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THE BULLETIN OF
TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL
LONGBOAT KEY, FLORIDA

PASSOVER SEDER

APRIL 19
AT THE
LONGBOAT KEY CLUB

**SEDER
RESERVATIONS
BY APRIL 7TH, PLEASE!**



WORSHIP SERVICES

SHABBAT SERVICES

FRIDAY EVENING 8:00 PM

SATURDAY MORNING 10:00 AM

PASSOVER SERVICE

SATURDAY MORNING APRIL 19 10:00 AM

Rabbi Michael Eisenstat will conduct all Services along with

Music Director, Dr. Ann Stephenson

Moe and our Magnificent Temple Choir

Passover Seder

Passover Seder will be at the Longboat Key Club on Saturday, April 19th. This will be our last Seder with Rabbi Eisenstat.

Our price this year from the Longboat Key Club is \$65.00 per adult, \$32.00 for children eleven and younger, and free for children three and under.

Although we would like to assure you a private family table, unless your family is 10 people, you will probably share some space with other people. At Passover we are asked to bring others to our table, so if this happens, welcome all that sit with you.

Because there have been problems in the past of asking to be seated with someone who doesn't ask for you at their table, we are asking that you verify with anyone you wish to sit with that they will also include your name on their reservation. If you do not specify where you wish to be seated we will seat you at our discretion with no last minute changes.

A coupon is attached for your convenience.



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Admission will be \$5.00 and includes refreshments. Please mail in the coupon in the Bulletin for your reservation.



Yom HaShoah at Temple Beth Israel

The Sarasota/Manatee Jewish Community will commemorate Yom HaShoah on Wednesday

night, April 30th at 7:00 P.M. at Temple Beth Israel. The rabbis, and cantors of the area synagogues will participate as will the Temple Beth Israel Choir. Our featured guest speakers will be a father who is a survivor and his adult son.

Front Cover Courtesy of Bill Ferguson

Bill Ferguson, an up and coming Illustrator, with a love of children's books, animation and cartooning, is a 2006 graduate of the Ringling College of Art and Design. He has received awards for his work in Editorial Cartooning and for his paintings, one of which was displayed in the Smithsonian Institute, Washington D.C.



FROM THE RABBI'S STUDY....

If Purim is past, can Pesach be far behind?
No, even though Pesach is "late" this year.

Like everything else, it is rushing toward us with great speed. Perhaps the pace of events gives us a little sense of what the Israelites experienced when they were suddenly uprooted in the middle of the night and sent pell-mell into the desert to begin a forty-year journey! No time to pack, no time to prepare; just begin.

Some of us, it seems are always prepared; they live with a packed suitcase, "just in case..." And then there are "most of us," who are seldom if ever prepared for the unexpected. And some of us are never even prepared for the expected. As I draw closer to the date of retirement, I realize that to some extent I am in this latter category. Or am I? Many of the preparations that people have told me to make, I have made. But I feel like I have not. I feel like an anxious Israelite of the eve of the Exodus; something is going to happen; something is going to change!

We all know that the change the Israelites experienced was for the better. True, there were some difficult adjustments to make and not everything worked out the way we and God had hoped. But in order to survive, we had to change our way of thinking and our way of life. I know that I will have to make changes and that all of us will have to make adjustments.

It is traditional to make changes at Pesach. Nancy and I still change our dishes and pots and pans. We get rid of all the "chumetz" in the house. One of the lessons that Pesach teaches and reminds us about is the necessity for change. If we can make changes in the little things of life: in our diets and in our daily routine, then we can move on to the bigger and more important changes we all need to make from time-to-time.

Pesach, then, is not only a joyous celebration of national redemption and survival, but it is a paradigm for necessary change in life. May we all celebrate our ability to change with the times, to rejoice in the opportunity for personal and spiritual renewal, and the providential care of the God who makes it possible.

Nancy joins me in wishing you all a "chag kasher v'sameach," a joyous and happy Pesach from our house to yours.

Rabbi Michael B. Eisenstat



Last of the Season Simulcast Lecture via Satellite

On April 1, 2008, at 8:15 PM the last of this season's lectures emanating by satellite from the 92nd St. Y in New York City to Temple Beth Israel will take place. Best selling author, A. J. Jacobs, will discuss his most recent book, "The Year of Living Biblically." In his book, Jacobs recounts his fascinating, enlightening and strange year as he tried to follow all 613 Commandments in the Bible. The lecture is an eye-opening session on the wisdom of rabbis, religion in America today, Bible history and the dangers of literal interpretation. Following his lecture, Jacobs will accept questions from the audience.

Those wishing to attend are urged to arrive early to assure seating. There is no charge for this program and the public is invited. For further information, contact June Stern at 351-0352. The lecture series is underwritten by the Saperstein Fund and are open to the community. Non-members are welcome.

Looking Ahead . . .

On Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 our own professor of political science, Dr. Herbert Waltzer, will comment on the forever pending primaries and election. No fee for his incisive summary.

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BETH ISRAEL WOMEN



Here we are in April, I can't believe how the time can go by so fast.

We had our card and game day on March 14th under the very capable hands of Judy Goldstein and Pearl Kushner. I thank you both for a very successful day and also thanks to those who baked desserts.



On March 17th we had our sisterhood luncheon and meeting. Our program that was scheduled for that day had to be cancelled because one of the entertainers got sick. Thanks to Judy Goldstein, she pulled us through with another great program which saved the day. This was our last meeting of the season.

We had our NITE AT THE BALLET on March 22nd. We had a fabulous evening and a wonderful turnout. My thanks to Maye Lavinson and WOOO for supporting our event. What made this such a success was everyone's participation.

My thanks go to everyone on the Sisterhood Board who made my job so easy. I look forward to serving you again as President of Beth Israel Women.

On behalf of Ronnie and myself we wish all a very Happy and Healthy Passover.

Remember . . . BE A PART, NOT APART.

Shalom,

ARLENE H. KRUM

PRESIDENT

BETH ISRAEL WOMEN

THE BOOKS AND BROWN BAG BUNCH

The five books to be reviewed for the 2008-2009 season by the Books and Brown Bag Bunch include the following: PEOPLE OF THE BOOK by Geraldine Brooks; THE WORLD TO COME by Dara Horn; THE PIGEON AND THE BOY by Meir Shalev; THOSE WHO SAVE US by Jenna Blum; and THE MAN IN THE WHITE SHARKSKIN SUIT by Lucette Lagnado



These books can be ordered from Miriam Miller for \$60. To receive them, send a check made out to "The Temple Beth Israel Library Fund" to Miriam c/o Temple Beth Israel, 567 Bay Isles Rd., Longboat Key, FL 34228. The deadline for ordering the books is March 15, 2008.

Gloria Sabin, Coordinator

Books and Brown Bag Bunch

Barton's
Kosher for Passover
Candy is in the Gift Shop
and available for sale.

Judaica Shop

Elise Galinsky, of Judaica Gift Shop and Hanukkah Happenings fame, has arranged with the Women's Exchange at 539 Orange Avenue in Sarasota a novel way for adding funds to Beth Israel Women's coffers. Under this arrangement discarded items, such as jewelry, small appliances or household items (not clothing) and even large items such as furniture can be donated to the Women's Exchange. If the item sells within 60 days, BIW will receive 65% of the sale price. If not, it is considered a donation. Donors may receive a tax deduction for a charitable contribution.

- 1) You must list your items and place a masking tape on each item with BIW's "consignment number," which is 58882. The same procedure applies to large items except that photos must be submitted along with your list.
- 2) There is no central dropping off space at the Temple. You must personally deliver the item you are donating to the Women's Exchange and **must inform the Women's Exchange that the donation is for Beth Israel Women.**
- 3) If you have a large or heavy item to donate, such as furniture, arrangements can be made for a pickup for a minimum fee of \$70, depending on number and/or size, by a call to the Women's Exchange at 955-7859. You will be notified when the pick-up will take place.
- 4) Bring or call in your list to the Judaica Shop to receive a donation letter to attach to your list for your taxes.



Men's Club

The Men's Club hosted a glorious Opera Night March 18 with the sanctuary filled to capacity. Ushers were in tux, the Sarasota Opera singers absolutely superb, bringing the audience to its feet in applause. Two popular Broadway show tunes were included.

And the year isn't over yet!

There will be a Thursday Night Movie on April 3. Consult The Temple calendar and E mail for the title.

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On Sunday, April 27 at 5:30 the Men's Club will have its ANNUAL BARBECUE for all members, their wives and guests. Andy Wright, who headed the jazz group for the lively Shalom Again Jazz Concert in December 2007, will be at his keyboard.

All the hamburgers, hot dogs, soft drinks and beer you want for \$10.00 per person. The Men's Club 2008-09 slate of Officers and Board of Trustees will be announced. Reservations are must for head count.

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Sunday, March 30
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The following nominations will be submitted to the Men's Club membership for approval:

- President: Donald Kayton
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Trustees to serve a two year term beginning June 1, 2008:
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Committee Members: Leon Cooper, Ralph Einstein, Irving Levine.

LIBRARY



BEAT STRESS,,,,, RELAX WITH A GOOD BOOK FROM OUR TEMPLE LIBRARY.....

THE YEAR OF LIVING BIBLICALLY A.J.Jacobs. Laugh heartily as you read the author's account of living a year following all 613 commandments requirements in the Bible. In honor of birthdays of Nathan Benderson and Anne Virag. Gift of Lenore Benderly. (The simulcast lecture via satellite of this delightful and charming book will be discussed April 1 at Temple Beth Israel.)

FEINGOLD Sanford D. Horwitt. This biography about a man who represents the progressive ideals of the Democratic party more clearly than any other present-day politician and who resists the corrupting influence of special interest groups. Gift of Sylvia Cohodas

The following books are gifts from Marjorie Sandy:

AN ISLAND CALLED HOME Ruth Behar. Caught up in the Jewish exodus from Cuba, the author returned to her homeland, traveling with a Havana-based photographer, she captured a portrait of a Jewish community keeping alive the flame of Jewish life in Cuba.

COMPANY C Haim Watzman. The American born author describes his life in an Israeli reserve infantry unit serving one month each year from 1984 until 2002 examining our obligations to country, friends, family and God- and our duty to protect our institutions even as we fight to reform them.

FINDING THE JEWISH SHAKESPEARE Beth Koplan. The biography of Jacob Gordin, a famous Jewish playwright and icon of the Yiddish stage who flourished on the Lower East Side of New York from 1891 to 1910.

MOSES LEVY OF FLORIDA C.S.Monaco. Long known only as the father of David Yulee, the first Jew elected to the U.S. Senate, Moses was one of ante-bellum South's most influential Jewish citizens. He founded the first Jewish communitarian settlement in the wilds of the East Florida frontier.

PEACE IS POSSIBLE Daniel S. Abraham. The chairman of Slim-fast Foods together with the late Congressman Wayne Owens in a fifteen year period made over 60 visits to the Middle East working tirelessly to keep the lines of communication open between the Israelis and Palestinians.



THE GREAT ESCAPE Kati Morton. Remarkable lives of a small band of greatly gifted Hungarian Jewish refugees who escaped West and gave us great scientists, filmmakers, photographers and engineers and changed the world.

THE JEWISH AMERICANS David Grubin. The DVD of the PBS Video Series relating the story of the Jews in America from every time period and all walks of life detailing their history and achievements from 1954 to the present.

THE LOST WOODEN SYNAGOGUES OF EASTERN EUROPE Albert Barry. A DVD narrated by Theodore Bikel of the story of the synagogues and the life that surrounded them before the war and what has happened to them in the last 50 years.

YOU SHOULD BE SO LUCKY by the Maxwell Street Klezmer Band. A CD. A joyous celebration of music that WAS and still IS-from the era of Chicago's Maxwell Street Market and Jewish immigration from Eastern European countries.

Please peruse our collection of Passover Haggadahs.

We are very pleased to add the following:

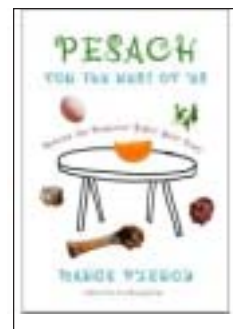
THE MORIAH HAGGADAH Avner Moriah. Illuminated by Moriah with calligraphy by I. Pludwinski and commentary by Shlomo Fox. These three distinguished Israeli scholars have given us a beautiful book of Passover.

THE ASHKENAZI HAGGADAH Joel Ben Simeon called Feibusch Ashkenazi with commentary attributed to Eleazar Ben Judah of Worms from the collection of the British Library. Gift of Arnold and Shirley Fein.

THE BRESLOV HAGGADAH Moshe Mykoff, ed. A scholarly Haggadah based on the exhaustive teachings of Rebbe Nachman of Breslov. Gift of Leonie Goldfarb.

Don't miss the following:

PESACH FOR THE REST OF US: MAKING THE PASSOVER SEDER YOUR OWN. Marge Piercy She has led a seder for a core group of family and friends at her small Cape Cod Home. Using a Haggadah she has compiled over the years, she has drawn out contemporary meanings and interpretations for the participants, providing much historic, personal and anecdotal information to enrich the meaning of Pesach symbols and drawing contemporary parallels to the traditional themes of freedom, redemption, slavery.



Miriam Miller, Librarian

TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL SUMMER ACTIVITY SERIES

Normally our programs are scheduled to begin in May and conclude in September. This year, we are most fortunate in being offered two rare programming opportunities.



The Van Wezel Foundation has invited us to a Steinway Celebration Concert featuring pianist Robert Levin, Artistic Director of the Sarasota Music Festival and professor of humanities at Harvard University, as well as world-renowned pianist YaFei Chuang.

The concert is scheduled on April 23, 2008 at 7:00 PM at Van Wezel. The Foundation provided us with 80 FREE tickets.

In December, we have been given an opportunity to sit in on a Master class by Itzak Pearlman. Final arrangements will be made in October.

In addition to the above, the following programs are being considered for this coming year:

- A concert by the students of the Sarasota Music Festival.
- A visit to the Marine Hospital at Mote Marine
- An Evening at the Sailor Circus
- A visit to the Crosley Mansion
- Back stage tour of the Asolo Repertory Theatre
- Lecture at the Longboat Art Center

As soon as our schedule is finalized, you will receive notice of each event.

To receive these notices, you must register by E mail to tbilbk@earthlink.net or by calling the Temple Office at 383 3428 or by calling 383 6025. Kindly provide us with your name, phone number, Post Office or E mail address. To save mailing costs, you must register in order to receive notification of scheduled events. You may invite neighbors or friends to participate.

We look forward to having you join us and we thank you for your prompt response for early registration.

ArleneKrum	Donald Kayton	Maye Lavinson
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Tidbits

◆ Our wonderful nonagenarian, Rose Horwitz, is now living in Westminster Towers, 1533 4th Ave., W., #385, in Bradenton. She misses her friends at Temple Beth Israel and would appreciate an occasional call or even a visit. Her phone number is 747-3237. Do perform a "mitzvah," and contact Rose. It would mean so much to her.



◆ Women On Our Own (WOOO) will be seeing "Funny Girl" at the Golden Apple Dinner Theater as their next "outing."

WOOO was well represented at the ballet program on March 22, arranged by BIW President Arlene Krum. Eighteen WOOO members went by bus to attend the ballet at the Van Wezel and experienced a joyful evening.

◆ Rabbi Eisenstat along with eight other rabbis in the community will be Kallah 2008 facilitators in the community wide series of lectures on April 10 from 6:30 to 9:15 PM at Temple Beth Sholom. The event will feature eight topic discussions, all related to Israel. This Kallah celebration sponsored by the Sarasota-Manatee Jewish Federation is part of the 60th anniversary of Israel. Requested cash donation (at the door) is \$5.00 per participant. Register online at WWW.SMJF.org or call the Federation's event line (941) 371-4546, Ext. 151. For further information call Kallah staff coordinator, Orna Nissan, Ext. 104. Check the recent issue of The Jewish News for more details on the topics.



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

A heartfelt thanks to all who have made contributions and also to those who have sent get well greetings and phoned for Fred's speedy recovery. It means so much to know that there are so many who care. How fortunate we are to be a part of our Temple Family.

Sincerely,
Alice Taich



NEW MEMBERS

A CELEBRATION OF JEWISH MUSIC

If you missed Shabbat Services on Friday evening, March 21st, you missed not only a meaningful spiritual Service, but a delightful music concert that celebrated Jewish Music Month.

We congratulate our Choir Director and Organist, Dr. Ann Stephenson-Moe for her presentation that included our entire splendid choir, our soloists, Rebecca Hill, Ruth Danielle, David Calahan and Jay Kimpel, with a special rendition of *If I Were A Rich Man*, sung by our bass, Fred Boris. This concert was truly a meeting of the Traditional and the Contemporary.

Each selection was introduced by Rabbi Eisenstat who gave an explanation of the music, the background of the songs and the composers.

Also, at this Service, our new members were acknowledged and received certificates honoring their becoming an important part of our Temple Family. We welcome them and look forward to their participation in all Temple activities.

Shirley Fein

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RABBI MICHAEL B. EISENSTAT

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April Yahrzeits

Yahrzeit names are in order of the date of death.
To be read on each of the following Fridays:

April 4, 2008
Esther G. Cohn
Celia Briefer
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April, 11, 2008
Yetta Holland
May Freedman
Elaine Bloch
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Ethel Wolman
Samuel Dryer
Morris Fedder
James Robert Slote
Hannah Frank
Jessie Gleeckman
Sam Goldberg
Stanley Poler
Nathan Katz
Melvin Kraft
Samuel Green
Margaret Schwartz
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Markstein
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Samuel Winett
Alexander H. Nitkin

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Julius Rubel
Pauline Schwartz
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Garson Gherman

April 18, 2008
Lillian Abrahams
Harry Pakula
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Dorothy Hilcoff
Benjamin Biron
Sandra Blumberg
Shulman
Beatrice Eisenstat
Edward Ziskind
Lily Rosenberg
Hyman Feldman
Naomi Fishman
David Gourse
Rose Grant

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April 25, 2008
Jeanne Boster
Herz Ketzlach
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Herman Frank
Harry Mackman
Ethel Pastor
Ruth Schwartz
Marianne Shoengood
Wilma Shapiro
Martin Stern

May 2, 2008
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Samuel Z. Bazarsky
Minnie Benderson
Joseph Schwartz
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Max Ringler
Barnett Grossman
Minnie Gurewitz
Jack Laven
Lester Maskell
Faye Kolbur
Ben Kolbur
Nathan Lipson
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Erwin Marks
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Jesse Miller
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FOR ITEMS AND EVENTS APPEARING IN THIS MONTH'S BULLETIN

MEN'S CLUB
LECTURE



SUNDAY, APRIL 13
2:00 PM

To: Temple Beth Israel Men's Club, 567 Bay Isles Road, Longboat Key, FL 34228

Yes, Please save me _____ seat(s) on Sunday, April 13 to hear Dexter Van Zile at \$5.00 per person.

Amount of check enclosed \$ _____

Name _____ Tel # _____

PASSOVER SEDER



SATURDAY, APRIL 19
6:00 P.M.

Temple Beth Israel, 567 Bay Isles Rd., Longboat Key, FL 34228

Passover, Saturday, April 19th, Longboat Key Club

____ Adults @ \$65.00 each ____ 12 and under, \$32.00 each ____ 3 and under (no charge)

Name (include names of all attending) _____

Phone number: _____ Please write on back names of those you wish to sit with.

If you have a special dietary need, please list it now: _____

Amount of check enclosed: _____

MEN'S CLUB
BARBECUE



SUNDAY, APRIL 27
5:30 PM

Temple Beth Israel Men's Club, 567 Bay Isles Rd., Longboat Key, FL 34228

Yes, please reserve _____ seats for the Men's Club Barbecue on Sunday, April 27. at \$10.00 per person.

Name(s) _____ Tel # _____

Amount of check enclosed: _____

TAKE PART IN A
SHABBAT SERVICE



ACCEPT AN HONOR

Temple Beth Israel, 567 Bay Isles Rd., Longboat Key, FL 34228

I would like to participate in Shabbat Services by accepting an honor(s) as checked below:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gelilah (dress the Torah) | <input type="checkbox"/> Hagbahah (raise the Torah) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ark Opener/Closer | <input type="checkbox"/> Gabbai (assist Rabbi at Torah service) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aliyah (recite Torah Blessings)* | <input type="checkbox"/> Haftorah (read Haftorah portion) |

I/we would like to have the honor on ** Saturday (month and date) _____

I am willing to accept an honor. Please call me for a time.

Name(s) _____ Tel. # _____

* We will need your and both parents' Hebrew names. ** Please allow at least two weeks notice.