

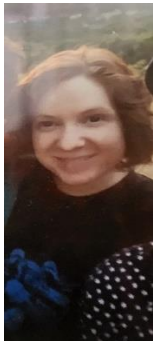
May Chai Lights
Sivan 5783

TBT

So, nu?

Its MAY one of the prettiest months of the year, in my humble opinion. IN between the cold rainy winter and hot as a hades summer, May can bring (sometimes) a nice bridge before the summer settles over us. It also brings graduations to celebrate. And we in this home have three graduations to shout out. Since no one submitted, I will take the time to give a hearty mazel tov to these three amazing people: our future.

My Daughter in Law, **Maggie graduated from the University of Minnesota with a master's in child development. Her focus is on advocating and policy making for our young students. She already has a job where she is doing research on a State of Minnesota project focusing on early childhood development.**



The second shout out goes to our godson, **Dustin**. He graduated from a San Antonio STEM high school, Summa Cum Laude. He got a full scholarship to UTSA and will major in Psychology.

The third graduation is Dustin's mom, **Margaret** who also graduated Summa Cum Laude from UTSA in Elementary Education/ESL and will begin teaching 2nd grade in the Fall in an underserved school in San Antonio.

How proud we are that Maggie and Margaret chose Education to follow in our family's tradition and to our godson – I'm Kvelling.

Mazel Tov to all who are celebrating this lovely month of May!



Another celebration! Our annual Mothers Day Luncheon will be held on Saturday, May 13th 12 – 2 p.m. at VILLA CAPRI - 3713 E Nasa Pkwy Sea Brook 77586

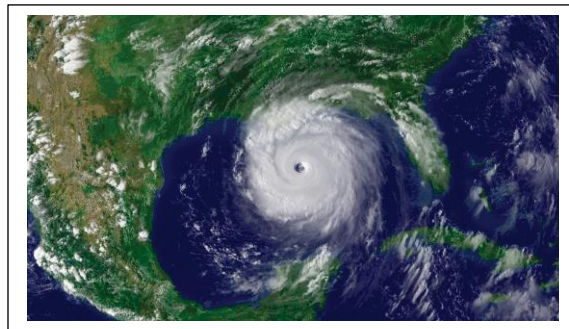
Please RSVP to Marsha Henderson - 832-425-6245

We hope to see you there!





Happy 75th Birthday Israel! Standing strong as the only democratic state in the Middle East, you have given us hope, courage, strength, and an unwavering love of Judaism. You have also given the world technology, medical discoveries, humanitarian aid, and good food just to name a few things that you have given us. May G-d continue to keep you safe. May you always be our beacon of light.



Guess what time it is, people? The upcoming Hurricane Season is from June 1st to November 30th. Although this will be an El Nino year (suppression of hurricanes) let me gently remind you that the 1900 storm came under an El Nino. It only takes one.

During the month of May, it's a good time to prepare a plan. Especially if you are a person with a disability (or know anyone who is) or in a vulnerable situation. Begin to plan on how you would evacuate. What would you take and gather up your important papers and medicines. Once a hurricane is in the GOM, things can ramp up and it's not a good time to all of a sudden make plans. Do it NOW so you don't panic later.

If you need help, email me: denowinski@gmail.com.

BOOK CLUB

The next book club meeting will be on June 11th. The book is "The Island of Sea Women" by Lisa See.

It is a historical novel set on the Korean island of Jeju. In it, two young girls, from strikingly different backgrounds, bond over their shared love of the sea. Working in their village's all-female diving collective, the two friends come of age in a community where gender roles are anything but typical.

We will meet at TBT in the library at 12:30

Hope to see you there!

TEMPLE SCHEDULE

May

6 – Myrna Zoom and at TBT 7 p.m

12 – Rabbi Greene Zoom and TBT 7 p.m.

19 – Myrna Zoom and at TBT 7 p.m.

26th – Rabbi Greene Zoom and TBT





Birthdays

4th – Jed Login

4th – Jon Zelon

14th – Steve Levine

22nd – David Stein

26th – Skyler Nowinski

29th – Elena Gittleman

31st – Sarah Schweitzer

Anniversaries

4th- Marianna & Allen Buchner

6th Maury and Harry Klann

15th Tabita & Mark Maierson

26th Sherry & David Leboe

Have a wonderful healthy happy year to all of you!

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