

TEMPLE BETH O'R/BETH TORAH

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Temple Beth O'r/Beth Torah
presents

“OY! A MURDER!”

A Dinner Theatre Murder Mystery

Sunday, January 18, 2015 @ 3:00 pm

Enjoy a sumptuous Chinese dinner

and a mini Tricky Tray!

TICKET ORDER FORM

Name _____

Address _____

- ___ General Admission Tickets @ \$45 each \$ _____
- ___ General Admission if paid by 1/2/15 @ \$40 each \$ _____
- I cannot attend but wish to contribute \$ _____

Please make check payable to TBO/BT.
RSVP by January 12.

FROM THE CANTOR



I tuned in to 60 Minutes last week and was surprised to see an old professor of mine profiled by the journalist Anderson Cooper. He was an MIT trained biologist so I might have thought that he had made some new discovery in the laboratory. It turns out he had been working all these

years in the laboratory of everyday living, and had become known for doing research and teaching on the subject of how to properly do the most basic things in life – like sitting, walking, eating, or taking a shower. His field is referred to as mindfulness, and he is credited with its gaining traction as a subject of scientific inquiry and for exploring its benefits for those experiencing difficulties with the physical and emotional challenges of life.

The professor's name is Jon Kabat-Zinn and in the 60 Minutes segment he explained mindfulness as the non-judgmental, purposeful awareness of what is at any given moment -- one's thoughts, one's physical sensations, and one's surroundings. It's about the ability to focus on the present when the mind would rather veer off to the regrets of the past or the worries about the future.

I have always thought of Judaism in that same present-oriented way. While we should certainly plan for the future, and revisit the past to learn its lessons, we are always being guided to the present with every *bracha* that we are instructed to make. And since our Sages have set 100 as the minimum number of blessings for each and every day, that's a lot of present moment awareness or *kavanah*! Whether it's awakening in the morning with the gratitude of the *Modeh Ani* prayer, or reciting *Hamotzi* before partaking of bread, it is all about appreciation for the gifts of the moment.

Professor Kabat-Zinn founded a clinic at the University of Massachusetts where he pioneered much of the research into the field of mindfulness based stress reduction. In his clinic and on his retreats, as was shown on the broadcast, he begins by requiring that everyone surrender all their technological gadgets – phones, tablets and all. Disconnecting temporarily from our omnipresent technological tools is a prerequisite for connecting to some inner peace. Next is to find a focus for our concentration – Kabat-Zinn and others suggest the breath, to “ride on the waves of the inhalations and

exhalations” which he maintains can take us away from both the troubles of the world and those of our mind's own making.

Since we are beginning the secular New Year, and as I am not averse to making resolutions in January (as sort of booster shots for the work of the High Holidays), I hereby resolve to attempt the following: First, to refrain from checking my email more than once every half hour. I know that won't be easy, but I am really committed to trying. And secondly, I will try to be ever more mindful of the magnificence of every present moment, to better ride on the waves of the *nishmat chayim*, the breath of life. These are really very simple goals, but I know they will not be easy to fulfill. But I am committed to give it my best, and I intend to begin right now – just after, that is, I take a second to see who's emailing me at 1 am on this chilly December night....

B'Shalom,

Cantor Steven Stern

HAVDALAH & MUCH MORE!

Saturday, January 10

Join us as we usher out the Sabbath with a Havdalah candle lighting at 7 pm followed by a concert featuring
The Beth El Tefillah Band

and a capping off of the evening with the film
Hava Nagila

The song Hava Nagila is to music what the bagel is to food - a Jewish staple that has transcended its origins and become a worldwide hit. Bob Dylan sang it, and Elvis, too! Follow the infectious party song on its fascinating journey from the shtetls of Eastern Europe to the cul-de-sacs of America in this hilarious and surprisingly deep film.



Light refreshments will be served.

THE CHOREOGRAPHY OF THE SHABBAT SERVICE

“WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?”

Wednesdays, January 28 & February 4 at 8 pm

Have you ever wondered what's going on at a Shabbat service? When do I stand and when do I sit? What do the prayers really mean? Who gets called to the Torah? These and any other questions you may have will be answered at these informative and clarifying sessions for both beginners and regular daveners led by Cantor Steven Stern.

FROM THE CO-PRESIDENTS



Those who authored the pessimistic Pew report about the state of Jewish life in the United States should have been at TBOBT on the Shabbat of December 19/20, 2014.

We hosted about 80 members from the Hagalil Region of United Synagogue Youth. They were on their way to the National Convention in Atlanta, Georgia.

The USYers conducted most of Friday evening and Shabbat services including the regular davening, Torah reading, Haftarah chanting, and offered messages and divrei Torah talks.

The congregation of USYers were enthusiastic daveners, dancing and singing during services in a display of unbounded Jewish enthusiasm.

What impressed me was the comfort level of their participation in services. For these young Jews, this wasn't a one-shot deal for this occasion. While school life, social life, sports, etc. are part of their life, they have committed themselves to their Judaism. Our hope is that their commitment deepens and matures as they go on in life.

A highlight of Friday night's service was Cantor Stern inviting up our current Clark USY chapter president Steven Langer, and former president Ilana Dorsch to lead the Kiddush, assisted by our Hebrew School students Alina and Jaden Antonucci.

With the memory of our USYers in services, dancing, singing socializing, being the teenagers they are, still ringing in my ears, I say Judaism seems to be alive and well—so there, Pew Report!

Our kudos to the chaperones and teachers accompanying the group (many ex USYers themselves).

And our thanks and admiration to Dassy Mark who lovingly shepherds our young people to become Jewish adults who love and practice their Judaism. And a special yasher koach to Barbara James for her tremendous devotion to our youth and without whom this pre-convention Shabbat at TBOBT could not have taken place.

My thanks to Wendy & Howard for allowing me to prepare this month's message.

Thelma Purdy

January

Happy Anniversary!

Mr. & Mrs. William Hausler

Dr. & Mrs. Arthur Freedman

Happy Birthday!

Alina Antonucci

Ainsley Barr

Elyssa Alters

Scott Alters

Linda Blank

Lynn Bloom

Richard Curtis

Sandy Glassman

David Goldstein

Joann Goldstein

Michael Goldstein

Naomi Goldstein

Elaine Kolker

Steven Langer

Dick Lavroff

Milton Loshin

Michael Miller

Brandon Muhlgeier

Leon Oberman

Carla Rockliff

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Elaine Sofman

Susan Sofman

Linda Sprung

Alexandra Traub

Allan Warner

Jack Weinshanker

Amanda White

From the Mailbox

"Modim anachnu"- We are grateful that Hashem will grant our friend Arny Young a speedy and healthy recovery.

Arny Young is one of the most caring and charitable people you will ever know.

G-d grant Arny Young and his family good health and happiness.

Shalom,

Seymour and Helene Schechter

I want to thank the temple membership for thinking of my mother on the occasion of her 95th birthday. The card was beautiful and very thoughtful. She truly appreciated your kindness....

Sincerely,
Judith Gottlieb

What's Up for Shabbat in January?

Dress Down Shabbat—Come casual for our Shabbat services on Friday & Saturday, **January 9 & 10**.

Simcha Shabbat—We will celebrate all birthdays and anniversaries in the month of January on Saturday, **January 31**. Come for a blessing and share your simcha with your TBO/BT family!

Combined Morning Minyan

On January 1 & 2 morning Minyan will be held in Cranford. The rest of January - in Clark

Monday & Thursday – 6:50 am; Tuesday, Wed., & Friday – 7:00 am;

Sundays & Holidays in Clark - 9:00 am.

Evening Services are held every day at 7:30 pm in Cranford.



SISTERHOOD PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Can you believe 2015 is now here? Have you made some New Year's resolutions? Well, if you want to fulfill one, you must support one of Women's League initiatives. Go buy gifts for Purim or Passover by going to the website:

fairtradejudaica.org. Here you can purchase items made by women in cooperatives from all over the world. You are assured they are made by adults and not children. This allows children to attend school instead of working in the fields or factories. On a personal note, many of you have noticed the pretty kippot I have been wearing. I bought it this summer at convention from Fair Trade. Go check out their website!

January is a fun month for Sisterhood. With no holidays and some cold weather we have a popular annual event. You're guaranteed to have lots of laughs! Once again Esther Schlesinger will be graciously hosting at her home on Wednesday, January 14. We will have dinner at 6:30pm and then play a board game. No experience needed! The cost is \$15. Call Esther by January 9 to make your reservation. See you at Game Night.

Joleen Fridson

Special Fund

Donations to Special Fund can be made for any occasion for a minimum donation of \$5.00. You will receive 100% donor credit. To send a beautiful Special Fund card call: Gene Berry (732-388-3453).

Vouchers:

ShopRite and A&P vouchers are available at Sisterhood functions and in the temple office.

Golden Books

To send a Golden Book for any occasion, call: Joan Oberman (732-381-4322)
Evie Shulman (908-276-6894)
Betty Needleman (908-389-0911)

Cards are sent for \$3.00 and you will receive \$1.50 donor credit, or pick up a pack of 10 cards for \$20.00 with \$15.00 donor credit and send them yourself. They can be picked up from the office. Please send checks to Esther Schlesinger (9 Pine Ridge Dr., Edison, NJ 08820) or call (732) 548-7132 for the amount owed.

Sisterhood Game Night

January 14,
at 6:30 pm



at Esther Schlesinger's house.

The cost is \$15

which includes a deli buffet.

Reservations are required by January 9 by calling Esther at 732-548-7132.



JUDAICA SHOP NEWS

This month, we're concentrating on soft goods. We have baby bibs, men's and boys' kippot, oven mitts (including left-handed oven mitts), potholders, and women's head coverings (only a few left). We also have colorful Shabbat candles from Israel and many items suitable for gift giving. Remember - if you don't see what you want in the display case, ask me! Nancy Kelner, nkelner@aol.com or 908-272-9072.

GOLDEN BOOKS

MAZEL TOV

To: Michael & Diane Goldstein in honor of the birth of their grandson

From: Joleen & Bob Fridson, Betty & Mark Needleman, Evie & Michael Shulman, Iris & Lenny Weiner, Julia & Yakov Vinokurov

To Fern Cammy, in honor of her birthday

From: Norma & Jack Weinshanker

To: Wendy Mandelbaum in honor of her birthday

From: Norma & Jack Weinshanker

SPEEDY RECOVERY

To: Arnold Young

From: Joleen & Bob Fridson, Betty & Mark Needleman, Evie & Michael Shulman, Iris & Lenny Weiner, Helene & Al Davis

To: Herb Hymanson

From: Joleen & Bob Fridson, Julia & Yakov Vinokurov

IN APPRECIATION

To: Bess Berg, in appreciation

From: Norma & Jack Weinshanker

To: Cantor Steven Stern, in appreciation

From: Norma & Jack Weinshanker

ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS HIGHLIGHTS

(See details in the Adult Education Brochure)

- **HAVDALAH & MUCH MORE!** - January 10
Join us as we usher out the Sabbath with a Havdalah candle lighting at 7 pm followed by a concert featuring Beth El Tefillah Band and a film "Hava Nagila"
- **THE CHOREOGRAPHY OF THE SHABBAT SERVICE**
Wednesdays, January 14 & 28 at 8 pm
led by Cantor Steven Stern.
- **SHABBAT & ASANA** – to be announced
Yoga session – 6:30 pm
Light falafel dinner – 7:30 pm
Kabbalat Shabbat service - 8 pm
- **TORAH CAFÉ AT THE BAYIT**
Join Cantor Stern at the Bayit, 117 John Street, for an in-depth look at Torah texts and topics.
Tuesday, February 10 at 7:30 pm
Monday, March 2 at 7:30 pm
- **SOL SERN MEMORIAL LECTURE**
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2015, 3:00 PM
*Beyond Laughter Through Tears:
A Short History of Jewish Humor
With author Moshe Waldoks*
This program is made possible in part by a HEART (History, Education, Arts Reaching Thousands) Grant from the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders.
- **EDITH & MARK LIEF MEMORIAL PROGRAM**
Sunday, March 29 at 3 pm
The program will feature a documentary "50 Children: The Rescue Mission of Mr. & Mrs. Kraus"
The film tells the saga of the Philadelphia couple who brought 50 Jewish children from Vienna to Philadelphia in 1939 before the start of World War II. This was the largest kindertransport to the United States. Steven Pressmen, the filmmaker and the author of the book of the same name, will speak at the screening. Paul Beller, at the time one of the young children on the transport, will also tell his story.
The program is free and open to the public.



BOOK DISCUSSION
Sunday, February 1, 9:45 am
Suddenly, Love
By Aharon Appelfeld

TBOBT USY

If You Understand this Jumble - We Want You in the Mix!

Coming soon!

January Regional Event: January 10th—SATO Dance in Aberdeen. More details to follow soon!

Action required:

Mid-Winter Kinnus—February 6th-8th in Livingston. Keep the dates open. The application will be posted on the HaGalil website www.hagalilusy.com

Your Fearless Leaders:

Steven Langer—Pres. and Barbara James—Advisor.

CHECK IT OUT: If you have a Jewish friend who isn't a USY member, but wants to check us out—let 'em come to any chapter program! We can't wait to meet them.

Looking ahead!

It's not too early to be making plans to spend your summer with USY. Check out www.usy.org for info on all summer programs.

Hagalil Jr./Sr. Prom will be held in Caldwell on March 7th. Mark your calendar now for a fabulous evening!

Chapter Event: Dr. Who Movie Night @ TBOBT on February 21st. 8:00-11:00 PM.

IG (International Convention):

USY's International Convention was held in Atlanta from December 21st through the 25th. TBOBT's USY President, Steven Langer attended. Please ask him about this exciting gathering of USYers from all over the US and Canada.

Thank you to everyone who helped during the pre-convention Shabbat at TBOBT.

Yom Huledet Sameach to:

Steven Langer—January 23rd

Kadima Happenings:

Kadima Shabbaton January 16-17th.
8th grade Lock-in January 17-18th.

Community Hanukkah Menorah Lighting and Celebration



Clark Council Member Alvin Barr helped light the Menorah



Eddie enjoys the Hanukkah Celebration



Dancing with Elyse Litt

Happenings at TBO/BT



Hebrew school students show off their homemade menorah



K'Ton class students proudly display their Hanukkah greeting cards...



... and eagerly look on as Cantor Stern demonstrates the workings of the dreidel



Cantor Stern with Reverend Erica Crawford



Our students enjoy the latkes they helped prepare on Hanukkah

FROM THE MEN'S CLUB

Please join us for a
SPECIAL BREAKFAST MEETING
Sunday, January 11, 2015.

*Your TBO/BT Men's Club is at a
crossroads and is in need of your help.*

We have a core group of men who are very active, but we need some fresh and new ideas to help **ensure our future**.

Please make the effort to attend this meeting. Breakfast will be served immediately following the morning minyan and the meeting will begin shortly thereafter.

If you have not yet paid your dues, you may do so then. Our dues are still only \$36.00.

Please make the decision today and join Temple Beth O'r/Beth Torah Men's Club.

If you have any questions, please call me at 732-388-3453.

Sincerely,

Dennis Berry
Membership V.P.

**TBO-BT MEN'S CLUB
WORLD WIDE WRAP XV
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1**



Super Bowl Sunday is more than just a day to kick back with your friends, load up on potato chips, and watch the Big Game (and about a thousand commercials). It's also the day on which TBO-BT MEN'S CLUB will join over 240 Men's Clubs around the world to teach the mitzvah of Tefillin by participating in the World Wide Wrap.

All **men and women** are invited. Michael Goldstein will teach the technique. **Make reservations with the temple office by January 29th for instructions.** Instruction is at 8:45am and Minyan is at 9:00am. We will have a nice breakfast.

Come wrap with us on Sunday, February 1!

**TBO-BT Men's Club
SHOMREI HA'ARETZ/
STEWARDS OF THE LAND**

**Shmittah Year: Humans in Balance with Earth
Tu B'Shevat 5775 February 4, 2015**

Shmittah, literally translated as the 'year of release,' and more widely known as the Sabbatical Year, is a biblical Jewish tradition, which, once every seven years, simultaneously re-adjusted agriculture and commerce to ensure an equitable, just and healthy society. The year of Shmittah was a time when agricultural lands were collectively left fallow. The Earth (land, air, water) is not merely some resource to be used and abused. If we want to live on the land, it is our responsibility to let it rest and not destroy the biological productivity with trash dumps, slag heaps, chemical waste ponds and sewage.

Tu B'Shvat is the Jewish New Year of the trees. Trees are a metaphor for nature and the environment. The celebration and blessings give thanks for the sustenance and material provided to humans. The combination of Shmittah and Tu B'Shevat should encourage us to make the effort to be stewards of the land.

Conserve the forests by reusing paper (print on both sides) and cardboard boxes before recycling. Purchase goods with 80%+ consumer recycled material.

Reduce food waste, purchase and cook only what your family can eat before it spoils and compost the vegetable waste. Share the food you cannot use.

Plan to use more sustainable lawn & landscape care practices such as using native plants, water conservation and avoiding chemical fertilizers and pesticides.

Got a Simcha?

**Birthday? Anniversary? Graduation?
New grandchild?**

Host a Kiddush at TBO/BT

**You can sponsor the entire Kiddush or be a
co-sponsor with a donation of \$18 or more.**

**Contact Julia at 732-381-8403 x11 or
tbethor@gmail.com.**

**WE GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGE THE FOLLOWING DONATIONS MADE TO
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(To make a donation in memory of a loved one or in honor of a special occasion, call or email the temple office)

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Harriet Rothschild in memory of her loving husband
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Judith Gottlieb
Bonnie Bressler, in appreciation for a mishebeirach for
Jan Bressler
Gitta Harel in appreciation to the Cantor for the
wonderful 'Jewish Values' classes

CHESED FUND:

Toby Prince with special prayers for Arny Young's
refuah shleyima

HEBREW SCHOOL FUND:

Lillian Makow in memory of Rose & Irving
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GENERAL FUND:

Wendy & Alan Mandelbaum
Thelma & Art Purdy in honor of Harriet Rothschild
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Joan & Leon Oberman in honor of Harriet Rothschild
Seymour & Helene Schechter, wishing Arny Young a
speedy recovery

MINYAN BREAKFAST FUND

Harriet Rothschild in appreciation to Lisa, Dick and
Kenny Lavroff

PRAYER BOOK FUND

Judith & Michael Marcus wishing Arny Young a speedy
recovery

SOL SERN FUND:

Debbie Freedman for father's yahrzeit

תודה רבה - Thank you

"Thank you to Lisa, Dick & Kenny Lavroff for your
generosity, kindness and friendship. You may
continue to have good health and fun years."

From Harriet Rothschild

Thank you to Martin and Elianna Goldman for
donating a food processor to the temple which was
used by our school families in making latkes for
Hanukkah.

Thank you to Elyse Litt for leading Family Dancing at
our Hanukkah Celebration.

Thank you to Mitch James and Yakov Vinokurov for
their work on the Cantor's office computer.

School Days

Along with many activities for the celebration of Hanukkah,
our students are progressing nicely with their Hebrew
language studies, the study of Hebrew prayers, as well as
the understanding of basic concepts of our Jewish religion.

Our outdoor Menorah Lighting was held on Thursday,
December 18th. After the lighting, everyone enjoyed
feasting on latkes and sufganiyot. On Sunday, December
21, our Hebrew School, Yaldeinu and K'Ton students and
their parents got together to make latkes.

Our next K'Ton class will meet on January 11.

List of TBO/BT Funds for Donations

Cantor's Discretionary Fund – is a vehicle by which the Cantor assists individuals and organizations that come to his personal attention in need of additional funds for emergencies, on-going activities or special projects in the US, Israel or anywhere in the world.

Jewish National Fund Trees – certificates can be purchased for all occasions in denominations of \$18. Please contact the temple office, 732-381-8403.

Oneg Shabbat/Kiddush Fund – used for a nosh after Shabbat services. To sponsor an entire Oneg, Kiddush, or Seuda, please contact the temple office, 732-381-8403.

Minyan Breakfast Fund – provides breakfast for the Morning Minyan.

Ritual Fund – is used to purchase religious supplies.

Yahrzeit Fund – It is a tradition to make a donation in memory of deceased loved ones. This fund is used to support all aspects of the synagogue.

Sol Sern Memorial Lecture Fund – is used to provide speakers and refreshments for our annual lecture in memory of Sol Sern.

General Fund – supports all aspects of Temple Beth O'r/ Beth Torah.

Prayer Books – Please contact the temple office to obtain up-to-date information.

Bikur Cholim and Chesed Fund – is used on behalf of those who are ill or in need of mitzvot of loving kindness.

Harold & Doris Presser Memorial Fund – has been established to assist in the maintenance of the temple facilities and the repair of ritual items.

Yahrzeit Plaques – Honor your departed loved ones with a permanent yahrzeit memorial plaque in our sanctuary. A light will be lit next to the plaque every year during the week of the Yahrzeit. Cost is \$300.

- Information needed: English & Hebrew names, including the father's and/or mother's Hebrew name, and secular & Hebrew dates of passing.

Sanctuary Seat & Pew Dedication – This project honors or memorializes a dear one with a special plaque mounted on the back of a sanctuary seat. Each plaque costs \$180. Dedication of an entire pew (row) includes a larger plaque inscribed with the family name mounted at the end of the row and two individual seat plaques in that row. The cost of an entire pew dedication is \$1800.

Religious School Fund – supports our Hebrew School & K'Ton program.

Simcha Tree – Honor your family by dedicating a Leaf (\$180), Rock, or Trunk Letter, on our "Simcha" Tree of Life, for any and all occasions – Births, Weddings, Special Anniversaries or Birthdays, Bar/Bat Mitzvah, or other special honors or events.

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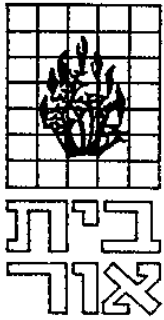
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if you are interested.**

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2015 JANUARY

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4	5	6	7	8	9  4:29p	10
9:00a Morning Minyan 13 Tevet	8:00p Sisterhood Board Meeting 14 Tevet	7:00p Israeli Dancing 15 Tevet	16 Tevet	New Year's Day 10th Tevet Fast 10 Tevet	8:00p Services 11 Tevet	9:30a Services Special Adults 12 Tevet
11	12	13	14	15	16  4:36p	17
9:00a Morning Minyan 10:00a Men't Club Breakfast & Program 20 Tevet	8:00p Congregation Board Meeting 21 Tevet	7:00p Israeli Dancing 22 Tevet	6:30p Sisterhood Game Night 8:00p Ritual Meeting 23 Tevet	8:00p Men's Club Meeting 17 Tevet	8:00p Services Dress Down Shabbat 18 Tevet	9:30a Services 7:00p Havdalah, Concert & Movie Dress Down Shabbat 19 Tevet
18	19	20	21	22	23  4:44p	24
9:00a Morning Minyan 3:00p Murder Mystery Dinner 27 Tevet	Martin Luther King Day 28 Tevet	7:00p Israeli Dancing 29 Tevet	Rosh Chodesh 1 Shevat	6:30p Men's Club Game Night 2 Shevat	8:00p Services Special Adults 3 Shevat	9:30a Services 4 Shevat
25	26	27	28	29	30  4:53p	31
9:00a Morning Minyan 5 Shevat	6 Shevat	7:00p Israeli Dancing 7 Shevat	6:00a Cantor's Class 8 Shevat	9 Shevat	8:00p Services Tu B'Shevat Seder 10 Shevat	9:30a Services Simcha Shabbat 11 Shevat



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SOL SERN MEMORIAL LECTURE

Sunday, February 22, 2015 at 3:00 pm

**Moshe Waldoks, renowned humorist, raconteur and
author of "The Big Book of Jewish Humor"**

presents

Beyond Laughter Through Tears: A Short History of Jewish Humor

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