

# Congregation Sons of Israel

## NEWSLETTER

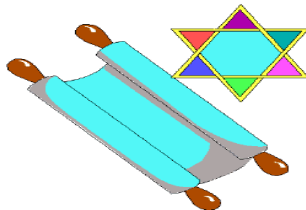
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### FRIDAY NIGHT SABBATH SERVICE

January 4, 2008 @7:30 P.M.

*Bernie Horowitz will conduct the service.*

Congregant Leslie Greenberg will give a talk about the Aruba Synagogue.

***The Oneg will be sponsored by:***

**Ronnie and Kathleen Tanzer  
In honor of their 40<sup>th</sup>  
Wedding Anniversary!**



SATURDAY MINYANS-----Start at 8:00 A.M.

SUNDAY MINYANS-----Start at 8:30 A.M.

### Time to Kindle Sabbath Candles for January 2008

January 4 <sup>th</sup>	-----	4:07 p.m.
January 11 <sup>th</sup>	-----	4:14 p.m.
January 18 <sup>th</sup>	-----	4:22 p.m.
January 25 <sup>th</sup>	-----	4:31 p.m.



# CONGREGATION SONS OF ISRAEL JANUARY 2008 HAPPENINGS!

Everyone is Invited to Help Celebrate these Rituals Social Events!!

**Saturday-January 5, 2008----**

**Kiddush sponsored by:  
We need a sponsor!**



**Saturday-January 12, 2008----**

**Kiddush Sponsored by:  
Irving Sacks and Freda Kravetz  
Wishing everyone a healthy and happy  
2008!**



**Saturday-January 19, 2008----**

**Kiddush Sponsored by:  
Stephen and Leslie Greenberg  
In honor of their son Richard's  
40<sup>th</sup> birthday!**



**Saturday-January 26, 2008----**

**Kiddush Sponsored by:  
Alan Spatrack  
In honor of his wife Kaj Wilson's  
12 Jewish Film Festivals!**



*What a Wonderful Way to let us Share in your Joy and do a Good Deed at the same time! Celebrate your Simchas, Mitzvahs and Blessings with an Oneg on Friday night or a Kiddush on Saturday or Sunday morning at our Shul! Your dedicated Social Committee will do all the work in preparing and serving. For more information call Harvey Chandler at 781-598-8855. I look forward to hearing from you soon!*

## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Dear Fellow Congregants, It's an honor to have served as president these last two years, and an even bigger honor to have been re-elected president for another term. This Shul is not only filled with great tradition, people feel welcomed because it is so down to earth. We are fortunate to have wonderful congregants and a great group of volunteers. All this being in place has made my second year a smooth transition. I can see that we have many years of success before us.

I'd like to thank the directors and volunteers for their dedication and support. The past year was a year of great adversity. We lost a Ritual Director and two board members, and with the dedication of the board and committees, we were able to overcome and keep the ship afloat. Thanks to all who made this transition happen smoothly..

Congregation Sons of Israel has become an important part of my life. It has given my wife and me so much that it is time to try to give something back. This is why I took the role of President. I want this Shul to continue to be the house of worship it has always been and to always be there for the people who have a need. As president I hope that I, along with all the committees, will do our best to attain these goals and to also move forward with new ideas

If you have any suggestions or thoughts, please give me a call at (978) 535-1457, or send me an email [sumnergreenberg@verizon.net](mailto:sumnergreenberg@verizon.net). We need to work together to continue the growth of our Shul.



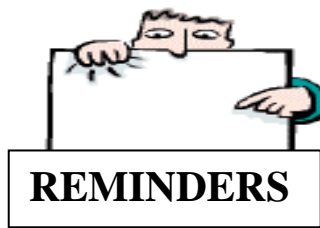
**Sumner Greenberg**  
President

# Thanks



Many thanks to the Social Committee and to all the Congregants who helped make this year's Annual Meeting and Chanukah Party the most successful ever! This year's event was held at the Herbster Social Hall with 75 congregants in attendance. There was a dedication of the new Avrom J. Herbster Library. Latkes and Blintzes were enjoyed by all, with Baked Alaska for dessert. There were over 45 door prizes given out and more than 60 gift certificates were auctioned off. Everybody agreed that they all had a wonderful time.





The Shul is sending *Get Well* cards and *Sympathy* cards to our Congregants. Please call Rhoda Kellerman at 1-978-535-0102, to inform her of any illness or condolences.



To all our Congregants, when making a donation or any payment, please write reason, and specify on your check and envelope whether it is designated for the General Fund or Trust Fund! Mail to Congregation Sons of Israel-P.O. Box 702-Peabody, MA 01960

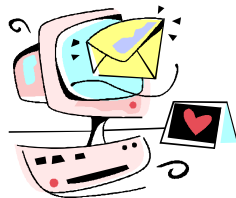


The Shul Directors have voted to continue our support of North Shore Children's Hospital. We will help pay for supplies for the Activity Carts already purchased. This will be an ongoing campaign. Please send checks to: Congregation Sons of Israel, P.O. Box 702, Peabody, MA 01960.

## **DEDICATE A PRAYER BOOK**



You can dedicate a book for a \$25.00 donation. We will prepare a beautiful inscribed label and insert it into a book in memory or in honor of a loved one or a happy event. Send request and donation to: Congregation Sons of Israel- P.O. Box 702-Peabody, MA 01960,



If you would like to be on the E-mail list, please send your e-mail address to our Shul e-mail address: [peabodyshul@yahoo.com](mailto:peabodyshul@yahoo.com) . You can also contact the Shul through our website [www.peabodyshul.org](http://www.peabodyshul.org)

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Joan Fine, Paul Ordman

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**OFFICERS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
2008**

President	Sumner Greenberg
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**From: Harvey Chandler- Social Committee Chair**  
**To: All Congregants!      **THANK YOU!****

**“MAY YOU ALWAYS TREASURE THE LOVE OF TRADITION.”**

It is with heartfelt appreciation and gratitude that I want to “Thank You” for your support by attending the Chanukah Party. The Shul strives to achieve goals not only socially, but spiritually. Your attendance is very important to the Shul. Through all of our efforts, we are making practical contributions to preserve and strengthen our Synagogue for future generations.

It is with deep felt appreciation and gratitude that I wish to thank our tireless social committee and to all of you who worked so hard for this event to make Chanukah a “delicious evening.”

Paula Chandler	Rhoda Kellerman	Marjorie Simon
Leslie Greenberg	Milton Kellerman	Alan Rosenfield
Stephen Greenberg	Freda Kravetz	Rosalyn Abrams
Bea Greenberg	Irving Sacks	Sally Francis
Sumner Greenberg	Phyllis Gluck	Dan Leavitt
Harvey Elefson	Sherwin Gluck	

It was a great success and a happy occasion. So to all of you who worked so hard, I am sincerely grateful.

“Thank You”    “Thank You”    “Thank You”

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*Harvey Chandler*

The following are gifts received **November 1, 2007 to November 30, 2007** designated to the Congregation's General Fund or the Trust Fund. These gifts may be given to honor the memory of a loved one or friend, to observe a yahrzeit, to acknowledge a "simcha", or for any reason. The Shul very much appreciates these donations. They are needed, and they help to sustain the Shul. Send all gifts to Congregation Sons of Israel, Box 702, Peabody, MA 01960, and note the designated fund on the check and envelope

### **General Fund**

In memory of father Max Golden  
From: Sylvia Greenberg

In memory of mother Anna Indeck  
From: Selma and Malcolm Indeck

In memory of Ilene Dorfman  
From: Glenn and Julie Potter  
From: Roz and Gary Soroko

In memory of mother Minnie Dick  
From: George and Toby Dick

In memory of grandmother Esther Kupinsky  
From: Bruce Gatterman

In memory of father-in-law Julius Gaman  
In memory of father Samuel Lonstein  
From: Gladys Gaman

In memory of son Michael Kolatka  
In memory of grandmother Prevy  
From: Eva Kolatka

In memory of uncle Jack Hirsh  
From: Anne Barosin

In memory of Ruth Pearlman  
From: Eileen and Harold Kepnes

In memory of sister-in-law Florence Kaplan  
From: Alice M. Tarlow

In memory of beloved husband William Bistrowitz  
From: Millicent Bistrowitz

In memory of brother Harold Kirstein  
From: Ruth Turkanis

In memory of mother Anna Bosman  
From: Geri Dermer

Donation for the Jewish Pantry  
From: Shirley Levine

### **General Fund**

Donation  
From: Alex Dichner

In memory of mother Mary Madow  
From: Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Goldberg

In memory of parents Sophie and Benjamin Weisman  
From: Sylvia Glassman

In memory of sister Shirley Tanzer Goldfarb  
From: Philip Tanzer

In memory of mother Eva Dinkin  
From: Richard and Susan Dinkin

In memory of mother Rose Hershenson  
From: Herbert Hershenson

In memory of mother Elizabeth Edelstein  
From: Murray and Bernice Edelstein

In memory of Joan Simon  
In memory of sister of Sylvia Taub  
From: Cynthia Mortlock

In memory of mother Mary Madow  
From: Bernice Dame

In memory of mother Esther Singer  
From: Jerry Singer

In memory of Rose Bernstein  
From: William and Betty Needleman

In memory of wife Lillian Shore  
In memory of mother-in-law Lena Wolfson  
In memory of mother Clara Shore  
From: Edward Shore

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### **Edward Edelstein Memorial Trust Fund**

Wishes for a speedy recovery to good health for Mendy Peck, brother of Freda Kravetz  
From: Harvey & Paula Chandler  
From: Milton & Rhoda Kellerman

A get well wish for Helen Aizley  
From: Sumner & Bea Greenberg

In loving memory of cousin Annette Tanzer Ziff  
From: Nathan & Fruma Tanzer

A wish for a speedy return to good health for Milton Kellerman  
From: Lillian Aronson

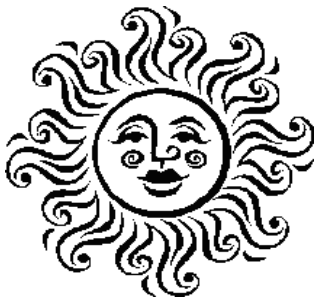
### **Prayer Books**

In memory of uncle Myer Friedman  
From: Stephen & Leslie Greenberg

In memory of beloved husband and father Myron Levine  
From: Shirley Levine

In memory of Myer Friedman  
From: Sumner and Bea Greenberg

**December donations will be included in next month's newsletter!**



## CONGREGATION SONS OF ISRAEL LIFE CYCLE EVENTS

### DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

To the family of Joan Simons (sister of Congregant Sandra Kamens)

### MAZEL TOV

To Ida Simon on her Special Birthday (mother of Alan Rosenfield and Marjorie Simon, Stephen and Barbara Smidt)

Please forward your information by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month in order to get into the newsletter in a timely manner. Information should be sent to [peabodyshul@yahoo.com](mailto:peabodyshul@yahoo.com) or call Barbara at 978-536-2018. You may also leave a message on the Synagogue's answering machine at 978-532-1624.



SAVE THE DATE! FEBRUARY SABBATH SERVICE WILL BE HELD ON FEBRUARY 1, 2008 at 7:30 PM.



UPCOMING EVENTS-- MOVIE DAY- -FEBRUARY 2008



UPCOMING EVENTS--ITALIAN NIGHT JEWISH STYLE-APRIL 2008

