

## TIKVAH Special Needs program to feature parents' viewpoint

A parent's perspective on raising a special needs child will be the focus of the next TIKVAH Talk group.

Sponsored by the Special Needs Program at Tampa Jewish Family Services, the program will feature Willie and LaKeesha Hines who will talk about their personal experiences raising one child with special needs and one "typical" child. Information on community-based resources also will be discussed.

TIKVAH Talk will be held on Monday, July 26, from 7-9 p.m. at the Tampa Jewish Community Center, 13009 Community Campus Drive, located off Gunn Highway.

TIKVAH Talk is open to the community, but a voluntary \$5 donation is appreciated. RSVP is preferred but not required. For more information or directions, go to [www.tjfs.org](http://www.tjfs.org). To RSVP, contact Lydia Abrams at [lydiaa@tjfs.org](mailto:lydiaa@tjfs.org).

## Congregations

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introduction to Jewish Meditation in the synagogue chapel. Rabbi Judd will teach basic Jewish meditation techniques. Participants will discuss and put what is learned into practice.

**Torah U:** Rabbi Judd leads a presentation on the Torah's parsha of the week, followed by a discussion on Wednesdays at 11 a.m. He also teaches a Talmud class on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. following the evening minyan.

**Let's go Rays:** Kol Ami is sponsoring an afternoon at the ballpark to see the Tampa Bay Rays take on the Baltimore Orioles on Aug. 15 at 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$12 per person. For more information, contact **Dan Ochman** at [dochman@verizon.net](mailto:dochman@verizon.net) or at 960-5971.

### Cong. Beth Am

**Wine and music:** A wine tasting by PRP Wine International, featuring live acoustic guitarist R.J. Kain, will be held Sunday, Aug. 15 from 1-3 p.m. The event will be at Singing Stone, Casa de ART, an art gallery owned by Beth Am congregants **Nataly and Dan Balk**, in Ybor City, 1903 N. 19th St. Tickets are \$10 per person; pre-paid only. RSVP to **Victoria Cain-Stull** at [Bethamtampa@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:Bethamtampa@tampabay.rr.com).

**Torah reading class:** Rabbi **Jason Rosenberg** will help anyone interested in reading Torah to do so at their own pace. Write him at [RabbiRosenberg@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:RabbiRosenberg@tampabay.rr.com).

### Temple Beth David, Spring Hill

**Open House:** "Beyond Shalom, an Open House and More" will be held at Temple Beth David on Sunday, Aug. 22 from 1-3 p.m. There will be a welcome program at 1 p.m. in the Family Forbes Sanctuary with **Rabbi David Levin**. At 1:30 p.m., **Irwin Lieberman** will host an open house and registration for the religious school, from 1:30 -3 p.m. visitors are invited to schmooze and nosh, meet members and find out about the Temple's activities and programs. RSVP to **Renee Levine** at (727) 857-3416 or call the temple office at (352) 686-7034.

### Cong. Beth Israel Sun City Center

**Shabbat dinner:** Congregation Beth Israel will hold a members Shabbat dinner on Friday, Aug. 13 at 5 p.m. Cost is \$10 for members, and \$12 for guests. A video of the three cantors at the Amsterdam Synagogue will be played, followed by a service conducted by members. Send checks to **Eileen West**, 15752 Crystal Waters Drive, Wimauma, FL 33598.

### Temple Ohev Shalom New Tampa

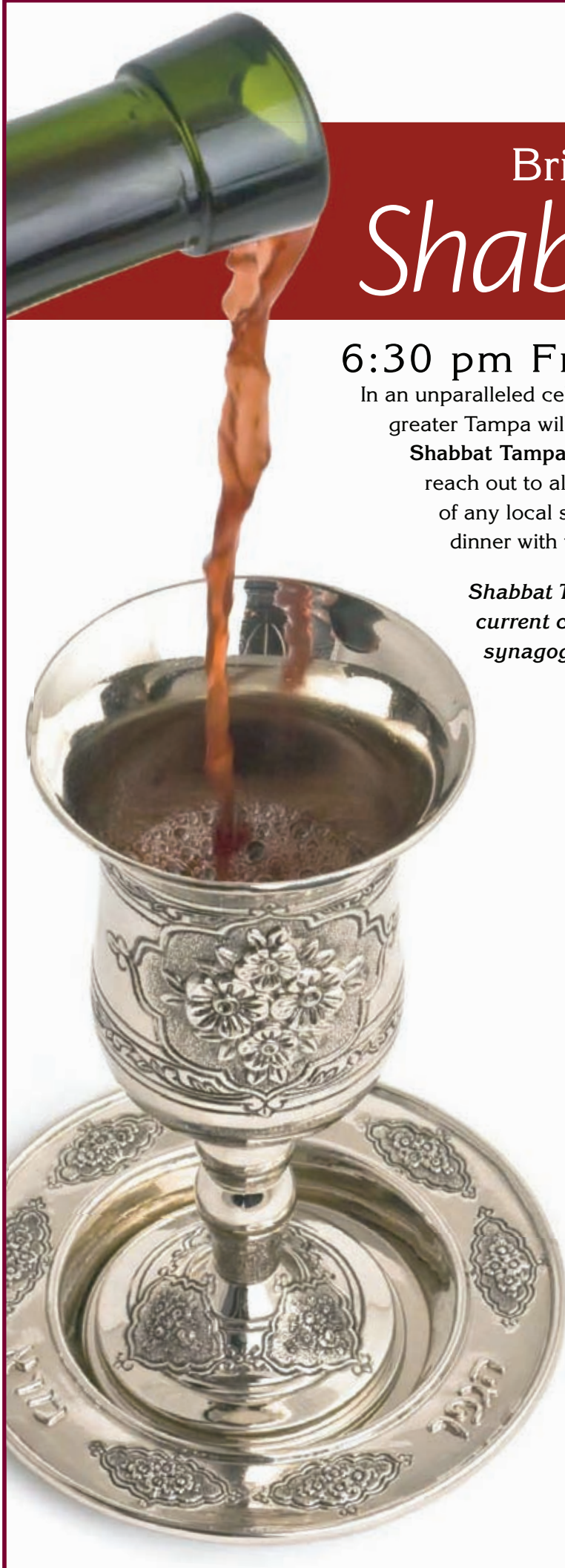
**Community bagel brunch:** Temple Ohev Shalom will hold its community bagel and lox brunch on Sunday, Aug. 22 from 9 a.m. - noon. Parents from throughout the community are welcome to bring their children to try out the religious

school for the day, which starts at 9 a.m. RSVP to (813) 632-9900.

**Book club dinner:** The Sisterhood will meet at Stonewood Grill to launch a new book club on Tuesday, Aug. 31, at 7 p.m. RSVP to **Pauline Quimby-Komsky** (813) 385-0578.

### Cong. Bais Menachem Chabad

**Mommy and Me:** Moms meet moms in their homes every Thursday from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Sessions include singing, dancing and arts and crafts. For more information, call (813) 375-9799.



# Bring a friend – Tell a friend! Shabbat Tampa

6:30 pm Friday, August 27, 2010

In an unparalleled celebration of unity, Jewish congregations throughout greater Tampa will unite to host an event that bonds all Jews – Shabbat! **Shabbat Tampa** is an initiative of the entire Jewish community to reach out to all Jews, especially those that are not formally members of any local synagogue, to take part in a Shabbat service and dinner with their fellow Jews.

*Shabbat Tampa is free for unaffiliated guests. Guests and current congregation members should call the specific synagogue for more information and to RSVP.*

#### reform

<b>Congregation Beth Am</b>	813.968.8511
2030 W. Fletcher Ave., Tampa	<a href="http://bethamtampa.org">bethamtampa.org</a>
<b>Congregation Beth Shalom</b>	813.681.6547
706 Bryan Rd., Brandon	<a href="http://bethshalom-brandon.org">bethshalom-brandon.org</a>
<b>Congregation Schaarai Zedek</b>	813.876.2377
3303 W. Swann Ave., Tampa	<a href="http://zedek.org">zedek.org</a>

#### conservative

<b>Congregation Kol Ami</b>	813.962.6338
3919 Moran Road, Tampa	<a href="http://kolami.org">kolami.org</a>
<b>Congregation Rodeph Sholom</b>	813.837.1911
2713 Bayshore Blvd., Tampa	<a href="http://rsholom.org">rsholom.org</a>

#### orthodox

<b>Cong. Bais (Temple) David Chabad</b>	813.504.4432
2001 West Swann Ave., Tampa	<a href="http://chabadofcentralflorida.com">chabadofcentralflorida.com</a>

#### unaffiliated

<b>Chabad of Tampa Bay</b>	813.963.2317
14908 Pennington Rd., Tampa	<a href="http://chabadoftampabay.com">chabadoftampabay.com</a>
<b>Temple Ohev Shalom</b>	813.632.9900
6460 Tampa Palms Blvd., Tampa	<a href="http://templeohevshalom.org">templeohevshalom.org</a>

*For planning purposes, please RSVP by August 20, 2010 by calling the above congregation of your choice.*

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For more information  
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visit [jewishtampa.com](http://jewishtampa.com)



  
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