Westchester Reform Temple

Men's Club at Westchester Reform Temple

# <u>Monthly Newsletter</u>

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## Men's Club Liaison

Rabbi Daniel Reiser

### Business Meetings Tuesdays at 7:00 PM

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2021	
October	5
November	2
November	30
2022	
January	4
February	1
March	15
April	12
May	3
June	7

Shana Tova to All Men of Westchester Reform Temple & anyone who would like to join us! We are planning a series of exciting and interesting programs for this year. Please review what is planned, we hope to see you as we come together.

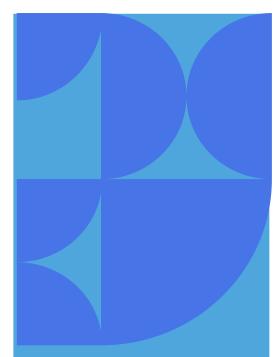
We started the year off with two events that the Men's Club participated in:

August 1 Sunday We met with Senator Schumer on zoom to advocate for two voting rights bills. Key players for our temple were <u>Rabbi Reiser</u> (Men's Club Liaison & RAC-WRT leader) and <u>Eve Landau</u>. Six hundred and seventy-eight people participated in the zoom meeting. Based on Jewish teachings there are two bills RAC is supporting:

Freedom to Vote Act (S1) a broad voter rights bill The John Lewis voter Advancement Act (HR4) For more info contact Eve Landau <elal2922@gmail.com>

- August 24 Tuesday 7 PM A presentation on zoom about the JEWISH HEROES at Moderna and Pfizer.
- September 19 Sunday 2-7 PM Do you want to GO FISHING? Spend a few hours on Long Island sound with friends and family. It will be relaxing, we will have a picnic and you can keep any fish that you catch.
- October 3 Sunday 10 AM BREAKFAST WITH RABBI BLAKE AND NADAV SHACHMAN, the Westchester Shaliach. Enjoy a morning of bagels and lox, an interesting presentation and the chance to ask questions.
- October 24 Sunday 9AM-2PM We are sponsoring our Annual BLOOD DRIVE in cooperation with the Women of Reform Judaism at WRT and the New York Blood Center. Meet at the CJL, enjoy each other's company, have some bagels and lox and do a Mitzvah by giving badly needed blood.

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- November 7 Sunday Time TBD Hear from Robert Paller about his experiences qualifying for and playing at the Tokyo Olympics for TEAM ISRAEL. Rob is a professional baseball player from Brooklyn who played baseball while he was at Columbia College. He is class of 2016.
  - December 16 Thursday 7PM Watch a documentary about the restoration of the Wilshire Blvd. Temple the week before this evening. Then spend 30 to 45 minutes discussing how its story impacts on WRT and HOW WE CAN BE GOOD ANCESTORS.
  - January 13 Thursday 7PM Learn about JEWS IN AMERICA from Joellyn Zollman a teacher of Jewish History. The story of our emigrating from all over the world and how we participated in the early days of our country. This will be a live zoom presentation.
  - February TBD Listen to a professional talk to us about leveraging technology and innovative service delivery models to provide accessible evidence-based care for all.
  - March TBD Participate in a MEN'S SEDER. The Passover seder, directed by the words of the Haggadah, has always been a night of questions and answers, of challenges and struggles, of eating and singing and laughing and bonding.
  - April 21 Thursday 7PM JEWISH GENEALOGY. Spend an evening with our own Jeff Levin learning how to construct your own family tree.
  - May TBD Men's Club Retreat
  - June 7 Tuesday 7PM Participate in ELECTIONS for the men who will lead the organization next year.

The Men's Club of Westchester Reform Temple is a place where intellect, vision, matter, and spirit meet.We come together and are strong because our members recognize their obligation to our Jewish heritage and values.

Please watch for announcements in the Temple e-blast and information on our page on the Temple web site.

For questions and inquiries, please contact <u>broadwin@ainslie.com</u>, Men's Club Program Chair

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