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THE BULLETIN OF
TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL
LONGBOAT KEY, FLORIDA

Home Baked Goodies!
See's Candies
Hanukkah Menorahs
and Candles
Gifts for adults
and children

December 2 10:00a.m. to 4:00p.m.
BETH ISRAEL WOMEN'S
**HANUKAH
HAPPENINGS!**
2007

Toys, Books, &
Games for kids
Used books and audio books
Designer Jewelry
Hot Dogs and Soda
for Lunch
Pink Elephant Sale
New and Like-New Items
Babka's from Green's
Kosher Bakery in N.Y.
Designer Handbags
Coffee Bar With Assorted Sweets
Orchids and Plants

RABBI MEIR AZARI

Federation presents Rabbi Meir Azari, Senior Rabbi of our sister synagogue Beit Daniel in Tel Aviv-Jaffa, Israel on December 11 at Temple Sinai. Save the date-Don't miss it!



The Sarasota-Manatee Jewish Federation – in collaboration with area temples, agencies and Jewish and non-Jewish organizations – will present a season-long Israel @ 60 Celebration, from the fall of 2007 through the fall of 2008. This program is intended for all people – all religions, cultures and ages – and will focus on raising awareness about Israel and its people.

As part of its year-long Israel @ 60 Celebration in honor of Israel's 60th birthday, the Sarasota-Manatee Jewish Federation, Gerry Daniel and area synagogues are pleased to present Rabbi Meir Azari, who will discuss "Politics in Israeli Religion." This event takes place Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 7:00 p.m. at Temple Sinai (4631 S. Lockwood Ridge Rd., Sarasota). This event is free and open to the public.

Rabbi Meir Azari serves as the Senior Rabbi and Executive Director at Beit Daniel, the Center for Progressive Judaism in Tel Aviv-Jaffa, Israel, which was built through the generosity of part-time Longboat Key residents Gerry Daniel and his late wife, Ruth. Having grown up within the IMPJ (the Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism) youth movement and having graduated from its affiliated Leo Baeck High School, Rabbi Azari is an extremely knowledgeable and committed adherent of Reform Judaism. Rabbi Meir Azari is one of the unique cadre of native-born Israelis who have chosen to enter the Progressive/Reform rabbinate.

Prior to being ordained by Hebrew Union College, Jerusalem, he both grew up in the Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism (IMPJ) and made major contributions to it.

In the last few years, Rabbi Azari conducted the building of "Mishkenot Ruth Daniel" in Jaffa, a multi-purpose center consisting of a guesthouse with 66 rooms and up to 250 beds, 6-10 meeting rooms, a beautiful hall suitable for large gatherings and a picturesque roof terrace for celebrations and events. Mishkenot Ruth Daniel was opened in April of 2007.

For further information or to RSVP, contact Denise Cotler at the Federation (941.371.4546, ext. 106) or e-mail dcotler@smjf.org. A complete listing of Israel @ 60 events can be found at www.smjf.org.

WORSHIP SERVICES

SHABBAT SERVICES

FRIDAY EVENING 8:00 PM

SATURDAY MORNING 10:00 AM

Library Shabbat November 2

Krystalnacht Remembrance November 9

Veterans' Shabbat December 7

(note date change)

Rabbi Michael Eisenstat will conduct all Services along with Music Director, Dr. Ann Stephenson Moe and our Magnificent Temple Choir

INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The 2007 annual Longboat Key Interfaith Thanksgiving Service will be hosted by the Longboat Island Chapel at 6200 Gulf of Mexico Dr. on Tuesday, November 20th at 5:00 p.m.

The following Houses of Worship will join together in song and prayer to celebrate this very beautiful occasion: Temple Beth Israel; All Angels By The Bay Episcopal Church; St. Armands Key Lutheran Church; St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church, Christ Church of Longboat Key and our host Longboat Island Chapel.

Bring your friends, family, children and neighbors to share in the beauty of the service and enjoy the social hour and refreshments at the conclusion of this very special event. Shirley Fein



NEWS FROM THE BOARD

Joe Miller, our devoted "shamus," has tendered his resignation as of October 23. The Board expressed deep appreciation for Joe's many years of service as an honors chairman and overall greeter at TBI. He has done one great job.

It was proposed that funds collected in memory of Rabbi Saperstein be used to beam satellite TV simulcasts of notable speakers engaged by the 92nd Street YMHA in New York. Installation cost of the satellite dish and the per program cost of \$360 will be paid from the Saperstein Fund. The Board formally approved this program.

Leah Barker, who has been diligently working toward the major task of improving our kitchen facilities, reported that plans for the renovation of the kitchen are completed. Hopefully, she reports that we can proceed with this in May, 2008.

As noted by President Charles Ackerman, our High Holiday services were exceptional this year aided by the wonderful voice of our guest Cantor Robert Bloch from New Jersey.



FROM THE RABBI'S STUDY....

Veni, vidi, vinci...we came, we saw, we conquered." Well, we did not conquer. More accurately, we came, we saw, and we were conquered by the beauty, the spirit, and the ambience of Israel. Eleven of us traveled together for ten glorious days of seeing, hearing and learning. From Tel-Aviv to Tiberius to Jerusalem we bathed in the history, the present and the future of Israel. We saw magnificent archeological excavation and reconstruction in Bet Shean and Caesaria. Remember the chariot race in the movie *Ben Hur*? There we were, in the hippodrome in Caesaria where it would have taken place! I kept looking back over my shoulder to make sure that Charlton Heston was not about to run me down! On Masada, we repeated the vow that many of Israel's elite army units take when they complete their training: "Masada lo tipol shenit...Masada shall not fall again!"

We had several discussions with experts from different fields of endeavor. We visited and met with the Director of the W.F.Albright School of Oriental Studies, one of Israel's most respected archeological research institutions for a special lecture and to see some of their as yet unpublished finds.

Rabbi Meir Azari, rabbi of Beit Daniel Congregation met us in Jaffa and gave us a special tour of brand new Mishkenot Ruth Daniel, the brand new community center/ hostel/hotel/cultural center/learning center/social service center that is quickly changing the demographic face of Jaffa and will also act as a flagship for the Israeli Reform Movement.

Rabbi Arik Asherman, Executive Director of *Rabbis for Human Rights* gave us some real insight into the human dimension of trying to keep Israel safe with the Barrier Fence while trying to recognize the special problems of Palestinians who are just trying to make a living and raise their families.

At Beit Shmuel on the campus of the Hebrew Union College in Jerusalem, following a beautiful Shabbat morning service, we were given a personal tour of the facilities that house a library, classrooms, and day-care programs for children, concerts and lectures for the community. We enjoyed a wonderful lunch there and a highly informative briefing on the progress of the Reform movement in Israel by Rabbi Rich Kirsten.

Perhaps our most interesting briefing came when we met, by special arrangement with the Editor of the *Jerusalem Post*, David Horowitz, for an insider's view on the state of Israeli politics, and the state of the peace process. That was an eye-opener! Our visit with the soldiers on a small frontier army base on the Lebanese border was an inspiration. This visit was not a formal briefing, but rather an opportunity for us to meet and talk with

young soldiers who serve in a dangerous environment and who have a deep love for their country and their families; they cannot wait to go home! But they know that they have a responsibility to their families and their country. They were an inspiration to all of us.

Lest you think that this was a "heavy" intellectual trip, let me tell you that we laughed, ate, and rejoiced our way through Israel. We saw a great deal, but there is always more to see on the next trip to Israel. Maybe you will come with us, next time!

Rabbi Michael B. Eisenstat

CEMETERY

There's not one single good reason to pre-plan cemetery and funeral arrangements.

There are 10!

- 1) Avoid future increases in cost by freezing prices now
- 2) Take time to choose what you want
- 3) Plan together with your spouse
- 4) Avoid last minute decisions
- 5) Avoid mistakes
- 6) Make it easier for those left behind
- 7) Eliminate emotional overspending
- 8) Make payments over time
- 9) Plan together with your family
- 10) Make one call to one place for all your needs



For detailed information, please call **Arnold Fein**, 383-5959 or **Fred Taich**, 954-3236.



The Temple Chanukah Dinner will be held on Tuesday, December 4 at 5:30 p.m.

(Please note date change from December 7.)

You may use the coupon to make your reservations.

BETH ISRAEL WOMEN



As I write this newsletter for the Bulletin, I realize that we are starting our new season.

Many of you, I hope, are as excited as I am to greet everyone at the first meeting and luncheon of the year on **Monday, November 5th at 12 PM**. I also hope that you made your reservation for this special luncheon/program meeting featuring **Dr. Daniel Moe**, who will lecture on his experiences as a conductor. As a bonus, our own Music Director, **Dr. Ann Stephenson Moe** will play her husband's original



pieces on the piano. It should be a wonderful afternoon. Hope to see you there.

We look forward to seeing you all. *Be a part and not apart.*
Shalom,

Arlene H. Krum, President

OUR CHANUKAH HAPPENINGS ARE HAPPENING!

It will take place on **Sunday, December 2nd**. No reservations are required and admission is free. If you want lunch, we will have delicious hot dogs with all the trimmings and drinks.

We'll feature an array of beautiful gifts made in Israel from our Judaica Shop, handbags, fabulous jewelry, babkas, the Orchid Lady, the library book sale, plus our Pink Elephant sale. For this sale we need donations of good quality items and we especially need volunteers.



We also need bakers for the Bake Sale (see coupon page). For further information, to volunteer and to bake your favorite cake recipe contact **Alice Taich 954-3236**.

Mark your Calendar

BIW is making arrangements for attending the Ballet on March 22nd, for a Saturday evening performance at \$60 per person that includes a light dinner. For more information, contact the Beth Israel Women President Arlene Krum at 388-9119.



THE BOOKS AND BROWN BAG Bunch meets at 12:30 PM on the second Monday of each month. Those attending bring lunch in a paper bag, and BIW provides coffee and dessert.

The first meeting is November 12:

The Liberated Bride by **A. B. Yehoshua**

Facilitator Beverly Peterman

WOMEN ON OUR OWN



WOOO Gets a Bequest

Maye Lavinson, President of Women On Our Own (WOOO), announced at the group's paid-up membership luncheon on October 23 that WOOO was the beneficiary of a \$5,000 bequest from the estate of the late Betty Salenger, who was an active WOOO member. The only conditions for the grant are that the funds be used solely for the enjoyment and pleasure of WOOO, and that WOOO members also be members of Temple Beth Israel.

Stewart Salenger, Betty's son, has set up the "Betty Salenger WOOO Fund" which may be used for luncheons and/or special events approved by the WOOO membership. Without wasting time, 21 WOOO members attending the luncheon at The Colony Restaurant, proposed using the funds to purchase a block of tickets to the Ballet on March 22, a Beth Israel Women's fund raiser. Half the WOOO costs would be borne by the bequest, and members would cover the remaining half.

WOOO was organized to bring together Temple Beth Israel women members who are divorced, widowed or single who join together to plan various events and supportive activities.

MINIVERSITY OF JUDAISM



2007-2008

All Classes Start at 2:00 pm Except as Noted

BIBLE STUDY - THE HAFTORAH

Mondays

- November 19 - Rabbi Michael Eisenstat
- December 17 - Rabbi Herbert Rose
- January 18 - Rabbi Howard Simon
- February 18 - TBA
- March 17 - Rabbi Peter Kasdan



THE ART OF HEBREW CANTILLATION

Every Thursday morning at 10:00 am starting December 6 and ending March 27, except 12/27 and 1/3. Be able to chant any Haftorah. Class is limited to 8 students. There will be a nominal charge of \$65, including the cost of the text. Instructor: Miriam Waltzer.

JEWISH ARTISTS OF THE 20TH CENTURY

Wednesday, January 16, 23, 30 & February 6. Instructor: Kevin Costello

THE PRISM THROUGH WHICH WE LIVE JUDAISM

Thursday, January 10, 17, 24. Instructor: Rabbi Michael Eisenstat
MAME-LOSHEN - THE YIDDISH REVIVAL - LANGUAGE, MUSIC, MOVIES, THE TRADITIONS

Thursday, January 31, February 7, 14. Instructor: Baila Miller

LAUGHING OUT LOUD - THE ART OF JEWISH HUMOR

Wednesday, February 20. Instructor: Rabbi Richard Steinbrink
CLAY & COPPER: A NEW UNDERSTANDING OF THE BIBLE THROUGH ARCHEOLOGY

Wednesday, February 27. Instructor: Rabbi Richard Steinbrink

WENDY WASSERSTEIN AND THE WORLD OF HER WOMEN

Thursday, February 28. Instructor: Diane Steinbrink

JEWISH GOD CONCEPTS FROM ABRAHAM AND SARAH TO 2008: A THEOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE - WHAT DOES REFORM JUDAISM SAY?

Wednesday, March 5, 12, 19. Instructor: Rabbi Peter Kasdan

KABBALAH & MODERN FILM

Thursday, March 6, 13. Instructor: Bob Waxman

AND THEY STILL MADE MUSIC

Wednesday, March 26, 2008. Instructor: Nancy Roucher
 Music of the Holocaust.

Miniversity Catalogue will soon be available.

Temple Directory

Please note that Temple member Eileen Dunn Berger is mistakenly listed in the Directory on page 23 under "Dunn Berger, Eileen" instead of being listed under "Berger, Eileen Dunn" 1211 Gulf-of-Mexico Dr., #1005, Longboat Key, FL 34228-4602
 New phone no. for Royal Miller is 972-392-2125

Men's Club



The Men's Club opens the 2007-2008 season with a Shalom Again JAZZ CONCERT on Sunday, December 9, from 7-8:45 PM with a 15-minute intermission. Admission is \$5.00 per person and refreshments will be served. **Reservations are strongly requested.** Please complete and return the reservation coupon that was in the October Bulletin, with your check.

The JAZZ CONCERT will feature the Jazz Quartet headed by Andy Wright, whose group has performed on TV, in ballrooms and hotels all over the U.S. Canada and European countries. Andy is a retired music teacher, both instrumental and vocal.

Other upcoming Men's Club programs for the season will be:

- NEW YORK JEWS IN THE JAZZ AGE, Sunday, January 13
- THE LOST WOODEN SYNAGOGUES OF EASTERN EUROPE, Sunday, February 13
- OPERA NIGHT, Tuesday, March 18
- CHURCH CONDEMNATION OF ISRAEL, Sunday, April 13
- RACE TO THE WHITE HOUSE, Sunday, May 4

At the close of the 2006-2007 year, the Men's Club made the following allocations:

- \$5,000 for the new Temple kitchen;
- \$900 Friends of Beit Daniel;
- \$800 American Friends of Mogen David;
- ALYN Children's Home;
- \$450 Jewish Chautauqua Society;
- \$300 Meals on Wheels;
- \$300 Leo Baeck Institute;
- \$150 Jewish Family and Children's Services; and
- \$150 Jewish Friends of West Point.

Arnold Fein served as Chairman of the Allocations Committee under the presidency of Howard Sabin.

Donald Kayton, President

Lunch with the Rabbi



Monday, November 12, 12:30 p.m.

The Lunch With The Rabbi series takes place the second Monday of each month at 12:30 PM. The lunch consists of delicatessen or tuna sandwich, soft drink, coffee/tea and dessert. **Reservations are necessary** even if you are a subscriber.

LIBRARY

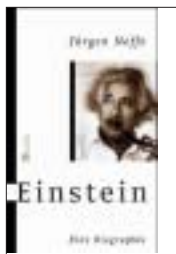


JEWISH BOOK MONTH begins November 4th and ends December 4th. You are invited to take time out to treat yourself to the unique pleasure of reading a good book.

WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOU VISITED THE TEMPLE LIBRARY? We have many new books for your enjoyment. Come in and choose a book, video, cassette disc, audio book or DVD. They have been purchased with Temple funds, donations and gifts. You could take advantage of our current literature, magazines, media, vertical file and newspapers to keep you current about what is going on in the Jewish World.

ONE OF THE FOLLOWING MIGHT TAKE YOU ANYWHERE YOU WANT TO GO:

EINSTEIN. Jurgen Neffe. A highly acclaimed current biography of Albert Einstein. Gift of Joyce and Sheldon Paley in memory of Norman Grocer.



FOLKTALES OF THE JEWS. Dan Ben-Amos. Tales from the Sephardic tradition with commentary, history and criticism. Gift of Suzanne Lutkoff in honor of Sheila Olin's birthday.

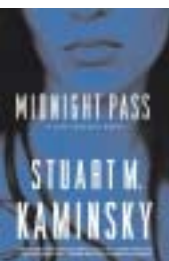
I FEEL BAD ABOUT MY NECK. Nora Ephron. A candid, hilarious look at women who are getting older.

INVITING GOD IN. David Aaron. Celebrating the soul-meaning of the Jewish Holidays. The author, an Israeli rabbi, son of a survivor, explains "why" we should celebrate. Gift of Libby Adelman in memory of her dear, departed father, Nathan Raynes.

JEWISH FOLK ART. Joy Ungerliedner Mayerson. An examination of the role art has played in Jewish culture, illustrated in full color, taken from the best collections in the world—beautiful examples of objects of wood, metal, embroidery used in custom and practice. Gift of Ruth Mechur.

JEWS IN PLACES YOU NEVER THOUGHT OF. Karen Primack, ed. Personal accounts of encounters with lesser known Jewish communities in possibly "developing" Jewish communities—Burma, Afghanistan, Pakistan, China, Brazil, Peru, and Uganda. Gift of Joyce and Sheldon Paley in memory of Marilyn Liebowitz.

MIDNIGHT PASS. Stuart M. Kaminsky. A new story in the saga of Lew Fonesca, a sad widower whose car gave out in lovely Sarasota and his attempt to forge a new life for himself.



MY FATHER'S SECRET WAR. Lucinda Franks. Pulitzer Prize-winning writer Franks discovers that the remote, nearly impassive man she grew up with had, in fact, been a daring spy behind enemy lines in World War II.

OUT OF EGYPT. Andre' Aciman. An elegant memoir of a flamboyant Jewish family. Gift of Beverly Peterman.

STARDUST LOST. Stefan Kanfer. The triumph, tragedy and mishugas of the Yiddish Theater in America. A look back into the rise and fall of the Yiddish Theater and its lasting mark on American theater, film, and culture in general. Gift of Dr. Suzanne Bralow.

SUITE FRANCAISE. Irene Nemirovsky. A masterpiece of French literature of life under Nazi occupation discovered 62 years after the author died in Auschwitz.

THE BURNT HOUSE. A Peter Decker/Rina Lazarus Novel. Faye Kellerman. A modern day nightmare ensnaring Decker and Lazarus in a web of secrets and murder.

THE EMPEROR'S CHILDREN. Claire Messud. A masterful novel about the lives of three friends in their thirties in Manhattan and their influence on each other in the 21st century America.

THE JPS GUIDE TO JEWISH WOMEN. Emily Taitz. A sourcebook on Jewish women 600BCE – 1900CE, shedding a clear light on their individuality and setting them firmly in the context of their own cultural and historical periods.



THE SECRET SERVANT. Daniel Silva. A conspiracy of terror in Amsterdam's Islamic underground targeting the daughter of the American ambassador exploring some of the most daunting issues of our times—war on terrorism, weapons the West uses to wage war and the time bomb ticking in the heart of western Europe.

STARDUST LOST. Stevan Kanfer. A look back into the rise and fall of the Yiddish Theater and its lasting mark on American theater, film and culture in general.

Gift of Dr. Suzanne Bralow.

TO THE END OF THE EARTH. Stanley M. Hordes. A history of the Crypto-Jews of New Mexico. In memory of Jane Isaacs, gift of Phyllis Isaacs.

25 QUESTIONS FOR A JEWISH MOTHER. Judy Gold. Extraordinary stories from over 50 women revealing a hopeful and very funny message to mothers and their children everywhere.

WITNESS. Ruth Gruber. One of the great foreign correspondents of the 20th Century tells her story with 190 of her own photographs. Gift of Phyllis Isaacs in memory of Jane Isaacs.

The Temple Library is open on Mondays, 9am to 1pm, Tuesdays from 10:00am to 12:00pm, Wednesdays from 1:00-3:00pm and Friday evenings before and after Shabbat Services.

Miriam Miller, Librarian

The Library Committee will be honored at the Library Shabbat on Friday, November 2.
The Oneg Shabbat will be sponsored by the Temple Beth Israel Library.

ARZA What is ARZA and What Do We Do?

ARZA, is the arm and voice of the Reform Movement in the United States, and endeavors to make Israel fundamental to the sacred lives and Jewish identity of Reform Jews. As a Zionist organization, ARZA champions activities that further enhance Israel as a pluralistic and democratic Jewish state.

In the United States, ARZA provides opportunities for Reform Jews to advocate on behalf of Israel in the public arena, learn about Zionism and issues affecting Israel.

In Israel, Reform Judaism is called Progressive Movement. ARZA supports the Progressive/Reform Movement's religious and societal efforts to transform Jewish religious life and open up Jewish religious expression with the Jewish homeland. In recent polls, most Israelis responded that they would prefer Reform Judaism over Orthodox or secularism. ARZA heard them loudly and clearly, and have created venues to reach out to those seeking a meaningful Jewish alternative to either a non-religious life or Orthodox Judaism. Twenty-five Reform congregations from Haifa to Jerusalem, from Tel Aviv to Beer Sheva, work together under the umbrella organization the Israel Movement for Progressive Judaism (IMPJ). The IMPJ supports more than 50 pre-school classes, a youth movement, and two kibbutzim grounded in our Reform tradition.

In nearly every facet of Israeli life we are working to improve people's lives and strengthen Israeli society. Thanks in part to ARZA's support:

- Immigrants from the former Soviet Union who are not considered Jewish by Israeli society are welcomed into every aspect of Jewish life.
- Hundreds of children are able to experience the joys of summer camp.
- Social action projects throughout Israel assist the needy.
- The IMPJ is able to hire Rabbis to serve the many growing Reform communities and reach out to new members.
- We are building Reform/Progressive synagogues, kindergartens, and community centers in cities and towns throughout Israel.
- The Israel Religious Center (IRAC) continues its vital work in the Knesset and the Supreme Court to ensure full civil and religious rights for everyone in Israel. Recently, IRAC played a leadership role in these important issues.
- Working to achieve full legal recognition of Reform Jews and Rabbis, in the "Who is The Jew?" debate.
- Investigating government-funded organizations that discriminate against minorities.
- Defending the civil rights of foreign workers.

Additionally, ARZA is the voice of Reform Judaism within two major international bodies in Israel – the World Zionist Organization (WZO) and the Jewish Agency (JA) – whose successful advocacy and lobbying secured significant funds for Reform/Progressive institutions in Israel. ARZA strengthens our movement's influence to represent the values and ideals of Progressive Judaism in Israel. Does the Union for Reform Judaism fund ARZA? Does our Temple's dues already support ARZA? The answer is "No" to the above questions. ARZA is an affiliate, but not a department, of the Union, which means that ARZA serves the Reform Movement, but is not funded by the URJ. Your Temple's dues do not support ARZA. ARZA is funded through direct contributions from its donors and membership dollars. That is the reason that every member of our Temple should be a member of ARZA. ARZA membership is still \$36, per year, per household. Our Temple Office can inform you if you added \$36 to your dues to join ARZA. *It is most important that every Temple Member be a member of ARZA.* If you have any questions, call Al Grossman at 377-8960 or our Temple Office.

Al Grossman, ARZA/World Union, Chair



Bima Honors, Onegs, Flowers and Kiddush

If you would like to participate in Friday evening or Saturday morning services call the Temple Office at 383-3428. To celebrate or commemorate a special event in your lives call **Selma Horowitz** at 346-8225 to sponsor flowers or a Friday evening Oneg Shabbat. To reserve a Saturday morning Kiddush call **Marsha Frank** at 383-3082.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, December 2
Chanukah Happenings

Tuesday, December 4
Chanukah Dinner

Friday, December 7
Veterans' Shabbat



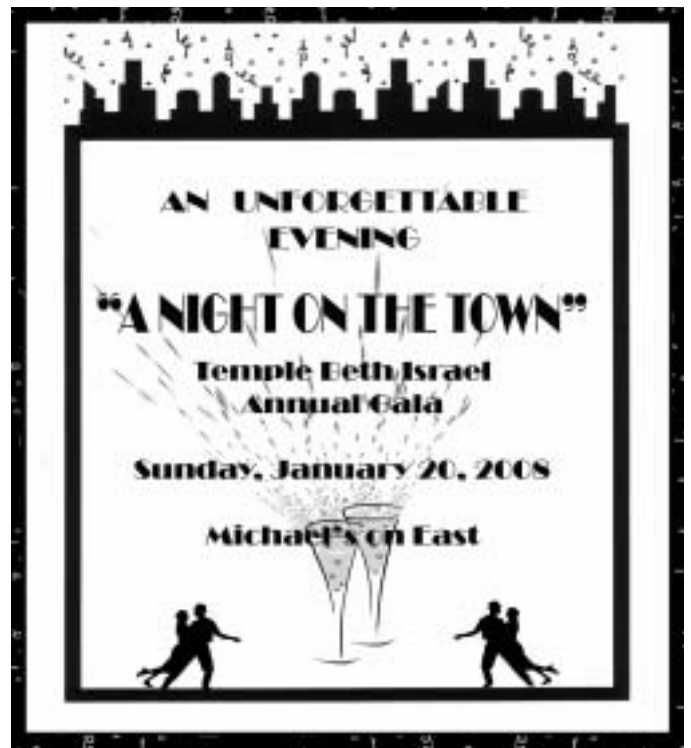
Sunday, December 9
Shalom Again Jazz Concert

Tuesday, December 11
Rabbi Meir Azari

Sunday, January 20
Annual Temple Gala

Tuesday, March 18
Opera Night

Saturday, March 22
A Night At The Ballet



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FOR ITEMS AND EVENTS APPEARING IN THIS MONTH'S BULLETIN

LUNCH WITH
THE RABBI



MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12
12:30 P.M.

To: Temple Beth Israel Men's Club, 567 Bay Isles Road, Longboat Key, FL 34228
Yes, Please save me a seat at Lunch with the Rabbi (reservations are required).

- Sign me up for Men's Club Membership for \$40.00.
- Sign me up for Lunch with the Rabbi (5 sessions) for \$30.00.
- I am already a subscriber and plan to attend the next meeting.
- I am not a subscriber but would like to attend the next meeting (lunch possible, but not guaranteed).

Name _____ Tel # _____

TAKE PART IN A
SHABBAT SERVICE



ACCEPT AN HONOR

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

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

- Gelilah (dress the Torah)
- Hagbahah (raise the Torah)
- Ark Opener/Closer
- Gabbai (assist Rabbi at Torah service)
- Aliyah (recite Torah Blessings)*
- Haftorah (read Haftorah portion)

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

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

Name(s) _____ Tel. # _____

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

MEN'S CLUB
SHALOM AGAIN
JAZZ CONCERT



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9
7:00 P.M.

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

Yes, please reserve _____ seats for me at Shalom Again Jazz Concert on Sunday, December 9, 2007, at 7 PM, at a cost of \$5.00 per person ,

Enclosed is my check for \$_____ payable to TBI Men's Club.

Name(s) _____ Tel # _____

BIW
BAKE SALE



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

To: Beth Israel Women, 567 Bay Isles Rd., Longboat Key, FL 34228

Yes, I will be happy to bake for the BIW Chanukah Sale on December 2, 2007.

Name _____ Tel# _____

Please call Alice Taich 954-3236 or Elise Galinsky 388-3609

CHANUKAH DINNER



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4
5:30 P.M.

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

Please reserve _____ spaces(s) for the Chanukah Dinner on Tuesday, December 4 at \$20 per person and _____ spaces(s) for non-members at \$25 per person,

Your check is your reservation and must be received by Monday, November 26.

My check for \$_____ payable to Temple Beth Israel is enclosed.

Name _____ Tel# _____