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October 2016

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High Holiday Schedule

Rosh Hashanah	
Sunday, October 2, Service.....	8:00 pm
Monday, October 3, Service.....	10:00 am
Luncheon sponsored by Dr. Steve and Renee Eilen.....	1:00 pm
Family Service and Tashlich at Pensacola Welcome Center, Wayside Park.....	2:30 pm
Shabbat Shuvah	
Friday, October 7, Service.....	6:00 pm
Kever Avoth	
Sunday, October 9, Service, Temple Beth El Cemetery.....	1:00 pm
Yom Kippur	
Tuesday, October 11, Kol Nidre.....	8:00 pm
Wednesday, October 12, Morning Service.....	10:00 am
Afternoon Discussion.....	1:00 pm
Family Service.....	2:00 pm
Afternoon Service.....	2:45 pm
Yizkor.....	4:30 pm
Ne'ilah/Concluding Service.....	5:30 pm
Break the Fast.....	6:30 pm
Sukkot	
Friday, October 21, Shabbat Under the Stars, Service & Dinner.....	6:00 pm
Simchat Torah	
Sunday, October 23, Service and Consecration of New Students.....	11:00 am

Worship and Torah Study

Friday, October 7
4:00 Azalea Trace
6:00 Shabbat/Pot Luck

Friday, October 14
Service 6:00 pm

Friday, October 21
Service 6:00 pm

Friday, October 28
Service 7:00 pm

Please note:
Torah study will not meet during the month of October. We will resume on Saturday, Nov. 19.



Parking Tips for High Holy Day Services
Enter the parking lot for Temple Beth El from either Palafox St. or Strong St. For Erev Rosh Hashanah (Sunday Oct, 2nd) and Kol Nidre (Tues.Oct.11th), additional parking will be available across Palafox St. in the parking lots of Gross and Schuster (803 N. Palafox) and Cetti and McGraw (817 N. Palafox). You may also park next door at Meador, Johnson and Bushnell (900 N. Palafox) PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN ANY OF THESE PARKING LOTS DURING DAYTIME SERVICES. Parking will also be available for all services (daytime or evening) at the Days Inn and in legal parking areas on nearby streets. Please be careful when walking and only cross at designated street crossings. Brotherhood greeters will be available to assist you. Both the Palafox St. and Strong St. doors to the Temple will be open for services.



Join us for an exciting, informative luncheon featuring our new Schlicha, Yael Teperman

Traditions and Celebrations In Israel For Sukkot

Wednesday, October 19th
Temple Beth El
11:30 am

Lunch from Panera \$12
~Roasted Turkey Apple and Cheddar Sandwich
~Mediterranean Veggie Sandwich
~Tuna Salad Sandwich
Sandwiches come with chips and a cookie.
The salads are as follows
~Chinese Cashew Salad with Chicken
~Fuji Apple Salad with Chicken
~Modern Greek Salad with Quinoa
Salads come with a baguette and a cookie.

Please RSVP by Oct. 12 by calling Nichole Friedland at 512-8348 nichole.friedland@yahoo.com

Sisterhood News

Well, ladies, by the time this Bulletin goes to print, our first Sisterhood luncheon is over and we are ready to start the High Holy Days.

If you haven't already signed up to bring something for Break the fast on October 12th, it is not too late. Please contact Linda Armacost at (850) 292-7354 or email her at: armacostlinda@gmail.com. We need you!

The end of October will see Cindi Montero and myself traveling to the WRJ Southeast District meeting in Clearwater, Florida where I will be installed as an Area Director for Florida. It is an honor to represent Temple Beth El Sisterhood at our parent organization.

Our next luncheon is Wednesday, October 19th at 11:30 am. Hope to see you all there.

May we all be inscribed in the Book of Life with blessing, righteousness and peace. Have a wonderful Rosh Hashanah and an easy fast.
Alice

Donations

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund:
In memory of Lisa Shawyer from Chris Shawyer
In memory of D. H. Dannheisser from Bettie Kahn

Sylvia Rosenbloum Cole
Music Fund:
In memory of Lynda Rumpfelt from Greta Rickoff

Torah on Tap
October 4, 2016, 5:00 pm

Gulf Coast Brewery
Heinberg Street behind
McGuire's

Topic: "Was Attending Rosh Hashanah Services A Mistake?"

"Be Comfortable Shabbat"

Friday October 14, 6:00pm

Following the grandeur and formality of the High Holy Days, it is time to relax and unwind. Join us on Friday, October 14 for a comfortable and casual Shabbat experience. A participatory and song-filled service begins at 6pm, followed by an oneg reception.

We are pleased to welcome these new members to our congregation:

Steven and Amanda Nissim and their children, Asher and Ellie

Pamn Ravenscroft

Dan and Missy Hecht and their children, Joshua, Kyra and Alyssa

During the High Holy Days, we are called upon to reflect on ourselves **and our lives....**

Sisterhood and The School for Jewish Learning welcome all to an

"Opportunity for Reflection and ReJEWvination"

with our Temple Beth El member and Yoga Instructor

Theodore (Teddy) Ward
Sunday, October 9, 10:00am
Temple Beth El
800 North Palafox St.

This event is free and open to the public.
Yoga mats and blocks are welcome

Simchat Torah and Consecration
Sunday, October 23, 11am

Dance and sing alongside the Torah, friends, and our congregation's young people as we join with the School for Jewish Living in a festive Simchat Torah celebration.

The service and celebration, led by Rabbi Joel, song leader Nick May, and Andrea Fleekop, will include the traditional readings from Deuteronomy and Genesis, consecration of new students, and lots of lively singing and dancing. Following the celebration, please join us in the Max L. Bear auditorium for delicious, Torah-themed treats.

Bimah Flowers

Oct. 2 - Chuck and Janet Kahn
Oct. 7 - Liz and Tom McCulley
Oct. 11 - Cindy and Terry Gross
Oct. 14 - Susan and Danny Pollak
Oct. 21 - Deborah and Jeff Buchalter
Oct. 28 - Janet and Fred Levin
Contact Janet Schilling to reserve a date: 944-3349
Onegs
Oct. 2 - Temple Board
Oct. 3 - Lunch sponsored by Steve and Renee Eilen
Oct. 7 - Covered Dish
Oct. 14 - Rose Kuhhirte and Linda Armacost
Oct. 21 - Covered Dish for Sukkot
Oct. 28 - Nicole Friedland
Contact Hynda Rome to reserve a date: 479-2701

Holiday Greetings from the President

The High Holy Days are a time of reflection and renewal. As Jews we take time to reflect on the past year and look ahead with anticipation and with personal aspirations. We, at Temple Beth El, have so much for which to be grateful. New families bring new ideas, insight and excitement to our congregation. Long-time members remind us of our rich history. Our devoted Rabbi Joel leads us in worship, teaches us, provides pastoral care and is a community leader in the the Greater Pensacola area. Andrea Fleekop, Director of the **School for Jewish Living, and her teachers and committee members, help to ensure our children's Jewish education and instill** a love of Judaism. Our dedicated Board of Directors, our Sisterhood, led by Alice Klein, and Brotherhood, led by Dr. Steve Eilen, and the many congregational committee members and sole volunteers strive to keep us organized, educated, financially stable, safe and secure, mentally and physically healthy, entertained and supportive of those in need whether near or far. Our renovated Temple campus is absolutely beautiful thanks to the generosity of our members and friends of Temple Beth El. The newly formed Collections and Exhibitions Committee, chaired by Lewis Bear, is diligently working to enhance the beauty of our campus with works of art. Thank you to one and all.

As you take time to reflect during these High Holy Days, consider how you may participate more in Temple life to benefit yourself and **others. If you're not yet a member of the congregation, we encourage you to attend Shabbat services and any special events offered** throughout the year. Make yourself at home and consider joining the Temple Beth El family. Share our past and help shape our future.

My husband, Chuck, joins me in wishing you and yours a very happy and healthy New Year. L'Shanah Tovah!

Janet Kahn

Sukkot - A Week of Celebration

The rabbis call the holiday of Sukkot Zman Simchateinu – the time of our celebration. The week-long festival is packed with wonderful opportunities to celebrate community, culture, and Jewish life.

Sunday, October 16, 9am: Brotherhood Sukkah Building Party

Join with the members of the Brotherhood in building the Temple Beth El Sukkah. Once complete, volunteers are asked to help and assist students from the School for Jewish Living in decorating the structure.

Tuesday, October 18 at 6:00pm: **Young Jewish Pensacola "Siam in the Sukkah"**

Join with other Jewish 20, 30, and 40 something's for a Thai themed sukkah dinner. In addition to good conversation and delicious food, we will discuss ideas and plans for upcoming YJP events. Please RSVP to Rabbi Joel by Sunday, October 16 at 850-438-3321 or rabbi@tempelbethelofpensacola.org

Wednesday, October 19 at 6:00pm: Etrog & Opera

A night of music with the Pensacola Opera. Bring a picnic dinner and dine al-fresco under the shelter of the sukkah. Following dinner, we will be treated to a special performance **by the Pensacola Opera's Artists in Residence. They will be performing** pieces related to the themes of Sukkot. This special evening is made possible thanks to our friends at the Pensacola Opera.

Thursday, October 20 at 5:30pm: Sukkah Dinner & Board Meeting

Share dinner in the Sukkah with members of the Temple Beth El Board of Directors. Stay for the meeting to learn more about congregational leadership. If planning to attend, please RSVP by Tuesday, October 18 to Kathy Smith at 850-438-3321 or Kathy@templebethelofpensacola.org.

Friday, October 21, 6:00pm: Shabbat Under the Stars. Celebrate Shabbat Sukkot with music-filled worship led by Rabbi Joel and song leader Nick May, followed by a covered-dish dinner. Please bring an entrée, side, salad, or dessert to share.

Saturday, October 22, 11:30am-2:00pm: Sukkah Social at Home of Faye and Chip Merritt
3331 Berkshire Court, Pensacola, FL 32504

The Merritt's invite you to stop by and share a relaxing fall afternoon with Temple friends. Please bring a dairy dish, fruit, salad, or dessert to share. For more information please contact Faye at 850-232-3099.

Sunday, October 23, 11am – Simchat Torah & Consecration Celebration

Dance and sing alongside the Torah, friends, and our congregation's young people as we join with the School for Jewish Living in a festive Simchat Torah celebration. The service and celebration, led by Rabbi Joel, song leader Nick May, and Andrea Fleekop will include the traditional readings from Deuteronomy and Genesis, consecration of new students, and lots of lively singing and dancing. Following the celebration, please join us in the Max L. Bear auditorium for delicious, Torah-themed treats.

Man Talk Has Successful First Meeting

The Man Talk group held its first meeting in mid-September. According to all attendees, it was quite successful. The conversations were personal, specific and delved into many details. All attendees confirmed that they learned from the conversations. They unanimously agreed to continue the program with expanded topics re: **men's health. We hope all members have a good holiday and a comfortable fast.** You will hear from us after the High Holidays.

L' Shanah Tovah!
Sid Braunstien



Mazel Tov to Cindy and Terry Gross who welcomed new granddaughter
Henley Grey Hunter
on September 24.
Henley is the daughter of
Kiel and Josh Hunter.
They reside in Nashville.

October Birthdays and Anniversaries

October Birthdays	12th	David Moretsky	
1st	Craig Vigodsky	13th	Grayson Faulkner
	Tonya Chase	14th	Bill Wein
2nd	Carol Kahn Rosenblatt	15th	Andrew Jurnovoy
3rd	Noah Flores	16th	Mackenzie Landa
4th	Robin Schwartz		Rachel Mondry
	Scott Boyle	23rd	Holly Jurnovoy
	Scott E. Rickoff	24th	Greta Rickoff
5th	Rebekah Rich		Susan Levine
	Tyler Pearce	24th	Julia Proctor
	Sarah Friedland		Edward Friedland
6th	Jim Leath		Joshua Retzloff
8th	Laura Merritt	25th	Susan Sacks
9th	Colleen Cacace		Joe Khatena
	Julie Rayborn	26th	Connie Bookman
10th	Celeste Kryz	27th	Rachel Pollett
	Renee Eilen	28th	Benjamin Zimmern
11th	Joe Rosenbaum		

October Anniversaries	
4th	Forrest and Ed Faulkner
5th	Marlene and Robert Sackheim
9th	Janet and Logan Schilling
18th	Cindi Bear Bonner and Chad Bonner
20th	Liz and Tom McCulley
23rd	Julie and Frank Segal



New Events, Classes, or Support Groups

Do you have a special talent or see a need in the congregation **for which you'd like to offer some assistance?** If you are interested in creating a support group, class or special event for Temple Beth El members and friends, please let us know! Contact Janet Kahn at: jskahn1@gmail.com or (850) 566-2873 or any board member.

Tai Chi - Contact Logan Schilling at: loganschilling@yahoo.com to join this group currently scheduled to meet at 3:00 on Tuesdays beginning mid-October. Beginners, experienced, all are invited to join this ancient traditional discipline. Relieves stress, improves balance.

Mah Jongg - Contact Alice Klein at: gingigingi13@gmail.com. Alice will be happy to teach you the game of mah jongg. Contact her for best dates and times to meet.

CELEBRATE
Rosh Hashanah
AT JACKSON'S STEAKHOUSE

SUNDAY
OCTOBER 2
AT 5:00 PM

In addition to our regular dinner menu, Chef Irv Miller has prepared a traditional Rosh Hashanah meal celebrating the first Night of this New Year celebration.

The Rosh Hashanah dinner is \$29 per person. For reservations, Please call 850-469-9898.



Yahrzeits

To be read on October 7:

2nd Joe Herschkovitz
 Montrose Edrehi
 Ludwig Meyer
 Lester Yates
 Leah Cahn Hirsh
 3rd Bertha Githens
 Albert Speer
 4th Dulcie Silver
 Elias Joshua
 5th Lillian Nathan
 Mary-Pat Hamm
 6th Rosa Blum
 Henry Lanar
 Dan Eilen
 Terry Meredith
 Jonathan L. Kahn
 7th Bessie Krentzman
 Beverly Ann Ripps Cooper
 Harvey Gelfand
 Robert Lazear

To be read on October 14:

8th F. Alfred Rucker
 Theresa Klein
 9th Milton Clarke
 10th Dorothy Mayer
 Harriet Bunnan Feinberg
 Clarence Frenkel, Jr.
 11th Herman Hilsenroth
 Richard Berlin
 Robert Adam
 Robert Guentner
 12th Harlow Ades
 Betty Ann Smith
 13th Jacob Israel
 Leo Loeb, Sr.
 Florence D. Loeb
 Leo Rich
 14th Harry Kahn
 Michael Block

To be read on October 21:

15th Stephanie Gail Pollak
 Sarah Tucker
 Harry Walborsky
 Marjory Wilson
 16th Jacob Moskowitz
 17th Rebecca Berlin
 Sol A. Levy
 Mildred Frank
 18th Ben Finkelstein
 Hazel Walker
 Lewis Odess
 19th Nathan Forscheimer
 Louis Friedman
 Leona Gordon
 George Samson
 20th Belle Gundersheimer
 David Levy
 Eleanor Morrison
 Samuel Siegel
 Edie Zimmerman
 21st Ethel Swett

To be read on October 28:

22nd Anna Lapin
 Doris Jean Kahn
 23rd Caroline Stone
 Lewis B. Rosenau, Jr.
 Rheata Allen
 Rabbi Henry Guttman
 Josine Friedland
 24th Jacob Khatena
 25th Berniece Goldstein
 Ethel Winter Robinson
 Esther Ash
 Sam J. Fox
 26th Carl Gustav Branberg
 27th Carolyn Z. Bernstein
 Estelle Rubinstein
 28th Max Goldberg
 Henrietta Kugelman Bear

28th Mike Wein
 29th Lena Maisel Levine
 Leila Stricker
 30th Harry Silverman
 Martin Menko
 Rosalyn Rose
 Olly Alexander
 31st B. Irvin Greenhut
 Eva Gross
 Dorothy Feinstein
 Helen Gorman
 Ralph Jaffe

Could you use a boost to help you hear better?

We own a very limited number of personal Assistive Listening Devices that can be used with and without hearing aids. These devices help make the voices of any speaker using a microphone in the sanctuary louder and clearer. **They're very easy to operate** and are available to use during services on a first come, first serve basis. If you would like more information or are interested in purchasing one for yourself (approx. \$90), please contact Janet Kahn at jskahn1@gmail.com or (850) 566-2873.



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Send this form with your check to:

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(person's name or event)

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___ Sylvia Rosenbloum Cole Music Fund

___ Peter Van Wezel Youth Fund

___ Jonathan L. Kahn Library Fund

___ Fannie W. Frenkel Perpetual Care Fund

___ **Rabbi's Discretionary Fund**

___ Brenda Vigodsky Mitzvah/Caring Fund
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October Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2 NO SJL Erev Rosh Hashanah Service 8:00 pm	3 Rosh Hashanah 10:00 am Luncheon following service	4 Torah on Tap Gulf Coast Brewery 5:00 pm	5	6	7 Azalea Trace 4:00 pm Service 6:00 pm Shabbat Service/Covered Dish	8
9 SJL 9:30 am	10	11 Kol Nidre 8:00 pm	12 Yom Kippur See front page for list of service times	13	14 Shabbat Service Casual Shabbat 6:00 pm Oneg, no dinner	15
16 SJL 9:30 am Brotherhood Builds Sukkah See page 3 for Sukkot Events	17	18 YJP Siam in the Sukkah 6:00 pm	19 Sisterhood Program and Luncheon 11:30 am Etrog and Opera 6:00pm	20 Temple Board Meeting in Sukkah 5:30 pm	21 Shabbat Under the Stars - Sukkot 6:00 pm Covered Dish	22 Sukkah Open House at Merritt Home 11:30-2pm Covered Dish
23 SJL 9:30 am Simchat Torah and Conse- cration 11:00 am 30 SJL 9:30 am	24 31	25	26	27	28 Shabbat Service 7:00 pm	29