NEVEH SHALOM JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2010 TEVET-ADAR 5770

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### From the Pulpit



Torah: In Word, Poetry, Music and Art: A Unique Neveh Shalom Project Whose Time Has Come - An Invitation to Join

Each week we explore the Parshat haShavua/ the weekly Torah portion through presentations at Shabbat services offered by rabbis at our main service or

by lay leaders at our Downstairs Minyan. We delve into the Torah's meaning through weekly emails, by means of Mark Sherman's song of the week, Priscilla Kostiner's introductory words at daily Minyan Monday and Thursday, with the dramatic creativity of Storahtelling or Divrei Torah at meetings. Each Bar/Bat Mitzvah offers his or her own interpretation of that week's Torah portion as part of his/her celebration.

We are now ready to expand the possibilities of Torah discovery to yet another level. Neveh Shalom member and religious school teacher Rosana Berdichevsky began with the kernel of an idea that she was bursting with excitement to share recently with Rabbi Greenstein and me. Why not use the internet to release the ingenuity of congregants to offer insights into the weekly portion in imaginative new ways inviting responses and reactions from fellow congregants?

As we considered the pros and cons of the many options available to us and caught some of Rosana's contagious enthusiasm, we determined that what would work best would be the creation of an opt-in Neveh Shalom list serve. At the beginning of each week one member of the list serve would assume the responsibility of uncovering a provocative verse, an idea, a single word, a detail, or a broad concept emanating from the Parasha and by means of a poem, photograph, illustration, musical presentation, short essay or whatever means available share his/her insight with the rest of the group. The insight might be historical or contemporary, archeological or political, social commentary or personal experience, P'shat or Drash.

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### "AND THE OSCAR GOES TO...

Join us Saturday Evening February 20th, 2010 For an evening of Dining, Auction and Dancing Benefiting Congregation Nevel Shalom

> Bid on amazing items such as: Orange Bowl Tickets Accommodations in Palm Springs A trip to Los Angeles

Master of Ceremonies: Doug Blauer Auctioneer: Spencer Rubin

Invitations will be in the mail shortly or purchase tickets online www.nevehshalom.org

Please contact Monica Brenner at mlbrenner@yahoo.com or Jo Ann Bezodis at jbezodis @nevehshalom.org For more information

We are still looking for great items for the auction, we would love to hear from you!

### <u>VACABOND OPERA</u> Saturday, January 16, 7:00PM SRR PAGE 8 FOR DETAILS

### From the President

Happy New Year! I hope your team won and that you're enjoying the winter weather. As we look forward to this New Year, there are certainly some challenges on the horizon. Your committees, board, staff and clergy are all working hard on meeting

these challenges and providing you with the best possible membership experience. Last year we heard loud and clear a desire to improve the communication between the Leadership and the General membership. Hopefully you have noticed an increase in communication via e-mail, newsletters and open committee and board meetings. There are a couple of key meetings I want to ensure you know about and participate in if you can. The Finance Committee will be holding a series of hearings during the first quarter to adjust the 2009-2010 budget and develop the 2010-2011 budget. This year is shaping up to look similar to last which ended with a deficit. I made a balanced budget a priority and we have made progress towards that end, but there are difficult decisions to be made. Ensure you understand how and why we make some of the tough calls by attending the Finance Committee meetings. These are tough times, but we are holding our own and want to ensure we continue to do so.

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### Melissa Diamond

January 22nd & 23rd



Mazel Tov to Melissa Diamond who is becoming a Bat Mitzvah on 1.22.10 and 1.23.10. She is the daughter of Julie and Tom Diamond, sister to Rachael and granddaughter of Mimi and Leonard

Lewitt of Portland and the late Michelle and Irving Diamond of Durham, North Carolina. Melissa is a 7th grader at Portland Zachary is a 7th grader at Stoller Jewish Academy and enjoys competing as a level 6 gymnast on the MJCC girls gymnastics team. She also enjoys drawing, baking and spending time with her friends.

### Sarina Jorgen Menashe

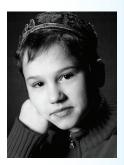
January 29th & 30th



Mazel Toy to Sarina Jorgen Menashe who is becoming Bat Mitzvah on 1.29.10 and 1.30.10. She is the daughter of Nace and Holly Menashe, Sister to Jacobson, Alexander and Nicholas Menashe.

and granddaughter to Carol Trucke and Lou and Bernice Menashe. Sarina is a 7th grader at Health Science School in Beaverton where she is an Honor Roll Student. Sarina's hobbies include riding horses, cheerleading, dancing, reading, and shopping with friends.

### Sam Perl Fox February 5th & 6th



Mazel Toy to Sam Perl Fox who is becoming Bar Mitzvah on 2.5.10 and 2.6.10 Sam's mother is Karrie Perl Fox and siblings are older brother. Jessen Perl Fox. and younger sister, Miriyam ('Mimi') Perl. Sam is a 7th grader at

Jackson Middle School and is an all around athlete who enjoys soccer, swimming and dancing. Sam particularly loves putting together dynamic dance routines and performing with friends and siblings.

### Zachary Coblens

February 12th & 13th



Mazel Tov to **Zachary Coblens** who is becoming Bar Mitzvah on 2.12.10 and 2.13.10. He is the son of Sarah and Ross Coblens, brother to Michelle, and

grandson to Myra and Hy Jackson and Jean Konick and the late Alvin Konick. Middle School and enjoys playing soccer, playing drums in his school band, taking classes at Northwest Children's Theater, volunteering with the St. Baldrick's Foundation to help cure childhood cancer and hanging out with his friends.

### Kvell With Us

Mazal Tov to Marge and Allan Sherman and Al and Berylann Strada of Atlanta on the birth of their 7th grandchild Sylvie Rose to Ken and Jennifer Sherman of Boston.

Mazal tov to Michelle and Aaron Bloom on the birth of their new baby girl, Lila Jane Bloom born December 6th, 2009.

Mazal tov to Jamie and Jacob Harper on the birth of their baby boy Ruben Isaiah, born on December 15th. 2009. Proud grandparents are Stephen and Muncie Harper of



Santa Rosa, CA and Mort and Terri Simon of Portland, OR.

Mazal tov to Marsha Spellman and Adam Haas on being given an Award for Telecommunications Excellence by the Oregon Telecommunications Coordinating Council.

Mazal Tov to **Denny** & Barbara Shleifer who were married at Temple Beth Shalom in Las Vegas on October 8th.



#### Women's League

Women's League presents Dr. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward on Thursday, February 11. Dr. Hayward will be our speaker to discuss the many issues of media reports and accuracy on women's health issues. Do you have a question about recent media reports, are you unsure of what you are being told, do you understand what "they" are telling us? This is your opportunity to get the facts correctly and understand what you need to be your own health care advocate today. This program is at 7:15 pm at Neveh Shalom, in room 102. Join us. For more information, please contact Susan Sutherlin at susanmsutherlin@hotmail.com.

Healing Service: 10:50am 11:50am Saturday January 9th at Neveh Shalom. Join Ilene Safyan and Rabbi **Greenstein** for an intimate service of melody and prayers expressing physical, emotional, and spiritual healing. All are welcome!

### Tu b'Shvat is coming

and Neveh Shalom is going to combine a celebration of Tu b'Shvat with the First Friday Shabbat Dinner on Friday, February 5th. Join our Friday family dinner and Shomrei Teva, Neveh Shalom's environmental team, as we weave Tu b'Shvat into our regular monthly Shabbat dinner. For more information, contact Jordan Epstein, 503-245-6580 or yaakovm@comcast.net.

### Jewish Film Club . . . . . . . . .

Sunday, Jan. 31, 3pm, Room 102 Every 4-6 weeks we gather to enjoy Jewish themed films and to discuss afterwards. Refreshments served. Those interested in being on the email list (and to RSVP) contact Paul or Joan Sher at Joanzsher@aol.com or Paul at sherpohsu@aol.com. • • • • • • • • • • • • • •

### Feldstein Library

**Library Hours:** 

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

8:30 am to 1:30 pm

Wednesday evening

5:00 pm to 8:30 pm when Religious School is in session

Sunday

8am to noon when Religious School is in session Looking forward to seeing YOU!

### From the President

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The Cantorial Transitional Committee and the Process Review Committees are both engaged in interesting and significant work. You may have participated in surveys from both of these committees. The PRC should have some far-reaching recommendations for the Board of Directors in the first quarter. It has been interesting to watch as this committee shapes our Congregation's approach to staff and clergy, with regard to personnel management. I believe it will be a major accomplishment, significantly improving the management of our congregation and viewed as a model by others in the Conservative movement. It is important to remember that it was born out of turmoil and dissatisfaction with our previous process and in the end may serve to weave a closer, more unified Congregation. The CTC is also working hard to answer some very difficult, basic questions, like "who are we?" They are making progress as they try to develop a consensus regarding the choices that exist about the various Cantorial alternatives. I will report more next time.

Doug Lenhoff

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Then the other members of the list serve could think about the insight offered and comment, expanding on the stimulus of the original presentation. In this way we could gain from each other. Some members of the list serve might choose just to be observers, but our main goal would be to enlist as many active participants as we could interest—individuals who would assume the responsibility of stimulating the discussion on a particular Parashah and others interested in commenting.

Aren't there other congregations who are engaging their congregants similarly, we asked each other? None of us could think of any. So we may be breaking new ground in Torah and technology and we are anxious to give it a shot.

If participating in such a program excites you, please send an email to Rosana at rosberd@comcast.net. She will collect the names of our Founding Members. We will then get help from our IT people and create the list serve, which we anticipate will stimulate sufficient response that the membership will increase to include everyone who wants to share in this creative endeavor and learn Torah. Rabbi Daniel Isaak



Celebrate Purim
with Neveh Shalom

Saturday evening, February 27
Festive Persian Dinner 5:30 pm
Ma'ariv & Megillah 6:45 pm

Join us for dinner AND entertaining, lively and festive Megillah reading

(or one or the other, whatever your schedule allows). Dinner: Adults \$14, Children \$7, family household max \$42. RSVP to office by Wednesday, February 24 at 12 noon.

Sunday morning, February 28

Shoreshim Families & Religious School Children celebrate
Purim 9 am – 12 noon

More details to follow via email & mail.



### Events

### VACABOND OPERA

Alerting all music lovers found and old vagabond opera offers an evening of lively neo-cabaret saturday, January 16, 7:00PM

Wintertime Blahs Got You Down? Come have a Roaring good time! Vagabond Opera, a six-piece Portland group, was created by Eric Stern in 2002. They are at the vanguard of an increasingly popular neo-cabaret phenomenon, drawing inspiration from Duke Ellington, Frank Zappa, Marlene Dietrich, Yiddish Theater, Vaudeville, and Burlesque. Vagabond Opera presents a lively, eclectic program of theatre and lyrics in 13 languages, passionate offerings of Bohemian cabaret for young and old, Ukrainian folk-punk ballads, and klezmer. Tickets at the door, \$20. Discounts available for tickets purchased by January 8. Call the office for details, 503-246-8831 x100.

Proceeds benefit the Neveh Shalom Choir and Youth Groups

Preconcert tickets: Adults \$18; Seniors and youngsters (0-18) \$15; Family Special \$60 for 2 adults and all the kids in your household. Call 502-246 8831 to reserve yours. At the door \$20.

See the flyer in this edition of the Chronicle or online at http://www.nevehshalom.org/flyers/vagabond.pdf



#### **DAILY MINYAN**

Zidell Chapel Monday - Friday 7:15 am Rosh Chodesh 7am Sundays and Holidays 9:00 am

### SHABBAT JANUARY / **FEBRUARY SERVICES**

Fridays, 6:15pm Saturday Shabbat Services 9 am

#### TOT SHABBAT

1st and 3rd Saturdays, 10:15 am NO Tot Shabbat Jan. 2nd

#### SHABBAT SCHOOL

for 6th Graders **Every Shabbat** Will resume January 23, 2010

#### KEHILLAT NOAR

1st -5th Graders Youth Congregation 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 10:15 am

#### **DOWNSTAIRS MINYAN**

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays, in the Zidell Chapel 9:30am 3rd Shabbat at the Robison Home If you would like to lead the davening for Shaharit, Torah, or Mussaf please call Mark

### KEVA with Rabbi Greenstein

Sherman, 503.245.0571

First Saturday of every month

10am- 11:45am

### Special Guest Speaker on the Story of **Ethiopian Jewry Comes to Portland**

The Institute for Judaic Studies along with the Religious School and Israel Affairs Committee of Neveh Shalom invite you to join us for an unforgettable evening with Ambassador Asher Naim. Ambassador Naim's talk is entitled, "The Behind the Scenes Story of Operation Solomon: The Exodus of Ethiopian Jews to Israel-then and now."

Ambassador Naim is a retired member of Israel's Foreign Ministry. He served as Israel's Ambassador to Ethiopia in the 90s and oversaw Operation Solomon, the daring and miraculous airlift of thousands of Falashas to Israel. He also represented Israel at the UN to address the "Zionism equals Racism" issue, succeeding in the repeal of this infamous resolution. It is our honor to host an evening with Ambassador Naim, Wednesday, January 20, 7-8:30 pm, Stampfer Chapel. FREE and open to the community. For more details please call 503-244-4473.

### Refuah Shlema

Réfuah Shelema, a speedy

recovery to:

Alan Budner, Irwin Holzman, Phil Kane, Bob Leibman, Joe Maser, Josh Stein

### Welcome to New Members:

Ann Adleman, Sylvia Allen & Martha Shelley, Blair & Darlene Halperin, Michael Levine & Hilde Price-Levine, Howard Rosenbaum & Marcia Kahn, Eric Simpson & Dana Kostiner Simpson, Joseph & Erica Spindel, Neil & Sharon Wenger, Ori & Ayellet Wolman, Jennifer Zitomer

### **Eleanor Fischer** Dial-In Service

Only available when services are in the main Sanctuary. If you are unable to attend Shabbat Services dial in to hear them. Call 503.246.8832

### **Erev Shabbat** Services

All Erev Shabbat services are at 6:15pm.

Each 6:15 service has a distinct flavor of it's own. We invite you to sample:

1st Friday-Kabbalat Shabbat Singing Service with Ilene Safyan (monthly Shabbat dinners will resume in February, reservations required).

3rd Friday-Chik Chok- A layled "Carlebach-style" service (followed by dinner with reservations required).

2nd, 4th and 5th Friday-Kabbalat Shabbat Service

#### Children's Shabbat Services

What: Tot Shabbat for families with children ages 0-5 years in the Zidell Chapel at 10:15 am Led by Jordan Epstein (1st Sat) & Levia Friedman (3rd Sat) Kehillat Noar for families with children in 1st-5th grades at 10:15 am Led by Amy Katz & Gershon Liberman (alternating)

When: Resumes January 16th, 2010. Regularly, 1st and 3rd Saturdays/month at 10:15 am (check weekly e-blast for updates)

Celebrate Shabbat together with family and friends in these warm, inviting family friendly services. \*\*Tot Shabbat & Kehillat Noar will conclude with a JOINT KIDDUSH in the Zidell Chapel following services\*\*\*

### Kindle the Sabbath Candles

Ba-rukh atah A-do-nay, e-lo-hay-nu me-lekh ha-olam a-sher kid-sha-nu be-mitz-votav ve-tzi-van-nu li-hadlik ner shel Shabbat. Blessed art Thou, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, Who has sanctified us by Thy commandments, and has commanded us to kindle the Sabbath lights.

### JANUARY CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

Friday, January 1st	4:20pm
Friday, January 8th	4:27pm
Friday, January 15th	4:35pm
Friday, January 22nd	4:45pm
Friday, January 29th	4:54pm

### FEBRUARY CANDLE LIGHTING TIMES

Friday, February 5th	5:05pm
Friday, February 12th	5:15pm
Friday, February 19th	5:25pm
Friday, February 26th	5:35pm

Kol-ha-kavod
Every simcha is special. Congratulations to our many members who are celebrating in January and February. In particular, Mazel Tov to the following members who are celebrating special milestones!

### Milestone Birthdays

Marilyn Abend Joni Cady Martha Decherd Shirley Gintz Sarah Greenstein Sharlene Harvey Milton Hasson Irwin Holzman Nicole Kaufman Rosy Levy Janet Menashe Toinette Menashe

Darryl Mleynek Justin Morris Mary Peizner David Sanford Bill Shields Kenneth Shine Xuan Sibell Diane Solomon Herman Wolff Peter Wolochow C.J Yonover Susan Bernstein

Stanley Eastern Robert Fordham Robert Ginsberg Sondra Greenberg Mrs. Meri Gurevich Russ Israelov Raul Krivoy Joshua Mitnick Harvey Platt Sam Shapiro Elliot Wahba Irwin Yablok Merritt Yoelin

### Milestone Anniversaries

Stanley & Jacqueline Constantine Harry & Mary Goldhammer Marc & Robin Shapiro Mark & Gail Sherman Robert & Mara Shlachter

Teresa & Thomas Coughlin Izrail & Sarra Dekhtyar Abby Landon & Richard Stark Lee & Jane Mopper

### Panim el Panim

### Panim el Panim makes connections for Members



Ever wondered who in your neighborhood also belongs to Neveh Shalom? It may be more people than you think! It may be your down-the-street neighbor! A great way to find out who your Neveh Shalom neighbors are is

by accepting our invitation to a Panim el Panim home gathering in your area. Most gatherings are organized by zip code so you will have the opportunity to meet others who live close to you and share your synagogue connection. Make a new friend, establish a carpool, arrange a playdate for your children. So check your email or mail for our invitation today! Contact PEP coordinator Caron Blau Rothstein for more details, crothstein@nevehshalom.org or 503-246-8831 x139.

### Kabbalat Shabbat Service & All Member Fírst Fríday Dínner

There will be no First Friday Dinner on January 1 Join us next month... Friday, February 5, 6:15pm

Join Rabbi Greenstein and Ilene Safyan for 6:15pm Shabbat Singing Service to be followed by a kosher Shabbat family style dinner. Everyone is welcome. \$14/adults, \$7/children ages 10 & under, \$42/



family max (parents & dependent children). RSVP by noon on Wednesday, Feb. 3 (or \$5 convenience fee per person applies). Call the office at 503.246.8831x100, CNSreceptionist@nevehshalom.org. Save the date for our next dinner, March 5.

### Membership Committee

### **Pancakes Pancakes** If You Please!



On Sunday, February 7th the Membership Committee will be proudly hosting a Pancake Breakfast for the Members. Now. I love these events. It's a great time to eat

pancakes, visit with friends, schmooze, catch up, and find out what people are or are not getting from their membership at CNS. The pancakes are yummy, too! The beauty of these events (Barbecue, Chanukah Party, Pancakes) are that they come at a really great price-free!

Now, how do we do this? Provide all this food for all of these Jews? Wow! Thanks to the Sylvia Pearlman Fund, that's how! The problem is, the amount has been dwindling in this fund. The good news is, we have developed a way to reload this fund, and to give one lucky family a FREE membership to CNS for 2010! SO if you purchase a Raffle ticket (of which only 150 will be sold) for \$54 (or 2 for \$90 as I did! Such a deal! Save Chai!) you are helping CNS continue to bring the membership great food and programs!

Well, let me know how many tickets you would like! And we hope you all had a great New Year!

#### Mitchell Elovitz,

Membership Committee Member If there's anything our committee can do to help you feel more connected, please email me at elovitzclan@comcast.net

### Save the Date!

### **REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!** 4TH ANNUAL "WEEKEND IN QUEST"

A Shabbaton of Study and Fun at the **Beautiful Oregon Coast** February 5-7, in Astoria, Oregon

Featuring Professor Judith R. Baskin of the University of Oregon. Topic: Insiders & Outsiders: Who is the OTHER? Biblical & Rabbinic Views of Gentiles, Converts, Women, and Servants. Presented by: The Institute for Judaic Studies in cooperation with Congregation Beth Israel, Congregation Havurah Shalom, Congregation Kol Ami, Congregation Neveh Shalom, Congregation P'nai Or, Congregation Shaarie Torah, Congregation Shir Tikvah and The Florence Melton Adult Mini School.

### Notes from Shomrei Teva



A Tu b'Shvat Reflection: Tithe It All, Yes All

Friday evening, January 29, 2010, is Tu b'Shvat. Following is an adaptation by Barak Gale of Deuteronomy 14:22-23, the basis for the Talmudic designation of Tu b'Shvat as the New Year of the Trees.

"You are to tithe, yes, tithe, all the produce of your seed-sowing, of what comes forth from the field, year after year ..."

Tithe all the fruit of your labors, income, energies, skills, knowledge.

Tithe for My orphaned species whose mother-forests have been chopped down, Douglas Fir, Redwood, ancient Red Cedar.

Tithe for My widowed sea bird who can no longer find her nest.

Tithe for My impoverished earth--poisoned, stripped, scarred, dishonored. Tithe for My impoverished children suffering with asthma, forced to breathe

Tithe for My impoverished children suffering with asthma, forced to breathe foul air.

Tithe for the sake of My future tenants.

Tithe it all, yes all, to preserve the field from which it came.

Tithe by working your compost pile and watch My amazing worms squiggle in action.

Tithe it by surprising Me with yet greater mileage in your vehicles, that I may kvell in your ingenuity.

Tithe by bicycling or taking the train to work, and then notice My trees swaying in the wind.

Tithe it by bragging about the post consumer content of your paper, rather than its cranberry or pumpkin color.

Tithe by using less, by doing with less.

Tithe it all, "in order that you may learn to hold the Eternal, your God, in awe, all the days."

Chag Sameach
Jordan Epstein

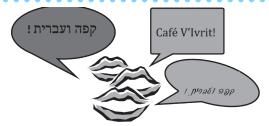
### Darfur Awareness

### Neveh Shalom Says Never Again: Darfur Awareness Committee Update

"There may be times when we are powerless to prevent injustice, but there must never be a time when we fail to protest." Elie Wiesel

As Jews, we have a special obligation not to stand quiet in the face of atrocities like the genocide in the Darfur region of Sudan. The Neveh Shalom Says Never Again Darfur Awareness Committee is our Congregation's active and present voice to raise awareness and bring change for the people of Darfur. We ask you to add your voice and support to our cause by participating in these committee sponsored activities and events.

- Join the Postcard Brigade. Receive monthly updates on the situation in Darfur and stamped and addressed postcards for you to sign and mail. Join the Brigade by emailing postcardbrigade@gmail.com.
- Wanted: Your enthusiasm, your ideas and your voice. Bring them to our upcoming Darfur Awareness Committee meetings. Mark your calendar for Wednesday, January 13th at 7:30pm and Wednesday, February 10 at 7:30pm at Congregation Neveh Shalom. Questions? Email greenstein\_sarah@ vahoo.com.
- Visit **The Never Again Coalition** website at http:// nwneveragain.weebly.com/. Get details on Portlandarea events and activities as well as resources on Darfur and genocide.
- Call 1-800-GENOCIDE once a day or once a week for the opportunity to tell your elected officials to give aid to the people of Darfur.



### Hebrew Learner? Hebrew Speaker?

Join other adults (ages 18 to 120) for Coffee, Refreshments, and Social, Educational, and Intellectual Conversation

--in Hebrew— at the all-new Café V'Ivrit.

--in Hebrew— at the all-new Cafe V Ivr

Now with TWO facilitated groups:

Lomdim (Learners\*) & Dovrim (Speakers)!

\*Lomdim should have a year of conversational Hebrew learning under their belts.

3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of the Month at Congregation Neveh Shalom 7:30-9:00 p.m. in Zidell Chapel Monday, January 18 & Monday, February 15

Suggested donation \$5-\$10

Contact: Mel Berwin, michaelvmel@gmail.com 503-246-8831

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### vaad Shel Chesed Group

## Chesed Creating a Caring Community Sundays, 10:00am, in the Board Room Jan. 10, Feb. 7, Mar. 14



Chesed is the virtue of loving-kindness. The Chesed Committee is a dedicated group of people who support our Neveh Shalom community people in need. We visit people, cook meals, and provide rides for those in need of care

and healing. We meet one Sunday each month to discuss what tradition has to teach us through text, learn practical tips about how to comfort people, and process our experiences. We would love to have you join us and be a part of our growing team! Keep us in mind if you need our caring support. For more information or if you are interested in joining the Chesed Committee, please contact **Barbara Barde**, Chesed Chair: 503.293.1222 or Barb@bardepdx.com or come to our next group meeting.

### MEMBERSHIP RAFFLE

to benefit the Sylvia Pearlman Membership **Enhancement Fund** 

Buy a chance to win a full year membership at Neveh Shalom for the 2010-11 membership year.

> Winner to be announced January 16 \*not necessary to be present to win

For more information contact Michelle Caplan at mcaplan@nevehshalom.org

You must be 18 years or older to participate in games of chance

### Camp Solomon **Schechter Scholarships**



New this year! The Judith and Garry Kahn Camp Solomon Schechter First-Time Camper Fund will provide up to 10 first-time Schechter campers from Oregon and Southwest Washington with

a \$180 Camp Solomon Schechter tuition discount. Contact registrar@campschechter.org if interested.

Applications for scholarships for the 2010 summer sessions of Camp Solomon Schechter are available in the synagogue office. The synagogue has a number of tribute funds from which scholarship monies come. These funds can be contributed to in honor of happy occasions or in memory of a loved one. Check the tribute pages of the Chronicle for names of the funds. Because of the limited nature of the funds available, full scholarships cannot be given. Scholarships are given on the basis of need only, not merit and an explanation of need is necessary for funds to be allocated.

Please contact Michelle Caplan, 503.293.7305 or mcaplan@nevehshalom.org to obtain a scholarship application or for further information. Applications must be submitted by February 19, 2010 in order to be considered.

### Annual Giving Campaign

### If Not Now, When? Today & Tomorrow אם לא עכשו, אימתי? היום ומחר

The final installation in the "Jewish Giving" study series for this year's campaign... Thank you to ALL donors and participants in our education lectures who have helped us reach our 2009-2010 Annual Giving goal for this year!

For the past several months we've shared stories of ordinary people performing acts of tzedakah according to levels established by the great scholar Maimonides. Or, as we like to say, we've been climbing Rambam's (an acronym for Rabbi Moses Ben Maimon, Maimonides) rungs. We conclude our series with a game. See if you can rank the following acts of tzedakah.

- You give to the Jewish Federation. You don't know which agency will receive your dollars, and the agency itself does not know the names of individual donors.
- В. You organize a canned food drive for the Oregon Food Bank.
- You anonymously donate three new laptop computers to a C. school in a neighborhood in need.
- You donate your hair to an organization that makes wigs for children with cancer. You receive a thank you note from the little girl who will wear the wig with your hair.
- E. You volunteer with an organization that provides job skills to disabled individuals.

While all of these acts are heroic examples of tzedakah, according to Rambam the order goes like this: E, A, C, D, B.

For a complete listing and explanation of Maimonides's eight levels visit: http://www.myjewishlearning.com/practices/Ethics/Tzedakah. For more information about the Annual Giving Campaign, or to donate click on the website at www.nevehshalom/giving.org, contact **Wendy Kahn** at rifkashira@comcast.net. May we all continue to climb Rambam's rungs together!

### Kochavim & Notz'tzim

It's that time of year again, cold and rainy and dark, when we're all wishing for a little light and sun and warmth.

Our answer? Join us for the 2nd annual Dead Sea Spa Day, this year on SUNDAY, JANUARY 17!!

Here's how it works: You form a group with 6-10 other friends or let me help you find a group, you let me know who is in your group and reserve your 90 minute time slot for Sunday, **January 17**, starting any time between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. You send your checks to confirm your registration, and then - this is the best part - in the midst of cold, dark winter, you come and enjoy a very warm, relaxing, invigorating day of spa treatments: yoga, hand and foot massage, hot tub, and delicious middle-eastern refreshments. We had rave reviews last year from Spa Day and know you'll enjoy the day too!

Todah Rabah to our Kochavim Advisory Committee, who help with planning for this event and many others! Carol Biederman, Michelle Caplan, Cindi & Jared Gellert, Sarah Greenstein, Amy Katz, Jenn Director Knudsen, Marsha Lipets-Maser, Rich Meyer,

Mark Zeitzer, and Youth Education liason Jason Kaufman.

NEW SCHEDULE for Notz'tzim Hebrew Music programs for 0-4 year olds and their parents! Check the website or email **Mel Berwin** for more

**Mel Berwin**, 503-452-6890 or michaelvmel@gmail.com



### Lunch Bunch for 65+

Tuesday, Jan. 12, 12 noon Lydia Corran of Ride Connection will address our Lunch Bunch group on the services they provide in the Portland Area. Enjoy a spectacular KOSHER lunch for only \$5 per person ages 65 and older, \$8 for under 65. Reservations required. RSVP by noon on Monday, January 11 to the office at 503-246-8831 ext. 100 or CNSreceptionist@ nevehshalom.org

Mark your calendar for next month's lunch on Tuesday, Feb. 9 at 12 noon.

### Women's League



Are you a Women's League member? We are planning programs for everyone. We look forward to seeing YOU at one of our programs. Our Gloria Bacharach Judaica Gift Shop is stocked and ready for your gift giving needs. Are you attending a wedding, B'Nai Mitzvah, or do you just want to SHOP? For more information, contact **Stefani Cozine**, 503.296.8622 or **Samantha Johnson**, 503.482.5142. You can volunteer with us, shop with us, tell your friends about us. We'll see YOU at our SHOP.

On Thursday, February 11, Dr. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward will be our speaker to discuss the many issues of media reports and accuracy on women's health issues. Do you have a question about recent media reports, are you unsure of what you are being told, do you understand what "they" are telling us? This is your opportunity to get the facts correctly and understand what you need to be your own health care advocate today.

Join us on **Friday, March 12**; we will celebrate our annual Women's League Shabbat. Our members will do the service, in both Hebrew and English. Please contact **Dana Sirkin**, 503.454.0610 to participate with us. **Addie Banasky** will set up our Oneg after the service. Be a part of this wonderful Shabbat experience.

Join us on **Sunday, March 14**, for the Marianne Wollstein Memorial Mah Jongg tournament. Details of this program will be forthcoming, stay tuned for details. This is always a successful, fun event.

Our Potluck and Planning meetings are set for January and February. On Wednesday, **January 13** and **February 10** at 6:30 pm, join us for our monthly Board meeting. This is your way to reach us, to tell us your ideas. Everyone is welcome; contact me, 503.626.6611 for meeting location or agenda information.

Susan Sutherlin President, Neveh Shalom Women's League

### Men's Club



On January 10th, the Men's Club will host author and cooking instructor **Mr. David A. Gabbe**. Mr. Gabbe started teaching vegetarian cooking in 1990 and has authored five books including *David's Pure Vegetarian Kitchen, The Going Vegetarian Cookbook and Why do Vegetarians Eat Like That?* Studies have shown that eating a vegetarian diet improves

our health by lowering blood pressure, cholesterol levels and the risk of heart disease among other modern ailments. We invite you to join us for a lively discussion about healthier eating.

Our own Rabbi Greenstein will be our guest speaker on Sunday, February 21st.

Hold the date and send in your registration!!! Back by popular demand the Men's Club Texas Hold-'Em Poker Tournament will be held on **April 18th**. Dinner starts at 4:45 PM and the games begin at 5:30 PM. The proceeds from the tournament will be used to provide for youth education scholarships and the synagogue's capital campaign. Look for our flyer and we hope to see you and your friends there.

To get a glimpse of our activities, we encourage you to visit the synagogue's website to look at the photo gallery and view pictures of our recent Men's Club activities. To access these pictures link to the "About Us" drop down menu and click the Photo Gallery tab.

If you would like to join Men's Club and participate in any of the activities of our group or have suggestions for activities that might be of interest to you and your friends, please contact our membership chairman, **Jeremy Kelter** at timberlineadvisors@ comcast.net.

We look forward to seeing you at our next event.

Dr. Bruce Stern and Gabe Markiz, Men's Club Co-Presidents.

### Mothers Circle

### Mothers Circle Awarded Grants



The Mothers
Circle Portland is a program for nonJewish women

raising Jewish children. Coordinated locally by Congregation Neveh Shalom, our Mothers Circle is in its second year. Last year sixteen women completed the course, and this year we have seventeen women enjoying the program, facilitated by congregant Lois Shenker. These numbers may seem small but these women are impacting not just themselves but their spouses, children and extended families. The program has been funded through generous grants from the Jewish Federation of Greater Portland's Innovation Impact Fund, the Oregon Jewish Community Foundation (OJCF) and the Oregon Jewish Community Youth Foundation. We are excited to announce the recent receipt of two new grants from OJCF from their Community **Endowment Fund and Supporting** Foundation. We thank supporters of JFGP and OJCF for their vision and support to enable us to keep this vital program available for our community. To learn more about Mothers Circle contact Coordinator Caron Blau Rothstein, crothstein@nevehshalom.org, 503-246-8831 x139 or log onto www. TheMothersCircle.org.

## THE GLORIA BACHARACH JUDAICA SHOP AT CONGREGATION NEVEH SHALOM

Whew! Hannukah is behind us and it is time to regroup. We want your input. If this was your shop (and it really is!) what would you do? Do you have ideas for merchandise, hours of operation, attracting volunteers? Please come by the shop and share your ideas in our new suggestion box or email me your ideas. Thanks for your continued support.

Stefani Cozine skcozine@gmail.com



### Youth @ CNS

### Greetings from Neveh Shalom Youth Services!

Now that we find ourselves in the middle of the school year, I have found myself reflecting on what has passed and where we are going as a community. The past few months have been so exciting for me as the youth director and an educator here at Neveh. I have had the great fortune of attending quite a few B'nei Mitzvot-B'nai Mitzvah recently (more than I think I did in my own Bar Mitzvah year)! Many of them have been for students that I have known since I first came to Neveh. It has been such a treat to witness their growth and maturity into young Jewish adults, prepared to take on the mitzvot and responsibilities of being a modern Jew in the world.

In many ways this class of 7th graders is one of the strongest youth communities I have witnessed as an educator. They all are close, attending each other's simchas, tragedies, life cycle events and (of course) spend every Wednesday night with each other at our teen school, and come to Kadima youth events. They are a true "chevre", a community of friends. I am so excited to witness them growing up as teens here, and continue the traditions and energy of our amazing current bunch of NSYers in the teen youth group.

We at Neveh take pride in partnering with families in helping to raise young Jewish adults to take leadership within the synagogue and the Jewish Community as a whole. After B'nai Mitzvah, the world opens up for us as Jews. Besides following and living the mitzvoth, we also have new opportunities to engage with our fellow Jews in Synagogue life, and in the community. Our own youth programs have taken advantage of this aspect in the Jewish life cycle, opening up our teens to programming both at the synagogue and outside. Events like taking our Jr Kadimanicks to fun spots throughout the city, or holding events with our friends from other synagogues such as the joint Rock Band event with Beth Israel and the citywide Teen School events with fellow Jewish teens from across Portland. We also take special pride in our NSYers getting to know the community through social action and community events. Though these interactions we are able to strengthen our own Jewish identities by learning from our commonalities and by taking pride in what makes us unique.

I am so proud to be part of a synagogue that sets such as great example for our young Jews as leaders in the community, and as a place that believes in the strength of its individuals, and the power that we create when we come together. I am excited to see where our strength will take us in the future.

B'shalom,
Jonathan Emanuel
Youth Director



If I was to describe the last few weeks in NSY in one word it would sound something like this: Ummm.... Amazing! Okay so that's two words but technicalities are not the least bit important

right now. What's truly important is the fact that NSY is quickly becoming the hottest ticket in town. Nowhere else in Portland can you find late-night "Krispy Kreme" filled Chanukah parties, which happens to be one of the events we recently held (and had a blast at!) at Neveh. But that's not even the best part. We have so many events lined up right now we've almost lost count. We've got Blazer games, cook-offs, Purim dances, and rock climbing! So much fun we can't even contain ourselves! I'm shaking with excitement just typing this right now! If you're a Jewish teen in Portland we want you to join us at these events. And if you're a Jewish adult in Portland there are other things you could be doing (did someone say BINGO NIGHT!?) Parents who are reading this please get your child involved in NSY. We're having such a great time at these events, the only thing that's missing is you! If you have any questions at all, feel free to contact ME, Shawn Rosenthal, at shawnmeister@comcast.net. We are also always making flyers and setting them out at Neveh so please take a few and give them to your friends. Thank you so much for your time. Again, please don't hesitate to email me!

### Kadíma

We had a rockin' good time with Kadima this month as we played in a Guitar Hero

competition with Jews from all over the city. Competing against the high school students from Neveh Shalom and Temple Beth Israel we rocked our socks off and had a great time. We have so many incredible programs planned in the next few months including a trip to the Portland Art Museum and a Kadima only overnight. Please stay tuned for further information!

If you have any questions or would like more information about Kadima (open to all 6th-8th graders) please contact **Jonathan Emanuel** at jemanuel@nevehshalom.org.

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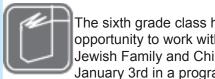
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### School @ CNS

### Religious School



The sixth grade class has the unique opportunity to work with Corinne Speigel from Jewish Family and Child Service on Sunday, January 3rd in a program about Disabilities.

Corinne brings her many years of experience to the class as the kids and their parents learn, firsthand, what it is like to have certain disabilities like dyslexia or impaired vision. Awareness that people with disabilities prefer to be seen for their individuality, not their disability, is an essential part of this presentation. An example of this is instead of using the term "the disabled", it is better to say "people with disabilities". The stress is on people's humanity, not their disability. One can be specific when referring to a person's disability. For example, use "a person with cerebral palsy" or "a person who uses a wheelchair" versus "physically challenged" or "handicapped". In addition, the terms "handicapped", "physically challenged" and "differently abled" are discouraged; they are no longer used or accepted by the disability community. "Handicapped" derives from "cap-in-hand," a beggar's stance. People with disabilities do not wish to be compared to beggars. Again, many thanks to Corinne for her compassionate and highly engaging lessons for our youth and their families.

### Foundation School



Brrr... it is wintry outside in January and Foundation School children will be experiencing this beautiful season of whirling snowflakes, smiling snowmen and warm cuddly scarves and mittens in their classrooms together. Just as the dark

days of winter get long the Jewish Holidays of Shabbat Shira (the birthday of birds) and Tu B'Shvat (the birthday of trees) come to lift our spirits. We have two special guests coming to enrich our study of trees this month -Sandy Reid from the "Tree Talk" program and JoAnne Raiton, Bonsai Tree expert and former Foundation School Morah. On January 29th we will gather with families for an All-School Shabbat when our 3 year olds will perform songs about birds and trees. February will find us dressed as Kings, Queens and grumpy old Haman in preparation for the fun holiday of Purim! Classes will bake delicious hamantaschen cookies and we'll shake our groggers noisily together whenever we hear Haman's name. The Foundation School Purim Parade takes place on Friday February 26th and is always a favorite event for families to attend.

Shalom.

Morah Jan Skolnik & Morah Kathy Wolfson

Susan Bernstein

### Young Family Programs @ CNS

### Neveh Shalom Babies

### **Happy New Year!** We hope your year is off to a great start!

Playgroup: Our Fall playgroup was great and the kids all had a great time playing! We will be starting another playgroup Wednesdays February 3 - March 17, 9:15-10:15am with a few changes. If you're interested in getting involved in the playgroup please contact Mindy or Caron.

Parent ed: Thank you to Mel Berwin for leading our December workshop and thank you to all who came! It was a great workshop and we learned a lot about the meaning of Hanukkah and making it meaningful! Please join us for our upcoming January & February workshops. January 12, 7pm will be "Scrapbooking 101: Making Jewish Memories," led by Linda Cohen. February 25th, 7pm will be "The Taming of Nosher, the Cookie (or Cake) Monster" on engaging your young children in healthy Jewish cooking led by Pat Friedlander. Mark your calendars for the March workshop on March 16th, 7pm on raising a child with Jewish financial values led by Kim Rosenberg. Please contact the office or **Mindy** to sign up. Cost: \$5/workshop.

New Babies Shabbat: Please mark your calendars for the New Babies Shabbat on February 27th. All babies born in 2009 will be celebrated and welcomed at this special Shabbat morning service. If you welcomed a new baby to your family in 2009, please contact Caron or Mindy so we can make sure you receive an invitation.

First Babies: To be included on the listserv for First Babies, please contact Mindy to let her know.

For questions or more information, please contact the chairperson, Mindy Zeitzer at

### Seeking all 2009 Babies!

If you had a child or a grandchild born in 2009 please contact Outreach & **Engagement Director** Caron Blau Rothstein, crothstein@nevehshalom.org, 503-246-8831 x139. Our annual New Babies Shabbat is Saturday February 27, and we want to ensure your new baby is included. Check the weekly e-blast for further details.



### Young Family Programs @ CNS continued WINTER FAMILY FUN FEST

### Shoreshim

Shoreshim joined the congregation in celebrating Hanukkah with crafts and a gelt-filled sand table at the All-Member



Hanukkah Celebration in December. We have some fun activities this winter coming up as well! Join us and the community on January 24th from 1-3pm at the Winter Funfest at the MJCC. In February we will be having some fun at the All Member Pancake Breakfast on February 7th. Shoreshim will have some special pancake fun for little ones from 9-10:30am. Come in you PJ's and fill up your tummies! Finally, this year, our Purim celebration will be on Sunday MORNING,

February 28th, alongside and with the Neveh Shalom Religious School. Check your emails in the coming weeks for more details.

Tot Shabbat services continue the 1st and 3rd Shabbat of each month, followed by a joint Kiddush with Kehillat Noar, please join us. Families are invited to sponsor a Kiddush to celebrate a special occasion. There is NO Tot Shabbat January 2nd.

Shoreshim is privileged to have a great group of volunteers for the 2009-10 programming year, but are always welcoming additional help. If you are interested in creating programming that your family will love join us! Contact Rachel Pines at rachelpines0@gmail.com or Sarah Zakreski at sjbz pdx@yahoo.com.

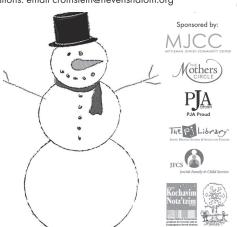
The Winter Family Fun Fest is the perfect excuse to get out of your pajamas and out of the house on a rainy winter Sunday afternoon. Keep the kids happy with an indoor playground, art projects, stories, singing, and more. Bring your friends. Let the kids have a great time and make some new friends of their own!

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### Special Guest Song Leader Kim Palumbis

Ages: 0-5 yrs. Sunday, Jan. 24, 1:00 - 3:00 PM At the MJCC, \$5 per family

RSVP requested 503.244.0111. Walk-ins welcome Questions: email crothstein@nevehshalom.org



### Lifelong Learning

Unless noted, all classes open to the public, free admission, held at: Congregation Neveh Shalom,

2900 SW Peaceful Lane, Portland, OR 97239. RSVP to 503.246.8831x100

#### TEXT STUDY

#### Bible Class with Rabbi Stampfer

Thursdays, 4:30-5:15pm

These informal study sessions offer the opportunity for lively discussion of Bible passages being studied. The class is ongoing and participatory. Registration is not necessary, admission is free. Confirm meeting dates with the Neveh Shalom calendar, or call the office at 503.246.8831.

#### Talmud Class with Rabbi Stampfer

Tuesdays, 5-6pm

Judah Goldin said, "A great novel enables us to see visions, the Talmud enables us to hear voices." Studying the Talmud is like listening to conversations of rabbis who lived 2,000 years ago. Their talk is witty, profound and vastly important to the development of our people's culture. Join Rabbi Stampfer as he interprets their conversations to make them more understandable and timely. The class is ongoing. Registration is not necessary, admission is free. Confirm meeting dates with the Neveh Shalom calendar or call the office at 503.246.8831.

#### **JEWISH LIVING**

#### Walking with Life

Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30pm, 12 weeks

Spring: January 20 - February 24

Join Rabbi Daniel Isaak as he leads us through this third installment from the AJU Rabbinic Studies curriculum. "Walking with Life" reveals insights and deeper meaning behind the Jewish Life Cycle events through the many stages and varieties of human living and Jewish values. Be challenged and stimulated as we explore the pluralism of Jewish diversity throughout history; with open-minded, critical study and discussion.

#### **HEBREW**

#### Cafe V'Ivrit

Monday, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, Mar. 15, 7:30pm Coffee, Refreshments, and Social, Educational & Intellectual Conversation IN HEBREW for adult Hebrew learners and speakers. 3rd Mondays at Neveh Shalom, 7:30pm. Suggested donation \$5-10. For more information, contact **Mel Berwin** at michaelvmel@gmail.com.

#### **NEW SHABBAT MORNING SERVICE**

#### **KEVA** with Rabbi Greenstein:

1st Saturdays, 10:00-11:45am

Jan. 2, Feb. 6, March 6, Apr. 3, May 1

 Join us for Neveh Shalom's newest Shabbat morning service. We study, we sing, we meditate and engage deeply in prayer together. KEVA is for adults and kids of every age, no experience necessary. Bring your friends! KEVA...a little time for your soul. For more information or to get involved please contact Rabbi Brad at bgreenstein@nevehshalom.org.

#### **BOOK DISCUSSION**

#### **Book Talks with Facilitator Gail Sherman**

Thursdays, 7:00pm

Jan 14, 21, and 28, Room 111

Join a book discussion on the current work of the best-selling author of, "I Never Promised You A Rose Garden," Joanne Greenberg. Greenberg will be reading from her most recent novel, "Miri, Who Charms" on February 25, at 6:30pm in the Reed College Psych Auditorium. Juxtaposing girls growing up in Denver's Orthodox enclave, friendship, questions of love, and spelunking, Greenberg's most recent work, like her earlier fiction, features contemporary characters, like Jews who might live down the street from us, lovingly and sharply observed in the middle of ethical self-discovery. Leading up to this talk, Prof. Gail Sherman of the English Department at Reed will lead discussions of Greenberg's work on three successive Thursday evenings in January at Neveh Shalom. January 14: Love, Marriage, and Desire in "A Season Of Delight."

January 21: Fathers, Sons, and Moral Adulthood in "Appearances."

January 28: Charm and a Nice Jewish Girl in "Miri, Who Charms."

Books will be available through the Neveh Shalom library, as well as by

ordering through the gift shop, or Annie Bloom's bookstore.

### Tikkun Olam

### Career Transition Network Wednesday Mornings, 7:45am

Susan Goldstein, an experienced career transition consultant/coach, facilitates this no-cost networking group for individuals seeking to expand their network in specific industries, organizations, communities, or jobs. There is no long-term commitmentattend when you can. If you are looking for a job, your network is the best path to that next position. For details contact **Susan** at 503.880.1473

### **Donate Your Car to Neveh Shalom**

Thank you to our recent donor:

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You can receive a tax write-off by donating your unused or unwanted vehicle, running or not. Call the JoAnn in the Neveh Shalom Office for more info: 503-293-7309, or jbezodis@nevehshalom.org.

### Shomrei Teva Needs You! Creekside Restoration Sunday Jan. 17, Feb. 21, Mar. 21, from 9-12

Help Shomrei Teva remove invasive plants at our Creekside Restoration Site. The non-native invasives, which we worked hard at removing, continue to re-sprout. One or two more good efforts before the fall rains would greatly help our "garden". Come on out, bring family and friends, and remove invasives like clematis, English ivy, Himalayan blackberry, and morning glory. You can pull weeds by hand or bring a small digging tool. We have gloves if you don't. Dress for the weather. Questions? Call Jordan Epstein 503-245-6580 or email yaakovm@comcast.net.

### **Food Barrels**



Neveh Shalom has 2 food barrels benefiting Neighborhood House and the Sunshine Pantry. Bring in your non-perishable food items to the barrels located in the Religious School Hallway and in the foyer outside the

Zidell Chapel.

Thank you for your generosity!

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### Think Green

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(let us know if you would like to forego your paper version to save trees)



#### **Outside In**

The following volunteered at Outside In cooking in November: Alex Meyer, Marcia Meyer, Joyce Mendelsohn and Ingrid Welter. We prepare a meal each month to benefit homeless and troubled teens. If you would like to join us, please email Head Chef, Aviva Zigman at ajzigman@hotmail.com.

### Support Neveh Shalom while shopping!

Got an Albertson's Card or Safeway Card? Name Neveh Shalom as your Community Partner and a portion of all your purchases will support the synagogue. This does NOT cost you any money, so it's WIN-WIN! No computer skills necessary. Send JoAnn Bezodis the following information and she will take care of the rest. Contact JoAnn Bezodis at 503-293-7309 or jbezodis@nevehshalom.org.

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Yossi's Closet is ready for sharing. Borrow a boy's suit for any synagogue occasion. We have shirts, pants, shoes, and suits. We only ask that you dry-clean any borrowed suit before returning it. Save money & the environment! We accept donations of suits in "like-new" condition, as well as shirts and shoes. To donate or to borrow please call **Stephanie Arnheim** at 503-539-2602 or stephanie@getusafit.com

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### In Memoriam

We mourn the loss of synagogue members:

### Leonard Barde Daniel Glatzer

May her soul be bound in the bonds of eternal life.

#### **CONDOLENCES**

Our condolences to our members and their families, Blair Halperin on the death of his mother; Renee Halperin Robin Bacon Stone on the death of her mother; Thelma Yetta Beck

**David Kabaker** on the death of his wife **June Utanya** and **Sophia** and **Jared Kabaker** on the death of their mother.

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Nadya Glatzer on the death of her husband Daniel Glatzer and Rina Glatzer on the death of her father.

Abby Guyer on the death of her father.

May their memories be a blessing.

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9:30am Men's Club	6:30pm Choir/RS/Youth	7pm Making Jewish Memories -	4:30pm Notz'tzim	4:30pm Bible Class		7:30pm VAGABOND OPERA
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9am 2nd Grd Tu b'Shvat Seder	Fundraising Mtg.		6pm High School & Dinner	Baking Workshop  7pm Book Talk w/ Gail		SHABBAT SHIRAH
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### CONGREGATION NEVEH SHALOM FEBRUARY 2010/5770 SHEVAT-ADAR

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			7pm Long Range Planning Mtg	7:15pm TASK Meeting	b'Shevat Seder	10:15am Kehillat Noar
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Restoration	6pm IJS Annual Meeting		6pm High School & Dinner	7pm CNS Babies Workshop:		5:30pm Erev Purim Shushan/ Masquerade Dinner
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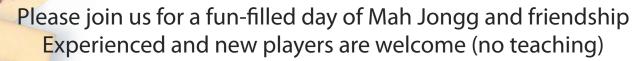
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# Congregation Neveh Shalom Shabbat & Tu b'Shvat Dinner

Friday, February 5, 2010

Join us at our monthly first Friday Kabbalat Shabbat Singing Service followed by a special delicious kosher dinner with Tu b'Shvat ritual foods.

Members and prospective members welcome.

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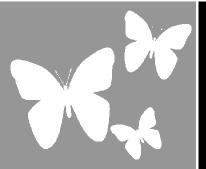
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### Scrapbooking 101:

### Making Jewish Memories, Learning to Scrapbook

A NS Babies Workshop



What do you do with all the photos of your children and family? Are they exiled for eternity on a digital memory card or stacked in a pile of prints you intend to do something with "one day"? With a commitment of less than a few hours a month you can create a lasting keep sake that you can enjoy again and again with your family. If you have ever wondered about scrapbooking or have only dabbled in it before, come and share a wonderful evening of schmoozing and learning how to simply and easily create a scrapbook for your Jewish memories.

### January 12, 7pm

#### Location:

Congregation Neveh Shalom 2900 Peaceful Lane Portland, OR 97239 503.246.8831

Cost: \$5/family

Led by: Linda Cohen Congregant Linda Cohen has been an avid scrapbooker since her daughter Gabrielle now 12 was born. She has over a dozen scrapbooks and will share her secrets of how to enjoy this fun and important hobby of documenting your family's life. Linda will provide examples and tips about how to be the memory keeper for your family in a creative and enjoyable way.

### NS Babies' Scrapbooking 101: Making Jewish Memories Workshop sign-up

Make check payable to Congregation Neveh Shalom and send to address below with tear off or call office 503.246.8831

Name(s):	
Address:	
Phone:	Email:



## MEN'S CLUB

# TEXAS HOLD-'EM POKER TOURNAMENT SUNDAY APRIL 18, 2010

### CONGREGATION NEVEH SHALOM, BIRNBACH HALL

DINNER 4:45 PM

TOURNAMENT 5:30PM - 9:30 PM

PROCEEDS BENEFIT YOUTH EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS & THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

### THREE LEVELS OF SUPPORT ARE AVAILABLE

- 1. EVENT SPONSOR 2 REGISTRATIONS, LARGE SIGNAGE AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT. \$250
- 2. Table Sponsor 1 registration, table signage and acknowledgement. \$100
- 3. PLAYER 1 REGISTRATION \$50

## REGISTRATION DUE DATE APRIL 12, 2010

REGISTER NOW TO HOLD YOUR SPOT FOR THIS FANTASTIC EVENT. YOUR REGISTRATION INCLUDES A:

- PASTA DINNER, THREE FREE WINE OR BEER TICKETS COMPLIMENTARY SOFT DRINKS, SNACKS AND TOURNAMENT PLAY.
- EVENT IS OPEN TO MEN AND WOMEN 18 AND OLDER.
- THE TOURNAMENT WILL BE PROFESSIONALLY MANAGED BY WILD BILL'S AND YOU WILL BE PLAYING FOR FABULOUS PRIZES DONATED BY MEMBERS AND BUSINESSES IN THE COMMUNITY.
- IN ADDITION THERE WILL BE A DOOR PRIZE DRAWING AT THE END SO YOU'LL WANT TO STAY AND PLAY.
- ADDITIONAL BUY-INS FOR CHIPS ARE AVAILABLE AS WELL.
- ➤ IF YOU GO BUST, STAY AND PLAY FOR FREE TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS.

### MEN'S CLUB TEXAS HOLD-'EM POKER TOURNAMENT

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OF THIS FORM BY **APRIL 12, 2010** TO: NEVEH SHALOM MEN'S CLUB C/O HAROLD LESCH

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