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Temple Shalom 12th Annual Charity Golf Tournament "Fore The Kids"

Benefiting Temple Shalom Youth Programs and Snowball Express

Monday, October 14, 2013 The Honors Golf Club 2525 Honors Club Dr. Carrollton, TX 75006

Play ■ Sponsor ■ Donate ■ Bid ■ Dine

\$250 Individual Player - Multiple Player/Sponsor/Donor Levels Available

Visit our website for sponsorship opportunities and to register: www.templeshalomdallas.org

Each player registration includes greens fee, cart, use of practice facilities, box lunch, refreshments, and dinner reception.

- Win a luxury car for a hole-in-one
- Closest to the pin competition
- Longest drive competition
- Goody bags for all players
- Live and Silent Auction and Awards Ceremony during reception

The mission of Snowball Express is to create opportunities for joy, friendship, and communal healing among families of fallen military heroes.

With the help of many businesses and volunteers, memorable events have been planned to help the children and spouses of these families.

Space is limited so register now!

We encourage you to register as a foursome or the tournament committee will gladly pair you with other golfers.

For more information and to register visit: www.templeshalomdallas.org. For questions, contact Ken Braswell at 972-809-7312 or kbraswell1@sbcglobal.net.

Registration deadline Friday, October 4, 2013.

 $Funds \ raised \ from \ the \ tournament \ support \ Temple \ Shalom \ Youth \ Programs \ and \ Snowball \ Express, \ both \ 501(c)(3) \ organizations.$

FRIDAY October 4

Genesis 11:1-32 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY October 5

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Sanctuary

10:30 AM -National Council of Jewish Women Centennial Service Epstein Chapel

5:00 PM - Bat Mitzvah Lindsay Thomas, daughter of Debra & Dan Thomas Offsite

FRIDAY October 11

Genesis 16:1 - 17:27 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

SERVICES

SATURDAY October 12

10:30 AM - Bat Mitzvah Sarah Kley man, daughter of Irina Kley man Sanctuary

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

4:00 PM - Munchkins Minyan Learning Center

FRIDAY October 18

Genesis 21:1-24 6:30 PM - Service Sanctuary

6:30 PM - Blue Jean Shabbat Boardroom (Note: 3rd Friday just in October!)

SATURDAY October 19

10:30 AM - Bar Mitzvah Sterling McCrann, son of Suzanne & Steve McCrann Sanctuary 10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

FRIDAY October 25

Genesis 24:53 - 25:18 6:30 PM - Service Epstein Chapel

SATURDAY October 26

10:30 AM - Morning Worship Epstein Chapel

6:30pm Frid ay Services are preceded by a 6:00pm Wine & Cheese Reception.

October B'nei Mitzvah

We want to honor the mitz vah work in which our B'nei Mitz vah students are engaged.

Each month we include information we have received from that month's families.

Lindsay Thomas

daughter of Debra & Dan Thomas

Date: October 5

School: Pioneer Heritage Middle School **Mitzv ah Project:** Volunteered with the construction of Frisco's Hope Park, built to suit the needs of all age children, focusing on children with special needs.

Hobbies: Ballet, volleyball, National Junior Honor Society, assists children with special needs.



Sterling McCrann

son of Suzanne & Steve McCrann

Date: October 19

School: Renner Middle School

Mitzv ah Project: Sterling is making a donation to Operation Kindness (where one of his dogs is from) to help them to continue to provide a place for dogs to stay

until they are adopted.

Hobbies: Soccer



I Was Just Thinking...

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region, as a whole, seem to be. It seems, as close as lives in a manner that was acceptable to all sides. we might have been then, we are still so very far apart.

Perhaps the farthest we have been in recent memory. As we confront the ever-Middle changing East landscape and the possibilities for peace in the 21st century, does a 20th century, twenty year old framework for peace still matter? Are the Oslo Accords still relevant?

Perhaps some of you saw the article written by Israel's

Deputy Defense Minister, Danny Danon, who believes that Israel should annul the accords immediately, which will give the parties time to rethink how to move forward. According to Danon, "Only by officially annulling the Oslo Accords will we have the opportunity to rethink the existing paradigm and hopefully lay the foundations for a more realistic future between the Jews and Arabs of this region. attempts to rewrite recent history by fringe elements. the failure of the Oslo framework cannot be attributed to a lack of will and persistence by Israel. What didn't we try? We attempted direct negotiations, third-party mediators, public conferences and back-channel talks. We withdrawals staged and unilateral disengagements, established joint Israeli-Palestinian military patrols in Gaza and deployed Americantrained security forces in the West Bank. None of this worked.

What should replace Oslo's false promise? We should implement what I have called a "three-state solution." In the future, the final status of the Palestinians will be determined in a regional

an agreement involving Jordan and Egypt, when the latter important anniversary. Twenty has been re-stabilized. All the region's states must years ago, on September 13, participate in the process of creating a long-term 1993, Prime Minister Yitzhak solution for the Palestinian problem. In the short term, Rabin of Israel, Yassar Arafat of the Palestinians will continue to have autonomy over the P.L.O. and President Bill their civilian lives while Israel remains in charge of Clinton met in Washington to sign security throughout Judea and Samaria, commonly the Oslo Peace accords. I will referred to as the West Bank. Following an initial the period, the Arab residents of Judea and Samaria could hesitation on Rabin's part to shaking Arafat's hand. continue to develop their society as part of an Tw enty years. My how things have changed. My how agreement involving Israel and Jordan. Similarly, Gaza different, and yet at the same time how similar, the residents could work with Israel and Egypt to create a Middle East, Israel/Palestinian relations and the society that granted them full civil authority over their

I am aware that, even if the Palestinians accepted

this plan, we would still have to deal with a fundamentalist Hamas regime in Gaza and continuing instability in Egypt. No plan for Israeli-Arab peace can be fully implemented until these issues are resolved."

by refusing Israel is confronted, at the

In the short term, Israel's only option is to manage this conflict compromise when it comes to the security of Israeli citizens.

same time it continues to manage the Palestinian issuewith Syria, Lebanon, Hamas, and Hezbollah, not to mention its own internal issues and conflicts. I hope that you will join me in supporting Israel and her issues of security by being a part of AIPAC and being a part of our Synaplex on November 9th at Temple Shalom. which will deal with Israel and her many concerns.

The path to peace is never easy, especially in Israel. A annulment of the Oslo Accords, as Danon suggests, "may not be the utopian peace promised to all of us on that sunny day in September 1993, but in the harsh realities of the Middle East, this may be the best we can hope for and the sole realistic chance for our children to grow up in a world less violent than previous generations have had to endure."

> Rabbi Andrew Paley apaley@templeshalomdallas.org

The President's Perspective



I know that Thanksgiving comes in November, but I love thanking people. So please join me in thanking some of the people that made our recent High Holy Days so special at Temple Shalom.

Thank you, Rabbi Paley. Your sermons, insight and enthusiastic presence were wonderful and inspirational. Thank you for all you have done as you enter your tenth (yes, tenth!) year with us here as Senior Rabbi at Temple Shalom.

Thank you, Rabbi Boxman. Your first High Holy Days with Temple Shalom felt like you had been here for years. Thank you for sharing your perspective, inspiring many to learn and explore our intellects and emotions.

To our entire Adult Choir, you sounded wonderful and added tremendous energy to our services. Thanks to each of you (along with Bob Brooks and Mary Medrick) who lifted our spirits.

To our Youth and Teen Choirs, *Shir Joy* and *Kol Shalom*, thank you for sharing your sweet voices with us. Thanks to Lynn Metrik for so ably preparing the next generation of Adult Choir members!

To Steve Lewis, our entire Temple staff (including volunteers) and our maintenance and security teams. Thank you for making this year's High Holy Days run smoothly and safely for all of us. Thank you to Brotherhood for providing supportive, friendly, welcoming ushers and a new Sukkah.

Thank you, Rosie Tesson and the SHFTY leadership for continuing to involve and inspire our next generation of Jewish learners and leaders.

Thank you, Cantor Croll, our Cantor Emeritus, for continuing to share your talent and musicality by leading High Holy Days services for our friends at The Legacy.

Thanks to our symposium presenters Joan Cera, Wendell Hardin, Renee Roth, Rodney Schlosser and Beri Schwitzer, for the courage to share your stories with us. As cancer survivor Cayla Mills once said, "You never know how strong you are until being strong is the only choice you have." Your stories of overcoming fears and adversity inspired all of us.

Our Search Committee, and co-chairs Past President Raelaine Radnitz and Finance Director Josh Goldman, deserve our continued thanks for helping us find Rabbi Boxman and our Guest Cantor, Rita Glassman, both of whom seamlessly became a part of our Temple family.

By the time this newsletter is published, we will have had another wonderful Food Truck Palooza! Thanks to so many who organized, led, volunteered and supported this fun, exciting community event.

And, thanks again, to all of you, whether long-time Temple members or relatively new members, for being such integral, vital parts of our Temple Shalom community. We have so much to be proud of and such a tremendous future ahead of us. Get involved, stay involved and invite others to join us!

With much thanks for all that YOU do to make OUR Temple Shalom so special!

COME GROW WITH US!

Aric L. Stock

President, Temple Shalom

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION HATH BEEN CALLETHED

Town Hall Meeting: Sunday, October 6 10:40am Boardroom Constitutional Convention: Sunday, October 27 10:00am Temple Shalom Sanctuary

Jefferson. Adams. Madison. Hamilton.
Grab your knickers, your quills, and your wigs, and join us as we gather together as a congregation to consider our constitution and the proposed amendments.



CONSTITUTION EVOLUTION

Article XVI of Temple Shalom's Constitution reads:

Amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws shall be presented in writing and shall be proposed by the Board of Trustees or by at least ten regular members of the Congregation, and shall be filed with the secretary. Such amendments may be acted on at any regular meeting of the Congregation or at any special meeting called for that purpose. Copies of the proposed amendments shall be mailed to each member along with the notice of the meeting at least twenty-one days prior thereto. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the voting members of the Congregation present at a duly called Congregation meeting shall be necessary to adopt any amendment.

On September 3, 2013, the Temple Shalom Board of Trustees voted to bring forth the following proposed amendments to the Temple Shalom Constitution. A special called meeting of the congregation has been called for 10 a.m. on October 27, 2013.

The congregation has reviewed these proposed changes through the temple's newsletter, website, and town hall meetings. Congregants have provided feedback, and the board of trustees has reviewed all feedback and proposed the following amendments. The amendments and language change can be found in the shaded portions below. A brief explanatory note is included for each change. If you have any questions about any of the proposed amendments, please contact Dennis Eichelbaum at 972-567-2963.

We hope you are able to join us as the following proposed amendments will be considered by the congregation on October 27:

1. I move to amend Article II of the Temple Constitution as follows:

MISSION STATEMENT: To inspire in our congregation an enduring relationship with God, Torah and the Jewish people through communal worship, study, gathering and community service.

Explanatory Note: We have had a mission statement but have never previously included it in the constitution.

2. I move to amend Section 1, Article II of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 1. The purpose of Temple Shalom is to enable all of its members to develop a relationship with God, Torah and the Jewish people through communal worship, study and assembly. Temple Shalom will function in an inclusive and egalitarian atmosphere. To ensure the continuity of the Jewish people, Temple Shalom shall promote the education of the fundamental and enduring principles of Judaism as understood and practiced by the Reform Movement, and apply those principles to the values and conduct of the individual, the family and the society in which we live and participate. In order to advance the cause of Reform Judaism in America, in Israel and throughout the world, Temple Shalom shall affiliate itself with the Union for Reform Judaism, herein referred to as URJ.

Explanatory Note: It was believed this would show we not only live in the community but was also participate in the community. No substantive change to meaning of the article.

3. I move to amend Section 2, Article II of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 2. Temple Shalom shall be operated as a tax exempt organization under Section 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Explanatory Note: This is a legal phrase that is recommended we add in our constitution if it is our intent to remain a tax exempt organization.

4. I move to amend Section 5, Article IV of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 5. The Board of Trustees shall be responsible for <u>overseeing the management of</u> the general <u>management of</u> the affairs, <u>activities</u>, funds, records and property of the Congregation. The Board of Trustees shall act on all matters of policy, fill all vacancies in its personnel until the next Congregational election, and perform such other duties as the members of the Congregation in regular or special meetings assembled from time to time may prescribe.

Explanatory Note: The board of trustees does not actually manage but oversees the management of the temple. This language clarifies the responsibility of the board.

5. I move to amend Section 6, Article IV of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 6. The Board of Trustees shall have the authority to engage, and to terminate the engagement of, an Executive Director of the Congregation, a Director of Religious Education, a Director of Life Long Learning, a Director of Early Childhood Education and any other employees of the Congregation, with such duties and responsibilities as determined from time to time by the Board of Trustees. The engagement or termination of engagement of the Director of Religious Education the Director of Life Long Learning and the Director of Early Childhood Education and the determination of the duties and responsibilities of the Director of Religious Education the director of Life Long Learning and the Director of Early Childhood Education shall be made in consultation with the Senior Rabbi.

Section 67. The Board of Trustees shall have the power to: to engage and to terminate the engagement of any contract employee of the Congregation (except for hiring or termination of a full-time Senior Rabbi pursuant to Article 6 Section 1), to manage all properties, real and personal, belonging to the Congregation; to establish the functions, duties, and responsibilities of all employee and staff positions of the Congregation, including clergy; to approve or reject any legal documents or agreements negotiated by the President on behalf of the Congregation; to sell, lease, rent, convey, mortgage or pledge any real estate, bonds, securities or other property; to borrow money; to execute and deliver notes evidencing such borrowing and mortgages or pledges in order to secure the same (except as described in Article 9, Section 4); to invest and reinvest any funds belonging to the Congregation; and to delegate to any officer or officers of the Congregation the power and authority to execute and deliver in the name of the Congregation all documents necessary or appropriate to carrying out the foregoing powers. The Board of Trustees, upon a vote of three-fourths (3/4ths) of the members of the Board of Trustees present at a duly called meeting, shall have the authority to expend funds for any matter not included in the annual budget of the Congregation or in excess of a budgeted amount.

Explanatory Note: This consolidates two paragraphs, and makes all employees under the power of the board of trustees, rather than using titles that may change. It also clarifies a conflict in the current constitution that gives the power of some decisions to both the board and the congregation, making it clear that when the congregation has been given the authority it is not also something the board may perform unilaterally. It also gives the board the authority to utilize surplus funds.

6. I move to renumber, Article IV of the Temple Constitution as appropriate:

Explanatory Note: we would renumber as appropriate

7. I move to amend Section 1, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. The Officers of the Congregation shall consist of a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Secretary, a Financial Director and a Treasurer. All Officers must be a member of the Board of Trustees at the time of nomination or have been a member of the Board of Trustees within the previous three (3) years, be a member in good standing of the Congregation and be of the Jewish faith. The Officers, together with the Immediate Past President, shall constitute and serve as the Executive Committee. All Officers shall be elected by the Congregation for a term of one year at the annual meeting of the Congregation with the term to commence the following June 1st.

Explanatory Note: We utilize the term Executive Committee but do not define the committee; this defines the committee.

8. I move to amend Section 2, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 2. The duties of the President shall be to: to-preside at all meetings of the Congregation, of the Board of Trustees and of the Executive Committee; when authorized by the Board of Trustees, to negotiate all legal documents or agreements for the Congregation, including employment agreements; to-call special meetings of the Congregation, the Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee; to sign all legal documents on behalf of the Congregation; to-establish all task forces and working groups to study particular matters and to report back to the Executive Committee and/or the Board of Trustees; and to appoint all committee chairs. The President shall be an ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee. The President shall also perform all other duties incident to the office.

Explanatory Note: This tightens the language and adds other current Presidential responsibilities. It also gives the temple the ability to go to a bank and show that the constitution gave the president to sign certain paperwork.

9. I move to amend Section 5, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 5. The Finance Director shall report monthly to the Executive Committee and the Board of Trustees, and annually to the entire Congregation, on the financial condition of the Congregation. The Finance Director shall chair or serve on the Budget and Finance Committee and monitor the variances between actual operating income and expenses and the budget. The Finance Director shall serve on other committees pertaining to development and fundraising as determined by the President; and to perform all other duties incident to the office.

Explanatory Note: This simply makes this position similar to other positions.

I move to amend Section 6, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 6. The Treasurer shall be the custodian of all funds of the Congregation and shall be responsible for overseeing the accounting for receipts and disbursements and the maintenance of proper books and other financial books and records as necessary. The Treasurer shall oversee the functions pertaining to dues collection and dues reductions and perform all other duties incident to the office. At the direction of the President, the Treasurer shall chair or serve on other committees directly involving financial matters of the Congregation.

Explanatory Note: This simply makes this position similar to other positions.

11. I move to amend Section 9, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 9. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to assist and advise the President and the Board of Trustees. The Executive Committee by majority vote shall have the authority to approve an expenditure not provided for in the annual budget approved by the Congregation, provided (a) the amount of such non-budgeted item does not exceed \$1,000 and (b) the amount of such non-budgeted item plus the aggregate amount of all non-budgeted items previously approved by the Executive Committee during the fiscal year of the Congregation does not exceed one percent (1%) of the total amount of expenditures set forth in the annual budget approved by the Congregation for such fiscal year. All non-budgeted items approved by the Executive Committee shall be reported to the Board of Trustees at the next meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Explanatory Note: This language already exists in the constitution; it is being moved from the committee section of the constitution to the officer section where it belongs.

I move to amend Section 10, Article V of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 10. The Executive Committee may organize committees, task forces, and working groups in a manner that it determines best serves the congregation.

Explanatory Note: This language defines who has the authority to organize the committee structure (e.g., into councils).

13. I move to amend Section 1, Article VIII of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 1. The chairs of the following standing committees shall be appointed by the President at the first meeting of the Board of Trustees following the annual meeting of the Congregation. Each committee shall consist of at least three members, including the chair. The action of each committee will always be subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees.

Adult Education Committee

Budget and Finance Committee

Building and Grounds Committee

Cemetery Committee

Early Childhood Education Committee

Legal Committee

Membership Committee

Religious School Committee

Worship Committee

Explanatory Note: No new committees have been created nor have any been removed; this simply alphabetized them. We also clarified that the president appoints committee chairs (as has always been the practice).

14. I move to amend Section 10, Article VIII of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 10. It shall be the duty of the Early Childhood Education Committee to advise the Director of Early Childhood Education as to the policies and procedures necessary or appropriate for the governance of the Early Childhood Education Program. The Early Childhood Education Committee shall recommend to the Board of Trustees whether a Parent Teacher Organization should be established for the Early Childhood Education Program. The Board of Trustees shall have the exclusive authority to approve the establishment and bylaws of such Parent Teacher Organization.

Section 140. A majority of the members of the Board of Trustees present at a duly called meeting may establish designate, from time to time, such other committees with such duties, responsibilities, purposes, membership and duration as determined by the Board of Trustees.

Explanatory Note: This removes the specific duties of the Early Childhood Committee since we have no Director of Early Childhood Education. The language also makes clearer that the board may establish committees.

15. [MUST SEE IF THIS PASSES AT ARTICLE V VOTE] I move to amend and remove Section 12, Article VIII of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 12. There shall be an Executive Committee consisting of the President, the Vice President, the Secretary, the Financial Director, the Treasurer and the Immediate Past President. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to assist and advise the President and the Board of Trustees. The Executive Committee by majority vote shall have the authority to approve an expenditure not provided for in the annual budget approved by the Congregation, provided (a) the amount of such non budgeted item does not exceed \$1,000 and (b) the amount of such non budgeted item plus the aggregate amount of all non budgeted items previously approved by the Executive Committee during the fiscal year of the Congregation does not exceed one percent (1%) of the total amount of expenditures set forth in the annual budget approved by the Congregation for such fiscal year. All non budgeted items approved by the Executive Committee shall be reported to the Board of Trustees at the next meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Explanatory Note: This is the paragraph that was moved to another section of the constitution.

16. I move to renumber Section 13 and make it Section 11 of Article VIII of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 131. The chairperson of each Committee established under this Article 8 must be a member in good standing of the Congregation and be of the Jewish faith.

Explanatory Note: Renumbering only due to previous changes above

17. I move to amend Section 1, Article IX of the Temple Constitution as follows:

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS

Section 1. The annual meeting of the Congregation shall be held in the month of May. At this meeting, reports shall be submitted by the President, by the Senior Rabbi and by any auxiliaries or committees as scheduled by the Board of Trustees. In addition, an annual budget of the Congregation for the coming fiscal year shall be approved by majority vote of the voting members of the Congregation present at the annual meeting at which a quorum is present. Every member of the Congregation shall be notified of the meeting and the location thereof by mail at least twenty one days prior to the meeting date. The term 'mail" throughout this constitution shall be defined to include but not be limited to postal or electronic mail.

Explanatory Note: This clarifies that the article addresses congregational meetings, and also enables temple to utilize more modern technology to provide notice to the congregation. This will be a cost savings, and may be even more necessary if postal service mail is limited in the future.

18. I move to amend Section 2, Article IX of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 2. Special meetings of the Congregation may be called by the President, or at the request of a majority of the Board of Trustees, or on written application of at least twenty-five regular members units of the Congregation. The call for a special meeting shall set forth the purpose of the meeting and written notice thereof shall be mailed to all members at least seven days prior to the time of such meeting; no business shall be transacted except that specified in the call.

Explanatory Note: This increases the number of congregants it takes to call a special congregational meeting (the president or board may still call a special congregational meeting) from 25 members to 25 member units, meaning a member of 25 different family units will have to sign off on the petition for such a meeting 9as opposed to thirteen families calling as special congregational meeting).

I move to amend Section 3, Article IX of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 3. The number of voting members <u>units</u> of the Congregation constituting a quorum at meetings of the Congregation shall be equal to five percent (5%) of the number of eligible voting member units of the Congregation, as most recently determined by the Secretary of the Congregation in accordance with Article 3. For example, if the number of units of <u>voting members regular membership</u> of the Congregation is 1,000, 50 (5% of 1,000) voting members <u>units</u> must be present at a Congregation meeting to constitute a quorum at such meeting.

Explanatory Note: Our congregation has both member units and individual members. A couple/family is deemed a member unit, in that it pays dues as one unit. This is consistent with the national URJ and how it recognizes the size of a congregation, based upon family units. Each family unit can have up to two votes, depending on how many adults are part of the family unit and are in attendance at a meeting.

20. I move to amend Section 4, Article IX of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Section 4. For the Congregation to undertake any of the following acts, a vote of not less than two-thirds of voting members of at least twenty-five percent of the voting member units then in good standing, as defined in Article V hereof, shall be required: (i) relocation of the Congregation from 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, Texas to another permanent location; (ii) sale or long term lease of the property or building at 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, Texas; (iii) incurring indebtedness of a cumulative principal equal to or in excess of fifty percent of the budgeted, annual revenue of the Congregation at the time the indebtedness is incurred; (iv) de-affiliation with, or withdrawal of the Congregation from, Reform Judaism or the URJ; (v) merger of the Congregation with any other group, congregation or religious organization; (vi) dissolution of the Congregation; (vii) execution of any employment contract for a primary term exceeding ten years; or (viii) amendment to or suspension of this Article. For example, if the number of units of regular membership of the Congregation is 1,000, at least 250 (25% of 1,000) must be present at the meeting to undertake the specified acts; then, a vote of 2/3 of the voting members present is required to undertake the listed acts.

Explanatory Note: Currently every vote of the congregation takes a majority. That means if we had a congregational meeting and it took 50 member units to have a quorum, and we had 50 attending, it would take 26 people voting to sell our building. The board felt that for certain major decisions that fundamentally alter the congregation there should be a higher threshold. Accepting the fact that there is no right number, after several lengthy discussions the board settled on recommending an increase quorum of 25% (instead of 5%) must be in attendance even to consider voting on one of these topics, and then from that quorum a 2/3rds majority necessary to approve such a motion.

21. I move to amend Section 6, Article X of the Temple Constitution as follows:

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Section 6. Election shall be by secret ballot. If the slate presented by the nominating committee is unopposed, the secretary may be instructed to east a single ballot for the slate may be approved by acclamation.

Explanatory Note: This is consistent with current practice and saves trees.

22. I move to amend Article XV of the Temple Constitution as follows:

RULES OF ORDER

The rules of procedure at meetings shall be determined by <u>Roberts Rules of Order</u>, latest revised edition. The President shall have the authority to appoint from among the Board of Trustees an individual a <u>congregant</u> to serve as parliamentarian of the Board of Trustees. Only persons authorized to participate in a closed meeting or Executive Committee meeting may be selected as parliamentarian for such a meeting.

Explanatory Note: This enables the president to select someone other than a trustee to act as parliamentarian during a meeting.

23. I move to amend Article XVI of the Temple Constitution as follows:

Amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws shall be presented in writing and shall be proposed by the Board of Trustees or by at least tentwenty regular members units of the Congregation, and shall be filed with the Secretary. Such amendments may be acted on at any regular meeting of the Congregation or at any special meeting called for that purpose. Copies of the proposed amendments shall be mailed to each member, along with the notice of the meeting, at least twenty-one days prior thereto. No motion that will modify a proposed amendment, or substitute another amendment, will be acted on unless the proposal or substitution complies with the notice requirements of this Article. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the voting members of the Congregation present at a duly called Congregation meeting shall be necessary to adopt any amendment.

Explanatory Note: This increases the number of persons necessary to propose a constitutional amendment from 10 (five families) to 20 (at least members from 20 different families).

24. I move to amend the Temple Constitution and add Article XVIII of as follows:

ARTICLE XVIII

In case of the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Congregation, whether voluntary, involuntary or by operation of law, the assets, monies or properties of the Congregation shall be distributed in such manner as the Board of Trustees shall direct; provided, however (i) that any such distribution shall be made exclusively to carry out the purposes for which the Congregation is formed; (ii) that any such use or distribution of the assets, monies or properties of the Congregation shall be in accordance with Article I, Section 2, and Article II, of this Constitution and, to the fullest extent possible, shall promote similar or related purposes; (iii) that no person, Officer, Trustee, employee or representative of the Congregation shall be entitled to any distribution or division of the Congregation's properties, assets or monies; and (iv) that any such distribution or division shall comply with the applicable requirements for such distributions or divisions for tax exempt organizations under 501c(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, or any similar federal statute then in effect, and the rules and regulations pursuant thereto.

Explanatory Note: We currently have no mechanism to dissolve the congregation.



A few months ago I read a book by Dr. Ron Wolfson titled Relational Judaism: Using the Power of Relationships to Transform the Jewish Community and I can't seem to get it out of my head. In the book, Wolfson presents a new philosophy of Jewish engagement based on extensive field research (including observations within mega churches)

and experience in the Jewish community. In Wolfson's philosophy, he identifies nine levels of relationship that strengthen individual Jewish identity and commitment to the Jewish world. The nine levels of relationship range from bein adam l'atzmo (a relationship with oneself) to bein adam l'makom (a relationship with God). In accessing these nine levels of relationship, Wolfson argues that Jewish organizations can begin to form meaningful relationships with those in their Jewish community and become visionary and engaging places of worship and learning.

Ever since reading this book and meeting Dr. Wolfson last spring, I have been committed to not only speaking about Relational Judaism, but **doing** Relational Judaism. After speaking with many parents and students, brainstorming and planning, I am proud to announce two new initiatives beginning this fall for our children and teens.

In an effort to strengthen the social bonds among our religious school students and their families. I am excited to pilot what I call the Kesher Initiative. Kesher in Hebrew means "connection" and that is exactly what I hope will happen among families engaged in the initiative. For this first year I have chosen to pilot the program for grades 2, 4 and 7. Three times during the year students in these grades and their families will be invited by a parent social coordinator to share in holiday celebrations, Shabbat dinners and BBQ's or picnics. All social events will take place outside of the synagogue. in congregants' homes or in restaurants or parks, and will be engaging, fun and warm. My goal in creating this initiative is to aid families and children in creating meaningful. lasting relationships outside of the synagogue walls and give children an additional reason to want to wake up on Sunday mornings and attend religious school. Following this year I hope to expand the program to reach all of the students and familes in our school. Stay tuned for more information!

For our High School students, I have implemented a similar initiative which aims to create deep relationships among students in grades 8-12 in our Next *Dor* program. With the help of Debbie Niederman and other

talented educators in the field, we have designed a mentoring program for our teens with a designated "Class Dean" for each grade. "Class Deans" for this year include our new youth director. Rosie Tesson. Laurel Burch Fisher, Rabbi Paley and myself. The role of the "Class Dean" is to mentor assigned students individually, aid them in creating meaningful Jewish journeys, and organize engaging and fun social encounters outside of the synagogue. The goal of the "Class Dean" program is to enrich relationships among students in the grade, help them to find meaning in their Jewish experience, and let them know that an adult in the congregation (besides their parents) cares for them and is rooting for their success. For parents with high school students in the Next Dor program, mark your calendars for an information session on the "Class Dean" program on October 9th at 6:30pm.

I am excited to finally be doing Relational Judaism and I hope that these new initiatives begin to change the relationships and experiences of our students and their families. Temple Shalom is already a warm and welcoming place, but we can always do more to engage the unengaged, welcome the stranger, and create meaningful and lasting relationships. I pray that you all will join me in these efforts and share in the mission of Relational Judaism.

If you have thoughts and ideas, or just want to chat about relationship building, please feel free to contact me by phone or email. I would love to brainstorm with you and continue shaping this exciting journey! And, for those who may be interested in reading Wolfson's book, you can purchase a copy from our synagogue gift shop, Traditions, beginning this month!

Rabbi Ariel Boxman
Director of Lifelong Learning
aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org

Next *Dor* "Class Dean" Informational Meeting Wednesday, October 9 6:30pm Epstein Chapel

Parents of Next *Dor* students, please join Rabbi Boxman and Rabbi Paley for an informational meeting about our new "Class Dean" initiative. We will discuss our new credit tracking system, our mentoring program and other exciting additions! Light refreshments and drinks will be served. Contact Rabbi Boxman at aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org for more information.

Youth & Teen Choirs

Calling everyone third grade and up! Join the youth choir, *Shir Joy* or our teen choir, *Kol Shalom.* You don't have to know Hebrew. Questions? Contact Youth Choirs Director Lynn Metrik at

Irmetrik@yahoo.com.

During Religious School, we rehearse from Noon - 1:00pm in the Sanctuary.

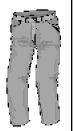


Blue Jean Shabbat Friday, October 18

This month only, it's the 3rd Friday!
6:30pm Boardroom

Theme: Remember the Holocaust

All 6th - 12th Graders are welcome to join us for this casual, camp-style, jeanswearing Shabbat! Bring a friend!



Munchkins Minyan Saturday, October 12 4:00pm - 5:30pm Learning Center



Families with young children (six and under) are invited to join us for Shabbat afternoon with the PJ Library visiting song

leader, Raquel Gershon. We will have a story, light snack and music! We will be discussing future Munchkins Minyans, so please bring your ideas to share! Questions? Contact Rabbi Ariel Box man at (972) 661-1810 ext. 213 or aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org.

Blessing the Pets Sunday, October 13 11:30am Temple Grounds

Save the date for our annual
Blessing the Pets ceremony! Bring
your furry, feathery and slimy pets to Temple
Shalom for a special program in w hich w e will ask
God's blessing for our special friends.

SHFTY News



SHFTY had a fun and busy September with our first Blue Jean Shabbat and a wonderful bow ling and community service event with the Brotherhood and Sisterhood. Join us for our second Blue Jean Shabbat on Friday, October 18th as our theme is *Remember the*

Holocaust. Please note that in October, Blue Jean Shabbat is the THIRD Friday of the month, not the second! We will resume the 2nd Friday of the month in November!

Registration is open for NFTY-TOR Fall Conclave. Visit the NFTY-TOR w ebsite at http://www.nfty.org/ for more details. If you have any questions please contact me.

Stay up-to-date on all SHFTY events by liking the SHFTY Facebook page at https://www.facebook.comgroups/193124290734471/

Hope to see you soon!
Rosie Tesson, Youth Advisor
youthadvisor@templeshalomdallas.org

Family Education Programs - Mark Your Calendars!

All programs begin at 9:30am in the Radnitz Social Hall

October 20 1st Grade
November 17 2nd Grade
January 26 3rd Grade
February 9 4th Grade
March 30 5th Grade

Youth Programs During Religious School

Radnitz Social Hall

Date	10:15am	11:15am
November 24	5th Grade	3rd Grade
December 15	4th Grade	7th Grade
January 12 February 16	6th Grade	5th Grade
February 16	4th Grade	3rd Grade
March 2	7th Grade	6th Grade

Judaism 101

- Are you looking for a class to learn the basics about Judais m?
- Did you forget everything you learned in Religious School?
- Are you thinking of joining the tribe?

Judaism 101 is the class for you! This class is designed to introduce or re-introduce students to the "basics" of Judaism including Torah, Israel, God, history, ritual/prayer, holiday observances, *Tikkun Olam* and Hebrew.

Sundays, October 6 through April 27 (with breaks for holidays) 1:00pm - 3:00pm

There is a \$60 fee for this class, plus any books you might choose to purchase. Go to http://www.templeshalomdallas.org/learning/adult-education/judaism-101 for the registration form and calendar.

This class requires a minimum of 10 students.

For further information, contact Rabbi Ariel Boxman at 972-661-1362, or aboxman@templeshalomdallas.org.

Jews, Judaism, Anti-Semitism, and Opera

This course explores different roles of Jews in operas, including sympathetic representations by Jew ish composers, and negative stereotyping by both Jew ish and non-Jew ish composers.



Presented by: Timothy Lynn Jackson, UNT Professor of Music History, Theory and Ethnomusicology

Sunday, November 10: 9:30am - 10:30am Epstein Chapel

Tuesday, November 19: 7:00pm - 8:00pm Learning Center

Tuesday, November 26: 7:00pm - 8:00pm Learning Center

SAVETHE DATE!! SYNAPLEX is Coming!

Saturday, November 9 "Why Israel Matters"



Ongoing Adult Classes

Shabbat Torah Study - Every Saturday 8:45am - 10:15am / Learning Center

Start your Shabbat morning with lively learning led by Rabbi Paley as we explore the weekly Torah portion. Enjoy the camaraderie with friends. Bagels and coffee provided 8:30am - 9:00am.

Judaica Study Class - Every other Saturday 9:00am - 10:00am / Boardroom - 10/12 & 10/26

The class consists of 15-20 people who study books which are significant to an understanding of Judaism. Books are selected by the members of the class, who are encouraged to lead a discussion of the bi-weekly assigned readings. The class is open to anyone wishing to participate. Contact Mark Fisher at dallasish@aol.com for more information.

More Than A Few Good Men
1st Tuesday of the Month - October 1
11:30am - 1:00pm - Bring Your Lunch
At the Offices of StrombergStock
Two Lincoln Centre, 5420 LBJ #300

All good men are invited to join Rabbi Paley for an inspirational and educational schmooze on the first Tuesday of each month. Bring a friend and enjoy discussing Jewish ethics and morality.

Lunch and Learn resumes October 2 Wednesdays / 12:00-1:00pm / Learning Center

Get in the habit of enjoying a taste of Jewish text. This class, led by Rabbi Andrew Paley, explores ethics in the Torah. You'll be amazed how these ancient teachings are relevant to your life today. Bring your lunch and break up the day with a taste of Judaism.

Bagels and Bible

Sundays/ 10:30am - 11:30am when Religious School is in Session / Learning Center.

(Note dates in October: 10/13, 10/20 only.)
Join Rabbi Paley for this opportunity to study Torah from the beginning. This class is designed for the beginning Torah study student.

We hope you enjoyed the music, prayers and messages during the High Holy Days Services as much as we did and are ready for the New Year. The Adult Education and Music Committee continues towork on programs for next year and is still open to new ideas and programs!

We'll share some new ideas with you soon. Email your thoughts to me at hig@att.net.

How ard Gottlieb, Lifelong Learning Council Chair

Jewish Ethics Series

Join us on Sunday mornings as we explore the world of Jewish ethics.

Engage in discussion, challenge yourself and take something new and exciting away!

9:30am - 10:30am Epstein Chapel

Sunday, October 6

Jewish Ethical Issues Just for Teens. Are They Different?

Presenters: Aric Stock, Ken Parker and teens

Issues of ethics from a Jewish perspective will be addressed as they relate to teen issues. Why or why not is the impact different from an adult perspective?

Sunday, October 13

Grudges and Forgiveness

Presenter: Dennis Eichelbaum

Are there crimes and offenses for which there is no forgiveness? What about genocide, rape, child abuse or neglect? Does Judaism teach us we must sincerely forgive from our heart all sins and transgressions? Join us as we analyze, discuss and debate this topic of "forgiveness."

Sunday, October 20

Sexual Ethics from the Torah and other Jewish Sources

Presenter: Rabbi Paley

Many controversial texts and related commentary on the issue of sexual ethics exist in our tradition, from B'reisheit to other biblical, rabbinic, Kabbalistic, and Responsa texts. These stories and narratives are ones not usually discussed in the dassroom. We will make connections between the texts and our lives and help us learn Jewish perspectives on sexuality, love, and marriage.



Save the Date! Adult Education Trip!

April 24 – 27, 2014

Adult Ed Trip with Rabbi Boxman to Natchez, Memphis & Vicksburg to discover Southern

Jewish Life and enjoy the Music!

More details and cost next month....

Jewish Picture Postcards from the Past



L'dor Vador-1st Trimester Begins October 2!



Join us for L'dor Vador as we gather together as a community of parents, friends, and congregants to explore current topics that affect your daily lives.

Classes will be fun and participatory with no tests or homework!

Ready to Register?

Sign up and select your classes by logging on to:

www.templeshalomdallas.org/learning/adult-education/ldor-vador

and complete the registration form <u>or</u> complete and return the form below with your fee to <u>Temple Shalom, Lifelong Learning-L'dor Vador, 6930 Alpha Road, Dallas, TX 75240</u>. Some classes have limited space available so sign up now!

L'dor Vador Registration Form

Please print all information

Trease print all information			
Name:			
Address:			
City/Zip Code:			
Cell #:Email:			
Amount Enclosed: CC #			
Expiration date:			
Open to all Adult Members and Non-Members			
Members: \$36.00 per class or	\$72.00 for the year		
Non-Members: \$40.00 per class or \$80.00 for the year			
Please check your choice for each trimester (a minimum of 10 students must be registered for a class to be offered) for which you are registering. Classes are from 6.30 pm - 8.30 pm.			
1st Trimester—Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 Nov 6, 13, 20 3rd	Trimester—Feb 26 Mar 5, 26 Apr 2, 9, 23, 30		
Jewish-American Literature - Barry Bell	You Believe What? - Debbie Niederman		
Judaism's Great Debates - Mark Fisher	The Mishnah on Damages - Mark Fisher		
2nd Trimester—Dec 4, 11 Jan 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19			
Jewish Street Food (class size is limited to 10 students) - Heidi BarishmanMah Jongg - Meredith Richardson	For more information, please contact Karen Thompson at kthompson@templeshalomdallas.org		

The Annual Fund - A Gift to the Future

We are connected with

Almost 50 years of memories



Generations of families celebrating, learning, growing, grieving, rejoicing, forming friendships, being one...a shared Jewish experience.

We want richness and meaning in our lives

but often more than what our annual dues can subsidize.

This is why there is an annual fund and why it is vital that we all contribute.



With your help, we will continue from generation to generation and from strength to strength.

TEMPLE SHALOM

October 2013 / 5774

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Want an updated look at what's going on at Temple? Visit our calendar website at http://calendar.templeshalomdallas.org:81/BrowseEvents.aspx

Connections Council: We Are Making Connections Everywhere!



Stev e Lewis, Rabbi Boxman and Rabbi Paley at Open House



Tikkun Olam Council's Embrace Luncheon in the Sukkah!



Ly nn Metrik, Youth & Teen Choir Director, accompanying the choirs.



Rabbi Boxman shares Jewish customs with the Women of Embrace.



Tikkun Olam Council Chair, Debra Levy-Fritts, builds for Habitat!



Sisterhood women compete in Bunco for valuable prizes!



Kol Shalom, our Teen Choir, performs for the High Holy Days!

Connections Council

The Connections Council and Religious School would like to invite all parents (or whoever drops off the kids for Sunday School), to STAY & PLAY with us! We'll be serving coffee, bagels and cream cheese from 9:30am - 11:30am in the Congregational Gathering Space for any and everyone to enjoy. Some days we'll have something fun planned. Other days we'll put out new spapers and magazines for you to enjoy. There's WIFI in the building if you want to bring your laptop or other device. And, each month we'll let you know what's in store. Hope you join us.



If you have any questions, e-mail Connections Council Chairs, Diane Laner or Irene Sibaja, at connections@templeshalomdallas.org.

October 6: It's our inaugural event......nothing formal planned, although we will have flyers with the State Fair schedule, since today is our State Fair Tailgate! And, if you have any ideas of what to do at future STAY & PLAY events, we'll be all ears.

October 13: Join Sisterhood and Walk Your Pets before the Bless the Pets. Details on page 23. (No bagels that morning—we're exercising!)

October 20: Do you play Mah Jongg? Feel free to bring your set and 2013 card, and we'll set up a few games. Never played before? We'd love to teach you! We'll also have tables set up for beginners, and teach you what we know! Not to worry, we're not playing for money....

THE CONNECTIONS COUNCIL INVITES YOU TO TAILGATE WITH US SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6 IMMEDIATELY AFTER RELIGIOUS SCHOOL



We're taking DART to see Big Tex! Let's meet in the north parking lot immediately after Sunday School releases, and head over to the DART Forest Lane Station (at Central) to grab either the 12:26pm or 1:06pm Red Line. Parking at the Forest Lane Station is free. We'll take the Red Line to downtown, transfer to the Green Line and head to Fair Park. Day passes on DART are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for kids/students (with school ID) or Medicare card holders. We'll let you know what discounts are available for the Fair.

Please RSVP to <u>connections@templeshalomdallas.org</u> with the number of adults and kids in your party so we can plan accordingly.

Connections Council

Shalom Silver

LIFE STARTS AT 55 FOR TEMPLE SHALOM SENIORS AND FRIENDS! TAKE A LOOK AT OUR EXCITING FALL PROGRAMS!

Essers and Fressers Dinner Group

É JENG CHI

Jeng Chi Chinese Restaurant

Wednesday, October 9 6:30pm

400 N. Greenville (middle of the Asian strip mall in Richardson, just north of Main Street, on the east side of Greenville—near the Confucius statue.)

Their lovely atmosphere, delicious, moderately priced food, and their big round tables will be conducive to a pleasant, lively dinner.

RSVP to Denise May off at denise@may off.com so we know how many to expect.

Fall Events

Music with Marty!

Sunday, October 13 2:00pm Radnitz Social Hall

If you saw Marty at our Spring event, you know what a wonderful performer he is! Marty will dazzle you with his wide repertoire of favorite songs, dance steps and audience interaction! Mack the Knife, La Bamba, Blue Suede Shoes, Sweet Caroline and New York, New York are just a few of Marty's great renditions! Light refreshments will be served. Don't miss this terrific afternoon! Shalom Silver members are free, but we do need you to RSVP to Judy Utay at irutay@aol.com. Guests are \$5/person. Your check, pay able to Temple Shalom, is your reservation.





Patsy Cline Impersonator, Linda Freeland

Sunday, Nov ember 3 4:00pm Radnitz Social Hall

This top notch Patsy Cline impersonator will delight us with some of Patsy's classics, as well as other much loved standards!

Doc Gibbs and Vera

Sunday, December 8

3:00pm Radnitz Social Hall

A Metroplex favorite, Doc Gibbs and his wife, Vera, will thrill us with their renditions of many pop, country, and Broadway favorites. Doc does some great impersonations as well!



This coming year Shalom Silver has many more great programs and wonderful camaraderie in store for you!

Don't miss out! Dues, at only \$18 per person, are a real bargain.

Please send checks, made payable to Temple Shalom, to Judy Utay, 913 Warren Way, Richardson, TX 75080

EVERYONE IS WELCOME! PUT MORE FUN IN YOUR LIFE! JOIN SHALOM SILVER!

For any suggestions or comments, please email shalomsilver@templeshalomdallas.org or contact one of us. Judy Parker heyjud38@aol.com Ken Parker kaparkersr@tx.rr.com Judy Utay jrutay@aol.com

Young Adult Connection

Are you a young adult, ages 22 – 39? Single or married?

We invite you to become a part of Young Adult Connection!

Email your contact information to the Young Adult Connection Chairs, Andy Goodman and Brandy Wayne, at youngadults@templeshalomdallas.org. Keep up-to-date on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/pages/Young-Adults-Connection-at-Temple-Shalom/161005593911464
and watch for Evites!

October 14 HeBREW Happy Hour October 26 Shabbat ShaBRUNCH

Connections Council

Havurah

A havurah is a group of Temple members with similar interests who gather for holidays, cultural and educational experiences, game nights, social action and more. It's a great way to connect to our Temple community and the Jewish community at large.

The Havurah Committee is currently working with 11 groups consisting of more than 150 members ranging in age from 1 to 80+. There is something for everyone and we would love to find a place for you!



Click <u>here</u> for a Havurah application or find it on the Havurah page on the Temple Shalom website at <u>www.templeshalomdallas.org</u>.

Please ask questions at havurah@templeshalomdallas.org.

Denise Blasband and Kathryn Frish Hayurah Committee Co-Chairs

Worship Committee: Transitions & Chevra Kadisha

It's not Hanukkah yet. The High Holy Days and Sukkot are behind us. School has started. The seasons are changing. It is a time of transition and, yet, the question: *How's Your Life Today?* lingers on, and we each have our own answers.

"We all live along the continuum of life - some at the beginning, others in the middle, and yet others at the end. At each stage, we need to be greeted and welcomed. Those of us in the *Chevra Kadisha* hear it said often that we cannot be repaid for this mitzvah. But, we also know that we really are repaid in the knowledge that we have comforted the family, assisted the soul, connected with our team, and developed a greater respect for the gift of life. We are repaid with the understanding that every soul is precious and every human being is unique. We are repaid with the ability to see the world with new eyes." *Stuart Kelman and David Zimmer, Jewels of Elul*

Our Temple Shalom *Chevra Kadisha* is in need of a few more volunteers, both men and women. When the need arises, for those who choose a traditional Jewish burial, the *Chevra Kadisha* is the team of men or women who performs the ritual preparations. No special skills are required, the time commitment is very small, the mitzvah is very great. Please contact Bernie Mayoff at (972) 669-9169 or bernie@mayoff.com for more information or to volunteer.

Worship Committee Meeting Tuesday, October 8 7:00pm Boardroom

Would you like to provide input about worship at Temple Shalom? We want to hear from you! Please contact Ken Parker, Worship Committee Chair, at ritual@templeshalomdallas.org.

Caregivers' Day Out 10:30am – 2:30pm Learning Center 2nd & 4th Thursdays

Caregivers may bring their loved ones to Temple Shalom for a few hours of activities. For more information and an application form, please contact Barbara Glazer at (972) 931-9077 or bbglazer@swbell.net.

Caring Congregation Meeting Tuesday, October 22 7:00pm Boardroom

We are here to pay hospital visits, write notes of condolence, make telephone calls, sit in homes during funerals and lots more. We need and want more members to help us and to bring in new ideas and ways to reach out to our Temple community. Please join us for our first meeting of the New Year.

Questions? Email caring@templeshalomdallas.org.

Shalom Singles

Shalom Singles offers a variety of social events to enhance the lives of Jewish singles, ages 40 to 60, in our community. Just send your e-mail address to singles@templeshalomdallas.org.

Tikkun Olam Council

High Holy Days Food Drive Ends October 15th!

One of the High Holy Day traditions at Temple Shalom is the annual Food Drive. Just as last year, our beneficiaries will be the North Texas Food Bank (NTFB), and Jewish Family Service (JFS) food pantry,



serving our community here in North Dallas and the Vickery Meadows area. NTFB and JFS represent our commitment to serving the hungry among us, both throughout North Texas and right here in our very neighborhood.

To participate, go to the Temple Shalom website at www.templeshalomdallas.org and follow the link from the home page to donate to our virtual food drive. NTFB will credit JFS with half of the proceeds once the drive is completed. Please note that NTFB will immediately email the tax deductible acknowledgement.

We ask that you consider a financial donation equal to the amount of money you would spend on food to feed your family for a typical day. Our goal is to raise \$5,000 in this year's High Holy Days Food Drive to provide 30,000 meals to hungry families in our area.



A Member of Feeding America

Mitzvah Opportunity at the North Texas Food Bank

Tuesday, October 15 1:00pm- 3:30pm 4500 S. Cockrell Hill Road Dallas

Help sort food at the NTFB warehouse!

Must wear closed-toed shoes. 10 year olds and up welcome - under 16 must have an adult chaperone. RSVP to Debra Levy-Fritts at ieff.debra@sbcglobal.net.

Serve Lunch at The Bridge



Temple Shalom serves lunch at The Bridge in downtown Dallas on the first Tuesday of the month from 11:30am to 1:00pm. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Arlene Kreitman at (972) 233-3754.

Tikkun Olam and Dallas Interfaith Team Up to Help with Healthcare Affordability

Do you need health insurance? Are you having trouble affording your health Insurance and healthcare and are under age 65? Are you a small business owner with less than 50 employees who is having trouble affording health insurance for your employees? Would you like to help Temple members and others in our communities who have these issues?

The Tikkun Olam Council and Dallas Area Interfaith (DAI) are working with Dallas County, US Health and Human Services and over 40 other congregations in Dallas and Collin Counties to help Temple Shalom, other faith based institutions and communities to reduce the number of uninsured in Dallas. DAI has developed a free booklet to explain the Healthcare Marketplace and SHOP programs that will help the uninsured, those having trouble affording health insurance and small business owners.

DAI and the Tikkun Olam Council are recruiting and providing training to volunteers to become Certified Application Counselors. We will be helping members of our Temple family and others in Dallas and Collin Counties by using our trained Certified Application Counselors and the DAI booklet.

For more information or to volunteer, contact Barry Lachman at blachman@sbcglobal.net or 214-808-0042.

Stewpot Cooking in the Temple Kitchen: 10/6 9:30am

Email Gail Hartstein at ghartst715@aol.com
to be on the mailing list!
Volunteers welcome!



2013-2014 Sunday Cooking dates:

October 6 January 12 April 6

Nov ember 17 February 9 December 15 March 2

Please wear comfortable clothing and rubber soled, closed-toe shoes for your safety. Long hair must be tied back. Children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult. No children under 10 years old, please.

Embrace



Comprised of womenfrom Jewish, Islamic and Christianfaiths coming together to share faith, food, celebrations and education. New members are always welcome! For more information, please contact Jane Lachman at

jalachman@aol.com or (972) 735-0133.

SISTERHOOD

Calling all Temple Shalom Women . . .

Join Sisterhood and come to our upcoming activities: Membership Coffee, Bunco, Art Auction, Cooking Classes, Paid Up Dinner, Rosh Chodesh, Gourmet Lunches, Youth Programs, Community Service Activities and so much more!!! Sisterhood supports our Temple: Friday night Onegs, Traditions Gift Shop, Scholarships, donations to our Religious School and Temple budget.

Please send in your membership form and payment and become a part of our amazing Sisterhood. Go to the Sisterhood page on the Temple Shalom website at www.templeshalomdallas.org to print your membership form.

We have extended a membership challenge to Brotherhood. Let's show Brotherhood just who Rocks!!! Together we can move mountains!!

Walk Your Pets!

Sunday,
October 13
9:35am
Meet at Lifelong
Learning
Entrance
(before Bless
the Pets)



Join the fun in taking a w alk from Temple Shalom w hile the kids are in Sunday school! Get a little exercise and visit w ith friends from Temple Shalom. We will be gone about an hour and all fitness levels are welcomed!

Light snacks provided.

Sisterhood Bunco and Potluck Dinner

Thursday, November 7
7:00pm \$5/at the door
Ann Weintraub's home
(6303 Telluride Lane, Dallas 75252
- near Preston/Frankford)



\$5/at the door. RSVP by 11/1 to Toba Reifer at 4reifer@tx.rr.com or (972) 898-4828.

Potluck: Italian Food! Suggested food categories by last name:
A-M: Side Dish, Salad or Dessert
N-Z: Appetizer or Main Course

Not a cook? Bring wine!

Join us for this fun and easy game night! Spaces are limited - sign up today! Temple Shalom members only, please!

October Hours

Tuesdays: Noon - 5:00pm Wednesdays: Noon - 6:30pm Fridays: Noon - 5:00pm, 5:30pm - 6:25pm Sundays: 9:30am - 1:30pm

Closed Mondays and Thursdays

For appointments after hours, contact Clare Fishman at (469) 438-9956.



New in Traditions! Beautifully curated baby baskets that we will be happy to ship for you. We take the work out of putting together a beautiful present with a great selection of items for the newborn.

Start your Hanukkah shopping early!!! Hanukkah begins Wednesday, November 27th!

Not surewhat someonewould like?

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SISTERHOOD Invites you to a *friendly* evening of dinner



Monday, October 21

6:00 — 8:30 p.m.

Temple Shalom

Radnitz Social Hall

RSVP by Wednesday, October 16, 2013

Staci Mendelsohn

slm@hbrtech.com

214-529-7780

Wendy Kaplan

wendy@kaplantc.com

214-543-3737

Your Sisterhood membership is your entrance fee.
Non-Members are welcome for \$25.

WEAR YOUR FAVORITE APRON!

Please bring along your unexpired travel size toiletries benefiting The Stewpot.

BROTHERHOOD



President Scott Butnick

First Vice President **Perry Zidow**

Second Vice President Bill Hoffpauer

Treasurer Irwin Kaufman

Michael Kaplan

Corresponding Secretary Rick Cohen

Recording Secretary Sander Gothard Immediate Past President



Brotherhood Board Meeting

Wednesday October 16 7:15pm Boardroom

All Brotherhood Members Invited.

Stronger - Together!

If there were a Mount Rushmore of the Brotherhood, there most certainly would be a place for Mel Sacks. The Brotherhood cordially invites you to join us for "In Appreciation of Mel," Sunday, October 6th in the Radnitz Social Hall from 4:00pm - 6:00pm. It's not Toast and Roast, and don't bring a gift. Instead, make a donation to Temple Shalom designated for Youth Activities. Admission for Brotherhood members is \$9. Non-Brotherhood member tickets are \$18. RSVP Required-click this link: www.templeshalomdallas.org/in-appreciation-of-mel.

Then, two days later, Rabbi Ariel Box man, already breaking new ground in the Brotherhood's Fantasy Football League, will make her first appearance at Martinis & Mishnah. It's on October 8th, 6:45pm at Coffee House Café on Frankford Road/Preston. This one's going to fill up fast. Better make arrangements early!

On November 22, 1963, Temple Shalom was little more than a gleam in the eye of our founders. Where were you 50 years ago? Does it really seem like that long ago that we watched those grainy images on black and white TV coming out of our city?

The Brotherhood is proud to lead Temple Shalom's observance of the 50th Anniversary of the Assassination of President Kennedy. On October 13th, the featured speaker at our Brotherhood Breakfast will be Pierce Allman. Pierce was in the Texas School Book Depository on November 22, 1963. He encountered one Lee Harvey Osw ald that day.

On October 26th, get your art on at the Sisterhood's Art Auction. Bid, then buy, then spend. It's a Jew ish woman's prescription for a good time.

Don't forget Thanukkah comes early this year. Visit Traditions for turkey...er uh...Thanukkah gelt.

The Brotherhood Is On Twitter: @TSBrotherhood.

Scott Butnick

President, Temple Shalom Brotherhood

In Appreciation of Mel

Temple Shalom Brotherhood cordially invites you to join us in celebrating the dedication, contributions, and commitment Mel Sacks has made to Temple Shalom and the Brotherhood

(It's also Mel's Birthday!)

Sunday, October 6 4:00pm - 6:00pm Radnitz Social Hall

Tickets purchased by Brotherhood Members: \$9
Tickets purchased by Non-Brotherhood Members: \$18
Hors d'oeuvres served; Beer, Wine and Soft Drinks Included

In lieu of a gift, please consider a donation to Temple Shalom and indicate **Mel** in the memo section of your check.

Buy tickets online at: <u>templeshalomdallas.org/in-appreciation-of-mel</u> or mail a check to Temple Shalom, 6930 Alpha Rd., Dallas, TX 75240

Attn: Brotherhood Treasurer

BROTHERHOOD



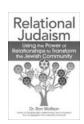
Martinis & Mishnah

Tuesday, October 8 Time: 6:45pm

Location: Coffee House Café Southwest Corner of Frankford/ Preston

Speaker: Rabbi Ariel Boxman Topic: Relational Judaism





Everyone is invited, but seating is limited, so you must RSVP to Steve Weintraub at stevelweintraub@gmail.com.

Brotherhood Breakfast & Speaker

Sunday, October 13 9:00am Radnitz Social Hall

Speaker: Pierce Allman

Mr. Allman was at the School Book Depository on the day that JFK was assassinated.

He will speak to us about 'that day' and his encounter with Lee Harvey Oswald.

All welcome to attend!



JOIN THE BROTHERHOOD TODAY, THEN COME TO A BROTHERHOOD BOARD MEETING AND BE A PART OF A FUN, SOMETIMES RAUCOUS, GROUP OF JEWISH MEN.

HELP US BECOME THE TEMPLE'S BEST-LOVED AUXILIARY.

JOINING OR RENEWING YOUR BROTHERHOOD

MEMBERSHIP INVOLVES A \$50 TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DUES PAYMENT.

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HERE ARE TWO WAYS TO JOIN: SEND A CHECK PAYABLE TO:

TEMPLE SHALOM BROTHERHOOD
6930 ALPHA ROAD

DALLAS, TX 75240

ATTN: TREASURER

-OR-

PRESS <u>WWW.TEMPLESHALOMDALLAS.ORG/DONATE-SP-741</u>
TO PAY BY CREDIT CARD USING PAY PAL

Save the Date!

Toast N'Roast Honoring Ken Glaser!

Sunday, January 26

5:30pm Intercontinental Hotel (Tollway, Arapaho/Beltline)





Friday Night Ushers



Who doesn't want to be one of those cool guys everyone envies who distributes books, then picks them up at the end of the service? Did you always want to be the first person to say Shabbat Shalom, Good Shabbas, or some other witty welcome to people as they enter for Shabbat worship?

Volunteer to usher at Shabbat Services by contacting Calvin Hurst at calhurst@att.net or (972) 771-2311.

GRATITUDES

Adult Education Fund

Ted & Marcia Gold in memory of Marjorie Gold Stephen & Cynthia Rasmussen in memory of Abraham Allen

Brotherhood

Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Brotherhood

Allan & Audree Disraeli in memory of Ann Chipman & Marion Disraeli

Gary & Marsha Lefkof in memory of Rick Protas
Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Norma P. Farris
Mel Sacks in memory of Arnold Crocker

Cantor Croll's Discretionary Fund

Morris & Michela Prigoff in memory of Charlotte Prigoff

Caring Congregation Fund

Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Shayna Brynn Cooper Phil & Judy Goodman in memory of Louis J. Schneider

Paul Preite Jr. & Carol Preite in memory of Rick Protas

Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Rick Protas & Julius Schulman

Epstein Chapel Fund

Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of David Fleming

Employee Appreciation Fund

Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Deen a Monsees
Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Yefim Kutman
Hilary Sherman in memory of Rifka Schwartz
David Shusterman in memory of Susan Shusterman
Ralph & Debbi Sorrentino in memory of Yefim Kutman

General Fund

in honor of Marlene Meyerson Stuart Brand Robert & Cindy Quint in honor of George Quint Sondra Cox in memory of Melvin Gordon Carol Feld Norton A. Feld in memory of Helene Glazer in memory of Barbara Averick Bernie & Denise Mayoff in memory of Ralph Pinkus Paul & Raelaine Radnitz in memory of Hyman Robins Marsha Ring in memory of Leo Edelman Jeff & Dolores Staffin in memory of Harmon Schepps

Greene Family Camp Fund (scholarship)

Lillian Ostroff in memory of Ira Ostroff

Julia Michele Warren Scholarship Fund (Greene Family Camp)

Arvin & Arlene Kreitman in memory of Yefim Kutman, Evelyn & Harry Rotter Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Regine Ginsberg
Gene & Louise Yoss in memory of Henry Yoss

Music Fund

Marvin & Eunice Gerard in memory of Fred Fischer
Jerry & Lenora Levin in memory of Fred Fischer
Helene Levitan in memory of Donald Levitan
Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Marilyn More

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Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Lisa Brodsky & Tamara Farris
Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Jodi and Rob Rosenberg

Rabbi Boxman's Discretionary Fund

Sol & Toba Reifer in honor of Rabbi Boxman

Mark & Brandy Wayne in honor of Rabbi Boxman

Nathan & Leslie Axelrod in memory of Rae Stekoll

Vincent & Lilli Cirillo in memory of Hans Joseph Oppenheimer

Alan & Shannon Kaye in memory of Terri Morrison
Lory Kohleriter in memory of Rosalind Schey
Lillian Ostroff in memory of Jack Ostroff

Rabbi Paley's Discretionary Fund

Della Steinberg in honor of Reagan Harper Sholer
Claire Lee Epstein in memory of Rose Epstein
Josh & Tammy Feferman in memory of Louis J. Schneider
Joan Glauberman in memory of Michael Kirsch
Ellen Goldstein in memory of Jessie Brightman

David & Brenda Grossman in memory of Nathan Green & Rick Protas

Calvin Hurst in memory of Ann Hurst in memory of Ron & Martha Kapusta Joy Kapusta L.M. & N.S. Lewis in memory of Rick Protas Robert & Donna Light in memory of Louis Light Alan & Gale Malinger in memory of Lillian Seltzer Louis & Kim Marx in memory of Anita Marx Wylee Protas & Family in memory of Rick Protas Bob & Anita Samuel in memory of Saul Barash Della Steinberg in memory of Kenny Steinberg Alex & Liliya Tsimberg in memory of Ruhlya Akerman Arden Widman Sheldon & Linda Widman in memory of

Rabiner Children's Library Fund

Gwen Appelson in memory of Miriam Strohl
Gerry & Susan Urbach in memory of Minette R. Urbach

Sisterhood

Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Florence Rosenblatt

Temple Shalom Endowment

Joyce Susman in memory of Max Rosenblum

Tikkun Olam/Social Action

Cary & Abbey Begun in memory of Eunice & William Begun
Don Croll & Jan Gartenberg in memory of Philip Alan Gartenberg
Susan Hoffman in memory of Rena Miller
Sol & Toba Reifer in memory of Jonathan Dworkin
Alan & Janet Weissman in memory of Margaret Ness Murray

Youth Activities Fund (scholarship)

Sariet Allen in memory of Isadore Allen

Rick & Debby Baum in memory of Melvin Bennett Rutstein

Youth Education General Fund

James & Julie Guida in memory of Anthony Guida

Our mission is to inspire in you a relationship with God, Torah and the Jewish people. Do you know someone we should invite to Temple, someone who is new to Dallas or is not connected to a congregation?

Please contact Executive Director Steve Lewis so we can show them that Temple Shalom is their place.

Welcome New Members to Our Temple Shalom Family!

Robin Ashman-Terrell Lindsay & Brett Ballinger Beth & Phil Kirschner Ellen & James Liston Nam Nguyen & Chris Liuzza Sarah & Richard Montgomery Kenna & Barry New berg Laura & Paul Provada Alice & Henry Rosen Monika & Michael Rubin Vanessa & Andrew Schachtel Heather & Ryan Schamerloh Sarah & Daniel Sklar Eric & Stephanie Spett Brandon Strull Sean Strull Hadasah Yaqob

Thanks to the following congregants for inviting our new members to join our Temple Shalom family!

James Bier Mark & Beth Stromberg Ken Glaser Rodney Schlosser Keo & Brian Strull

Congratulations to...

Rachel Diebner, Tyler Halpern and Matthew Stock for being named 2014 National Merit Semi-Finalists

Peggy Heller, Community Involvement Committee Chair of the Dallas Bar Association, for being a DBA featured member

Hannah Schiffman for being aw arded a Texas Armed Services Scholarship

Of Blessed Memory...

- Temple member, Miron Alperin, husband of Rima Alperin
- Lucy Garcy, mother of Pamela Garcy
- Temple member, How ard Garson, father of Michele Garson-Weismann
- Mel Gordon, father of Marsha Lefkof, grandfather of Melissa Lefkof
- · Margaret Ness Murray, mother of Eileen Disraeli
- Charles Tartaglia, grandfather of Melinda Hepworth
- Micki Weinstein, mother of Lori Rickoff

As a caring community, we would like to reach out to our members. When there is an illness, death, hospitalization, birth, etc. please contact Joy Addison in Rabbi Paley's office at 972-661-1810 x201 or jaddison@templeshalomdallas.org. Clergy and volunteers are here to help during times of need and celebration.

Remember the Temple in Your Will

Temple Shalom is committed to preserving the future of our congregation for generations to come. Bequests of all sizes are important resources for the Temple, and we encourage you to be a link to the future by remembering the Temple in your will. Your lasting tribute is your commitment to the survival of our religion, our Temple, and our people.

A bequest can easily be established by adding a simple codicil to your will. Additionally, many other options exist to leave a legacy for Temple Shalom.

A brochure with more information is available in our main foyer, or by contacting the administrative offices. For more information, please contact our Executive Director Steve Lewis at 972-661-1810 x202.

Your planned gift will serve the future of our congregation and community. Thank you for helping assure the strength and health of Temple Shalom for generations to come.

TEMPLE SHALOM

Senior Rabbi	Andrew M. Paley
Rabbi	Ariel C. Boxman
Rabbi Emeritus	Kenneth D. Roseman
Cantor Emeritus	Don Al an Croll
Executive Director	Steve Lewis
Youth Advisor	Rosie Tess on
President	Aric L. Stock
Exec. Vice President	Dennis Eichelbaum
Vice President	Debra Levy-Fritts
Vice President	Robert Quint
Secretary	Ber nie Mayoff
Finance Director	Josh Goldman
Treasurer	Monica Susman
Past President	Stephen Enda





Enjoy a special evening of *art, wine and jazz* as Temple Shalom Sisterhood hosts a Community Art Auction!

7:00pm Reception/Art Preview & 8:00pm Live Auction!

A diverse collection of fine art at all price levels will be featured. Meet and view the work of contemporary artist Mitch Goldminz as the excitement builds for Perry Berns' live auction!

During the reception, wine, hors d'oeuvres and desserts will be available as guests are entertained by "The Eddie Tann Band." And, wait until you see the raffle items we have in store!

Admission is only \$18 per person. Tickets can be purchased online at http://www.traditionsdallas.com/art-auction or at the door.

Want to bring friends? This is a community event, so we welcome guests outside our Temple family. Our special patron package (\$150 per couple) includes admission for four, complimentary wine, raffle tickets, a private art tour, reserved parking and seating.

Patron tickets must be purchased in advance.

Please contact Keo Strull at bmsboxes@att.net for more information about our patron package.