



*The October 2010 Shofar*  
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### **Simchat Torah**

*Simchat Torah*, Hebrew for "rejoicing in the Law", celebrates the completion of the annual reading of the Torah. *Simchat Torah* is a joyous festival, in which we affirm our view of the Torah as a tree of life and demonstrate a living example of never-ending, lifelong study. Torah scrolls are taken from the ark and carried or danced around the sanctuary seven times. During the Torah service, the concluding section of Deuteronomy is read, and immediately following, the opening section of Genesis, *B'reishit* as it is called in Hebrew, is read.

Come and join us in this joyous festival on Friday, October 1 at 7 p.m.

### **Temple Beth El Chai Society**

**Sunday, October 10, 2010 at 9:30 a.m.**

Speaker: Dr. William Brender  
 Topic: Kabbalah and *Tikkun Olam*

### **Mitzvah Plaque**

Please join us on October 15, 2010 at 7 p.m. for Shabbat services as we honor Lois Hellman by adding her name to our *Mitzvah Plaque*. This is our way of expressing our thanks for her many years of devoted service to Temple Beth El.

We have very special speakers and a wonderful oneg following services.

Please come to show Lois how appreciative we are of all the work she has done for Temple Beth El over these many years.

### **Kol Nidre in Concert**

*Kol Nidre* is not just for *Yom Kippur*. Max Bruch wrote an orchestral piece for cello, and orchestra based upon this traditional melody and on October 10 you can hear it performed by Jameson Platte, principal cello and the Glens Falls Symphony Orchestra on Sunday afternoon October 10 at 4 p.m. at the Glens Falls High School.

The GFSO has given a block of tickets to the Temple for us to sell. And by purchasing your tickets from the Temple, you help us raise funds, and you help the Glens Falls Symphony with your attendance. It's a win-win plan.

All tickets are \$25. Just call Katie, and arrange to pick them up at your convenience.

So come hear *Kol Nidre*, Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso for violin featuring concert master Michael Emery. The orchestra closes the program with Brahms Symphony No.1. You'll hear Great Music Right Here, represent the Jewish community, and nourish your soul.

Questions? Call Robert or Barbara Rosoff at 792-1023.

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## President's Message

My message this month is an open letter of thanks and appreciation to 2 women who help us in many unknown and vital roles: Katie Weaver, our administrative assistant, and Minette Riquelme, our custodian who does so much more than care lovingly for our building.

Dear Katie and Minette,

Without your dedication, organization and constant good humor, religious and social life at Temple Beth El would not be as much fun or as easy as you make it look.

Katie, your cheerful voice on the phone is welcoming – even on those hectic days. Your organizational and office skills bring us the Shofar, e-mails, flyers, the *Yizkor* Book and the program for the High Holy Days. And we don't have enough ink to explain all you do for the Rabbi. I know, though, that you have help. Tyler and Jonathan Weaver fold, label, stamp and even help pack honey bears for out-of-town mailings. I have the photo to prove it! Thanks, guys.

Minette, your energy and initiative allow us to enjoy our religious and social activities calmly. "Don't worry about it" and "It's under control" are not empty phrases. Onegs, the Break-the Fast, the community Seder and our family life cycle events are all easier for us because of your commitment to Temple and your "team". The building looks beautiful. We never know what combination of Lizzette, Imani, Jasmine, Isaiah and Quincy we will find helping you with your many Temple projects, but we love seeing and talking with them. Thank you all.

Minette and Katie, the congregation and I are grateful and appreciative. You understand our needs as a religious community; and, because of your confidence in your own abilities, and each other's, life at Temple runs smoothly. You are part of our endeavors and part of the Temple Beth El family.

To you and all your helpers, a huge, heartfelt THANK YOU

Barbara

## **Mazel Tov!**

*Mazel tov* to Wendy Abbott who became a grandmother to **Wyatt Travis Piersol** on August 25, 2010 and to parents, Chelsea and Seth Piersol and to uncles Lucas and Hunter.

*Mazel Tov* to Rebecca & Paul Rubenstein on the birth of their daughter, **Sasha Rae Rubenstein**, who was born on Tuesday, September 7, 2010.

## **The Blind Artists' Society 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Exhibition**

Temple Beth El members Tom and Renee O'Brien had several images accepted in The Blind Artists' Society's 2nd Annual Exhibition at The Arts Center of the Capital Region in Troy, New York. The exhibit opened on September 15th and continues until October 10th.

The Blind Artists' Society (BAS) was founded in 2007 by the Retina Research Foundation, Inc., as a community for artists suffering from visual loss. The BAS provides means for the artists to gain exposure with their work in online and gallery settings, and to communicate experience and feelings as a support group.

The Northeastern Association of the Blind at Albany (NABA) has served blind and visually impaired Capital Region residents since 1908. Each year, NABA provides services and programs to over 2,500 blind and visually impaired individuals in 15 counties.

These services and programs assist individuals to adapt to their vision loss, maximize their remaining vision, achieve their goals and to assist them to lead more productive and independent lives.

There is a benefit reception on October 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Tickets are available through the NABA.

The exhibit will also be part of Troy Night Out, a monthly arts and cultural event that takes place the last Friday of every month in downtown Troy from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m.

For more information, call (518) 463-1211 ext. 241.



### TSRS Update

I am very pleased to announce that the religious school has hired 18 people to work as teachers and aides this year. Our new teachers are: Elaine Sobel (Pre-K), Elissa Eichen (K-1), Ellen Katz (6-7), Dolly Morrissey (Hebrew), and Jennifer Dashef (Art). Our returning teachers are: Denise Jackson (2-3), John Guglielmo (4-5), Sara Rice (8-9), Debbie Friedman (Music), and our Hebrew teachers and resident "Jewish experts" Rabbis Durbin and Marmon. Our 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade students working as teachers and aides are: Cameron Guglielmo, Kaili Jackson, Molly Lieberman, Jeff Naftaly, Daniel Schwartz, and Elena Silverberg. Finally, returning for another year of helping with everything as administrative assistant is Suzanne Seay. I am very pleased to be working with such an experienced and dedicated group of people. I know that working together all of our students will be in for a great school year.

The second community luncheon of the year will be held after religious school at noon at the Temple on October 24<sup>th</sup>. We will also take this opportunity to honor Sheldon and Louise Binns. In addition to officially naming our new TSRS library in honor of Sheldon, we have decided to name both Sheldon and Louise as the first recipients of the Rabbi Richard J. Sobel Distinguished Service Award. It is only fitting that the Binns will be the inaugural recipients of this honor as they both dedicated three decades to the Jewish education of their students, many of whom currently have children of their own in the school. I spoke with one of Sheldon's former students recently as he was dropping his children off at school, and he could still refer to him only as "Mr. Binns."

At the time of writing this article, we have had only one day of religious school. However, if this day was any indication, then I know that we will have a fantastic year. I hope that everyone had a very happy and meaningful new year.

Sincerely,

Adam Fine, TSRS Director

### Pedlar's Fair

The Pedlar's Fair is Sunday, November 7. Saleable items may be brought to the Temple whenever it is open or on work days. Unfortunately, we can no longer pick up large items. We desperately need your help on the following work days:

Thursday, October 28: 3 pm - 5 pm (This is the time we bring everything up from the basement.)

Friday, October 29: 10 am - 1 pm

Sunday, October 31: 10 am - 1 pm

Monday, November 1: 10 am - 1 pm

Wednesday, November 3: 4 pm - 7 pm

Friday, November 5: 10 am - 1 pm

On the sale day, please come to help at 8:30 a.m. Clean up starts at 12:30 p.m. We need volunteers for both these times. Please let us know if you can help.

Rachel and Maxine

### Hadassah Brunch

On Sunday, October 17th, at 11:30 a.m. the Glens Falls Chapter of Hadassah is having a light brunch with a guest speaker at The Glen, 39 Longview Drive, Queensbury.

Please RSVP to Gilda Siegel at 812-0145.

### Special Exhibit at Aimee's Dinner & A Movie

You won't want to miss the special exhibit being shown throughout the month of October at Aimee's Dinner & A Movie entitled "Celebration of Life." The World Awareness Children's Museum (WACM) has put together this special traveling art show based on paintings made by schoolchildren in the North Country for Hadassah's "A Celebration of Life" Holocaust project in 2007 & 2008 based on Jafa Wallach's book "Bitter Freedom."



**Beginner Hebrew**

*Tuesdays, October 5th through December 14th at 5:30 p.m.*

Come and learn the Hebrew alphabet and begin to decipher the language. We will start from scratch and begin building our knowledge where in the end we will begin to learn prayers and pronouncing Hebrew words. No experience necessary!

(Class taught by Rabbi Matt Durbin)

**Intermediate Hebrew**

*Thursdays, October 7th through December 16th at 2 p.m.*

This is an exploration of Biblical and Rabbinic passages beginning with the Story of Creation. We will examine and learn our textual tradition from the beginning of the Torah and use Midrashic texts and Rabbinic sources to help foster a deeper understanding of our texts. It will combine both Hebrew and textual analysis. All are welcome to participate. Come for the text study and leave feeling a deeper appreciation for our tradition!

(Class taught by Rabbi Matt Durbin)

**Jewish/Israeli Film Nights**

Beginning in November – More info to follow

**Stories From Our Past**

*Thursdays, November 4th through November 18th at 6 p.m.*

Come and study some of the illustrative stories from our tradition as we explore Jewish folklore, Israeli and Jewish literature, and Chasidic tales which invite and excite the spirit!

(Class taught by Rabbi Matt Durbin)

**David's Divas**

*Mondays, November 8th through November 22nd at 6 p.m.*

Come and learn about the "Mistresses of the Monarchy"! Discover the political influence and complex characters of King David's three named wives: Michal, Abigail, and Bathsheba. We will study the texts in-depth in order to analyze David's divas and to relate their challenges, successes, and struggles to our own lives today.

(Class taught by Rabbi Rose Durbin)

**Jumping Into Judaism**

*Thursdays, December 2nd through December 16th at 6 p.m.*

This is a three-week crash course on the history of Judaism from its early sources to Jewish history, lifecycles, and festivals. It is a broad course offering a "Taste" of Judaism from the last 6,000 years.

(Class taught by Rabbi Matt Durbin)

**Jewish Medical Ethics**

*Tuesdays, December 7th and 14th at 7 p.m.*

Come explore some contemporary Jewish medical ethics and learn what the traditional views on the topic are and how we as Reform Jews interpret and understand them through textual analysis and a Progressive lens.

(Class taught by Rabbi Matt Durbin)

All classes require pre-registration. For more information, please contact Katie at the Temple office at [tbegfny@gmail.com](mailto:tbegfny@gmail.com) or (518) 792-4364.



## OCTOBER 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	*SAT
					<b>1</b> <b>7 p.m.</b> Simchat Torah Service	<b>2</b> <b>10:30 a.m.</b> Torah Study
<b>3</b> <b>9:30 a.m.</b> TSRS at Temple	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> <b>6 p.m.</b> TSRS at Synagogue	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> <b>7 p.m.</b> Service	<b>9</b> <b>10:30 a.m.</b> Torah Study
<b>10</b> <b>No TSRS</b> <b>10 a.m.</b> Chai Society Breakfast (Guest Speaker: Bill Brender; Topic: Kabbalah & Tikkun Olam)	<b>11</b> <b>Columbus Day</b>	<b>12</b> <b>10 a.m.</b> Book Club Meeting ( <u>A Confederacy of Dunces</u> by John Kennedy Toole)  <b>4 p.m.</b> Ritual / Pulpit Committee Meeting	<b>13</b> <b>6 p.m.</b> TSRS at Synagogue	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> <b>7 p.m.</b> Service  <b>Shofar Deadline</b>	<b>16</b> <b>10:30 a.m.</b> Tot Shabbat
<b>17</b> <b>9:30 a.m.</b> TSRS at Temple	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> <b>6 p.m.</b> TSRS at Synagogue	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> <b>7 p.m.</b> Service / Oneg hosted by Rabbis Matt and Rose Durbin ICO their wedding anniversary	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b> <b>9:30 a.m.</b> TSRS at Temple  <b>12 p.m.</b> Dairy Potluck Community Luncheon	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> <b>7 p.m.</b> TBE Board Meeting	<b>27</b> <b>6 p.m.</b> TSRS at Synagogue	<b>28</b> <b>3–5 p.m.</b> Pedlar's Fair Set UP	<b>29</b> <b>10–1 p.m.</b> Pedlar's Fair Set UP  <b>7 p.m.</b> Service	<b>30</b> <b>10:30 a.m.</b> Torah Service
<b>31</b> <b>9:30 a.m.</b> TSRS at Temple  <b>10–1 p.m.</b> Pedlar's Fair Set UP						

\*Saturday Services: Unless noted otherwise, there will be a *Shabbat* Service and Torah Study every Saturday. When a "Torah Service" is scheduled, the Torah will be removed from the Ark, we will read from the Torah and one or more individuals will be called to the Torah for an Aliyah.



### NOVEMBER 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	*SAT
	<b>1</b> 10–1 p.m. Pedlar's Fair Set UP	<b>2</b> 5:30 p.m. Beginner Hebrew	<b>3</b> 4–7 p.m. Pedlar's Fair Set UP  6 p.m. TSRS at Synagogue	<b>4</b> 2 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew  6 p.m. Stories from our Past	<b>5</b> 10–1 p.m. Pedlar's Fair Set UP  7 p.m. Service	<b>6</b> 10:30 a.m. Torah Study
<b>7</b> Pedlar's Fair Sale  TSRS Family Trip	<b>8</b> 6 p.m. David's Divas	<b>9</b> 10 a.m. Book Club Meeting (Born on a Blue Day by Daniel Tammet)  4 p.m. Ritual / Pulpit Committee Meeting  5:30 p.m. Beginner Hebrew	<b>10</b> 6 p.m. TSRS at Synagogue	<b>11</b> 2 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew  6 p.m. Stories from our Past	<b>12</b> 7 p.m. Service	<b>13</b> 10:30 a.m. Torah Study
<b>14</b> 9:30 a.m. TSRS at Temple	<b>15</b> 6 p.m. David's Divas  Shofar Deadline	<b>16</b> 5:30 p.m. Beginner Hebrew	<b>17</b> 6 p.m. TSRS at Synagogue	<b>18</b> 2 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew  6 p.m. Stories from our Past	<b>19</b> 7 p.m. Service	<b>20</b> 10:30 a.m. Tot Shabbat
<b>21</b> 9:30 a.m. TSRS at Temple	<b>22</b> 6 p.m. David's Divas	<b>23</b> 5:30 p.m. Beginner Hebrew  7 p.m. TBE Board Meeting	<b>24</b> No TSRS <i>Rabbi Away</i>	<b>25</b> Thanks- giving	<b>26</b> 7 p.m. Service	<b>27</b> No Torah Study
<b>28</b> No TSRS	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 5:30 p.m. Beginner Hebrew  <i>Rabbi Returns</i>				

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### Contributions

#### GENERAL FUND

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Welcome new members, David Lang and Mary Lehecka!

#### Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

**Dale Tracy & Jerry Starr**

In appreciation of the wonderful ceremony performed by Rabbi Matt at our wedding. It was wonderful!

### Book Club

Here is the list of books that we will be reading in the upcoming months.

October 12, 2010: A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole

November 9, 2010: Born on a Blue Day by Daniel Tammet

December 14, 2010: Little Bee by Chris Cleave

January 11, 2011: Cutting for Stone by Abraham Verghese

Don't forget, we meet the second Tuesday of the month at 10 a.m. at the Temple. All are welcome and happy reading!

**The 2011 Entertainment Books have arrived and are on sale now in the Temple office!**

**Please support our fundraiser!**

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**Plus this year the book includes a Bonus Card for additional dollars off purchases from popular merchants!**

**Get yours from Katie in the Temple Office, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to Noon!**

### Torah Portions

**October 2**

Gen. 1:1-6:8

Pr. Is. 42:5-43:10

**October 9**

Gen. 6:9-11:32

Num. 28:9-15

Pr. Is. 66:1-24

**October 16**

Gen. 12:1-17:27

Pr. Is. 40:27-41:16

**October 23**

Gen. 18:1-22:24

Pr. II Kings 4:1-37

**October 30**

Gen. 23:1-25:18

Pr. I Kings 1:1-31



### We Remember

Mourners Kaddish for the following individuals will be recited in Temple on the noted dates:

#### October 1

\*Sam Langbert, \*Herman Lazarus, Pearle Levy, Abram Pock, Samuel Proller, \*Isidor Rothschild, \*Marion Schwartz, Mark Silver, \*Eileen Slawsby, Miles Solomon, Fannie Steinberg, \*Bernard Yaffee, Jeannette Yaffee

#### October 8

Fannie Abels, \*Dena Avrin, Ronald Goldstone, Abraham Gordon, Elliott Harris, Barbara Sinclair Jackson, Izidor Jutkovitz, \*Deborah Klein, \*Frances M. Lustig, \*Morris Karl Lustig, Hilda Siegel, \*Elizabeth D. Yaffee, Irving Yanklowitz

#### October 15

\*Irving Armour, Madeline Bassin, \*Marguerite Brown, Norman Didakow, Albert Handen, Philip Schlesinger, Albert Louis Upton

#### October 22

Clara Aronson, Selma Berger, Tom Coleman, David Ferdinand, \*Sura Beyla Friedman, \*Dora Garlen, \*Edward Israel, David J. Katz, Mildred Levine, Sadie Linker, \*Fannie Lunchick, \*Dr. Morris Maslon, Isadore Proller, Louis Steinberg, \*Philip Tucker, \*Rose Wiener

#### October 29

\*Dr. Leonard Busman, Bertha Eames, Anne Daniels Goldberg, Julia Goldman, David Grablów, Wolf Greenman, Edith Kramer, Fritz Liebman, \*Dr. Leslie M. Ofner, \*Bessie Laura Orens, Hope Simon, Geneva Sonn  
*(\*name appears on yahrzeit plaque in the sanctuary)*

### Condolences

**Dale H. Weaver**, father of Chris (Katie) Weaver, grandfather of Tyler and Jonathan Weaver, passed away on Sunday, September 5, 2010 at the age of 63.

### Tree of Life

If you are wondering what to give your child for Chanukkah that will last forever, fit like a glove and will give your child a sense of belonging, consider a leaf on the Tree of Life in the homeroom at Temple. Call Elaine at 792-6192 to place your order and discuss available locations on the Tree. If you call now, your leaf will be here in time for Chanukkah.

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## Temple Beth El History Part 31 - "Faith"

[Following is an excerpt from the early history of Temple Beth El, written by Ella Cline. This part is from "Faith," the chapter for 1927-1928.]

Passover feasts were held in homes that year, folk wishing to see if a home *seder* could be creditably conducted after our three experiences with community *seders*. Still there might have been a few who missed seder on that account: a community *seder* is probably the wisest thing for a small congregation.

The final meeting of the Sisterhood was held on May 8. We had gained two members; Mrs. Julius Erlanger and Mrs. Lester Erlanger; and lost one; Mrs. Kornreich. The first two came to us brides of two members of our congregation. One regretfully left town, "business" being the reason.

Confirmation exercises were combined with a regular Friday evening service that year. Floral decorations from our own gardens made a fitting setting for the children confirmed. These were Edith Weiner, Harriet Maslon, and James Cline. There was an exceptionally large attendance. The reception was in the Home Room after services. Each confirmant received a Bible from the Sisterhood.

The teachers for the year in the religious school were: Rabbi Alpert, Max Cline, Nathan Pickard, Miss Alyce Shapera and Miss Dorothy Shapera. Several times during the year parents had addressed the children during assembly.

The picnic for the religious school took the form of an outing for the entire congregation on June 17. Our rabbi arranged that we have private grounds free from interruption, and with the assistance of Miss Sherburne, leader of the Outing Club, planned games and races for the children and the adults that put this picnic in a class by itself. Folk brought their own lunch, the Sisterhood provided the trimmings.

The Sisterhood could feel prosperous having, after all, only those expenses that they voted to have. The men of the congregation had expenses regardless of their wishes about the matter and did not feel prosperous at all. On June 8 our treasurer was authorized to give the men \$800.

Finances of Temple Beth El were far from brilliant. We could not afford to retain our resident rabbi, even though salary meant little to him. Our self respect would not allow us to retain the services of our rabbi unless we could recompense him adequately, especially since there seemed to be no future for him here.

When it became known that our rabbi was leaving and the reason for his going, a noteworthy thing happened. Non-Jews stopped members on the street and offered to contribute substantially toward the rabbi's salary. These offers the congregation refused. To have Christians contribute to the building of a Temple seemed proper, since the Temple formed a permanent and necessary addition to the community as a whole; but to depend for the rabbi's salary on such support (sentiments are apt to change) might leave us in the undignified position of alms-receiving.

We decided to return to a student-rabbi and advised Rabbi Alpert to accept the best offer he should get.

Rabbi Alpert accepted the rabbinate of Temple Covenant of Peace at Easton, Pennsylvania, his ministry there to begin the end of August. Meanwhile he continued to work as actively as before for the good of the congregation. No rabbi ever pleased every member of his congregation, and to state that Rabbi Alpert did would immediately take this manuscript out of the rank of history and put it into the rank of fiction. Yet every one had to admit that during his ministry here we had become established in our city as a congregation that merited the highest respect and whose aims were intellectually broad, far-reaching, and spiritually sustaining. We had proved that we had the right to exist as a separate, self-sufficient whole.



### Welcome New Members!

David Lang & Mary Lehecka





### Happy Birthday!

Christine Levy (10/1), Tyler Weaver (10/2 - 7 years old!!), Michael Serotta (10/2), Tim Flatley (10/2), Jeffrey Levy (10/3), Lydia Adler (10/3), Paul Binns (10/4), Lynne Silverberg (10/7), Renee O'Brien (10/7), Eric Reed (10/8), Barbara Rosoff (10/11), Nathan Solomon (10/12), Golda Hellman (10/12 - 10 years old!!), Ami Goldstein (10/13), Ahva Heyman (10/13 - 7 years old!!), Phyllis Brown (10/14), Diane Martin (10/15), Peter Kafin (10/16), Camille Wodicka (10/18), Alissa Adler (10/18), Eric Amengual (10/23), Howard Nadler (10/28), Rebecca Letwin (10/28)

### Happy Anniversary!

Phillip & Kathy Naftaly (10/11 - 23 years!)  
 Barry & Ami Goldstein (10/15 - 11 years!)  
 Dave & Sue Lieberman (10/16 - 17 years!)  
 Minette Riquelme at Temple Beth El (10/26 - 1 year!)\*

\*Minette previously served TBE for years

### Get Well Soon

Rabbi Jeffrey Ballon, Ronald Binns, Paul Cattabiani, Mia Corton, John Dessingue, Caryl Doe, Eleanor Elliott, Elaine Faller, Victor Friedman, Dawn Gideon, Gayle Goldstein, Allan Gordon, Jacqueline Gordon, Phillip Gordon, Mark Grunblatt, Allan Korot, Mike Jucowics, Chris Kobel, Jack Kornblum, Gay Katz, Paula Knight, Linda Leinoff, Leonard Meyers, Karen Muller, Howard Nadler, Rabbi David Novak, Jessica Panebianco, Dave Peyton, Edie Rudnick, Bob Savarin, Alan Schwartzer, Sonny Segan, Frank Sheridan, Susan Silverberg, Walter Stern, Carol Wells, Jarod Winchell, Bertel Wolfe

### Thank you!!

A heartfelt thank you to Deirdre Hill who organized the Rosh Hashanah Oneg, to Sandy Searleman and his crew who helped with the Break-the-Fast, and to Ami Goldstein, Deirdre and Avery Hill for helping with the Supper in the Sukkah that Jack Hellman and crew helped build and decorate.

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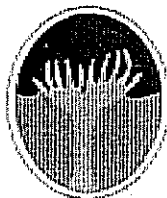
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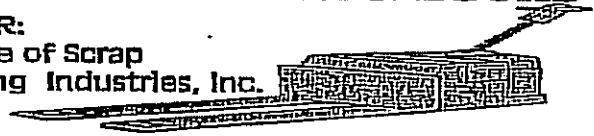
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