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Rabbi Arthur Schneier's Chanukah Message

ON CHANUKAH, we recall the victory of the few over the many, and the valiant struggle of the Maccabees that defeated tyranny and restored Jewish sovereignty and religious freedom. The Jews have never been large in numbers nor sought to build Empires.

Horribly, we now confront an alarming rise in antisemitism both in the United States and all over Europe in proportions not felt in eighty years, discrimination of our children on college campuses and the barbaric atrocities committed against men, women and children: beheading, burning people alive, raping women and girls, murder, and kidnapping the hostages.

Yet, we witness the remarkable solidarity of the Jewish people world-over in support of Israel and defiantly condemning hatred of our people. The largest gathering of the U.S. Jewish community in Washington, DC reminds us of the importance of being vigilant in combatting antisemitism and to stand up for democracy over autocracy.

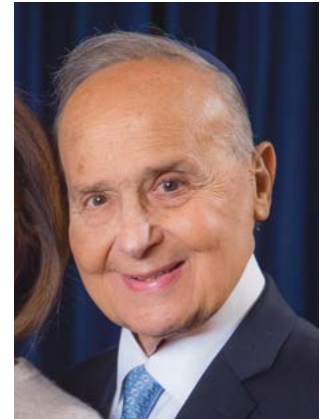
With gratitude to Hashem, for generations, Park East has transmitted Torah values and is committed to strengthening the Jewish identity of our children and with the best of education, love of the Jewish people and the State of Israel.

We gain strength from Chanukah lights that dispel darkness and give us hope and faith in Am Yisrael Chai. May there be light in our homes and Shalom, Peace in Israel and the World. Praying and acting to free the remaining hostages.

Elisabeth joins me in wishing you and your loved ones Chanukah Sameach!

Rabbi Arthur Schneier

In Loving Memory of Herman Hochberg



PARK EAST SYNAGOGUE mourns and remembers the passing of our beloved and esteemed President, Herman Hochberg, husband of our late Sisterhood President, Dr. Polly Etkind Hochberg. Herman's outstanding dedication and community leadership in support of our Synagogue, Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School, and various other Jewish and humanitarian causes have been vital parts of transmitting Jewish education and values to the next generation.

Known for his kindness, caring, and compassion, Herman Hochberg was always ready to assist those in need.

Herman's legacy will live on in the hearts of his family, the Park East membership and the many friends that he made over the years. Our deepest sympathy to his daughter Marisa Hochberg, brother Dr. Fred Hochberg and the entire family.

His life was a blessing. He will be sorely missed.

In Loving Memory of Dr. Henry A. Kissinger

WE MOURN THE DEATH of Dr. Henry A. Kissinger, who with his parents, Paula S. and Louis Kissinger, fled Nazi Germany. A refugee who rose to Elder Statesman, he was proud to serve his Country of Freedom. Presidents of the United States and world leaders sought his wise counsel to achieve peace in the world.

He regularly prayed with us to pay tribute to his parents and brother, Walter, all inscribed in the Park East Book of Remembrance. On Yom Kippur, as he exited the Sanctuary surrounded by children he remarked "They are our Jewish future." We extend our deepest sympathy to his devoted wife Nancy, children David and Elizabeth.



Dr. Kissinger joined Rabbi and Mrs. Arthur Schneier presenting the Appeal of Conscience Foundation World Statesman Award to Lee Hsien Loong, Prime Minister of Singapore.



Sharing the light of Chanukah, December 2022.

Year-End Giving

Make Your Tax-Deductible Gift Today!

For information on tax-wise strategies to easily maximize your year-end giving, such as an IRA Charitable Rollover, gifts of other assets, or gifts in your will or revocable trust, please contact simcha@pesyn.org.

Our dedicated member, Steven Berman, who is an attorney specializing in estate planning and tax law is also available to answer specific questions related to taxes and charitable giving. Contact: sb1540@gmail.com



Menorah Lighting

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8 4:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
Community Unity Chanukah
Dinner • 5:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9 5:30 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
Parent/Child Learning with Moshe and Yair

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
YEC Chanukah Celebration • 5:15 p.m.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
Early childhood - Grade 8 with Children,
Parents and Grandparents
Day School Chanukah Celebration • 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
Men's Club

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14 5:00 p.m.
Outdoor Lighting and Refreshments
Sisterhood Chanukah Party • 6:00 p.m.
*Refreshments include: Donuts, Latkes, Dreidels,
Chocolate Candy*



News from Park East

August 31 – New Acting Consul General Tsach Saar welcomed by Rabbi Arthur Schneier. They reviewed issues of concern for Israel and the Jewish people and together they addressed the entire Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School faculty.



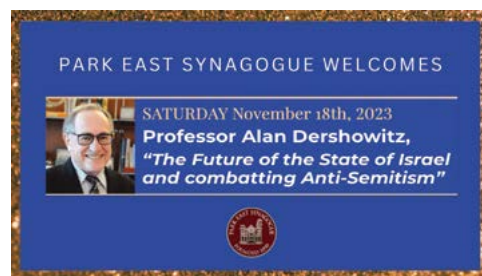
October 20 – Aviv Ezra, Senior Diplomat, Consulate General of Israel in New York, 25-year veteran of Israel's Foreign Service, addressed the congregation.



November – Krav Maga classes, the official self-defense system of the Israel Defense Forces, are conducted at Park East Synagogue.



November 10 – H. E. Petra Schneebauer, Ambassador of Austria to the United States, addressed the congregation in commemoration of Kristallnacht on "Lessons of Kristallnacht for today."



November 18 – Professor Alan Dershowitz addressed the congregation in dialogue with Rabbi Arthur Schneier on "The Future of the State of Israel and combatting Anti-Semitism."



November 14 – Park East Synagogue and students from the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School join over 290,000 individuals in support of the State of Israel at the March for Israel in Washington, DC.



November 18 – Park East Synagogue hosted the Upper East Side Night for Women and Girls on behalf of Israel Motzei Shabbat, November 18. It was a powerful evening of tefilah, tzedakah, and inspiration as Chanukah gifts were prepared for our soldiers fighting on the front lines.



October 27 – "A Night of Song and Hope" with the Rabbis and Cantors of Park East Synagogue, Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun, West Side Institutional Synagogue, and the families of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School.





Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School

RABBI ARTHUR SCHNEIER PARK EAST DAY SCHOOL EARLY CHILDHOOD BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER ROSH CHODESH PROGRAM

One of our most popular programs, Big Brother/Big Sister is scheduled every Rosh Chodesh. Each of our 5th through 8th graders has been paired with a brother or sister in pre-k or kindergarten. They work together on special projects and develop connections which deepen each month.

Menorah Lighting

Parents, Grandparents, and families are invited to join the children of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School for a special evening in celebration of Chanukah

Tuesday, December 12, 5:00 p.m.

Menorah lighting at the 67th Street entrance steps, followed by latkes and jelly donuts.

REGISTRATION IN PROGRESS FOR 2023-2024

Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School

Early Childhood

18 Months Old, Mommy & Me,
Taste of School –Kindergarten

Lower School (Grades K-5)

Upper School (Grades 6-8)

*For questions, please contact Debbie Rochlin
at 212-737-7330 x 1409*

debbie@raspeds.org

Leon & Gina Fromer

Park East Youth Enrichment Center

Pre-K (Age 4)

Kindergarten (Age 5)

Elementary School (Ages 6-12)

For details, contact

laivi@parkeastsynagogue.org

Sunday Shkola

2-13 Years Old

212 737 6900

info@parkeastsynagogue.org

SHOP THE ANNUAL PARK EAST DAY SCHOOL CHANUKAH BOOK FAIR

**Monday - Thursday,
December 11-15
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

Minskoff Cultural Center Lobby



Sunday Shkola

COMMUNITY EVENTS are essential in times of celebration and joyful occasions. However, being together in grief and sorrow is the most important. The connection of the Shkola families with Israel was always strong. Almost every family has relatives there. We spent our last few meetings sharing our hopes, feeling the community's support, and comforting each other while kids learned about Jewish heroes and heroines.

Chanukah is a time of light and miracles, and we pray for Israel and our people in Israel and around the world. Join us on December 10 at 11 a.m. for our Chanukah Party to learn the story of the Maccabees, make your own olive oil, light candles with our RSJ community, and create an origami dreidel.



The Leon and Gina Fromer Youth Enrichment Center

HEBREW SCHOOL SHINES LIGHT ON THE UPPER EAST SIDE.

Chesed! Chesed!! That's what Park East is all about.

Our Hebrew School Chesed project will be on Monday December 11 at 4:00 p.m. where the students will hand out chanukiyot to all passersby at the Synagogue who need it to light up their homes. Parents are encouraged to join.

Please also join our Hebrew School Outdoor Menorah Lighting on Monday December 11 at 5:00 p.m. followed by our Magnificent Chanukah Celebration for all.

SHABBAT SHALOM HEY!!!

Hebrew School's annual Challah Bake is on January 29, followed by our Grand Shabbaton on February 3. You don't want to miss this annual highlight. Stay tuned for reservation details.

MEANWHILE...

Do you have a mezuzah on all the doorposts of your home? If not please contact Rabbi Harold Einsidler or Cantor Laivi Freundlich at laivi@parkeastsynagogue.org so we can assist you.

To enroll your child in NYC's most DYNAMIC Hebrew School please email vec@pesyn.org.

Adult Education

MONDAYS

7:00 p.m. • Rabbi David Flatto

"Legends of the Earliest Rabbis"

TUESDAYS

7:15 a.m. • Cantor Benny Rogosnitzky

Parsha Class

1:00 p.m. • Rabbi Harold Einsidler

"The Book of Joshua"

7:00 p.m. • Kabbalist Eliyahu Jian

"There are Signs all Around Us"

FRIDAYS

After 7:45 a.m. Services • Rabbi Harold
Einsidler

Navi Class

SATURDAYS

30 minutes before Mincha • Rabbi Harold
Einsidler

Chumash Class

6:00 p.m. • Parent-Child Learning
with Moshe and Yair

MAZAL TOV

מזל טוב

To **Jason and Grace Pomeranc** on the birth of their son Jack Maxwell, and on the naming of their daughter Amalia Ines Pomeranc, to grandmother Lorraine and great grandmother Elsa, and to grandparents Jack and Sally Pomeranc, and Max DeSoto, of blessed memory; to **Jordan and Jacqueline Rosen** on the bar mitzvah of their son Owen, and to the grandparents Vice President Jack and Phyllis Rosen, Jimmy and Rebeca Sobie, to great grandmother Helen Sobie, and to brothers David and Charlie Rosen; to **Svetlana and Michael Sands** on the bat mitzvah of their daughter Isabelle Donna Sands, and to grandmother Jean Minskoff Grant, the fifth generation of the Minskoff Family as part of Park East Synagogue; to **Jack and Muriel Matsas** and to **Rabbi Joseph and Margalit Dweck** on the marriage of their children Alicia and Ezra Dweck; to **Jay and Ravit Domb** on the birth of a granddaughter, to the parents Morielle and Eliran Hakakiyan and to great grandfather Sam Domb; to **Daniel Asher Avitan**, student of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School, on his bar mitzvah, and to his parents Joy Avitan, faculty member, and Peri Avitan, to grandparents Anna and Asher Matathias, Rachel Avitan, and Edit Avitan, of blessed memory, and to sister Raquel; to **Minna and Mark Seitelman** on the celebration of their wedding anniversary, and giving thanks to Park East Synagogue for always being there; to **Sarah and Michael Rosenberg**, parents of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School, on the birth of their daughter Ellie Dafna, and to brothers Reuben (1st Grade) and Jonah (3's program). *May the families have years of continued joy, health and happiness.*

המקום ינחם

WE MOURN THE PASSING OF

Joan Packard Luks, beloved sister of our devoted members Aura (Mel) Lev; **Francisca Herrera**, beloved mother of Adriana (Esau) Quintero, dear grandmother of our devoted members Anael and Shlomo Blashka; **Lillian Shapiro**, devoted long-time member, beloved aunt of Shmuel (Malka) Hiller and Moshe (Leah) Hiller; **Claudette Banon**, devoted member and beloved mother of our members Sid (Louise) Banon; **Moshe Fogel**, beloved father of our devoted members Jacqueline (Dr. Joel) Spitz, Jonathan (Tova) Fogel, and Jeffrey Fogel, beloved husband of Rivka Fogel, grandfather of Sophia (Griffin) Hoffmann, Jonah Spitz and Ava Spitz, great

grandfather of Scarlett Hoffmann; **Harriet Grumet**, mother of our devoted members Marty (Judy) Grumet, Shelly (Barry) Dorf, Zvi (Naomi) Grumet, and Lynn (Joel) Mael, grandmother of Avi (Leah) Grumet, Alex (Hanoi) Perez, and Duvi (Daniella) Grumet, great grandmother of Noa, Anaelle, Maayan, Aluma and Michaela Grumet and Mijael Perez; **Zelda (Kahan) Newman**, beloved sister of our devoted members Deena (Josh) Bernstein. *May the families be spared from further sorrow.*

SPONSORS

KIDDUSH Larry Rosner; Jason and Grace Pomeranc; Daniel Liebman; Sisterhood; Adele Becker and Family; Jordan and Jacqueline Rosen; Mark and Minna Seitelman; the Domb Family; Sarah and Michael Rosenberg; Dr. Larry and Ann Neuman.

PARENTS AND CHILDREN SUCCAH

DINNER AND KIDDUSH Jonathan Berland; Michael and Lisa Greenberg.

SIMCHAT TORAH CELEBRATION Ira and Diana Riklis.

SEUDAT SHLISHIT Naftali and Joan Neufeld; Dr. Richard Seaman; Martin Grumet; Dr. Daniel and Helene Roses.

BREAKFAST Akiba and Perri Stern; Harry and Danielle Karten, Marcia and Dr. Jacob Toledano, Bernice and James Bookhamer; Larry Rosner.

ADULT EDUCATION Carla Rothman.

CHILDREN SERVICES Carla Rothman; Drs. Joseph and Danielle Stember; Jonathan Berland; Lyora and Matthieu Catoire; Lea and Michael Sabban; Adele Becker and Family; Shlomo and Anael Blashka; Michael and Lisa Greenberg; Sisterhood; Bryan and Jennifer Kaplan.

Teen Minyan

THE TEEN MINYAN is continuing to grow at a rapid pace under the leadership of Moshe Bauer and Yair Halpert. The teens are very happy to be involved in the minyan and enjoy socializing with their friends. It is also an opportunity for graduates of our day school who are currently in high school, to come back on Shabbat and reconnect. If you are not a member of our minyan, don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity. Come and join us and have a great time. Sports jerseys and gift cards are raffled every week. Teen Minyan meets every Shabbat at 10:00 a.m.

In Memoriam

Gertrud (Trudi) Kissiloff

Long-time member, Holocaust survivor centenarian, beloved wife of William Kissiloff, mother of Ari (Sheila) Kissiloff, grandmother of Aaron and Noah. Deepest sympathy to the entire family. May they be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Sgt. Elisheva Rose Isa Lubin

Police officer Sgt. Elisheva Rose Ida Lubin, who was brutally killed in a terror attack in Yerushalayim, beloved cousin of Jason and Mary Shea, Sam, Rachel and David, members of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School family. Deepest sympathy to the entire family. May they be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

Sergeant Major Yosef Malachi Guedalia Sergeant Major Ben Zussman

We mourn the passing of Sergeant Major Yosef Malachi Guedalia from Beit Shemesh who was killed on the first day of the war in Israel, October 7; and Sergeant Major Ben Zussman from Yerushalayim who was killed on December 4, beloved great nephews of our devoted members Aviva and Marvin Sussman. Deepest sympathy to the entire family. May they be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem.

We mourn the passing of all the victims since October 7 of Hamas savage attacks. May the families be comforted among the mourners of Zion and Jerusalem, and may we merit to see lasting Peace in Israel.

Children Services with Toby

EXCITING TIMES ARE IN STORE for you at Children Services as we usher in the joyous holiday of Chanukah. Join us on Shabbat, December 9, for our annual Chanukah Party, including: gifts for everyone, Shabbat menorah and dreidel building, dreidel contest, bingo, Chanukah luncheon, special entertainment by the "Hoop Wizard," and celebrating the birthdays of Nathan Suliman and Asher Kaplan. Come celebrate your birthday with us. It will be a birthday you will always remember. Happy Birthday to Jack German and Suri Kaplan.

Children Services begin at 11:00 a.m. in the Goldberg Ballroom.

Schedule of Services

CHANUKAH NIGHTLY MENORAH LIGHTING

Thursday night, December 7 – Friday,
December 15

FAST OF THE TENTH DAY OF TEVET

Friday, December 22

This fast commemorates the start of the
Babylonian siege of Jerusalem which led to
the destruction of the First Holy Temple in
585 BCE

DAILY SERVICES

Morning Services • 7:45 a.m.

Evening Services until:

December 15 • 4:20 p.m.

December 30 • 4:30 p.m.

CANDLE LIGHTING

Friday, December 8 • 4:10 p.m.

Friday, December 15 • 4:11 p.m.

Friday, December 22 • 4:13 p.m.

Friday, December 29 • 4:18 p.m.

Friday, January 5 • 4:24 p.m.

Friday, January 12 • 4:31 p.m.

Friday, January 19 • 4:39 p.m.

Friday, January 26 • 4:47 p.m.

SHABBAT SERVICES

9:00 a.m. • Morning Services

9:30 a.m. • Sephardic Services

10:30 a.m. • Junior Congregation

11:00 a.m. • Children Services

SATURDAY, DEC. 9

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

Mevorchim Hachodesh Tevet

4:10 p.m. • Mincha

5:10 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, DEC. 16

4:10 p.m. • Mincha

5:11 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, DEC. 23

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:10 p.m. • Mincha

5:14 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, DEC. 30

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:15 p.m. • Mincha

5:19 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, JAN. 6

Mevorchim Hachodesh Shevat

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:20 p.m. • Mincha

5:25 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, JAN. 13

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:30 p.m. • Mincha

5:32 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, JAN. 20

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:40 p.m. • Mincha

5:40 p.m. • Shabbat ends

SATURDAY, JAN. 27

Shabbat Shirah

9:00 a.m. • Shacharit

4:45 p.m. • Mincha

5:49 p.m. • Shabbat ends

Vayeshev

Miketz

Vayigash

Vayechi

Shemot

Va'era

Bo

Beshalach

Synagogue Membership

WE INVITE YOU to become a member of
our historic landmark Synagogue. By
doing so you will assist us in transmitting our
precious heritage to the next generation.

For more information, please contact
Toby Einsidler at the Synagogue office,
212-737-6900, or register online at
parkeastsynagogue.org.



*Sponsoring a Shabbat Kiddush
Luncheon at Park East Synagogue
is a wonderful way to honor
a loved one's memory or
acknowledge a special occasion.*

To discuss a sponsorship, please contact
Toby Einsidler at the Office (212) 737-6900.

Sisterhood

SISTERHOOD continues to be busy and
productive!

In November, we hosted our Annual
Paid-Up Membership Brunch, Co-Chaired by
Barbara Zimmerman and Rivkah Halpert. It
was a huge success! With over 65 people in
attendance, we were treated to a festive brunch,
prosecco, a raffle and an excellent lecture by
Michael Skakun. Thank you to Barbara Kasell
for bringing us this speaker to our event.

The Chesed Committee, Chaired by Vice
President, Betsy Schrott, made deliveries of
meals prior to Thanksgiving and will deliver
sugfaniyot prior to Chanukah.

The Annual Sisterhood Toy Drive, Chaired
by Karen Feldman, a joint event for the entire
congregation, Sisterhood, Men's Club, and
families of the Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park
East Day School, is taking place between
November 26 through December 7. This year,
we are again partnering with Chai Lifeline
and they provided us with a direct link to
Amazon to have the toys sent directly to
them. Chai Lifeline will also pick up the toys
and distribute them. Thank you to all those
who participated.

On Sunday, December 3, we hosted our
first Theater Party to see *Amid Falling Walls*
at the Museum of Jewish Heritage. We had
a round-trip bus from the Synagogue, a
delicious lunch at Lox, a talk back with one
of the actors, and finally a docent-guided tour
of the exhibit: "Courage to Act: Rescue in
Denmark." Thank you to Betsy Schrott for
chairing this event. A special note of thanks
to Minna Seitelman for her generosity in
subsidizing, organizing and facilitating this
entire event.

The Annual Chanukah Party will take
place on Thursday, December 14, at 6 p.m.
in the Goldberg Ballroom. All are invited
to participate in a festive meal with latkes,
sugfaniyot and wine. The cost is \$40 per
person. Thank you to Chairs Brenda Schneider
and Judie Banker for chairing this event.

In January, we will again have our Annual
Warm Coat Drive. Please save your gently
used coats for that time. Thank you to Karen
Feldman for chairing this event.

Sisterhood wishes everyone a Chag
Sameach!

BEQUESTS

Please remember Park East Synagogue and
Rabbi Arthur Schneier Park East Day School in
your estate planning, so that we may continue
to provide religious and educational services
to the next generation of the Jewish people.

Junior Congregation

IT MIGHT BE GETTING COLDER OUTSIDE

but the Junior Congregation has been "hot"
every Shabbat. Make sure you get there on
time because we have been running out of
seats. We start every Shabbat at 10:45 in
room 203. Our morning together starts with
davening, followed by Parsha Trivia and
classroom games. Raffle tickets are handed
out and there are always opportunities to
receive many tickets to win prizes. Don't
forget our Shabbas Game Room in the Gym
goes from 1:00 – 3:00. There you can play
gym games and try your skill at our brand new
activity "Spike Ball." We also have ping pong,
foosball, knock hockey, cornhole, plus Legos
and board games. Don't miss out on a fun-
filled Shabbat with the Junior Congregation.

On Saturday, December 16 we will
be having our annual Movie and Pajama
Party. For information contact Donny at
Dwechsler@raspeds.org

יארצייט Yahrzeits

The following members of the Congregation will be observing in November and December beginning on the evening prior to the date listed.

November

- 1 Mrs. Vivian Mook Baer
Dr. Morris Shorofsky
Mr. Arnold Braunstein
Mr. Larry Marco
Mrs. Rebecca Citron
- 2 Mrs. Audrey Feuerstein
Ms. Susan Wexner
Mrs. Cheryl Gluck
- 3 Dr. Issac Hershkopf
Mrs. Tammy Shatz
Mrs. Lyudmila Motovich
Mrs. Elizabeth Katz
- 4 Mrs. Vivian Mook Baer
Ms. Julia Shaine Shepps
- 5 Dr. Zachariah Rivietz
Mr. Eric Mendel
Mrs. Dora Mendel
- 6 Dr. Joel Hirsch
Mrs. Maxine Hirsch
Mrs. Hermine Gewirtz
Mr. Howard Brownstein
Mrs. Minna Seitelman
- 8 Mrs. Joan Liebowitz
Mrs. Miriam Feiereisen
Mr. David Lewittes
Mrs. Rhona Lankowsky
Mrs. Elaine Brownstein
Dr. Andrew Burger
Mrs. Beth Neuhaus
- 10 Mr. Warren Gleicher
Mr. Randy Zelin
- 11 Mr. Ira Rennett
Mr. Charles Maurer
- 12 Mr. Andrew Feinman
Mrs. Debrah Charatan Holm
- 13 Mrs. Lucille Bernheim
Mrs. Elisabeth Schneier
- 14 Mr. Ronald Wurtzbarger
Mrs. Carla Rothman
Mr. Lawrence Rosner
Mr. Nelson Schwartz
Mrs. Maily Jeger
Dr. James Eisdorfer
- 15 Ms. Sheila Blank
Dr. Holly Roberts
- 16 Mr. Stephen Snell
Mrs. Vera Rausnitz
Mr. Gerry Rausnitz
Dr. Steven Gruber
Mr. Aaron Goldberg
- 17 Mr. Steven Stein
Mr. Elie Hirschfeld
Ms. Allee Ringler
- 18 Mr. Benjamin Sofer
- 19 Mr. Stephen Loeb
Mrs. Rose Lefkowitz
Mr. Ari Hirt
- 20 Ms. Elka Heino
Mrs. Susan Lachman
Mr. Abe Shainberg

- 21 Mrs. Helga Abel
Mr. Matthew Goldenberg
- 22 Mrs. Henrietta Berko
Mr. Jack Rosen
Mr. Harvey Feuerstein
- 23 Mrs. Esther Shapiro
Mr. Herbert Yellin
Mrs. Sylvia Safer
- 24 Dr. Issac Hershkopf
Mr. Alexander Mitchell
Mrs. Tammy Shatz
- 25 Mr. Ephraim Gildor
Dr. Richard Seaman
- 26 Mr. Tibby Blum
Dr. Philip Frank
- 27 Mrs. Jean Minskoff Grant
- 28 Mrs. Sala Kohan
Mrs. Klavdia Goldiner
- 29 Mrs. Vivian Mook Baer
Mrs. Judith Lefkovits
Mrs. Ann Newmark
- 30 Rabbi Arthur Schneier
Mrs. Rose Holm
Mr. Alexander Mitchell
Mr. Martin Kartin
Dr. Richard Seaman

December

- 1 Mr. Stephen Forst
Mrs. Fiona Scharf
- 2 Mr. Reuven Schlenker
- 3 Mr. William Kissiloff
Mrs. Carolyn Minskoff
Mr. Steven Shalowitz
Dr. Philip Frank
- 4 Mrs. Serafina Weiner
Dr. Benjamin Nachamie
Mr. Nathaniel Bier
- 5 Dr. Michael Reich
Mrs. Hermine Gewirtz
Mr. Mark Bienstock
Mr. Steven Davenport
Mr. David Cole
- 6 Mr. Paul Oltuski
Mrs. Sally Kohane
- 8 Mrs. Lucille Bernheim
Dr. Peter Ross
- 9 Ms. Barbara Levey
Mrs. Eve Yavers
Mrs. Marlene Braha
- 10 Mr. Jeffrey Birnbaum
- 11 Mr. Chester Schneider
Mr. Barry Winet
Mr. Gabriel Erem
Mr. Richard Miller
Dr. Seymour Lachman
Mr. Myron Poloner
- 12 Mr. Jack Haber
- 13 Mr. Morris Hocherman
Mrs. Alexandra Hocherman

- 14 Dr. Mark Wilner
Mrs. Laura Rabinowitz
Mr. Rick Shatz
Mr. Aarao Benchimol
- 15 Mr. Ira Rennett
Ms. Eleanor Wagner
Mr. Barry Winet
Mr. Howard Brownstein
- 16 Mrs. Miriam Knobloch
Mr. Richard Hochman
Dr. Zev Rosenwaks
Ms. Barbara Levy
Mrs. Janie Fisher
Dr. Richard Mautner
- 17 Dr. Theodore Feder
Mr. Charles Maurer
- 18 Mr. Jean Putzer
Mr. Alan Jacobs
Ms. Sheila Blank
Mrs. Judith Lefkovits
Mrs. Ann Newmark
Mr. Steven Stein
- 19 Mrs. Paula Domansky
Mr. Mark Seitelman
Mr. Abe Goldner
Mrs. Susan Drucker
- 20 Dr. Richard Mautner
Mrs. Annalise Schwartz
Dr. Richard Seaman
Mrs. Ina Seaman
Ms. Frieda Klaperman
Mrs. Ilona Oltuski
- 22 Mrs. Vivian Mook Baer
Mr. Joseph Cooper
Mr. Mark Bienstock
Mrs. Jeanne Gesthalter
Mrs. Maily Jeger
Mrs. Bonnie Lowenstein
Mrs. Susan Ascher
- 23 Mr. Lawrence Kerstein
Mr. Benjamin Sofer
Mr. Steven Thal
Dr. Alvin Adler
- 24 Dr. Edward Lipke
- 25 Mrs. Helene Roses
Mr. Myron Poloner
Mr. David Kasell
Mrs. Betsy Schrott
Mrs. Zondra Barricks
Mr. Harry Moseley
Mrs. Lilah Goldberg
Mr. David Katz
- 26 Mr. Edward Tanenbaum
Ms. Vivian Goodstein
Mrs. Regina Tapoohi
- 27 Mr. Sol Lesh
Mr. Charles Maurer
Mrs. Eva Weinberger
- 28 Mrs. Vivian Mook Baer
Mr. Hugh Greenberg
Mrs. Adele Becker
Mrs. Sherry Rosenstock

- 29 Mr. Elliot Matlin
Mrs. Regina Goldberg
Mrs. Mina Berman
Mrs. Eva Galpern
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Spin along with us as
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Shabbat, December 9 at 11:00AM
Goldberg Ballroom

Chanukah costumes, games, dreidel contest, art
projects, food projects, gifts for everyone, luncheon
and special entertainment by "The Hoop Wizard"!

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Performed by
Special Guests



- Sand Art Chanukah performance
- Sing-along
- Olive oil making workshop
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- Delicious Chanukah brunch

Sunday, December 10th - 11:00AM to 1:00PM

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**CHANUKAH
MENORAH LIGHTING**

Tuesday, December 12 at 5:00pm

Families are invited to join us for a special evening in
celebration of Chanukah, featuring the RASPEDS choir!
Menorah lighting will take place at the 67th street entrance
steps, followed by a talent show, latkes, & jelly doughnuts.

JOIN US FOR OUR Chanukah Dinner Party



LIGHT UP THE NIGHT!
Grand Menorah Lighting

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2023
Festivities start at 4:45 pm

- Special Children's Chanukah Candle Lighting
- Music and Chanukah Songs
- Games and Prizes
- Great Fun and Great Food
- Pizza · Donuts · Latkes

Great Menorah Lighting
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For more info or to RSVP, email:
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Annual
Chanukah
Party

Thursday, December 14, 2023 at 6PM
Park East Synagogue
Goldberg Ballroom

\$40 per person

Including latkes, sufganiyot, a delicious dinner!
Chaired by Brenda Schneider and Judie Banker



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