

Havurah



The Addison County Jewish Congregation



HAVURAH HANNUKAH PARTY
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2013
3:00-5:00 PM
HAVURAH HOUSE
56 NORTH PLEASANT STREET
MIDDLEBURY, VERMONT

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND WHAT PROMISES TO BE A SPECTACULAR AFTERNOON OF FUN, FOOD, SONG AND DANCE! THERE ARE CRAFT ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN OF ALL AGES, AND DRIEDEL PLAYING FOR ALL. THE COMMUNITY KLEZMER BAND STARTS AT 3:45 PM, AND ISRAELI DANCING WILL COMMENCE AT 4:15 PM. AND OF COURSE, WE WILL HAVE LATKES WITH APPLESAUCE AND SOUR CREAM AND JELLY DONUTS. PLEASE BRING A PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE! IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR WANT TO HELP OUT, PLEASE CONTACT AMY TRUBEK AT ATRUBEK@UVM.EDU.

Hebrew School and Service News

November 11, 2013	Regular Classes
November 18, 2013	Regular Classes
November 25, 2013	Regular Classes
December 2, 2013	Hannakuh Craft and Parent Teacher Conferences

November 22, 2013	Gimmel Level Friday Evening Service 6:15 PM
December 21, 2013	Shabbat Services at Havurah 10:00 AM

While some of Havurah's services involve the active participation of Hebrew School students, the services are not intended to be solely for the Hebrew School community. All are welcome to celebrate Shabbat at Havurah Services!

FIRST HANUKKAH CANDLE WILL BE LIT ON WEDNESDAY EVENING
NOVEMBER 27, 2013, EREV THANKSGIVING!!!



Would you like to learn or re-learn the Aleph-Bet or practice your Hebrew reading skills? Director of Education Rabbi Ira Schiffer will conduct a Hebrew Skills Workshop on Monday October 14, 2013 and Monday October 21, 2013 from 3:45 PM-4:30 PM at the Havurah House. Please send Rabbi Ira an email at ischiffe@middlebury.edu if you are interested in participating in this workshop.



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Israel Congregation *NEW* Book Group

Manchester, VT

Wednesday, November 13, 6:00 pm: NEW * ICM Book Club! Book lovers take note: The new ICM Book Club will meet for the first time to discuss *Bee Season* by Myla Goldberg. A light supper will be served before the discussion, so please RSVP to the office!

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Staging the Jewish Experience



Anna's Journal centers on Anna Ludkin, a 13-year-old struggling to find her way as a Jewish teen in rural Vermont. Anna navigates the difficult territory of her parents' disintegrating relationship, school friendships, and blossoming romance with 16-year-old Jamal, who knows what it's like to be an outsider. As Jamal becomes closer to both Anna and her grandmother, Leah, he begins to suspect something at once shocking and hopeful: that Leah is none other than Anne Frank, who—he believes—has survived the atrocities of the concentration camp, and is living a quiet and anonymous life in Vermont. Set in September 2001, *Anna's Journal* weaves together historical accounts, Holocaust flashbacks, and issues of human intolerance into a complex, beautiful, coming-of-age story.

Written by Vermont author [Joy Kipp](#) Directed by Wendi Stein

Main Street Landing Performing Arts Center. Burlington VT

Tickets on sale now at FLYNNTIX

2013 PERFORMANCES

- November 14, 7:30 PM
- November 15, 2:00 PM
- November 16, 7:30 PM
- November 17, 2:00 PM



The Havurah Calendar

COMMUNITY LUNCH PROGRAM

We need your help!!!

The community lunch program continues to serve between 30 and 40 people every day. ***Havurah is responsible for the lunch every third Wednesday.*** Starting in September the dates are as follows:

Nov. 13

Dec. 4

If you have time, we would love to have you help either by baking cookies which you can deliver ahead or I will pick them up. Make some tuna fish salad or chicken salad for sandwiches or fruit salad or come to the Charter House by 10:30 on our day and help prepare and serve lunch. Please call Lois Kraus 802 388 6289 or email loiskraus10@gmail.com if you can participate in any way.

Interested in helping with Community Lunch? Liked helping out at Middlebury's Community Supper? Didn't mind schlepping boxes at the Havurah Annual Tag Sale? Sounds like Tikkun Olam, literally "repairing the world" is something you enjoy. Consider joining our Tikkun Olam Team. Jane Steele, Marita Schine and Lois Kraus welcome all volunteers!!! Contact Jane Steele at jane-steele@comcast.net for additional information.



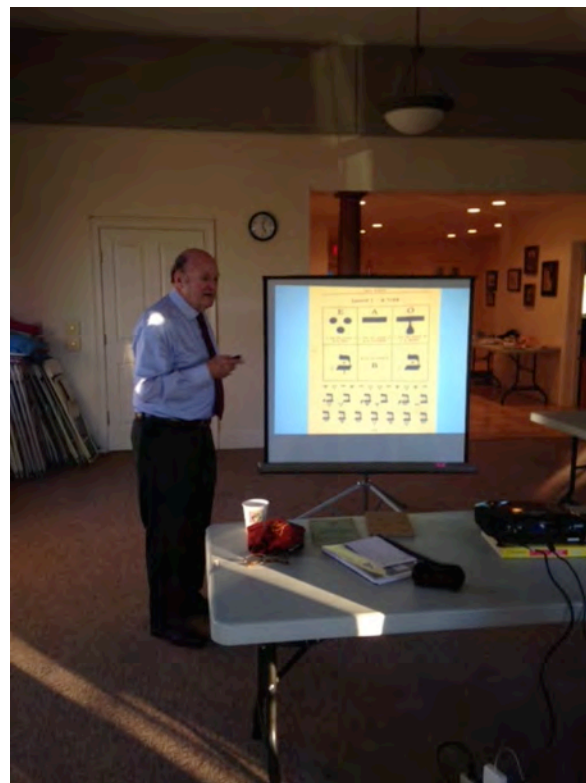
Jewish Currents magazine announces its second annual DORA and ALEXANDER RAYNES POETRY PRIZE for poems on the theme of "UNION" Judged by Joan Larkin \$1,000 First Prize Submission season now open.

Deadline: January 15, 2014 Information and submission rules

at <http://Jewishcurrents.org/poetry-prize>

Please inform your congregations and communities.

On October 28, 2013, the Havurah Jewish Community had the pleasure of hearing Montpelier native Alan Gould present two talks. Alan and his wife Pat first met with Havurah Hebrew School students and shared an illustrated talk about what it was like to grow up a Jew in Vermont during the 1940's. Alan showed the students his Aleph-Bet Primer book, as well as his Bar Mitzvah booklet. The children were especially fascinated to learn the story of the "Gould Family Ring" that was passed through three generations of the Gould family and symbolized their Jewish Heritage.



Later that evening, Alan, a Middlebury College and DKE Alum, gave a more formal talk about three generations of the Gould Family who were very active in the Jewish and greater Montpelier, Vermont Communities. Alan recounted the history of the Louis Gould Family from the turn of the 20th Century to the present day. Like the Lazurus Family of Middlebury, Vermont, the Gould Family was involved in local business and politics. A big thanks to David Rosenberg for organizing the evening program, and to Rabbi Ira Schiffer for coordinating the wonderful Hebrew School talk.

The Havurah Newsletter is published monthly-more or less. We welcome contributions; news of family or friends you wish to share, notices of events and books, brief essays or letters. Please send submissions by the 10th of the month (email preferred) to : Havurahnews@yahoo.com.

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