Northern New Jersey Region – FJMC Twenty-fourth Annual

Man of the Year/ Youth of the Year Dinner 2013/5774

FACTO

Wednesday, November 6th, 2013 Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael, Springfield

> Wednesday, November 13th, 2013 The Grand Marquis, Old Bridge



BE IN A POSITION OF STRENGTH"

To be in a position of strength is to set yourself apart from the rest and turn simple visions into phenomenal success stories. WithumSmith+Brown congratulates this year's Man of the Year honoree, Andy Mendlowitz, for exemplifying the true spirit embraced by the Men's Club, Congregation Beth Ohr. His success will influence the leaders of today and tomorrow.

We are pleased to support Congregation Beth Ohr and Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs for their dedication to involving Jewish men in Jewish life.

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Program for the Evening

Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael - November 6, 2013 The Grand Marquis - November 13, 2013

6 PM

Check-in, Registration, Social Hour

7:30 PM

Ma'ariv Service

National Anthems

D'Var Torah

Club Man of the Year / Youth of the Year Presentations

Jeff Schulman, Regional President, Congregation Neve Shalom, Metuchen Joel Kurtz, Executive Vice-President, Congregation B'nai Israel, Toms River

Regional Man of the Year Presentation

Dave Millman, Temple Israel, Ridgewood

9:00 PM

Dessert is Served.

We would like to thank Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael and The Grand Marquis for their help making these dinners successful!

Thank you for attending.

Please Drive carefully and arrive home safely.

2013/5774 Men's Club Award Recipients

MAN OF THE YEAR

YOUTH OF THE YEAR

Elliott BrownNorthern New Jersey Region	
Andrew GoldsteinBeth El Synagogue – East Windsor Jennifer Chairnoff,	
Benjamin Pincus	
Ned Gladstein CONGREGATION AGUDATH ISRAEL - Caldwell	
Fred Weil Congregation B'nai Israel - Toms River Sean Haimowitz	I
Congregation B'nai Jeshurun - Staten Island Hannah Bruschi	
Allan Katronetsky CONGREGATION B'NAI TIKVAH - North BrunswickJason Shindler	
Aron Richman CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL - Scotch Plains Lisa Simon	
Andy Mendlowitz CONGREGATION BETH OHR - Old Bridge	
Matt Bonus CONGREGATION NEVE SHALOM - Metuchen Jennifer Greenberg	
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Cantor Bruce Siegel CONGREGATION TORAT EL - Ocean	
David Julis EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER - East Brunswick	
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 Northern New Jersey Region – Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs

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A message from our Regional President

November, 2013 Cheshvan 5774

Chaverim,

Welcome to our Man of the Year / Youth of the Year Dinners for 2013. Whether you are joining us at Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael on November 6, or you are with us at The Grand Marquis on November 13, we are all here for the same reason, to thank the Men and Youths in our Community for the time, effort and hard work that they all do in order to make our Jewish lives better. I join you in thanking them, and in thanking Elliott Brown, our Regional Man of the Year, for all of the things that they do.

In a larger sense, however, I want to thank each of you for being with us for this event. The NNJR Man of the Year / Youth of the Year Events are not just for the people we have chosen to honor, it's for all of us. Our event is not only the signature event of the Northern New Jersey Region, it is also the largest annual Conservative / Mastori Dinner in the State of New Jersey, one that is anticipated by attendees every year, and one that the leadership of the NNJR look forward to planning every year. We love planning this event as much as you love attending.

My primary goal as Regional President is to make our clubs stronger. It is only with vibrant clubs, and with men who strongly identify with those clubs that we have a strong region. We continue to provide club officer training and working with many of you on extending the FJMCs successful Hearing Men's Voices programs to your clubs. We will be having our bi-annual Regional Retreat in June, 2014 to develop and expand the relationships that continue to our make Region stronger. In addition, we visiting with clubs throughout the region and have spoken with many club Presidents. We want to know what you need help with and we want to know what you are proud of. Together, we will work together, share ideas, build friendships and grow stronger. Together, we will continue to build a 21st Century NNJR that we will pass down to our children and to their children.

Just as running your clubs is not a one man operation, running the NNJR requires the dedicated work of many people. I am very proud of our Regional Officers, Exec VP Joel Kurtz, Regional VP's and District Roshes Elliott Brown, Dave Yellin and Denis Vogel, Communications VP Harvey Hershkowitz, Financial VP Rob Blitzer, Treasurer Marc Bunis, Financial Secretary David Julis, Recording Secretary Matt Bonus, Honorary President Dave Mandell, Past Regional Presidents and Trustees. This is a group of dedicated guys that has taken to heart my charge to them, everybody works but nobody works alone. These are the guys that live, eat and breath Mens Club and these are the guys that I am proud to call my friends.



WHAT IS FJMC? THE FEDERATION OF JEWISH MEN'S CLUBS?

The mission of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs is to involve Jewish men in Jewish life. We improve the quality of Jewish life; contribute to the enhancement of our Conservative Jewish identity locally and world-wide; strengthen and build local Jewish Men's Clubs; and increase membership for the purpose of providing excellence in education, training, and social and community activity. Today there are over 25,000 members from Men's Clubs across the United States and Canada. We are growing every day. We are

improving Jewish life every day.

Rabbi Samuel M. Cohen created the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs in 1929 as the National Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs of the United Synagogue of America. Rabbi Cohen brought together leaders from existing Men's Clubs to foster an interchange of ideas and to help them focus on their common needs. Since that time, the FJMC has continued to evolve and currently consists of hundreds of Men's Clubs in Conservative congregations in eighteen regions in North America.

From 1945 to 1985, the late Rabbi Joel S. Geffen (z''l) guided the FJMC. He was engaged by the Jewish Theological Seminary to travel throughout North America in order to expand the influence of the Seminary and to build future synagogue leadership through Men's Clubs. As a result of this strong relationship, the leadership of the FJMC also developed a strong attachment and working relationship with the Jewish Theological Seminary. This relationship with the Seminary and all of the constituent organizations in the Conservative/Masorti Movement remains strong today, fostered by current FJMC leadership and by Rabbi Charles Simon, who joined the FJMC in 1983 as Executive Director.

A major effort of the FJMC is to provide tools and skills to our Men's Clubs. This process began in the late 1930's with the publication of the first Men's Club "President's Manual" and has continued to date. Club and Regional Officers manuals are continuously revised to meet the current changes in the Jewish Community. The current Club Officers Manual is available through the Northern NJ Region.

In addition to these leadership materials, the FJMC has created many exciting programs. Our book and program series "Hearing Men's Voices" contains information on relationships between fathers and sons, men's health issues and interfaith marriages. Our "Art of Jewish Living" series includes books on Shabbat, Passover, Chanukah and Mourning issues. And then there are our videotapes including "Inbound Mercy" program dealing with teenage drunk driving and "The Ties That Bind", a poignant tape taking you through the meaning of wearing Tefillin, the incredible feeling you get from wearing Tefillin and the connection with the Almighty. The World Wide Wrap, now in its eighth year, has grown from this initiative. FJMC programs and materials are highlighted on the FJMC website. Please visit it at: http://www.fjmc.org.

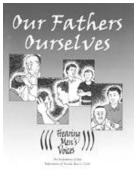
The FJMC plays an important role in the worldwide Conservative/Masorti movement. The current FJMC President, Myles Simpson and Rabbi Charles Simon, our Executive Director, sit on the Leadership Council of Conservative Judaism. The council is composed of the leaders of the Jewish Theological Seminary, the Rabbinical Assembly, the United Synagogue for Conservative Judaism, Women's League and the FJMC. The Leadership Council meets four times a year to determine the agenda of the Conservative Movement. In addition, the FJMC President sits on the boards of other Conservative Movement organizations including the Jewish Theological Seminary, the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, Mercaz and Masorti Olami, the World Council of Synagogues. Outside the Conservative Movement, the FJMC also maintains a NGO seat at the UN.

To learn more about what you can do to improve the quality of Jewish life, contribute to the enhancement of our Conservative Jewish identity, strengthen and build local Jewish Men's Clubs, contact your Men's Club President today! If you're a Club President, you should know and talk with your Northern New Jersey Region liaison frequently. You can find them on our regional website at: <u>http://www.nnjr.org</u>.

"WORKING TOGETHER, WE CAN DO SO MUCH MORE" ...HINEI MA TOV U"MANAYIM...

Hearing Men's Voices

A Set of Six Programming Books from FJMC



OUR FATHERS, OURSELVES

The first installment of the Hearing Men's Voices series explores men's roles in the Jewish family and provides programming ideas to help men better understand and strengthen their relationships with their fathers and children.

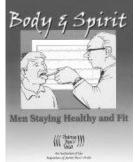
fathers and children.

VOICE

The third installment in the Hearing Men's Voices series focuses on men's spiritual lives and examines the nature of our relationships with God. The book consists of more than a dozen lesson plans designed to stimulate discussion in these areas.

BODY & SPIRIT

The second book in the Hearing Men's Voices series discusses health issues that concern men and provides tips on how to live healthier and happier lives.



WORK & WORTH

Groundbreaking essays on the significance of work in men's lives. Includes structured program ideas to explore work-related topics in your community. Covers everything from security issues to workplace ethics, illness, and the loss of a job.





BUILDING THE FAITH (KERUV PART I)

A Book of Inclusion for Dual-Faith Families

The issue of intermarriage confronts us as a community and within our own families. How do we reach out to encourage these families to increase their involvement in Jewish life?

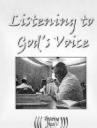
LET'S TALK ABOUT IT (KERUV PART II)

Let's Talk About It is the second part of the FJMC's discussion of the issue of intermarriage that confronts us as a community and within our own families.



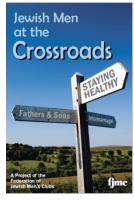
These books are available through your NNJR Club Liaison or by on-line ordering from the FJMC website.

No club should be without these outstanding programs



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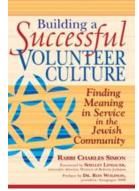
Other Books from FJMC



JEWISH MEN AT THE CROSSROADS

- How do we explain the disappearance of men from the Jewish community?
- Why do so many of today's Jewish men find their experience in the synagogue unfulfilling? Indeed why do they stay?

Jewish Men at the Crossroads addresses these and other questions facing modern Jewish men — everything from intermarriage to co-parenting, sexual dysfunction to retirement, the role of men in a post-feminist world to the role of God in men's lives. Jewish Men at the Crossroads is **essential reading** for today's Jewish man.



BUILDING A SUCCESSFUL VOLUNTEER CULTURE – FINDING MEANING INSERVICE IN THE JEWISH COMMUNITY

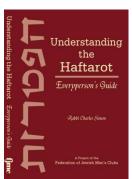
Cultivating successful volunteers in the twenty-first century is increasingly more challenging. Budgets are tight, hands are few, and competition for a person's discretionary time is severe. How do you develop and maintain the volunteers who are essential to the vitality of your organization and community? What can you do to avoid volunteer burnout?

Rabbi Charles Simon draws on over thirty years of professional experience to provide you with the resources you need to build and retain a thriving volunteer culture for your organization - regardless of size or complexity.



INTERMARRIAGE: CONCEPTS & STRATEGIES FOR FAMILIES AND SYNAGOGUE LEADERS

If family members and community leaders wish to become engaged in the process of Keruv they often need to ask, "Does Keruv have an ideology and theology? And if so what is it?" Then they need to learn how to respond to intermarriage from the perspective of both gender and religion. This publication reflects the most current thinking about intermarriage to date and attempts to provide family members and community leaders with the needed understanding to effectively work with intermarrieds or potential intermarrieds.



UNDERSTANDING THE HAFTAROT: AN EVERYPERSON'S GUIDE

In this stimulating and unusual book Rabbi Charles Simon, Executive Director of the FJMC, provides the reader with the context to understand how the haftarot were organized, why they might have been selected and suggests reasons for finding meaning and value.

Did You Know That FJMC Offers Tefillin?



The wearing of tefillin is a continued catalyst for Jewish spiritual growth. It is a highly personal act that serves to reinforce Jewish identity. The FJMC is dedicated to providing kosher tefillin at reasonable prices. We carry tefillin in several sizes and styles. We also offer all of our tefillin in both right-handed *(for righties)* and left-handed *(for lefties)* varieties. All of our tefillin are made in Israel. For more information about tefillin and for suggested program ideas utilizing tefillin, visit FJMC on the web at:

http://fjmc.org/index.php?option=com_virtuemart&page=shop.browse&category_id=19&Itemid =131

DON'T FORGET TO START PLANNING YOUR WORLD WIDE WRAP PROGRAM NOW. REGISTER YOUR CLUB WHEN YOU GET BACK FROM THE DINNER, BEFORE SHABBAT. IT IS EASY. IF YOUR CLUB HAS NOT PARTICIPATED IN THE WORLD WIDE WRAP BEFORE, CALL YOUR NNJR LIAISON OR ANY BOARD MEMBER. LET US TELL YOU WHAT IT TAKES TO WRAP AND ROLL.

Register (or look at photographs of last year's New Jersey Wrappers) at:: http://www.worldwidewrap.org/

At that website, you can find out about the latest FJMC Tefillin Programs, developed by Torch Award winning clubs, such as "Team Tefillin" and "Build-A-Pair". If you want to make your religious school principal deliriously happy, don't wait – look for this symbol!





YOM HASHOAH YELLOW CANDLE PROGRAM Always Participate Never Forget the Six Million 28 Nisan 5774– April 28, 2014 Zachor! G'dank! What is the Yellow Candle[™] Program?

The Yellow Candle was conceived in 1983 by FJMC Clubs in Massachusetts and Canada to help keep alive the memory of the Six Million Jews who perished in the Holocaust. It is modeled after the traditional Jewish memorial candle that burns for 24 hours during mourning periods and on the anniversary of the death of a family member.

The candle's yellow wax and symbol depict a Jewish star and strand of barbed wire to remind us of the yellow arm band Jews were forced to wear during the Nazi regime. The photo on the candle shows youngsters departing a concentration camp and emphasizes the importance of teaching our youth the lessons of the Holocaust and of remembering the Six Million.

Interest in the Holocaust is at an all time high. In an age of terrorism and violence, more and more people are sensitive to the fact that genocide is not a private matter limited to the Jewish community. For Jews especially, world events (including never-ending occurrences of anti-Semitism) make memorializing the Holocaust more important than ever. We urge everyone to take a fresh look at the candle program this year. It is today's news. In today's terror-filled world, the lessons of the Holocaust are as timely and relevant this year as they were half a century ago. It is critical that these lessons be learned by the Next Generation.

Who benefits from the Yellow Candle Program?

• **Men's Clubs.** The program provides the Men's Club (or other participating group) a purpose and a significant project upon which to focus. The program is an excellent vehicle for training its members and cultivating volunteers.

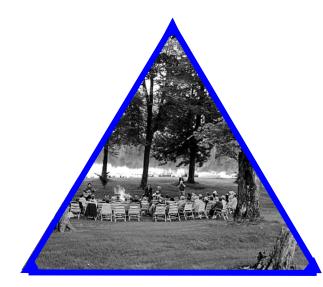
• **Synagogues.** The program benefits the synagogue because it unites the congregation through an inter-age effort and provides a focus for Yom HaShoah programming.

• **Communities.** The program benefits the community by bringing the resources that Men's Clubs have at their disposal to aid and assist community observances and to make the public more aware of the lessons of the Holocaust.

• **Our Youth.** The FJMC has established an international scholarship fund "From Darkness into Light," available to members of USY chapters in participating synagogues to help offset the cost of attending the USY Poland or Eastern Europe/Israel Seminar.

• **Charities**. Yellow Candle programs can be a source of funding for other meaningful programs related to Yom HaShoah. For example, the Blue Card Fund benefits indigent survivors. Other clubs target funds for local Holocaust memorials, libraries, gardens, Holocaust Museum trips and scholarships for USY Pilgrimage summer programs.

For more details consult the FJMC Yellow Candle Program Guide available from our website: </pr



BIENNIAL MEN'S RETREAT

Friday 1:30pm-noon Sunday June 6 - 8, 2014

> Join Your Brothers from HVR, MAR, NNJR and NYM

ENERGIZE YOUR MIND, BODY AND SOUL

- Softball and Other Sports -
- Lake & Active Recreation
- Aquatic Center
- Experience Shabbat
- Havdalah under the Stars Learning & Info Sessions
- Incredible Ruach and Camaraderie...and much more!

Cost of get-a-way is subsidized by NNJR!! and may be subsidized by your club, too. . . Questions? . . . want to sign up now??

> <u>Contact</u>: Rob Blitzer <u>roblitzer@gmail.com</u>

Registration deadline MAY 1st, 2014

This is the one they'll be talking about Help make the memories...be there!

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ELLIOTT BROWN

NNJ Regional Man of the Year

Congregation Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish Center — Marlboro

Elliott Brown was deeply moved and honored when told that he was named this year's Man of the Year of the Northern New Jersey Region of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs. Elliott currently serves as a Vice President of the Region and is the District "Rosh" (liaison) for those clubs included in the southern district of the Region. In addition to serving as a Vice President, Elliott has served as a member of the Regional Board for a number of years and previously held the position of

Financial Secretary.

Like many of the men active in the FJMC, Elliott has a passion for Israel, having lived there for 3 ½ years with his wife, Lori, in the early 1980's. While Elliott's aliyah did not work out exactly as he had planned, he was offered the opportunity to maintain a strong connection with Israel through the Tel Aviv law firm he worked at—agreeing to move to the Metropolitan New York area and becoming an associate with a Midtown Manhattan law firm with strong ties to the Tel Aviv firm, rather than returning to his hometown of Miami.

After a short stint in Rego Park, Lori and Elliott moved to Edison in 1988 and became active members of Congregation Neve Shalom, where daughter Arielle, born in 1991, received her pre-school education and Lori and Elliott joined a chavurah. With daughter Samantha's arrival in 1997, the Browns moved to Marlboro in the Spring of 1999, and joined the Marlboro Jewish Center in time for the High Holidays. Shortly thereafter Elliott joined the MJC Men's Club, and, in addition to serving as a member of the Board, became a Co-President and later President of the Club.

Elliott also serves on the Marlboro Jewish Center's Board of Trustees and is Co-Chairman of the Israel Affairs and Keruv Committees (the latter being an outgrowth of the FJMC's Keruv initiative). When asked, Elliott quickly accepted the request to serve as one of the FJMC representatives on the Board of Directors of Mercaz USA. Mercaz USA is the Zionist membership organization of the Conservative Movement, the voice of Conservative Jewry within the World Zionist Organization, the Jewish Agency for Israel, the American Zionist Movement, and the Jewish National Fund. Its mandate is to support religious pluralism in Israel and strengthen the connection between Israel and the Diaspora, including working in partnership with the FJMC in providing Israel advocacy training to Conservative Jewry.

After working at various law firms and as General Counsel at two different groups of companies, Elliott started his own law practice in 2009, specializing in representing small to mid-size businesses involved in various types of business transactions and providing advice and counseling to his clients. Elliott serves as outside General Counsel to several of his larger clients, and opened an office in Marlboro earlier this year.

On November 19th, Lori and Elliott celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary. Elliott thanks Lori, Arielle and Samantha for allowing him to devote the time and energy to pursue his passion for Men's Club and the wonderful programs it offers its members, their constituent synagogues and the Jewish community. He also thanks his parents, Evelyn and Alvin Brown, and sister Ruth, and in-laws Marlene and Robert Krause, brother and sister-in-law Amy and Alan Krause, and nieces Emily and Jenny, for their love and support.

ANDREW GOLDSTEIN BETH EL SYNAGOGUE—EAST WINDSOR

I've lived in the Plainsboro/East Windsor area for 20 years and have been a member of Beth El for 14 years. During that time I have served on the committee to secure a mortgage for our expansion; served as treasurer of the Joint Cemetery Committee for ten years; and, as treasurer of the Mens Club for three years. My children Justin and Lauren have both graduated from the Beth El Hebrew School and have volunteered as aides as well as currently participating in the Gesher L'Kesher outreach program. I am Tax Manager in the New York office of Wiss & Company, LLP a CPA firm with offices in Manhattan as well as Livingsotn, Iselin and Flemington, New Jersey.



BENJAMIN PINCUS BETH EL SYNAGOGUE—EAST WINDSOR

Benjamin Pincus was born in the Bronx and spent his first 4 years in Westchester, NY. He then moved to the San Francisco area for two years, before settling in West Windsor, NJ in 2003.

Benjamin is currently a senior at West Windsor-Plainsboro High School – South, where he is on the varsity wrestling team, part of the radio club and involved in pirate players, a group of high schoolers who travel to the elementary & middle schools to perform and bring awareness to anti bullying.

Benjamin is very active at Beth El Synagogue.

He has served on the USY Hagalil chapter board as Vice President of Communications as well as a member of the Religious Education regional general board. He is currently serving a second term as the Vice President of Membership & Programming for the Beth El chapter and serves on the regional general board as part

of the Membership programming committee. Additionally, He donates time to Kid for Kids, an non-profit organization that provides free school supplies to underprivileged children in New Jersey.



SARAH CHAIRNOFF BETH EL SYNAGOGUE—EAST WINDSOR

Sarah Chairnoff has been active at Beth El Synagogue for many years. She attended Beth El's religious school starting at the age of five. Following graduation, Sarah attended Hebrew High School for three years and is now an active participant in the Gesher LeKesher program. She volunteers as an aide for Beth El's religious school and babysits for the children who stay for late hours at Beth El's preschool. Sarah also volunteered at Beth El's preschool camp for eight summers. She is currently President of the East Windsor USY chapter and is on the Hagalil Regional General Board. Sarah is a member of USY's Israel Club, Hechalutzim. She has attended many USY regional conventions, USY encampments and USY International Conventions.



NED GLADSTEIN CONGREGATION AGUDATH ISRAEL—Caldwell



Ned Gladstein and his wife Jane live in North Caldwell, NJ where they have raised their three daughters, Hannah, Dara and Liza. Ned is the owner of Sunrise ShopRite, operating supermarkets in West Caldwell and Parsippany, and wine & spirits shops Caldwell and Westfield, New Jersey and an officer and member of the Board of Directors of Wakefern Food Corporation, the largest retailer-owned cooperative in the United States, and Chairman of its Digital Commerce and Innovation Committee and Retail Technology Committee.

Jane and Ned founded The Gladstein Fellowship in Entrepreneurial Leadership at the Rabbinical School of the Jewish Theological Seminary. The Fellowship provides intensive professional training and community development skills for the Fellows while providing supervised rabbinic leadership for the participating emerging congregations.

Ned is a member of the Board of Trustees and Executive Committee of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, Chairman of its Community Engagement Committee, and the former Chairman of its Rabbinical School Board of Overseers; a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism, Chairman of its New Kehillot Committee and a member of the Hayom / USCJ Strategic Planning Commission; also a Vice-President and member of the Executive Operating Committee of the World Council of Conservative/Masorti Synagogues. Ned is a past President of Congregation Agudath Israel of West Essex in Caldwell, NJ, and a former member of the Board of Trustees of MetroWest Federation of the United Jewish Appeal.

FRED WEIL CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL—TOMS RIVER

Fred Weil was born on October 21, 1935 in Heidelberg, Germany. He came to America as a young child in September, 1938. He grew up on his parent's chicken farm and attended grade school and high school in Toms River, N.J. He then went to Rutgers College of Pharmacy in Newark, NJ, graduated in June 1957, and interned in Newark for 1 year. After becoming a registered pharmacist in 1958 he joined the Army Reserve for 6 months . He became the owner of Toms River Pharmacy until he was recalled to active army duty in October, 1961 for the Berlin Crisis. From 1965 – 67 he owned a pharmacy in Pasadena, California. He then returned to New Jersey and married Evelyn in 1977. Fred and Evelyn have a daughter, Julie, and 2 grandchildren, Alexis and Ashley. Fred was the owner of Star Drug from 1984 until his retirement in 1996.



Fred has been an active member of Congregation B'nai Israel in Toms River for many years. He is the chairman of the CBI Memorial Park, sits of the Board of Directors of the synagogue where he served as the recording secretary and is now a financial secretary. He is also an active member of CBI Men's Club and is a volunteer worker at all its programs and functions.

SEAN HAIMOWITZ CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL—TOMS RIVER

Sean is a junior at the Hillel Yeshiva High School in Ocean, NJ. He attended the Solomon Schechter Academy of Ocean and Monmouth Counties in Howell from kindergarten through seventh grade. Sean is a high honor roll student.

This year Sean serves as the President of the Toms River USY chapter and is a member of the marketing committee of the Regional General Board of Hagalil USY. Sean is an active participant in USY. Past positions in the chapter have included freshman rep and religious education vice-president.

Sean has spent the last three summers on USY summer programs. He has participated in Wheels East, USY on Wheels: Mission Mitzvah, and Eastern Europe/Israel Pilgrimage. He has thoroughly enjoyed each trip and made many lifetime friends.



Sean's other activities include his school tennis team, national honor society, science and math league, editor in training for the school newspaper, mock trial, college bowl, and student ambassador for incoming freshman and new students. He works part time at Pediatric Affiliates, plays in the town basketball league, plays piano and leads weekly Shabbat services at an assisted living facility. Sean was accepted and is presently participating in Write On For Israel, a year and a half long lecture and study program of world issues concerning Israel with its culmination in a trip to Israel.

Sean lives in Toms River with his parents, Ira and Marci, and his siblings, Rachel, Matthew, Ross, and Brian.

Sean is extremely appreciative of being recognized as student of the year for Toms River and would like to wish a mazel tov to Toms River's man of the year, Fred Weil.

HANNAH BRUSCHI CONGREGATION B'NAI JESHURUN —Staten Island



Hannah Bruschi was born on February 4, 1998. At the young age of 4, Hannah attended Congregation Bnai Jeshurun Hebrew School and excelled, graduating from the school two years before the expected graduation. Throughout this time, she continued to go to temple services as many weekends as she could, helping her three sisters connect more with Judaism. At age 12, Hannah had a Bat Mitzvah, and decided to join the temple's Kadima and USY events, which are part of the Jewish Youth program. Hannah was named USY's Vice President of religious studies, and strived to help those around her become better Jews. Hannah is now 15 years old, attends Staten Island Technical High School, is an avid reader, plays the french horn and piano, plays high school basketball and tennis, attends Ace Mentorship, which is a special architecture program, attended USY's summer

encampment, active in her USY chapter and spends every Sunday morning serving as a teacher's helper in the CBJ Hebrew School.

ALLAN KATRONETSKY CONGREGATION B'NAI TIKVAH — NORTH BRUNSWICK

My family has been a member of B'nai Tikvah for over twenty years. My wife and I both come from the Bronx. In my youth, I served in the U. S. Air Force. While serving, I came to the realization that my mother was right when she told me I should go to college. Everyone should listen to his or her mother. I became an accountant and have spent most of my career working in nonprofit organizations. I have been blessed with a wonderful wife, two children, one grandson and another grandchild on the way. I believe that a good marriage, a good family and living in a good community like the one found at B'nai Tikvah, are the things that make you happy.



JASON SHINDLER CONGREGATION B'NAI TIKVAH — NORTH BRUNSWICK

Jason Shindler is a senior at East Brunswick High School. He currently serves as Chapter President of the Congregation B/nai Tikvah USY Chapter and as Membership Chair of the International General Board of USY. Last year, he served on the Hagalil Regional Executive Board as Vice President – Membership and Programming. USY has been Jason's passion and he has been an active member of both Kadima and USY since sixth grade proudly attending virtually every event and conference.



ARON RICHMAN CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL—Scotch Plains



Two-score and fourteen years ago Aron Richman was born in Closter, NJ - the third child of Betty and Seymour Richman. Aron wasn't the eldest son. Aron wasn't the youngest son. Aron wasn't even the only daughter. Aron was truly the middle child. Ever anxious to please, Aron graduated with honors from Rutgers College in 1981 with a degree in theoretical mathematics. After a brief stint in graduate school he decided to pursue a career in computer science - a career which has spanned more than 30 years. It was while he was employed as a consultant with American Management Systems that he met his wife Joan. Despite the fact that they professionally worked together for a year, they still decided to date after Aron's consulting contract ended (who knew). They have been married for 21 years and

reside in Fanwood, NJ. Aron and Joan have one child, Alan, who is almost as much a fixture at Congregation Beth Israel as his father. Aron has been involved with delivering challahs for the Sisterhood, assembling and delivering Shoah candles for the Men's Club, chanting Torah nearly every week, assembling the sukkah, drinking scotch in the sukkah, disassembling the sukkah, buying and throwing candy to the children on Simchat Torah, making sandwiches for the Social Action Committee, delivering meals for Meals on Wheels, helping set up the Lag B'Oner picnic, helping chaperone at children's events and regularly attending adult education courses at CBI. Aron's hobbies include all things Jewish, hiking and gardening, in particular cultivating a large variety of Coleus.

LISA SIMON CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL—Scotch Plains



Lisa Simon is currently the President of the Scotch Plains USY (SPUSY) chapter. Before her position as president, she was the Freshman representative and later the Social Action/Tikkun Olam Vice President. On the regional level, she was on the general board on the Marketing Committee. As President, she plans to expand the chapter so that as many Jewish teens as possible can have an amazing experience in USY as possible and get in touch with other Jewish teens. Lisa's love for USY began her Freshman year when her sister convinced her to join board, and then she was convinced to go to the Regional Conventions, dances, and events. After her first convention in 2011, she fell in love with her region, Hagalil. She is currently signed up to go to the International USY Convention this winter in New Orleans to expand upon her USY experience and

meet more people in USY outside of Hagalil. Lisa has made amazing friendships in USY that will last a lifetime and she feels so blessed to be part of such an amazing community.

Lisa is a Junior at Westfield High School, and when she is not at USY events and meetings she is acting in the WHS Theater Department. Her other interests include singing, fashion, and hanging out with her friends. Lisa has attended Hebrew School at Congregation Beth Israel all her life, and is currently enrolled in Machon Institute and also works as a teacher's aid at Sunday School.

She would like to thank her USY board (Max Needle, Elijah Rockman, Alexandra Rood, Joshua Weiner) and advisor (Jason Krane) for working to make the chapter as good as it can be. Also, she would like to thank past SPUSY president Gabrielle Sabony for her support and guidance. Lastly, Lisa would like to thank her Mother, Father, and Sister Alison for their love and support, as well as her friends inside and outside USY for always being there for her.

ANDY MENDLOWITZ CONGREGATION BETH OHR—OLD BRIDGE

Andy's grateful for this honor and would like to share it with all of the Club's members. Men's Club was injected into Andy's DNA from his father Ed, who is a two-time President, and now in his tenth year. His mother Ronnie is active in the Temple's Sisterhood and previously served on the Temple Board. Andy contributes by helping to make up the Sunday Minyan, working on the Yellow Candles Holocaust Remembrance committee, aiding his dad with behind-the-scene tasks such as stuffing envelopes, shopping for the club's annual barbeque and assisting in putting up the sukkah, despite a lack of muscles and engineering know-how.

Andy had his Bar Mitzvah at Beth Ohr on October 25, 1986—the day of the Game 6 World Series game between the Mets and Red Sox in which Bill Buckner made his famous error. Fortunately, Andy didn't butcher his Haftorah as bad. After Hebrew school at Beth Ohr, he spent a year at Hebrew High School in Matawan.



Andy graduated from East Brunswick High School and the University of Maryland with a BA in journalism. While attending Maryland, he started his career by writing over 250 articles as a

freelancer for The Washington Post. He then went to the Daily News-Record, a newspaper in Harrisonburg, Virginia, for 5 ½ years before moving back to New Jersey. Andy spent nine months in Ireland researching a book about Irish sports called Ireland's Professional Amateurs: A Sports Season At Its Purest.

He enjoys spending time with his brother and sister-in-law, Rick and Amy, and his two nephews, Sammy and Ryan, ages 5 and 2.

MATT BONUS CONGREGATION NEVE SHALOM—Metuchen



Matt is the immediate past president of the Neve Shalom Men's Club in Metuchen, NJ. Matt was the co-president and president for the last four years he is proud of the fact that Neve Shalom has earned a Quality Club award every year of his presidency. In those years he started the following new programs "Touchdowns and Torahs," The Chili-cook off", "Steak and Scotch and Steak in the Sukkah", and The Founder's Dinner, as well as continuing the "All you can eat Post Passover Pasta Dinner". We also hold the FJMC programs of World Wide Wrap, Men's Club Shabbat, and the Yellow Candle program and started a YAD SHEL CHAI program at Neve Shalom. Matt and his family have been a members of Neve Shalom for over 15 years, also serving on the Board of Directors of Neve Shalom for six years as well as serving as Kadima leaders with his wife Licia. Licia and Matt have been

married for 24 years and have 2 sons, Tyler and Elliot. Licia is a former Sisterhood President and now proudly runs the Synagogue Gift Shop.

Matt has also been the running blood drives at Neve Shalom, for many years. At Neve Shalom we hold 4 drives per year. He wants to thank all who come out and donate blood anywhere.

Matt is now currently serving as Recording Secretary of the Northern New Jersey Region. Matt is greatly honored being Man of the Year and would like to thank his family and friends for their support in all of his Men's Club activities. He would also like to thank the NNJR Regional President Jeff Schulman for all of his help during his presidency.

JENNIFER GREENBERG CONGREGATION NEVE SHALOM—Metuchen



Jennifer Greenberg is a senior at Golda Och Academy in West Orange. She began her education at Neve Shalom Nursery School and continued at Solomon Schechter Day School of Raritan Valley in East Brunswick. She has grown into a regular Torah reader at the synagogue and works in the Hebrew School as a tutor.

Jennifer has been active in USY on both the chapter and regional levels. She served as Chapter President for Metuchen USY and is currently the Hagalil Regional President. Jennifer has gone on USY on Wheels and visited Eastern Europe and Israel with USY Pilgrimage this past summer. Prior to that, Jennifer spent six summers at Camp Ramah in the Berkshires and visited the Szarvas International Jewish Camp in Hungary as a Szarvas Fellow. Jennifer is a member of the Israel Advocacy Club at school and plays on the basketball team there. She enjoys baking and eating, speaking foreign languages, and listening to Jewish a capella.

LEN WHITMAN CONG. OHEV SHALOM/MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER—MARLBORO

Leonard Whitman is a life long resident of Marlboro, NJ. Leonard was Bar mitzvah'd at Marlboro Jewish Center/Ohev Shalom and he and his wife Erika were married there, too. They have three children, Harrison, Madison and Elizabeth.

Leonard is a Certified Public Accountant and a partner at a CPA firm in North Brunswick NJ. He is a member of the AICPA and the NJSCPA. Leonard has been active with the Men's Club at MJC for the past several years, is currently the co-president of the Club, and he also enjoys participating in the Hebrew School programs with his family. He served as treasurer and board member of Middlesex County Habitat for Humanity for many years and participated in the construction of homes for needy families.

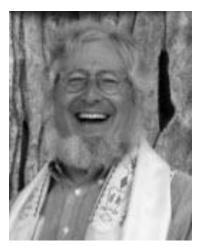


Ross Schneider CONG. OHEV SHALOM/MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER—MARLBORO

Ross Schneider is an active member of the Marlboro Jewish Center. He is a student in the Hebrew High School, a member of USY, and a Torah reader throughout the year. He has also been the percussionist at Friday night musical services for many years. Ross is a junior at High Technology High School where he participates in multiple activities including Student Council, Technology Student Association, Math League, Science League, and the Pit Band. Outside of school, Ross is the drummer in a local rock band performing throughout Monmouth and Ocean counties..



CANTOR BRUCE SIEGEL Congregation Torat El—Ocean



Cantor Bruce Siegel followed a road to the cantorate that wasn't typical. He attended SUNY Cortland, earning undergraduate and graduate degrees in English and education. Music was an afterthought: "Whenever my GPA needed a boost--which was often---I'd take a music course."

He taught English and music in junior and senior high schools in central New York before pursuing a career in radio. As an announcer and audio technician, he spent more than 12 years on the air in Binghamton, Cortland, and Syracuse, where he won awards for commercial production, including an International Broadcasting Award from the Hollywood Radio and Television Society, while teaching audio production and public speaking at SUNY Cortland, and authoring a radio production textbook.

In the 1980s he pursued a cantorial career, studying with Master

Hazzan Harold Lerner, who had studied with the legendary cantor, Adolph Katchko. Cantor Siegel then served congregations in Cortland and Binghamton, and Savannah, GA, before heading to New Jersey.

Cantor Siegel is the author of several Judaic books for children (all available in the CTE library), including Champion, Jewboy, Sing Time, and The Magic of Kol Nidre, which won a Sydney Taylor Honor Book Award. He enjoys watching old movies, learning new card tricks, playing a number of musical instruments, cycling, and writing songs of dubious value for his students. Cantor Siegel married Anne, his college sweetheart (and CTE librarian), who has stayed with him for more than forty years, a fact he finds "incredible!" The Siegels have a son, Joshua, a NYC graphic artist, and a son-in-law, David Bowles, a museum educator. Joshua blows the shofar with his dad at Neilah every Yom Kippur.

DAVID JULIS EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER—East Brunswick

As a member of the EBJC family for over 28 years, David has been active in various aspects of both the Men's Club and the synagogue. He has been a member of the Men's Club Board for many years, and was, at one time, the designated chef for the Sunday Breakfasts. He is the immediate past-President of the Men's Club. During his tenure as President, he established many joint programs with Sisterhood, Social Action and The Mitzvah Corps. He strove to include all of the arms of the synagogue in the Men's Club programs, with his ultimate goal of wanting to help, both his synagogue and the greater community as well. With that goal in mind, donations were made by Men's Club to local food banks, Magen David Adom, and other organizations that help others. David's motto is "Do the Right Thing", and he can always be found doing or volunteering for something



David is the founder of the "Shalom Squad", a program to welcome all to the shul on Shabbat mornings to heighten the awareness of the congregation towards being a friendly, warm and

inviting environment for all. David is the resident "greeter" and everyone enjoys schmoozing with him on their way in and out of services – especially since he is known for his keen sense of humor and verbal fortitude. He has also spearheaded the Keruv Program and is working on getting it into full swing.

Currently, he is the Financial Secretary of NNJR. And if that's not enough, in his spare time, he is a Vice President on the Executive Board of EBJC. He is also the author of an essay in the recently published NNJR book Jewish Men at the Crossroads.

This is not the first honor for David this year. This past May, both David and his wife, Margot, were honored by EBJC for their lifetime dedication to EBJC and their community.

David works in the Treasury Office of Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ, so he is close to home and his EBJC family. David and Margot have a younger daughter Sarah, and also the most precious granddaughter Norah, from their eldest daughter Becky and her husband Josh.

IRA LIEMAN

FAIR LAWN JEWISH CENTER/CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL—Fair Lawn



Ira Lieman is proud to have served in a number of capacities within the Fair Lawn Jewish Center / Congregation B'nai Israel Men's Progress Club and completed his two-year term as President this past June. Before leading the Club, he served as Executive Vice President, Membership Vice President, and Corresponding Secretary. Ira has also served on our shul's IT committee and served as Webmaster for three years.

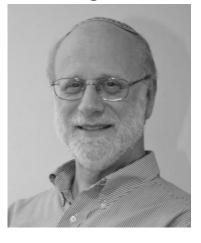
If you walk into the FLJC building, you will likely see a set of three large digital display panels with information about upcoming events, and pictures of events in our shul. The MPC was proud to underwrite, purchase, and install this technology, which was a labor of love marking the 70th anniversary of our Club. Ira counts

the dedication of the electronic messaging system as a highlight of his presidency and of which he is extremely proud. He would, however, like to at least SHARE the responsibility of regular updates to these screens...anyone, anyone?!?

When he's not otherwise volunteering, Ira works in a data-driven management consulting firm. He also plays keyboard and contributes vocals to Touch of Gray. This cover band originally founded to play at a synagogue event in 2009, has been playing to audiences across the greater Bergen County area ever since. Ira thanks Ryan, Jordan, and Aimee for their support and help at the various MPC events through the years.

JERRY LANGER HIGHLAND PARK CONSERVATIVE TEMPLE—Highland Park

Born in Brooklyn, Jerry Langer was raised in Woodbridge, where he mostly attended the public schools, but with formative 6th through 8th grades in the Hillel Academy, a day school in Perth Amboy, and a forebearer of the Solomon Schechter of East Brunswick. His parents, Anne and David, set strong examples of Jewish practice and identification, and of community involvement. A strong foundation of knowledge, role models and friendships was reinforced in the Woodbridge Adath Israel community (with R. Samuel Newberger, z"I). Youth organizations, both secular (Scouts; HS band) and Jewish, were important foci: Jerry particularly credits United Synagogue Youth (USY), and its 1967 Israel Pilgrimage. College at Lawrence University (Appleton, Wisconsin), and graduate school at Yale provided Jerry with a



liberal education, professional direction, friendships, and further development of Jewish knowledge and involvement.

In the late 1970s, he met Pam Dorman through the Westwood Minyan, an independent havurah in LA, while Pam pursued her MA in Occupational Therapy at USC and Jerry did research at UCLA. Returning east, they married in 1983, locating in the Montclair area. They moved to Highland Park in 1986 following Jerry's appointment at UMDNJ (now Rutgers)-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School. Pam continues treating children as an occupational therapist in hospital, clinic and home settings. They have been active in the Highland Park Conservative Temple-Congregation Anshe Emeth and in the Highland Park Minyan. Jerry's activities have included long-term commitment to the Temple blood drive: coordination of the Minyan's participation at the Elijah's Promise Soup Kitchen; serving the Solomon Schechter School of Raritan Valley in various capacities. Jerry enjoys the practice, study and teaching of siddur (prayer book) skills and meaning, and he sings in Makhelat HaMercaz, the Jewish Community Chorus of Central NJ. Their daughters, Miriam and LeeAnn, attended the Solomon Schechter Day School in East Brunswick and then West Orange. We look forward to the graduations this spring of LeeAnn from Boston University and Miriam from the American medical program at Sackler School of Medicine in Tel Aviv. We have been nourished and blessed by family, friends, and teachers across the Jewish and non-Jewish spectrum.

We all thank the steadfast blood drive volunteers and the blood donors whose actions directly save lives.

MORIAH HERNITER HIGHLAND PARK CONSERVATIVE TEMPLE—Highland Park



Moriah Herniter, a 12th-grader at Golda Och Academy, is the second child of Bruce and Carla Herniter and sister to Ira, Joel, and Chava. She has been leading the children's services at the Highland Park Conservative Temple-Congregation Anshe Emeth since 8th grade. She can also be found reading Torah on many Shabbatot.

Moriah is a second term president of the Highland Park USY chapter. Last year she was on the Hagalil Social Action/Tikkun Olam regional general board. She's been participating in Kadima/USY programming since 6th grade.

This past summer Moriah interned on Barbara Buono's campaign for governor. She described the experience as exciting and enlightening. Not only was she on TV with Milly Silva, Buono's

running mate, but she has had the opportunity to meet Buono herself, Cory Booker, and Frank Pallone.

She also attended the AIPAC Saban Leadership Seminar, an Israel advocacy convention, held in D.C. for college and high school students who have shown dedication to the cause.

In addition to these extra curricular activities, Moriah participates in GOA's Model United Nations, Mock Trial team, school play, literary magazine, and the National Honor Society.

GLENN FOX

PINE BROOK JEWISH CENTER—Montville

Glenn Fox was born in Newark, NJ and grew in Maplewood, NJ, where he graduated from Columbia High School in 1983. He went on to earn his AB from Cornell University in 1987, his JD from Albany Law School of Union University in 1990, and his LLM in tax from New York University in 1994. He is a partner at the law firm of Baker & McKenzie LLP in Manhattan, where he practices tax law with a focus on US and international estate planning.

Glenn has been a very active member of Pine Brook Jewish Center since he and his wife, Randee, joined the PBJC in 1999. He has been a member of the House committee, renovation committees, rabbi search committees, finance committee, religious school committee, nursery school committee, and ritual committee.



He has been a member of the Board of Trustees since of PBJC since 2005 and he has served as vice president of PBJC from 2009 to 2011' and president of the synagogue from 2011 to 2013. Glenn is currently a committee vice chair of the UJA Federation of New York.

Glenn has been involved in local synagogue life since he was a teenager, when he was involved in youth groups at Oheb Shalom and Temple Sharey Tefilo-Isarael in South Orange, New Jersey, where his family belonged. He attributes his dedication to Judaism to his parents, Ruth and Edwin Fox, who made sure he had a solid Jewish education, to his grandfather, Lewis Fox, who served as president of Temple Beth Mordechai in Perth Amboy, New Jersey in 1964, to his wonderful wife, Randee Fox, who also served as president of Pine Brook Jewish Center from 2007 to 2009, and to his three sons, Ethan, Parker and Noah.

HENRY RAMER SHOMREI TORAH/Wayne Conservative Congregation—Wayne



Henry Ramer is the quintessential mitzvah man. His Jewish life started in Paterson, where he grew up in an observant household. The family belonged to Temple Emanuel, one of the first Conservative synagogues in New Jersey. They were ardent Zionists.

Henry attended Hebrew school, became Bar Mitzvah, continued in Hebrew High and also went to Camp Ramah. After high school, he entered Rutgers, graduating in 1962. He left for Europe and Israel, where he worked in the fields of Kibbutz Ramat Yohanan.

Following this experience, Henry came home and entered Columbia Law. He graduated in 1966. Henry then became a Peace Corps volunteer and spent two years in Brazil.

In the 1970s, Henry returned to Paterson and became active in

the Temple Emanuel Men's Club, an affiliate of the National Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs. He also married his sweetheart Carol, from Fair Lawn – another Camp Ramahnik.

The Ramers moved to Wayne in 1981 and joined Shomrei Torah, where they have been members ever since. Since his retirement from law practice in 2011, Henry has become a mainstay of the shul. For example, thanks to Henry, Friday morning minyans attract a bigger crowd. He is our regular Friday bagel shlepper.

Beyond bagels, Henry's active involvement has benefited Shomrei Torah in many ways. With his help, the shul became an early adopter of Lev Shalem, the new Conservative movement machzor. In 2009, he and his wife Carol spearheaded a project to acquire 800 books, immediately after Lev Shalem's introduction.

Henry works on the Shomrei Torah Mitzvah Corps and routinely visits the sick, engaging in the mitzvah of bikur holim. More recently, he has become one of Shomrei Torah's High Holiday services coordinator to oversee Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur planning.

Henry also finds time to co-chair adult education. It had become moribund or even nonexistent, but has now been revived with successful speaker programs held on Jewish and secular topics, such as end of life planning and bioethical issues.

In addition, Henry is one of Shomrei Torah's representatives to Family Promise of Passaic County, an organization devoted to sheltering homeless families. He is on its Board and has arranged Shomrei Torah hosting for families without shelter. Members volunteer to stay during the day or overnight, so that synagogue always has supervision.

Most recently, Henry joined Shomrei Torah's ritual committee. Henry admits that he is not a great believer in committees due to his experience of sitting through long meetings as a zoning attorney. But he joins anyway and helps to gets things done.

Henry has been active in the Jewish Federation of Northern NJ (Passaic Valley). He is a perennial Super Sunday volunteer fundraiser and was also on its law committee. He

continues to study Hebrew and is currently enrolled in a Masters of Science program in the Division of Global Affairs at Rutgers-Newark. Henry believes in lifelong learning.

Henry and Carol are the proud parents Paula, an attorney in New York City married to Jordan Brenner, and Sarah, a doctor and medical resident at Hackensack and University Hospitals. They are also the adoring grandparents of Eli, 2 ½ years old.

MIRA BLECHERMAN SHOMREI TORAH/Wayne Conservative Congregation—Wayne



Mira Blecherman comes from a Conservative "with a big C" household. She has been a member of Shomrei Torah ever since her naming there in 1998.

Mira is a graduate of the Gerrard Berman Day School, Solomon Schechter of North Jersey in Oakland, where she attended school from age two through 8th grade. From GBDS, Mira made her way to Golda Och Academy in West Orange.

She is currently a sophomore and a Merit Scholar in West Orange. Mira is also a Board Member of GOA's Israel Club, plays JV volleyball and varsity softball and is a member of the school choir.

At Shomrei Torah, Mira is a Shabbat and High Holiday Torah reader. She is co-directing Shomrei's efforts to redesign its Shabbat morning Junior Congregation experience. Along with other teens, she will implement the new services this year.

Mira is also President of Shomrei Torah's USY chapter. She is a strong advocate for USY, having been active in Kadima and USY since the 6th grade. Mira currently serves on the General Board of the Hagalil Region of USY.

In her spare time Mira enjoys piano, guitar and art. She has been to Israel three times (so far) and she loves the NJ Y camp in Milford PA, where she has been a camper for many summers.

Mira's parents Barry and Sarah are very proud of their daughter's accomplishments. In fact, Mira is following in her father's footsteps. Barry was Shomrei Torah's Man of the Year in 2011. Like father, like daughter!

DARRYL JAYSON TEMPLE BETH EL—Somerset

Darryl Jayson grew up in Somerset, New Jersey with his family and has been a member of Temple Beth El since 1972.

Following his bar mitzvah at Temple Beth El in 1977, he worked for 7 years with Temple Beth El's in-house catering service which hosted the temple's events and provided food during its charitable operations. Earlier this year, Darryl became a Temple Beth El board of trustee and assumed the editorial responsibilities of the Shofar, Temple Beth El's monthly newsletter.

Darryl graduated from the University of Delaware in 1986 with a Bachelor's degree in economics and from Rutgers University in 1989 with a Master's degree in economics. For the past 17 years, he has served as Vice President for TMA, a trade

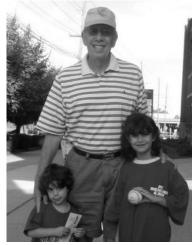


association located in Princeton, New Jersey. Darryl and his wife Lana, who is also active in Temple Beth EI, have been married for 7 years.

Over the past 12 years, Darryl has been a member of Temple Beth El's men's club with the last three years serving as manager for one of the temple's two softball teams.

Darryl is a Mets and Jets fan and an avid music lover.

DAVID SPRINGER TEMPLE BETH-EL MEKOR CHAYIM—Cranford



David has been a member of Temple Beth El Mekor Chayim since 1986, and he has been a member of the Men's Club for many years. He has participated in numerous events during those years, and has also served as a member of the Temple's Board of Trustees, Board of Education, Ritual Chairman, House Committee Chairman, High Holiday Chairman, Corresponding Secretary, Vice President and President of the shul. He has chaired many events, but is most proud of having co-chaired Project Etz Chayim, the first capital campaign held by TBEMC since 1960. It raised a million dollars and enabled the shul to undertake major renovations and create endowments for future programming.

David lives in Cranford with wife Sandy and has two grown sons,

Steven and Daniel, and three beautiful grandchildren, Evelyn, Jacob and Leah. He is a practicing attorney in Cranford, and is involved with numerous other charitable endeavors such as running food and coat drives for the homeless. He is a 31 year member of the Cranford Council of United Way, and a former president of that organization. He strives to do good deeds on an ongoing basis.

MATTHEW KANDL TEMPLE BETH-EL MEKOR CHAYIM—Cranford



Matthew Kandl is proud to be Temple Beth El Mekor Chayim's first co- Youth of the Year with his friend Adam Solomon. Matthew is currently a senior at Cranford High School.

Matthew attended the nursery school and religious school at TBEMC. He frequently reads Torah and Haftorah on Shabbat and High Holidays. He has been a classroom assistant at the religious school since eighth grade. He was an active member of Kadima and became an officer in Cranford USY. He served as Freshman Representative and then became Communications Vice President, a position which he has held since freshman year. He has enjoyed attending several regional events.

Matthew has been an active volunteer at TBEMC for his whole life. He has always assisted in constructing the Sukkah, setting

up for dinners, assisting at the annual picnic, and other Men's club activities. Several years ago, Matthew and Adam took over the crucial responsibility of calling bingo numbers at Men's Club dinners. They have not missed a dinner and truly enjoy this opportunity.

Matthew is an honors student at Cranford High School. He is an active member of the Pre-Engineering and Robotics Club, National Honor Society, Math Honor Society, Computer Honor Society, and Model United Nations. He is a member of the Cranford High School webmaster team in which he updates the school website.

Besides his volunteer work for the Temple, Matthew has been the webmaster for the Red Cross of Millburn, volunteer for Newark Beth Israel Medical Center, and graphic and web designer for the Learning About Diabetes organization.

Matthew comes from a family of synagogue volunteers. He is proud to join the tradition of his family as his Uncle Dave Mandell, father Lance Kandl, and grandfather Burt Mandell were previously honored at this dinner. Matthew is the son of Men's Club Co-President Lance Kandl and Board of Education Co-President Phyllis Kandl. He is the grandson of Burt Mandell and Doris Mandell of Cranford and Sue Kandl of Elizabeth. His brother, Douglas, is an active leader of NYC Jewish college life.

ADAM SOLOMON TEMPLE BETH-EL MEKOR CHAYIM—Cranford



Adam Solomon is a senior at Cranford High School, where he is an AP scholar, a four-year member of their award- winning Model UN delegation and was a State finalist in the marketing competition for DECA last spring. No stranger to statewide awards, Adam won the State Grand Prize in the Daughters of the American Revolution history essay while in middle school.

Adam is an active member of USY at both the chapter and regional levels. For the past two years, Adam has served as the Membership and Programming Vice President of the Cranford USY chapter, where his daily postings of motivational quotes and fun facts have grabbed the attention not only of the Cranford USYers, but of regional leaders as well. After serving as chapter Freshman Rep and working at Gesher Summer Camp, Adam has become a veteran of Encampment and regional USY events.

For the past four years, Adam has given back to the TBEMC community as a Torah reader, and by serving as a volunteer on Sundays at the TBEMC Religious School. Friends since even before nursery school, Adam and Matthew Kandl have always been enthusiastic volunteers at Men's Club events, such as the Purim Carnival and the Thanksgiving kids party. Adam and Matthew earned their fame and a place in the hearts of Men's Club members as our go-to BINGO callers for the past five years.

RICHARD LAVAROFF

TEMPLE BETH-O'R/BETH TOTAH—Clark

Dick Lavaroff was born and raised in Irvington, NJ. At the Irvington Y's 1952 annual Yom Kippur Dance he met his future wife, Lisa. Over the 57 years of marriage, they raised 3 children: Karen, married to John; Jay, married to Pam; and Kenny married to Davida. The Lavaroffs have 11 grandchildren.

Dick and Lisa moved to Clark in 1964 and joined Temple Beth O'R/Beth Torah. Here they became active in Temple and community life.

At this time, he owned the Millburn Kosher Meat Market, selling the store after 15 years of ownership. Shortly thereafter, Dick and son Kenny purchased Deli King of Clark. In addition to the deli and restaurant, Dick and Kenny provide off premise kosher catering at many Synagogues throughout New Jersey.

Dick was previously the Clark-Cranford B'nai Brith Man of the Year. He served his country honorably and maintains membership with the Jewish War Veterans, Seth D'Vorim Post 072. Dick always makes certain the TBO/BT Men's Club has successful programs by preparing beautiful platters for the event.

Congratulations on a job well done.

MARK KONSTANDT TEMPLE BETH SHALOM—LIVINGSTON



Mark Konstandt is currently the Director of Operations for Vitaquest International, LLC, a dietary supplement manufacturer in West Caldwell NJ.

After graduating from the University of Rhode Island with a BS in Secondary Education, Mark worked as a High School history teacher and Varsity soccer coach at Ramapo High School in Spring Valley NY.

A change of career path brought Mark into his current career, where he began as a Purchasing Agent for Gryphon Development, designing and procuring packaging materials for Bath & Body Works. After a few brief stops within the cosmetics industry, Mark found his way to Vitaguest where he has been

employed for the past 10 years.

Mark's involvement in Men's Club began shortly after he and his wife moved to Livingston and joined Temple Beth Shalom. Starting off as a regular member of Men's Club, Mark quickly took on more responsibilities and has held the positions of VP Service, VP of Athletics and currently is the Men's Club representative on the Temple Board of Education. Overall Mark has served on the Men's Club Board for the past 8 years.

Mark and his wife Rebecca currently reside in Livingston, where they are raising their two young sons, Mitchell (8) and Scott (5).

HOWARD SCHREIBER TEMPLE ISRAEL—Ridgewood

I have been a resident of the greater Ridgewood area my entire life, and currently reside in Ramsey. My earliest recollection of Temple Israel is going to a Purim Carnival in the basement of our shul, a house on Oak Street in Ridgewood. I recall many of the founding members of our shul being there and everyone having a fun time. Perhaps the most important memory for me of that time was going with my Dad, and the other men of the shul, I assume Brandeis Men's Club members!, to our present location on Grove Street, to clear the lot of trees and other debris to make way for our new shul. This was in 1959 or so. What impressed me was so many men helping out, and enjoying the task at hand.

Since my family has been a member of Temple Israel since the mid 1950's, it has always been part of my life. Of course I



became a Bar Mitzvah there, and my sister a Bat Mitzvah. Both my sister, Marcia, and I were active in USY and are still personally friendly with a number of our long time temple friends to this day. Our family's social life was always built around our shul, and our parents were completely engaged with every aspect of the Temple Israel, which taught us about community, and responsibility.

I am very happily married to my wife Tricia, who also happens to be a terrific Mom of our two

kids, Emily (16) and Evan (14), and a great Daughter in-law. We enjoy vacationing together as a family, especially Disney World and Universal, where we enjoy the scariest of rides, while Tricia is happy reading and watching us enjoy them. Emily, Evan, and I are very proud of Tricia's upcoming Bat Mitzvah on November 9th. All four of us, will have had our Bar/Bat Mitzvah at Temple Israel!

I have been involved with the Ramsey Soccer Association as coach and Sponsorship Coordinator, for many years, have served on the Board of Directors and as Chairman of The Association of Food Industries an international organization of food importers and exporters. I am currently the President of our local Bergen Highlands Ramsey Rotary Club, and the immediate past President of Temple Israel's Brandeis Men's Club. I have been involved with the FJMC Yellow Candle Program for a number of years. I have served on our Temple Board in various capacities. I am currently President of Schreiber Foods International, Inc., a business founded by my Dad, Norman, and me. Perhaps, the greatest pleasure I have in being our Man of the Year this year is in following in my Dad's footsteps, who was similarly honored in 1972 as our 3rd MOY! We were both glad to give back to our community.

ELLIS KERMAN TEMPLE SHOLOM—Bridgewater



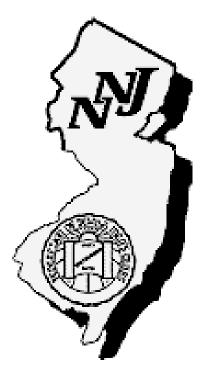
I was born in Brooklyn, NY and was educated at Yeshiva Ohel Moshe, Lafayette High School, and Brooklyn College.

Presently, I work for BNP Paribas, a French investment banking firm in Jersey City, NJ as a pension analyst. My career in employee benefits with a focus on retirement plans spans more than 30 years.

I reside in Middlesex Borough, NJ with my wife Bernice, and my son Adam, who is presently an undergraduate at Rutgers University.

Soon after moving from New York to New Jersey in 1993, my family became members of Temple Sholom, in Bridgewater, NJ. We are proud of our twenty year membership with Temple Sholom. Bernice and I are active members of Temple Sholom,

attending services regularly. My son completed religious school from elementary school and graduated from Hebrew High School. I am a past member of the Temple Sholom Board of Trustees, and am presently a member of the Ritual Committee.



NNJR Regional Man of the Year Elliott Brown

The Executive Board of the Northern New Jersey Region of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs is proud to recognize Elliot Brown as our 2013 Man of the Year. **Yasher Koach!**

The board is also pleased to recognize and congratulate all of this year's Man of the Year and Youth of the Year Award recipients. Yasher Koach to all

Mazel Tov

to all who have been named their Club's

Man of the Year & Youth of the Year

I would like to especially thank those of you who gave time and effort to being your club President.I have worked with you and learned from each of you.

> Matt Bonus, Neve Shalom - Metuchen Ira Lieman, Fair Lawn Jewish Center Len Whitman, Marlboro Jewish Center David Julis, East Brunswick Jewish Center Howard Schreiber, Temple Israel - Ridgewood

> > With much Gratitude,

Jeff Schulman Northern NJ Region President

Mazel Tov

to all the NNJR

Men and Youth of the Year



Mazel Tov to all the

2013/5774 Men of the Year

from the

Northern NJ Region

of the

Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs

Support the FJMC's Yellow Candle Program! Yom Hashoah / April 27th 2014 at sundown.

Shraga Marketing, Israel Proud supporter of FJMC for years.

Mazel Tov and Yasher Koach to Elliott Jeffery Brown

Your family is very proud of you for being honored as "2013 Man of the Year" for the Northern New Jersey Region of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs.

Your dedication, enthusiasm, and tireless efforts on behalf of the Marboro Jewish Center Men's Club, are an inspiration and example for all of us.

With love, Lorí, Aríelle and Samantha AS HILLEL SAID, AS WELL AS ELLIOTT AS SALUDITORIUM AT HIS HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION:

"IF I AM NOT FOR MYSELF, WHO IS FOR ME?

AND IF I AM ONLY FOR MYSELF, WHAT AM I?

IF NOT NOW, WHEN?"

WE ARE OVERWHELMED WITH JOY TO SEE OUR DEAR ELLIOTT CONTINUE HIS INVOLEMENT WITH THE JEWISH COMMUNITY.

MAY HE ENJOY GOOD HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND FULFILLMENT.

MOTHER, DAD AND RUTH THE BOCA RATON BROWNS

בן עזאי: הוי רץ למפצוה קלה פרקי אבות ד:ב

Ben Azzai said: Run to perform even a minor mitzvah... Pirkei Avot 4:2

We congratulate Elliott Brown, our friend, on being NNJ's Regional Man of the Year!



Elliott, you exemplify the volunteer spirit. Your tireless efforts on behalf of NNJR, the Jewish men of Medinat haGan and for Eretz Yisrael have not gone unnoticed.

Yasher Koach on being NNJR's Mensch Gadol!

- Eric and Fern Weis

Congratulations

To Our Friend,

Elliott Brown,

Regional Man of the Year

Mazel Tov to

Matt Bonus,

Neve Shalom's Man of the Year

Yasher Koach to

Jennifer Greenberg

Neve Shalom's Youth of the Year

All Well Deserved Honors

May You Continue to Inspire Us Always,

Jennifer and Richard Bullock

Elliott

We have known you for more years than any of us will admit.

You have always been a friend, provided good counsel and someone who enjoys a good scotch and cigar.

Mazel Tov on being named the Northern NJ Region Man of the Year!

May you continue to go from *Strength to Strength*.

Elyse and Jeffrey Schulman

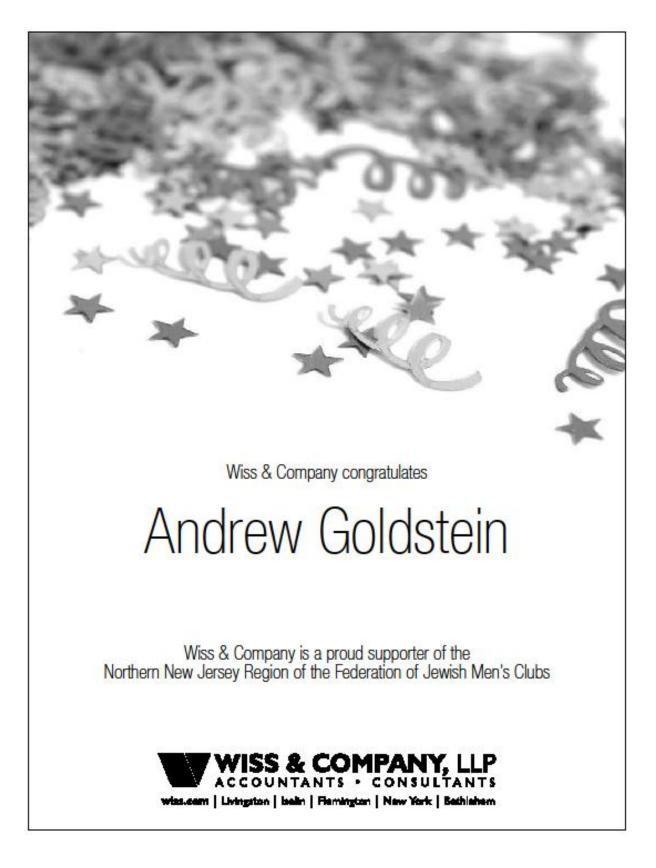
Dear Elliott,

Marian and Gaby Braun and Taryan, Dan, Jacob and Ryan Braun are very proud of your accomplishments and involvement with the Jewish community. We love you and wish you much happiness and success in the future.

Mazel tov, The Houston Brauns







Benjamin

You are our Youth of the Year. every year!!



Mazel Tov on this honor!

> We Love You! Mom. Dad & Nicole

My Dear Benjamin

You have always, and continue to make me so proud of the young Jewish man you have become.

You have continued the tradition of your grandpa Ben and your dad in taking an active part in your synagogue and community.

May you continue to embrace your faith and give back to the world we live in.

Love, Granny





Congratulations to

Ned Gladstein

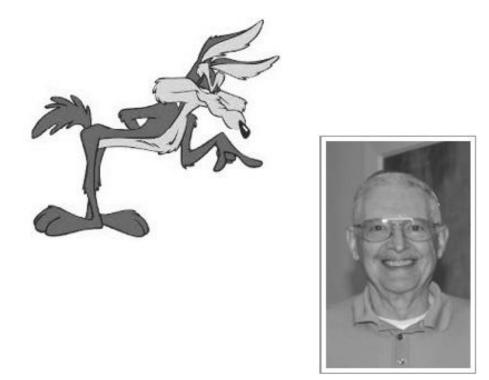
A most worthy honoree as Man-of-the-Year.

With gratitude for Ned's devotion to the well-being of our CAI family.



Rabbi Alan Silverstein Congregation Agudath Israel Caldwell, NJ





Fred "Wile E" Weil

A GOOD GUY WHO WILL ALWAYS LET YOU DOWN

BE CAREFUL OF THE SAFE!

Your cemetery buddy Marty

MAZEL TOV AND YASHER KOACH TO

SEAN HAIMOWITZ

CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL TOMS RIVER

YOUTH OF THE YEAR

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU AND YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS, CONNECTION TO JEWISH VALUES AND TRADITIONS, ALL YOU GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY, AND THE LEADER YOU HAVE BECOME!!!!!

ALL OUR LOVE AND PRIDE: MOM, DAD, RACHEL, MATTHEW, ROSS, AND BRIAN

MAZEL TOV

SEAN HAIMOWITZ

FOR BEING HONORED AS YOUTH OF THE YEAR FOR THE TOMS RIVER CHAPTER

WE ARE SO PROUD OF YOU! LOVE:

GRANDMA GINSBERG, GRANDPA HANK AND GRANDMA MIRIAM



Yasher Koach & Mazel Tov

to

<u>Hannah Bruschi</u>

Congregation B'nai Jeshurun's Youth of the Year

You are an Inspiration and Role Model for us all!

The Lieb Family





Congratulates and Celebrates

Allan Katronetsky

Men's Club "Man of the Year"



Jason Shindler

CBT "Youth of the Year"



Mazel Tov from your friends in CBT Men's Club & NSBUSY!



Congratulations to

ANDY MENDLOWITZ Man of the Year

You are our Man of the Year every day and every time we need a helping hand. You are always here for us!

The Men's Club Congregation Beth Ohr Old Bridge, NJ We are proud to honor a worthy son of worthy parents

Our own
Andrew Mendlowitz

Rabbi Eugene and Irene Wernick

&

Congregation Beth Ohr of Old Bridge, NJ

Andy Mendlowitz

Mazel Tov

for a

Well-Deserved Honor

Lana and Harvey Cohen

Congratulations to

Congregation Beth Ohr's

Man of the Year

Andy Mendlowitz

You are a man we can count on!

Alice & David Honig and Family

MAZEL TOV, ANDY

You're not just Man of the Year, You're Brother of the Year & Uncle of the Year!!

Love,

Amy, Rick, Sammy, Ryan

Congratulations to all of my fellow FJMC Men's Club honorees & thank you to everyone at Beth Ohr for your support

Andy Mendlowitz

CONGRATULATIONS & BEST WISHES TO

ANDY MENDLOWITZ

SANDY & ANDY BUSCH

Mazel Tov to Congregation Beth Ohr's Man of the Year

ANDY MENDLOWITZ

A well-deserved honor!

Harriet and Phil Rabinowitz

Yasher Koach to

Andy Mendlowitz Beth Ohr's Man of the Year

A well-earned honor! We are very proud of you!

Love, Mom & Dad

Congratulations to

Andy Mendlowitz

For Your Outstanding Accomplishments

The Weitsen Family

Congratulations to

ANDY MENDLOWITZ

Beth Ohr's Man of the Year

One of the Great Guys!

IT'S ALWAYS FUN BEING WITH YOU AT BASEBALL GAMES, ATLANTIC CITY, GOLF, AND ESPECIALLY THE MEN'S CLUB.

MAZEL TOV!

Elliot Leibowitz & Ira and Lee Donenfeld & Bob and Harriet Weiss



Congregation Beth Ohr Honor Page

Congratulations to Andy Mendlowitz

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You are One in a Minyan!

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RABBI GERALD L. ZELIZER

We,

Morris & Yetta Gelber Ann & Howard Frank Miriam Saruya Sidney Krane

As Members of Neve Shalom Honor our Men's Club Honorees For the Year 2013

Congratulations to Matt Bonus

Men's Club Man of the Year

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Jennifer Greenberg

Neve Shalom's Youth of the Year

Thank you both for Your untiring efforts! *May you go from strength to strength!*



Is proud to present this year's honorees

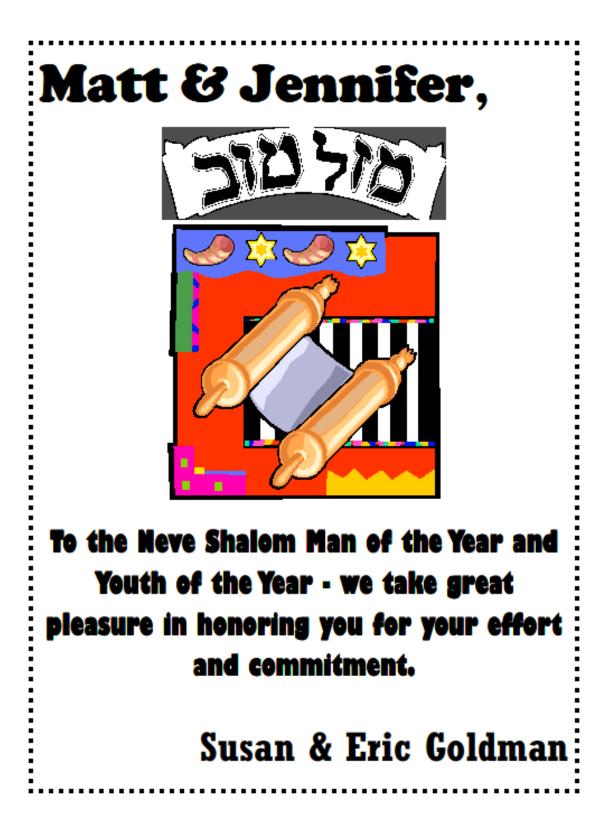
Morty Fields Memorial Man of the Year Matt Bonus Neve Shalom Youth of the Year

Jennifer Greenberg





Who leads their friends to meritorious conduct benefits always from that conduct and the benefit never leaves them. -- Zohar



Matt Bonus Man of the Year Neve Shalom, Metuchen

Congratulations on being Men's club Man of the Year. To us you are always the man of the year. You are a great husband as well as father. I am so proud of you with all the downfalls you've had over the past 10 years you've come back strong, nothing has held you down from achieving your goals. Licia

Dad

You have no idea how much of an impossible task it was to write this congratulation. To sum up 21 years worth of thanks and gratitude into only few short sentences, is like trying to shove an elephant thru a bendy straw. For the past 21 years you have been my game challenger, coach, referee, storyteller, tutor, librarian, benefactor, person to vent off frustration, rollercoaster buddy, punching bag, music library, calculator, and most importantly my father, which seems to be all of the above titles placed into one heading. And now everyone else gets to see what I see when ever I see you, that your bald spot is growing, but seriously congratulations on this award you deserve it and so much more. Love Tyler

Licia, Tyler, Elliot Bonus, Louis & Jean Bonus, Maurice & Ruth Gluck, David & Sharon Leichter, Steve, Debbie & Adam Nagel Dad,

Even though your favorite Dr. Seuss book is Fox in Socks, I am going to say a little about a different one: Oh the Places You'll Go. It's about a little kid who goes on a great adventure, learning about the world and all the amazing things he does. This has been the journey for all of us. You have seen and done great things in your time as Metuchen Men's Club President over the past 4 years. And you have never stopped being a great dad. You deserve this, and I am proud of you for doing what you have always told me to do, experience everything you can, and always strive to do your Elliot best.

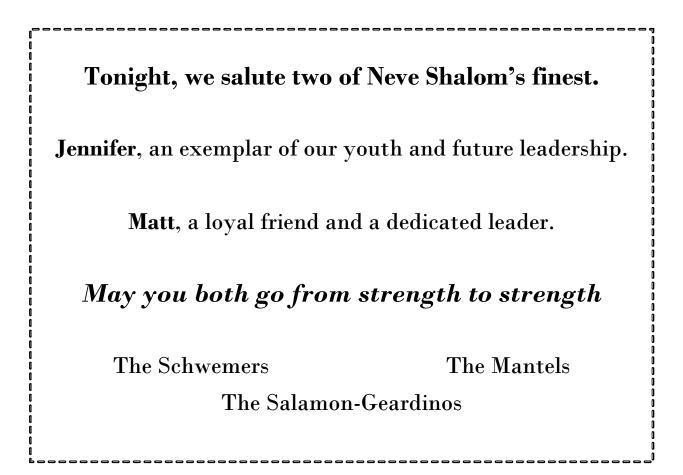
We honor

Matt Bonus

Neve Shalom Men's Club Past President

A Leader, A *Mentsche* and most of all, A Friend.

Elyse, Jeffrey, Haley and Whitney Schulman



Congratulations to

Matthew Bonus ^{and} Jenifer Greenber

for this well-deserved honor.

May you go from strength to strength.

Sandra Fields

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FRIEND, MATT BONUS

THE MORTY FIELDS MAN OF THE YEAR

AND TO

JENNIFER GREENBERG,

OUR YOUTH OF THE YEAR

YOU ARE BOTH TRULY DESERVING!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!

Debra and Dan Hirsch

In honor of

Jennifer Greenberg.

We have watched you grow up, we have been with you in good times and in bad, and we are awed by the Intelligent, Beautiful and Poised young woman you have become.

> Mazel Tov on being Neve Shalom's

Youth of the Year

Elyse, Jeffrey, Haley and Whitney Schulman

In honor of our daughter and sister Jennifer:

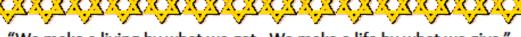
A woman of valor, with wisdom well beyond her years, and with Jewish commitment and principles that she preaches and practices in school, shul, and USY.

In honor of Matt Bonus:

Who, for decades, has exemplified menschlichkeit and friendship in the many communities that he has enriched.

May you each go from strength to strength!

Stacey, Jonathan and Scott Greenberg



"We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give."



Mazel Tov to

Man of the Year - Len Whitman

Youth of the Year - Ross Schneider

Regional Man of the Year - Elliott Brown

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LEN WHITMAN

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ON BEING NAMED THIS YEAR'S

MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER MAN OF THE YEAR

YOUR HARD WORK AND DEDICATION ON BEHALF OF THE MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER MEN'S CLUB IS GREATLY APPRECIATED BY ALL ITS MEMBERS.

IT IS SUCH A PLEASURE TO SERVE WITH YOU.

LORI, ELLIOTT, ARIELLE AND SAMANTHA BROWN

Yasher Koach to our Friends and Colleagues

Len Whitman

Man of the Year

Elliott Brown Regional Man of the Year

Ross Schneider

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Mazel Tov

Ross

Marlboro Jewish Center Youth of the Year

Love,

Mom, Dad, and Noah

CONGREGATION TORAT EL THE JERSEY SHORE JEWISH CENTER

Congregation Torat El Mens Club Wishes to Honor and Recognize:

Cantor Buce Siegel

"Man of the Year

2013/2014

congregation torat el beloved cantor and educator

Let it be known that the members of the Congregation Torat El Mens Club wish to Acknowledge and Thank "Cantor Bruce" for all the Hard Work and Dedication Brought forth by him for the benefit of our Mens Club and Congregation.

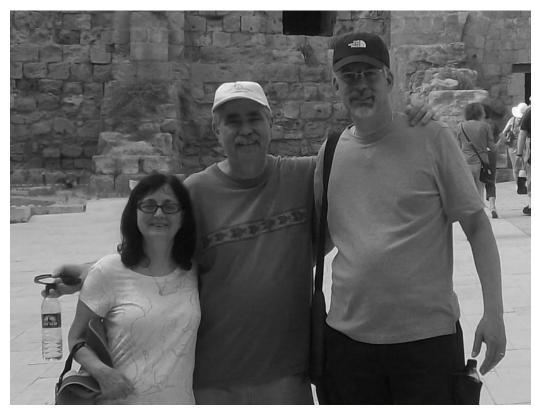
EBJC Men's Club honors David Julis as FJMC Man of the Year 2013

David teaches all of us to "Do the right thing"

Thank you for your dedication to EBJC, Men's Club, and the Movement

The Foladare Family wants to congratulate David Julis on being named FJMC Man of the Year

Your Energy, Drive and Compassion is a role model for the Community Mazel Tov to our great friend David Julis for this richly deserved honor. You teach us to do the right thing!



Howard and Cindi Jacobs





DAVID JULIS

OUR MAN OF EVERY YEAR!!!

Mazel Tov!!! Congratulations on being EBJC Men's Club Man of the Year!

This award could not go to a more deserving individual. Your selfless dedication and devotion to the Men's Club and EBJC is something to be admired. You are so passionate in all that you do and we couldn't be prouder of you!

WE LOVE YOU!

MARGOT, BECKY, SARAH, JOSH AND NORAH



We Celebrate your Accomplishments as a Leader and a Friend!

Man of the Year **David Julis**

Yasher Koach to our Past Men's Club President, and current EBJC Vice-President.

Rabbi Joshua S. Finkelstein Eric Rabinowitz – Co-President – EBJC Elissa Smith – Co-President -EBJC EBJC Members EBJC Board of Directors EBJC Executive Board EBJC Office Staff and the Entire EBJC Community



Mazel Tov to

David Julis EBJC's Man of the Year

For all his efforts on behalf of EBJC and our Jewish community

From Jerusalem to East Brunswick David is always our Man of the Year

Rabbi Joshua S. Finkelstein East Brunswick Jewish Center Mazel Tov

David Julis

EBJC's Man of the Year

Thank you for all you do in supporting

EBJC and EBJC Youth Programming

EBJC Youth Commission Mark Benson, Hayley Migdal & Joannie Weinfeld

David,

A Well Deserved Honor To a Friend that Cares More About Others than he Cares About Himself!

You'll always be our Man of the Year

Eric and Cindy Rabinowitz

Yoo Hoo DAVID JULIS



MAZEL TOV ON BEING NAMED AS

EBJC MENS CLUB MAN OF THE YEAR!

Your Welcoming and Friendly Nature is seen round the world!

Lois & Dave Mandell

The Executive Board of the Men's Progress Club is pleased to honor our Man of the Year

Ira Lieman

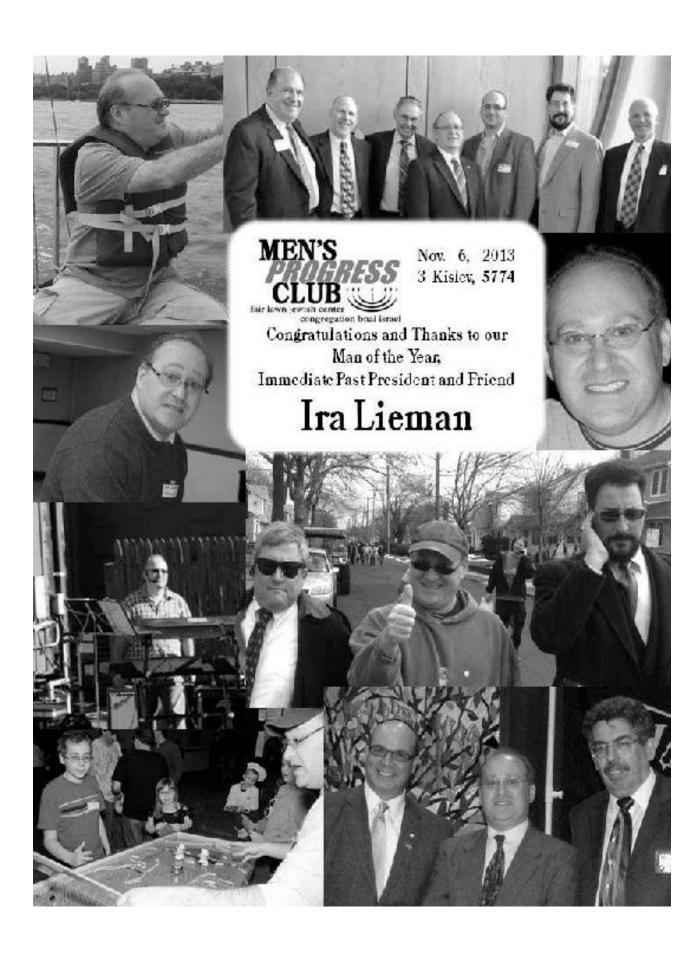
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מזל טובי

The Men's Club of The Highland Park Conservative Temple -Congregation Anshe Emeth

proudly congratulates

Jerry Langer

as our deserving recipient of the 2013 "Man of the Year" Award,

and

Moriah Herniter

as our honored "Youth of the Year"!

Thank you both for your dedication, your leadership, and your contributions to our Men's Club, our Youth Groups, and for engaging Jewish men and members of the next generation in Jewish life.

Yasher Koach!



Mazel tov!

The Highland Park Conservative Temple -Congregation Anshe Emeth

salutes

Jerry Langer and Moriah Herniter

for their years of service to our Temple, Men's Club and Youth Groups, to USY, to our Jewish community and to Israel. The Highland Park Minyan Celebrates

Jerry Langer

Thank you Jerry for all you do for the community and especially for the Highland Park Minyan!!

Mazal Tov

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The past recipients of the "Man of the Year" Award FROM THE HIGHLAND PARK CONSERVATIVE TEMPLE -CONGREGATION ANSHE EMETH

Mitzvah man Music man Minyan man

Scientist Ph D Professor

> Thoughtful Kind Coring

> > Friend ! Jerry Langer

What a terrific choice for Man of the Year! Mazal tov, Jerry! From your friends in Makhelat Hamercaz The Jewish Choir of Central New Jersey Jerome A. Langer

"Man of the Year"

Mensch for Life

Mazal Tov, Jerry, on this well-deserved honor!

ישר כח !

With love from Charlottesville,

Betty Dorman

Jan Dorman and Elliott Weiss

David and Christina Weiss

Zach, Anna and Zeke Weiss

"Do Not Stand Idly By When Your Neighbor Needs Blood"

(Leviticus 19:16a - if it were written in 5774)

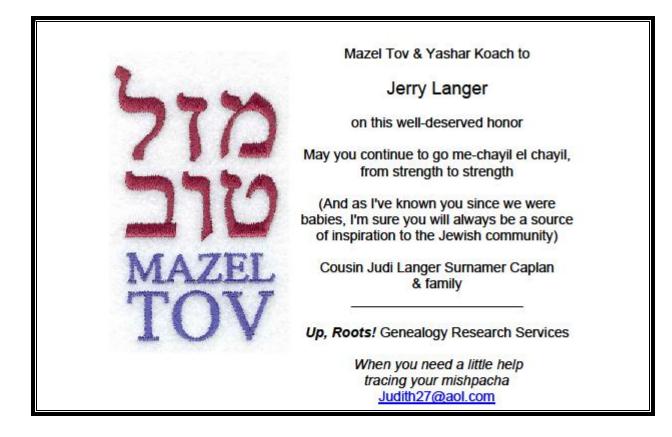
With Gratitude for the

- Blood Donors -

Who Save Lives,

and for the Volunteers and Families

who enable and support the donors.



Yasher Koach, Jerry

Clearly a well-deserved honor.

We treasure you and Pam as friends and appreciate all that you do for the community.

Ora Gourarie & Udi Shorr

Congratulations to our 2013 honoree

Glenn Fox

Dine Brook Jewish Center's

Man of the Year

in recognition of your leadership, hard work and dedication.

You lead us and inspire us. You are a pride to our faith and our synagogue family. **CONGRATULATIONS TO**

GLENN FOX

PBJC MEN'S CLUB MAN OF THE YEAR 2013 - 2014

YOUR COMMITMENT OF TIME TO THE PINE BROOK JEWISH CENTER AND YOUR DEDICATION TO MAKING THE PBJC A BETTER SYNAGOGUE FOR OUR MEMBERS AND OUR STUBENTS IS LAUDED

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The Pine Brook Jewish Center Men's Club

Proudly honors



Our 2013 – 2014 Man of the Year

In recognition of his outstanding service and dedication to the PBJC Men's Club and Synagogue

Congratulations and thank you for all your contributions, assistance and support through the years!

All the guys from the PBJC Men's Club

Our Most Sincere Congratulations To:



PBJC 2013-2104 Man-of-the-Year

Welcome To Our Elite Group!

From The PBJC Man-of-the-Year Past Honorees:

Jonathan Cohen **Howard Chesler Ray Feldman Mickey Gilbert Steve Gothelf** Rob Greenfield **Gary Messinger** Marv Kaufman Jerry Oppenberg Mark Roffman Don Rosenthal **Glenn Rothman** Alan Rothberg **Charlie Stein Jeffrey Weiss** Jack Wenarsky

Shomrei Torah Men's Plub

Is Proud to Honor

Henry Ramer

*** "Man of the Year 2013" ***

&

Mira Blecherman

*** "Youth of the Year 2013" ***

We commend Henry and Mira for their contribution and service to Shomrei Torah, and now is the time to honor them and show our appreciation.



The Weis Family Salutes

HENRY RAMER

SHOMREI TORAH'S

MITZVAH MAN

ON HIS WELL DESERVED HONOR



Mazel Tov HENRY RAMER

Shomrei Torah's Man of the Year 2013 You have always been our "Man of the Year" We applaud your dedication to Shomrei Torah

With love and great pride,

Carol, Sarah, Paula and Jordan, and your beloved Eli

We also honor Mira Blecherman Shomrei Torah's Youth of the Year 2013 It is with tremendous joy that we participate in honoring our good friend,

Henry Ramer.

The name Henry, undoubtedly, was meant to be an acronym for the man his parents knew he would become.

Honorable Energetic and Even Tempered Nicest Guy Ever Rational, Reasonable, Patient, and Kind to the nth degree Young in every way

For everything he is, for everything he represents, For everything he does, Henry so deserves this recognition.

With love,

Beth and Ed Julíe

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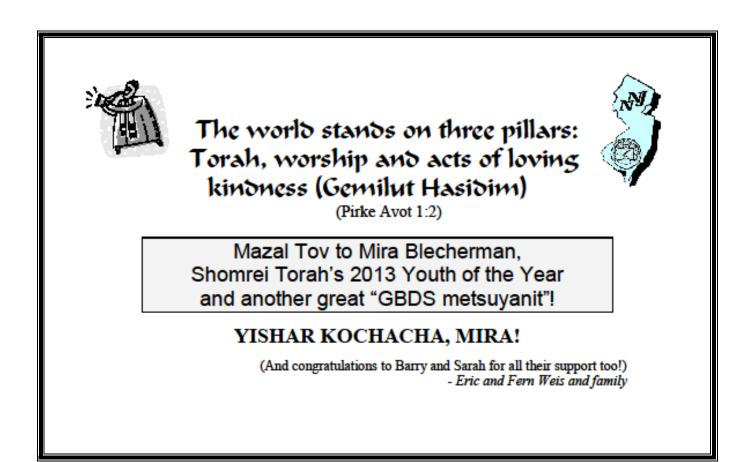
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HENRY

From his long time Paterson friends!

Yasher Koach!

Marcia & Ben Chapman and Rina & Burt Lerner



Mira –

<u>Mazel Tov</u> on being selected as Youth of the Year at Shomrei Torah.

We are all so proud of you!

With much love,

Grandma Susie

Grandma Caroline and Poppy

and

Mom, Dad, Shayna, Josh and Kayla

... If a child has great learning we must honor the child as if she were an elder.

- Zohar

It is with tremendous joy that we participate in honoring

Míra Blecherman,

A young woman who is deserving of being honored as an elder.

We feel privileged to have been given the opportunity to watch you grow into the beautiful, talented, sweet young woman you were clearly destined to be. You are a shining example, not only to the Jewish community as a whole but, more specifically to Jewish women of all ages. You have shown us in your humble lovely way that there are no longer any barriers to what a woman can achieve within Judaism.

May G-d bless you always and May you continue to go from strength to strength!!!

With love and admiration,

Beth and Ed Julíe

Mazel Tov and Congratulations to Darryl Jayson

Temple Beth El of Somerset 2013 Men's Club

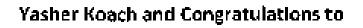
Man of the Year

Darryl, you've been our inspirational leader on the field, as Manager of our Division C Bearcats Championship Softball Team, and off the field as a Temple Board member and coordinator, arranger, and editor of our monthly Shofar Temple news bulletin.

We appreciate your efforts, and wish you continued success in your endeavors.

May you go from strength to strength.

Howard & Lois Altschul	Ira & Sheri Messer
Sheila Beberman	Phyllis & Kal Miller
Joe & Maxine Bell	Dan Morris
Marc Bondi	Howard & Fran Pearlson
Lee Davidson	Bob & Sari Persily
Louis Gehring	Gary Rosenthal
Bernie & Janet Goldstein	Elliott & Mara Sacks
Jeff & Iris Green	Andy & Debbie Sheffrin
Marc & Martha Hilton	Elaine Wasserman



Darryl Jayson

Our Temple Beth El of Somerset

2013 Men's Club

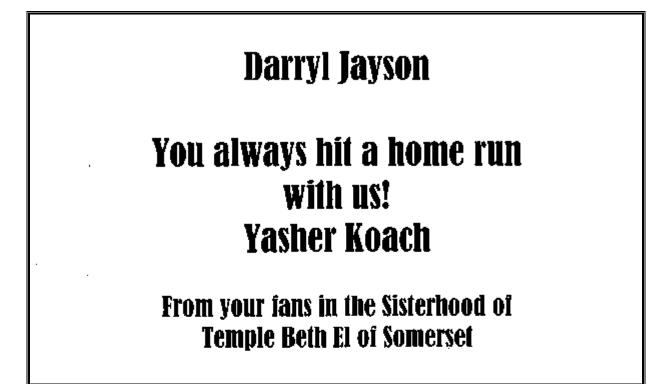
Man of the Year



Temple Beth El

Men's Club

Somerset, New Jersey



Darryl – Mazel Tov!

With our best wishes

Carole and Bob Kussner

The Men's Club of Temple Beth El Mekor Chayim

Congratulates and Sends Best Wishes to

Our Most Well Deserving Friend

David Springer

Man of the Year 2013/5774

and our Youths of the Year

Adam Solomon & Matthew Kandl

We are so proud of your many achievements and years of dedicated service to the Men's Club and our Synagogue.

You are an inspiration to all of us. Mazel Tov!

Lester Rosenblum, Lance Kandl, Craig Schwartz, Irwin Rappaport, Harry Einhorn, Burt Mandell, Phil Stein, Michael Scher, David Salomon, Chuck Levitt, George Forest, Marvin Marguiles Marty Metzger, Ted Taub, Len Farber, Bert Fine, Leo Dulberger

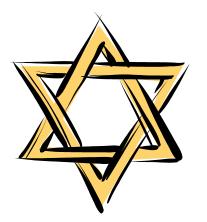
THE ENTIRE SPRINGER FAMILY

THANKS TEMPLE BETH-EL MEKOR CHAYIM'S MENS' CLUB FOR HONORING

DAVID SPRINGER

BY NAMING HIM THEIR 2013 MAN OF THE YEAR!

MAZEL TOV TO ALL THE HONOREES!



MAZEL TOV To Our Friend David Springer Abbie & Howard Halperin

DAVID SPRINGER

Congratulations on your well deserved recognition of your devotion to our shul and the community. May you go from strength to strength.

Marilyn Kaback

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MATTHEW KANDL Temple Beth-El Mekor Chayim Co-Youth of the Year



Jimmy wants to interview you about your future plans

Heisenberg wants to be your business partner





Stewie is concerned you want to take over his world

Sheldon wants to discuss theoretical physics with you





We just want to say Mazel Tov and how proud we are of you!

Love Grandma Doris, Grandpa Burt, Mom, Dad, Uncle Steve, Aunt Laura, Uncle Dave, Aunt Lois, Erica, Jess, Jeff, Doug, Lauren, Alli & Scott

LET'S HEAR IT FOR THE BOYS! LET'S HEAR IT FOR OUR MEN!

Adam Solomon and Matthew Kandl TBEMC Men's Club Youth of the Year

We're proud of everything Adam and Matt have accomplished as boys and teens!

We are inspired by all they can become as they reach the cusp of Manhood!

Love to our Young Men of the Year!

Phyllis & Lance Kandl Rhondi & Bruce Solomon



Temple Beth O'r/Beth Torah Men's Club

Extends a Very Hearty Yasher Ko-ach to

Richard (Dick) Lavroff

On Being Named Our

Man of the Year 2013-14

Mazel Tov on a Well-Deserved Honor!!!

We Thank You for Your Service

MAZEL TOV to

DICK LAVAROFF

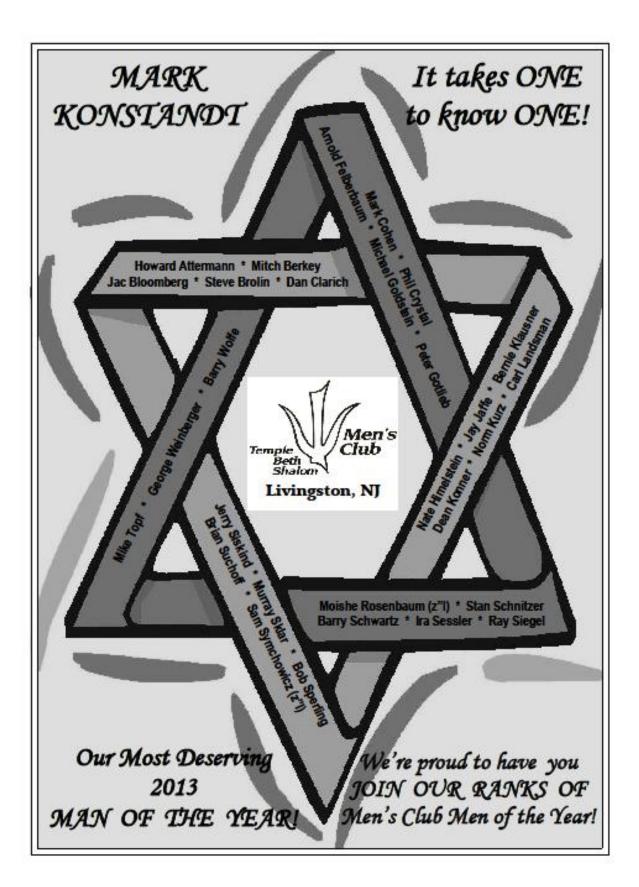
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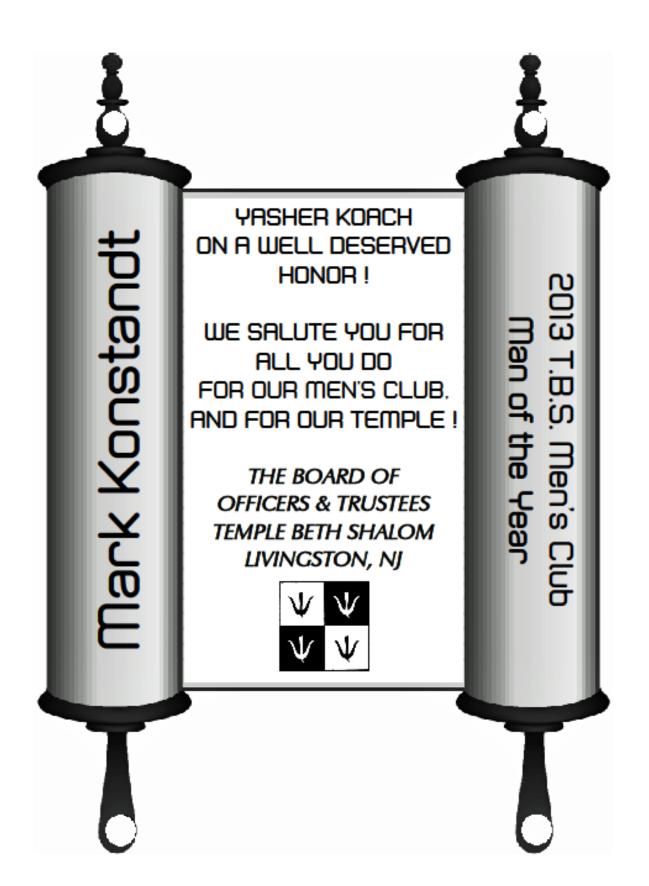
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Congratulations to our Man of the Year

Mark Konstandt

Yasher Koach !!!

Laura, Jeffrey and Jonathan Greif

Temple Beth Shalom

Livingston, New Jersey



CONGRATULATIONS AND YASHER KOACH

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"COACH" MARK KONSTANDT

FROM

THE TEMPLE BETH SHALOM MEN'S CLUB SOFTBALL TEAM

Mazal Tov! HOWARD SCHREIBER Temple Israel's Man of the Year



Thank you for all the great work that you do at our synagogue AND on the golf course!

Love, Christine & Evan Dobkins

The Board of Directors of Temple Israel & Jewish Community Center, Ridgewood, NJ Hereby resolves that:

Howard Schreiber

Is being honored as BMC's **2013-2014 MOY** In recognition of his continuous Work and devotion to our community.

CONGRATULATIONS!

MOTION: Howard S. Is the man!

Motion PASSED unanimously by:

The Officers, Trustees and Committee Chairs

Congratulations Howard Schreiber Man of the Year

Brandeis Men's Club, Temple Israel, Ridgewood, NJ

You've always been a "Stand-Out" Guy

And an Inspiration to our Jewish Community

Being named "Man of the Year" is an Honor, but if we had it our way, you would be called: "Mensch of the Year"



mensch /menCH/

noun informal

1. a person of integrity and honor.

From your friends:

Nancy & Aríe Bortenger Rabbí Selig Salkowítz Susan & Joe Landau Sandy & Joe Wechsler

<u>Man of the Year</u> Howard Schreiber

Business manFamily manTemple manHelpful manHelpful manHoward, you are all of these things and moreWhen a friend needs you,
When the community needs you,
When leadership needs you,When leadership needs you,
When leadership needs you,

So now we are here for you - to say



Alex Rothschild & Bob Dworkin

It is with great pride and gratitude that I have the privilege to pass the "Bowler" to a man that truly exemplifies the spirit and goodness of Harry Grant z"l.



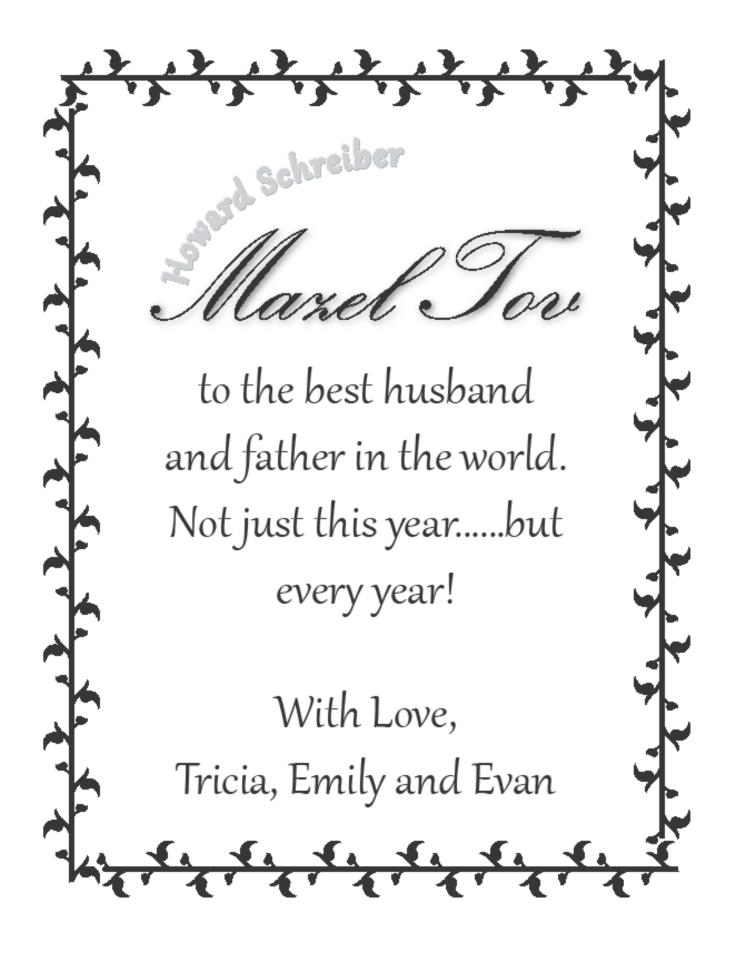
Howard Schreiber

Temple Israel and Ridgewood Jewish Community Center's Brandeis Men's Club

Man of the Year

Mazel Tov

Freddie Kotek



Mazel Tov to

Howard Schreiber

On being honored as **Brandeis Men's Club** 2013 Man of the Year At Temple Israel, Ridgewood

From your friend, Ike Golderg, at:

Squires Goldberg LLP 904-Pompton Avenue Cedar Grove, NJ 07009

Howard Schreiber Our Man of the Year

"Say Little...Do Much...Receive all men cheerfully.." (Avot 1:15)

In appreciation of all you do and have done for Temple Israel, Brandeis Men's Club, the Jewish and our Bergen county communities.

Linda and Abe Davis



HOWARD SCHREIBER

For your long-awaited, most-deserved honor

as **Brandeis Men's Club 2013-2014** MOY

Your tireless dedication and innovative leadership at BMC and Temple Israel are recognized and appreciated by all.

A hearty Yasher Koach!

from David "Mulligan" Millman



OY, SUCH A MOY! MAZAL TOV TO OUR MOST DESERVING FRIEND, HOWARD SCHREIBER

() ongratulations!

Elyse Beidner Levene Louis S. Levene Nadine Genet Leigh Brown

CHEERS TO

HOWARD SCHREIBER!



FROM HIS CLASSY FRIENDS,

DAVID, CHUCK AND BOB (and our spouses)

To Howard Schreiber, Our Amazing MOY To Trish, His Lovely WOY To Emily & Evan, their terrific CHOY

We love you all and wish you MAZAL TOV!

Tamara & Barry Freeman Temple Israel & J.C.C., Ridgewood

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NNJR New Jersey Devils Hockey Afternoon Sunday afternoon, March 2, 2014

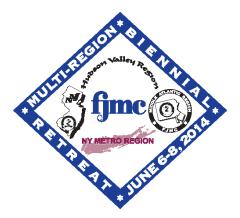




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2014 Biennial Retreat June 6 - 8, 2014

IN HONOR OF

ELLIOTT J. BROWN

PROSKAUER LLP CONGRATULATES ELLIOTT ON THIS WELL DESERVED MAN OF THE YEAR HONOR, AND IS PLEASED TO NOTE ITS LONG-TERM ASSOCIATION WITH THIS GREAT LAWYER AND HUMAN BEING.

PROSKAUER LLP

Andy Mendlowitz

Congratulations on being named "Man of the Year!"

> From your friends from the East Brunswick High School Class of 1992 Lunch Crew

> > Tony Yoseloff George Stapleton Dan Litt

Northern New Jersey Region – FJMC Twenty-fourth Annual



Man of the Year/ Youth of the Year Dinner 2013/5774

Ad Journal Supplement

Wednesday, November 6th, 2013 Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael, Springfield

> Wednesday, November 13th, 2013 The Grand Marquis, Old Bridge

HATIKVAH

Kol od ba-levav p'nimah Nefesh y'hudi homiyah U-l'fa-atei mizrah kadimah Ayin l'Tziyon tzofiyah. Od lo avdah tikvatenu Ha-tikvah bat sh'not alpayim Li-h'yot am hofshi b'artzenu Eretz Tziyon vi-rushalayim. התקוה

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JOE TENENBAUM TEMPLE BETH AHM YISRAEL—SPRINGFIELD



Joe Tenenbaum has been an active , dedicated and involved member of the Mens Club for over 50 years. He has organized many programs such as assistance to the less fortunate by raising funds to feed the homeless, seeking to develop B'nai Brith senior citizen housing in Springfield, bus trips to the Jewish Museum in NY and Philadelphia and many other breakfast and evening events. Many of these programs have been in conjunction with B'nai Brith.

Joe, who for many years has been involved in B'nai Brith projects, was honored by the Northern NJ Council as the 1996-1997 Volunteer of the Year.

Joe is a member of the Elin –Unger Post 273 of the Jewish War Veterans, the Springfield Democratic Committee, a congregant of

Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael, and a member of Hazak, its senior group. He is also a member of the senior group of Congregation Israel in Springfield, and the Weequahic High School Alumni Association. In addition, Joe is also on the board of trustees of Hazak and the senior group of Congregation Israel.

Joe has been married to Muriel for 63 years. They have three sons and four grandchildren.





Temple Beth-El Mekor Chayim is proud to honor

Daye Springer as Man of the Year 2013

We recognize Dave for his commitment to TBEMC and the Men's Club.

Dave has been an involved member of our community for nearly 30 years. We are grateful and appreciative for all his hard work and dedication.

YASHER KOACH and MAZAL TOV!!

We also recognize and honor

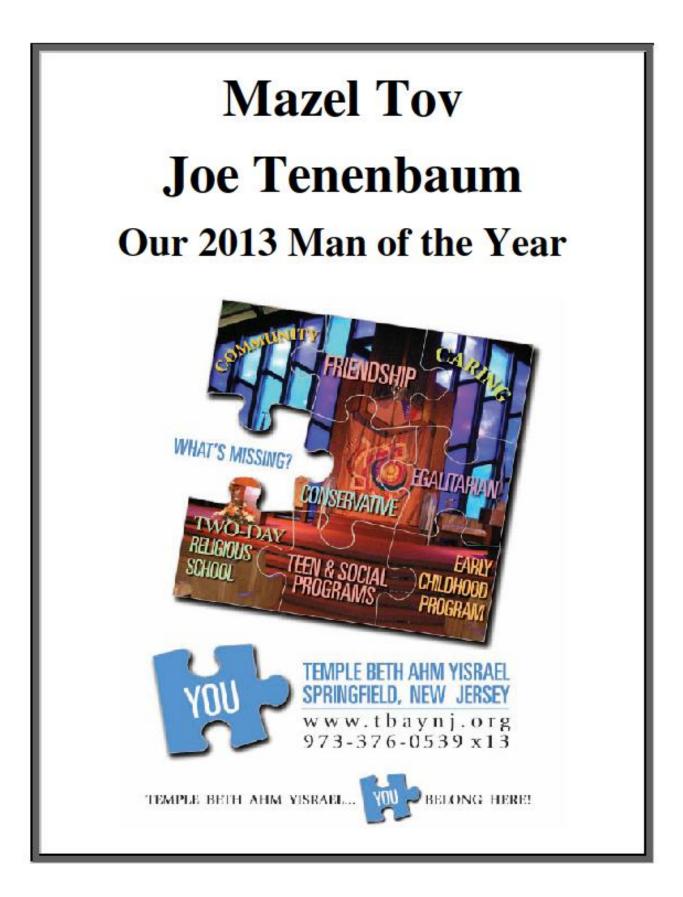
Matthew Kandl & Adam Solomon as our 2013 Youths of the Year

Matt and Adam grew up in TBEMC; have been involved in Kadima & USY, as well as working on projects and events for the Temple.

YASHER KOACH and MAZAL TOV!!

Temple Beth-El Mekor Chayim A Conservative Egalitarian Synagogue 338 Walnut Avenue, Cranford, NJ 07016 908-276-9231 www.tbemc.org Rabbi Ben Goldstein





מזל מוב ויאשר כח

ΤO

Joe Tenenbaum

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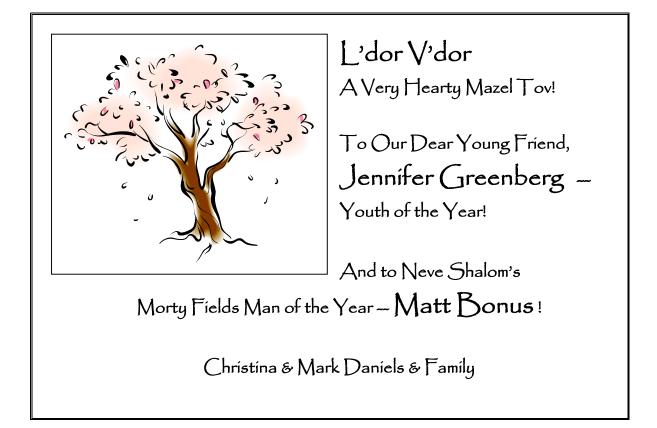
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HOWARD Schreiber

NNJ REGION Federation OF Jewish Men's Clubs

2013 Man of The Year





Matt Bonus And Jennifer Greenberg My warmest congratulations! Julius J. Feinson

"One can even carry water in a sieve if you have the patience to wait till it freezes."

Mordechai Kaplan extended this to Jewish communal life, when he said:

"if we shall have patience enough that till the forces that make for cohesion will set in, we shall have a Jewish community even under modern conditions."

Neve Shalom's honorees are patient community leaders and catalysts that have contributed to the continuity of Jewish culture and Jewish life.

Yasher Koach to our "Morty Fields" Man of the Year

Matt Bonus

and Youth of the Year Jennifer Greenberg

From the Geller Family,

Harold, Robbie, Melanie, David and Snoopy.

Temple Beth O'R/Beth Torah

The Past Salutes the Present and is Repeated.

As

Cantor Steven Stern, Bob Kolker, Mike Goldstein, Dennis Berry, Paul Hymanson, Michael Roth, Dr. Mike Miller, Leon Oberman, Alan Davis, Arthur Gesten, Bill Hausler

Recognize

Richard (Dick) Lavroff

As Our

Man of the Year 2013

Mazel Tov and Yasher Ko-ach

Temple Beth O'R/Beth Torah Congregation Congratulates **Richard (Dick) Lavroff For Being Named** Men's Club Man of the Year 2013 **Mazel Toy and Yasher Ko-ach** Thank you for You Support

Dick Lavroff:

Congratulations

on a well deserved honor!

From

Bob & Natty Lapidus

Mazel Tov to two very deserving Shomrei Torah members:

Henry Ramer

and

Mira Blecherman

May you go from strength to strength.

Ray Fishler

David Julis,

You have cooked up a recipe for success!

We know you will continue to add to your menu.

Congratulations on becoming Man of the Year!

From your friends,

Nancy and Mark Scharff Helene and Ken Gerson Dov and Barbara Pollak Mazel Tov and Yasher Koach

to

David Julis

EBJC Men's Club Man of the Year

EBJC Mitzvah Corps

Congratulations to

David Julis

EBJC Men's Club Man of the Year

Your efforts & triumphs are acknowledged and appreciated near and far. The far is represented by Virginia.

Lori and Allen Zobler



Marlboro Jewish Center Congregation Ohev Shalom 103 School Road West Marlboro, N.J. 07746 (732) 536-2300 Fax: (732) 536-0707

The Past Man of the Year Honorees of Marlboro Jewish Center Welcome the Newest Member of our Exclusive Club

Len Whitman

We're also proud that one of our own is being honored as this year's Regional Man of the Year

Elliott Brown

And our Youth of the Year - Ross Schneider

Thanks for all your efforts on behalf of the Conservative Men's Club Movement

Lance Adelson Alan Greenberg Larry Josephs Steve Landau Allan Solomon Eric Bonett Michael Danziger Rob Klepner Howard Shafran Steve Solomon

Mazel Tov Elliott!

From The Card Guys



Mazel Tov

Elliott Brown

Regional Man Of The Year

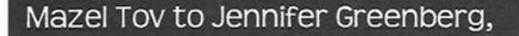
Mathew Bonus

Neve Shalom Man Of The Year

Jennifer Greenberg

Neve Shalom Youth Of The Year

The Yellin Family



Neve Shalom's Youth of the Year

and favorite niece every year!

Love, Aunt Deb and Uncle Bruce

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Elliott Jeffery Brown

For being named "2013 Man of the Year" for the Northern New Jersey Region of the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs.

We are proud of you for your dedication to your Men's Club, your synagogue, the Jewish community and the State of Israel.

With love,

Marlene and Robert Krause Amy and Alan Krause Emily and Jennifer Krause