



## YOUNG ISRAEL OF TEANECK

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This week's newsletter is sponsored by anonymous persons in honor of Elaine's 50<sup>th</sup> birthday. Happy Birthday Elaine!

## Schedule

### Friday, December 23

Shacharit:	6:30a & 7:00a
Candle Lighting:	4:14p
Mincha:	4:20p (in Main Shul)
Carlebach Davening:	4:20p (in Beit Medrash)

### שבת, December 24

Shacharit with Drasha:	7:00a (in Beit Medrash)
Rambam Shiur:	following 7:00a minyan
Shacharit:	9:00a
Sof Z'Man K'S:	9:37a
Boys Mishna Shiur:	3:05p
<b>Ta'anit Chabura:</b>	3:25p
<b>Rabbi's Chumash Shiur:</b>	3:35p
Mincha:	4:05p, followed by
Seudat Shlishit:	Sponsored by Ma'adan
Shabbat Ends/Ma'ariv:	5:19p

## Mazal Tov

Mazal Tov to the Avi Baron on his Bar Mitzvah. Mazal Tov to his parents Todd and Deborah, and their families. The Barons invite the kehilla to a kiddush following the 9 o'clock minyan.

## Welcome

Welcome to Matt & Tamar Lowe who recently moved to Eastlawn.

## Words of Wisdom

Yesterday is History.  
Tomorrow a Mystery.  
Today is a gift from Hash-m.  
That's why we call it "The Present", Rabbi Paysach Krohn

## Sponsor an Issue

Would you like to sponsor an issue of the newsletter?  
Send an email to [newsletter@yiot.org](mailto:newsletter@yiot.org) for more information.

## Chanukah Festival

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual YIOT Youth Dept. Chanukah Festival - Sunday December 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00a-12:00p at YIOT. Volunteers needed. Sponsorships available!!

## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Journal Dinner

This year's dinner honoring Eunice and Mark Glassberg and Inbar & Jerrold Rapaport will be held on February 19<sup>th</sup> at the Fair Lawn Jewish Center. Ads are due by January 27<sup>th</sup>. Contact the Schechters for ad information.

## Sisterhood Event

YIOT Sisterhood presents a book review and discussion of "The Kite Runner" by Khaled Hosseini on February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2006 at 8:00p at YIOT. The discussion will be led by Dr. Gillian Steinberg, Assistant Professor of English at Yeshiva College. The event is free and open to men and women. For more information or to sponsor this event, contact Helen Faber Goldberg at 201-833-8946 or [helen@corenetassociates.com](mailto:helen@corenetassociates.com).

Sunday  
12/25

Shacharit:  
7:00a & 8:00a  
B. Kaminetsky's  
Rambam Shiur after  
7:00a minyan  
Mincha 4:20p  
Light 1 Candle Tonight

Monday  
12/26

Shacharit:  
6:20a & 7:00a  
Ma'ariv: 8:00p  
Light 2 Candles tonight

Tuesday  
12/27

Shacharit:  
6:20a & 7:00a  
Ma'ariv: 8:00p  
Light 3 candles tonight

Wednesday  
12/28

Shacharit:  
6:20a & 7:00a  
Ma'ariv: 8:00p  
Light 4 candles tonight

Thursday  
12/29

Shacharit:  
6:20a & 7:00a  
Ma'ariv: 8:00p  
Rabbi's gemorra shiur  
after Ma'ariv  
Light 5 candles tonight

Friday  
12/30

Shacharit:  
6:20a & 7:00a  
Candle Lighting: 4:19p  
Light 6 candles tonight  
Mincha: 4:25p



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### Gemilat Chesed

To volunteer for, or receive assistance from the Gemilat Chesed Committee, please call Hadassa Weinberger, Marsha Friedman, Eunice Glassberg, Devorah Schatz, or Robin Mendelson.

#### **SISTERHOOD DONATION CARDS:**

To order Sisterhood Donation Cards, contact Diane Spivak. All proceeds go to the Gemilat Chesed Fund.

#### **MAKING A MEAL:**

If you are interested in making a meal for someone who has just had a baby, or want to ensure that meals are being organized, please contact Tova Jeselsohn.

#### **NEW PEOPLE:**

If you know of any new people in the community or families thinking of moving in, please contact Nachi & Becky Troodler, Yitzie Farbowitz, or Pam Newman. We would like to welcome them properly. Nachi & Yitzie can also provide membership info.

### General Information

#### **BULLETIN BOARDS:**

Contact Jeff Traurig to have your announcement posted on the bulletin board.

#### **URGENT MESSAGES:**

If you have an urgent message for the Shul membership & need to use the Shul "phone tree", please contact any of the following people: Eli Goldberg, Cyla Steinmetz, Bonnie Silfen, or Cindy Feigenblum.

#### **CHEVRA KADISHA:**

Contact Elliot or Edyie Rosenfeld.

#### **MEMORIAL PLAQUES:**

Contact Howie Serman.

### Tehillim

YIOT hosts Tehillim on the first Monday of each month. For information contact Esther Gross or Hadassa Weinberger.

Come join the women in Teaneck reciting Tehillim on behalf of Eretz Yisrael and Cholim. Every Tuesday, 9:30-10:30am at the home of Debby and AZ Rapps, 1499 Sussex Road (corner of Warwick Ave.) Call (201) 837-9683 for more information.

### Shul Announcements

• Any member who did not receive the directory in March 2005, please contact Pam Newman.

• Checks for the Shul should be mailed to YIOT, 868 Perry Lane, Teaneck NJ, 07666.

### Riddle

**Question:** In which one of the following sections of Misheh Torah does Rambam discuss the details of the laws of Hallel? A) Hilchot Yom Tov; B) Hilchot Tefillah; C) Hilchot Chanukah; D) Hilchot Purim

Last Week's Riddle:

**Question:** The Gemara in Berachot posits that one only says a B'racha Acharona if one eats more than a k'zayit (the volume of an olive). The Gemara then says that R. Yochanan was seen making a B'racha Acharona after eating an olive, and he is questioned as to why by his students. They argue that he ate less than a k'zayit! Why is eating an olive considered to be eating less than a k'zayit?

**Answer:** One explanation is that an olive contains a pit which is not eaten, hence when one eats the flesh of the olive, he is eating less than the volume of an olive. The answer for R. Yochanan is that he ate an extra large olive, so that even without the pit it exceeded the shiur of k'zayit, which is the volume of an average-sized olive..

### Announcements

- A 23 year old young man in the Teaneck community has a serious form of cancer. He needs rides to Sloan Kettering Hospital (67<sup>th</sup> and York) to receive treatment during the week. He needs to arrive at 7:30p and leave at 6:30p. Call Hadassa Weinberger at 837-1520 or Devorah Schatz at 833-1350 if you can volunteer even if it is on an occasional basis.
- SINAI presents a "Pre-Chanukah Bake Sale" on Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00a - 1:00p at Ma'Ayanot (1650 Palisade Avenue). For more information or to sponsor, contact Sarah Rein at 201-797-9574 or Sandy Horne at 201-837-1848.
- Yeshiva Gedolah of Teaneck Chanukah Mesiba on Sunday, Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> 8:00p - 9:30p. (1443 Palisade Avenue). All are invited for music, refreshments, & latkes!
- Davar will host a Film Series featuring acclaimed films of Jewish interest, with discussion facilitated by the noted scholar of cinema and video, Dr. Eric Goldman. The second film in the series, FOCUS (USA, 2001), will be on Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> at 8:00p. For more info, contact Esther Feinberg @ 201-501-8037.

### Youth Announcements

#### **Groups Schedule (10:00a):**

12/24: Eli Kirschner/Josh Abergel, David Gross/Nachi Friedman, Nava Frankel/Rachel Mendelson, Ariella Pultman/Lauren Berger, Ariel Abergel

#### **Mishna Shiur for Boys (12/24): 3:05p**

#### **Upcoming Events:**

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### Shul Directory

The shul directory is being updated. Contact Yitzchak Handel at yiot@thehandels.com or 201-837-2844 with any changes or additions.

### Mikvah

If you are scheduled to use the Teaneck Mikvah on a Friday night or Yom Tov and would like to confidentially arrange to walk home with other women walking back to this side of town, please leave a message for Cyla Steinmetz at the following confidential voicemail number: 212-851-8953. Shabbat Shalom and Tizku L'Mitzvot.

### Dedicate S'farim

To dedicate a Sefer in honor of, or in memory of someone, please contact Jeff Traurig.

### Programs

The first annual Siyum Mishnayot is fast approaching. There are still a few choice Masechtot to learn. Use the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board or contact Harvey Schatz by phone (201-303-8963) or e-mail (harvey.schatz@pfizer.com).

### Reserve an Event

To reserve any event, including a kiddush at our shul, please contact Ari Greene.

To organize a kiddush you must then contact Steve Lauderdale, Alon Stempel, or Dan Leubitz. You can also email your request to kiddush@yiot.org.

If you need kibbudim for smachot you should also contact George Silfen.

To send information, email:  
**newsletter@yiot.org.**