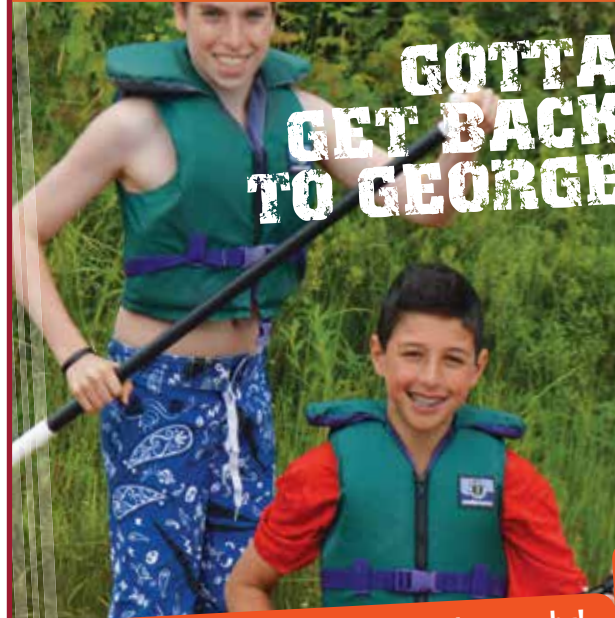


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FROM RABBI WISE

As the summer arrives and we might have a little more time to relax and open a great book, I'd like to suggest a few, for adults and youth that you might enjoy.

Local author Allan Rosenfeld came to SBE this past June to talk about his memoir, "Holocaust Lumber". It's a really beautiful book, divided into 25 short vignettes about growing up as the son of Holocaust survivors here in the GTA working in a lumber yard. Each story is about overcoming the past, the guilt of the war and preventing more pain and suffering. They weave together to create the adult that Allan became but it's really a book for everyone who understands how we are a product of our parents and our background. It's a positive book, about lessons learned and how each life experience has something to teach.

A must read book on every Jew's bookshelf is likely "The Chosen" by Chaim Potok, the story of two young Jewish boys, one Chassidic and one modern, whose lives intertwine from a game of baseball. It's an insightful look, not just at friendship, but the intersection of two Jewish worlds. A recent book takes this to another level in non-fiction is called "Unchosen: the Hidden Lives of Hasidic Rebels" by Hella Winston. Winston was given unprecedented access to the highly insular Satmar sect while working on a doctoral dissertation in sociology. She unexpectedly encountered fascination Hasidim from various sects struggling to find their way in this highly

restrictive world. Some want to learn more and covertly sneak into the library of the Conservative Yeshiva. Some made the gut-wrenching decision to leave the community entirely. It's a fascinating read about questioners who long for personal and intellectual freedom that we take for granted.

Finally a book for young people, which is slowly emerging as a teachers choice for book reports. "Wonder" by R.J. Palacio grabs you in with the very first sentence. "*You can't blend in when you were born to stand out. My name is August. I won't describe what I look like. Whatever you're thinking, it's probably worse.*" The protagonist August wants to be an ordinary 10 year old child but has a major facial abnormality that makes kids scream when they see him and call him a freak. He's home schooled but by grade 5 its middle school and his parents think it's time to start interacting with peers at the local private school in New York City. The story is told from different perspectives, his older sister, her boyfriend, his new friends at school - each an entirely believable and distinct voice that gives so much nuance to the character. There is a perfect balance between humor and sympathy, with a real understanding of how kids really think, talk and behave in middle school. It's a quick easy feel good book with a great message, wonderful for kids and even better for parents.

Enjoy your summer reading.

Rabbi Stephen Wise

WELCOME CATHERINE PEPPER

As many of you are now aware, we have bid a fond farewell to Ingrid Cooper after 4 wonderful years at our synagogue as our office administrator. She is moving to Vancouver as her husband Todd will start a new job there, as well she will be close to her daughters and move back into the home she lived in before she moved to Oakville.



We are delighted to welcome our new office manager Catherine Pepper, pictured here being trained by Ingrid. Catherine was born in Quebec and lives here in Oakville. She has an honours certificate in Accounting from Mohawk College and brings a wealth of experience to this position. She has four children, Jacob, Lucas, Laura and James, all under the age of 8. Emails from the office already have her name attached to them as she has quickly been brought up to speed with our office procedures. Please take a moment this summer to stop by or call and introduce yourself and welcome her to the synagogue.

AN INTRODUCTION TO ARZA CANADA



When your dues package arrives, you might notice an option for \$36 to join ARZA Canada. What is ARZA – it stands for the Association of Reform Zionists of North America. Your \$36 will allow your family to join ARZA and support Israel.

The Reform movement is doing incredible things in our homeland but needs your support. Your dollars help the Reform movement rabbinical seminary in Jerusalem, sending Israeli-born Reform rabbis to service Israel congregation. It supports the 55 preschools all across Israel. Your dollars help youth programs and summer camps in Israel. Your dollars go towards the Israeli religious action centre that pushes legislation for pluralism, so that women have equal rights in Israel and Reform Rabbis can officiate at weddings and conversions.

When our group went in 2013 we visited 2 reform synagogues, saw the archaeological museum at the Reform Rabbinical school and had havdallah on the balcony at the Reform movement's headquarters. It seems like such a small amount, \$36 but it goes a long way. As of 2014, only about 10% of us have joined ARZA, but I would like to get that to over 50% - similar to other congregations around North America. Lets show Israel that Shaarei-Beth El is there supporting their work ensure Israel is a place that embraces Jews of all backgrounds and religious upbringing. Lets show how we want to help foster social justice, equality, religious pluralism - values that are important to Reform Jews.

When you fill you're your dues form this year, check the box beside ARZA Canada and take your place as a member.

WELCOME CANTOR DEBORAH STAIMAN

Aviva Chernick has been a big part of our community for the past 8 years, leading us in worship for the high holydays, b'nai mitzvah, concerts and special occasions. I think we have all been impacted by her engaging music, her outstanding voice and inviting personality, she has given us reason to sing, and we wish her well in her sabbatical and future opportunities.



We are thrilled to welcome our new Cantor, Deborah Staiman. Toronto born and raised, Deborah Staiman started her journey as a singer at the age of twelve, when she studied voice at the Royal Conservatory of Music and sang in the Children's Chorus of the Canadian Opera Company (COC). She received a Bachelor of Music from the University of Toronto and then pursued operatic studies, first in London, England at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama and then in Florence and Rome.

In 1987 Staiman made the decision to return to school in order to combine her love for singing and Judaism and entered the Cantorial program at Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (HUC-JIR) in New York City. Upon receiving a Master of Sacred Music and Ordination as a Cantor from HUC-JIR in 1991, Staiman served congregations in New Jersey and Florida, breaking ground as a woman in the cantorial profession.

In 2002, after 27 years of international exposure to great teachers and performances, Staiman returned to her familial roots in Toronto, where she has served a number of Reform congregations and officiating at life cycle events. She is a member of the American Conference of Cantors (ACC) and the Toronto Council of Hazzanim.

In November 2010 Staiman released her CD Mosaic which is a reflection of her musical journey.

<http://www.deborahstaiman.com/>

Deborah brings a wealth of background and experience to us and we are lucky to have her for the high holydays.

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Shaarei-Beth El TRIVIA Night

Mazel Tov to the winning team of Kevin, Terry and Leanne Stevens and Esther Harper, Richard, Shelley and Gabriel Rosen/Moor for their expertise in movies, music, cooking, geography, history and more. We raised close to \$2500.00 of which 75% will go towards the Oakville hospital and 25% towards synagogue education programs for youth.

Thank you to everyone on the social action committee and chairperson Frimmy Burnstein for making the night a big success:

- Catherine Pepper
- Carolyn Menka
- Shelley Rosen
- Judi Setton
- Sandra Gorlick
- Mark Gorlick
- Anna Houpt-Taylor
- Lynn Hierlihy
- Stan Smurlick
- Robert Reti
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SBE Trivia Night winning team

Shaarei-Beth El Teams in Action



SBE walks for ALS on Monday May 18th in Bronte Park



Shavuot Mountaintop hike at Rattlesnake Point – Steve and Barbara Handler, Rabbi Wise, Jill Anne Banks, Michael, Rachel, Josh and Noah Freeman, Lynn Hierlihy and Jennifer Dockstator

13-year-old Oakville girl collects more than 4,000 books for African libraries!



Emma Hyett, 13, among some of the more than 4,000 books collected during her book drive to support African Library Project.

Five communities in the southeast African nation of Malawi will now have the opportunity to enjoy small libraries thanks to the efforts of a 13-year-old Oakville girl. Last summer, Emma Hyett was inspired after participating in Craig and Marc Kielburger's Me to We – Take Action Camp. The camp featured social justice-themed workshops, leadership training and helped the campers to think about how they could change the world around them for the better. Following her May 9 bat mitzvah here at SBE, Emma decided to give changing the world a try.

African Library Project is a non-profit organization, which mobilizes volunteers to host book drives and ship books to partner libraries in rural Africa. Emma made announcements at her school and at shul with the goal of collecting 1,000 books, but in the end brought in more than 4,000 books.

“There are people in Malawi who don't have anything. They don't get that chance to read. If we can help, and we can, I think we should. I don't think there is a reason not to do it. It went great. I would totally do it again. I think it was a lot of fun and I learned a lot through the process,” said Emma.

The majority of the books received were in the Junior Kindergarten to Grade 8 range, which is what Hyett had requested. They included mysteries, fairy-tales, adventure books and more. After collecting the books, Emma along with her Julia, mom and dad Bonnie and Larry, boxed them up and prepared them for shipping.

The cost of shipping the books was approximately \$1,100 and Emma covered this with money given to her during her bat mitzvah. These books are now being used at elementary schools in the communities of Kampalira, Bondo, Namilongo, Namale and Dzenje.

For more information about the African Library Project, visit <http://www.africanlibraryproject.org/book-drives/start-a-book-drive?gclid=CMOh4tLn7sUCFQIRaQodZzIA1g>.

**Shaarei-Beth El Congregation High Holyday Schedule
5776 / 2015**

Selichot

Selichot Service Saturday September 5th 8:00 pm
at SBE Congregation

Rosh Hashana

Erev Rosh Hashana Service Sunday, September 13th 8:00 pm
Day 1 Rosh Hashana Morning Service Monday, September 14th 10:00 am
Junior Congregation 10:45 am
Tashlich immediately following services
Day 2 Rosh Hashana Morning Service Tuesday, September 15th 10:00 am

Yom Kippur

Kol Nidre Evening Service Tuesday, September 22nd 7:30 pm
Yom Kippur Morning Service Wednesday, September 23rd 10:00 am
Junior Congregation 10:45 am
Study Session with Rabbi Wise at conclusion of morning services
Afternoon stroll to Gairlock Gardens after study session 2:00 pm
Yom Kippur Afternoon Service / Yizkor / Neilah 4:30 pm
Communal Break Fast end of services

Sukkot

Sukkot Morning Service Monday, September 28th 10:00 am

Simchat Torah

Dinner and Evening service Sunday, October 4th 5:30 pm
Synaplex dancing with the Torah and honouring our Jews by Choice
Morning service and Yizkor Monday, October 5th 10:00 am

Babysitting will be available during Rosh Hashana Day 1 and Yom Kippur morning services.



Israeli soldiers sharing apples and honey to welcome Rosh Hashana.



SBE's new partnership with JWRP

Shaarei-Beth El congregation applied to partner with JWRP (Jewish Women's Renaissance Project www.jwrp.org) to send women to Israel on a "Momentum" trip. 4500 women from around the world have travelled with JWRP since 2009 through 97 partner organizations from 18 countries.

SBE applied in early April hoping to get spots on a 2015 fall trip but the trips were full with waiting lists for most organizations. We were looking ahead to 2016 when we received an email that they could offer us 10 spots this July!

It has been a whirlwind of activity over the last few weeks, but we have 9 women that have been able to organize childcare, work coverage, travel documents and flight plans. We will be travelling to Israel with JWRP July 6-14. Our group will be part of approximately 200 women from various American cities and Israel.

We have had 2 pre trip meetings and are looking forward to participating in this amazing 8 day journey of learning and touring. Upon our return we will continue our learning through events and activities under the guidance of Rabbi Wise and the resources offered to us through JWRP.

Upon our return you will be sure to recognize the group by their "post Israel glow": Cheryl Arieli, Anna Houpt-Taylor, Carolyn Menka, Julie Appleton, Mona Shanahan, Jill-Ann Banks, Jocelyn Katz (Dundas), Lynda Ceresne (High Park/Toronto) and Lynn Hierlihy (city leader).

We look forward to sharing this experience with SBE and building on this new partnership with JWRP. Application is already in place for a fall 2016 trip for women and possibly a summer 2016 trip for men!



SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE UPDATE

On Saturday, June 6, SBE hosted Trivia Night, as a fundraising event to support the New Oakville Hospital. This was a great event, which was well attended (over 70 participants)! Rabbi Wise put together a great array of interactive Trivia Questions covering many different topics from movies, music, and sports to Jewish recipes (boy were they confusing – who knew onions and water could be used in so many ways!). It was evident that much time was spent developing the questions and format, even utilizing multi-media.

We enjoyed munchies galore - thanks to Judi Setton, who generously popped loads of popcorn for our event, as well as donated munchies from Metro (Upper Middle Road and Eighth Line). We had wonderful rennet free cheese trays donated by Whole Foods Oakville, and Tortilla Chips and Salsa donated by Quesada Mexican Restaurant (Maple Grove Plaza), to go along with a wonderful selection of drinks - fine Ontario wines donated by Malivoire Winery in Beamsville, as well as bottles donated by the Gorlicks and Settons, and Carolyn Menka. Aroma Cafe in downtown Oakville was very generous to provide coffee and gift cards and chocolates galore!

The dessert buffet was spectacular, featuring home baking by our own Anna Houpt-Taylor, as well as generous donations by Black Forest Pastry Shop in downtown Oakville, Monastery Bakery, as well as Starsky Foods (on Dundas in Mississauga). Fruit trays were generously donated by Fortinos in downtown Oakville. Thanks also to Rafi Moor for supplying the decaf coffee and Shelley Rosen for augmenting our munchies!!

We had a very successful raffle featuring 2 pairs of Blue Jays tickets and a winery tour for 8, including appetizers at Ridge Road Winery in Stoney Creek. We also had a nice selection of prizes for the winning teams and door prizes - including a lovely Mary Kay basket donated by Christine Daub, and gift card for b.good Casual Eatery (on Cornwall).

I think it is safe to say that everyone who attended had a very nice time. Thanks to our hard working team for helping to make this event possible: Lynn Hierlihy, Anna Houpt-Taylor, Shelley Rosen, Mark and Sandra Gorlick, Stan Smurlick, Carolyn Menka, and Judi Setton, as well as Robert Reti and don't forget our HOOCHY volunteers, under Sharon Khavkine-Binstock, along with Emma Hyett and last but not least, Rachel Hamburg (who won the Blue Jays Tickets!).

The event also served to be a fond farewell send-off for our devoted Office Manager, Ingrid Cooper, and a ceremonial passing over of the office keys to welcome Catherine Pepper, our new Office Manager. Both of these ladies were very helpful in behind the scenes support of this event!

We raised over \$2300 for our worthy cause!! Well Done!! In fact we now know that the new Oakville hospital will have a plaque in the lobby that has our synagogue name on it thanking us for our donation. In addition the Interfaith Community raised the \$100,000 they had set out to raise, matched by a generous donor so that two ICU Rooms will be outfitted and with a plaque thanking the various faith groups of Oakville.

Now, stay tuned for details of our Kerr Street Ministries Dinner, which is taking place on Monday, June 29 at KSM, where we will feed about 75 diners, on "Family Night". We are planning our famous roasted chicken dinner with some nice summer salads! This event is made possible through the generous donation of all of the chicken by Florence Meats (Speers Road near Third Line).



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We see milk bags every day, the ones that hold the three smaller bags of milk. For quite some time, all across Canada, a community of volunteers, schools, churches and businesses have



been collecting milk bags. The milk bags are cut into strips, tied together, and then woven or crocheted into mats. The milk bag mats offer people without beds, an invaluable, durable and washable alternative to sleeping on the often cold and damp ground. Not only can these milk-bag mats provide comfort as a bedding alternative, but have been used by health-care professionals as a make-ready substitute for an operating bed/table where resources are scarce. It takes approximately 400 milk bags to make an adult sized mat.

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We will be setting up a collection of Milk bags here at SBE for you to drop off yours instead of throwing them into the garbage. We hope collect 400 to create at least one mat. Carole Binsky has offered to organize this project, she can be contacted at cecbinsky@gmail.com.

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We extend condolences to:

Carolyn Menka, on the death of her father, Robert Groff

Howard Rubinoff, on the death of his father, Mel Rubinoff

Norm Freidin, on the the death of his mother Rhoda Freidin

We mourn their loss.

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August 29

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Mazel Tov to:

Marilyn and Eddie Weisz on the engagement of their son Steven to Elana, the daughter of Gayle and Alex Kepecs.

Mona Shanahan on the birth of her granddaughter, Abigail Sharpe.

Bonnie and Barry Mendel on the engagement of their son Evan to Miriam Brookman.

Becky and Jim Pogany on the upcoming wedding of their son Stephen to Stacey Rogansky on July 24th, 2015, in Pemberton, B.C.

Mona Shanahan on the upcoming wedding of Julian to Taylor Davison on August 23rd.

HAPPY AUGUST BIRTHDAY TO

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