



We Celebrate

Sukkot

Simehat Torah



From the Bimah

Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur have now come and gone. Attendance was good and the participation of our congregation was quite good as well. Yom Kippur away from our synagogue was very different, but interesting. We enjoyed meeting a variety of new people who otherwise may not have joined us. Now we look to Sukkot and beyond. The Torah offers a glimpse into the meaning of Sukkot, as our instructions are to build temporary shelters and spend time dwelling in them joyously. Obviously, we recognize that our very lives are temporary and that we are in God's hands.. This thought should never keep us from enjoying our existence and the good things God has given us. Family, friends, our community and a good country are all things to be grateful for. Let us this year celebrate Sukkot, Thanksgiving and then Chanukah with a spirit of gratitude to the God that has bestowed so much good upon us.

Joe & Robin



From our President

Hi Everyone! It feels good to breathe again, with the High Holidays done for this year. Personally, I thought that our services, both at the temple and at the Black Box Theatre, were excellent. I want to thank everyone involved in setting everything up, especially Joyce Cohen.

Everything was more challenging this year, with having Yom Kippur services offsite. We had numerous items to take (and return). Thanks to Joe and Robin for taking the Torahs, and for the beautiful harp music. Another thanks to Joe for starting a choir, and to my fellow choir members for their time for rehearsals, and their voices.

I heard numerous positive comments about the services at the Black Box Theatre. If you have comments, please let me know. I'd like to plan further in advance for next year.

Still on the topic of the High Holidays, I want thank Ava and Bev, as well as others who helped with the Lunch and Learn. It was great!

Regina, along with the ladies of the Congregation, prepared wonderful food for Break the Fast, and had beautiful table settings. Thank You to all!

We're starting out October on the first with another Shalom Y'All Craft Fair at the Clermont Arts and Recreation Center. I hope to see everyone there to support our local crafts people. We have a lot of very talented people who will be offering their crafts. And if you come, come Hungry! We will have the CRAVE Food Truck again. Their food is great!

Please remember that we will begin our Friday night services at 7 PM beginning October 6th. We had a vote of the congregation that resulted in a slim vote for the

earlier starting time. We will try it for the month of October, and will take a look at it at that time to determine if we keep the earlier time.

Have a great October. L'Shana Tovah!

Lou



From the Sisterhood

Thank you to our sisters who came out to our Sisterhood Paid Up Membership 'Italian' luncheon held at Café' Congregation Sinai on September 21st. We had a great turnout with a lot of great ideas to do outreach to many organizations in our neighborhood. Also, we have a lot of great events planned and hope if you haven't paid your dues yet, that you will and join us in our future events.

One of our outreach programs is to donate non-perishable food to The Neighborhood Center of South Lake (formally Faith Neighborhood) located in Groveland. Thanks to our many members, we have donated over 39 pounds of food in July alone. We just brought more food there just last week from our community food drive. It's a great mitzvah to help others in need.

One of our fundraisers is to sign up and use Raise Right. There are over 750 store brands participating and basically you order an e-gift card online with our membership information, and a percentage of the e-gift card amount is donated back to our Sisterhood. The percentage is based on when you make the purchase and you do not have to use it right away. Some brands can be purchased with a minimum as low as \$5. They also have bonuses where some restaurants (that we use for share night) offer up to 15%. So for example, if you stock up and purchase a \$100 gift card when they offer 15%, sisterhood earned \$15, just from you. If you went to dinner with 6 people who also used Raise Right, that \$15 just turned into \$90, so you can see how this can easily add up. Please contact me for our sign up information or any questions you might have. I'll be glad to help you with this.

Another way that you can help us is to purchase Tributes from Karen Miller. A Tribute is a card that is sent to anyone (even non-members) to celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, bar

and bat mitzvahs, congratulations, happy new year's and in addition, get well, sympathy or even thinking of you. Your donation of \$6.50 per card saves you the time of going to the store to look for a card, finding a stamp and going out to mail it. Karen does it all. You can send your payment to Marsha either online, by mail or in person.

Save the dates – October 19th will be lunch at McAllister's followed by a tour of Bruster's ice cream.

January 25, 2024 for our awesome Fashion Show. Tickets are on sale now.

Thank you for all your support for Congregation Sinai Sisterhood. Each one of you are awesome.



Luncheon at Café Sinai...

Thank you for the decorations Joyce Cohen



Happy Birthday Bev !!!

Message from Michele Sobel

Dear Congregants

Last night after our terrific closing Yom Kippur service, we had a wonderful break the fast. We had 45 people there, which is the largest we've ever had in this building. Everything was wonderful and plentiful, and did justice to our High Holiday service conclusion.

I want to thank my committee: Wendy Payne, Karen Mandel, Gwen Levy and Regina and Alberto Behar who shopped 'til they dropped and also cooked and baked.

We had set up and clean up volunteers in addition to the committee. Liz Perez, Joan Mager, Janet Bloom (as always), Vicki Dingee, Toby Chanes, and Ava McKean (If you think she was a good Sisterhood President, you should see her as a mean dishwasher).

Thank you to all who contributed by preparing kugels, salads, and desserts, set up and cleaned up. To those who merely showed up and felt they were entitled to leftovers, please think about joining a committee or doing an oneg. This will put you on the entitled list.

I thank you all for helping make our Break the Fast the success that it was.

Michele



Hi everyone

Hope all is well.

Our next meeting is on Thursday October 12th at 1:00 PM. We will be discussing the film Skokie - a horrible of example of anti-semitism in our country. Stu Miller will be the presenter. Our meeting will take place on Go to Meeting. I will send a link as we get closer

The film is available on U tube.

In November we will meet on November 2nd. The book -All the Broken Places by John Boyle

Roz



Men's Club

The Men's Club is proud to announce the creation of a great position of MC Star Reporter This position will be filled by the world reknown PIERRE Born in Paris, he has intimate knowledge of all continents and has filed the following report:

Can anyone identify this Clown?

He must be found ASAP To receive his Good Guy reward. Please send all information to Star Reporter aka Pierre Haskelson

LOUD NOISE DUCK DOWN !!!!!!!



We will be studying the following Torah Potions during the month of October:

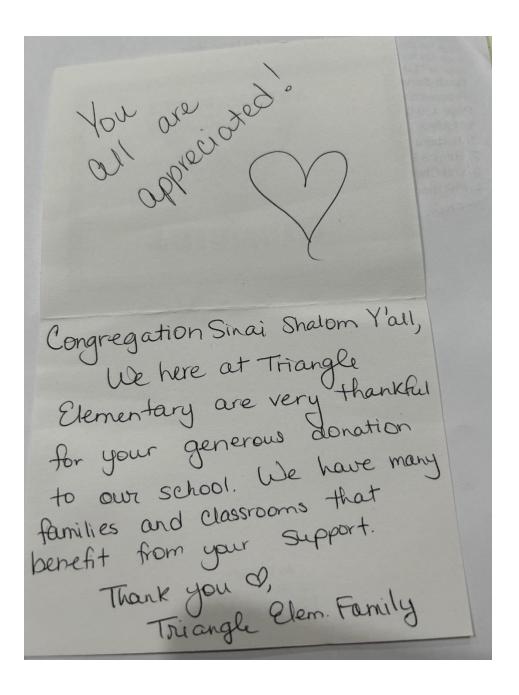
- 1). Oct. 7, V'Zot Habracha Deut. 33:1-34:12
- 2). Oct. 14, Bereshit Gen. 1:1 6:8 Haftarah - 1Sam. 20:18-42
- 3). Oct. 21, Noah Gen. 6:9 11:32 Haftarah - Isaiah 54:1 - 55:5
- 4). Oct. 28, Lech-Lecha Gen.12:1 17:27 Haftarah - Isaiah 40:27 - 41:16

Please join us each Sat. at 10AM for a little prayer, a little nosh and to study the Sidra of the week.

Adult Education

Classes are held Monday-Wednesday on Go to Meeting at 7:00 PM Monday is Advanced Hebrew and translation, Tuesday is Prayers, Wednesday is beginning and intermediate Hebrew . For all information call Karen Miller at 407-729-9823

Please Note: NEW starting time for Shabbat Services7:00PM



Six shopping bags full of school supplies were donated to this school from members of Congregation Sinai and Sisterhood. Thank you for your generosity



Yahrzeits

In Memory of	By
Thomas E. Cagan	Steve & Rosalind Silpe
Arnold Sail	Ann & Michael Sail
Neil Schoenfeld	Ilene & Andrew Feldman
Pauline Morrison	Walter Friedman



Birthdays and Anniversaries

October Birthdays

07 Alan Payne 20 Jack Gartner

10 Marsha Norden 25 Gwen Levy

10 Jody Stancliff 29 Michael Rosenfeld

14 Nesta Aharni

Happy Anniversary to Bonnie and Brad Farber



Нарру	Birthday	
То:	From:	
Barbara Cronson	Gwen Levy	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
Evelyn Gold	Janet and Phil Bloom	
	Gwen Levy	
Joe Goldovitz	Phil & Janet Bloom	
	Gwen Levy	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
	Marsha and Lee Norden	
David Allyn	Gwen Levy	
Robin Goldovitz	Gwen Levy	
	Marsha and Lee Norden	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
	Janet and Phil Bloom	
Joel Mandel	Gwen Levy	
	Janet and Phil Bloom	
Lou Chern	Gwen Levy	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
	Janet and Phil Bloom	
Bev Chern	Gwen Levy	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
	Janet and Phil Bloom	
	Stephanie and Alan Morgenstern	

	Condolences
TO:	From
Sue Levy	Gwen Levy
	Karen and Stu Miller
	Sisterhood
Jodi Pine	Karen Miller
	Sisterhood

L'Shana	Tova	
То:	From:	
Ruth Borsky	Regina and Alberto Behar	
	Karen and Stu Miller	
	Gwen Levy	
Get	Well	
	From	
TO:		
Stu Miller	Rocky Coleman	

Нарру	Anniversary
То:	From:
Andrew and Ilene Feldman	Gwen Levy
Ava and David McKean	Gwen Levy Janet and Phil Bloom
	Marsha and Lee Norden
	Karen and Stu Miller

Happy Sukkot!!



By Regina Behar





We train them young !!!

Happy Sukkot to the Hornsteins



Marsha and Lee Norden

Miss Robin is decorating the Sukkot



Miss Regina is in charge here



Happy Sukkot to the Gartners

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Sunday School 10-12	2 Hebrew class Translation 1 and 2 7:00 PM	3 Hebrew Prayers Class 7:00 PM	4 Hebrew classes 7:00 PM	LOUD NOISE DUCK DOWN	6 Kabbalat Shabbat and Celebration Simchat Torah Healing at 6:30 PM Service 7:00	7 Torah Study Synagogue 10:00-12:00
8 Sunday School 10-12	9 No Hebrew classes	10 No Hebrew classes	11 No Hebrew classes Sisterhood Board Meeting 10:00	12 Congregation Board Meeting 7:00 PM Synagogue	13 Kabbalat Shabbat NEW TIME 7:00 PM	14 Torah Study online 10:00-11:30
15 No Sunday School	16 No Hebrew classes	17 No Hebrew classes Share night Texas Roadhous	18 No Hebrew classes	19 Sisterhood General Mtg McAllisters for lunch Tour of Brusters	20 Kabbalat Shabbat NEW TIME 7:00 PM	21 Torah Study online 10:00-11:30
22 No Sunday School	23 No Hebrew classes	24 No Hebrew classes	25 No Hebrew classes	26	27 Kabbalat Shabbat NEW TIME 7:00 PM	28 Torah Study online 10:00-11:30
29 Sunday School 10-12 AM	30 Hebrew Class 1 and 2 7:00 Pm	31 Hebrew PrayersClass 7:00 PM				