAT was our mock-cruise for everyone. Included excellent music, dancing, bountiful food, a spectacular ice bar, fun photo booth, magician, and casino with wonderful raffle prizes to boot. WOW!
- **Purim Carnival Hot Dog Lunch:** Our annual volunteer effort to feed nearly 300.
- **Navy Seal Dan O'Shea:** We were inspired and captivated by his stories of his time as hostage negotiator in Iraq. A nationally renowned expert, consultant, and speaker.
- **Edwin Black, IBM & The Holocaust:** What a coup to bring this world recognized investigator, author, and speaker to our Temple community for our now annual speaker series.

This active list of events has helped swell our paid membership ranks past 325 this year, with growing membership in the 20's, 30's, and 40's, too. If you missed anything, and want to be part of the action in the future, sign up through the Temple office; or contact Anthony and Lex at their emails below.

Friday, June 17th, Father's Day weekend, will be our annual Brotherhood Shabbat. We hope to see you there. And look for details about our second year "Bigger and Better too - The Sequel" in your next *Shofar*.

On a personal note, as Co-President I've been fortunate to team with Anthony Weiss. He is an inspiring man with amazing strength and perseverance. I give special thanks to Steve Gersten and Michael Schine who, together with our strong board, help create and produce great programs. We all have a lot of fun. I am confident we created some great memories for all this year, with more to come.

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SISTERHOOD

June is a transition time in Florida – the days are longer and warmer, the school year is wrapping up and vacations plans are being finalized. It’s also a time of transition for our Sisterhood. Our new Executive Board starts planning for the upcoming program year and the outgoing Board shares their insight on the past year.

The Sisterhood Installation of Officers took place on Monday, May 2. A huge thanks to the Nominating Committee, led by Faith Alexander, for their hard work to get this officer slate in place and identifying chairs for key activities. Thanks also go to Sharon Ravner and the Installation Luncheon Committee for organizing a beautiful Installation. Please welcome our new Executive Board.

Congratulations to our 2016-2017 Sisterhood Officers:

- Co-President:** **Pattie Schreiber**
- Co-President:** **Gayle Geagan**
- Administrative VP:** **Stephanie Tannenbaum**
- Membership VP:** **Diana Bloom**
- Religious Programming VP:** **Diane Porat**
- Social Programming VP:** **Brandy Fishman**
- Youth & Education VP:**. **Nancy Bader**
- Parliamentarian:** **Pat Taback**
- Recording Secretary:** **Anita Steinfeld**
- Corresponding Secretary:** **Rochelle Seiden**
- Treasurer:**. **Gail Meyer**

And to the entire 2016-2017 Sisterhood Executive Board:

- Immediate Past President:** **Cindy Minetti**
- Honorary President:** **Audrey Shine**
- Board Members Emeritus:** **Nellye Friedman**
Paula Zielonka
- WRJ National Board:**. **Lynne Merriam**
Judy Rosenkranz (URJ National Past Pres.)
- WRJ SE District Board:**. **Judith Mish**
Faith Alexander
Lynne Merriam

It’s been a fabulous year! There is one more book club before taking a summer break. Please join the group on June 13 to discuss “The Bridal Chair” by Gloria Goldreich. A huge thank you to Barbara Shine Hick, for organizing and leading the book club all year.

We are already very busy working on next year. Please email us if you are interested in helping to plan a Sisterhood event or program or to get involved with the Judaica Shop. Thank you for being part of our Sisterhood!

L’shalom,

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SISTERHOOD EVENTS At a Glance

JUNE

Sisterhood Book Club Meeting
Monday, June 13
12 noon - 1:00 pm @ CSZ
“The Bridal Chair”
by Gloria Goldreich

Save the Date 19th Annual Mitzvah Day

Sunday, November 6
7:30 am - Jr. SchZFTY
Pancake Breakfast
9:00 am - Mitzvah Day
Service
9:30 am - Mitzvah Day
Project Time

According to our Torah, completing a mitzvah is a celebration of our very special covenant with God. Join with your fellow Schaarai Zedek volunteers and become a “mitzvah maker.”

Watch for your Mitzvah Day Signup Form and plan to make Tampa a better place for all.

For more information,
contact Mitzvah Day
Chair, Debbie Rovner at
(813) 968-9218, or Sherry
Stein at (813) 876-2377,
Ext. 212.



FLOM RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Gesher L' Mishpacha: Jewish Family Fun

Mazel tov to the Glickman and Goldstein families. They were recognized as graduates of the Gesher L'Mishpacha ("Bridge to the Family") home program during the Shabbat Family Service in May. Their names are also on a Gesher plaque, which hangs in the Religious School hallway.

**Susan, David, Howard & Sam Glickman
Audrey & Jeana Goldstein**

Watch for information about the Gesher program so your family will be on the 2017 Gesher Graduation List. For more information call Donna Wood, Religious School Director, at (813-876-2377, ext. 210).



Religious School Registration Time

Deadline to Register is August 15

It is time to register for the 2016-17 Religious School year! All children who will be 4 years old by September 1, 2016, are eligible to attend.

Religious School begins August 28! Registration forms must be received in the Religious School Office no later than August 15 to attend the first session.

If you need registration materials, please contact the Religious School office (dwood@zedek.org at 813-876-2377 ext. 210). Registration forms are also available on line at <http://www.zedek.org/learning/religious-school>.

Youth Adventure Days (rising grades 7-12)

Wednesday, June 15

**Meet at Temple: 8:30 am | Pick-up 3:00 pm
Free for Temple Members | \$20 Non-members**

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*Tampa Bay Water Bike waver must be completed.

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**Meet at Temple: 8:30 am
Free for Temple Members | \$20 Non-members**

2-Hours volunteer service followed by lunch, laser tag & ice skating at Ice Sports Forum.

RSVP to:

**Lindsey Dewey, Youth Director, at ldewey@zedek.org or
(813) 876-2377, Ext. 221**

or

Rabbi Farb at nfarb@zedek.org or (813) 876-2377, Ext. 229

YOUTH INITIATIVES



Friday Night Tot Shabbat

(Children 0-5 years, and siblings of all ages)

**Friday, June 10 | 5:30 pm
(followed by a complimentary
Shabbat Dinner)**

Come enjoy our interactive Shabbat activity for families with young children. Learn Shabbat rituals. Enjoy a Shabbat Dinner together at no cost to you! This is a great time to meet other families with young children.

RSVP to the Temple Office at (813) 876-2377 or office@zedek.org.

Teenokot Events

**(ages 0-4 and
caregivers)**



Teenokot Beach Play Date

Thursday, June 16

10:30 am-12:00 noon

Come make your own beach toys and beach bag for fun in the sun, sand and water. Make sure you RSVP to Lindsey Dewey so we have enough supplies for everyone to make a bag!

Teenokot Music With Mar

Thursday, July 21

10:30 am-12:00 noon

Music and Movement class led by Miss Christine. Come spend the morning with Rabbi Farb and Miss Christine as we sing and play together. We will have snacks and drinks for all of our friends to share!

To sign up or for info about any youth event, please contact Lindsey Dewey, Youth Director, at ldewey@zedek.org or (813) 876-2377, Ext. 221.



IT'S SUMMER MOVIE TIME!

Note the Dates, Plan to Attend

Schaarai Zedek Summer Movies

Summer is here. It is time for Schaarai Zedek Summer Movies. Bring your family for pizza, ice cream and a movie. Families dine together. Then adults will see a movie followed by a discussion led by Rabbi Birnholz or Rabbi Farb. Children will have their own special family-friendly movie and special activities with Lindsey Dewey, too. There is no charge for Summer Movie Night. RSVPs are requested.

*RSVP to the Temple Office at (813) 876-2377 or
email office@zedek.org*

Saturday Summer Movie Night, June 18 - 5:30 pm

Movie for Grown-Ups: "I'll See You in My Dreams"

Starring: Blyth Danner, Martin Starr & Sam Elliott

Blythe Danner is a widow who has settled into her life and age until a series of events send her back into a renewed engagement with people. Discussion led by Rabbi Birnholz.

Children's Movie: "The Peanuts Movie"

Saturday Summer Movie Night, July 9 - 5:30 pm

Movie for Grown-Ups: "The Martian"

Starring: Matt Daman

When astronauts blast off from the planet Mars, they leave behind a colleague presumed dead. He must use his wits to find a way to survive. Discussion led by Rabbi Farb.

Children's Movie: "Minions"

Sunday Summer Movie Afternoon, July 24 - 3:30 pm

Movie for Grown-Ups: "The Walk"

Starring: Joseph Gordon-Levitt

As a boy, Philippe Pestal dreams of doing daring feats to dazzle crowds. His wishes come true when he becomes a high-wire artist. Discussion led by Rabbi Farb.

Children's Movie: "Norm of the North"

Saturday Summer Movie Night, August 27 - 5:30 pm

Movie for Grown-Ups: "The Lady in the Van"

Starring: Maggie Smith & Alex Jennings

An unlikely friendship develops between Miss Shepard, a homeless woman, and playwright Alan Bennett when she lives in a van in his driveway for 15 years. Discussion led by Rabbi Birnholz.

Children's Movie: "The Good Dinosaur"

Family Bowling "Pinarama & Pizza"



Sunday, June 26

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Cost: \$8.95 each (bowling & shoes)

Come to our newest "Summer Fun" activity – We will gather at Pinarama Bowl, 5008 South Dale Mabry Highway (813-835-8665). The cost of \$8.95 per person covers your bowling and shoes. The Temple will provide the pizza. You will take care of your own beverages. And, we will all have a good time.

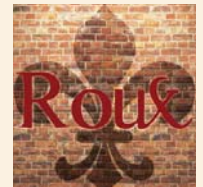
Please RSVP so we know how many to expect to the Temple at (813) 876-2377 or email office@zedek.org

20s+30s Summer Events

Sunday Brunch at Roux

Sunday, June 19
10:00 am

\$5.00 online RSVP



Join us for a Creole Nouvelle brunch at Roux, one of Tampa's great new eateries. We will enjoy a morning of great food and meeting new people. \$5 online registration covers appetizers, coffee, OJ and a chance to win your breakfast on US!

RSVP online at www.zedek.org/20s30s

Sunday Funday Poolside Party at Hula Bay

Sunday, August 28
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm



We have rented out the Hula Bay Pool for a private event. Come enjoy a relaxing Sunday by the water! Hula Bay features Hawaiian-style chow and a lively poolside lounge. We will have appetizers to share. Cash bar available!

Be on the lookout for a Facebook event and online RSVP as we get closer!

PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

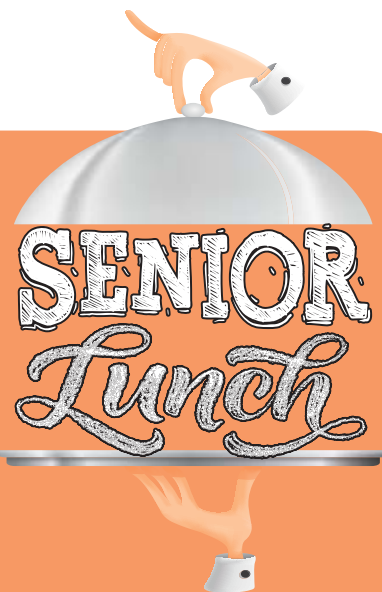


News From The Amy Gail Buchman Preschool

- Jun 1, 2 & 3:** Teacher Work Days
- Jun 3:** Open House from 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- Jun 6:** First day of Summer Camp for Five-day and Mon/Wed/Fri Students
- Jun 7:** First day of Summer Camp for Tues/Thurs Students
- Jun 6 & 7:** Boo Hoo Breakfast
- Jun 13, 20 & 27:** Silly Sam
- Jun 15:** Timeless Tales @ 9:30 am
- Jun 29:** Lowry Park Zoo @ 9:30 am

- Jul 4:** School Closed for the 4th of July
- Jul 5, 11, 18 & 25:** Silly Sam
- Jul 13:** Timeless Tales @ 9:30 am
- Jul 20:** MOSI Portable Planetarium @ 9:30 am
- Jul 26:** Last Day of Summer Camp
- Jul 27, 28 & 29:** Teacher Work Days
- Jul 29:** Open House from 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

- Aug 1:** First Day of School for Five-day and Mon/Wed/Fri Students
- Aug 2:** First day of School for Tues/Thurs Students



**"Brunch &
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Thursday, June 16

**Seating - 11:15 am
Preschool Singers -
11:30 am sharp**

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**"Why Are the Holidays
So Late This Year?"**
Thursday, July 21

Guest Speaker: Rabbi Nathan Farb
Seating - 11:15 am
Preschool Singers - 11:30 am sharp

In a funny and informative presentation, Rabbi Farb will talk about why the Jewish calendar is so unusual. How did ancient communication change the length of our holidays? What does the moon have to do with our holidays moving around? Come to learn about how our ancient agricultural roots shaped the Jewish calendar that we use today.

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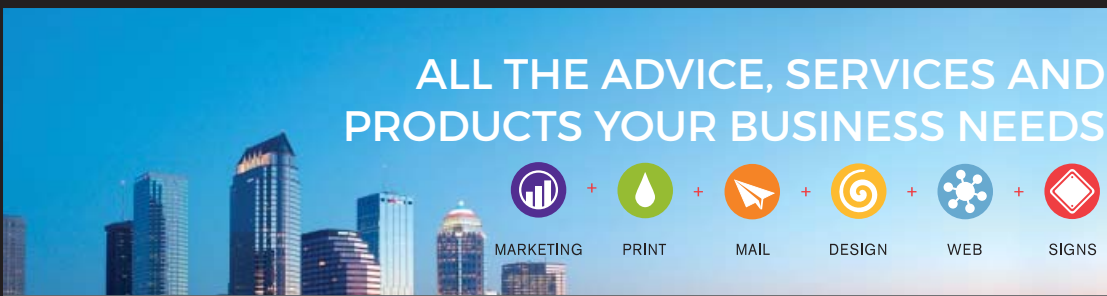
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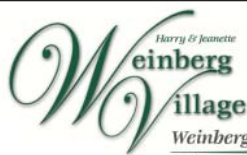
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Friday, June 3, 2016

Dinner: 5:30 pm

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