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Message from the President



Spring has sprung, the flowers are in bloom and we are all turning our thoughts to summertime fun. But, before we get too far ahead of ourselves, we still have some end of season activities at the Plainview Jewish Center Men's Club.

I hope you had an enjoyable Passover holiday. For the 3rd year in a row I attended the community Seder on the second night of Passover at the Plainview Jewish Center. It was wonderful! Yasher koach to Rabbi Conn and Cantor Merrick for leading a beautiful Seder. Every table was set with all the accouterments of a traditional Seder table. The meal was provided by our temple caterer, Robert Ian Caterers and the

food was delicious. If you have a vacancy on your Seder calendar next year, I highly recommend attending the Seder at PJC.

As you have undoubtedly heard, seen or otherwise noticed, our Men's Club has selected Andrew Bader as our Man of the Year at the Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs. Andy is representing Plainview Jewish Center among 12 other Men's Clubs in the New York Metropolitan Region. A luncheon and awards ceremony honoring the Men and Youths of the year will be held on Sunday, May 19th at 11:00 AM right here at Plainview Jewish Center. I encourage you to purchase a journal ad in honor of Andy. Journal ads and brunch reservations may be purchased at www.newyorkmetrofjmc.org.

I want to thank Jeff Reis for setting up a very enjoyable and enlightening program on April 9th. Our guest speaker for the evening, Mark Schleisner, detailed his father Joseph's, escape from Germany in 1941, and his mother, Lori, who spent WWII as a hidden child in Belgium. They both lost multiple family members in the German death camps. In 2000, Mark obtained restitution for Lori from the French government for having deported her father to Auschwitz in 1943. Since then, Mark has helped over a dozen other people obtain similar restitution from both the French government and France's national railroad (which transported Jews to the camps). Thank you, Jeff for organizing the event.

As we look ahead to June, and the final Men's Club program of the year, we are gearing up for our end-of-year dinner and member appreciation night on Tuesday, June 11th. Who will be our Man of the Year and who will have the Lifetime Achievement Award bestowed upon him?

As we go about our busy, daily lives, let's try to take a moment to remember and think of the hostages still being held by Hamas. Say a prayer for them and the IDF soldiers fighting to rescue them and fighting to protect Israel from evil.

In brotherhood, Stuart P. Haimes PJC Men's Club President

Yom HaShoah Holocaust Remembrance Day

Generation to Generation. From Parent to Child. We light remembrance candles on Yom HaShoah to honor the memory of Holocaust victims.

Each family that belongs to the Plainview Jewish Center will receive a box in the mail containing a Yom HaShoah yellow candle. The package your family will receive will contain a letter with the name of a child who died during the Holocaust and who likely has no surviving relatives to light a candle in his/her memory.

Your Yom HaShoah yellow candle is to be lit on Sunday night, May 5, 2024.

This program is brought to you and your family courtesy of The Plainview Jewish Center Men's Club.

The Yom HaShoah Yellow Candle Project was established in 1981 by The Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs.

Donations in support of the Men's Club Yom HaShoah candle program are welcomed.

Make checks payable to PJC Men's Club and write Yom HaShoah in the memo section.

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Israel's Memorial Day

The State of Israel's independence, as well as its continued survival, is a modern day miracle. But, it has come at great cost in human lives to its citizens. (There have been over 23,741 fallen soldiers and 3,150 victims of terror since the State of Israel was founded.) Therefore, before Israel celebrates Yom Ha'atzma'ut, its Independence Day, Israel honors the memory of those who gave their lives for their country. On the 4th of Iyar, Yom Ha'zikaron, Memorial Day is observed.

Memorial Day in Israel is not a day of picnics, fairs and fireworks. To honor the fallen soldiers, sirens are sounded simultaneously throughout the entire country, once in the evening and once in the morning. As the alarm pierces the air, all traffic comes to a halt and everyone stands for a moment of silence in honor of those who have fallen.

What is the purpose of silence? Speech is one of humankind's most powerful tools and is one of the traits that humanity "shares" with God. It was with the power of speech that God created the world. ("And God said, 'Let there be light,' and there was light.") People use their power of speech to connect with each other. Observing a minute of silence forces us to disconnect from those around us and to reflect on both the void created by these great losses, and the miracle of our own survival.

This year Yom Ha'zikaron is observed on May 13th and Yom Ha'atzma'ut on the 14th.



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Plainview Jewish Center Men's Club Honorees



Man of the Year



Andrew Bader Noah Leibowitz Youth of the Year

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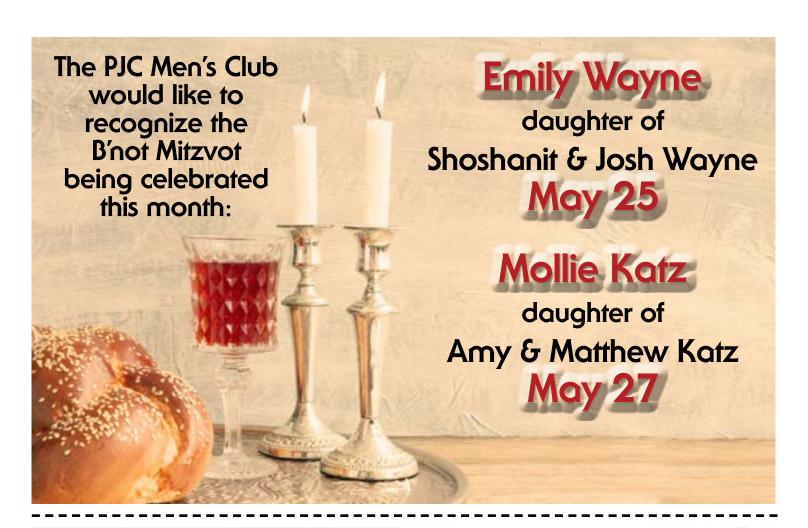






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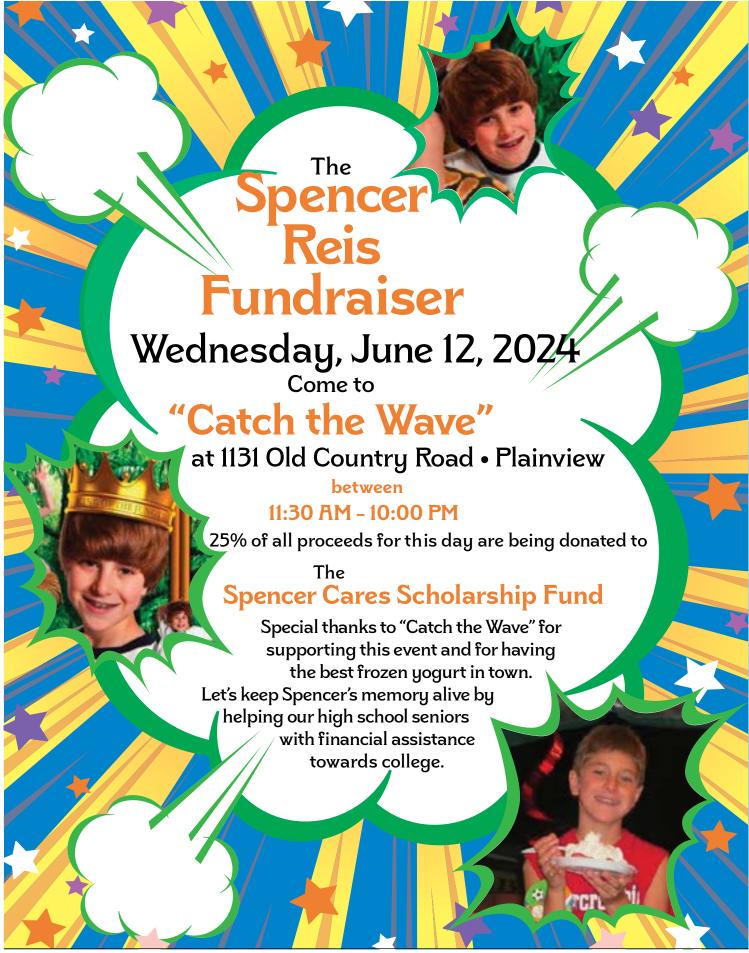


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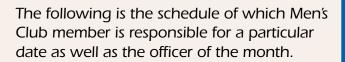
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Sponsoring one of the breakfasts can be your way of expressing any sort of announcement or occasion, such as a commemoration of a Yahrzeit, a Bar or Bat Mitzvah, a wedding, a birth of a child or grandchild or a graduation, etc.

A donation of \$72 or more to Men's Club helps defray the cost and supports Men's Club's charitable activities.

For more information and to reserve a date, please call:

Stewart Wasserman 516-698-2220



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Sundays 9:00 am in-person and live stream

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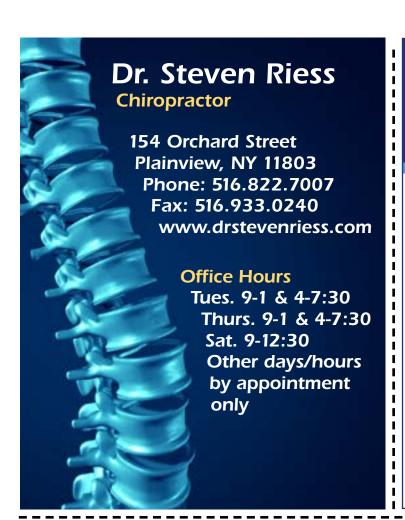
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