

NHBZ Shabbos Bulletin

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Torah Portion: Haftorah:

Parshas Emor: Leviticus 21:1 – 24:23 Ezekiel 44:15-31

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Candle Lighting ~ 7:41 p.m. Shabbos Concludes ~ 8:45 p.m.

Our Generous SponsorsThis Shabbos . . .

Thank You to Dr. Erol & Sally Amon for sponsoring this Shabbos Bulletin in honor of the graduations of their sons! Max Amon will graduate from St. Louis University with a degree in Computer Science. Isaac Amon will graduate from Washington University School of Law; *Isaac* will represent the student body as the "Voice of the *Class*" and has been given the honor of speaking before the faculty, graduates, and the graduates' family and friends. Max and Isaac's graduation ceremonies will be held on May 15.

Mazel Tov to parents Dr. Erol & Sally, Graduates Max & Isaac, and brother Reuben!!!

Thanks to everyone celebrating May Birthdays & Wedding Anniversaries for sponsoring Kiddush and Lunch today.

Shabbat Shalom!

Erev Shabbos, Friday Night, May 8, 2015

Mincha & Ma'ariv (7:00 pm)

Shabbos, May 9, 2015

- **Shachris & Musaf** (8:30 a.m.) ~ *Thank You For Leading Davening*
 - Pesukei D'Zimra: Howard Sandler - Haftorah: Lenny Alper
 - Shacharis: Dr. Ethan Schuman
- Drasha (Sermon): No Sermon Today

- Leyning: Max Gornish

- Musaf: Dr. Ethan Schuman
- Tefillah/Prayer Learners' Service ~ (9:15 am) Led by Rabbi Yosef David in the Rivkin Chapel.
- Learners' Service ~ (10:00 am) Led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Rivkin Chapel.
- Kiddush & Lunch ~ (After Musaf) May Lunch & Learn and Synaplex Shabbat. Regular Services begin at 8:30 a.m., Rabbi David's Learners' Service at 9:15 a.m., Rabbi Smason's Learners' Service at 10:00 a.m., Synaplex Sessions at 11:15 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:15 p.m. Luncheon in honor of May Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries. Synaplex speakers will be Rabbi Ze'ev Smason speaking on the topic: "Historic Space Quotes: The Torah View of Humanity's Journey Into the Unknown;" Dr. Andrew Rehfeld, President and CEO of Jewish Federation of St. Louis: "Israel & America Today: The Creation of Three Jewish Peoples:" Rabbi Yaakov Berkowitz, "Making It Count: Secrets of Sefiras Ha'Omer." Plus Youth Programming and Tot Shabbat. Thanks to Anna Rose Tendler and Sandy Klarfeld for planning and preparing lunch today!!!
- **Bon Appetit** ~ We place a plate of rolls on each table at every Shabbos Luncheon ~~ 1.) To enable each person to make or hear Ha'Motzi (the blessing on bread) over Lechem Mishne (two rolls or loaves of bread). and 2.) To enable each person to eat the minimum amount required when Ha'Motzi is made or heard; namely, one roll. Please be seated and remain silent while Rabbi Smason says Kiddush and makes HaMotzi.
- Mincha, Shalosh Seudos, Ma'ariv ~ (7:25 pm)
- Shabbos Concludes ~ (8:45 pm)

Please be sure to read Rabbi Smason's Beyond Twelve Gates in this Bulletin: "Has Anyone Seen My Moon Rocks?"

<u>SIMCHAS</u>

MAZEL TOV ON SIMCHAS May 9-15. Happy Birthday to Don Eisenberg, Monti Mantinband, Dr. Milton Sallis, Nathan Scheer, Nava Scheer, Jill Starr, Dr. Dana Szus Sutton, Linda Szus, and Hershel Tendler! Happy Anniversary to ~ Dr. Eliot & Sally Katz! Show your friends you care ~ send a tribute. Shul: Gloria Waxman 314-872-3296; Sisterhood: Phyllis Silverman 314-434-2482; Libby Needle Fund: Sally Needle 314-991-2575; For Chesed Fund: Drop by the office for a Pack of Cards.

When You Need Rabbi Smason ~ When you or a loved one becomes ill, and is hospitalized, please have a family member or friend contact Rabbi Smason on his cell phone as soon as possible . . . 314-749-5271.

Mi Shebarach List ~ Prayers said for a *Refuah Shelayma* (Speedy Recovery) for your loved ones and friends. Please call 314-991-2100, ext. 2, <u>by 10 a.m. Friday mornings</u> to include the names on our list to be read on Shabbos.

Shul News . . .

• CALL US WITH YOUR GRADUATES! Before you know it, Graduation Time will be upon us! Do you have a graduate in your family? Please contact Sandie, 314-991-2100, ext. 2, or email <u>www.sandieabrams@hotmail.com</u>, and give us your graduates' names, schools, universities and degrees

earned, so we can wish you and your graduates a big Mazel Tov in our Shabbos Bulletin! This year, Graduation Shabbos will be on June 13, when our Kiddush will be in honor of all the graduates.

Sunday, May 3, to Monday, May 11 ~ Sandie Abrams will be on vacation from Sunday, May 3rd, returning to the office on Monday, May 11.

During the work week of Monday, May 4, through Friday, May 8, Laura Krueger, our Business Manager, will be available in the office during the following hours:

Monday-Wednesday-Friday: 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday: 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.

- Sunday, May 10 ~ Mother's Day!
- Monday, May 11 ~ Movie Deadline E-X-T-E-N-D-E-D!!! RSVP & Payment Made on or before Monday, May 11 ~ "Above and Beyond," a movie about the creation of the Israeli Air Force in 1948, will be shown at Plaza Frontenac on Thursday, June 11, 2015 at 8:00 p.m., under the sponsorship of the Jewish Film Festival. We plan to have a group from Nusach Hari B'nai Zion attend at the special group rate of <u>\$10 per ticket – PAID IN ADVANCE.</u> If you would like to participate, please call the office and send in or deliver your checks to the office, before the "group deadline" of April 30, 2015. Tickets at the door, if still available, will be \$12. (STILL CHECKING TO BE SURE THERE ISN'T A LATER DEADLINE DATE.)
- Tuesday, May 12 ~ Board of Director's Meeting. <u>Mincha & Ma'ariv at 7:00 pm, Meeting, 7:30 pm.</u>
- Sunday, May 17 ~ Yom Yerushalayim ~ Jerusalem Reunification Day
- Monday, May 18 ~ Cash/Gift Cards will be ordered!!! Thank you to the following congregants who ordered Cash Cards last month: Dr. Alan & Marcie Brook, Gene & Linda Carton, Don & Julie Eisenberg, Stanley & Rhonnie Goldfader, Alan & Janet Haber, Bob & Joni Kaiser, Rabbi Ze'ev & Chani Smason, and Richard & Mindy Woolf! We have attached a form to this week's bulletin . . . take a couple of minutes to fill it out and order your Cash Cards this month, at absolutely no extra charge to you!!! Please help raise money for NHBZ and place your order by Friday, May 15. Every order makes a difference to our shul!
- Monday, May 18 ~ NHBZ's Israel Committee Presents an evening with Roey Gilad, the Consul General of Israel, to the Midwest Region of the United States (stationed in Chicago), who will speak at Nusach Hari B'nai Zion the day after Yom Yerushalayim (Jerusalem Reunification Day) on the topic, "Challenges Facing the New Israeli Government: *Iran, ISIS, and the Evolving Arab Spring.*" 7:00 p.m. Free and Open to the Public! Limited Reserved Seats are available UP FRONT for \$10.00 per seat. Before going to Chicago, Mr. Gilad served in various positions outside Israel including the UK, Jordan and Kenya. The 51-year-old native Israeli is fluent in Hebrew, English and Arabic, and is knowledgeable in French. He holds B.A. and M.A. Degrees in Middle Eastern Studies and a B.A. Degree in National Security. RSVP: 314-991-2100, ext. 5, or www.sandieabrams@hotmail.com.

- Tuesday, May 19 ~ Rosh Chodesh Sivan
- Tuesday, May 19 ~ Sisterhood Mother's Day Luncheon & Bingo Party! RSVP to Rachael, 314-395-6017
- Motzai Shabbos, May 23 ~ Erev Shavuos ~ Scrumptious Buffet Dinner at 9:15 p.m. followed by Early-Bird Learning at 10:30 p.m. Shavuos will be celebrated on Sunday & Monday, May 24 & 25. Yizkor will be recited on Monday, May 25. Be a Shavuos Dinner Sponsor for \$25.00; and RSVP for dinner reservations, 314-991-2100, ext. 2. Adults: \$12.00; Kids 4-10: \$5.00; Kids 3 & Under: FREE. Thank you VERY much to our Sponsors who have stepped up (as of May 1st): Bob & Sandie Abrams, Jesse & Debbie Barash, Sam & Shirley Bluestein, Gene & Linda Carton, Don & Julie Eisenberg, Teree Farbstein, Dr. Susan Feigenbaum & Dr. Jay Pepose, Irwin & Arlene Fredman, Stanley & Rhonnie Goldfader, Alan & Janet Haber, Bryson & Jennifer Hartranft, Bob & Joni Kaiser, Dr. Daniel & Marcela Morgensztern, Mark Ragin & Gail Rose, Leslie & Mimi Sabol, Gary & Trudy Sudin, and Richard, Mindy, Corey & Evan Woolf!!!
- Tuesday, May 26 ~ Executive Committee Meeting. <u>Mincha & Ma'ariv at 7:00 pm, Meeting, 7:30 pm.</u>
- Sunday, May 31 ~ All-You-Can-Eat Pizza Buffet ~ 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. <u>New scanners will accept</u> <u>Credit Card Payments!!!</u> Are you new to NHBZ, looking to meet more members...sign up to help on our Pizza Buffet Line! It's a great way for everyone to say "Hi." Bring your family and friends to enjoy a delicious dinner of pizza, pasta, salad and garlic bread, dessert and beverage! Reservations are not needed - just show up, eat to your heart's content, have fun schmoozing and have a great time!!! Plus a movie for the kids every month!!!! (Please place carry-out orders by 10:00 a.m. on Sunday morning, May 31, 314-991-2100, ext. 2. Pick up time for carry out pizzas is 4:30-4:45 p.m.)
- Shabbos, June 6 ~ Thanks to Bob & Joni Kaiser and Dr. Susan Feigenbaum & Dr. Jay Pepose for sponsoring lunch in honor of their Wedding Anniversaries! 30-years for Joni & Bob, 36 for Susan & Jay!
- Shabbos, June 13 ~ Lunch in honor of June Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries, AND Graduation Shabbos!!! Parents or Grandparents of the Graduates have traditionally helped to sponsor the Kiddush with their kind contributions of \$25.00. We thank our "Graduation Angels" for helping create a lovely Kiddush!
- Sunday, June 14 ~ The First NHBZ KidZone Community Family BBQ!!! 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Irv Zeid Park. Mark your calendars and save the date!!!
- Women's Emergency Tehillim Circle ~ The following women (*new) have made the commitment to be "on call" to say Tehillim for individuals whenever an emergency situation occurs: Julie Eisenberg, Chairperson, Sandie Abrams, Debbie Barash, Shirley Bluestein, Marcie Brook, *Linda Carton, Teree Farbstein, *Dr. Susan Feigenbaum, *Mimi Fiszel, Rhonnie Goldfader, *Joyce Hochberg, Sandy Kahn, Joni Kaiser, Sandy Klarfeld, *Svetlana Kogan, *Lori Laird, Cindy Looney, *Phyllis Loiterstein, Beverly Magencey, *Marcela Morgensztern, Laura Rader, *Nancy (Belau) Rush, *Mimi Sabol, Shayna Scribner, Peggy Umansky, and *Mindy Woolf. We say the prayers at home. Please call Julie Eisenberg, 314-695-5615, or Sandie Abrams, 314-991-2100, ext. 2., if you would like to participate. We will ask you to provide your phone number(s) and email address so we can get word to you as soon as an emergency arises.

<u>IMPORTANT NOTE</u>: This <u>EMERGENCY Tehillim Circle</u> is separate from the ongoing Tehillim we are saying for our dear friend Michelle Mufson. Although some of the women listed above are part of both groups, the Emergency Circle truly stands "on call" and ready to act immediately, within the special circumstances of the Emergency element of this group. As soon as Rabbi Smason learns of a critical, emergency situation in our community, he will alert Julie, give her the name of the person in crisis, and emails will go out immediately so we can begin saying Tehillim.

In The Community . . .

- Millstone Campus Men's Mikvah ~ Due to the long-awaited improvements being made to the Millstone Campus mikvahs, the men's mikvah will not be available for use on Erev Shabbos for the next several weeks, until further notice.
- Wednesday, May 6 ~ "Mending Relationships" presented by Eishes Chayil, a Division of St. Louis Kollel. Be inspired by this powerful video presentation featuring world renowned lecturers Rabbi Eli Mansour and Rebbetzin Aviva Finer, 8:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Batya Rich, 7949 Delmar. Light refreshments will be served. For more information or to RSVP, <u>skowalsky@stlkollel.com</u>.

- Monday, May 11 ~ EHA's Cub Scout Pack 180 presents a "Community Bike Safety Event," 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Kaufman Park Green Center, 8025 Blackberry Ave., in University City. FREE and open to kids of all ages. Kids under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. FREE: Giveaways, Bike Clinic/Race, Bike Safety Inspections. For a FREE Helmet Check, you must pre-register, 314-454-5437, press 3, and provide date (May 11) and location (Kaufman Park). Fitted helmets available for \$11.00. For more information contact Debbie Friedman, 314-229-9582 or dbfrdmn@yahoo.com.
- Tuesday, May 19 ~ Sh'ma: Listen ~ Speaker Series ~ 7:30 p.m. at the Kopolow Building. Miri Eisin will speak on the topic, "Domestic and Regional Challenges Israel Faces at 67." For details or to RSVP, contact Joan Wolchansky, JWolchansky@CAJESTL.org or 314-442-3760.
- Wednesday, May 27 ~ The Mark Raiffie Memorial Lecture featuring Nili Couzens, "Positively You: The Secret to Energizing Your Life," at 7:30 p.m. at The Aish Firehouse, 457 N. Woods Mill Rd., Chesterfield, MO 63017. Nili Couzens has lectured in Israel, South Africa, Central America, and cities and universities across the United States. Cost: Free. For details or to RSVP call 314-862-2474 or email <u>cwolff@aish.com</u>.
- A Call for Help from the Jewish Food Pantry ~ The Jewish Food Pantry is in desperate need of volunteers. The amount of food they are receiving is growing, but the number of people to organize all of the donations is NOT keeping up! To help or for questions, call Julie Eisenberg at 314-494-8437.
- Women's Community Tehillim Group ~ A group of women gather each Sunday at 9:15 a.m., at the home of Jan Adelman, 8032 Amherst Ave, 314-863-5438, to say Tehillim in the *zchus* (merit) of a *refuah shelayma* (full & speedy recovery) for the *cholim* (the ill people) in our community. The Tehillim hotline for names and updates: 314-441-6460. If you have questions, please call Julie Eisenberg at 314-494-8437.
- **Tomchei Shabbos On-Going FOOD DRIVE!!** *Tomchei Shabbos* (Supporters of the Sabbath) is maintained through contributions of food and money, and was established by the Vaad Hoeir, which discreetly provides families in our community with Shabbos & Yom Tov meals. Bring a bag of non-perishables to our office, or for home pick-up please call Sally Needle, 314-991-2575. To make a donation go to www.ovkosher.org.

President's Message from Lenny Alper

There are three deadlines coming up:

May 11 – deadline for buying tickets for "Above and Beyond"

We have arranged for a group price to see one of the Jewish Film Festival movies "Above and Beyond," about a group of Jewish American WWII pilots who, after the war, in secret and at great personal risk, smuggled planes out of the U.S., trained behind the Iron Curtain in Czechoslovakia and flew for Israel to help fight in the War of Independence. The movie will be shown at Plaza Frontenac on Thursday, June 11, at 8:00 p.m. The regular price is \$12, but we have arranged a special group rate of \$10 per ticket – PAID IN ADVANCE. If you would like to participate, please call the office and send in or deliver your checks before the "group deadline" of May 11.

May 13 – deadline for contributing to the Borow ad book

Mazel Tov to Rabbi Aaron and Rebbitzen Pearl Borow on being honored by Emunah Jerusalem. Rabbi Borow is the Rabbi Emeritus of NHBZ, having served from 1965 until 1999, when he and Pearl made aliyah. Emunah Jerusalem is honoring the Borows at a banquet in June. To raise money for its many activities, Emunah is publishing an ad journal in conjunction with the banquet. A full page ad costs \$500, and I invite all who are interested in participating to make a contribution of any amount toward the ad. *We are more than half way to our goal, but still have a little way to go.* Please contact Bobby Levine or Sandie Abrams in the office for details. Also, you can purchase a personal ad starting at \$50. *The deadline for ads is May 13!*

May 14 – deadline to RSVP for Roey Gilad

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Welcome to Beyond Twelve Gates by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason Parshas Emor May 9, 2015

"Has Anyone Seen My Moon Rocks?"

When he was 13 years old, Tim Harris told people that one day he would own and operate a restaurant. And for the past four years he has: Tim's Place, of Albuquerque, N.M. Why is yet another owner-operated restaurant a big deal? Because Tim, now 28, has Down Syndrome. Running any type of business was never something that Tim's parents expected of him. But after he expressed interest in the restaurant business, Tim's parents, Keith and Jeannie, figured out a way to make Tim's dream a reality. "We were very motivated for Tim to have as normal as life as possible," Keith Harris said.

From the start, it was clear that Tim's Place was something special. In addition to standard American and Mexican breakfasts and lunches, Tim serves hugs, and lots of them. So far, he's given out up to 32,475 according to a "hug counter" on the eatery's website. Giving hugs "is my favorite part of the day," said Tim, who arrives at work every morning between 7 and 7:30 and leaves around 2 P.M. every day except Tuesdays, his day off. Tim attended a mainstream high-school where he was voted homecoming king, and earned certificates in Food Service and Office Skills at Eastern New Mexico University. He lived in a college dorm, and graduated. He's had a girlfriend, Whitney, for the past 10 months. Tim, who has won several gold medals in the Special Olympics, is also a motivational speaker. His top message? "I tell people with disabilities to stay in school, so they can follow their dreams."

What is your greatest dream? Everyone has a dream of what they would like to do and who they would like to be. Someone once said, 'Reach for the stars; you may not catch one, but at least you won't get your hands caught in the mud!" One who has an insatiable desire to serve G-d and reach their potential will be driven to grow, achieve -- and like Tim Harris -- have their dreams fulfilled.

Parshas Emor Leviticus 21:1 - 24:23

Following the command in last week's portion to be sanctified and holy, Parshas Emor begins by discussing various laws directed specifically to the *Kohanim* and the *Kohen Gadol* (High Priest). Included is the command for the *Kohen* to refrain from becoming ritually impure through contact with a dead body (except for close relatives) and increased restrictions on whom they may marry. G-d requires those with greater spiritual responsibilities to maintain a higher standard of spiritual purity. Parshas Emor contains two of the most significant mitzvos in the entire Torah; to always be mindful of not desecrating G-d's name, and on the contrary, to sanctify Him at all costs.

The Torah goes on to discuss the festivals of the year -- Pesach, Shavous, Rosh Hashana, Yom Kippur, Succos and Shemini Atzeres. The festivals, including Shabbos, are referred to as moadim, appointed times; they are special days when Jews 'meet', as it were, with G-d. The festivals interrupt our ordinary weekday activities and inspire us to rededicate ourselves to those ideals that life is really about. Later, two mitzvos in the Mishkan are stated: the daily lighting of the menorah and the display of the *lechem hapanim* (showbread). The portion concludes with the horrible incident of a man who cursed G-d's name.

Rabbinic Ruminations

During the course of the Apollo space program, astronauts obtained roughly 700 lbs. of lunar materials. The vast majority of those samples were used for scientific research. However, specific lunar samples from Apollo 11 and Apollo 17 were earmarked as political souvenirs. Precisely 270 prepared lunar rock samples were distributed in the 1970s as part of the Goodwill Moon Rocks program, most of them going to the 50 U.S. states and a number of foreign countries as tokens of appreciation for support of Apollo, NASA and U.S. interests. Four decades later, no one can account for a significant number of those nigh-irreplaceable moon rocks. 180 are missing. That means that two out of every three Goodwill Moon Rocks were lost or stolen!

Many of the rocks were lost due to outright negligence or lack of oversight. In 2010, former Senator Kit Bond was cleaning out his Washington, D.C., office when he found Missouri's missing moon rock. Bond was governor in

1973 when then-President Richard Nixon distributed the Apollo mementos. The rock was inside a box of tapes, plaques and other paraphernalia. Arkansas, Hawaii and Oregon misplaced their moon rocks in desk drawers for decades. A former Colorado governor simply took his state's moon rock home with him when he left office (though he returned it later). Ireland accidentally threw its moon rock in a landfill when cleaning up damage from a museum fire and then dug it up when they realized their mistake.

The Torah obligates the finder of an article to return the lost object to its owner. Known in Hebrew as *Hashovas Aveida*, we're required to honor and preserve the possessions of others. If one cannot ignore his friend's *material* items, and must make sure they are returned to him, surely one cannot ignore a fellow Jew's *spiritual* well-being. Thus it is an obligation to reach out to those Jews who unfortunately have been distanced from their Jewish heritage and spiritual connection to the Almighty. This enormous obligation to care for all Jews is a great challenge of the current generation -- and a personal challenge for each of us.

Quote of the Week

People do not lack strength; they lack will. -- Victor Hugo

Joke of the Week

The commanding officer at the Russian military academy (the equivalent of a 4-star general in the U.S.) gave a lecture on Potential Problems and Military Strategy. At the end of the lecture, he asked if there were any questions.

An officer stood up and asked, "Will there be a third world war? And will Russia take part in it?"

The general answered both questions in the affirmative.

Another officer asked, "Who will be the enemy?"

The general replied, "All indications point to China."

Everyone in the audience was shocked. A third officer remarked, "General, we are a nation of only 150 million, compared to the 1.5 billion Chinese. Can we win at all, or even survive?"

The general answered, "Just think about this for a moment: In modern warfare, it is not the quantity of soldiers that matters but the quality of an army's capabilities. For example, in the Middle East we have had a few wars recently where 5 million Jews fought against 150 million Arabs, and Israel was always victorious."

After a short pause, yet another officer - from the back of the auditorium asked, "Do we have enough Jews?"

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This Week At a Glance	Shabbos May 9	Sunday May 10	Monday May 11	Tuesday May 12	Wed. May 13	Thurs. May 14	Friday May 15	Shabbos May 16
Shachris	8:30 am	8:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	7:00 am	9:00 am
Mincha/Ma'ariv	7:25 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:00 pm	7:35 pm

NHBZ Event Dlanner (<i>Check</i> "<u>Shul News</u> " for time, date or location changes.) Call the office, 314-991-2100, ext. 2, to confirm the date and time of any event. All events will be at NHBZ unless otherwise noted.						
 WEEKLY at NHBZ SHABBOS Tefillah Class (9:30 am) led by Rabbi Yosef David in the Rivkin Chapel. Child Care (10:00 am – Noon) for kids 3 & under in the Children's Room. Learners Service (10:15 am) led by Rabbi Ze'ev Smason in the Rivkin Chapel. Shabbos Tanach (Bible) (45 minutes before Mincha) SUNDAY Mishna Learning (after Shacharis) with Rabbi Chanan Swidler, of Aish HaTorah "Mystical Moments" with Rabbi Max Weiman (between Mincha & Maariv.) Tanya (8:00 pm) with Rabbi Shaya Mintz, of the St. Louis Kollel 	 SEMI-MONTHLY at NHBZ Women's Tefillah Class (2nd & 4th Mondays) 3:15 pm with Rabbi Smason at NHBZ. MONTHLY at NHBZ Irvin Alper Social Club (First Sunday) 5:00 pm. Mussar Mondays (First Monday) 7:00-7:45 pm. at the home of Richard & Mindy Woolf. Women's Home Study Group (First Tuesday) 2:30 pm with Rabbi Shaya Mintz, of the St. Louis Kollel, at the home of Jackie Berkin. Morris Lenga Yiddish Club (First Thursday) 7:30 pm at NHBZ. Sisterhood (Third Tuesday) Dine-In Pizza Night (Last Sunday) 5:00 – 7:00 pm Place Carry-Out Pizza orders by 10:00 am, 314-991-2100, ext 2. Pick up time 4:30 – 4:45 pm. 					
 MONDAY Mah Jongg (Mondays, 4-6:00 pm) NHBZ Lower Level. Proceeds benefit The NHBZ Chesed Fund. WEDNESDAY Rabbi Smason's Lunch & Learn (12:15-1:00 pm) Studying Pirkei Avos. 	 NHBZ Signature Events Synaplex Shabbos Shabbos Lunch & Learn 					

The Deadline to submit new information to appear in our Shabbos Bulletin is Wednesday each week, <u>NO</u> <u>LATER THAN 12:00 noon, please.</u> That will allow the time needed to make changes. The bulletin is printed <u>first thing</u> every Thursday morning.

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