KOL JESHURUN



CONGREGATION В N A I JESHURUN

RABBIS: Marshall T. Meyer (1985-1993) J. Rolando Matalon Marcelo R. Bronstein Cantor & Music Director: Ari Priven

April 30 – May 7, 1999

Friday, April 30

 $6:00 \text{ PM} - 88^{th} \text{ Street}$ **Kabbalat Shabbat Service**

Shabbat B'yachad with Rabbi Yitz Greenberg

Following Services –88th Street

6:45 PM – 86th Street **Kabbalat Shabbat Service**

Saturday, May 1

Shabbat Parashat Emor

9:00-9:30 AM -86th Street **Silent Meditation** 9:30 AM – 86th Street Service

Torah: Annual, Leviticus 21:1–24:23,Pg. 912

Triennial: Leviticus 21:1–22:16

Haftarah: Ezekiel 44:15–31, Pg. 1001

Minyan Hazzanut (grades 1-3) 10:15 - Chapel **Junior Congregation** (grades 4-6) 10:15 – Library Minyan HaK'tanim (ages 3 and under) 10:45 – Parlor Room

Minyan Gan Alef (ages 4-5) 10:45 – Board Room All children (except Junior Congregation) will meet at 10:45 for the main Children's Service in the Chapel.

Bar Mitzvah Mark Puddington Aliyat Hatan veKallah Abby Friedman and Daniel Schifrin Jill Selmonsky and Joseph Janowski

Sunday, May 2

9:30 AM - 88th Street **Morning Minyan** 11:00 AM -86th Street BJ/St. Luke's Brunch

Singles Swing and Salsa Classes

12:00 PM -300 W. 56th Street

6:00 PM -86th Street **BJCOTS**

Monday, May 3

7:30 AM - 88th Street **Morning Minvan** 6:00 PM - 88th Street **BJ/SPSA Shelter for the Homeless** 6:45 PM –Riverside Park **BJ Softball** 7:15 PM -86th Street 8:00 PM -88th Street Intro to Judaism **Choir Rehearsal**

Tuesday, May 4

Lag Ba'Omer

7:30 AM – 88th Street **Morning Minyan** $8:10 \text{ AM} - 88^{th} \text{ Street}$ **Introduction to Talmud**

with Rabbi Hillel Friedman

6:00 PM – 88th Street **BJ/SPSA** Shelter for the Homeless **Meditation Class with Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein**

6:00 PM -88th Street

Workshop for Men with Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein

7:30 PM -Chapel

"Sex on the Table" Text Study with Amichai Lau-Lavie

8:30 PM – 86th Street

Wednesday, May 5

7:30 AM – 88th Street **Morning Minyan** 2:00 PM -88th Street Kesharim Prozdor BJ-LIFE - 8th Grade 5:00 PM –Home **BJ/SPSA** Shelter for the Homeless 6:00 PM – 86th Street 6:45 PM – 88th Street Call, Empathy, and Response:

A Study of A.J. Heschel's

The Prophets with Rabbi Rolv Matalon

Renee Kaufman Memorial Lecture 7:00 PM -88th Street **Early Childhood Meeting** 7:30 PM -Montana

Thursday, May 6

7:30 AM – 88th Street **Morning Minyan Judith Bernstein Lunch Program** 8:30 AM – 88th Street **Prozdor BJ-LIFE - 9th Grade** 5:00 PM -Home **BJ/SPSA** Shelter for the Homeless 6:00 PM – 86th Street 7:00 PM -BJ Office **Israel Committee Meeting** 7:00 PM -86th Street **Interfaith Storytelling** Singles' Chamber Music Concert 8:00 PM – Merkin Hall

Friday, May 7

BJ Retreat

7:30 AM – 88th Street **Morning Minvan** Preschool Shabbat Class #1 10:00 AM -88th Street **Preschool Shabbat Class #2** 11:00 AM -88th Street

Next Week's Parashah: Behar Behukotai

Torah: Annual, Leviticus 25:1–27:34, Pg. 946

Triennial: Leviticus 25:1–25:38

Haftarah: Jeremiah 16:19–17:14, Pg. 1006

SCHEDULE FOR MORNING MINYAN Monday - Friday - 7:30 AM - 88th Street Sun & Nat'l Holidays - 9:30 AM – 88th Street

AIDS WALK IS SUNDAY, MAY 16
Why BJ's Walking: To raise money for GMHC, the nation's oldest and largest AIDS organization, helping thousands of men, women and children living with AIDS. They offer HIV

Testing, counseling & education, 60,000 Hot Meals a year, a Hotline fielding 40,000 calls a year, Legal Services for clients facing unlawful evictions & denial of health

insurance & an Emergency Grant Fund.

Sign Up by May 2 & get a Free BJ T-Shirt: Send names, address, phone numbers & t-shirt sizes to

BJAWNY@hotmail.com or call 212 787-7600 x335.

Sponsor Forms Available after Services at 86th & 88th See Attached Flyer for more information.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please call our office to let us know about family events such as births, celebrations, illness, or death, so that we can inform the Rabbis and make the appropriate announcement to our Community.

Attention: All announcements, blurbs or flyers for the next Kol Jeshurun are due at the BJ office on the Tuesday before printing at 12:00 noon.

Condolences

The community of B'nai Jeshurun extends its sincere condolences to the following BJ members and their families:

- Gena Raps on the death of her beloved mother, Pola Geier.
- Vivienne and Tony Fisher on the death of Vivienne's beloved mother, June Reynolds.
- Eric Fishman on the death of his beloved great aunt, Bertha Lamberger.
- Marcia Lipson on the death of her beloved mother, Esther Lipson.
- Judy and Michael Steinhardt, Ellen Abrams and John Stossel and their entire family on the death of Judy and Ellen's beloved father, Arthur Abrams.

Mazal Tov To:

- Mark Puddington and Margaret, Arch, and Nicholas Puddington on the occasion of Mark's Bar Mitzvah.
- Abby Friedman and Daniel Schifrin and their families on the occasion of their upcoming wedding.
- Jill Selmonsky and Joseph Janowski and their families on the occasion of their upcoming wedding.
- Nancy Moses and Harold Tepper on the occasion of their engagement.

Todah Rabbah To:

- Felicia Sol, Amichai Lau-Lavie, Linda White, Todd Chanko and all of the participating families for their help in organizing and executing the PJ's and Havdalah Study Session which was a great success.
- All who participated in the drive to help Kosovar refugees. We collected 170 emergency kits and 6 large bags of clothing and shoes. Anyone who wants to donate more kits or clothes, please call Zosia Zaks at 673–7191.

Brukhim HaBa'im To:

 We welcome Rabbi Shira Milgrom and members of Congregation Kol Ami of Westchester.

Yasher Koach To:

The 354 members and friends of BJ who participated in the "Save Brett" blood testing event, to the more than 25 volunteers who helped make the drive a success, and to those who contributed to the considerable costs involved in funding of the project. Pikuach Nefesh, the saving of life, supercedes all the other mitzvot, and this event contributed immensely to The National Blood Marrow Donor Program

which tests blood in the hope of finding a compatible match for a possible bone marrow transplant.

Positions Available at BJ

We are currently undergoing a search for a full time Family Life Director and a part time Teen Director. Please call Felicia Sol for complete job descriptions. Resumes for the Family Life Director should be sent to Arlene Brandon at the BJ office and resumes for the Teen Director position should be sent to Felicia Sol at the BJ office.

Kosovo Refugee Relief

The following two organizations are collecting funds to aid refugees caught in the conflict in Yugoslavia:

- The American Jewish World Service, 99 Avenue of the Americas, NY, NY 10018;
- The Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, 711 3rd Avenue, 10th Fl., NY, NY 10017;

You may indicate on your check that you are a BJ member.

Volunteer Opportunities of the Week

BJ needs ushers for Friday evening and Shabbat morning Services. Please call Shelly at 769-8764.

BJ also needs volunteers for the Judith Bernstein Lunch Program. If you can donate an hour of your time at 88th Street on Thursdays either for serving (from 12:00–1:00 PM) or cleaning up (from 1:00 –2:00 PM), please call Amy at ext. 338

BJ SPRING RETREATS

Space is still open on our upcoming Spring Retreats (May 7th–9th and June 18th–20th). To reserve your spot, please return applications, volunteer forms, and payment to the BJ office as soon as possible. Join us as we prepare for Shavuot in May and study with our friends from HaMidrasha, the Center for Study and Fellowship in Israel, in June. Scholarships are available. For more information call Robin at x365.

Career Counselor Available

The Employment Bank is happy to announce that a volunteer is available for free career counseling (i.e. resume evaluation and interview skills) on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00–4:00 pm. This service is available for members only. Please call for an appointment at ext. 362.

Finally, Space for the Contemplative

In response to many requests for contemplative space on Shabbat, we've created some in the Chapel at SPSA. From 9:00 AM until services begin at 9:30 AM feel free to come to the Chapel for sitting and meditation. Signs will be available from the ushers to hold a seat for you for services. We ask that all members respect these signs, as well as try to

avoid making excessive noise in the areas around the chapel during this meditation period.

Theater Party To Benefit BJ

There are still a few BJ tickets left for Wednesday's Jewish Repertory Theatre production of NEVER ON FRIDAY starring David "Dudu" Fisher. Join other BJ members **Wednesday**, **May 5th at 8:00 PM** at this highly praised musical revue, after which Dudu Fisher will speak to our group and answer questions. To reserve your tickets and for instructions on how to pay, **RSVP this Sunday by 12:00 PM** to Eileen Weiss 212-678-2408. Tickets are \$40.00 each, a portion of which is tax-deductible and will go directly to B'nai Jeshurun. The theatre is at Playhouse 91, 316 E. 91st Street (bet. 1st & 2nd Avenues).

Meditation Continues on Tuesdays

Marcelo's class has ended, but meditation will continue. Starting **May 4th**, an ongoing meditation group will meet Tuesday nights at 88th Street at 6:00PM. Marcelo will lead the initial sessions, but the goal is for rotating leadership as the group evolves. If you have questions, please call Robin at x365.

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Photography Exhibit Continues

The photo exhibit, Buena Memoria, with photos by Marcelo Brodsky, will continue to be on view at 88th Street on Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 5:30 – 7:00 PM (except May 6th) until May 19th. A book of this photo exhibit as well as <u>A Lexicon of Terror: Argentina and the Legacies of Torture</u>, by Marguerite Feitlowitz, are both available at reduced prices at the BJ Office.

UPCOMING EVENTS

BJ Softball is Here!

Our annual, summer-long, weekly "pick-up" games will be starting on Lag Ba'Omer, **Monday night, May 3rd** from 6:45-8:30 in Riverside Park. The field is located along the water near the 79th Street boat basin at approximately 75-78th streets (enter either at 79th or 72nd street and walk towards the Hudson river). Come join what one of our weekly participants from last year called "the most fun I've ever had with a glove on." Questions or comments? Call BJ member Craig Sumberg at 212/875-1626.

Environmental Committee Meeting

The next meeting will be on, **Monday**, **May 3** at 5:30 PM at the Kosher Roma Pizzaria on Amsterdam between 90th and 91st Streets.

The Renee Kaufman Memorial Lecture

On Wednesday, May 5th at 7:00PM at 88th Street, please join Bari Pearlman (producer/director) as she presents and speaks on her video "Mah-Jongg: The Tiles That Bind." This video is a deeply moving portrait of the Jewish- and Asian-American women who play the centuries-old Chinese game of Mah-Jongg. The game spans generations, cultures and continents. For the Jewish players particularly, the game is a link between generations, connecting grandmother to mother to daughter. Admission is free.

Israel Committee Meeting

The next and <u>final</u> meeting of the Israel Committee for this year will be **Thursday**, **May** 6th at 7:00 PM in the conference room at the BJ Office (at 100A West 89th Street).

Interfaith Storytelling

The Interfaith Committees of BJ and SPSA invite all members of both communities to an evening of storytelling featuring Jewish tales told by Peninnah Schram and Celtic tales by Kitty Sullivan on **Thursday, May 6** in the chapel of SPSA. The program begins at 7:00 PM, and will run for approximately two hours. There is no charge, but reservations are appreciated. Call Mim Warden at 212-262-8408, or e-mail mimWarden@aol.com.

Eldercare Roundtable

BJ Member Ellen Lurie Polivy, a social worker who has been a professional geriatric care manager for eighteen years is offering a monthly roundtable in which people can bring their eldercare issues, concerns and questions. The meetings will take place from 7:00 - 8:30 PM at 86th Street on the following dates: **May 10th** and **June 14th**. The service is free but you must RSVP at 362–2076.

Lecture on Jewish Ethics

The Hevra Kadisha and Bikkur Holim Committees invite the entire BJ community to attend an important and timely lecture concerning the hows, whys, and Jewish ethics of organ donation, living wills, and health care proxies. The discussion, on **Tuesday, May 11**th at 7:00 PM at 88th Street, will be led by Rabbi Edward Reichman, MD, attending physician in the Emergency Department at Montefiore Medical Center and adjunct professor of Medical Ethics at Fordham University.

Gay and Lesbian Potluck Shabbat Dinner

This month's lesbian and gay potluck Shabbat dinner will be on **Friday, May 14th**, following the 6:45 PM Service at 86th Street. The potluck will start right after Services, approximately at 8:00 PM, in the Parlor Room behind the sanctuary. Please bring a vegetarian/kosher entrée to share with 4–6 people, and be ready to have a good time. For more information, please call x325.

Prepare for Shavuot by Learning Hebrew and Reading the Book of Ruth

So much of Jewish history originates in the story of Ruth, King David's grandmother, whose story we traditionally read during Shavuot. If you want to learn more about Megilat Ruth, and improve your Hebrew, immerse yourself in a Megilat Ruth Hebrew Marathon Day on May 16th. The full-day session is intended for a beginner level of Hebrew, starting with the Aleph-Bet letters and vowels followed by a reading in Hebrew and a discussion of Megilat Ruth. If you already know Hebrew, you may join us in the afternoon for the Megilat Ruth portion. The class will be taught by Michal Nachmany on Sunday, May 16th from 12-6 PM. \$45 for members and \$65 for non-members. Please send your check marked "Megilat Ruth " to the BJ Office, attention: Adult Education. For more information, call Michal Nachmany at 865-4050.

Celebrate BJ Singing

We are looking for helping hands on **Tuesday. June 8th** as we celebrate "With Every Breath," the new BJ CD. Starting at 7:30 PM, BJ will be hosting a CD celebration at 88th Street featuring live performances as well as a special songbook and CD which will be available for the first time. Food, dessert, and drinks will accompany the celebration. Volunteers are needed in the following areas: ushers, entrance door check-in, CD table, and overall assistance. To sign up, please call Ellen Litt at 580-4188 before 9:00 PM. For general questions regarding this even, please call 787–7600, ext. 307.

SINGLES ACTIVITIES

Men's Group: Intimacy/Commitment From a Male Perspective

For single men only. Join Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein for a three-session workshop exploring the role of intimacy and commitment from a male perspective. Come talk about that which we usually don't discuss. The workshop will be held on Tuesdays: May 4th, 11th, and 25th at 7:30PM in the Parlor Room of SPSA (86th Street).

Chamber Music: Encore!

Back by popular demand! We would like to invite the singles community to enjoy an evening of music-making by The Festival Chamber Music Society on Thursday May 6th. The concert features the music of Mozart, Martinu, and D'Indy. The evening will begin with a buffet dinner at Mendy's West (208 West 70th St.), from 6:15 PM to 7:30 PM. We will then walk to Merkin Concert Hall (129 West 67th St.) for the 8 PM concert. After the concert, there will be a reception, where we will sip champagne, meet the artists, and mingle with friends. The cost for the evening is

\$35 for BJ members/\$40 for non-members. To reserve your place, please send check marked "Singles Concert 5/6" to the BJ office. Please include your name, address, day/evening phone number, your membership status and indicate whether you would like a vegetarian dinner. Ticket availability is limited and reservations must be made by Monday, May 3rd. Please join us!

Warm Nights Ahead

Join us as we welcome in the sweet smells of Spring and the warm nights ahead with an Oneg Shabbat sponsored by the Singles Committee on **Friday**, **May** 7th, following the 6:45 PM service. Come down to the Social Hall of SPSA (86th Street) for lite fare, beverages and a dose of schmoozing.

Looking for Your Soulmate

Don't have Memorial Day plans yet? See the Back Table for information about a unique retreat for singles.

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Early Childhood Meeting

The rescheduled early childhood meeting will be on Wednesday, May 5th, at the Montana. Please join us to discuss the planning of next year's class.

Tot Shabbat

On a monthly basis we will hold a Tot Shabbat service at 5:45 PM at 86th Street for young children. The dates for the year are as follows: May 14th. The service will be filled with singing, stories and dancing.

Family Shabbat Dinner

Join us on May 14th with your family after the early service at 88th Street to celebrate Shabbat. You will meet other members of the community, enjoy a great Israeli meal and bring home some new Shabbat experiences for you and your children. Rabbi Steve Shulman will join us. Our theme will focus on "Israel: What is our relationship to it?" We hope to create an evening of discussion, learning, and sharing of ideas for both adults and children. The cost for members is \$10.00 for adults and \$8.00 for children, and for

non-members \$12.00 for adults and \$10.00 for children. Reservations are required and seating is limited. reservations must be received in the BJ office by Thursday, May 6th (any reservation after May 6th will be subject to a late fee) and will be honored on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservations must be accompanied by a check and payable to Congregation B'nai Jeshurun.

Parenting Workshops

Dr. Ron Taffel will continue to focus on the theme of Nurturing Good Children Now, his latest work. Tuesday, May 11th, we will focus on ages 12 and up, and on Tuesday, May 18th, we will focus on ages 5–12. We are rescheduling the 0-5 section for some time in the future. See future Kol Jeshuruns for details. All meetings will take place in the parlor Room at 86th Street at 6:30 PM.

BJ COTS

BJ COTS will meet at 6:00 PM on **Sunday**, **May** 2nd **and May** 9th, in the Parlor Room at 86th Street. All those teens interested in walking in the AIDS Walk should contact Elana Safran.

Junior Youth Group

The Junior Youth Group will be walking together in the AIDS Walk on **Sunday**, **May 16th**. All fifth and sixth graders are encouraged to join together for this important event. Contact Daniel Barash at 388–2918 for information.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Questions for Board Members?

Millie Waldman and Marcy Grau are available during April to answer questions that members may have about the Board, or to discuss issues affecting the BJ community. You may reach Millie at (212) 799–1435 and Marcy at (212) 496–9063.

Special Needs/Reserved Seating:

If you have special needs (such as physical, hearing, or visual disabilities) and are in need of reserved seating for Shabbat Services (aisle, close to the front, etc.), please let us know. Call the BJ Office voice mailbox, x320.

New to BJ?

If you are unfamiliar with our Services and would like to sit with someone who can help orient you, our ushers would be happy to direct you to such a person.

Transliterations:

For those of you attending Shabbat Services who are not completely comfortable reading the Hebrew but still want to join in the singing and chanting, we have inserted transliterations in our Siddurim.

Lost and Found

If you find a lost item before, during, or after services, please take it to one of the ushers at the back of the sanctuary. If you have lost something at BJ, please call (212) 787-7600, ext. 0 and speak to Madelyn.

Damaged Prayerbook?

If you find a Siddur or Chumash that is in shabby condition, or damaged in any way (torn pages, etc.), please give it to an usher so that it can be repaired.

MEMBER/AFFILIATE ACTIVITIES

Great River Sweep '99

Scenic Hudson, an Americorps * NCCP Program, is working to clean up the Hudson Valley from Albany to Manhattan. Together with JCC of the Upper West Side, we can work this **Sunday, May 2** on projects ranging from cleaning our own homeless shelter to painting and feeding Riverside Park. If you are interested, meet at the Manhattan Day School at 2310 W. 75th Street at 9:00 AM for breakfast and to volunteer for one of several important projects.

Member Art Exhibit

BJ Member Avery S Brandon will be presenting her paintings in an exhibit called "The Elements Project" from **April 20**th **to May 21**st at the Paul Labrecque Salon and Spa/Gallery, Reebok Sports Club, 2nd Floor, 160 Columbus Ave. (at 67th Street) 10:00AM – 6:00PM.

Resources Needed for BJ's Partnership with Brandeis

The following are needed at Brandeis High School: grant writers, current or former employees of IBM; computers, 486 or current Pentium: printers; copiers; overhead projectors; large amounts of paper; books; dictionaries; encyclopedias; treadmill. If you have something that you think you could contribute to the High School students, please call Nancy Mostow at (212) 799–3303.

Save the Gardens

Your urgent action is needed to save New York City's community gardens. The Mayor is planning to auction 115 community gardens in May to real estate development speculators. There are 14,000 vacant lots in New York City. In an effort to increase the pressure, there will be a large scale legal protest and a civil disobedience on **Wednesday**, **May 5**th beginning at 5:00 PM at Manhattan Community

College, 99 Chambers Street. For more information, call the BJ Office, ext. 313 or 212–529–1590.

Current Events Discussion Group

Current events shape our world as well as our community. Join us to discuss, struggle, and share opinions on major news events on the first Sunday of every month, 8:30–10:30 PM. For further information call Mitch Rubin at (212) 873–6436

BJ Member Performance

Lisa Kron, a BJ member, is currently performing her show, "2.5 Minute Ride" at The Joseph Papp Public Theater. The piece, which examines the legacy of her German Jewish father by juxtaposing stories of a trip they took together to Auschwitz with stories of an annual family visit to the Cedar Point Amusement Part in Sandusky, Ohio, has received excellent reviews including a rave from Ben Brantley of the New York Times. For tickets, please call 947–8844 and mention the code TP5NA55 for a \$5 discount off of the \$30 full–price single ticket.

Festival of Jewish Music

An alliance of twenty–five West Side synagogues, schools, and Jewish institutions for permanent housing for the homeless invites you to join their seventh annual festival. This benefit concert, on **Monday, May 3**, at 7:30 PM at Symphony Space, Broadway and 95th Street, is dedicated to creating and rehabilitating housing for low–income and homeless New Yorkers. See enclosed flyer for more details.

Benefit for Kosovo Relief

BJ Member Peninnah Schram will participate in Kol Tikvah–Voices of Hope, a benefit concert for Kosovo relief on **Monday, May 3rd** at 7:30 PM at The Sol Goldman YM–YWHA of the Educational Alliance, 344 E. 14th Street (between 1st and 2nd Avenues). The concert will feature singer/musician Craig Taubman with special appearances by **For Interfaith Couples**

The Jewish Community Center on the Upper West Side welcomes all interfaith couples to a "Great Decisions Workshop" led by BJ member Juliana Neiman Bronstein on Wednesdays, May 5, 12 and 19 from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM. The workshop will focus on decision making—the wedding, extended families, children, holiday celebration and other subjects that can be complicated and difficult for interfaith couples. Juliana, an experienced couples therapist, will help you find your way through the maze of decisions. The cost for all three sessions is \$60 a couple. For further information, please call 580–0099, ext. 205.

JCC Support Groups

The JCC on the Upper West Side is forming support groups for those who are bereaved, as well as for those who are recently single and divorced, in partnership with the Jewish Board of Family and Children's Services, the New York Board of Rabbis and congregations on the Upper West Side. Seven session groups are formed on an ongoing basis. For further information, please call 580–0099, ext. 205.

Focus Group Participants Needed

We are recruiting focus group participants to give feedback for an online memorial site which will be introduced on the Internet. The memorial site will offer the opportunity to commemorate family, friends and colleagues and to share memories and feelings. We need 8 people on **Wednesday evening, May 12** from 7:15 – 9:00pm. If you are interested in participating, or have any questions call BJ members Trudi Levine, 866–4674 or Roberta Todras, 873–5660.

Chassidic New Wave, Danny Maseng, Yom Hadash, Laurence Juber, Naomi Kukoff, and Frank London Allstarts Klezmer. Minimum donation is \$36.00 with all proceeds going directly to aid the refugees from Kosovo. Please call 212–780–0800, ext. 221 for tickets and information.

Queens Havurah

Join the Queens Havurah on **Friday, May 14th** as we celebrate Shabbat with a service and light dinner at the Conservative Synagogue of Jamaica Estates, beginning at 7:00 PM. You must send payment of \$14 per person by May 6th to reserve your space for dinner. Please make your check payable to Adrienne Simons and send it to her at: 67–33 152nd Street, Flushing, NY 11367. For more information, call Adrienne at 718–793–2442.

Freedom Ride '99

In commemoration of the Freedom Rides 35 years ago, and the murders of James Chaney, Andrew Goodman, and Michael Schwerner, Freedom Ride 1999 will mirror the historic civil rights action of the early '60s. This June, BJ members are invited to join thousands of young adults from all over the country to Philadelphia, Mississippi with stops at historic sites and predominately Black colleges and universities. For more information, call Daniel Orlowski at 212–475–3232.

Beit Midrash/A Liberal Yeshivah in Jerusalem

There will be a summer intensive, "God, Torah, Israel: 3 Concepts, 2 Weeks, 1 People." The program will run from July 1–17, 1999, during which time participants will study and pray in our egalitarian and pluralistic setting. Join us and experience the richness of Jewish learning. Housing and meals are included. In addition, The Yeshivah is still accepting applications for full and part time study in Jerusalem for this coming academic year (5760). For more information contact BJ Member Lev Robert Herrnson at 212–824–2294 or www.huc.edu/liberalyeshivah/

Ecological Suggestion of the Week

Instead of using toxic furniture polishing products, mix three parts olive oil with one part vinegar. Wipe with a clean, soft cloth.

This message was brought to you by the Environment Committee at x313.

Pasuk of the Week -

Speak to Aharon and to his sons, that they may be careful (in handling) the holy-donations of the Children of Israel – that they not profane my holy name – which they hallow to me, I am Adonai! (Leviticus 22:2)

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The Renee Kaufman Memorial Lecture

Join us on

Wednesday, May 5th at 7:00PM at 88th Street

For "Mah–Jongg: The Tiles that Bind" a documentary film on the history of Mah–Jongg and the Jewish and Asian–American women who play it. The film includes interviews with the players and their families, a musical score sampling traditional and original compositions. Director Bari Pearlman will be speaking at this event. Admission is free.

The Music of Shabbat at B'nai Jeshurun

The siddur used at BJ on Shabbat and Festivals as well as cassettes of the music of B'nai Jeshurun are availa	ble for
purchase.	

Please fill out the form below, indicating your order, and send it with your check to the BJ office.

*Please	I/We would like to order:					
note:	Item	Quantity	Price	Postage &	Total	
Postage &				Handling*		
Handling is	The Music of Shabbat at B'nai J	Jeshurun				
per item.	Set of two Cassettes		15.00	2.50		
And, unless	Transliteration Booklet			5.00 1.00		
otherwise	Siddur Sim Shalom		30.00	3.50		
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is 4-6						

weeks.

AIDS WALK IS SUNDAY, MAY 16

COME JOIN US AS WE PRAY WITH OUR FEET

As of April 26, the following 317 people from BJ have already registered:

Ernest Adams, Jonathan Adelsberg, Lois Alexander, Peter Alpern, William Amaya, Meril Amdursky, Maurice Arlos, Mitchell Arons, Penny Arons, Terry Babers, Melissa Bachner, Randall Bachner, Zachary Bachner, Patty Bailenson, Hannah Bailenson, Amy Bakal, Stephanie Bakal, Loren Banco, Daniel Barash, Tamar Baumgold, Leonard Bender, Lauren Berger, David Berman, Dale Bernstein, Max Bernstein, Zachary Bernstein, Lynn Blacker, David Blech, Sheila Bleckner, Norman Bleckner, David Block, David A. Boyarsky, Nancy Brayman, June Brettler, Joan Bronk, Juliana Neiman Bronstein, Micaela Bronstein, Gabriela Bronstein, Dana Bronstein, Rabbi Marcelo Bronstein, Carol Case, Susanne Catinella, Matthew Catinella, Francesca Catinella, Nicholas Catinella, Elizabeth Cohen, Stephen Cohen, Stacy Cohen, Madeline Cohen, Dan Cohen, Val Coleman, Gina Crevello, Carolyn Desch, Brad Desch, Miriam Dibble, Carol Dikman, Rise Dimson, Denise Dolny, Mike Dresner, Rabbi Shoshana Dworsky, Eric Edidin, Michael Ekstract, Marion Faytell, Phyllis Feder, Sue Fein, Merril Feinstein-Feit, Stu Feit, Luiz Fernando de F. Menezes, Brooke P. Fisher, Ted Fisher, Ellen Fisher Turk, Shari B. Fishman, Danny Flamberg, Fern Flamberg, Allison Flamberg, Joy Fleisig, Andrea Flink, Alona Fogel, Rena Fogel, Glenda Frank, Elliot Frank, Edna Friedlander, Joel Friedman, Harvey Friedman, Julian Gaa, Gina Gassman, Monica Georgiadis, Cindy Ginsburg, Liz Gitlin, Adam Gitlin, Ben Gitlin, Bruce Gitlin, Ross Gitlin, Hilary Haika Glazer, Andrea Glenn, Mike Gold, Robert Goldaber, Jerry Goldfeder, Betsy Goldkrand, Barbara Goldman, Tamara Goldman, Eileen L. Gordon, Harriet Goren, Joshua Levine Grater, Franci Levine Grater, Shara Grau, Jonathan Green, Susan Green, Lisa Gregg, Eilat Gubbay, Talia Gubbay, Larry Gurwitch, Andrew Hahn, Beth Handler, Helaine Harte, Kate Hartnick, Richard Hartzman, Suzy Hendrikx, Miriam Herscher, Sam Herscher, Joan Hershey, Aviv Hillo, David Hirsch, Marcy Hirschfeld, Jonathan Hollander, Mark Horn, Joseph Ingber, Jackie Ioachim, Harvey Israelton, Stefanie Jacobowitz, Marshall Jacobowitz, Mark Jacobs, Betty Jane Jacobs, Les Judd, Mary Kay Judy, Carolyn Kahn, Laurel Kallen, Maia Kallen Piazza, Steve Kaplan, Sue Kaplan, David Karnovsky, Rachel Karnovsky, Nathan Karnovsky, Laurie Kasloff, Michael Kasloff, Susan Kasloff, Rachel Katz, Ilene Katz, Heather Kaufman, Nina Kaufman, Beth Kern, Jonathan Kern, Robin Kerner, Dan Kerness, Tatyana Keselj, Galene Kessin, Richard Kessin, Ruth Kessin, Linda Khadjehturian, Joelle Klein, Julia Klein, Elizabeth Klein, Harriet Klein, Shira Koch, Andrew Koopman, Lorraine Korn, Lizzie Leiman Kraiem, Renee Kraiem, Leon Kraiem, Haya Kramer, Jay Kramer, Wendi Kromash, Steve Krulwich, Susan Landau, Lori Laska, Daniel Lebson, Sarah Lefton, Harold Lehrman, Helen Lehrman, Illana Leiser, Ilana Lesiger, Barbara Lesser, Susan Lesser, Bernice Levine, Mortimer Levine, Meg Levine, Leila Levy, Diane Linder, Wendy Linderman, Amy Link, Mark Lipsy, Alfred Litman, Joseph Litman, Sara Litt, Andy Litt, Rebecca Litt, Yvonne Lorber, Mimi Lox, Dorothy Luft, Tabitha Magot, Mark Mannucci, Jack David Marcus, Adam Marcus, Jessica Marcus, Susan Margolis, Liz Marshall-Peach, Talia Hatzor Matalon, Yahel Matalon, Maya Matalon, Rabbi Roly Matalon, Judy Meibach, Shari Melman, Stacey Merel, Rebecca Metzger, Adam Metzger, Ted Metzger, Naomi Meyer, Madelaine Miller, Anne Millman, Ilana Millman, Ellen Monk, Johnny Monk, Amy Moses, Sue Moss, Michael Mostow, Nancy Mostow, Sheila Myers, Danielle Nagelberg, Mark Nagelberg, Elaine Nevins, Andrea Newman, Marjorie Olster, Ron OpHetZeld, Joanne Palmer, Miriam Palmer-Sherman, Shira Palmer-Sherman, Arthur J. Pann, Dorothy Papo, Michael Papo, Valentin Peytchinov, Chloe Piazza, Michael Piazza, Debbie Pimstone, Amy Pollack, Jim Pollak, Mary Porter, Jeanette Potter, Margie Preiss, Helen Radin, Elenor Radzivilover, Rachel Reida, Nancy Roberts, Rabbi Stephen Roberts, Cecile Rodau, Denise Roistacher, Joyce Rosenfeld, Susan Rosenthal, Erica Rosenthal, Rachel Rosenthal, Jerry Rothman, Kay Rothman, Sheila Rothman, Mitchell Rubin, Rollene Saal, Theodara Saal, Robin Sacknoff, Amalia Safran, Elana Safran, Judy Safran, Matthew Safran, Tziporah Salamon, Sven Sando, Jordan Sarick, Shereen Sarick, Lisa Schachner, Carol Schlitt, Lois Segel, Lilly Sehayek, Gary Sevitsky, Leonard Sharzer, Erica Sheinart, Dixie Sheridan, Andrew Sherman, Lisa Shram, Jennifer Shulman, Joan Singer, Amy Slutsky, David Steinmetz, Tamar Stratyevskaya, Caroline Strauss, Craig Sumberg, Richard Sussman, Andrew Sverdlove, Raul H Tapiero, Bernice Todres, Andrea Truppin, Robin Tunick, Amy Veltman, Sara Waisman, Shai Waisman, Sandy Wald, Dahvi Waller, David Wander, Shelley Wasserman, Lorna Weiner, Andrew Weinrich, David Weiser, Zelda Prensky Weiss, Tammy Wendron, Marti Wigder, Barbara Willinger, Robert Willinger, Nancy Wolkenberg Greenblatt, Eileen Wolpert, Joshua Wotman, Emily Wotman Hirsch, Zosia Zaks, and Arthur Zingher.

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SIGN UP BY MAY 2 & GET A FREE T-SHIRT: Please send an e-mail to <u>BJAWNY99@HOTMAIL.COM</u> or call the BJ AIDS Walk Voice Mail at 212 787-7600 x335. Please give your full name, address, including zip, e-mail address & phone number as well as your size if you'd like a Team T-Shirt.

SPONSOR FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AFTER SERVICES AT 86TH ST. & 88TH ST: Come up to the bimah after services to get your forms if you haven't yet received them from GMHC or if you're just registering now and want to get a head start. Look for Stephanie Bakal, Harvey Israelton, Susan Kasloff or Jack David Marcus. One of us will be happy to give them to you.

START LINING UP SPONSORS, PLEDGES & CHECKS NOW: Try putting an outgoing message on your phone machine or an email to co-workers. Have checks made out to AIDS Walk NY & write our team #1017 on all checks & forms. If you can't walk with us you can still send contributions to AIDS Walk c/o BJ. GET 5-10 MORE PEOPLE YOU KNOW TO SIGN UP & WALK WITH US: Non-members welcome! VOLUNTEER TO HELP THE DAY OF THE WALK: Call us at 212 787-7600 x335

B'NAI JESHURUN EMPLOYMENT BANK

April 30, 1999

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The Employment Bank listings can also be found on the web at: http://www.bj.org/Empbank.htm.

SITUATIONS OFFERED

- Admin Secretary at University Includes full tuition remission & benefits 1266
- Administrative Assistants:
 - Holocaust survivors organization 1259
 - To Director of Media Production and HR Coordinator 1271
 - Growing Literary agency 1298
 - Israeli fundraising organization 1315
 - Sm. management consulting firm 1321
- Architectural Draftsman / Designer -Knowledge of minicad, 1 year exp. 1320
- Ass't Gallery Dir. Art & sales exp 1307
- Ass't to Dir of Human Rsources 1308
- Attorney: Insur. litigation For properties subrogation division, 2+ yrs exper. 1279
- Business Development / Sales Ass't: Online cultural magazine, BA req. 1214
- Conference Coordinator Entry lev. 1124
- Conference Devel'pmnt 3 yrs exp 1125
- Corporate Training, Director / Mgr / Ass't Interact. Media Meeting Product. 1285

- Database Access/VB and/or Oracle Programmer, 3+ yrs exper. 1297
- Database Management & Mktg Analysis
 Confer. co., 2+ yrs DB mktg exp. 1126
- Director of Development BA or BS req., 6-10 yrs NFP fund raising exper. 1309
- Exec. Producer Interactive Media 1282
- Executive Ass't Health Network, 5+ yrs administr. support, strong PC skills 1324
- Legal Secretary Legal and steno exp. for busy insurance litigation att'y 1280
- Marketing Ass't College grad to learn direct mail marketing 1128
- Medical Secretary For 2 Physicians in Cancer Center 1190
- Meeting Production Interactive Media Group
 Producer, and Sales Ass't 1284
- Network Admin (NT) 4 yrs exp. 1296
- Program Ass't Jewish org, BA req 1310
- Program Director Jewish social action org, youth program./team bldg exp. 1311

- Programmer, Interact. Media Group 1283
- Public Relations Coordinator 1288
- Public Relations Jr. Acct Exec 1254
- Recruitment Assoc NFP sector 1302
- Research Ass't, P/T Polling & Market Research, MS Word & PowerPoint 1323
- Sales Sponsorships & Exhibits for Conferences, sales exper. needed 1129
- Sales Telemarketing, entry level 1130
- Sales Women's clothing boutique 1274
- Social Worker Crisis intervention unit / domestic violence, major JNFP agency, 2 yrs related exp., pref. MSW/CSW 1319
- Social Worker, P/T Outreach in Bklyn & Queens Gay commun., MSW pref. 1291
- Speech Pathologist, Certified CCC, CFY or TSHH, bilingual preferred, Brooklyn location or home-based, p/t 1292

The sixth and final seminar in our 1998-1999 career Development series is being planned for this June. The topic will be "Networking" and our facilitator will be Ellis Chase. Stay tuned for more information.

SITUATIONS WANTED

- Agent / Mgr For Performing Artists 1060
- Architect- Pos. in R. E. / Construction / Architect. firm, MBA, Reg. Archit. 1277
- Attorney: Entry level position 1290
- Attorney: Litigation Legal research and writing, 7 yrs big firm exp., per diem 1289
- Auditor / Consultant For Environmental or NFP organization 1114
- Childcare Provider, P/T 5 years exper. 1318

- Clutter Clearing Consultant 1226
- Database Programmer Access, Visual Basic, SQL server & Windows exp. 1115
- Editorial Ass't, Publish. Jr. Writer 1255
- Interior Designer Commercial or residential work, p/t 1217
- Management Executive NFP exp.1140
- MEDICAL FIELD OPPORTUNITY:
 Job or guidance for Russian Physician who is not certified in USA 1317
- Nurse's Aide / Attendant 1180
- Occupational Therapist: Psychiatry1183
- PR / Communic. Translation Specialist: Engl.-Spanish-French, senior level 1250
- Programmer (entry-level): Work exp. in Oracle 7.3, Developer 2000, SQL 1299
- Teacher: Grades 2-6, M. S. Educ. 1253
- Tutor: Math also speaks Hebrew 1253

<u>B'nai Jeshurun Employment Bank Form</u>

Must be a member if you are seeking employment

Name:	Member:	□ Yes □ No
Address:		
Email:		
Situation Offered (Members and Non-Members):		
Situation Wanted (Members only):		
Relevant skills:		