



Congregation Har HaShem

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ABBREVIATION KEY

B/M - Bat/Bar/B'nai Mitzvah
HHS - Har HaShem
JC - Junior Congregation
JCC - Jewish Comm. Center
NHHS - Not at Har HaShem
RS - Religious School
South - South Building

All events are at the Har HaShem main building unless otherwise stated.

Interested in adding a Har HaShem event to the Chadasht calendar?

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A Reform Jewish Congregation dedicated to prayer (t'filah), learning (limud), building community (k'hilah) and repairing the world (tikkun olam)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<h1>Happy New Year!</h1>						
4 NO Religious School	5 11:00 AM-Staff Meeting 12:30 PM-Monday Jewish Studies Group No Hebrew School	6	7 1:30 PM-Program Staff 4:00 PM-Hebrew Review Games for ALL Hebrew Students 6:15 PM-Board Meeting 7:00 PM - WHHS Book Club No 7th & 8th Grade or Rosh Chodesh No Confirmation or Hebrew High	8 9:00 AM-Restoring the Soul Board Meeting 12:00 PM-Chat Noon 6:00 PM-Youth Lounge Night (South) 6:00 PM - Hebrew II class 6:30 PM-Sudan Meeting	9 6:00 PM-Second Shabbat Services 7:00 PM-Second Shabbat Dinner, including Zknei HHS special event	10 9:00 AM-Shabbat Morning Torah Study (South) 10:00 AM-Shabbat Morning Minyan (South) 10:00 AM-Shabbat Mishpacha (NHHS - WOW Children's Museum in Lafayette) 7:00 PM-Ruach 56 (South)
11 NO Religious School 9:00 AM-Adult Hebrew 9:30 AM-Men's Group (South) 10:00 AM-Hebrew Prayer Book Games 10:30 AM - WHHS talk (NHHS) 2:00 PM-Rabbi Joe Black Concert (South) JYG Bowling event time TBA	12 11:00 AM-Staff Meeting 4:00 PM-Hebrew School 5:00 PM-T'filah 5:30 PM-Teacher meeting 5:30 PM-BTY Board Meeting (South) 5:30 PM-Committee Night I 7:00 PM-Committee Night II	13	14 4:00 PM-Hebrew School 5:00 PM-T'filah 5:30 PM-Teacher meeting 5:30 PM-Pizza Night (South) 6:30 PM-7th & 8th Grade, Rosh Chodesh (South) No Confirmation or Hebrew High	15 6:00 PM-Youth Lounge Night (South) 6:00 PM-Hebrew II class	16 NFTY Winter Chavurah (Denver) 6:00 PM-Tot Shabbat 7:30 PM-Shabbat Services	17 2:30 PM-Family School (South)
18 NO Religious School	19 Martin Luther King Day Offices Closed 9:00 AM-Keitanat No Hebrew School	20	21 1:30 PM-Program Staff 4:00 PM-Hebrew School 5:30 PM-Pizza Night (South) 5:30 PM-Teacher meeting 6:30 PM-7th & 8th Grade, Rosh Chodesh (South) 6:30 PM-B'tzelem Elohim (formerly Special Needs Family group) 6:45 PM-Hebrew High & Confirmation (JCC)	22 11:30 AM-Restoring the Soul luncheon forum 6:00 PM-Youth Lounge Night (South) 6:00 PM-Hebrew II class 6:30 PM-Cancer Support Grip	23 Rosh Chodesh Retreat - 7th Grade 5:30 PM- Wine and Cheese Reception 6:00 PM-Shabbat Services	24 Rosh Chodesh Retreat - 7th Grade 9:00 AM-Shabbat Morning Torah Study (South) 10:00 AM-Shabbat Morning Minyan (South)
25 8:45 AM-Generology Class 9:00 AM-Religious School 9:30 AM-Adult Hebrew I 9:30 AM-Adult Hebrew II 9:45 AM-Koi No ar 1:00 PM-Rishonim (South)	26 11:00 AM-Staff Meeting 4:00 PM-Hebrew School 5:30 PM-Teacher meeting	27	28 4:00 PM-Hebrew School 5:30 PM-Pizza Night (South) 6:00 PM-Executive Committee 6:30 PM-7th & 8th Grade Classes (South) NO Rosh Chodesh 6:45 PM-Hebrew High & Confirmation (JCC)	29 6:00 PM-Youth Lounge Night (South) 6:00 PM - Hebrew II class 6:30 PM-Cancer Support Grip	30 Confirmation Retreat (NHHS) 7:30 PM-Shabbat Services led by WHHS	31 Confirmation Retreat (NHHS)

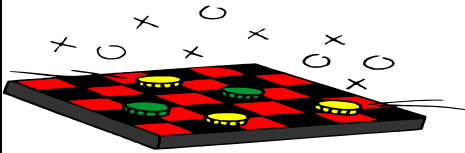
Youth Group Central

News and upcoming events you need to know about!

Rishonim

3rd and 4th grade

Rishonim isn't going to get BOARD, cause we're having a board game extravaganza



When: Sun., Jan. 25th, 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Keep your eyes peeled for the rest of the details coming in a flyer this month.

RSVP: to Seth at (303) 499-7077, x.16, or youth@harhashem.org



Ruach 56

5th and 6th grade

Will be having a movie and marshmallow overnight!

When: Sat., January 10th, 7PM

We are going to hang out and watch movies, play games and of course, make s'mores in the youth lounge. Want to find out? Be there or be square!

Be on the lookout for further info coming to a mailbox near you very soon!

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JYG

7th and 8th grade

Join us for a great evening in search of the perfect game...
Bowling a 300!

When: Sun., January 11th

For details on the time of the event keep your eyes on your inbox for a flyer coming soon!

Join the Junior Youth Group for a fun evening of bowling to see who really is the true bowling champ of JYG!

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Remembering the RAC Confirmation Trip to Washington D.C. By Jordan Firstenberg

Last month, I went on the Religious Action Center (RAC) trip to Washington D.C. The trip was amazing, and it has completely redefined my course in life. Before the trip, I knew I wanted to help do what I could to stop the genocide in the Sudan region of Darfur - I didn't know how I could help out with this. Throughout the weekend, I signed up for programs covering human rights and the genocide. After learning a ton of information, I decided I wanted to lobby Colorado's representatives about the topic. Sam Behrens and I wrote a speech and presented it to Senator Salazar's and Senator-elect Udall's legislative assistants. We told them it was crucial to end the genocide, and they told us they supported us and would do everything they could to help the cause. Not only did I make a difference in the nation's capitol but I will take this back to Boulder. I learned that a person, a single person, has as much power as they want to have and if you don't think you can make a difference you can't. But if you believe you can do something, make a difference then you can change the world.

That being said, Darfur is not the only issue you can lobby the senators on. There are many different options from the energy crisis to health care to the war in Iraq and many more. This trip was an amazing, and I highly recommend it to anyone who has the opportunity!

BTY High school youth group

The confirmation kids went on the RAC trip to Washington D.C., saw all kinds of things, and lobbied for what they feel strongest about. But Winter Chavurah is now in sight, so if you haven't gotten your forms in, DO IT NOW!

The flyers for the next exciting event, an adventure in Culinary Judaism, are out so check your mailboxes daily for those. It's going to be the Iron Chef of the Jewish world.

Also, please remember you must be a BTY member to go to Winter Chavurah,. So if you are not, please bring a check for \$50 in addition to your forms. Hope to see them coming in soon. We have high hopes and have a goal that BTY will bring 30 members to the Chavurah,. Let's reach our goal and have fun doing it!



Want to help out? There are many opportunities to volunteer at Har HaShem, please contact Seth if you're interested!



For information regarding any of these programs, please feel free to contact Seth Toybes, the Youth Director, at (303) 499-7077 ext. 16, or by email at youth@harhashem.org