



Chai Lights

WINTER 2017-2018

DECEMBER 2017

3	11AM-12:30PM	Voices in Impression —organizational meeting for this new reader’s theater group.	Zero Fee
4	7-8:30PM	Russ Collins Film Group —join film enthusiasts for monthly discussions of the cinematic experience.	\$20 drop-in fee
10	1-3PM	Israel Center: Dr. Bryan K. Roby —explore civil rights in Israel drawing on parallels and intersections with the United States’ Civil Rights Movement and more. Registration requested.	Zero Fee
14	6-8PM	One Candle for Tzedakah —annual community celebration of Chanukah where we give, not receive.	Fees Vary
21	12-1PM	Third Thursday @ the J: EMU’s Dr. Drossel —learn current research into brain disorders and steps to take to maintain a healthy brain. Bring lunch or buy one from our Lunch Café (see reverse).	Zero Fee

Winter Holiday Closings (all day unless noted): 12/24-25/2017, 12/31/2017, and 1/1/2018

JANUARY 2018

2-5	9AM-4PM	KidZone Vacation —K-5 enjoy a variety of activities during school break. Pre/post care available.	Fees Vary
8	7-8:30PM	Russ Collins Film Group —join film enthusiasts for monthly discussions of the cinematic experience.	\$20 drop-in fee
10	1-2:30PM	Tai Chi for Seniors —10 week class begins for the winter semester. \$10/ guest for the semester.	\$10 guest/\$0 mbrs
14	3-5PM	Amster Gallery Reception: Andy Schiff —meet the artist at this reception for her exhibition.	Zero Fee
15, 16	9AM-4PM	KidZone Vacation —K-5 enjoy a variety of activities during school break. Pre/post care available.	Fees Vary
18	12-1PM	Third Thursday @ the J: Journalism is Dead. Long Live Journalism. —Writers from ANNthology discuss the rise of new sources of information as daily newspapers fade away.	Zero Fee
25	1-2PM	TheraPaws —join us to reduce your stress with the quarterly visit of these pooches with a purpose.	Zero Fee
27-28		Israel Center: Rachel Harris, Ph.D. presents the mini-course: <i>Gender, Race, & Racism: Israeli Cinema at the Cutting Edge</i>	Zero Fee
27	7-10PM	Session 1: Witches & Wailers: The Depiction of Mizrahi Women in Israeli Film (Film: Three Mothers)	
28	9:30AM-12:30PM	Session 2: A Woman of Valor: The Politics of Religious Women’s Filmmaking in Israel (Film: Fill the Void)	
28	1-4PM	Session 3: Living Without Papers: Foreign Workers as a Feminist Issue (Film: Noodle) *A light dairy lunch will be provided for those who pre-register for both session 2 and session 3.	

FEBRUARY 2018

11	1-3PM	Israel Center —another compelling and meaningful conversation about Israel. Date may change.	Zero Fee
15	12-1PM	Third Thursday @ the J —join us for an engaging discussion about a topic of interest. Bring lunch or buy one from our Lunch Café (see reverse).	Zero Fee
16	9AM-4PM	KidZone Vacation —K-5 enjoy a variety of activities during school break. Pre/post care available.	Fees Vary
19, 20	9AM-4PM	KidZone Vacation —K-5 enjoy a variety of activities during school break. Pre/post care available.	Fees Vary
25	3:30-5PM	Family Hamantashen Bake —join Temple Beth Emeth, PJ Library, and the J to make & bake these delicious and symbolic Purim holiday treats and learn more about the holiday!	Fees Vary

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS

M, W, F	9-10AM	Zumba —cardio workout to Latin rhythms and popular music.	\$5/person
M	7:30-9:30PM	Israeli Dancing — <i>now on Mondays!</i> New dances & classic favorites! All skill levels welcome. Free for high school & college students. More at a2rikud.org	\$5/person
Tu, Th	9:30-10:30AM	Callanetics —safe, non-impact exercise plan that strengthens and tones	\$14/class
Tu, Th	11AM-12PM	Low Impact Exercise —upbeat workout either standing or sitting to improve both mobility & flexibility.	\$3/class

ADULT ENRICHMENT

Tu Th	12-1PM	Lunch Café —enjoy a dairy meal by local caterer Karan Balmer. RSVP online; required by the day before lunch.	\$5.50 or \$3 if 60+
Th	11AM-12PM	Current Events —discussion group to explore issues and stories in the news.	Zero Fee
F	1:30-3PM	Yiddish Readers —All reading levels are invited to participate.	Zero Fee

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

F	9:15-10:15AM	Tot Shabbat —hands-on Shabbat fun for community families with children 0-4 years old led by our ECC director.	Zero Fee
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SAVE THE DATE

12/14 6-8PM	One Candle for Tzedakah <i>Pick up tags or visit jccannarbor.org to find out more and register!</i>
12/15	Camp Raanana 2018 Registration Opens! <i>Register by February 28th to receive 2017 pricing. Visit camp.jccannarbor.org for more information.</i>
2/25 3:30-5PM	Family Hamantashen Bake <i>PJ Library, Temple Beth Emeth, and the J partner for this community wide celebration of the Purim holiday. Visit jccannarbor.org to find out more and to register!</i>

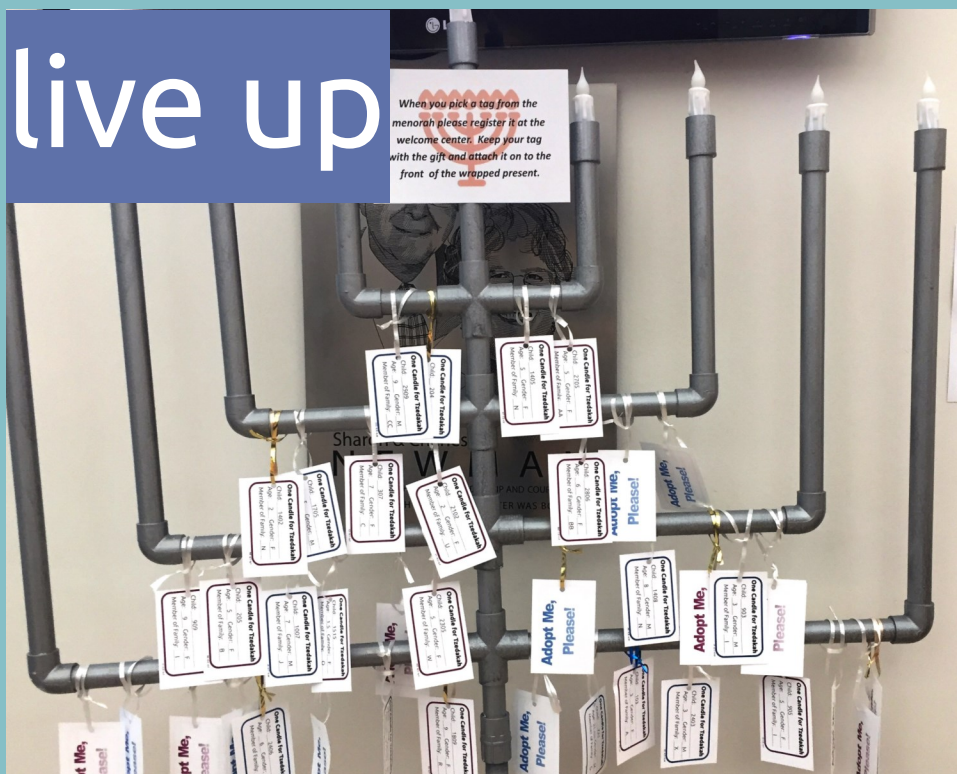
SPECIAL EVENT

5/17/ 2018	Chai Five for Grover! <i>Come party with Grover as the community celebrates Grover's "bar mitzvah" of 13 years of service to our community. Sponsorship opportunities available. Co-sponsored by HDS.</i>
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When you pick a tag from the menorah please register it at the welcome center. Keep your tag with the gift and attach it on to the front of the wrapped present.



One Candle for Tzedakah

Join in the 5th annual community wide celebration of giving! Adopt a local refugee family to purchase the gifts on their list. Then come to the party on 12/14 to wrap & donate the gifts, eat a delicious Chanukah dinner, and watch the "Star Wars" themed show from *Ring of Steel: Action Theater and Stunt Troupe!* Visit jccannarbor.org for more information and to register.