Jewish Federation
OF GREATER SANTA BARBARA

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FEBRUARY 2011
SHEVAT/ADAR 5771

BRONFMAN FAMILY JCC PROGRAM GUIDE - FOR ALL AGES AND STAGES

Ongoing Activities & Classes

The BFJCC will be closed on Presidents' Day, Monday, February 21

CARDIO DANCE FOR SENIORS
Suzy Kaufer
Mondays, 10:30-11:30 am

BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP
4th Mondays, 9:30-11 am
Feb. 28: *The Sheltering Sky*, by Paul Bowles

SIT & STRETCH Shirley Lehrer
Tuesdays, 1:15-1:45 pm

BRIDGE FOR BEGINNERS
Phyllis Keimach
1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 2-4 pm, Feb. 1 & 15

T'AI CHI CHIH Tony Johansen
Wednesdays, 9-10:15 am

YIDDISH Professor Arthur Schwartz
Wednesdays, 10:45-11:45 am

CONVERSATIONS ON CURRENT JEWISH EVENTS Rabbi Ira Youdovin
3rd Wednesdays, 12-1:30 pm, Feb. 16
Bring your lunch

DOING DOO-WOP Ron Sorgman
Learn to Sing in Harmony (even if you think you can't!)
Wednesdays, 2-3 pm

COMEDY CLUB FOR TEENS
Louise "Weezy" Palanker
Wednesdays, 4:15 pm, for 7th-12th graders

ASK MILT: OUR COMPUTER GUY
Milt Hess
Thursdays, 1-4 pm, by appt: 805.957.1115

LET IT GO YOGA/STRETCH YOUR BACK
Marcia Spranger-Gray
Fridays, 10:30-noon, bring a mat & blanket

SPA DAY WITH TOVA
Tova Morrison, *Licensed Massage Therapist*
Last Fridays, 10 am-3 pm, Feb. 25
Call for rates By appt only: 805.957.1115

GUITAR LESSONS Mike Witt
Various levels and styles, Monday-Friday
Rates/availability: 805.957.1115 x107

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FOR ALL JFS PROGRAMS AND APPOINTMENTS: 805.957.1116

COUNSELING
- For individuals, families, couples
- Consultation regarding eldercare

Located at 524 Chapala St. in Santa Barbara and in Los Olivos, by appointment
Info: Director Barbara Kuhn, LCSW, 805.957.1116 x115 or bkuhn@sbjf.org

SCHMOOZE ROOM Tuesdays, 12-1:15 pm
2/1: The Interludes: Doowop
2/8: Portraits of Survival & Mis Tres Caras
2/15: Pauline Reyes—Valentine Songs
2/22: Open Schmooze/Feb. Birthdays
Programs may change—call for latest information

VOLUNTEER PROGRAM
You can make a difference! Volunteer opportunities vary and can be tailored to your skills and interests.
For all volunteer opportunities, contact: Harriet Marx, Coordinator of Volunteers, 805.957.1116 x113 or hmarx@sbjf.org

PROFESSIONAL WORKSHOP
March 4, 8:30 am-4 pm
"When the Body Says No: Mind/Body Unity and the Stress-Disease Connection" with Dr. Gabor Maté. 6.5 CEUs & lunch included in price.
Info: www.angelawurtzelmft.com or www.jewishsantabarbara.org
Sponsored by AAMFT SB & Jewish Family Service

Portraits of Survival

SURVIVORS DISCUSSION GROUP
Thurs, Feb. 24, 10-11:30 am

MIS TRES CARAS/MY THREE FACES
Winter program: Holocaust survivors and other volunteer mentors with youth from **Daniel Bryant Youth & Family Treatment Center**.
Thanks to All Saints-by-the-Sea, Wells Fargo, Goleta Noontime Rotary Club, private donors, Art From Scrap for support, and to Samara Iodice and Cause for Action for filming.

DOCENT-LED GROUP TOURS
To arrange a tour or learn more about programs, contact Portraits Coordinator Corin Koren: 805.957.1115 or corin@sbjf.org
Gallery Hours: Mon-Thurs 9-5 and Fri 9-3

Young Adult Division (YAD)

SOCIAL NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR
Thurs, Feb. 10, 6-8 pm
Carr Winery, 414 N. Salsipuedes St., SB
Contact Coordinator Mike Witt: 805.957.1115, mwitt@sbjf.org, or jewishsantabarbara.org.
Join our e-mail list! **Ages 21-early 40s**

Special Events

AN EVENING OF DOOWOP
Thurs, Feb. 3, 7-9 pm *see other side*

TAUBMAN SYMPOSIA
Sun, Feb. 6, 8:45 am, Cong. B'nai B'rith
Judy Klitsner, Jewish Bible Scholar
"Slumbering Prophets and the Escape from Self: How the Book of Jonah Mines and Undermines the Story of Noah"

ANNUAL BOARD MEETING
Tues, Feb. 8, 5:30-6:30 pm *see other side*

HILLEL HALL OF FAME
Honoring Anne & Michael Towbes and Dale & Michael Nissenson
Sun, Feb. 13, 10 am-1 pm, 805-968-1280

MA'ALEH FILM NIGHT
Israeli films and speakers
Wed, Feb. 16, 7-8:30 pm *see other side*

ART AT THE JCC
The Fine Art of Tibor Gergely, *Golden Books illustrator*, **and Anna Lesznai**
Continues through Feb. 28, 2011
Coming March 13: "The Quilt: A Stitch in Time"

WOMEN'S PHILANTHROPY LUNCHEON
SAVE THE DATE! Wednesday, April 13
Fess Parker DoubleTree Resort

JEWISH FESTIVAL
May 15, 10 am-4 pm *see other side*

VIP LEADERSHIP MISSION TO ISRAEL
AND PETRA, JORDAN
April 27 – May 8, 2011
Explore Israel in a different way: wine and dine, meet people from different walks of life, gain a comprehensive understanding of the issues being faced in Israel today, and explore the direct impact our Federation makes through our Annual Campaign.
Only six seats left on the bus!
Info: Exec. Director Michael S. Rassler
msrassler@sbjf.org, 805.957.1115 x111

For More Information

Programs are held at the Bronfman Family JCC, 524 Chapala St, and are open to all, free of charge, unless otherwise noted.
For info and RSVPs:
Federation/BFJCC/*Portraits of Survival*
805.957.1115, info@sbjf.org
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www.JewishSantaBarbara.org

Vocal Music From the 50s & Early 60s

AN EVENING OF DOOWOP

Thursday, February 3, 7-9 pm

The Interludes

Singing together since 1960 and bringing Doowop to audiences around the country.

Gil Goldman, Harvey Robbins, Ron Sorgman, plus special guest musician

The Ronelles

From Ron Sorgman's 'Doing Doowop' JCC class

Wally Close, Dee Miko, Pauline Reyes, Ron Sorgman

In advance: $8 (seniors $4) At the door: $10 (seniors $5)

Food, soft drinks and wine will be available for purchase.

RSVP: 805.957.1115, info@sbjf.org
www.jewishSantaBarbara.org

Board of Trustees

ANNUAL MEETING

Tuesday, February 8, 5:30-6:30 pm

Meet the Board and hear more about our work, here at home and overseas.

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Israeli Film Night

A collection of short films from Jerusalem's **Ma'aleh School of Television, Film & the Arts**

Wed, Feb. 16, 7-8:30 pm

plus speakers Neta Ariel & Einat Kapach

Ma'aleh filmmakers are inspired by their Jewish heritage, connecting media and Jewish culture, and building bridges between religious and secular worlds. The burning issues of Jewish/Israeli identity are fearlessly yet artistically explored on screen.

Admission $5

Refreshments available for a nominal fee.

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Tributes

In Memory Of...(ז"ל)

Richard Goldman from Ellen Goldman
Grandpa Werner from Dan Engel
Betty Z. Levinson, mother of Lila & Joe Scher
Sam & Isabelle Sherman from Lynette Sherman Patters
Rochelle Schonfeld Mason
Abe Stone
Marvin Goldblatt from Charles & Gayle Rosenberg
Martin Suskin from the Suskin Family
Nat Raichelle
Margaret Rundlett
Theda Frank

Speedy Recovery

Mort Barrish
Claire Bachmuth
Mickey Plaut
Duffie Bart
Toby Parisse from Ellen & Harvey Silverberg

In Honor Of

Dale & Mike Nissenson from Harvey & Eileen Barish, Alice F. Holzman
Ari Lissauer from George Lissauer
Jon Kessler from Susan K. & Steven K. Kessler

Mazal Tov

Jere & Fima Lifshitz's anniversary from Ellen & Harvey Silverberg
Zoe Silverberg's birthday from Bubby & Zaidy

Bar Mitzvah

Adam Childs, son of Cantor Mark & Shari Childs
Eli Lux, son of Sheba & Matt Lux

TRIBUTES

To honor family or friends with a tribute or memorial, call 805.957.1115 or visit jewishsantabarbara.org

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SANTA BARBARA JEWISH FESTIVAL

Save the Date!

Sun, May 15, 10 am-4 pm
Oak Park

This is a community-wide event!
Please join us and get involved.
We're looking for:

VOLUNTEERS, VENDORS, PERFORMERS, INFORMATION AND ACTIVITY BOOTHS, AND CORPORATE & PRIVATE SPONSORS.

For info or to get involved contact:
Suzy Kaufer, 805.957.1115 x109
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