

September/October 2024 | Av/Elul 5784/Tishrei 5785

RABBI'S MESSAGE



Rabbi David

It is with great joy that my family and I are looking forward to our first High Holidays with you. We are very thankful to you for opening your hearts to us and making us feel so welcome at Temple Emanuel. We feel very lucky to be here with you.

It might be a surprise to some, but the name Rosh HaShanah never occurs in the Torah. Instead, it is called a *Yom Teruah*, the "Day to sound the Shofar." The shofar is a symbol to give hope. The shofar has a small end and a larger end. When we blow through the small end, it is a form of prayer that small acts might grow stronger. Sometimes the idea of change can appear daunting. The shofar is meant to remind us we can start small, sometime with just a small breath and a little push. May our worthiest hopes for a better year grow and enter the world like the larger side of the shofar that amplifies its message with sounds of hope and excitement.

Another fascinating aspect of the shofar is that there is a *minhag*, a Jewish custom, that a shofar must never be straight; rather it must have a curve or even several curves. This is to remind us that the path between one Rosh HaShanah and the next is never a straight line. There are always unexpected twists and turns during the journey of the year. Who could have imagined the year that we have all been through since last Rosh HaShanah?

The word *shana* means year, but it also means change. Rosh HaShanah asks us to be open minded to new possibilities of renewal and change as we strive to sweeten the world around us, like the honey and apples of our Rosh HaShanah feast.

On behalf of my wife Deborah and our children, Isaac, Eliora and Rafi, we want to wish you and all your family a meaningful and joyful High Holidays together at Temple Emanuel.

Wishing you a good Jewish New Year, Shanah Tova, a Gut Yontif, a Gut Yohr!

Rabbi David Wilfond

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The Sisterhood of Temple Emanuel sponsors the mailing of this bi-monthly bulletin.

OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 9:30 am

Want to get more involved or learn more about what Temple Emanuel has to offer? Drop by our Open House!

Our committees and groups will be on hand to chat and share about what they do. Take a moment to also connect with Rabbi David Wilfond and Cantor Rachel Reef Simpson and enjoy a bagel breakfast.







PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dana Katz

As a teacher, I love the early days of fall. There's a sense of excitement and promise in the air when we're setting out fresh crayons and Play-Doh, getting to know a new class of children and their families, and reconnecting with fantastic co-workers.

As Temple Emanuel's president, I am also inspired by the sense of excitement and promise throughout our community. We've seen extraordinary participation at services and programs, such as Summer Sips welcoming Rabbi Wilfond and his family to the area. I hope you'll join us on the patio Sept. 4 for Summer Sips for the Family. This will be a great opportunity for congregants of all ages to spend time together and get to know our clergy and leadership.

If you're wondering how to get more involved at Temple Emanuel, be sure to attend our Open House on Sept. 8, where you can meet and chat with committee representatives.

If you are new to Temple Emanuel or have friends who are interested in learning more about our vibrant, inclusive congregation, please mark Sept. 20 on your calendar. We will be holding our New Member Shabbat to provide a special welcome to recently joined and prospective congregants.

Whether you've been a member for weeks or decades, Temple Emanuel offers a range of ways to actively connect with other members. Our summer outing was incredibly successful at raising both funds and fun. Congregants, donors and supporters bolstered the temple's finances while enjoying golf, tennis, pickleball, the pool, a silent auction and dinner. You will be able to continue engaging your body as well as your mind and spirit at Temple when we wrap up the finishing touches on our multiuse rec area. I can't wait to see congregants of all ages playing basketball and pickleball on the brand new court, which also will provide a safe space for our preschoolers to ride their tricycles. Once this great addition to our facility is completed, be sure to check the Temple website for information on rules and open play hours. For their generosity in donating the basketball hoops, I'd like to send a special thank you to Joel Mittelman, Dana Cohen, Steve Rosenfeld and Steve Alepa and their families.

Preparations for our inspiring High Holiday celebrations are also well underway. This annual highlight of our calendar provides uplifting music, meaningful and thought-provoking words, and opportunities to celebrate our traditions as a united community. You won't want to miss signing up for our Selichot service, dinner and film screening in conjunction with the Larry Hodes movie series, our Rosh Hashanah potluck and 3rd annual break fast, college student care packages, bookplates, Yom Kippur food drive, and so much more. Be sure to look for all the details in the High Holiday packet that was mailed out recently or on our website at www.templeemanuel.net/HHD

All of our programs and projects happen because of our dedicated clergy, our talented staff and because of you – our congregants. Your support, time, energy, ideas and resources allow Temple Emanuel to thrive.

I'm looking forward to a wonderful 5785 with all of you. May you and your loved ones be inscribed in the book of life for a year of health, happiness and peace.

Warmly, Dana

BREAD & ROSES

Bread & Roses is still alive and kicking, more so than ever. They are in the final stages of readying to move into a new location, expected sometime this fall. This has become necessary due to the expanded roles they have taken to support the food-insecure clientele in their community. Temple volunteers have served approximately 2,000 clients during the last year.

If you would like to volunteer to serve, contact Les Satlow at 617-816-4098 / Isatlow@gmail.com or Scott Mallory at 978-987-1970 / rscottmallory@gmail.com. To volunteer for food preparation, contact Judy Matulsky at 978-470-1563 / jmatulsky@templeemanuel.net.

As in previous years, soon the Temple will hold its annual Yom Kippur Food Drive from Kol Nidre through Yom Kippur, consisting of both physical donations and the online food drive. Watch the weekly e-news notices for further details as we approach the holidays. Your generosity has always been over the top and greatly appreciated.

Scott Mallory and Les Satlow, Bread & Roses co-chairs

CANTOR'S MESSAGE

The future's so bright...I gotta wear shades!

It's a hot and sunny day in August, as I sit down to share all the fun and exciting things I have started planning for our year ahead. As we get ready to usher in the New Year 5785, I am looking forward to experiencing the many offerings for this year's 2024-2025 Cantor's Cultural Arts Series.

We will, as always, have lots of musical programming! Highlights include an open mic night coffee house, where I hope to see many known and lesser-known musicians and other talents in our community enter the limelight! Look for a winter evening date for us to come together as a community and share our talents.

We will have another group theatre outing this year when the musical "Funny Girl" comes to Boston in February. One of my favorite musicals of all time, "Funny Girl" tells the true story of Jewish vaudeville performer Fanny Brice and her tale of fame, fortune, love and



Cantor Rachel

loss. You may recall the movie starring Barbra Streisand. Now, we'll get to enjoy this class musical live on stage! February date to be announced!

We will have two concerts this year! I am proud to announce that Double Chai, the extraordinary Jewish music duo of my son Ian Simpson and Jeremy Sipe, will be joining us in November for a record release party for their debut album and a special concert. The talented and spirited Klezmer band, Ezekiel's Wheel, will be joining us this spring for a concert and dance party, as we celebrate the installation of our new Rabbi David Wilfond.

Song leader Jacob Spike Kraus will be returning for some special musical services throughout the year. Mayta Cohen, song leader and director of the Jewish a capella group Berkalit, will be collaborating with Cantor Rachel and the Soul Sisters to bring us a special Shabbat service in the spring. Check the Temple calendar throughout the year, and welcome them back to our sanctuary as they bring joy and warmth to our worship.

Our bands are ready to rock as well! On Shabbat Shirah--the Sabbath of Song on Friday, February 7, as well as on June 27 at our annual meeting Shabbat service, we'll be singing and dancing once again with my Tefillah band "The Fringes" Our in-house band, "Aliyah" has been rehearsing and rocking all summer and will be bringing their spirited sound to Shabbat services throughout the coming year. Of course, the soulful sounds of our Soul Sisters will be gracing us with their beautiful voices and spirits joined in song, as a group and in collaboration with the Aliyah band.

We will once again celebrate Purim with a musical Purim shpiel, featuring talented congregants of all ages. Stay tuned for this year's musical selection and save the dates of Friday, March 14, and Sunday, March 16, as we bring the Book of Esther to life through the lens of musical theatre.

For those who want to explore the visual arts, we will be offering a Jewish Zentangle workshop at Temple Emanuel, led by Cantor Rachel's friend and colleague, Rabbi Ashira Stevens of Temple Emanu-El of Haverhill.

There's something for everyone at Temple Emanuel, as we welcome the New Year 5785. In fact, quoting a song lyric, as I often do, "the future's so bright, I gotta wear shades!"

Shanah Tovah from my home and heart to yours!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Diane Duke and Timothy Abbot

Frank Baskin

Sue and Erik Brenner

Stepen Epstein

Ronald Eskin

Alex and Deborah Korik

Shirley Papp

Jill Piscopo

David and Kimberly Rainen



We care
about the
people here
and what this
community
stands for.

DONOR SPOTLIGHT: JAMIE AND JAMES KITCES

Temple Emanuel is a very meaningful place for our family, and we are proud to be a three-generation Temple family. After Jamie's parents settled in Andover, they joined Temple Emanuel and that is where Jamie and her brother were raised. Jamie went through the religious school and was in the final b'nai mitzvah class over which Rabbi Roth officiated. Rabbi Goldstein then oversaw Jamie's confirmation class. Although we were living in Atlanta when we got married, it seemed only natural to have our wedding in Boston and to have Rabbi Goldstein conduct the service.

When we moved our family from Atlanta to Andover in 2014, we joined Temple Emanuel and doing so was the best decision. Being part of the Temple community – and forming bonds within this warm, welcoming congregation – helped us and our three children acclimate to living in a new place. Through the temple we have built strong roots. Our daughter attended the Preschool at Temple Emanuel and all three of our children have gone through the religious school. We have made wonderful friends through the temple and truly feel that Temple Emanuel is our home away from home.

Today, Jamie's parents, her brother and his family, and the Kitces family of five are members of the congregation. Attending services and other Temple events as a larger family unit is incredibly moving and we cherish these moments. We are so pleased – and needless to say, Jamie's parents are, too – that our kids and their cousins are enrolled in Hebrew school together.

As Temple Emanuel has provided meaning and fullness to our lives, we are committed to this beloved synagogue. We have both served on the congregation's Board of Governors and Jamie is currently a member of the Executive Committee. Being a part of Temple leadership has allowed us to give back to the Temple community. We feel very invested in the temple's future and are excited to actively participate in its next chapter with Rabbi Wilfond.

We joined the Benefactors Society to further support the Temple and to help ensure its strength. We care about the people here and what this community stands for, and we want to see the temple continue to thrive as the center of Jewish life in the Merrimack Valley. We hope that through our support and the support of others, the temple will continue to offer extensive programming and meaningful spiritual experiences to its members for many, many more years.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



Michelle Gamliel

As we say goodbye to summer and embrace the arrival of fall, our office has been hard at work preparing the building for the new school year and creating engaging High Holy Day programs. We are eagerly anticipating a vibrant and joyous fall season.

You will have many opportunities to engage with your Temple Emanuel community in the next few months. We'll kick off with the start of religious school, host a Temple open house, hold a new member of Shabbat, and present a series of extraordinary High Holy Day events, being planned by our clergy and staff throughout the summer.

The new year is an opportunity for our Temple community to celebrate our successes, envision new horizons and come together as a community. It's about evolving and becoming stronger, more resilient versions of ourselves and a more vibrant, united community. Whether in our personal or professional lives, renewal means recharging our spirits, re-evaluating our goals and reigniting our passions.

Our High Holiday season begins with Rosh Hashanah on October 2, and we eagerly anticipate welcoming everyone to Temple Emanuel for a meaningful and spiritual High Holiday season. Whether you'll be participating in our family service, signing your children up for our children's programming, coming to our Yom Kippur break fast, or attending one of the many other High Holy Day programming events, we look forward to welcoming you at Temple Emanuel. May this year bring us closer to our aspirations, foster our collective growth and inspire us to achieve remarkable milestones together.

Shana Tova from my family to yours.

DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION'S MESSAGE



Betsy Kachel

Once again, I was fortunate enough to spend the summer months with some of our religious school children at URJ Camp Eisner in Great Barrington, MA. A highlight was when Rabbi Wilfond joined as camp faculty and was able to teach and learn with our students. We enjoyed a Shabbat treat together in our *Beit T'Fillah* (outdoor sanctuary), shown in the photo below.

I am excited to welcome everyone back in just a few short weeks. Our preschool year began with the annual popsicle party on August 29, and our religious school year will begin on Sunday, September 8. All details about both programs will be emailed to enrolled families. If you want to learn more about either of our schools, please contact our office to schedule a tour. I look forward to another incredible year of learning, growth and community building events in our Temple schools.



Back row L to R: Wren Baden, Aaron Shenker, Romy Obbard, Own Obbard, Sparky Wilfond Front for L to R: Elena Stamm, Sarah Segal, Leah Kachel, Rafi Wilfond, Rabbi Wilfond, Eliora Wilfond, William Stamm

NEWS FROM BROTHERHOOD

Welcome back! Hopefully everyone had a wonderful summer. As fall begins, here is an update and look forward toward the year of Brotherhood activities.

The Brotherhood was part of the very successful Temple Summer Outing at Indian Ridge Country Club. Brotherhood member Eric Schwartz was chair of the committee that executed this awesome event. Many of you had a chance to golf, play pickleball, hang by the pool, or join for dinner and bid on some great items. It was a great event with a really huge turn-out.

The Brotherhood board has spent the summer planning a great slate of events for the upcoming year, starting with an exciting breakfast Saturday, September 14, to welcome Rabbi Wilfond to our community. We're excited to start this journey with our new rabbi and look forward to seeing everyone there.

Our early fall slate will include a sponsored breakfast Sunday, November 17, (as always, it is open to all and free to any paid-up Brotherhood member), a Patriots tailgate party in the Temple parking lot, and the building of the sukkah at the Temple. Please check your email bulletins for more details, including who we hope will be a wonderful speaker at the breakfast!

On Saturday, November 2, we will hold our annual Tasting Event, getting together at a member's house for dinner and drinks. It's always a great opportunity to meet new people or get to know those you see all the time in the hallways of the Temple!

If you haven't joined Brotherhood this year, I encourage you to do so on the Temple's website. We welcome any feedback or ideas on ways to provide for the Temple community. Please feel free to reach out to me at the Brotherhood Gmail address – TEAndoverBrotherhood@gmail.com.

Hope to see everyone soon.

L'Shana Tova.

Alex Pawlowski Brotherhood President

SOCIAL ACTION

"The vote is the most powerful instrument ever devised by human beings for breaking down injustice and destroying the terrible walls which imprison people because they are different from others" - President Lyndon B. Johnson

In 2020, the Reform Movement launched Every Voice, Every Vote: The Reform Movement's Civic Engagement Campaign with a focus on combatting voter suppression that particularly suppresses the votes and voices of Communities of Color. As Reform Jews, we are called to continue the fight for racial justice and fulfill the sacred work of creating a more just, compassionate and whole world.

Did you know that The Reform Movement's positions on reproductive rights are grounded in the core belief that each person should have agency and autonomy over their own bodies? Our advocacy is inspired by the Jewish value of *kavod ha'briyot*, respect for individual dignity.

Join us at our series of postcard writing parties at 7 pm August 20, September 17 and October 22 to reach unregistered and lapsed voters and to learn other ways of promoting voter activity. We'll supply the postcards, postage and snacks.

Watch for details in the e-news and website for our second annual Sukkot Produce Drive in the sukkah October 20 to benefit Lazarus House and our annual Winter Clothing Drive October 27 to benefit Debbie's Treasure Chest.

Mark your calendars for a stimulating program February 3, 2025, featuring Attorney Lisa M. Kavanaugh, director of the Innocence Program for the Private Counsel Division of the Massachusetts Committee for Public Counsel Services. Attorney Kavanaugh will describe her work as an innocence attorney, seeking justice for wrongfully convicted individuals in Massachusetts. She will be accompanied by one of her exonerated clients. We'll also host a panel discussing reproductive rights in the spring.

Amy Sebell & Holli Roberts

SERVICE AND PROGRAM SCHEDULE: SEPTEMBER

Wednesday, September 4

12:45 pm Red Cross Blood Drive **5:30 pm** Summer Sips for Families

Thursday, September 5

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, September 6

6:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, September 7

9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service **5:30 pm** Bar Mitzvah of Daniel Epstein

Sunday, September 8

9:30am Temple Emanuel Open House

Tuesday, September 10

3:15 pm Serve at Bread & Roses

Thursday, September 12

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, September 13

6:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, September 14

9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service and Bagel Breakfast Sponsored by the Brotherhood

Tuesday, September 17

7:30 pm Every Voice, Every Vote Postcard Writing Party

Thursday, September 19

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, September 20

5:00 pm PJ Library Pizza and Tot Shabbat with Clergy

6:30 pm New Member Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, September 21

9:00 am Shabbat Torah Study 10:30 am Bat Mitzvah of Golda Shayevitz

Thursday, September 26

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, September 27

6:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, September 28

5:30 pm Larry Hodes Movie and Deli Dinner, Film Screening of "The Quarrel," Service and Discussion

Sunday, September 29

3:00 pm Apples and Honey on the Farm with Clergy & PJ Library

Visit www.templeemanuel.net/#calendar for more information.

SERVICE AND PROGRAM SCHEDULE: OCTOBER

Wednesday, October 2

7:00 pm Erev Rosh Hashanah Service

Thursday, October 3

10:00 am Rosh Hashanah Service and

Children's Program

12:30 pm Rosh Hashanah Potluck Lunch

2:00 pm Rosh Hashanah Service for

Families with Young Children

3:30 pm Tashlich Service

Friday, October 4

10:00 am Rosh Hashanah Second Day Service

6:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, October 5

9:00 am Shabbat Morning Service

Sunday, October 6

1:00 pm Cemetery Memorial Service and October 7th

Yahrzeit Commemoration

Monday, October 7

5:00 pm Cooking for Bread & Roses

Tuesday, October 8

3:15 pm Serve at Bread & Roses

Thursday, October 10

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, October 11

7:00 pm Kol Nidrei Service and Children's Program

Saturday, October 12

10:00 am Yom Kippur Morning Service and Children's

Program (Including Yizkor)

2:00 pm Yom Kippur Service for

Families with Young Children

3:30 pm Yom Kippur Healing Service

4:30 pm Mincha Service with Jonah Guest Speaker

5:30 pm Yom Kippur Neilah Service

6:30 pm Yom Kippur Break Fast

Thursday, October 17

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, October 18

5:00 pm PJ Library Pizza and Tot Shabbat

with Clergy

6:30 pm Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, October 19

9:00 am Shabbat Torah Study

10:30 am Bat Mitzvah of Lyla Grossman

Tuesday, October 22

12:45 pm Red Cross Blood Drive

7:30 pm Every Voice, Every Vote Postcard Writing Party

Thursday, October 24

10:30 am Yizkor Service

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Friday, October 25

6:30 pm Simchat Torah and Shabbat Evening Service

Saturday, October 26

9:00 am Shabbat Torah Study

10:30 am Bat Mitzvah of Addison Murray

Sunday, October 27

6:00 pm Sisterhood Welcome Back Supper

Thursday, October 31

1:00 pm Mah Jongg

Visit www.templeemanuel.net/#calendar for more information.

B'NAI MITZVAH

Daniel Epstein - Saturday, September 7, 5:30 pm

Danny Epstein is the son of Becky Ingis and Eric Epstein. His proud grandparents are Judy and Ted Ingis and Steve and Donna (z"l) Epstein.

Although Danny only moved to Andover 3 years ago, he has already become an active member in the community. He is an avid baseball player and can be found on local and travel teams throughout the season pitching, fielding, batting or umping. Danny's interest in sports extends to basketball, skiing, sailing and pickleball – he is always eager to try something new. He is also a talented drummer and plays in a band through the Real School with his first cousin.

For Danny's Bar Mitzvah project, he will be collecting donations for a local community food pantry and will have food baskets on the bimah that he will donate as well. He also plans to start making meals with the Bread & Roses committee at the Temple this fall. Food insecurity is an important cause for Danny as it helps honor the work his grandmother Judy started over 30 years ago when she co-founded Rachel's Table – a non-profit in Western MA that seeks to alleviate hunger and reduce food waste.



Layla Grossman - Saturday, October 19, 10:30 am

Lyla is an example of perseverance and strength for her siblings and friends. She is a big sister to Wyatt, Joy and Myles and has always taken the role on with honor and love. Lyla loves dancing, arts and crafts, and enjoys singing and listening to an array of music from Grateful Dead to Taylor Swift. Lyla's passion for horseback riding started 10 years ago, and continues to grow. Strongwater Farm is a treasured place in Lyla's life. For her Bat Mitzvah project she is volunteering her time at the barn to help care for the horses, stables and grounds.



Addison Murray - Saturday, October 26, 10:30 am

Addison is beginning her 7th grade year and loves reading, spending time with family & friends, listening to music, snuggling with her dog Charli, and riding horses. One of Addison's biggest passions is her love of horseback riding. She started her journey around three years ago and loves getting to ride and care for the horses at the barn. For her Mitzvah Project, Addison wanted to find an organization that fostered that opportunity and love for others. Addison is collecting donations for a wonderful local organization, Ironstone Farm in Andover, MA. For 40 years, Challenge Unlimited at Ironstone Farm has been helping children and adults find hope and healing through equine-assisted therapies. Challenge Unlimited is a 501(c)(3) non-profit.



Golda Shayevitz - Saturday, September 21, 10:30 am

LEAVE YOUR LEGACY IN OUR HIGH HOLY DAY PRAYER BOOKS

To honor or remember those you care about – or to express lasting appreciation to Temple Emanuel – consider purchasing beautifully designed bookplates for our High Holy Day prayer books.

For a gift of \$180, a set of two bookplates will be customized with your dedication – one for the Rosh Hashanah and one for the Yom Kippur prayer book. Your generosity will also be recognized in our donor newsletter.

Order bookplates by September 15 at www.templeemanuel.net/bookplates or complete the form below.

Orders received by September 15 will be inserted in prayer books used during 2024 High Holy Day services. If you miss this year's deadline and still wish to participate, bookplate purchases may be made throughout the year.

If you would like to purchase multiple sets of bookplates, please photocopy this form and submit one for each set of bookplates.

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LARRY HODES MOVIE & DELI: THE QUARREL

Saturday, September 28

5:30 pm Deli dinner and film 7:30 pm Service and discussion

We begin our High Holy Day season with Selichot, a traditional night of introspection and prayer that draws us into the days of awe and renewal. In partnership with the Larry Hodes Movie Series, we will be screening "The Quarrel." This riveting film focuses on the reunion of two friends after the Holocaust as they discuss their lives, their religion and an old quarrel that came between them. According to the author of the story on which the film is based, the two friends are a literary device for the



internal struggle within every Jew living in a post Holocaust world with all of its complexities and hopes for humanity. The film and deli dinner will be followed by discussion and a brief prayer service led by our clergy.

Sign up for dinner at www.templeemanuel.net/#calendar by September 15.



ROSH HASHANAH POTLUCK LUNCH

Thursday, October 3 12:30 pm

Spend the first afternoon of the New Year with us as we gather together to enjoy a potluck lunch immediately following morning services.

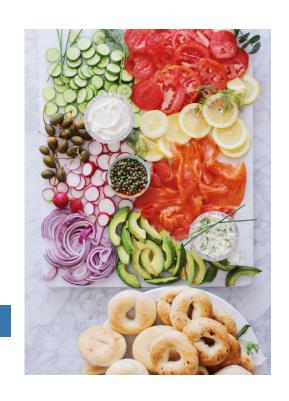
Registration required.

YOM KIPPUR BREAK FAST

Saturday, October 12 Immediately following Neilah

Break the fast with Temple Emanuel congregants and ticketed guests for a delicious dairy break fast. Sign up at www.templeemanuel.net/HHD by September 15.

\$18 for ages 13 and up, children are complimentary.





Friday, October 18

Tot Shabbat

5:00-6:00 P.M.

Pizza and service in the sukkah

Shabbat Sukkot Service

6:30 P.M.

Special oneg in the sukkah following the service

Sunday, October 20

Harvest Fest

11 A.M. - 1 P.M.

Enjoy pizza in the sukkah, as well as outdoor games and crafts

Thursday, October 24

Sukkot Yizkor Service

10:30-11:30 A.M.

Friday, October 25

Simchat Torah Festival Service with Congregational Dinner, Music and Dancing

5:30 P.M. Dinner, 6:30 P.M. Service Celebrate with music from our house band, Aliyah; the Soul Sisters vocal group; and our K–2 religious school students

These services and events are open to the public.

Learn more and register at www.templeemanuel.net/#calendar

Dear Temple Emanuel Community,

The 2024 Temple Emanuel Summer Outing & Reception is in the books, and it was a tremendous success! We raised over \$24,000 to support the temple's operating budget with the support of our sponsors, silent auction donors, committee members, volunteers, and most of all, our entire temple community. More than 160 congregants and special friends joined us on August 5 at the Indian Ridge Country Club to golf, play pickleball and tennis, hang at the pool, dine, socialize, take a chance on the 50/50 raffle and bid on auction items.

We appreciate the support of the Board of Governors, Rabbi Wilfond and Cantor Rachel Reef-Simpson, as well as our incomparable staff. Thank you, as well, for being part of this event, for bringing your friends and family members, and for generously participating in the auction. We look forward to being together again soon.

Congratulations to the golf and pickleball winners.

Winners Golf Outing

Scramble:

- ·1st Place: David Holzman, Howard Savitt, Jim Stoller, Barry Bloom ·2nd Place: Carl Bindman, Mark Gilbert, Michael Byers, David Gilbert
- ·3rd: Place Alex Pawlowski, Steve Freitas, MarcAnthony Koukoulas, Dana Tarricone

Contest Holes

- ·Longest Drive: (Women): Marcy Shack
- ·Longest Drive (Men): David Gilbert & MJ Killian
- ·Longest Drive: (Over 60): Jim Stoller
- ·Closest to the Hole (Women): Marcy Shack ·Closest to the Hole (Men): Bill Lipman

Winner Pickleball Tournament

Advanced Bracket Winners:

Denise Nash: 1st place Austin Kitces: 2nd place Karen Shapiro: 3rd place

Beginner Bracket Winners

Karen Lazar: 1st place Michael Shapiro: 2nd place Hope Rosen: 3rd place

Sportsmanship awards:

Howard Meshnick Joel Mittleman

Warmly,

The Golf Outing Committee

Eric Schwartz, Chair, Dana Katz, Kevin Keller, Andy Lazar, Alex Pawlowski, Amy and Stan Riemer, Holli and Neal Roberts, Jon Strauss, Meryl and Dave Trachtenberg, Gerri Weiss and Michelle Gamliel

























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Some of the benefits of advertising in our bulletin are:

- Captive Audience Engage directly with your Temple Emanuel community
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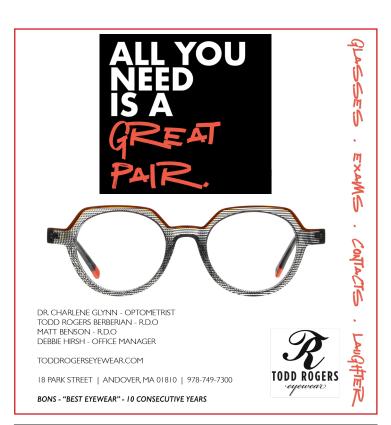






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