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Welcome from the Publisher



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Greetings!

The Milwaukee Jewish Federation publishes the Guide to Jewish Wisconsin as an annual invitation to discover how exciting Jewish life can be in the Badger State. Whether you're a newcomer or a native, the Guide will help you get to know the people and the organizations that make our state a rich and fulfilling place to be Jewish. We hope newcomers will use the Guide to become acquainted with our state's vibrant Jewish life, and current residents will experience even more of what our community has to offer.

Here are a few more ways to learn about local Jewish life:

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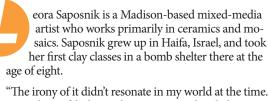


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About the Cover Artist—Leora Saposnik



"The irony of it didn't resonate in my world at the time. Yet, I always felt that at the entrance to this shelter, the rest of the world was left behind; it seemed to me that time and place had somehow been suspended,"

Saposnik writes.

Saposnik's art tells stories and creates snapshots of intimate moments. She believes that life is about the art we make by forming connections with each other, and her pieces reflect this intersection of life and art.

Saposnik is influenced by a strong connection to her culture and to history including the Holocaust. She draws on her experience collecting oral histories for Yad Vashem, Israel's Holocaust memorial and museum, and the University of Southern California Shoah Foundation. She is also inspired by fantastical artists like Marc Chagall and Faith Ringgold.

Above all, Saposnik's art is influenced by her love of children and by her desire to unearth the sheer joy of being a child. Believing that every child should

have the right to an equal education and means of expression, Saposnik started a children's art program called Little Picassos. The goal of the program is that every child finds their true potential through exploration of art. Saposnik is the artistic director

> and teacher at Little Picassos and finds it to be the perfect pairing of her two passions.

> > One of Saposnik's most noted pieces, Milk, was inspired by the story of Emanuel Ringelblum and the clandestine organization he created in the Warsaw Ghetto to document

the German Nazi destruction of Polish Jewry. The piece is covered

by photos of Wisconsin Holocaust survivors whom Saposnik had the pleasure of interviewing and befriending and has been on display in many cultural organizations including the Jewish Museum Milwaukee. Milk was constructed of coiled clay, which "harkens back to the biblical conception that man is made of clay."

Let Them Eat Cake

Saposnik describes herself as "a unique blend of Wisconsin and Israel," having moved between the two over the years. She currently resides in Madison with her husband, who is a professor of horticulture at UW-Madison, and their two children.

Learn more about Saposnik's art at Leorakeramica.com.

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Milwaukee Jewish Federation



MJF's teen philanthropists donated over \$19,000 to local, Jewish, and Israeli nonprofits.



Governor Evers signed the Holocaust Education Bill as a result of advocacy efforts.





Women's Philanthropy launched a social action program, Dignity Grows.

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BRIT MILAH (Covenant of circumcision)

You shall be circumcised in the flesh of your foreskin; and it shall be a token of the covenant between Me and you.

— Genesis 17:11

Male babies are circumcised on the eighth day, barring health problems, to symbolize the covenant between God and the Jewish people.

SIMCHAT BAT (Rejoicing for a daughter)

Traditionally, a daughter is named in the synagogue during the Torah reading after her birth. Some people now develop their own ceremonies to welcome a new daughter.

PIDYON HABEN (Redemption of the first-born)

Sanctify unto Me all the first-born, whatever opens the womb among the children of Israel, both of man and of beast, it is Mine. — Exodus 13:2

Redemption of the first-born son (if he is the family's first child) takes place 30 days after birth. In ancient Israel, the first-born were dedicated to serve God in the Temple. To redeem them, five shekels were paid to the kohen (priest) to serve in the boys' stead. Today, the kohen is given five silver dollars, which are donated to charity, and a festive meal follows.

BAR AND BAT MITZVAH

The ceremony to honor the coming of age of males originated in the Middle Ages. There is no source for this celebration in the Torah.

In traditional settings, this is the first time that a young man is called to bless the Torah. The 13-year-old thus becomes responsible for the *mitzvot* (commandments) of praying three times a day, participating in a *minyan* (prayer quorum) and putting on *tefillin* every morning.

Over the past 50 years, girls have embraced the opportunity to celebrate a Jewish coming of age at 12 or 13. In egalitarian settings, girls celebrate through saying blessings before and after the Torah reading, counting in a prayer quorum, and observing Jewish commandments.

Non-traditional ceremonies have emerged within the last 50 years for young women (ages 12 or 13) and adults past traditional bar/bat mitzvah age.

CONFIRMATION

A ceremony held in Reform and Conservative synagogues, usually during the observance of Shavuot, to celebrate the Jewish commitment of the congregation's 10th or 11th graders. The students usually have completed post-bar/bat mitzvah Jewish study.

MIKVAH (Ritual bath)

"Living" water (collected rain water piped into a pool) is used for purification. During the days of the Temples in Jerusalem, there were many occasions when ritual purification was required in order to participate in the Temple services. Today, only women still are required under Jewish law to immerse themselves at special times (before marriage, after childbirth, after the menstrual cycle). Immersion also is required by Jewish law before conversion. Many observant men immerse themselves before the Sabbath and holidays for spiritual reasons.

CHANUKAT HABAYIT (Dedicating the home)

And these words, which I command these this day shall be upon thy heart ... and you shall write them upon the doorposts of your house and upon your gates.— Deuteronomy: 6:6-9

Affixing mezuzot (decorative casings containing parchments with biblical inscriptions) to the doorposts of a new home is cause for celebration. Traditionally, this is done within 30 days of moving into a house or apartment. Mezuzot are placed on the upper third of the doorpost, on the right side as one enters. The ceremony is followed by refreshments and rejoicing.

MARRIAGE

And the Lord said: "It is not good that the man should be alone, I shall make him a helpmate for him."— Genesis 2:18

One of the first blessings every parent bestows upon a child is that he or she reach the marriage canopy. This wedding consists of several parts. The main elements are *kiddush erusin* (sanctification of betrothal); the betrothal blessing; presentation of the ring; reading of the *ketubah* (marriage contract) and its presentation to the bride; recitation of the seven marriage blessings; drinking of wine to sanctify the marriage and breaking of the glass to remember the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem even amidst the joy of the occasion. Traditional weddings are preceded by the *bedeken*, in which the groom places the veil over the bride's head after making certain that he is getting the correct bride. This custom stems from the patriarch Jacob, who was fooled into marrying his intended bride's sister.

DIVORCE

Judaism recognizes that not every marriage is successful and allows for divorce. Financial provisions are made in the ketubah (marriage contract). Under Jewish law, a *get* (religious divorce) is required in addition to a civil divorce. Although both parties must agree to the get, no grounds are required. The *beit din* (religious court) prepares the get and handles the documents.

DEATH

Jewish tradition recognizes death as the completion of life. Burial takes place as soon as possible, preferably within 24 hours. Traditionally, the body is washed by members of a *chevra kadisha* (burial society) and dressed in white linen garments, so that everyone goes to the grave equally. Preserving the body through embalming is prohibited by Jewish law, as are metal caskets, which preserve the remains. Judaism has a formalized mourning procedure with seven days of intense mourning (*shiva*) followed by 30 days of semi-mourning (shloshim). After a parent's death, semi-mourning continues for a year.



SHABBAT (Sabbath)

And God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it. — Genesis: 2:3 The Sabbath, a day of rest, worship and study, begins 20 minutes before sundown Friday night and ends at nightfall on Saturday, when three stars can be seen in the sky.

ROSH HASHANAH

(Jewish New Year) \$\primeq\$ 1-2 Tishrei

And on the seventh month, on the first day of the month, you shall have a holy convocation. — Numbers 29:1

The beginning of the Jewish calendar year, Rosh HaShanah begins the Ten Days of Awe, a period of repentance and prayer that concludes on Yom Kippur. Traditions include dipping apples in honey to symbolize a sweet year and using round loaves of challah to symbolize the cycle of life.

YOM KIPPUR

(Day of Atonement) \$\prim 10 Tishrei

And on the 10th day of the seventh month... you shall afflict your souls. — Numbers 29:7

On this holiest of holidays, Jews everywhere fast and pray for forgiveness for their sins. The sounding of the shofar (ram's horn) signals the end of the holiday.

SUKKOT

(Festival of Booths) 🌣 15-21 Tishrei

On the 15th day of the seventh month is the feast of Tabernacles for seven days. — Leviticus 23:34

On this first of the three pilgrimage holidays, farmers in ancient Israel traveled to the Temple in Jerusalem with the fruits of their harvest.

Today, Jews erect sukkot (booths) modeled after the make-shift huts their ancestors lived in during the 40 years wandering in Sinai. For the week of the holiday, meals are eaten in the sukkah, and some Jews sleep in the sukkah as well.

SHEMINI ATZERET

On the eighth day, you shall have a solemn assembly.

— Numbers 29:35

In the diaspora, Shemini Atzeret is a separate holiday that signals the end of Sukkot. In Israel, the holiday is celebrated on Simchat Torah. The prayer for rain is said, ending the dry season in Israel.

SIMCHAT TORAH

... and on the eighth day, there shall be a holy convocation for you. — Leviticus 23:34

The annual cycle of reading the Torah (Five Books of Moses) aloud in the synagogue is completed, and a new cycle begins. The holiday is celebrated with dance and song.

CHANUKAH

A minor festival not derived from the Torah, Chanukah celebrates the victory of the Jews over the Seleucid Greek/ Hellenists, the regaining of Jerusalem and rededication of the Holy Temple.

According to tradition, the miracle of Chanukah stems from the one cruse of consecrated oil that was discovered in the Temple, which burned for eight days until more pure oil could be made. Foods fried in oil, such as latkes (potato pancakes) and sufganiot (jelly donuts), are eaten.

TU B'SHEVAT

To celebrate the coming of spring to Israel, some people eat fruits that are newly in season as part of a festive meal featuring many new fruits.

PURIM

(Lots) 🌣 14 Adar

The Book of Esther is read in the synagogue on this holiday, which is also of the post-Torah period. Celebrants dress in costume and make merry. Purim celebrates the rescue of the Jews in ancient Persia on a day that, according to tradition, was determined by lot.

Families send gifts of food to one another and donate to charity. Traditional foods include hamantaschen (triangular cookies filled with fruit or poppy seeds). A festival meal is eaten before sunset.

PESACH

(Passover) 🌣 15-22 Nissan

Seven days shall there be no leaven found in your houses; for whosoever eats that which is leavened, that soul shall be cut off from the congregation of Israel. — Exodus 12:19

The eight-day festival (seven days in Israel) commemorates the Jewish exodus from Egypt. On the first two nights, families gather for a seder, a ritual meal focused on the reading of the Hagaddah, an account of the exodus. Matzah (unleavened bread) is eaten throughout the holiday.



YOM HASHOAH

(Holocaust Remembrance Day) 🌣 27 Nissan

On this day, Jews commemorate the victims of, and the resistance to, the German Nazi genocide of European Jewry during World War II.

YOM HAZIKARON

(Israel's Memorial Day) 🌣 3 Iyar

Jews around the world remember those who gave their lives for the achievement of Israel's independence and its continued existence.

YOM HAATZMAUT

Celebrating the birth of the State of Israel in 1948, Jews around the world hold parades and picnics.

LAG B'OMER

Lag B'Omer is a break in the weeks of semi-mourning between Pesach and Shavuot. Traditionally, it

commemorates a halt in a plague that afflicted Rabbi Akiva's students in ancient Israel. The holiday is celebrated with picnics and bonfires.

SHAVUOT

And the Lord said unto Moses: "Lo I come unto thee in a cloud that the people may hear when I speak with thee." — Exodus 34:22

The anniversary of receiving the Torah on Mt. Sinai falls seven weeks after Passover. One of the three pilgrimage festivals, it celebrates the end of the spring harvest. The holiday's customs include decorating the home and synagogue with flowers, eating dairy products and staying up the entire night studying.

TISHA B'AV (Ninth Day of Av)

Tisha B'Av is a day of fasting and mourning for the Holy Temples in Jerusalem, both of which were destroyed on this day. The book of Lamentations is read. Traditionally, no leather shoes are worn.

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KAT GRINKER KAT & MOUSE GRAPHIC DESIGN

(414) 961-1593 KatGrinker@sbcglobal.net

With over 25 years of experience, Kat creates well-designed, cost-effective printed marketing pieces including corporate identity/logos, ads, newsletters, brochures, direct mail, postcards and publications. Her focus is on the Jewish community and non-profit organizations. Working closely with her clients, they develop visually pleasing pieces that convey the information to their audience. Kat's clients always get a quick turnaround and the personal attention they deserve. Call or email to set up an appointment.

MOSAIC MIRM

2226 N. Booth Street Milwaukee, WI 53212 (414) 698–9009

Miriam@MosaicMirm.com

MosaicMirm.com

Miriam Sushman of Mosaic Mirm offers mosaic workshops, team building events and community projects for synagogues and organizations. These classes and projects can be tailored to all ages and abilities. Miriam creates a variety of mosaic installations, artwork and Judaica. She loves working with stained glass, and much of her work reflects her passion for nature. Her Judaica includes Mazal Tov Mosaics: custom-made stained-glass mosaic window hangings using chuppah glass. It is a wonderful way to preserve the memories of one's wedding day! Window hangings can be ordered through her Etsy shop.

ARI DAVID ROSENTHAL

(414) 967-0540 Ari@AriDavidRosenthal.com **AriDavidRosenthal.com**

Ari's work is a diverse collection of vivid and dynamic portraiture, nature, architecture, texture, abstract and Judaica that brightens up both the home and office. Pieces are available for purchase on canvas, prints, metal, and fabric.

REBECCA SILBER DESIGN

(414) 453-4202

Rebecca@RebeccaSilberDesign.com RebeccaSilberDesign.com

With over two decades of graphic design experience, Rebecca Silber is passionate about good, quality design. Rebecca emphasizes the importance of achieving the best visual solution for her clients' needs. Design specialties include print design of all sorts for small regional businesses and organizations, as well as large national corporations.

ADRIA WILLENSON

(262) 853-5782 Adria@AdriaRoseDesigns.com **AdriaRoseDesigns.com**

Adria Willenson is a graphic/web/UX designer with over 20 years of experience. She is also a fine artist and works with watercolor, acrylic, textiles and mixed media inspired by nature. She uses a variety of techniques through her textile and silk scarf designs such as serti, batik and shibori-style resist methods. Her artwork has been displayed at the Urban Ecology Center, Cedarburg Cultural Center, Schauer Arts Center, Ovation Communities and many other galleries and boutiques. Some examples of her custom artwork include family trees, ketubahs, murals for home, office and non-profit organizations.

KERRI YUDKOVITCH

(414) 807-7149 Info@SnowflakeLady.com **SnowflakeLady.com**

Kerri Yudkovitch, aka the Snowflake Lady, designs and creates stained glass art. Her work includes snowflakes, hamsas, Stars of David, lamps, sun catchers and ornaments. With many unique designs, innovative use of color, and meticulous solder lines, each piece of her work is one-of-akind and sure to dazzle. Kerri has been working with stained glass for more than 10 years, and participated in many juried art shows. Check out her work online, or call for a custom design.



BEBER CAMP

W1741 County Road J Mukwonago, WI 53149

(847) 677-7130 Michael@BeberCamp.com

BeberCamp.com

Director: Michael Wax

Beber Camp has created life changing summers for Jewish children for more than 45 years. Beber is a residential, co-ed camp nestled in the rolling hills of Mukwonago, Wis., only 45 minutes southwest of Milwaukee. Our private campsite, located on 380 acres with shoreline on beautiful Lake Beulah, allows us to offer more than 90 daily activities for campers ages 7-17. Beber Camp is fully accredited by the American Camp Association.

CAMP CHI

Winter address:

3050 Woodridge Ln. Northbrook, IL 60062 (847) 763-3551 • Fax: (847) 763-3680

Summer address:

PO Box 104 Lake Delton, WI 53940

(847) 763-3551 • Fax: (847) 763-3680

Info@CampChi.com CampChi.com

Director: Jon Levin

There is no better camp for first-time campers than Camp Chi. Girls and boys in 2nd -11th grade make lifelong friendships and form lasting memories under the leadership of nurturing counselors. Campers participate in over 50 activities, including waterskiing, horseback riding, high ropes, rock climbing, arts, sports, radio, sailing and more. Campers see opportunities for adventure and fun, while we see them making decisions for themselves, gaining independence and discovering their passions. Our beautiful wooded property includes two heated pools, air-conditioned gym, equestrian center and private lake. A home away from home for over 100 years.



LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Camp Gan Israel

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000 ext. 201 Avremi@ChabadWI.org

CGIMilwaukee.com

Director: Rabbi Avremi Schapiro

Since 1970, CGI has provided thousands of children from all backgrounds — regardless of their financial status — an engaging summer experience. CGI offers a wide array of activities including sports, nature programming, arts, swimming, Judaica and over 15 field trips.

Camp Gan Israel – Waukesha

1275 N. Barker Rd. Brookfield, WI 53045

(262) 794-3454 • (262) 563-9770 Fraidy@JewishWaukesha.com JewishWaukesha.com/CGI

Director: Fraidy Brook

CGI Waukesha provides children from all backgrounds and financial status with an engaging summer experience — offering a wide array of activities including sports, nature programming, the arts, swimming, Judaica and field trips. It is much more than a break from the school routine. It is a comprehensive program, designed to strengthen body and soul. Rich, wholesome summer fun and excitement, in a warm and spirited atmosphere.

Discoverer's Division

6401 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 962-2444 • Fax: (414) 967-8384 Devorah@JewishBeginnings.org

JewishBeginnings.org

Director: B. Devorah Shmotkin

Active daily water play, sports specials and playground time combine with an in-depth exploration of our natural environment central to our summer curriculum. From this stems a rich blend of science, art, construction, dramatic play and language arts activities. This year the children will be exploring habitats of people and various wildlife and their environments. We will become nature detectives with our visiting naturalists to enhance our knowledge and experiences. Incorporating materials from nature, we will create works of art that inspire wonder and appreciation for the outdoors. We look forward to celebrating the whole child and the sensory joys of summer. Through physical activity and calm reflection, we will examine our connection to each other and the natural world around us.



CAMP MOSHAVA OF WILD ROSE, WI

Winter address:

3740 W. Dempster St. Skokie, IL 60076

(847) 674-9733 • Fax: (847) 674-9736

Summer address:

W8256 County Rd. P Wild Rose, WI 54984

Moshava@MoshavaWildRose.org

MoshavaWildRose.org

Director: David Pelzner

Camp Moshava of Wild Rose, Wis., is a co-ed, religious Zionist overnight camp for campers entering 4th-12th grade. Affiliated with the Bnei Akiva youth movement, Moshava is shomer Shabbat and glatt kosher, and offers sports, swimming, boating, arts and crafts, zip line, hikes, overnights, color war, special trips and four magical Shabbatot.

CAMP RAMAH IN WISCONSIN

Winter address:

67 E. Madison St., Suite 1905 Chicago, IL 60603 (312) 606-9316 ext. 221 • Fax: (312) 606-7136

Summer address:

3390 Ramah Cir. Conover, WI 54519 (715) 479-4400

Registrar@RamahWisconsin.com

RamahWisconsin.com

This co-ed overnight camp offers 12-day sessions for 4th graders, 4-week sessions for 5th and 6th graders, and eight-week sessions for 7th – 11th graders. Activities include swimming, sailing, music, dance, crafts, archery and a high ropes course, all integrated with Jewish values and observances. Meals are kosher and Shabbat is observed.

CAMP SHALOM AND CAMP SHALOM NOAR-BOGRIM

Located at the Irwin A. & Robert D. Goodman Jewish Community Campus

7762 County Route PD Verona, WI 53593

Summer: (608) 848-1822 **Winter:** (608) 278-1808

ShalomDirector@JewishMadison.org

JewishMadison.org/Camp

Director: Sam Toso

Jewish Federation of Madison's day camp serving over 1,000 children each summer. Camp Shalom's Jewish environment is welcoming to all elementary and middle school-age children and provides a safe, nurturing and fun experience. Camp Shalom may offer winter and spring break programming for kids in kindergarten through 5th grade.

CAMP YOUNG JUDAEA MIDWEST

Winter office:

60 Revere Dr., Ste 800 Northbrook, IL. 60062 (224) 235-4665 • Fay: (847)

(224) 235-4665 • Fax: (847) 789-7197

Summer office:

E989 Stratton Lake Rd. Waupaca, WI 54981

(224) 235-4665 • Fax: (847) 789-7197

Info@cyjmid.org
CYJMid.org

Executive Director: Robin Anderson

Camp Young Judaea Midwest, located on Lake Stratton in Waupaca, Wis., is a co-ed, overnight environment for campers of all Jewish backgrounds in grades two through nine. Since 1969 our campers have developed lifelong friendships and a connection to Israel. During the summer, we offer a wide range of activities including archery, arts & crafts, biking, digital media, kayaking, ropes course, tubing, water skiing and more! Meals are kosher and Shabbat is observed. Shorter sessions are available for first-time overnight campers. First-time campers may be eligible for up to \$1,000 off tuition.

COA YOUTH & FAMILY CENTERS – CAMP HELEN BRACHMAN

Year-Round Camp & Retreat Center:

9341 Asbury Dr. Almond, WI 54909 (715) 366-2234

Milwaukee Office: COA Youth & Family Centers

909 E. North Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53212

(414) 263-8383 • Fax: (414) 263-8386

COA-yfc.org

Founded in 1906 by women in the Milwaukee Jewish community, COA provides children and families the opportunity to attend summer camp at COA's Camp Helen Brachman (CHB) near Almond, WI; Winter Camp; and year-round family camps. In Milwaukee, COA offers Goldin Summer Day Camps; daily family and youth programming; nationally accredited childcare; and the HIPPY program partnering with the National Council of Jewish Women.

HABONIM-DROR CAMP TAVOR

Winter address:

PO Box 201068 Cleveland, OH 44120 (269) 215-1399

Summer address:

Three Rivers, MI 49093 Info@CampTavor.org CampTavor.org

Executive Director: Danya Shapiro

In kibbutz-style cooperative living, campers cultivate self-confidence, friendships and a strong sense of Jewish community. We play, work, debate, laugh and learn



with a focus on social justice, inclusion, environmental stewardship and a connection to Israel. Located in Three Rivers, Michigan, Camp Tavor offers enriching 1-5 week programs for 2nd-12th grade campers. First time campers may be eligible for up to \$1,000 off tuition. Camp Tavor Scholarship Fund also available to those who qualify.

HARRY & ROSE SAMSON FAMILY JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER CAMPS

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 964-4444

JCCMilwaukee.org

The Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center has a full range of camping programs for children. Harry & Rose Samson Family JCC is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

Albert & Ann Deshur JCC Rainbow Day Camp

Winter address:

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217 (414) 967-8289

Summer address:

3985 Trails End Rd. Fredonia, WI 53021 (920) 994-4614

JCCMilwaukee.org/RDC

Director: Lenny Kass, LKass@JCCMilwaukee.org

Located on 110-acres in Fredonia with bus stops throughout the North Shore, JCC Rainbow Day Camp offers a traditional day camp experience for campers entering K5–9th grade. We believe every child should have a summer of play — a place to be a kid, make lasting friendships, explore new skills, be healthy, learn values, discover their Jewish identity and be with counselors full of life and love.



Steve and Shari Sadek Family Camp Interlaken JCC

Winter address:

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217 (414) 967-8240

Summer address:

7050 Old Hwy 70 Eagle River, WI 54521 (715) 479-8030

Campinterlaken.org

Director: Toni Davison Levenberg, TDavison@JCCMilwaukee.org

Located on 106 magnificent acres near Eagle River, in the breathtaking North Woods, the Steve and Shari Sadek Family Camp Interlaken offers a complete residential camping experience for Jewish children grades 3 through 12 from around the world. Our program gives campers the opportunity to develop their own skills, build self esteem and learn Jewish values within. Children learn the life skills important to being a member of a *kehillah* (community).

HERZL CAMP

Webster, Wisconsin

Winter address:

4330 S. Cedar Lake Rd. Minneapolis, MN 55416

(952) 927-4002 Info@HerzlCamp.org

HerzlCamp.org

Herzl Camp is a warm, welcoming Jewish community — big enough to offer a variety of activities but small enough for everyone to know one another.

Our camp is located on 120 acres on the shores of crystal clear Devils Lake in Webster, Wisconsin. Herzl Camp is a traditional camp experience where campers escape from technology to spend lots of time outdoors, exploring nature, trying new sports and activities while building friendships and self-confidence. We are an independent, non-profit camp and, for over 75 years, Herzl has been the place for kids to go for summers full of *ruach* (spirit), Shabbat and friendship. A summer at Herzl builds independence and self-reliance as well as Jewish identity and friendships that last a lifetime.

Activities include sports, music, swimming, boating, rock climbing, Ultimate Frisbee, drama, dance, Israeli culture, organic gardening, wilderness skills, archery, photography, biking and so much more. Counselors and specialists are selected for their skill, maturity, knowledge and natural connection with children. Most are Herzl Camp alumni. 1:3 staff-to-camper ratio. One- through five-week sessions. Entering grades 3-11. ACA accredited.

Explore our website to learn more and then call us to discuss your child's interests. We look forward to getting to know you!



JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 963-2718 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

Milwaukeejewish.org

Contact: Tziporah Altman Shafer, TziporahA@MilwaukeeJewish.org

The Jewish Community Foundation awards scholarships to young people to attend recognized Jewish summer overnight camps and to attend summer programs in Israel. Based on financial need. Apply online at MilwaukeeJewish.org/Scholarships. Applications are typically due in March. For other camp scholarship opportunities, see entry for ONE HAPPY CAMPER.

MEQUON JEWISH PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMP

11112 N. Crown Ct. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-KIDS (5437) OfficeMJP@gmail.com

MequonJewishPreschool.org

Director: Rivkie Spalter **President**: Rachael Marks

Judaic values are the heart of all our summer experiences, and are the thread that connects us to one another and to each experience.

Our focus is on **how** we spend our summer days:

Camp at MJP

Based on the idea that children have a hundred languages, we are prepared for a challenging, explorative and fun summer. We offer children an opportunity to engage in both outdoor and indoor experiences and explorations, while each child finds a place for his or her interests:

Art, Dance, and Music

Summer is the perfect natural landscape for expressive languages.

Organic Gardening

All gardening preparations: soil, seedlings, harvesting and cooking with the food we grow.

Cooking

Children will prepare delicious and nutritious dishes to share and enjoy with their friends.

Sports

Children develop skills and learn sports, such as basketball, hockey, T-ball and more.

Water Activities

Children experience water through an array of creative water toys, games, and wading pools.

Mequon Jewish Preschool is an affiliate of Lubavitch of Wisconsin.

ONE HAPPY CAMPER

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 963-2718 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

MilwaukeeJewish.org

Contact: Tziporah Altman-Shafer, TziporahA@MilwaukeeJewish.org.

One Happy Camper is a need-blind grant opportunity of up to \$1,000 for families that are considering Jewish overnight camp for the first time. In order to be eligible, families must live in the greater Milwaukee area and the camper must attend public school (day school families are not eligible). There are over 155 camps to choose from, including camps specializing in sports, arts, science, outdoor adventures, waterfront and special needs. One Happy Camper can help you and your first-time overnight camper every step of the way towards a summer of fun. For other camp scholarship opportunities, see entry for JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS.

One Happy Camper is a program of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and the Foundation for Jewish Camp.

SUMMER PROGRAM

at Hilde L. Mosse Gan HaYeled Preschool

6434 Enterprise Ln. Madison, WI 53719 (608) 442-4075

Gan@JewishMadison.org

JewishMadison.org/Gan

Director: Marla Becker

Jewish Federation of Madison's summer camp for children 18 months through 4 years old. Ten unique one week sessions, jam packed with fun filled activities building on a theme, are offered over the summer.

URJ OLIN-SANG-RUBY UNION INSTITUTE

Year-Round Address:

600 Lac La Belle Dr. Oconomowoc, WI 53066 (847) 509-0990 • OSRUI@urj.org

OSRUI.org

Director: Beth Rodin

Executive Director: Solly Kane

OSRUI is the Reform movement's camp in Wisconsin for campers in grades 2-12. We combine creative and innovative Jewish experiences with all the fun of summer camp — swimming, sports, drama, dance, archery, visual arts, horseback riding, photography, campfires, high ropes and low ropes, boating, biking, adventure camping and most importantly, lifelong friendships.



Education

Adult Education

THE GLENDALE KOLLEL

at Ohr Hatorah

7020 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 228-8930

TheJewishGift@yahoo.com

TorahlnMilwaukee.com

Contact: Rabbi Akiva Freilich

Opportunity for Torah study for Jews of all backgrounds and levels. Classes, small group and chevrusah study take place before morning services and in the evenings.

CAFE IVRIT

(608) 442-4072 Israel@JewishMadison.org **JewishMadison.org**

The Jewish Federation of Madison's Hebrew for Adults program led by our Community Shlichim. Improve your conversation skills in an informal group with native Hebrew speakers.

PART OF MILWAUKEE'S JEWISH COMMUNITY FOR MORE THAN A CENTURY

law.marquette.edu



LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Beis Hamidrash/Institute for Jewish Literacy

6789 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 961-6100 • Fax: (833) 560-7771 AdultEd@ChabadWI.org

ChabadWI.org

Director: Rabbi Mendel Shmotkin

Beis Hamidrash — Lubavitch Adult Education — offers a wide variety of learning opportunities: scheduled group classes throughout the city, individual classes at home and places of business, all to accommodate the needs of individuals and families from all backgrounds.

Classes cover the entire spectrum of Torah and Jewish knowledge — weekly Torah texts, insights to its intellectual and mystical meanings, Jewish history, Hebrew, lifecycle, Talmud and Jewish philosophy.

JLI – Jewish Learning Institute Madison

1722 Regent St. Madison, WI 53726

(608) 535-9770

ChabadOfMadison.com

Director: Rabbi Avremel Matusof

We are the premier Jewish adult education provider in Madison, Wis. We offer three courses per year on an array of topics including Jewish ethics, Jewish mysticism and philosophy, Jewish history and culture, and Jewish belief and practice. JLI's courses are accredited for continuing legal and medical education and all courses offer CEU credits.

Our mission is to make Jewish learning accessible and personally meaningful to every Jew, regardless of background or affiliation. JLI's insightful curricula utilizes cutting-edge pedagogic techniques, embracing the multiple intelligence model and utilizing multimedia and an array of approaches to engage, educate and inspire all kinds of minds in a dynamic Jewish learning experience.

Mequon Torah Center

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235

Director: Rabbi Dov Lisker

Dedicated to providing adult education services to Jews in the Mequon area, the goal of Mequon Torah Center is to provide a venue for all Jews to connect with the beauty of the Torah, and its relevance today. We encourage Torah learning by coordinating public lectures, classes, one-on-one study partners and workshops in a wide range of topics, from beginner to advanced levels. Classes are also held in the comfort of one's home or office.



MILWAUKEE KOLLEL-CENTER FOR JEWISH STUDIES

5007 W. Keefe Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53216

Study: (414) 873-4398

Office: (414) 447-7999 • Fax: (414) 447-7915 Dean/Rosh HaKollel: Rabbi Mendel Senderovic

The Milwaukee Kollel is a source for Jewish knowledge and growth. It seeks to provide a stepping stone for Jews of all ages who want to discover the beauty and meaning of Jewish life and learning. The Kollel provides a wide array of educational and experiential activities throughout the Milwaukee area. Whether at our center, a business board room or a private home, the Kollel

strives to build an inspired Jewish community.

OWN YOUR JUDAISM

(646) 924-8360

OwnYourJudaism.org

Facebook: @OwnYourJudaism

Director: Rabbi Moishe Steigmann

Own Your Judaism creates a safe space for Jews, seekers, and learners of all faiths to experience the wonder and joy of Judaism, empowering people to make their own authentic Jewish choices. Through teaching, life-cycle events, cohorts & Israel travel, and coaching and consulting, we uncover meaningful Jewish treasures that can come to you.

Before & After School Care

KIDS CENTER BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

A Program of Harry & Rose Samson Family JCC

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Whitefish Bay, WI 53217

(414) 967-8218

JCCMilwaukee.org/KidsCenter

Contact: Ronna Ruffin, RRuffin@JCCMilwaukee.org

Kids Center is open to all families with kids in K4-6th grade and offers bus transportation to and from local schools. Kids enrolled in Kids Center have the whole JCC at their disposal and take everything from swim lessons to sports, art and S.T.E.M. classes throughout the week. Supervised homework help keeps kids on track for school success and allows families to enjoy a more peaceful evening at home. Inclusive and engaging Shabbat and holiday experiences are created throughout the year. Hebrew School transportation is also available. When school is out, we are in. JCC Vacation Days plan field trips and activities for Winter Break, Spring Break, and other full and half days off for the schools we serve.

Day Schools

BADER HILLEL ACADEMY

6401 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 962-9545 • Fax: (414) 967-8373

TheAcademyWI.org

Principal: Rabbi Shalom Ber Munitz, SMunitz@TheAcademyWI.org

Assistant Principal: Nicole Nickolaus, NNickolaus@TheAcademyWI.org

Bader Hillel Academy offers K5-8th grade students the tools to thrive. Combining science, math and literacy with the solid underpinnings of Torah, students build a strong Jewish identity, connection to their heritage and love for Israel.

In a warm, welcoming environment, children from diverse backgrounds form lasting friendships. The school's competitive curriculum positions students for leadership in high schools, yeshivas, colleges and 21st century life.

Bader Hillel Academy is an affiliate of Lubavitch of Wisconsin and a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.



The Sam & Helen Stahl Center sponsors lectures, concerts, films, and art exhibitions that bring renowned scholars and performers to UWM and Milwaukee.

The Stahl Center also supports UWM's Jewish Studies program, which offers a fully online BA and minor in Jewish Studies, as well as a Certificate in Holocaust, Genocide, and Human Rights Studies.

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Sam & Helen Center for Jewish Studies University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

3367 N. Downer Ave • (414) 229-6121 • cjsuwm@uwm.edu

FACEBOOK: Sam & Helen Stahl Center for Jewish Studies, UWM

TWITTER: @UWM Jewish

www.uwm.edu/jewish-studies



MILWAUKEE JEWISH DAY SCHOOL (MJDS)

6401 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

General: (414) 964-1499 **Admissions:** (414) 967-8308

MJDS.org

Head of School: Aaron Lippman,

ALippman@MJDS.org

Director of Admissions, Outreach and Alumni Relations: Michal Deskalo, MDeskalo@MJDS.org

Board President: Lina Wallace

Our core values are wonder, empathy and tikkun olam, inspiring students in grades 3K-8 to own their learning and live their Judaism in a meaningful way. Wherever your family is on your Jewish journey, we welcome you into our community. MJDS will enrich your child's Jewish identity as they respectfully explore, debate and embrace both Jewish life and secular learning. In combination with our student-owned learning, we provide high academic standards in the classroom that transform students into mensches, problem solvers, critical thinkers and leaders. MJDS offers personalized, focused attention to meet each child where they are educationally, socially and emotionally, and every family where they are financially.

Milwaukee Jewish Day School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender expression, sexual orientation, national/ethnic origin, ancestry, age, disability, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in the administration of the school's educational policies, admissions policies, employment policies, financial aid programs or other school-administered programs.

MJDS is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and accredited by ISACS.

YESHIVA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (YES)

5115 W. Keefe Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53216

(414) 871-9376 • Fax: (414) 871-9151

YESMilwaukee.org

Principal: Rabbi Shaya Baumann

President: Josh Kramer

YES helps young people say YES! to their future. Accredited through Cognia, YES's curriculum blends an innovative general studies program with the deep wisdom of the Torah and a love for Israel. Girls and boys at YES learn to draw upon the strength of Jewish character and values to be strong contributors to our society.

YES's award-winning building serves approximately 200 students. The K4 through 8th grade program attracts students from across Milwaukee.

YES is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

Preschools

GAN AMI EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

A program of the Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center

Gan Ami – Karl Jewish Community Campus:

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

JCCMilwaukee.org/GanAmi

Site Director: Heather Spencer

(414) 967-8189 • HSpencer@JCCMilwaukee.org

Linda and Fred Wein Center for Gan Ami-Mequon:

10813 N. Port Washington Rd.

Mequon, WI 53092

Site Director: Karen Faust

(262) 242-9871 • KFaust@JCCMilwaukee.org

Gan Ami Early Childhood Education is a school led by professional educators that encourages children to explore their natural curiosity and creativity and provides opportunities for families to create community. Our co-constructed curriculum emerges from the interests and ideas of the children in collaboration with the teachers. We strive to provide a happy and relaxed learning situation that emphasizes the process of learning and the pleasure of discovery. As part of our belief that learning takes place through play and hands-on experiences, children are encouraged to develop creativity and critical thinking skills through a balance of structured activities and interactive play. We provide opportunities for our parents and teachers to grow and learn about child development, parenting and Jewish life. Being a part of a diverse community, we create connections that enrich our everyday living and learning.

HILDE L. MOSSE GAN HAYELED PRESCHOOL

6434 Enterprise Ln. Madison, WI 53719

(608) 442-4075

Gan@JewishMadison.org

JewishMadison.org/Gan

Director: Marla Becker

Gan HaYeled, the preschool of the Jewish Federation of Madison for children 18 months through 5 years old, is a nurturing learning environment founded on Jewish values and traditions, with a focus on social/emotional development.

TORAH TOTS PRESCHOOL

1275 N. Barker Rd. Brookfield, WI 53045

(262) 794-3454

Director: Mrs. Fraidy Brook, Fraidy@JewishWaukesha.com

Torah Tots presents a Jewish learning adventure integrated with the unique Reggio approach. At Torah Tots, we place great emphasis on respecting each child as an individual. We ensure that every child feels comfortable, safe, engaged and loved in the classroom.

We are committed to nurturing children's social, emotional and physical development as well as their sense of self, love of Judaism and independence. We welcome you to join our Torah Tots Family.

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Jewish Beginnings

6401 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 962-2444 • Fax: (414) 967-8384

JewishBeginnings.org

Director: Devorkie Shmotkin, Devorkie@JewishBeginnings.org **President:** Rebecca Wahlberg

Acclaimed for its warm environment that nurtures the unique gifts of each child, Jewish Beginnings is the premier Jewish early childhood education institution, serving a cross section of the Milwaukee Jewish community.

The school holds the prestigious accreditation from the National Association for the Education of the Young Child. Jewish Beginnings provides youngsters with development of character, love of learning and of all academic areas, providing the foundation for thoughtful, moral decision making. *Jewish Beginnings is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.*

Mequon Jewish Preschool

11112 N. Crown Ct. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-KIDS (5437) OfficeMJP@gmail.com

MequonJewishPreschool.org

Director: Rivkie Spalter **President:** Rachael Marks

"This world is G-d's garden, but for a garden to produce good fruit, one must work particularly hard. It takes more toil and more time."—Rabbi M. Schneersohn, the Lubavitcher Rebbe

MJP follows the vision of the Rebbe in believing that education is mainly about building character with emphasis on moral and ethical values. We create a rich and challenging educational landscape, which fosters expression in a variety of ways and invites all children to absorb and discover the world around them.

Our curriculum brings Judaism to life through Torah traditions, mitzvot and our connection to Israel. Integrated with the inspiration of the Reggio Emilia educational approach, which believes in a research-based thematic learning that supports academic skills, construction of knowledge and divergent thinking.

Secondary Schools

BADER HILLEL HIGH SCHOOL

Mailing Address:

6789 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 316-4775 RYB@HillelHigh.com **HillelHigh.com**

Director: Rabbi Yossi Bassman

Bader Hillel High is a dual-curriculum, college prep Jewish high school, with a full general and Judaic studies curriculum. Utilizing an innovative project-based learning curriculum, students develop the cognitive skills and knowledge to succeed in college, career and life. Our goal isn't just to create book-smart graduates; we want our students to develop as ethical people who put their beliefs into practice. Bader Hillel High School is an affiliate of Lubavitch of Wisconsin.

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Director: Kendra Sager

Midrasha Hebrew High School, founded in 1975, is a program of the Jewish Federation of Madison, in partnership with Beth Israel Center, Congregation Shaarei Shamayim, and Temple Beth El. The purpose of Midrasha is to provide students with experiences and educational opportunities that will strengthen their Jewish identity and encourage and stimulate their desire to learn about their heritage. Midrasha offers classes in Hebrew, Jewish Studies and elective subjects for students in grades 8 through 12 who need not be affiliated with a synagogue to enroll. Post-graduation, students may be awarded grants to continue their Jewish education through the Lawrence A. Weinstein Midrasha Incentive Award program.

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Coalition for Jewish Learning

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CJLMilwaukee.org

Jewish Education Community Planner: Tziporah Altman-Shafer

Chair: Molly Beth Kranitz

The Coalition for Jewish Learning, the education department of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation, supports high quality Jewish education throughout the greater Milwaukee area and within all streams of Jewish life.

- Through the program LOMED—Learning Opportunities for Milwaukee Educators, CJL provides professional training to teachers throughout the Jewish community. Services are provided at no cost, and educators receive a stipend for their participation.
- CJL provides education consultation and advocacy to educators, schools and congregations.
- CJL acknowledges the achievements of local Jewish educators through its annual educator recognition event.

The Coalition for Jewish Learning is a program of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

GoJewish!

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(414) 963-2718 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

MilwaukeeJewish.org/Education-In-Milwaukee

Contact: Tziporah Altman-Shafer, TziporahA@MilwaukeeJewish.org

GoJewish! is an outreach initiative aimed at increasing awareness and participation in Jewish education. If you and your family are looking to explore the next options for your child's Jewish education, GoJewish! can connect you with all the informal and formal Jewish education opportunities that your Milwaukee Jewish community has to offer – from Jewish day schools to summer camps to youth groups and more! GoJewish! is an online resource, blog, and consultation service for all of your family's Jewish education needs. GoJewish! is a program of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

Kesher Inclusion Specialist

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Contact: Jennifer Saber, JenniferS@MilwaukeeJewish.org

The Coalition for Jewish Learning offers inclusion and disability support to all synagogue schools in the Milwaukee area. Support services include communication with student's support system, individualized learning plans, staff training, coaching and consultation, curricula building, observation and assessment and one-on-one support. Support services can be customized to the synagogue school's needs including helping to develop an inclusion lay committee and training of B'nai Mitzvah tutors. All Kesher Inclusion services are available free of charge. For more information, please contact Jennifer Saber, Kesher Inclusion Specialist at JenniferS@MilwaukeeJewish.org.

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With faculty from over a dozen departments, the Mosse/Weinstein Center for Jewish Studies provides a vibrant, interdisciplinary approach to the study of Jewish civilization and a thriving intellectual and cultural community at one of the best public universities in the world. CJS offers major and certificate programs in Jewish Studies, courses in a variety of subjects, and numerous undergraduate and graduate scholarships. In addition, the Center presents a wide range of community programming, including lectures, the Greenfield Summer Institute, the Mayrent Institute for Yiddish Culture, and the Conney Project on Jews and the Arts.

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Holocaust Remembrance

MILWAUKEE JEWISH FEDERATION

Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center

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Executive Director: Samantha Abramson, SamanthaA@MilwaukeeJewish.org

Chair: Mark Miller

The Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center is dedicated to the building of a society resting on values of tolerance and diversity, dignity and respect toward all human beings. As the only organization statewide solely dedicated to Holocaust education and remembrance, HERC offers a wide range of resources for educators, families and communities, including an innovative digital toolkit featuring over 100 lesson plans, educator training workshops, speakers bureau, field trip opportunities, bar/bat mitzvah enrichment, special programs and author talks. HERC also stewards an expansive library of books and films available for checkout.

The Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center is an independent program of Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

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Americans for Peace Now was founded in 1981 to support the activities of Shalom Achshav in Israel. APN's mission is to help Israel and the Shalom Achshav movement to achieve a comprehensive political settlement of the Arab-Israeli conflict consistent with Israel's long-term security needs and its Jewish and democratic values.

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The Israel Center is Milwaukee's connection to the people of Israel. Sponsored by the Milwaukee Jewish Federation, the Israel Center brings cultural and educational programs to Milwaukee; coordinates the activities of our Shin Shins, or young Israeli emissaries, who work in our local schools, synagogues and other Jewish institutions; and participates in Partnership2Gether, a program designed to cultivate relationships by linking Milwaukee with the Sovev Kinneret region in Israel. The Israel Center also assists individuals and families in making aliyah and in identifying travel, volunteer, gap year and study abroad opportunities in Israel.

Israel Center is a program of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

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Jewish Federation of Madison's program to strengthen the Madison community's connection to Israel and the Israeli people. Our Shlichim provide educational programming for the entire Madison area Jewish community, and also serve as emissaries for Israel within both the Jewish and broader community.

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StandWithUs is an international education organization ensuring that Israel's side of the story is told on campuses and in communities, libraries, the media and churches through brochures, speakers, conferences, missions to Israel and thousands of pages of Internet resources. StandWithUs has 16 chapters internationally, including locations in the UK, Israel and France, as well as in cities across the United States, including Los Angeles, New York, Chicago, Seattle and San Francisco.

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Director: Kai Gardner Mishlove, KaiG@MilwaukeeJewish.org

Chair: Rabbi Jessica Barolsky

Acting as an umbrella organization safeguarding equal rights and opportunities for the Jewish community, the JCRC monitors and counteracts antisemitism and other forms of bigotry, encourages support for Israel, protects Jewish security, advocates for social and economic justice, advances interfaith and intergroup dialogue, strives to strengthen intracommunal relationships, and represents the Jewish community with government and legislative officials. The Council board includes representatives of 27 local synagogues and Jewish organizations.

To learn more on how the JCRC locally monitors and responds to antisemitic incidents, file a confidential report, or read previous audits of antisemitic activity visit our website, MilwaukeeJewish.org/JCRC.

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The Wisconsin Jewish Conference is the state government affairs and community relations office. Established in 1987 by the Milwaukee Jewish Federation, the Jewish Federation of Madison, and several other smaller state communities, it serves as the central advocacy and government affairs office for the state. Its work includes advocacy, coalition-building, education and outreach. The Conference coordinates legislative activity for the state Jewish community.

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For more information about Greenwood visit greenwoodjewishcemetery.org or contact John Pereles, President, at 414-559-3463.

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GREENWOOD CEMETERY

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President of Cemetery Association: John Pereles

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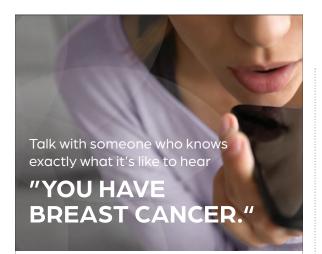
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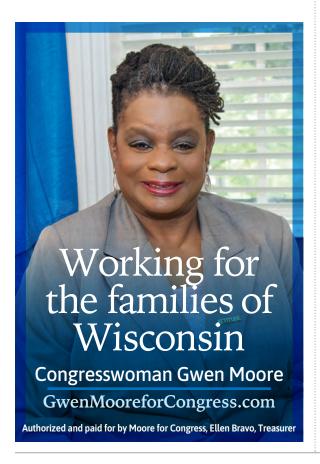
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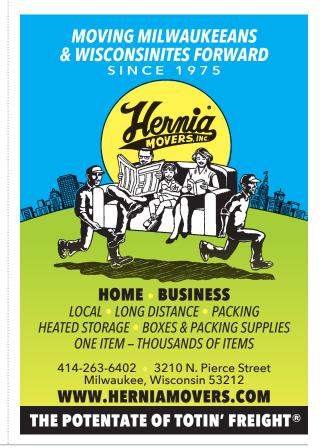
JCCMilwaukee.org/Pantry

Director: Heidi Chapman Gould, HGould@JCCMilwaukee.org

Chairs: Jack Padek & Howard Wagan

Operated by volunteers, the Jewish Community Pantry is open on Thursdays at 2900 W. Center St. (entrance on 29th St.) for the purpose of giving emergency food to those in need. We serve on a first come, first served basis. Donations should be sent to the JCC address only. Visit our website or call to become a volunteer.

The Pantry is co-sponsored by the Harry & Rose Samson Family JCC and the Women's Philanthropy of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation, and is part of the Hunger Task Force Emergency Pantry Network – provider of free and local food.





JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES, INC (JFS)

1300 N. Jackson St. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5800

JFSMilw.org

President/CEO: John A. Yopps

Board Chair: Adam Witkov

Founded in 1867, our mission is to provide supportive services that will strengthen families, children and individuals throughout the life cycle within the context of their unique needs and traditions. We serve nearly 2,500 individuals annually, including children, seniors, adults with disabilities, mental health problems, and substance use disorders and families with low household incomes. Our programs include mental health and counseling services, private pay and contract based case management services, social services, and affordable and supported housing. Our service area includes Milwaukee, Waukesha, Washington and Ozaukee Counties.

Jewish Family Services, Inc. is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and a beneficiary of the United

Counseling

• Outpatient Mental Health Clinic

Way of Greater Milwaukee and Waukesha County.

Contact: Clinical Services Coordinator, Clinic@JFSMilw.org ● (414) 225-1374

Through our state-certified outpatient mental health clinic, JFS clinical staff offers results-oriented therapy to individuals struggling with mental illness or personal problems. Our multidisciplinary team is qualified to assess and treat a range of emotional problems, including: relationship issues, domestic abuse, addictions and more.

Advocacy and Counseling Services for Survivors of Violent Crimes

Contact: Clinical Services Coordinator, Clinic@JFSMilw.org • (414) 225-1374

Jewish Family Services provides mental health psychotherapy services to adults and children who have experienced violent crime in the Milwaukee metro area through our state-certified outpatient mental health clinic. In addition, we respond to the advocacy needs in the Jewish community statewide and in the metro Milwaukee area. Our advocacy services offer support to people impacted by interpersonal violence, housing discrimination and antisemitic hate crime. We serve as an expansion of SHOFAR, a call to action to address child sexual abuse, sexual harassment and domestic violence in our community. All services are funded by the Department of Justice and are offered at no cost to the survivor.

Case Management and Social Services

Disability Case Management

Contact: Kevin Boland, Director of Social Services, KBoland@JFSMilw.org • (414) 225-1208



1320 W. Mequon Rd., Mequon 262-241-0950

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The Mission of The Blue Card is to provide direct financial assistance to Needy Holocaust Survivors.



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please contact The Blue Card
at: 212-239-2251 or
Info@bluecardfund.org

We can potentially help with or pay for:

- · Monthly stipend to help with rent & other necessities
- Medical costs, including dental care
- · A wearable emergency response button
- Jewish Holiday financial support
- Mental health supportive programs
- · Assistive and adaptive technology
- Food-related costs
- Some cancer-related costs
- Purchasing hearing aids, eyeglasses,
 & other medical equipment

We can now help survivors in assisted living, nursing, old age, and independent living homes!



Disability Case Management assures that adults with developmental disabilities and/or severe and persistent mental illness are given the opportunity to live independently and achieve their fullest potential. JFS Disability Case Managers provide a continuum of services: help with government benefits and entitlements like SSI, SSDI, Food Share and Medicaid (Title 19); assist with identifying appropriate housing; money management services; socialization opportunities; in-house links to counseling; information, referral and advocacy.

• Jewish Community Services

Contact: Beth Mumper, Program Coordinator, EMumper@JFSMilw.org • (414) 225-1347 or Leah Trachtenberg, Community Advocate, LTrachtenberg@JFSmilw.org • (414) 225-1334

Our Jewish Community Case Management program offers supportive case management services for members of the Milwaukee Jewish community in a culturally informed and competent manner. The program addresses immediate, interment and ongoing social service needs of Jewish individuals and families through a formal assessment and strength based culturally sensitive care plan. Clients receive assistance to secure resources to meet their basic life needs including food, clothing, shelter and access mental health and primary healthcare.

Mental Health and Substance Use Support Services

Comprehensive Community Services (CCS)
Contact: Jessica Swoboda, CCS Intake Coordinator,

JSwoboda@JFSMilw.org • (414) 225-1383

CCS is a support program for adults living with mental health disorders, substance use disorders, or both, who have Medicaid/T19 coverage and reside in Milwaukee County. CCS offers access to a wide array of unique services to help clients manage mental health conditions, recover from substance use, improve health, and build life skills to be more independent and achieve personal goals.

JEWISH FEDERATION OF MADISON

6434 Enterprise Ln. Madison, WI 53719

(608) 278-1808 • Fax: (608) 278-7814 Info@JewishMadison.org

JewishMadison.org

The Jewish Federation of Madison, founded in 1940, is committed to building our community and helping those facing hardship here and around the world. Among the Federation's major programs and services are:

- Camp Shalom, serving more than 1,000 children each summer
- The Hilde L. Mosse Gan HaYeled Preschool, providing pre-school education for children 18 months old – 5 years old
- Midrasha Hebrew High School, our community-wide Jewish studies and Hebrew language program for 8th-12th graders

 Irwin A. and Robert D. Goodman Jewish Community Campus, a 154-acre year-round recreation and educational facility

Our Annual Tzedakah Campaign supports local service agencies such as: JSS, UW Hillel, UW Chabad, Wisconsin Jewish Council, and JBAM. Through the Jewish Federations of North America we support programs in Israel and 70 countries worldwide.

Shalom Madison & Shalom Baby

Engage@JewishMadison.org

Contact: Marni Ginsberg

Shalom Madison welcomes those new to Madison, considering moving to our community, or existing residents in search of information. Shalom Baby welcomes babies and their families by birth or adoption to the Jewish community. Both programs connect new residents and families to community resources for support, to help them build Jewish connections, and provide a special gift bag.

MadCAB

Engage@JewishMadison.org

JewishMadison.org/MadCab

Contact: Marni Ginsberg

MadCAB is the dynamic leadership development program created by the Jewish Federation of Madison. MadCAB brings together a cohort of young adults for an 18-month program designed to enhance their leadership skills and create the next generation of leaders within Madison's Jewish Community.

JEWISH SOCIAL SERVICES OF MADISON

6434 Enterprise Ln. Madison, WI 53719

(608) 442-4081 • Fax: (608) 278-7814

Info@JSSMadison.org JSSMadison.org

Interim Executive Director: Chris Shanahan President: Carousel Bayrd

Founded in 1978, Jewish Social Services provides:

- Confidential casework assistance to individuals and families of all backgrounds facing disability, illness, unemployment, and other difficulties
- Care plans for frail elderly, help in locating assistance for independent living, protective and financial management services
- Jewish Chaplaincy Program provides bereavement and caregiver support
- Weekly kosher nutrition luncheon with yoga, educational programs, and entertainment for seniors 65+
- Specialized services for refugees and immigrants. We are the only Jewish agency in Wisconsin to be recognized by the United States Department of Justice to represent low-income clients in immigration matters



WISCONSIN JEWISH VETERANS ASSOCIATION

aka Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A.

(414) 313-0297 • (414) 464-1386

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For membership and meeting information refer to our website or Facebook page.

- Horenstein-Katz Post No. 701
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- Morris R. Guten Post No. 487

JFS HOUSING (JFSHI)

4195 W. Bradley Rd. Brown Deer, WI 53209

(414) 354-4700

JFSHousing.org

Contact: Dan Fleischman, Vice President of Housing and Residential Services, DFleischman@JFSHousing.org

JFSHI provides affordable housing and supportive services for low and moderate-income individuals and families, older adults, and people with disabilities to meet the needs of JFS clients and the broader community. Current projects in the Village of Brown Deer include Deerwood Crossing Senior Residences and Bradley Crossing Supportive Housing Community.

JFSHI is a partner in serving the community with Jewish Family Services.

Bradley Crossing Supportive Housing Community

4375 W. Bradley Rd. Brown Deer, WI 53223

(414) 354-4700

JFSHousing.org

Contact: Dan Fleischman, Vice President of Housing and Residential Services, DFleischman@JFSHousing.org

Property Manager: ACC Management Group, (414) 354-2700

Bradley Crossing provides a higher standard in affordable housing for individuals, older adults and families, including those with cognitive and physical disabilities or mental illness. Residents come home to bright, open-concept one-, two- and three-bedroom handicap accessible apartments, with walk-in closets and personally controlled heat and air conditioning. JFS provides convenient onsite mental health services, as well as social, educational and recreational programming for residents.



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Contact: Daniel Fleischman, Vice President Housing and Residential Services, DFleishman@JFSHousing.org

Property Manager: ACC Management Group, (414) 354-4700

Deerwood Crossing is a beautifully-designed and affordably priced assisted and independent living facility with a kind and caring staff. Deerwood offers a high level of amenities, including a dining room that serves three meals a day, an exercise room, a library/computer lab and daily activities. Studio, one-and-two bedroom apartments feature full kitchens and give seniors the flexibility to live in the same apartment as their needs change and they "age in place." Residents can choose supportive services as needed, including medication administration, laundry, housekeeping, wellness checks, a facility-wide Life Alert system, transportation to medical appointments and a nurse on staff for health care needs.

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Contact: Anita Hecht, Director

(608) 658-1102

Anita@LifeHistoryServices.com

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Since 1997, Life History Services has been dedicated to helping individuals, families, businesses, institutions, and organizations capture and preserve their unique stories and oral histories in print, audio, video and multimedia formats. Oral historian and founder Anita Hecht has conducted more than 500 oral histories for numerous private and public archives across North America and the globe. She is fluent in English, Spanish, and German and holds degrees from the University of Wisconsin in both Social Work and History. Please call or email for a free consultation!

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

3109 N. Lake Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 961-6100 • Fax: (833) 560-7771

ChabadWI.org

Executive Director: Rabbi Yisroel Shmotkin, RIS@ChabadWI.org

A full service organization, LOW's institutions and programs span the entire landscape of Wisconsin Jewry: the very young, teens, young adults, families and senior citizens, regardless of religious background, affiliation or level of observance.

Encouraging personal involvement, it provides guidance and the means to practice Jewish life. It serves every institution, and it encourages every positive Jewish practice and expression. It reaches out to the unaffiliated and does not recognize religious divisions among Jewish people.

Cedarburg Jewish Discovery Center

N58 W6208 Columbia Rd. Cedarburg, WI 53012

(414) 897-1946

JewishCedarburg.org

Director: Rabbi Moshe Luchins **JewishCedarburg.org**

The Jewish Discovery Center in Cedarburg is dedicated to provide rich educational opportunities regarding Jewish values and observance to a diverse community, promoting tolerance and understanding. It will be a location for tourists as well as locals of all religious backgrounds to come learn, explore and discover about the Jewish religion and culture in a comfortable and welcoming atmosphere. The Discovery Center will offer Jewish artifact exhibits, historical Jewish displays, crafts for children and classes for adults. In addition, visitors will be able to purchase Judaica-themed art and holiday needs such as menorahs and seder plates. Light kosher snacks and pastries will also be available for purchase.

Hours: Thursday, Friday, Sunday: 11 am-5 pm

Chabad of Downtown

1310 N. Astor St. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 272-2433 • Fax: (414) 961-3273

ChabadOfDowntown.org

Director: Rabbi Yoseph Samuels, Samuelscod@aol.com

The Lubavitch-affiliated institution offers group classes, lunch and learn, mezuzah affixing, chaplain services, personalized and individual classes throughout the city, individual mitzvah campaigns, Sukkah-mobile and bar mitzvah programs in addition to personalized rabbinical services for all lifecycle events.

Jewish REACH (Russian Education & Aid Center)

6789 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 213-8023 • Fax: (833) 560-7771

Director: Rabbi Yaakov Elman, RYE@ChabadWI.org

Jewish REACH provides for the spiritual needs and all aspects of Jewish life and education for Jews from the former Soviet Union. REACH conducts Shabbos and holiday services, adult and youth educational training in Torah and Hebrew, serves all lifecycle events, bris, bar mitzvah, weddings, funerals, provides prayer books and conducts services and discussions in the Russian language.

Judaism at Home/Klal Yisrael

3109 N. Lake Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 544-5664 • (414) 961-6100

Director: Rabbi Mendel Mann, RMM@ChabadWI.org

The program aims at reaching out to and including every single Jewish individual of the Greater Milwaukee area in

Resources

Jewish life, upgrading their Jewish identity, knowledge, observance and involvement in communal Jewish life.

Klal Yisrael will seek to secure every Jewish home with a mezuzah, Shabbat candle holders, charity box, and a basic Torah (five books of Moses), along with ongoing information on Torah study, Jewish history, meaning of Jewish tradition and more.

Lubavitch House

3109 N. Lake Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 961-6100 • Fax: (833) 560-7771

ChabadWI.org

Executive Director: Rabbi Yisroel Shmotkin, RIS@ChabadWI.org

Lubavitch House is headquarters to Wisconsin's Lubavitch activities and institutions and home to many of its programs. This includes Mikvah Chaya Mushka, the Shul East, Judaica Library, citywide holiday celebrations, statewide outreach, Torah study, Shabbatons and lectures.

Our Holiday Celebration magazine reaches 11,000 addresses in 250 areas all over Wisconsin. Our Mitzvah Campaign — T'filin, Mezuzos, Shabbat candle lighting, charity boxes, Torah books, Shmurah Matzoh, Sukkos, Shalach Manos, etc. — are provided annually to more than one thousand individuals.

Mequon Outreach Center

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235

Director: Rabbi Moshe Rapoport

The Mequon Outreach Center serves the growing needs of the Jewish community in the Mequon area. Adults, children and families can enjoy the fascinating and often entertaining world of the Mequon Outreach Center with: Shabbatons, lecture series, learner minyans, kosher awareness week, Sukkah-Fest, Chanukah & Purim programs, public menorah lightings, senior programs, annual concerts, Bat Mitzvah Club and so much more.

We keep in touch with college students who are away from home by sending holiday and care packages, conduct hospital visitations, visit seniors in their homes and prepare meals for families as they are needed.

The Mequon Outreach Center is a division of the Peltz Center for Jewish Life in Mequon.

The Joseph and Rebecca Peltz Center for Jewish Life

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235

ChabadMequon.org

Director: Rabbi Menachem Rapoport

The Joseph and Rebecca Peltz Center for Jewish Life serves the Mequon area through the programs and services of its many divisions. The beautiful campus contains Congregation Agudas Achim Chabad, Mequon Jewish Preschool, Pelz Hebrew School, Mequon Torah Center, Mequon Jewish Teen Center, Mikvah Mei Menachem, Lipskier Judaic Library, Crown Judaica, and the Deli on Crown. The mission of the Peltz Center is to provide a comfortable

The mission of the Peltz Center is to provide a comfortable and non-judgmental atmosphere to meet every individual at their level of observance, for every aspect of Jewish life.

CFJL Community Engagement

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(262) 242-2235

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Director: Rabbi Moshe and Sheina Luchins

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MILWAUKEE JEWISH FEDERATION

Karl Jewish Community Campus

6255-6401 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 390-5740 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

Director of Security and Community Properties:

Ari Friedman, AriF@MilwaukeeJewish.org

The Milwaukee Jewish Federation owns and manages the Karl Jewish Community Campus, a 28-acre property in Fox Point and Whitefish Bay where our community can gather, learn and play.

The campus is home to several Jewish organizations:

- · Bader Hillel Academy
- BBYO-Wisconsin Region
- Jewish Beginnings Lubavitch Preschool
- Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center
- Milwaukee Jewish Day School

To inquire about renting space at the Karl Jewish Community Campus, please contact Ari Friedman, Director of Community Properties.

Evan & Marion Helfaer Community Service Building

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5700 • Fax: (414) 390-5782 Info@MilwaukeeJewish.org

MilwaukeeJewish.org

The Milwaukee Jewish Federation owns and manages the Evan & Marion Helfaer Community Service Building. This three-story building is MJF's downtown office and was built in 1973 by Edward Durell Stone. It houses the following Milwaukee Jewish Federation programs and services:

- Coalition for Jewish Learning (CJL)
- GoJewish!
- Israel Center
- J-Pride LGBT Jews & Allies
- Jewish Community Foundation (JCF)
- Jewish Community Relations Council (JCRC)
- Jewish Museum Milwaukee (JMM)
- Nathan and Esther Pelz Holocaust Education Resource Center (HERC)
- NextGen Milwaukee
- One Happy Camper
- Shalom Baby
- Shalom Milwaukee
- SHOFAR
- Teen Philanthropy
- Wisconsin Jewish Chronicle (WJC)
- Women's Philanthropy

A tapestry designed by Marc Chagall occupies the south wall of our atrium. To the north of the building, visitors will see the Holocaust Memorial designed by Milwaukee-born artist, Claire Lieberman, in 1983.

J-Pride Milwaukee — LGBT Jews & Allies

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5772

Facebook: Facebook.com/groups/JPrideMilwaukee

Contact: Erika White, Erika W@Milwaukee Jewish.org

J-Pride Milwaukee - LGBT Jews & Allies is the LGBTQ+ outreach and inclusion initiative of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation. The program invites lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex and questioning Jewish people, their friends and allies in the greater Milwaukee area to connect socially through the J-Pride Facebook page. J-Pride also helps to connect LGBTQ+ Jewish people, friends and allies to other LGBTQ+ affirming advocacy programs and networks, such as Milwaukee PrideFest.

Jewish Community Foundation

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5718 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

Executive Director: Mitch Moser, MitchM@MilwaukeeJewish.org

Chair: Andrea Schneider

The Jewish Community Foundation was established in 1973 as the endowment development program of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation. The Foundation offers highly personalized assistance to donors at all levels and from all walks of life in managing their philanthropic assets wisely to serve the greater good, through donor advised funds, endowment funds, and other philanthropic vehicles. With the expertise required to structure and manage planned giving programs, the Foundation's staff assists individuals and families in achieving their philanthropic goals in the most tax-advantaged manner. The Jewish Community Foundation is a strong financial partner, committed to helping donors realize their individual dreams for a stronger, healthier community.



Resources

Shalom Baby

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5772 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

Facebook: Facebook.com/groups/ShalomBaby **Contact:** Erika White, ErikaW@MilwaukeeJewish.org

Shalom Baby welcomes new babies to the Milwaukee Jewish community. By extending a hand of friendship to families who have recently experienced the birth or adoption of a child, the program invites families to become engaged members of our Jewish community and to connect socially. Shalom Baby is supported by a grant from the Tikkun Olam Foundation, Inc. and the Nathan & Dolores Holman Donor Advised Fund of the Jewish Community Foundation.

Shalom Milwaukee

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5772 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

MilwaukeeJewish.org

Facebook: Facebook.com/groups/ShalomMilwaukee

Contact: Erika White, ErikaW@MilwaukeeJewish.org

Shalom Milwaukee welcomes newcomers and recent returners to the Milwaukee Jewish community. The

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program provides information and invites newcomers to become engaged members of the local community and offers opportunities to connect with people and organizations both socially and professionally.

MILWAUKEE JEWISH FREE LOAN ASSOCIATION (MJFLA)

409 E. Silver Spring Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 961-1500 GG@MJFLA.org

MJFLA.org

Contact: Ginny Gendelman

MJFLA, inspired by Jewish values, empowers people with temporary financial needs to achieve their goals by offering interest-free loans on a non-sectarian basis. MJFLA is a local non-profit organization that has been offering alternative financial solutions to Southeastern Wisconsin since 2009. MJFLA's revolving loan fund is entirely supported by members of the community through private donations. With a 99.6% repayment rate, MJFLA recycles funds again and again to make more loans. MJFLA, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) corporation and an accredited member of the International Association of Jewish Free Loans (IAJFL).

N'SHEI OF MILWAUKEE

Confidential voicemail: (414) 939-6659 NSheiMilwaukee@gmail.com

N'Shei of Milwaukee is a community based organization committed to doing acts of *chesed*. Our goal is to alleviate the stress on individuals and families during challenging or extraordinary times. Our efforts are directed toward making a complicated time just a little bit easier to manage. Because we are a volunteer organization, we rely on our members to keep us efficient and dependable. There are opportunities for anyone who wants to help, and we believe that every person's contribution makes a difference. If you would like to volunteer or if we can help you in any way, please contact us.

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PKPD has delivered services to a diverse group of clients, working on projects of varying scales. PKPD is an award-winning practice and has worked extensively with Jewish community institutions with a high degree in success in evoking through the architectural expression the unique qualities of each organization.



PKPDs liturgical work is firmly rooted in tradition and culture, imaginatively conceived to inspire, educate and delight, and all PKPDs work is finely crafted to the highest standards of quality, materials, and workmanship.

SHARSHERET

JCC: Sarah Siegel, (414) 964-4444 **JFS:** Donna Triplett, (414) 225-1345

Sharsheret (national headquarters):

Melissa Rosen, (866) 474-2774

Sharsheret, Hebrew for "chain," is a national not-forprofit organization supporting women, of all Jewish backgrounds and their families, who are facing breast or ovarian cancer. If you or someone you know has been diagnosed or is looking for information on genetic testing, Sharsheret can help. For a confidential conversation and connection to local and national supportive services to meet your personal needs, please call today. A partnership between Sharsheret, the Harry & Rose Samson

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SHOFAR

Jewish Family Services 1300 N. Jackson Street Milwaukee, WI 53202 (414) 225-1374 Clinic@JFSMilw.org

Contact Clinical Services Coordinator

SHOFAR (Safeguarding Healthy Families and Relationships) is a collaboration between the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and Jewish Family Services that addresses child sexual abuse, sexual harassment and domestic violence. Our goals are to build awareness and share resources with the Milwaukee Jewish community and to train community members on how to prevent and address abuse. The project is named after the shofar, a ram's-horn trumpet used by ancient Jews as a battle signal, that in modern times is sounded on some Jewish holy days. It's a fitting name for this initiative, which is a call to action against abuse. For more information, contact Jewish Family Services at (414) 390-5800.

TIKKUN HA-IR OF MILWAUKEE

PO Box 090287 Milwaukee, WI 53209

(414) 501-3618

THI-Milwaukee.org

Executive Director: Sami Stein Avner,

Sami@THI-Milwaukee.org

President: Tamara Stolle

Tikkun Ha-Ir (Repairing the City) of Milwaukee provides opportunities to build a just Milwaukee through study, action and civic engagement. Volunteer opportunities address poverty and hunger issues that many Milwaukeeans face. Social justice learning programs include

racial justice and voter engagement work within a Jewish context. Sponsors include Congregation Sinai, Congregation Shalom, Congregation Shir Hadash, Congregation Beth Israel Ner Tamid, Congregation Emanu-el B'ne Jeshurun, Lake Park Synagogue, Hillel Milwaukee, Temple Menorah and Milwaukee Jewish Day School.

TORAH FOUNDATION OF MILWAUKEE

3259 N. 51st Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53216 (414) 447-7999

President: Rabbi Michel Twerski

The Foundation raises money to help offset the operating expenses of local Jewish institutions, in support of their missions and goals, and engages in community development projects.

WISCONSIN COUNCIL OF RABBIS

ATTN: Rabbi Adams 1400 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 277-8875 (office)

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Our vision is to be the primary forum for rabbis within Wisconsin's diverse rabbinical community — including those who serve congregations, organizations, chaplaincies, communal service agencies and schools — for enhancing and expanding the Rabbinate's role in the betterment of the Jewish people and the world at large, while providing a spiritual environment for rabbis to promote *klal yisrael*, learn together, grow professionally and build bridges both within the Jewish community and to other faiths.

WISCONSIN JEWISH GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

(414) 915-2306

President: Marilyn Lane, MerriLane@me.com

Our emphasis is on strategies of gathering information about those long gone, finding where we come from and recording this information.

WJGS promotes research and educates members about collection and preservation of records and provides assistance with research. It maintains a collection of genealogical materials at the Jewish Museum Milwaukee. Beginner assistance is available for those who have developed an interest in family research, and family reunion support is also available.

Seniors

DEERWOOD CROSSING SENIOR RESIDENCES

A JFS Housing Development

4195 W. Bradley Rd. Brown Deer, WI 53209

(414) 354-4700

JFSHousing.org

Contact: Daniel Fleischman, Vice President Housing and Residential Services, DFleishman@JFSHousing.org

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Deerwood Crossing is a partner in serving the community with Jewish Family Services.

JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES, INC (JFS)

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JFSMilw.org

Late Life Counseling

Contact: Clinical Services Coordinator, Clinic@JFSMilw.org • (414) 225-1374

Our Late Life Counseling program provides seniors with convenient access to mental health counseling services in their own home, allowing seniors who are homebound or otherwise unable to access outpatient services. Depression, anxiety, isolation, loss of loved ones, declining health and financial worries are some of the issues addressed. Limited to Milwaukee County residents age 60 or older.

Social Services For Russian Speaking Population (SSRS) and Holocaust Survivors

Contact: Tatiana Forrest, Resettlement Program Manager, TForrest@JFSMilw.org ● (414) 225-7351

Russian/English-speaking staff at JFS provides assistance to older Limited English Proficient (LEP) adults who speak Russian, Polish, Ukrainian, Hebrew and Yiddish. Services include: help with housing matters and obtaining benefits, interpretation and translation of medical bills and other correspondence and assistance with immigration forms and other important documents. Social services for Holocaust Survivors are provided through a grant from the Conference on Jewish Material Claims Against Germany.

Translation Services

Contact: Tatiana Forrest, Resettlement Program Manager, TForrest@JFSMilw.org ● (414) 225-7351

JFS offers interpretation and translation services for persons who speak Russian, Polish, Ukrainian, Hebrew and Yiddish. Care Managers can provide translation of important correspondence, including medical and other bills, and serve as a liaison between the client and different organizations by composing/translating important letters, filling out forms, etc. Care Managers can also assist the client with interpretation at doctor's appointments, mediation for family issues and conflicts, such as guardianship documentation, medical insurance for children and more.

JEWISH HOME & CARE CENTER FOUNDATION

(414) 721-9260 **Ovation.org**

President: Michael I. Sattell

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KOACH

Staff: Rachel Pressman. RPressman@JCCMilwaukee.org • (414) 967-8258

JCCMilwaukee.org/KOACH

Meaning "strength" in Hebrew, KOACH is the popular program that brings together adults 65+. KOACH reflects the vigor of this region's Jewish community by representing the JCC and five Milwaukee synagogues including Congregations Beth Israel Ner Tamid, Emanu-El B'ne Jeshurun, Shalom and Sinai, and Temple Menorah. The program provides lunch and an entertaining program designed for this special audience. Reservations are required.

L'CHAIM CHAVERUT **CLUBHOUSE NORTHSHORE**

PO Box 170602 Glendale, WI 53217

LChaimChaverut.org

Director: Judy Winnik,

Judy@LChaimChaverut.org • (414) 882-1393

The Clubhouse was founded in 2018 in direct response to the rapid growth of the Milwaukee North Shore's aging Jewish population, the epidemic of loneliness among independent older adults and specifically the lack of affordable structured social engagement opportunities. The Clubhouse is a way for seniors to get together for lunch and to share stimulating and entertaining programming approximately twice a month. A well-staffed group of volunteers contribute to the incredible success of this program. Transportation can be arranged. Gatherings are held at Congregation Shalom at noon. Reservations are required. Be a member of this exclusive club, where friendship pays your dues.

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Senior Connection

(414) 803-2748 CF@ChabadWI.org

ChabadWI.org/Seniors

Director: Chedva Federman

Senior Connection is dedicated to serving all Jews throughout Wisconsin with Ahavat Yisrael — an unconditional love and concern, regardless of background or affiliation. Our inter-generational program promotes sharing stories, Jewish experiences and knowledge among the generations. We arrange social events, educational programs, holiday celebrations, and work with nursing homes, retirement communities and individuals to help with specific needs, home visits and more.



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Case Manager: Alla Kotlyarsky, AKotlyarsky@JFSMilw.org

Property Manager: Reilly-Joseph, (414) 271-5201

The Surlow Senior Residences provide independent living for low-income seniors who are age 62 and older.

The apartments are owned by the Milwaukee Jewish Federation. Social services are provided by Jewish Family Services.

OVATION CHAI POINT

1400 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 289-9600 Info@Ovation.org **Ovation.org**

President: Michael I. Sattell

Executive Director: Trish Cohn

Chairman of the Board: Howard Loeb

Ovation Chai Point offers elegant hi-rise living on Milwaukee's east side. Independent Living includes spacious one- two- and three-bedroom floor plans. Assisted Living in one bedroom and studio apartments includes assistance with activities of daily living as needed. No entrance fees. The beautiful two-story lakefront dining room offers delicious kosher dining. Indoor swimming, a fitness room, library, salon, bank and other amenities are all accessible. Our well known programs and events are open to the community.

OVATION JEWISH HOME

1414 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 276-2627 Info@Ovation.org **Ovation.org**

President: Michael I. Sattell
Administrator: Katie Quintanilla
Admissions Manager: Kathrine Waara
Chairman of the Board: Jay Frank

At Ovation Jewish Home, the Fifth Commandment is at the heart of everything we do. We combine a team of skilled professionals who provide excellent care in a beautiful setting. Physical, occupational, speech and outpatient therapy services are available. Personalized activity therapy fosters independence and provides tools that enable residents to return to community living. Long-term skilled nursing

services are available for people with disabilities, dementia and Alzheimer's disease. Respite and palliative care services are also provided. We offer delicious kosher cuisine, a café, our unique gift shop, beauty/barber shop along with other amenities, and are Medicare/Medicaid certified.

Adult Day Services

1410 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202 (414) 277-8849

Executive Director: Trish Cohn **Director of Adult Day Services:** Dawn Adler, R.T., (414) 277-8838

Social Worker: Dana Rubin-Winkelman, MSW, CAPSW, (414) 721-9249

President: Michael I. Sattell

Adult Day Center

A creative, interactive program that focuses on living well. Compassionate support services, activities and socialization enable members to continue living at home with the benefits of joining a lively community of friends. Includes personal care, health and wellness services, a full array of therapies and creative, sophisticated Jewish programming.

Caregiver Support Group

This synergetic group supports emotional needs while minimizing anxiety and stress to encourage therapeutic calm, balance and connection.

• Education and Consultation

Resources are available for family members by a master level social worker. These services include providing advice, structure, counseling and community resources to help the participant and family cope with new challenges and to plan for the future.

Memory Café

Memory Čafé is a place where people with MCI (Mild Cognitive Impairment), early-stage Alzheimer's or a related dementia can be with their care partners to socialize and have fun with others dealing with a similar situation. They are free and provide a chance to have a great time connecting with each other as a family or creating new friends in a community setting.

R & R Club

This club offers active individuals experiencing memory loss at an early age opportunity to participate in cultural events and interactive experiences. This innovative program improves quality of life through meaningful social connections. It is the first "model program" in Wisconsin to serve individuals under the age of 65. Club enrollment required. Club members meet every Friday from 9 am–1 pm.



Each 4-hour session includes:

- Coffee and light snack at Rubenstein Family Kosher Oasis and Art Gallery
- Engaging community outing with experienced staff and volunteers
- Lunch with a lakeside view or local restaurant
- MSW led support group

• ReCharge!

Studies suggest that socialization, physical exercise and mental workouts have a direct effect on the brain. This fun, interactive, four-hour class brings people together while working to improve memory, focus and concentration.

- •Engage in education topics related to memory
- •Participate in mental and physical exercise
- Learn memory techniques and strategies
- •Enjoy social support, creativity and laughter

Spark!

A free program for caregivers and their loved ones experiencing beginning to mid-stage memory loss. This collaborative program with Jewish Museum Milwaukee combines care and featured exhibits. Specially trained museum

educators engage participants in lively discussions. Generally meets the first Friday of each month.

*In-person services may vary. Virtual services are available. Please call for more information.

Hand in Hand, Volunteer Partners in Caring

1414 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 277-8848

Chair: Mary Anne Selby

The mission of Hand in Hand, Volunteer Partners in Caring, is to provide hands-on volunteer assistance and financial support with the goal of making Ovation Communities among the best long-term facilities and thereby allowing our staff members to focus on resident and patient care. Our members enhance the lives of residents and provide direct services to residents through volunteer service, community and board-initiated programs and events. Hand in Hand also sponsors the gift shop at the Ovation Jewish Home. Our Caring Partners Program is made up of compassionate volunteers who are specially trained to assist and comfort residents and provide respite for their families during end-of-life situations.

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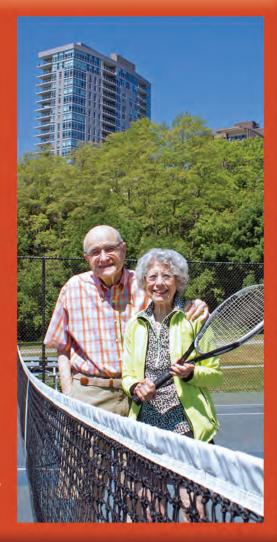
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Hazzan: Jeremy Stein

Rabbi Emeritus: Herbert G. Panitch
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Being at CBINT is being part of a family. We are a growing, caring congregation where living and celebrating Judaism spans a lifetime. A warm and welcoming congregation that prides itself on our multi-generational and diverse community, CBINT gathers for egalitarian, traditional and participatory prayer services twice daily throughout the year.

With a thriving Religious School and a vibrant calendar of social, educational, musical and religious programming, CBINT celebrates Jewish living with engaging programs throughout the year for our tots, our seniors and everyone in between.

The clergy and an active Chesed Committee attend to the pastoral needs of our membership, and we continually seek out ways to make a difference in Milwaukee. CBINT is affiliated with the Conservative Movement.

TEMPLE MENORAH

9363 N. 76th St. Milwaukee, WI 53223

(414) 355-1120

Office.TempleMenorah@gmail.com

TempleMenorah.com Rabbi: Gil-Ezer Lerer

President: Dr. Paul Levine

Temple Menorah is large in ritual yet intimate in atmosphere. We are a traditional Jewish community, overflowing with a rich Milwaukee history, yet brimming with diversity. Temple Menorah offers religious, social and educational activities yearround. Minyans, stimulating adult education and congregational services are the cornerstones of our family, and our Men's Club and Sisterhood sponsor social activities. Our members are educated about Jewish culture and appreciation of our heritage. We are proud to guarantee affordable synagogue affiliation.

Orthodox

ANSHE SFARD KEHILLAT TORAH

6717 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 228-9296

Rabbi: Wes Kalmar

Emeritus: Nachman Levine

Administrative Coordinator: Carrie Barbakoff

Presidents: Bob Rabinoff, Matt Kleiman

Located in a tree-lined suburban neighborhood, ASKT is a warm family-friendly shul. There are prayer services morning and evening. We offer many classes, and our programming includes: Shabbat children's services, daily Talmud study, Cholent Madness, weekly classes of various types and special events throughout the year.

We have a large kosher kitchen and a social hall that provides sit-down dining for 200 people for rental and special events. Everyone is warmly welcomed at ASKT and everyone is invited to come and visit and try it out.

BAIS DOVID

3365 N. 54th St. Milwaukee, WI 53216

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KMKMilwaukee@gmail.com **Rabbi:** Rabbi Dovid Eisenbach

Administrator: Abie Eisenbach Chazan: Rabbi Moshe Gilden

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Director of Youth Development: Rabbi Yona Zohn

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Bais Dovid is a small *heimeshe shteible* that was started 27 years ago when Agudas Achim closed its doors with the blessings of Rabbi M. Twerski. We have minyanim throughout the week, Shabbos and Yomim Tovim.

CONGREGATION ANSHAI LEBOWITZ

2415 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

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Rabbi: Pinchas Yehuda Levin
President: Ruth Ann Guthmann

Anshai Lebowitz provides a warm, Modern Orthodox environment "with an inclusive approach" appealing to all ages, backgrounds, levels of observance and seating preferences. Services are held Saturdays and

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holidays at 9:45 am followed with complete Kiddush lunches. Daily and weekly Torah lessons. Social activities include monthly Rosh Chodesh dinners, holiday/special events, and an active Women's Group. The synagogue owns and maintains a cemetery.

CONGREGATION BETH JEHUDAH

3100 N. 52nd St. Milwaukee, WI 53216

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Rabbi: Michel Twerski

Assistant Rabbi: Benzion Twerski Assistant Rabbi: Chaim Twerski Administrator: Mrs. Miriam Yarmush

President: Gerardo Krisztal

The Orthodox synagogue is the hub of a growing community on Milwaukee's West Side, which includes Yeshiva Elementary School and the Milwaukee Kollel-Center for Jewish Studies.

Beth Jehudah is open to Jews who want to learn more about their religion and grow in their religious practice, and its members welcome Shabbos and holiday visitors.

Congregants are active in charitable work, community service and religious life, and participate in the life of the integrated Sherman Park neighborhood.

KOHL FAMILY SYNAGOGUE

Ovation Jewish Home

1414 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 277-8839

Ovation.org

Rabbi: Levi Emmer, LEmmer@Ovation.org

Residents and their families gather in a warm and friendly atmosphere. The synagogue provides daily services Sunday-Friday afternoons at 4 pm. Shabbat and holiday services begin at 9 am with a Kiddush lunch following for residents and guests at 11:30 am. The community is invited to worship with us, including on Shabbat and festivals.

LAKE PARK SYNAGOGUE

3207 N. Hackett Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 962-5508 • Fax: (414) 964-2837 Info@LakeParkSynagogue.org

LakeParkSynagogue.org

Rabbi: Joel Dinin

President: Dr. Jane Avner

This vibrant and growing Modern Orthodox synagogue is located in a beautiful converted East Side home near the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee campus.

Shabbat and holidays are celebrated in a warm, accepting and welcoming atmosphere that encourages participation and personal growth. Educational and social programs are offered throughout the year. University faculty, students and the entire community are welcome to Friday evening and Saturday morning and evening services and to all synagogue functions.

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Chabad Lubavitch Torah Center

6791 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

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GlendaleChabad.org

Director: Rabbi Mendel Shmotkin, RMS@ChabadWI.org

Chabad Lubavitch Torah Center serves the Glendale area, and the many unaffiliated who use its services. Its warm, accepting environment, easy-to-follow prayer style, stimulating discussion and learning opportunities, make it a synagogue for all worshippers regardless of affiliation or background; offering community Sabbath and holiday services, social events, Torah classes, mitzvah/holiday needs, counseling, lifecycle services and holiday celebrations.

Chabad of the East Side

3030 E. Kenwood Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 316-4643

ChabadOfTheEastSide.com

Rabbi: Yisroel Lein, RabbiLein@ChabadWI.org

Chabad of the East Side is a hub of Jewish life in the city, and the surrounding suburbs. Chabad is a warm, welcoming community that offers custom-tailored Jewish experiences for all ages and stages. Shabbat and holiday services, educational classes, holiday parties, women's events, children's clubs and activities, Mommy & Me, and life cycle celebrations are offered to all Jews, regardless of background or affiliation.

Shabbat services are held Friday night at sunset and Saturday morning at 9:30 am, followed by a delicious Kiddush luncheon at 12 pm. A simultaneous children's program runs throughout the Shabbat service, bringing the Shabbat experience to life for the little ones.

Chabad of Waukesha

1275 N. Barker Rd. Brookfield, WI 53045

(262) 794-3454 (262) 563-9770

JewishWaukesha.com

Director: Rabbi Levi Brook, Rabbi@JewishWaukesha.com

Serving Waukesha County with all Jewish needs. We offer Shabbat and holiday services, social events, Torah classes, mitzvah and holiday needs: tefillin, mezuzot, lulov, and etrog kit, shalach manot, matzah and more! We

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conduct community-wide holiday celebrations, women's events and weekly Jewish enrichment programming for kids through JUDA (Judaism through the Arts).

Congregation Agudas Achim Chabad

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235

ChabadMequon.org Rabbi: Dovid Rapoport

Program Director: Rabbi Moshe Rapoport

President: Mr. Aaron Katz

Congregation Agudas Achim Chabad is a popular synagogue where Jews from all backgrounds can discover their Jewish roots.

CAAC offers a variety of educational and spiritual opportunities, including classes and lectures, Friday night dinners and Shabbaton, and family and social activities. In the spirit of Chabad, traditional Jewish values are brought to life in a joyous, non-judgmental atmosphere. The Peltz Hebrew School meets every Sunday and Tuesday. Children are taught, in addition to Hebrew reading and writing, about our rich heritage and traditions. The school provides a complete bar/bat mitzvah program.

The Shul

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000

ShulCenter.org

Director: Rabbi Cheski Edelman, RabbiCheski@ChadbadWI.org Program Director: Chava Edelman

The Shul in Bayside prides itself on being a second home to its members and Shul friends by creating a one-of-a-kind atmosphere that focuses on the innate goodness in each Jew and the common bonds we share.

While offering daily and Shabbat minyan services, The Shul is more than just a place to pray. The Shul's focus on community building imbues its programming with a sense of family and friendship. Programs at The Shul include spirited community Shabbat dinners and child-focused Family Friday Nights, lively holiday celebrations, ladies' Shabbat gatherings, kids' birthday club, guest lecturers, weekly classes, family hikes, and of course, beautiful lifecycle events.

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Reconstructionist

CONGREGATION SHIR HADASH

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(414) 297-9159 Info@ShirMKE.com **ShirMKE.org**

Rabbi: Michal Woll

Rabbi Emeritus: David Brusin President: Diane Wagan

Congregation Shir Hadash is an inclusive, progressive and participatory spiritual community, located on Milwaukee's East Side. We are guided by Reconstructionist philosophy, blending Jewish tradition and culture with contemporary values. Highlights of our Shabbat and Holy Day services include communal music, creative liturgy and engaging conversation. We offer a diverse array of programs in Jewish learning and social justice plus legendary potluck meals.

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President: Michael Grinker

We are a vibrant spiritual home and place of learning where all individuals can deepen their Jewish identity, engage with our community and give back to our world. In addition to our inspirational worship services in our beautiful building, we provide social activities, adult and family programming, and an outstanding religious school. We are a warm and caring community committed to social justice, learning and healing the world.

CONGREGATION EMANU-EL OF WAUKESHA

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CEEW, the Reform synagogue in Waukesha County, is growing, vibrant and egalitarian, welcoming Jewish and interfaith families, providing a K-Confirmation education and programs for all ages. We are dedicated to the spiritual, educational and social needs of our diverse membership in a warm environment. We blend a liberal interpretation of Judaism with tradition, resulting in a fulfilling connection to Jewish life and spirituality. Our intimate size allows clergy and congregants to know each other personally.

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President: Brent Arnold

As the largest congregation in Wisconsin, we provide programs, services and pastoral care to meet the variety of needs of our congregants. We blend a liberal interpretation of Judaism with tradition, resulting in a rich and fulfilling connection to Jewish life and spirituality. Our Early Childhood program provides monthly opportunities for our young families, and our religious and Hebrew school offers hands-on Jewish education for students in K4-12th grade. We offer family programming, adult education classes, social and community building activities as well as many other engaging opportunities. Our vibrant congregation is home to over 800 families who are our partners as we work to create a world of wholeness, justice and compassion.

CONGREGATION SINAI

8223 N. Port Washington Rd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 352-2970

CongregationSinai.org

Rabbi: David Cohen
Cantor: Richard Newman

Director of Administration: Karen Berk **Director of Engagement:** Jen Friedman

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Intimate. At Sinai, you'll be noticed. People will greet you and want to hear your story. Every member of the community is valued and essential. The relationship between congregants, rabbi, cantor and staff is a sacred partnership based upon mutual respect, shared Jewish commitment, and ongoing Jewish growth.

Inclusive. We welcome you from wherever you've come. At Sinai, you'll find people who were born Jewish, converted to Judaism or are in an interfaith relationship; multi-cultural, multi-racial, and multi-ethnic families; and LBGTQ+ individuals, couples and families. We meet you where you are.

Innovative. Sinai is on the forefront of innovative change. We foster a culture where innovative risk-taking is encouraged. This ensures Sinai will be a place where Judaism's most cherished values find a foothold in today's world and add a sense of meaning and a sense of purpose to our lives.

Intentional. Sinai serves as a warm and welcoming gathering place, a place to worship, to be inspired through music, to be challenged by life's essential questions and to seek answers through learning and a commitment to a just and better world.

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Appleton

MOSES MONTEFIORE CONGREGATION

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Board Chairman: Lisa Weiner, Chairman@MMCAppleton.com

President: Jerry Zabronsky, Ritual@MMCAppleton.com

Moses Montefiore Congregation is a warm, welcoming, egalitarian, Conservative congregation, serving families in Appleton and the Fox Cities area since 1903. We have an active Sisterhood, educational opportunities for children, teens and adults, social action projects, holiday celebrations and hold worship services and social events throughout the year. Friday evening Shabbat services are weekly at 7:30 pm and conclude with festive treats. We hold Saturday Shabbat services about twice a month at 9:30 am followed by kiddush.

Beloit

CONGREGATION B'NAI ABRAHAM

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Rabbi: Shlomo Wing

B'Nai Abraham, a Reform congregation, was originally founded in 1907 as an Orthodox synagogue. This intimate congregation of approximately 40 families serves

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Fan Claire

TEMPLE SHOLOM

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Eau Claire, WI 54702

(715) 832-1231

TempleSholomWI.org

Rabbi: Natalie Louise Shribman

President: Danielle Pilkin

This small, active congregation sponsors monthly or semi-monthly Shabbat services and community dinners, high holiday services, a community Passover Seder and programs on Sukkot and Purim. There are Jewish educational and cultural programs for children and adults.

Green Bay

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Chabad of the Bay Area

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ChabadOfTheBayArea@gmail.com

Director: Rabbi Michoel Feinstein

Chabad of the Bay Area serves the Jewish religious and cultural needs of the northeast upper Wisconsin area. It offers ongoing group and individual Torah classes and seeks to encourage every aspect of Jewish life. It maintains Shabbat and weekday services and offers participation in Shabbat and holiday celebrations. It provides religious articles: mezuzah, Shabbat candle holders, tefillin, matzos and more.

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President: Stephanie Hamblen, (920) 264-2712

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Cnesses Israel is a conservative synagogue serving approximately 55 families in northeastern Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Our beautiful sanctuary is located in a peaceful neighborhood on Green Bay's east side. We were founded almost 120 years ago and retain the friendly, intimate character that marked our beginnings.

Our members have diverse religious backgrounds. Our approach to Jewish religious life is a joyous one, encompassing song, study and celebration. As a fully egalitarian congregation, we value diversity, welcome interfaith families and emphasize

In addition to our regular Shabbat and holiday services, we offer adult education and a social program to serve our membership. We offer a supportive family atmosphere and have chapters of major Jewish organizations.

Kenosha

BETH HILLEL TEMPLE

6050 Eighth Ave. Kenosha, WI 53143

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BethHillel.net

Rabbi: Dena A. Feingold, Rabbi@BethHillel.net

Office Manager: Philipp Butnik, Office@BethHillel.net

School Administrator: Roberta Alexander, School@BethHillel.net Youth Advisor: Marisa Goldstein

President: Todd Letven

Established in 1924, Beth Hillel Temple is the second oldest Reform congregation in Wisconsin. The synagogue is a National Historic Landmark, situated on Library Square near Kenosha's lakefront.

We offer a full range of services, including Shabbat and holiday worship, religious and Hebrew schools, youth groups for grades 6-12, adult education, preschool programs, social action activities and social experiences.

The congregation has approximately 130 member units, and our vibrant Reform Jewish congregation is dedicated to the spiritual, educational and social needs of its diverse membership.

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Chabad of Kenosha

6522 87th Ave. Kenosha, WI 53142

(262) 359-0770

JewishKenosha.com

Chabad of Kenosha serves the Jewish needs of the Southeast Wisconsin area. Its programs include traditional Shabbat and holiday services and dinners, group and one-on-one

Rabbi: Tzali Wilschanski, RabbiTzali@JewishKenosha.com

Torah classes, Hebrew school, Jewish Women's Circle, outreach to the unaffiliated, home and hospital visitations, lectures and holiday programs. We maintain an updated website pertaining to Jewish interests, along with weekly Torah emails and more. Chabad of Kenosha welcomes all Iews, regardless of affiliation or non-affiliation.

Congregation Bnai Zedek Chabad

6522 87th Ave. Kenosha, WI 53142 (262) 359-0770

Rabbi: Tzali Wilschanski, RabbiTzali@JewishKenosha.com

President: Dr. Ron Sanders

Joining with Chabad of Kenosha in the summer of 2007, Congregation Bnai Zedek Chabad offers regular Shabbat and holiday services, Sunday morning power breakfasts, weekly Torah classes, holiday programs, and it offers fresh kosher challah baked in Kenosha. All are welcomed to this warm and friendly environment, regardless of background, affiliation or non-affiliation.

CONGREGATION SONS OF ABRAHAM

1820 Main St. La Crosse, WI 54601 (608) 784-2708

LacrosseSynagogue.org

Rabbi: Brian Serle, Lacrosse.Rabbi@gmail.com

"The heart of Jewish life in the La Crosse area for over 100 years."

Our egalitarian congregation serves more than 50 families living in West Central Wisconsin, northeastern Iowa and southeastern Minnesota.

Our community is a warm, vibrant and welcoming family. We are affiliated with the Reform movement. We offer a lively musical service on Friday evenings and a full service on Shabbat mornings.

We offer children's Shabbat services and religious school, adult learner services, adult and family education, holiday celebrations, social and musical events, Torah study, pastoral counselling, b'nei mitzvah, baby namings, weddings and funerals. We also offer introduction to Judaism classes for those considering becoming a Jew. Come for the services, stay for the Kiddush lunch!

Synagogues · WISCONSIN Madison

BETH ISRAEL CENTER

1406 Mound St. Madison, WI 53711

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BethIsraelCenter.org

Rabbi: Betsy Forester, Rabbi@BethIsraelCenter.org

Executive Director: Elissa Pollack, Elissa@BethIsraelCenter.org

Education Director: Dr. Stephanie Kirkland,

Education@BethIsraelCenter.org

Program Director: Deborah Hoffman, Hoffman@BethIsraelCenter.org

Beth Israel Center is a vibrant congregation of engaged families from diverse backgrounds who share a belief in the importance of preserving traditional Jewish practice in a modern context. We offer: traditional, egalitarian Shabbat services every week, weekday minyan Sunday through Friday mornings and Monday through Thursday evenings, Talmud Torah classes and Shabbat programs for kindergarten through 12th grade students, preschoolfamily Shabbat and holiday services, adult education programs, preparation for bar and bat mitzvah, youth groups, social action opportunities, a fully accessible mikvah, kosher kitchen and more. Many offerings are now online. Contact the office for links. Affiliated with USCJ.

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Chabad of Madison

1722 Regent St. Madison, WI 53726

(608) 231-3450 • Fax: (608) 231-3790

ChabadMadison.com

Contact: Rabbi Yona Matusof. Rabbi@ChabadMadison.com

Serving the greater Madison area with all Jewish needs, Chabad of Madison offers the community daily, Sabbath and holiday services, social events, Torah classes, mitzvah and holiday needs: tefillin, mezuzot, lulov and esrog, shalach manot and shmurah matzah. It conducts communitywide Chanukah, Sukkot and Purim holiday celebrations and monthly Jewish Woman Circle.

Chabad of Madison maintains a mikvah open to women upon appointment (see Mikvah section of this book).

Chabad of Madison is an affiliate of Lubavitch of Wisconsin.

CONGREGATION SHAAREI SHAMAYIM

900 University Bay Dr. Madison, WI 53705

(608) 257-2944

Shamayim.org

Rabbi: Laurie Zimmerman

Our Reconstructionist and Renewal congregation offers inclusive Shabbat morning and holiday services, rituals, education and social gatherings. Call or view the website for calendar and other information.

TEMPLE BETH EL

2702 Arbor Dr. Madison, WI 53711

(608) 238-3123 TBEMadison.org

Rabbi: Jonathan Biatch, Rabbi@TBEMadison.org Cantor: Jacob Niemi, Cantor@TBEMadison.org

Executive Director: Stefanie Kushner,

Exec@TBEMadison.org

Director of Lifelong Learning: Nicole A. Jahr, RJE, Learn@TBEMadison.org

Temple Beth El is proud to be the voice of Reform Judaism in Madison and we build upon a rich legacy of social responsibility and tikkun olam. As a house of worship, a center of teaching and learning, and a place of shared community, Temple Beth El offers relevant and meaningful Jewish experiences. Our Friday evening Shabbat worship begins at 7:30 pm, with the exception of the first Friday of the month, which begin at 6 pm and are livestreamed on YouTube. Our religious school meets on Sundays for K4-7th and Wednesdays for 4th-6th grade Hebrew classes. Temple Beth El offers a variety of ways to connect to the community through our Social Action Committee, Sisterhood, Men's Club, adult education activities, young families group, young adult (20s and 30s) group, as well as MaTTY senior youth group, and MuTTY junior youth group.

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CHAVURAH OR TIKVAH

404 State St.

Oconomowoc, WI 53066

(262) 569-1228

ChavurahOrTikvah.org

Rabbi: Baruch Comrov

Director of Education: Therese Dorfman

Treasurer: Richard Levine

Chavurah Or Tikvah is a small synagogue offering friendship, Jewish learning and fun activities to its members. Programs include: Shabbat services with our rabbi, Shabbatons, High Holiday services at OSRUI, Sukkot party on a working farm, a Chanukah party as well as a Passover second seder. Give us a call and see what we're about.

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Oshkosh

CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL

1121 Algoma Blvd. • PO Box 904 Oshkosh, WI 54903-0904

(920) 235-4270

CongregationBnailsrael@hotmail.com

BnailsraelOshkosh.com

Congregation Leader: Lowell Louis

President: Andrew Solomon

Congregation B'nai Israel is a reform congregation led by Religious Leader Lowell Louis. We offer twice-monthly services, a dynamic Sunday School, preparation for b'nai mitzyoth students and adult education.

While extending a sincere welcome to interfaith families and potential converts, we also maintain an active Jewish presence in area communities.

Our beautiful Holocaust Memorial Garden provides tours from April to October. To schedule tours, please call us.

Racine

BETH ISRAEL SINAI CONGREGATION

3009 Washington Ave. Racine, WI 53405

(262) 633-7093 BethlsraelSinai@att.net

BethIsraelSinai.org

Rabbi: Martyn Adelberg

Our 40 household congregation offers traditional egalitarian services on Shabbat mornings and holidays, led by Rabbi Martyn Adelberg. Adult education, social activities and fundraisers are planned throughout the year. During the pandemic, we expanded our membership through Zoom services.

Our Hebrew school has attracted a number of new students. The Hebrew students meet with the rabbi weekly for individual study sessions. We continually strive to provide Jewish programming to meet the needs of all of our congregational community, young and old alike.

Interfaith families welcome.

Sheboygan

CONGREGATION BETH EL

1007 North Ave. Sheboygan, WI 53083 (920) 452-5828 BethEl5828@att.net Office Hours: Thursdays 9 am-3 pm

Lav Leaders: Marc Brami and Kevin Hoffman

President: Marc Brami

Education Director: Debbie Intravaia

Congregation Beth El is a friendly community that welcomes all those wishing to join or visit. Shabbat services are held weekly at 10:15 am, with a Kiddush to follow. We are inclusive of the varying practices of Judaism and our lay leaders conduct an egalitarian service with the feel of traditional Conservative Judaism. We have a vibrant religious school that meets one day a week.

Wausau

MT. SINAI CONGREGATION

910 W. Randolph St. Wausau, WI 54401

(715) 675-2560 • Fax: (715) 870-2130 KristinC@MtSinaiWisconsin.org

MtSinaiWisconsin.org

Rabbi: Benjamin Altshuler

Religious Education: Pam Galowich & Kayli Tate

President: Rachel Tate

The Reform congregation serves Wausau, Stevens Point, Marshfield and the North Woods area. It operates a religious school that provides a full range of religious school programs and adult study sessions in its constituent communities.

Wisconsin Dells

OHR YEHUDAH CHABAD-WISCONSIN DELLS

409 Broadway Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

(608) 231-3450 • Fax: (608) 231-3790

Contact: Rabbi Yona Matusof, Rabbi@ChabadMadison.com

Open during summer months, and — depending on the calendar — during the High Holidays, the synagogue serves the Jewish merchants of the Dells and its many visitors. The shul was founded in 2004 under the auspices of Chabad of Madison. It conducts Friday night and Shabbos services. The shul also sponsors Torah classes by Rabbi Yona Matusof. For further information, contact the rabbi. OHR Yehudah Chabad-Wisconsin Dells is an affiliate of Lubavitch of Wisconsin.

Women's Organizations

ASKT ROSH KHODESH SOCIETY

"We are Each Other's Lifeboats"

6717 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 228-9296 ASKTShul@gmail.com

ARKS (ASKT Rosh Khodesh Society) is a women's group which hosts monthly events. The events initially will be centered around themes from the book "Layers: Personal Narratives of Struggle, Resilience, and Growth from Jewish Women" by Shira Lankin Sheps. "Layers" is a collection of over 30 stories of Jewish women who describe their journeys of growth overcoming challenges in areas including: mental illness, pregnancy loss, widowhood, infertility, physical illness, and antisemitism. Events encompass a range of activities including crafts, expert panels, visiting speakers, panels of lay communal members and celebratory gatherings. The program strengthens a community of women who support each other through life's challenges and celebrations. Women who are interested in participating or who have questions may email ASKTShul@gmail.com.

ELLA SAUBER HADASSAH

222 S. Baird St. ● PO Box 1252 Green Bay, WI 54301

Contact: Libbie (920) 432-8030

HADASSAH-MILWAUKEE CHAPTER

8649 N. Point Dr. Milwaukee, WI 53217

Information: (888) 303-3640 Membership: (800) 664-5646 MilwaukeeHadassah@gmail.com

Hadassah, the largest Zionist organization in the world and the largest women's Zionist organization in America, with over 300,000 members, maintains the Hadassah Hebrew University Medical Center in Jerusalem, Hadassah College of Technology, Hadassah Career Counseling Institute & Young Judaea, with camps throughout the United States, including Waupaca, Wis. Hadassah also supports INF. We have over 1,100 members in Wisconsin.

JEWISH WOMEN INTERNATIONAL

(Formerly B'nai B'rith Women) Chapter 0401 222 S. Baird St, • PO Box 1252

Green Bay, WI 54301

Contact: Sandra (920) 468-7566

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

The Jewish Women's Circle

6789 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

(414) 961-6100 • Fax: (833) 560-7771 WomensCircle@ChabadWl.org **JewishWomensCircle.org** **Directors:** Rivkie Wilschanski, Devorkie Shmotkin, Chava Edelman, Mushka Lein, and Dini Rapoport

Jewish Women's Circle is a mosaic of women from diverse backgrounds and affiliations. Monthly guest speakers discuss the powerful issues that challenge today's Jewish women, while the Book Club explores meaningful books by Jewish authors. The highly anticipated winter Women's Retreat draws over 150 women annually.

Rosh Chodesh Society

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092 (414) 403-9775

Program Coordinator: Dinie Rapoport

Rosh Chodesh Society is a monthly social gathering for women. It gives women the opportunity to celebrate Rosh Chodesh with our community by learning and exploring diverse topics and practical application for women today. The gatherings include guest speakers, in-depth learning and discussions, delicious refreshments and friendship. Rosh Chodesh Society is part of the Peltz Center for Jewish Life.

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN (NCJW)-MILWAUKEE SECTION

SueStrait17@Gmail.com

NCJWMKE.org

Co-Presidents: Sue Strait & Genina Berger

NCJW is a national organization that has been at the forefront of social change for over 125 years. Inspired by Jewish values, NCJW takes a progressive stance on issues such as elections, child welfare, women's rights, reproductive justice and human trafficking. At the local level, NCJW-MKE is a gateway for our community to engage in advocacy, outreach and social justice. As a 100% volunteer-run section, we welcome people of diverse backgrounds who want to make positive change at the local, national and global level.

WOMEN'S PHILANTHROPY OF MILWAUKEE JEWISH FEDERATION

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

(414) 390-5713 • Fax: (414) 390-5782

MilwaukeeJewish.org

Facebook: Facebook.com/groups/WomensPhilanthropy

President: Tanya Arbit

Campaign Chair: Sara Hermanoff

Women's Philanthropy of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation brings together women of all ages from throughout the community to further the Federation's core mission: building a strong, unified Jewish community in Milwaukee, in Israel, and throughout the world. Women are encouraged to get involved by helping with the Federation's Women's Campaign, volunteering on committees of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and its core programs; planning and attending educational and outreach events; and connecting with engaged Jewish women from across the nation through missions and leadership opportunities offered by the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and National Women's Philanthropy of the Jewish Federations of North America.

BBYO-WISCONSIN REGION

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 326-2808 • Fax: (414) 326-2809

BBYO.org

Regional Director: Tamar Tenenbaum

Chair: Stephanie Dykeman

BBYO is a youth-led organization that focuses on developing young Jewish leaders that has six chapters in Milwaukee and one chapter in Madison. Our members plan and participate in a variety of social, cultural, athletic, religious and social action programs, developing a positive Jewish identity based on Jewish values. We provide Jewish youth the opportunity to interact with one another within their communities, in statewide programming activities, and with other Jewish young people from across the country and throughout the world. BBYO-Wisconsin Region is a partner agency

CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL NER TAMID YOUTH PROGRAMS

6880 N. Green Bay Ave. Glendale, WI 53209

of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

(414) 352-7310

YouthDirector@CBINTmilwaukee.org

CBINTMilwaukee.org

CBINT offers a full spectrum of youth and family programs and learning opportunities: monthly Tot Shabbat, family High Holiday and Shabbat services, Shabbat youth programs, B'nai Mitzvah Lab, Religious School on Sundays for ages 3 -teens (free to members) and much more. There is something for everyone in our warm and engaging learning community.

CBINT hosts chapters of all three Youth Group divisions of the Conservative Movement: Ruach for children in grades 2-5, Kadima for children in grades 6-8, and USY for teens in grades 9-12.

CONGREGATION SHALOM YOUTH PROGRAMS

7630 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 352-9288

Cong-Shalom.org

Assistant Rabbi: Taylor Poslosky, RabbiPoslosky@Cong-Shalom.org

Director of Congregational Learning:Brian Avner, Brian@Cong-Shalom.org

Director of Synagogue Relations: Payton

Roberts, Payton@Cong-Shalom.org

Congregation Shalom is proud to offer a wide variety of youth engagement opportunities for children of all ages. Activities include social and recreational programs as well as service projects. For students in middle school and high school, our focus is on leadership development. An exciting component of the program are clergy-led group travel

opportunities. Additionally, our students in 8th-12th grades have the chance to serve as *madrichim*, teaching assistants, in our Hebrew and/or Religious School programs.

HARRY & ROSE SAMSON FAMILY JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Harold & Terry Nash Family & Parenting Center

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Whitefish Bay, WI 53217

JCCMilwaukee.org

We serve nearly 1,000 families yearly at the Harold & Terry Nash Family & Parenting Center, the North Shore's premier destination for all families. The Harold & Terry Nash Family & Parenting Center provides activities, classes and educational opportunities for the whole family. Programs allow you to connect with new families and bond with your little one in a nurturing and hands-on environment. Celebrate Jewish holidays, Shabbat dinners, cultivate essential developmental skills and create play-filled memories together with The Harold & Terry Nash Family & Parenting Center. Need to get a work out in? Our hourly child care center is the place for you. All of this and more provides educational opportunities for both parents and children, in addition to a variety of services that support young families experiencing the transitions and challenges of parenthood.

PJ Library Milwaukee

6255 N. Santa Monica Blvd. Whitefish Bay, WI 53217

(414) 967-8258

JCCMilwaukee.org/PJLibrary

Staff: Rachel Pressman, RPressman@JCCMilwaukee.org

Parents of small children know that stories are for more than just bedtime. The wonderful habit of ending your child's busy day by reading together inspired this popular national program funded in part through the Harold Grinspoon Foundation. The PJ Library offers free, high-quality Jewish books and music each month to children ages 6 months through 8 years all across North America. The Harry & Rose Samson Family Jewish Community Center offers this program to the Milwaukee Jewish Community and engages families in special programs to connect PJ Library families. For more information on PJ Library Milwaukee or to become a PJ Library family, visit our website or call Rachel Pressman.

HILLEL FOUNDATION UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

611 Langdon St. Madison, WI 53703

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UWHillel.org

Facebook: @HillelAtUWMadison Instagram/Twitter: @UWHillel

Director: Greg Steinberger

Rabbi: Andrea Steinberger **President:** Greg Sinaiko

The Hillel Foundation at the University of Wisconsin, in the Barbara Hochberg Center for Jewish Student Life, serves nearly 5,000 Jewish students and faculty. Hillel provides a home, support, and learning opportunities for every expression of Jewish life and interest—religious, cultural, Israel, political and community. As one of the oldest Hillels in the country, UW Hillel has been serving the campus community since 1924 and is excited to see what the next 100 years will bring to Jewish life on campus.

UW Hillel also hosts a full fitness center and Adamah Neighborhood Table, a full service kosher café with daily specials and a full catering program.

The UW Hillel Foundation is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation and Jewish Federation of Madison.

HILLEL MILWAUKEE JOSEPH & VERA ZILBER BUILDING HILLEL STUDENT CENTER

3053 N. Stowell Ave. Milwaukee WI 53211

(414) 961-2010 Info@HillelMKE.org **HillelMKE.org**

Facebook: @HillelMilwaukee Instagram: @HillelMKE

Executive Director: Deb Fendrich, Deb@HillelMKE.org

President: Rodd Schneider

Hillel's mission is to "inspire every Jewish student and young adult to make an enduring commitment to Jewish life, learning and Israel." Hillel Milwaukee offers social, cultural, religious, educational, Israel awareness, social action and leadership activities for Jewish students and young adults in the greater Milwaukee area.

Hillel Milwaukee is a partner agency of the Milwaukee Jewish Federation.

JEWISH EXPERIENCE OF MADISON (JEM)

544 State St. Madison, WI 53703 (617) 935-7074 **JEMUW.com**

Executive Director: Rabbi Rocky Anton, RockyAnton@gmail.com ● (414) 708-6353

Program Director: Rabbi Mati Miller, JEMUWOffice@gmail.com ● (617) 935-7074

JEM is a student organization that provides a Jewish home away from home. All students are welcomed into the vibrant JEM community, regardless of background or affiliation. Students are hosted by JEM families for home cooked Shabbat and Yom Tov meals both in our new State St. center and at their homes. JEM has High Holiday services, as well as many quality Jewish educational programs.

HILLEL CHAPTER AT LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

711 E. Boldt Way Appleton, WI 54911

920-832-6947

WinstonT@Lawrence.edu

Facebook: @HilleLU

Contact: Terra Winston-Sage, Associate Dean

Hillel is an accepting and inclusive community for Jewish students on the Lawrence University campus. We welcome all students, faculty and staff to celebrate and learn through weekly Shabbats, volunteering, holiday celebrations and forming close bonds with other members in the community.

ITSY BITSY SINAI – RHYTHM 'N RUACH

8223 N. Port Washington Rd. Milwaukee, WI 53217

(414) 352-2970

CongregationSinai.org

Contact: Jen Friedman,

JFriedman@CongregationSinai.org or 414-352-2970

Our preschool age program "Itsy Bitsy Sinai" (birth – 4) meets monthly on Sunday mornings at 10:15 am and some Friday evenings at 5:00 pm. Morah Mara brings the nationally acclaimed program "Rhythm 'N Ruach" – with a focus on family, music, and movement through a Jewish lens. Join Morah Mara, Rabbi Cohen and Cantor Newman for Shabbat and Holiday programming, songs, stories, instruments, craft projects. We strive to help parents connect to others with similar aged children, to develop bonds that will enable them to share their Jewish journeys together. Parents, grandparents, siblings - all are welcome!

LUBAVITCH OF WISCONSIN

Chabad at UWM

Serving UWM & nearby colleges

3054 N. Hackett Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 939-3770

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ChabadAtUWM.com

Directors: Rabbi Chezky & Dobie Thaler

Chabad at UWM is a home away from home where every Jewish student is family. Students get together to experience Judaism in a relaxed and welcoming environment. Chabad at UWM offers weekly Shabbat dinners, leadership conferences. Holocaust education, Israel

ership conferences, Holocaust education, Israel programming, community volunteering opportunities, in depth study, student counseling and more.

CKids / Pelz Hebrew School

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235 ChabadMequon.org

Director: Dini Rapoport

At CKids and the Pelz Hebrew School, we make Judaism fun and meaningful. Children actually look forward to Hebrew School. They learn to read Hebrew, study Hebrew language, Jewish history, holidays and traditions. They enjoy songs, arts & crafts, holiday baking and custom designed and developed CKids hands-on workshops. We are proud of our solid curriculum and dedicated teachers who keep the children motivated and enthusiastic. For a Hebrew School your children will love, call Dinie Rapoport at (262) 242-2235.

CTeen – Madison

CTeenMadison@gmail.com
MadisonJewishTeens.com
Director: Menucha Matusof

CTeen Madison compacts exhilarating fun and meaningful projects into a program that's thrilling and uniting. Education at the forefront, every program is designed to enhance the development of important life skills. Help teens build compassion by giving back to the community through various humanitarian projects. Build social skills through positive affiliations, ensuring personal growth in a society where working together is the key to advancement. All planned and executed by the teen leaders.

CTeen - Mequon

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235

Director: Rabbi Moshe Rapoport, Moshe@ChabadMequon.org

CTeen Mequon is part of the international CTeen organization for high school students. CTeen is a social club where teens learn about themselves and their heritage through giving to others and participating in interactive, hands-on activities. At CTeen Mequon, teens enjoy Friday night dinners, weekly classes, trips, Shabbatons, use of their own beautiful CTeen Lounge at CFJL, challah baking and of course the very popular Kosher Food Club at Homestead High School.

The CTeen Mequon is a division of the Peltz Center for Jewish Life.

CTeen – Milwaukee

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000 ext. 201

ShulCenter.org • CTeenMKE.org

Director: Rabbi Avremi Schapiro, Avremi@ChabadWI.org

CTeen is designed to reach teenagers during their transformation between childhood and adulthood. Programming focuses on social, educational and humanitarian projects, joining teens together in an environment that nurtures the soul and inspires the individual. Through local chapter programming and customized online social networking, teens become part of the worldwide CTeen Network and begin to see society through the Torah's perspective, learning Jewish values in an intuitive and creative way. This solid Jewish foundation outfits teens with the capacity to make better choices as they grow to adulthood.

The Friendship Circle

8649 N. Port Washington Rd. Fox Point, W 53217

414-755-5855 Info@FCWI.org

FCWI.org

The Friendship Circle provides unconditional acceptance, friendship and support for those with special needs and their families. Local teens and adults involve their special friends in 27+ programs that allow their unique gifts to shine, while volunteers renew their own compassion, shaping our community's next generation of leaders.

JMequon

2233 W. Mequon Rd. Mequon, WI 53092

(262) 242-2235 • (262) 957-0051

ChabadMequon.org/JMequon

Directors: Rabbi Doobie and Mushka Lisker

A Mequon collective for Jews in their 20s and 30s. We bring together, engage and inspire young Jews in Mequon. Through authentic personal connection, creative events and friendly Jewish experiences. Because we believe in the infinite potential within every Jew. We provide an array of soul nourishing, dynamic social events, handcrafted educational experiences, meaningful spiritual gatherings and opportunities for authentic relationships. For more information visit our website.

Living Legacy

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000 ext. 208

ShulCenter.org

Director: Rabbi Avremi Schapiro, Avremi@ChabadWI.org

The Living Legacy is a series of 10 dynamic workshops for all ages, including a shofar factory for Rosh Hashanah; oil pressing for Chanukah; and matzah baking for Passover designed to engage, challenge and actively involve Jewish youth in their heritage through the hands-on creation of Jewish ritual objects.

Milwaukee Community Hebrew School

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000 ext. 201

MilwaukeeHS.org

Director: Chava Edelman, Chava@ChabadWI.org

Through a warmhearted and sincere approach emphasizing the joy and delight in Judaism, MCHS strives to instill knowledge, ownership and pride in a child's Jewish heritage. Learning and exploration take place through specialized units that develop deep understanding and appreciation for Jewish practice and values. A holistic whole-family style of learning encourages growth for the entire family through special programs and events throughout the year.

The Mitzvah Corps

8825 N. Lake Dr. Bayside, WI 53217

(414) 228-8000 ext. 201

Director: Rabbi Avremi Schapiro, Avremi@ChabadWI.org

The Mitzvah Corps is a group of dedicated youth volunteers who give several thousands of hours of service annually. Children participate in a wide variety of "Mitzvah Missions" including holiday activities, grocery shopping, and outings — nurturing idealism, compassion and respect while shaping our community's future leaders.

Rohr Family Chabad House at the University of Wisconsin

223 W. Gilman St. Madison, WI 53703

(608) 257-1757 • Fax: (608) 231-3790

Info@UWChabad.com
UWChabad.com

Directors: Rabbi Mendel & Henya Matusof

UW Chabad provides the 5,000 Jewish students at the UW–Madison with a vibrant Jewish community and a home away from home.

Chabad's programs run the gamut of Jewish campus life, including Shabbat and holiday celebrations, Jewish classes and discussions, mingling and social events, and Birthright trips. Jewish students from all backgrounds find warmth, family and Judaism at Chabad, during their college years in Madison.

Young Jewish Professionals of Madison (YJP)

(608) 535-9770

YJPMadison.com

Director: Rabbi Avrohom Matusof, Director@YJPMadison.com

Young Jewish Professionals of Madison (YJP) brings together young adults in the greater Madison area, i.e., namely young couples, University of Wisconsin graduate students and professionals ages 25-35.

YJP Madison is known to be a warm, inviting environment where young Jewish people can connect with other young Jewish professionals in an informal, educational and social



setting. We provide social, educational, recreational and spiritual programming and classes that promote exploration, growth and practice of Jewish ritual and celebration.

Young Jewish Professionals of Milwaukee (YJP)

3030 E. Kenwood Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53211

(414) 316-4643 **YJPMKE.com**

Director: Rabbi Yisroel Lein, RabbiLein@ChabadWI.org

Young Jewish Professionals of Milwaukee (YJP) serves as a hub of Jewish life for any young Jew that moves. YJP provides an authentic and uplifting Jewish experience for the hundreds of young Jews living and working in the greater Milwaukee area. Meet, mingle and network with other young Jewish professionals in a welcoming, congenial, stylish and relaxed setting. YJP offers monthly Shabbat dinners, challah bakes, holiday parties, educational and volunteer opportunities and social events, all with a spirited vibe.

MADISON'S JEWS' NEXT DOR (MJND)

Facebook: Facebook.com/groups/MadisonsJewsNextDor

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MJND offers a range of social, educational, and networking events for Jewish people in their 20s and 30s in Madison.

MAJOR (MILWAUKEE ALLIANCE FOR JEWISH RECONNECTION)

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Director: Rabbi Daniel Meister

The Milwaukee Alliance for Jewish Reconnection (MAJOR) is an organization which believes in building positive Jewish identity. We accomplish this by teaching people how Jewish perspectives enhance all aspects of their life, whether personal, professional, social or spiritual. Our programs encourage self exploration and self actualization using traditional Jewish wisdom.

Our target audience is people ages 18-35 who are Jewish or seriously interested in Judaism. We currently offer one-on-one meetings, Zoom classes and weekend retreats (Shabbatons). Finally, we direct our students to participate in Jewish trips in America and abroad.

THE MILWAUKEE JEWISH COMMITTEE ON SCOUTING

Three Harbors Council 330 S. 84th St. Milwaukee, WI 53214

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The committee is commissioned by the Three Harbors Council, Boy Scouts of America in Kenosha, Milwaukee and Racine counties to promote scouting within the Milwaukee

Jewish community and to promote scouting under Jewish auspices within the three county, council territory.

Scouting options include Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA and Venturing.

Cub Scouts is for any youth in K5 through 5th grade and its programming centers on Jewish holidays integrated with Cub Scout themes and activities with an emphasis on family activities, outdoor fun and service to the community. Cub Scouts works in boy-only packs, girl-only packs and family packs (which are for both boys and girls).

Scouts BSA is for both boys and girls working in single gender troops. Scouts BSA is for youth ages 11–18 and focuses on outdoor activities, rank advancement, community service and youth leadership.

Venture Crews are co-ed for youth ages 14 through 21. Venturing focuses on high adventure activities, leadership skill development and community service.

If you or your child are interested in scouting, contact Larry Danner.

MILWAUKEE JEWISH FEDERATION

Teen Philanthropy

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MilwaukeeJewish.org

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The Milwaukee Jewish Teen Philanthropy Board is a community-wide program that engages Jewish teens in a communal giving and learning effort to achieve our goal of *tikkun olam*, "repairing the world." A diverse group of Jewish students in high school from the greater Milwaukee area attend monthly sessions centered around grant making, non-profit functions and the philanthropic model. In empowering teens to use philanthropy as a means to make social change, the sessions cover a variety of topics ranging from understanding community need, developing grant strategies, evaluating grant proposals, performing site visits and practicing strategic decision-making and consensus-building techniques.

NextGen Milwaukee

1360 N. Prospect Ave. Milwaukee, WI 53202

MilwaukeeJewish.org/YoungLeaders

Facebook: @NextGenMKE

Director: Kelly Biedinger, KellyB@MilwaukeeJewish.org

The Milwaukee Jewish Federation's NextGen programs help ensure that the Milwaukee Jewish community goes from strength to strength across the generations. We engage our young leaders, ages 21-45, by developing the skills they need to guide our community into the future and by providing them with social, volunteer, philanthropic and networking opportunities.

MOISHE POD MILWAUKEE

Facebook: @MoishePodMKE Instagram: @MKEMoishePod

Milwaukee's very own Moishe House opened on the East Side in Spring 2021. The local residents plan and host activities and are ready to help create meaningful Jewish experiences for young adults. Be sure to follow them on social media for the latest updates and gatherings.

YAAS (YOUNG ADULTS AT SINAI)

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What does it mean to be a young, Jewish adult in your 20s and 30s? Are you looking for a point of entry into metropolitan Jewry? Do you have a child or know someone — affiliated or unaffiliated — that is looking to meet other young Jewish professionals or graduate students? Come check out YAAS! All 20s and 30s are invited to join YAAS. We gather socially for fun and learning with other Jewish young adults throughout the year. Parents of 20s and 30s: Please let us know if you have young adult children in town (or even out of town) so we can reach out and invite them. Open to all!









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