

BAIS TORAH BULLETIN

פרשת נשא -- פרקי אבות פרק א'

May 17, 2013

ח' סיון תשע"ג

ערב שבת פרשת נשא

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| מנחה | 7:00 |
| הדלקת נרות* (early) | 7:20 |
| הדלקת נרות (actual) | 7:52 |
| שקיעה | 8:10 |
| שבת פרשת נשא | |
| שחרית השכמה | 7:30 |
| דף היומי | 8:00 |
| שחרית | 8:45 |
| סוף זמן ק"ש | 9:14 |
| Pirkei Avos Shiur | 6:05 |
| Halacha Shiur | 6:55 |
| מנחה | 7:40 |
| שקיעה | 8:11 |
| מעריב | 8:53 |

Weekday Schedule:

Week of 5/19-5/24

שחרית

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| Sunday | 7:45 |
| Mon., Thurs | 6:20, 7:45 |
| Tues, Weds Fri | 6:30, 7:45 |

מנחה - מעריב

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| Sun-Thurs | 8:00 |
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NEXT WEEK:

שבת פרשת בהעלותך

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| מנחה | 7:00 |
| הדלקת נרות (early) | 7:20 |
| הדלקת נרות (actual) | 7:58 |
| שקיעה | 8:16 |

WHAT'S NEW

This week's Kiddush is available for sponsorship

שמיטה is co-sponsored by Jack Gross for yartzheit of his father, Boruch Bendit ben Harav Meir and Dr. Moshe Kranzler for yartzheit of his mother Chana Sara bas R' Gershon

This is the last week of Pirchei for boys Shabbos **2:00-2:50**– and **BNOS** for girls Shabbos **3:00-4:00** . Both are for **Kindergarten - 7th grade**. Thank you to everyone who made it success! We will see you in the fall!

Rabbi Gottlieb continues his Shabbos afternoon halacha series: "**The Halachic Aspects of Vacations.**" All are invited to attend.

JUMP IN! Join us for **Zumba! On Monday** nights at 8:15.

Rabbi Gottlieb's **Ladies' Halacha Shiur** is this **Wednesday at 8:30 PM**.

Come enjoy the live Shiur by **Rabbi Frand** Thursday night at **9:00 pm**.

The Bais Torah Dinner Journal is ONLINE! To view or download the journal (in PDF form) just go to: <http://www.scribd.com/doc/139079605/Bais-Torah-2013-Ad-Journal>

SAVE THE DATE!!! Shabbos Parshas Balak, June 21 Bais Torah will be hosting a fulfilling **Youth Shabbos**. For more information please e-mail Akiva Gottlieb:

Gottliebakiva@gmail.com

MOSTLY MOZART is back!! Wednesday, August 7th at 8.p.m. at Avery Fisher Hall. Program: Mozart: Overture to Le Nozze di Figaro Mozart: Piano Concerto No. 25 and Beethoven: Symphony No. 1 There are a limited number of tickets, payable in advance to Bais Torah, available at \$55.00 each. For reservations call Aviva at 352-1343 or email Sandra Thurm at sfthurm@gmail.com

MAZAL TOV

Laurence and Gloria Gordon on the marriage of their children Yaacov and Stefanie Gordon.

Aron and Susan Schiller on the marriage of their grandchildren, Yisrael and Shayna Apfel, children of Howie and Naomi Apfel.

David and Aviva Markowitz on being honored at Beth Abraham in Bergenfield
Yechiel and Sheila Rosenrauch on the engagement of their daughter, Nava to Yeshaya Braunstein

NICHUM AVEILIM

Ozzie Willner on the petirah of his brother, Yosef Willner

Refuah Shelaimah

Katie Tannenbaum's grandson-

יהונתן משה בן דבורה טובה

Teddy Kallner- בן הינדא- תודרוס

Rosalie Kallner

Henry Shapiro-

חיים מאיר יחיאל בן מלכה לאה

Manny London

מנחם מונש בן חנה פרידא

Bob Schore -

חיים ראובן בן הענדל יהודית

Tova Eizik's grandson -

שלמה יעקב יונתן בן חנה רייזל

Larry Seligson-

אריה לייב בן רבקה

Larry Seligson's son-

רפאל אפרים בן סימא פריעדל

Ed and Helen Furman's

son in law רפאל
צבי בן עייטא לאה

Manny Mayerfeld

מנחם בן קילה

Bella Helprin

בילה בת פיגע

פנחס ליאן בן רייזל

SHIURIM

Women's Tehilim, l'zecher nishmas Feigel bas Menachem Mendel, meets Shabbos afternoon 30 minutes before Pirkei Avos Shiur

Sunday:

6:25 AM Daf Yomi
Rabbi Avromy Fein

8:30 AM Gemara Miseches Pesachim

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

Sun-Thurs:

10:00 AM Daf Yomi
Rabbi Yosef Fischer

Mon-Friday

5:25 AM Daf Yomi I
Rabbi Avromy Fein

7:00 AM Daf Yomi II
Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb

8:25 AM Navi Shiur
Rabbi Yosef Fischer

9:45 AM Gemara Shiur
Rabbi Leibel Reznick

Tuesday

8:15 PM Sha'arei Torah
Chavrusa Program

Wednesday

Women's Hilchos Shabbos
Shiur

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb-

Thursday

8:15PM Women's Mishnayos
class-

Dr. Debbie Raice Fox

Parashas Naso Nachshon ben Aminadav

At the time of the Inauguration of the Mishkan, Nachshon ben Aminadav was the first of the Nesi'im to offer his sacrifice. He had this merit, according to the Midrash (BaMidbar Rabbah 13:7), because he was the one who fearlessly plunged into the waters of the sea at the time of "Krias Yam Suf." "The Holy One said to Moshe 'Let the one who sanctified My Name at the Sea, be rewarded by bringing his sacrifice first.' "

BaMidbar (7:13) begins with the word " – וקרבונו" – the question is – why is there an extra "ו" used? The Ba'al HaTurim cites BaMidbar Rabbah 13-14, as follows: "The extra 'Vav' is used to hint at the fact that six descendants came from Nachshon, each of whom was characterized by having six blessings: They are David, the Moshiach, Daniel, Chananiah, Mishael and Azariah. This is true of **David**, as we find that Scripture (I Samuel 16:18) describes him as being "talented at playing musical instruments, a mighty warrior, a man of war, insightful, possessed of a fine form, and HaShem was with him." These blessings are interpreted as follows: "talented at playing musical instruments" means "he was able to ask logical questions," "a mighty warrior" means that "he was able to respond properly to questions," "a man of war" means "he was very capable in the 'war' of Torah discussion," "insightful" means "he was capable of understanding one thing from another," "he had a fine form" means "he was capable of innovating in Halachah," and "HaShem was with him" means "the Halachah is according to his opinion in all cases." It is also true of the **Moshiach**, as he is described (Yeshayahu 11:2) as "there rested upon him 'the Spirit of HaShem,' 'a Spirit of Wisdom,' 'a Spirit of Insight,' 'a Spirit of Might,' 'a Spirit of Knowledge,' and 'Fear of HaShem.'" **Daniel, Chananiah, Mishael and Azariah**, about whom it is written (Daniel 1:4) 'young men who possessed no defect,' 'fine in appearance,' 'wise in all manner of wisdom,' 'skilled in craftsmanship,' 'understanding of science,' and 'who possessed strength of mind to stand in the palace of kings.'

Rabbi Shimon Schwab, ZT"l, quotes the Ba'al HaTurim on the question of why Nachshon is not referred to as a "Nasi" (a prince) whereas his colleagues were, and he embellishes the idea, as follows: "The reason is that Yehudah taught his descendants how to minimize themselves, as it says in (VaYigash 44:33), 'Let your **servant be in place of the lad**;'... An explanation of his explanation is that the person of true humility does not just behave in a manner where he does not exhibit self-aggrandizement, but he is incapable of it, and could not be called a 'prince,' because the term could not apply to him."

. L'Illuy Nishmas beni, Aharon Baruch Mordechai ben Pinchas Menachem

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The defibrillator is in a cubby in the coat room opposite the Hatzolah phone.