

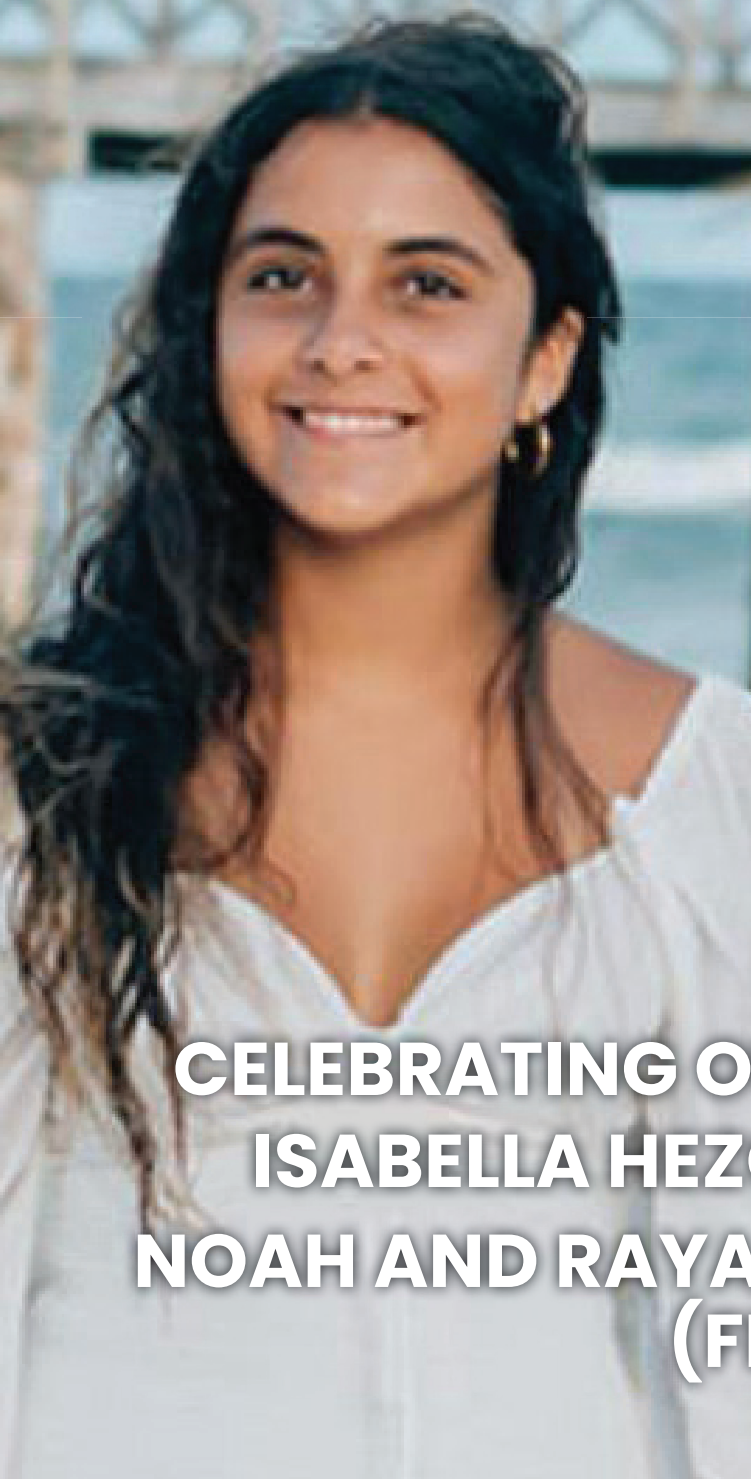
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KEHILLAT MA'ARAV'S
MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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**SNAPSHOTS:
CHALLAH BAKE**



**CELEBRATING OUR B'NAI MITZVAH:
ISABELLA HEZGHIAYAN (FEB 8)
NOAH AND RAYA HAGOOOLY BOLANOS
(FEB 15)**

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

YOM HULEDET SAMEACH!

Manny Baker
Lolly Bennett
Stephanie Bernstein
Carol Bowman
Fran Cohen

Judy Eber
Michael Frisch
Joel Glaser
Marian Goldsmith
Rabbi Michael Gotlieb

Wayne Grody
Brana Hall
Kim Israel
Orit Lippman
Gail Rosenfeld

Rhonda Rubin
Valerie Steele
Joel Strom

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

MAZEL TOV!

Elliot Goldberg & Fernanda Gray
David & Diana Guth
Noah & Andrea Jussim

28th anniversary
33rd anniversary
26th anniversary

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MEET OUR BAT MITZVAH



ISABELLA HEZGHIAYAN

February 8, 2025

My name is Isabella Hezghiayan. I'm excited to be celebrating my Bat Mitzvah today! I was born on February 5th 2012 to my parents, Gisella and Albert and I've been lucky enough to grow up in a loving family and community. I have always been a curious and enthusiastic person, and had many amazing experiences and opportunities throughout my life.

I love to hang out with my friends and play volleyball. I also spent a lot of time painting and studying. I'm also a dedicated student, and I work hard to achieve academic success, earning honor rolls and developing a strong commitment to my education.

Through the years I have developed a deeper appreciation for my Jewish heritage and the traditions and values that are so important to my family and community. I've been studying and preparing for my Bat Mitzvah for many months, and I'm excited to take on new responsibilities and to continue growing and learning as a young Jewish woman.

MEET OUR B'NAI MITZVAH

RAYA FARRAH HAGOOI BOLANOS

February 15, 2025

Shabbat Shalom to everyone. I'm Raya and I'm in 6th grade at Lincoln Middle School. When I have free time, I love to make jewelry, read books, and play with my dog, Charlie. I also absolutely love hedgehogs. I enjoy the topic of interior design because it lets me think of ways to create spaces that are functional and organized. I'm honored to be with my brother, Noah, as we share this occasion with you. I am so grateful to my family and the KM community for their love and support.



NOAH EZEKIEL HAGOOI BOLANOS

February 15, 2025

Shabbat Shalom, KM. My name is Noah. I'm 13 and in 8th grade at Lincoln Middle School. I am excited to share this day with you, with my sister, Raya, and with my family. I

have three siblings and a dog, and it's been fun for me to grow up in a big family. I have been playing flute for four years and I started to learn piccolo last year. I play these instruments in my school's Wind Ensemble. I also love soccer and I play for AYSO Extras. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of our community's celebrations. I have been practicing a lot for this occasion and I feel so blessed to have mentors who helped me reach this milestone.



February 1

Hy Baker, brother of Manny Baker
John Biren, father of Curt Biren
Harold Glick, father of Susan Bronstein
Hannah Goldsmith, mother of Charles Goldsmith
Hannah Preisler, grandmother of Diana Guth
David Sage, father of Diana Guth
Margaret Sage, mother of Diana Guth
Sheila Hope Hirschberg, mother of Mark Hirschberg
Ethel Menitoff, mother of Michael Menitoff
Karl Peterson, father of April Peterson
Benjamin Reff, father of Albert Reff
Shirle Fleck, aunt of Kathie Rose
Sigmund Posner, father of Judy Shapiro
Lillian Turk, aunt of Shirley Strom
Thomas Vedres, husband of Shelly Vedres

February 8

Samuel Bortnik, grandfather of Matt Averbukh
Morris Davidson, uncle of Judith Baker
Bertha Marcus, step-mother of Judith Baker
Rhia Wolfe, mother of Lolly Bennett
Bernard DeHovitz, father of Dan DeHovitz
Eugene Erdley, father of Harold Erdley and grandfather of Alyssa Ganezer
Faina Gelman, sister of Alla Feldman
Sam Stover, grandfather of Gaylen Grody
Esther Gura, mother of Dennis Gura
Arthur J. Lewis, brother of Teri Lewis
Meyer Simon Olken, father of Sherwin Olken
Audrey Lou Sagerman, mother of Nancy Pearl
Rose Rose, mother of Stan Rubin
Raffi Sabban, husband of Sonia Sabban
Stanley Greenberg, uncle of Tammy Steinsapir
George Wolfberg, husband of Diane Wolfberg and brother of Ted Wolfberg

February 15

Gesya Averbukh, grandmather of Matt Averbukh
Rebecca Bortnik, grandmother of Matt Averbukh
Clara Davidson, aunt of Judy Baker

William Barnard, husband of Sara Barnard
James A. Winsberg, father of Sara Barnard
Benjamin Brook, father of Bob Brook
Peter Schwartz, brother of Eileen Cohen
Joshua Eisenstein, nephew of Marian Goldsmith
Mimi Harris, aunt of Karen Gottlieb
Margaret Sage, mother of Diana Guth
Percy Mestman, father of Roz Menitoff
Leonard Mitchell, father of Nicholas Mitchell
David Gaiser, father of Heather Moses
David Warshawsky, grandfather of Beth Ricanati
Etty Bernstein, mother of Jessica Sacher
Maurice Shapiro, father of Steve Shapiro
Maxine Baumring, mother of Holly Strom
Magda Kovacs, remembered by Shelly Vedres
Leah Wolfberg, mother of Ted Wolfberg and mother-in-law of Diane Wolfberg
Beatrice Horwitz, mother of Susan Yuré

February 22

Edith Bell, remembered by Linda Topal
Bernard Marcus, father of Judy Baker
Shari Berenbach, sister-in-law of Deborah Berenbach
Morris W. Gardner, father of Peter Gardner
Rebecca Alexandra Gura, daughter of Dennis & Kathleen Gura
Esther Rabb, mother of Kathy Gura
Myron Krop, father of Richard Krop
Forrest Latiner, husband of Marsha Lewin Latiner
Sylvia Laufer, mother of Bernard Laufer
Corinne Krasner, sister of Helayne Levy
Bella Varkel, mother of Leon Lewin
James Wesley Manning, father of Brad Manning
Yetta Wajnthal Wolfsdorf, mother of Lily Muller and grandmother of Paul Muller
Helen Ontman, aunt of Elaine Olken
Anna Wallock, grandmother Lori Papernik
Henry Salberg, father of Jeffrey Salberg and Laurie Salberg
Gladys Francis, mother of Suzanne Schweitzer
Samuel Schweitzer, father-in-law Suzanne Schweitzer
Herman Singer, father of Elyse Singer
Avishag Wyte, wife of Michael Wyte and mother of Yael and Tamar
Ted Stone, grandfather of Randy Ziegler and Julie Ziegler

GENERAL FUND

A donation by

Mark and Rosa Bernstein

Lolly Bennett, in support of KM's fire relief initiative

In honor of

The Coller-Kruglyak family, by Bobbi and Barry Coller

In memory of

• **JUDITH BAAR RESNICK,**

mother of Joanne Klein, by Joanne Klein

• **WILLIAM BARNARD,**

husband of Sara Barnard, by Sara Barnard

• **FAINA GELMAN,**

sister of Alla Feldman, by Alla and David Feldman

• **HAROLD GLICK,**

father of Susan Bronstein, by Susan and Bernie Bronstein

• **FORREST LATINER,**

husband of Marsha Lewin Latiner, by Marsha Lewin Latiner

• **BENJAMIN REFF,**

father of Albert Reff, by Albert Reff

• **ESTHER ROSENFELD,**

mother-in-law of Gail Rosenfeld, by Gail Rosenfeld

• **RAFFI SABBAN,**

husband of Sonia Sabban, by Sonia Sabban

• **YEHUDIT SOLTZ,**

mother-in-law of Michael Wyte and grandmother of Yael and Tamar Wyte, by Michael Wyte

• **SHELDON SPECTOR,**

husband of Judy Spector, by Judy Spector

• **JAMES A. WINSBERG,**

father of Sara Barnard, by Sara Barnard

• **GEORGE WOLFBERG,**

brother of Ted Wolfberg, by Ted and Roselynn Wolfberg

• **LEAH WOLFBERG,**

mother of Ted Wolfberg, by Ted and Roselynn Wolfberg

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Ongoing Clergy Classes



Lunch & Learn with Rabbi Gotlieb **Thursdays at 11:30am**

This weekly class returned to the KM Library. We are discussing the Book of Samuel I led by Rabbi Michael Gotlieb. Feel free to bring your own sack dairy lunch. Bagels will be provided. All are welcome!



Cantor's Cantillation Class **Saturdays after kiddush**

Cantor Malachi Kanfer is teaching an ongoing class on Shabbats, after kiddush. All levels welcome!

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