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Reform Congregation Oheb Sholom

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Notes from the President

Congregation's busy year in full swing

By Ellen Azrael
President

The High Holidays are behind us, and now there are lots of other activities at the Temple. Religious school is in full swing. We have a Social Action Fair on October 9. At the end of the month (October 27) we will have our wonderful food festival. Sisterhood and Men's Club are meeting monthly. Most committees are also meeting regularly. And we are back to having our regular service schedule. The first Shabbat we will

continue having a Saturday morning service, and then once a month we have the effervescent Saturday morning Tot Shabbat. And with all our Temple activity there are also community events, which keep us busy.

Even though it is only the beginning of October, before you know it the regional Biennial in Bethlehem will be upon us. It is not too late to register for this exciting event taking place the weekend of Nov. 15-17. If you want to know what other Reform congregations are doing

throughout Pennsylvania and parts of New York and New Jersey, you will want to attend this wonderful event. There will be a Kabbalat Shabbat on Friday evening, followed by dinner and then Rabbi Eric Yoffee, President of the Union Of American Hebrew Congregations (UAHC), will be the keynote speaker. Later on Friday and Saturday nights there will be musical entertainment. Starting on Friday and ending Sunday, there will be workshops about lifelong Jewish

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From the Rabbi's Study

Take time to honor our own heroes

On Yom Kippur morning, I spoke of the existence of heroes, both great and small, that are a part of our world. I tried to remind people that heroes don't just appear on the front page of the newspaper. They are all around us and most of them are unsung. To that end, I want to ask your help in creating a "Scroll of Honor" for Oheb Sholom.

**Rabbi Brian
Michelson**

Many members of our congregation volunteer and dedicate their time for a variety of worthwhile causes, both within the Temple and in the broader community. Most people are too shy to call attention to what they may be doing, but I want to make sure that we can recognize as many people as possible. If you know of someone who is doing any of these good works, please let the Temple know. This way they can be

included on our "Scroll of Honor" and receive the recognition they so richly deserve.

We are planning a very special Volunteer appreciation service where, as a congregation, we can honor those who are helping to enrich and improve the world in which we live and who help to make sure that Oheb Sholom has a place in the Reading community.

So call me and let me know what your friends, neighbors, and family members are doing that is worthy of recognition. They are all heroes, no matter what, but we should make sure that, as a community, we have the opportunity to thank them.

October Highlights

- Friday, Oct. 4:** Early Shabbat Service, 6 p.m.
- Saturday, Oct. 5:** Morning Shabbat Service, 10 a.m.
- Wednesday, Oct. 9:** Social Action Fair, 7-9 p.m.
- Saturday, Oct. 12:** Bar Mitzvah of Mason Cooper, 10 a.m.
- Friday, Oct. 18:** 6:30 p.m. Family Dinner followed by 7:45 p.m. Shabbat Service with grade 6 leading the service
- Saturday, Oct. 19:** Tot Shabbat, 10 a.m.
- Sunday, Oct. 20:** Men's Club, 9:30 a.m.
- Sunday, Oct. 27:** Food Festival

**Friday night services at 7:45 unless otherwise noted
Babysitting available at all services**

**Bulletin sponsored by
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph
Boscov
in memory of Dr. James &
Shirley P. Holzman**



Religious School News

Camp isn't just for summer anymore

By Holly Michelson, RJE
Religious School Administrator

My teaser from last month talked about camp. CAMP?!?! Talking about camp in October? Yes. Camp in October. Camp Harlam, our local UAHC Jewish "summer" camp holds special weekends throughout the year to create interest in Camp Harlam for new campers.

This month there is a special and exciting weekend planned for 3rd and 4th graders only. This great camp session begins Friday, Oct. 18 and ends Sunday, Oct. 20. On Sunday, following the conclusion of the weekend's program, there will be an Open House for parents of the campers as well as any other

families (from any grade) who wish to get information but were unable to attend the weekend. In November (1st-3rd) the 5th and 6th graders get their chance.

The camp experience is a powerful one and I encourage all families to consider taking this opportunity to give camp a try.

October also marks the first of our class-led Shabbat services. This month, our 6th grade class will be leading the service. Participating in these services gives all the students the opportunity to become comfortable leading prayers and reading in front of a congregation. By the time these students reach their Bar/Bat Mitzvah service, getting up in front of the congregation is no longer a scary task,

rather a commonplace occurrence.

While on the topic of services, many of you know that the school implemented a suggested minimum service attendance for the students last year. This year we are continuing this practice. You, the community, can help us with this. Be welcoming to the families, many of whom are bringing along younger children. Engage students in discussions about their studies. After all, raising a child is not just an obligation of the parents, or of the school, but also the community.

Important Dates:

Saturday, Oct. 12: Bar Mitzvah of Mason Cooper

Friday, October 18: 6th grade dinner

Men's Club News

Remembering a good friend and leader

By Marshall Azrael
Men's Club president

It is with great sadness to report the passing of Milton Mendelsohn, our Secretary-Treasurer. Milton served both our Men's Club and our congregation for as long as I can remember. His mild, stately manner and hard work will surely be missed. Roy Schwartz has graciously

accepted the responsibilities of Treasurer.

For our October meeting, Mimi Braverman and Brian Thompson, the catalysts of our congregational choir, will tell us about Jewish liturgical music and their experiences at the North American Jewish Choral Festival. Don't miss this opportunity on Sunday, Oct. 20.

I look forward to seeing you. Please call me if you have any questions or suggestions.

Our officers are: Marshall Azrael, President; Sidney Symons, Vice President; Roy Schwartz, Treasurer; Arthur Becker, Past President.

Future Meetings, all on Sundays, Nov. 10; Dec. 15; Jan. 19; Feb. 9; Mar.

My RCOS Jewish Food and Cultural Festival Checklist

- Mark and Save the date: Oct. 27
- Sell platter tickets
- Return Volunteer sign-up sheet
- Put up posters at work and at businesses I patronize
- Send fliers to friends and invite them to come
- Bake and freeze desserts and kugels

If you've checked off everything you'll help us have another successful event!!!



Temple member to host radio show on healing

Oheb Sholom member Dr. Jeffrey Lupowitz will be hosting a weekly radio show about healing ourselves and our nations, lifting our spirits and opening possibilities for ourselves personally and as peoples on this planet.

The show will be on WEEU 830 AM on Wednesdays from 6- 7 p.m. beginning Oct. 2.

The purpose of the show is to turn our focus toward what works and what is possible for us as individuals,

as nations and as a planetary body. Together we will empower and inspire ourselves and others.

Much of the focus will be on healing as being different than the treatment of symptoms, whether they be physical, mental, emotional, economic, political etc. That healing is more about greater awareness of all parts of oneself, and more alignment with ones inner drives and desires, and that healing is a natural process.

Dr. Jeffrey and his callers will talk

a lot about attitudes and beliefs, and how they shape what we receive in life - the results we get or don't get, and the quality (or lack of it) of our experience.

You will hear many stories of people creating big shifts in their life, or healing, by changing their belief about what was possible, responding differently and taking different actions.

Dr. Jeffrey hopes you will tune in and share your dreams or your healing successes also.

PRESIDENT

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education, strengthening a small congregation's religious school, social action and change, the role of the non-Jew in congregational life, Israel, and many more topics.

The more people we have attending the more information and ideas we can bring back to the Temple. If you help the Temple in the future, you can start by

attending the Biennial.

If you can't go for the entire weekend, you might consider attending on Saturday. The Shabbat morning service begins at 9 a.m., and we will be using the New Reform Siddur, which should be interesting. Call the office to get all the details about the Biennial.

As president of the congregation I try to get to most events, but sometimes it

just isn't possible.

My husband and I are going to miss the food festival this year because of parents' weekend at Emerson College in Boston. We wish we could be at both places, but we have chosen to be with our daughter. We know it's going to be another successful food festival. Many people are working very hard to make this year's festival even better than last year's.

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thank you

to Amy White Berger for working this
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a good book to read.

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The Jane Henry Memorial Fund

The Jane Henry Memorial Fund is not just a camp fund for youth. It will help anyone in need, particularly young people. This fund will consider aiding someone during difficult, needy periods.

To May and Leon Kaplan in memory of grandson, Ben Blutstein
Maxine & Dick Henry
Mildred & Ivan Gordon

To Jeff Sternlieb with wishes for a speedy recovery
Maxine & Dick Henry

In memory of Etta Burns
Maxine & Dick Henry
Louise Wiener

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Dr. & Mrs. Harold Farber
Mr. & Mrs. Norbert Salpeter
Maxine & Dick Henry
Amy & Lee Berger

To Ken Lakin for a speedy recovery
Louise Wiener

To Dr. Harry Troyen in honor of his very special birthday
Maxine & Dick Henry

Yahrzeit in memory of Molly Miller
Saul "Marty" Miller

To Ann Goldstan with best wishes in her new home
Bob and Kaye Ullman
Loretta Charnoff

New Building Fund

In memory of Etta Burns
Sue & Herb Wachs
Judy & Lee Katz
Jane & Bernard Sher
Richard & Rosalye Yashek
Bob & Kaye Ullman
Joan & Lewis Cohen
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Rabbi Brian & Mrs. Holly Michelson
Henry & Helene Singer
Hilde Gernsheimer & Fred Jakobs
David & Selma Levan
Sue & Larry Schlanger
Mildred & Ivan Gordon and Beck Family
Robin & Jess Drezner
Julie & Phil Scanlan and children

To Mr. & Mrs. Edward Lakin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lakin, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boscov, in honor or opening of Boscov's store at Berkshire Mall
Richard & Rosalye Yashek

To Kathy Wachs and family in memory of her grandmother
Sue & George Viener

To Dr. Neil Hoffman & Judith Kraines in honor of Seth's engagement
Sue & Larry Schlanger

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Richard & Rosalye Yashek
Barbara & Seth Rosenzweig
Rick & Debbie Zelnick
Judy & Lee Katz
Bob & Kaye Ullman
Evelyn & Edward Goodman

Conrad & Ruth Heisman
Norma & Marty Beckerman
Dr. & Mrs. C. Harold Cohn
Sally & Bob Gilbert
Mildred & Ivan Gordon
Ethel Sherman & Bruce
Larry & Sue Schlanger
Dr. & Mrs. Richard Small
The Besser Family
Sara & David Natkin
Donald & H. Anne Kelly

In memory of Michelle Mart's father, Eric
Jeff & Jan Gernsheimer

To Robert Merritt with wishes for a speedy recovery
Gene & Shirley Friedman

To May & Leon Kaplan in memory of grandson Ben Blutstein
Dr. & Mrs. C. Harold Cohn

To Mrs. Catherine Morrow and family, in memory of Dr. Bert Morrow
Gene & Shirley Friedman

Religious School

To May & Leon Kaplan in memory of their grandson, Ben Blutstein
Murry & Nancy Knoblauch

Music Fund
In honor of Edith Mendelsohn's birthday
Sara & Al Diamond

In memory of Etta Burns
Sylvia Schiff

In memory of Lawrence (Larry) Stein
Blanche Stein

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Sylvia Schiff
Norma Greenberg

To David & Ruth Spillerman in honor of the birth of Talya
Karen, Blair, Jeffrey & Robert Hogg

Greater Temple Fund

Yahrzeit in memory of David Gordon and Betty Gordon
Mildred and Ivan Gordon

In memory of Etta Burns
The Abramson family

To Alan & Melissa Schlechter in memory of father Aaron
Gayle and Mike Kastenbaum

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Zelda & Bill Cherner
Mary Lou Beard
Clara Leary
Paula Cherner
Laura Mendelsohn
Trina & Wally Rudolph
Annabel Klein
Mae Marlowe
Tony & Toba Hausner
Alan & Victoria Rudolph
Carole & George Mason

New Building Landscaping Fund

To May & Leon Kaplan in memory of grandson Ben Blutstein
Phyllis Goldstan

To Cathy Sanders with wishes for a speedy recovery
Barbara & Seth Rosenzweig

To Jeff Sternlieb with wishes for a speedy recovery
Jess & Robin Drezner
Jeff & Jan Gernsheimer
Esta, Randy, Sara & Bari Neugroschel

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Phyllis Schlanger

To David & Ruth Spillerman in honor of the birth of Talya
Elyse, Jeff & Kacie Horowitz

Thanks for all the birthday and get well wishes
Cathy Sanders

Shirley K. Jacobs Religious School Fund

To Judy Safir in memory of her husband, Donald
Rabbi Brian & Holly Michelson

Rabbi's Discretionary Fund

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Roz Hyman
Jane and Bernie Sher

A contribution was received from the family of Toni Gutmann in her memory

A contribution has been received from Kaye Ullman & Dorothy Rosenthal

In honor of our son Jonathan's engagement to Michele Ries
Sandee & Neal Nevitt

In memory of Henrietta Nevitt and Fred Coopersmith
Sandee & Neal Nevitt

General Fund

In memory of Milton Mendelsohn
Jeff & Jan Gernsheimer

Thank you for all the well wishes during my recent surgery and recovery
Roy Schwartz

A Holiday prayer book has been given in memory of Milton Mendelsohn from Hilde Gernsheimer and Fred Jakobs.

A contribution for a new computer for our bookkeeper, Beth has

Mazel Tov to Dorothy and Joe Schlanger on their 65th wedding anniversary



Sisterhood News

Have fun with friends at fall general meeting

By Elyse Horowitz

I hope everyone is enjoying the fall season. The Sisterhood is busy planning many events for the rest of the year and we could always use your help.

Please join us on Oct. 15 at noon for our fall general meeting. We have a great lunch planned, along with a program. So come and have a fun afternoon with your Sisterhood friends.

The Sisterhood would like to thank everyone again for all their donations for the Rummage Sale, including all the wonderful baked goods. Thanks to all the volunteers, and the Backer and Cardinal family for all their hard work to make the Rummage Sale a great success.

With everyone's help we raised more than \$3,800.

Thanks to Patti Goldstein for the beautiful Rosh Hashanah Oneg reception, and Karen Hogg for helping to organize Yom Kippur Break the Fast. Your hard work was greatly appreciated.

We now have additional tables and brand new tablecloths for our Social Hall thanks to all the hard work from our Facility committee.

The Sisterhood would also like to thank everyone who purchased a Boscov's Preview ticket. With the congregations help we were able to raise \$415. Thanks for your support, and we hope you enjoyed your day of shopping.

Here are some dates to remember; Nov. 5 is the Joint Women's Organization Luncheon, March 18 is the Donor Lunch, Sisterhood Shabbat is April 25, and May 20 is the Spring General Meeting.

Do you remember our great Passover baskets? It was one of our best fundraisers. We will be doing them this year for Hanukkah and need volunteers to help assemble the baskets. Come help and join in on the fun. Check your mail for further details.

THERE IS SUCH A THING AS A FREE LUNCH! We started a great new

volunteer system called Donor Dollars. For every hour you work at the gift shop you earn \$1 toward your lunch at the Donor Luncheon in the Spring. All you need to do is volunteer your time. If you can work Tuesday afternoons 4:15-6:00, Friday evenings 7:30-7:45, after services 9:00-9:15, and Sunday mornings 9:00-12:00. Please call Donna Zimmer if you can volunteer.

ONE MORE CRY FOR HELP! We need volunteers to work two-hour shifts in the gift shop the day of the food festival. If you can work anytime from 11:30-6:00 please call me, Elyse Horowitz, at 610-796-3943.

On behalf of the Sisterhood we would like to thank everyone for all their support of our Fundraising events. When we all work together so many wonderful things can happen.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dinners would be better with china, metal cutlery

To the Editor:

At Friday night dinners or suppers at the Temple, the food has been good and well presented. However, we had to eat from paper plates and use plastic cutlery. Why can't these meals be served on the dishes and flatware the Temple owns, and why can't these items be washed in the fine dishwasher that is now installed in the Temple kitchen?

If the entree is chicken, the plastic knives break rather than cut the chicken.

It is almost impossible to eat a tossed salad with a plastic fork. On one occasion the gravy on the food being served almost leaked through my paper plate and I just about reached my table before it did leak.

I have inquired about this on two separate occasions. Once the answer was that it is too expensive to pay for the cleanup after the meal. I cannot concur with this. The paper and plastic items cost money. In my opinion it would be better to charge an additional sum so that the

cost of the meal would cover the cleaning charge.

The second time I inquired I was told that it had to do with being kosher. To the best of my knowledge the Temple is not and has never been kosher. The meal is much more palatable if it is served on china and if metal flatware is used. Could this be considered for future Shabbat suppers?

Edith Mendelsohn

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Sisterhood Florence Frank Offering Fund

To Mr. & Mrs. Leon Kaplan in memory of their grandson
 Mrs. Sylvia Schiff
 Mr. & Mrs. Albert Diamond
 Mrs. Helen Rappoport
 Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Symons
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Brok
 Mrs. Edythe Stern
 Mrs. Sue Wolfe

To Barbara Singer in memory of her mother, Etta Burns

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 Dr. & Mrs. Eric Zelnick
 Mr. & Mrs. Irvin Balis
 Mrs. Sue Wolfe
 Mrs. Edythe Stern

Thanks for the service, Oneg Shabbat and those honoring me with a luncheon
 Mrs. Vivian Polter

To Marietta Weitz in honor

of her new granddaughter
 Mrs. Ethel Sherman
To Harriet Leisawitz on the arrival of her great-grandson
 Mrs. Leah Levin
 Mrs. Bella Blau

To Mr. & Mrs. Alan Leisawitz on the birth of their grandson
 Mrs. Bella Blau

Good luck to Joseph Schlanger on the outcome of tests
 Mrs. Ethel Sherman

To Mrs. Jeanette Saft in memory of her husband, Nate
 Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Symons
 Mr. & Mrs. Robert Brok
 Mrs. Elaine Backer

Good luck to Vivian Polter on her move to Las Vegas
 Mrs. Hilde Gernsheimer & Fred Jakobs

To Edith Mendelsohn in memory of her husband, Milton
 Mr. & Mrs. Gene Friedman

Mrs. Vivian Polter
 Mrs. Hilda Yablin & Ted Roebeg
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Wittenberg
 Mrs. Nancy Linton
 Mrs. Edith Blanck
 Mrs. Bella Blau
 Mrs. Elaine Backer
 Mrs. Leah Levin
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Schlanger

To Mrs. Amy Berger in honor of her daughter's wedding
 Mr. & Mrs. Larry Schlanger

To Jack Gernsheimer in honor of his daughter's wedding
 Mr. & Mrs. Larry Schlanger

To Ken Lakin for a speedy recovery
 Mr. & Mrs. Larry Schlanger

To Ken Lakin for a happy and healthy new year
 Mr. & Mrs. Albert Diamond

To Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Symons in honor of their grandson's bar mitzvah
 Mrs. Edith Blanck

To Edward Daniels for a speedy recovery
 Mr. & Mrs. Naum Ger
To Mrs. Edith Mendelsohn on her son winning a U.S. Supreme Court case
 Mrs. Bella Blau

To Mrs. Ethel Sherman in memory of her husband, Joseph
 Mrs. Marsha Gross

To Mrs. Janet Cosgrove in memory of her mother, Ruth Kins
 Mrs. Marsha Gross

To Dr. Ruth and David Spillerman on the arrival of their baby
 Mrs. Harriet Baskin

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Spillerman on the arrival of their new grandchild
 Mrs. Harriet Baskin

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Julian Syret on the arrival of their grandson
 Dr. & Mrs. Eric Zelnick

Congratulations to Dr. & Mrs. David Bartos on the arrival of their new granddaughter
 Dr. & Mrs. Eric Zelnick
To Michelle Mart in memory of her father
 Mrs. Sylvia Schiff

To Amy Berger in memory of her mother
 Mrs. Sylvia Schiff

To Mr. & Mrs. David Morris in honor of their granddaughter's wedding
 Mrs. Ethel Sherman

To Dr. & Mrs. Kalmen Feinberg for a healthy and happy new year
 Mrs. Ethel Sherman

To the Fred Hittman family in memory of Fred
 Mr. & Mrs. Jack Silverstein

Kindly send Florence Frank Offering Fund

The family of Mason Cooper invite you to join them in prayer at Mason's

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 Barbara Rosenzweig 610-775-5383
 or Sue Wolfe 610-376-8117

Eat well . . .

and help the Temple's

Mitzvah Meal Program.

We have entered into a partnership with Panera Bread to sell coupon strips for their breads and bagels.

For \$9 you receive coupons worth \$12 for bread or bagels and we keep 50% of the purchase price.

Stop by the Temple office and purchase a combo strip of 6 mixed coupons: 3 bread coupons, 1 bagel, 1 muffin and 1 cookie coupon or purchase a strip of 6 bagel coupons (each coupon good for 3 bagels).

Enjoy delicious, fresh bread products from one of Berks County's newest bakery/cafes and help the Temple's Mitzvah Meal Program at the same time.



Oneg and flowers sponsors

Friday, Oct. 11: Flowers and Oneg in honor of Bar Mitzvah of Mason Cooper's Bar Mitzvah by Leah Soloff and Evan Cooper.

Friday, Oct. 18: - Grade 6 will sponsor the Oneg. Flowers in honor of yahrzeit of Saul Blanck by Edith Blanck.

Friday, Oct. 25: Flowers in memory of Emmy Humberg from Ruth Heisman & Harriet Kelly.

**To sponsor flowers, a food basket
or oneg, call Ellice Gunter
at 610-775-4448**

**Get to know Dan Sklar,
our new student cantor,
"up close and personal"
If you would like to provide weekend
hospitality for Dan, please contact
Jeri Kozloff at 610-373-4400.**

How to Be Good

with Randy Cohen, author of "The Good, the Bad & the Difference"

Sunday, Oct. 6 at 3 p.m. at the JCC

If you read "The Ethicist" column in the *New York Times Magazine* (or "Everyday Ethics" in any of 40 newspapers including the *Reading Eagle*, then you know Randy Cohen.

Or perhaps you know him as a graduate of Mount Penn High School and the son of Irma Cohen of Fleetwood

Welcome Randy Cohen back to the JCC of Reading and enjoy his talk about his experiences as "The Ethicist." Cohen answers ethical questions with intelligence, sensibility and humor and has won five Emmy Awards, three for his comedy writing. Randy Cohen's talk will leave you thinking and laughing. Join us . . . and bring your questions. Randy will sign copies of his book, which will be available to purchase.

Refreshments will be served

Fee \$5 for JCC members, \$8 for non-members

Call 610-921-0624 for reservations

Perpetual Memorials

October 4 and 5

Henry Phillip King
Sol Greenstein
Nathan R. Liever
Samuel Sinaink

October 11

Maurice Gumpel
Dr. Sidney J. Sondheim
Justin J. Baumann
Leon Klevansky
Geraldine G. Salpeter
Nathaan Fein
Else Gerson-Simon
Hilda Bodenheimer

October 18

Jack H. Blumberg
Jane R. Pokrass
Jacob Morris Cohn
Sadie R. Newman
Samuel J. Sondheim
Ruth G. Greenberg
Theodore Rachlin
Emanuel Jacobs
Edith Luria

October 25

Yetta Levitz
Rebecca Liever
Anna G. Popkin
Eve Frankel

Nov. 1 and 2

Molly Miller

Morris Eisman
Joseph Bloch
Lily D. Heilbron
Victoria Levine
Sophie G. Cohen
Arthur Humberg
Sig S. Schweriner
Jacob Weitzenkorn



Sisterhood Fall General Meeting

Tuesday October 10

at noon

Lunch and bring your creativity

Paint your own pottery with

"Brush with Success"

Need a recipe for the Food Festival?

Abra's magic Mandelbrot

Ingredients

3 eggs, beaten

$\frac{3}{4}$ cup oil

1 cup sugar

3 cups flour

2 teaspoon baking powder

$\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon vanilla

2-3 oz chopped almonds and /or

chocolate chips

Topping: cinnamon and sugar

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Beat eggs in medium bowl. Add oil and sugar, stir together.

In a separate bowl mix together flour, baking powder and salt. Add flour mixture to egg mixture a little at a time, stirring until blended.

Add vanilla and chopped almonds and/or chocolate chips. Mix dough evenly.

(This is hard - use your muscles)

Remove from bowl and form dough into a log with your hands. Transfer to

baking sheet and flatten with your hands into a long rectangular shape, about 1 inch high. Even up sides of dough. Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar.

Bake at 350 degrees for 10-15 minutes or until just lightly browned. Cool on wire rack. Slice and store in an airtight container.

Recipe from "Chocolate Chip Challah" written lby Lisa Rauchwerger.



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