



KOL ISHA

"Voice of Women"

A publication of the Sisterhood of



**Temple
Adat Elohim**

Learn. Grow. Connect.

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Sisterhood Movie Group

We meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom to discuss the chosen movie(s) of the month.

Join us on Tuesday, September 10th to discuss "The Long Game," starring Jay Hernandez & Dennis Quaid

Questions? Please contact: Barbara Peifer at barbsgr88@aol.com / (805) 375-2436

Women's Torah Study

Thursday mornings ~ 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon

If you are interested, please contact Sharalynn Schulner at sharalynns@aol.com / (805) 231-2338

CALENDAR

September

- 9 Board Meeting
- 10 Movie Group
- 5, 12, 19, 26 Women's Torah Study (10:30 am-12 pm)
- 18 Broadway-Themed Exercise Class with Leasa Shukiar

October

- 10, 17, 24, 31 Women's Torah Study (10:30 am-12 pm)
- 14 Board Meeting
- 15 Movie Group
- 23 Dinner in the Sukkah
- 30 Bunco Is Back! (see page 3)

For more information, contact Patti Zeman at rpszeman@gmail.com / (805) 298-2027.

TAE Sisterhood

Broadway-Themed Exercise Class with Leasa Shukiar

All levels welcome!

Wednesday, Sept. 18th -

6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

TAE Social Hall



What makes 567BROADWAY! different from other workouts? 567BROADWAY! is a totally original fitness

dance workout for all levels that combines your favorite Broadway hits with a non-stop cardio dance workout that will leave you shining like the Broadway STAR that you are!

Cost: \$10 per person—

All proceeds go to Sisterhood

However you choose to pay, add "Dance" in the memo line.

Cash or Make check payable to TAE Sisterhood and send to:

Bonnie Ray • 29435 Fountainwood St. • Agoura Hills 91301

or Zelle: milavetzcpa@gmail.com

or Paypal (\$2.00 additional cost)

Questions? Call Bonnie Ray at (818) 522-8044

Hope to see you there!



President's Message §

Dear Sisters,

Sisterhood had a wonderful summer! In July we played Bunco. It was happily attended by over 50 women. What a fun night it was, filled with laughter, friendship and many, many prizes! Thank you—Beverly Shapiro, Melanie Weisenfeld and Marilyn Lippel—for spearheading a wonderful evening.

Our successful Membership Kick-Off was held on August 28th at Stonehaus. Thank you to all who attended, including new members and those rejoining. The pizza, wine, and camaraderie were enjoyed by all. Thank you to Bev Ovdatt and Cheryl Landsberg for organizing this annual event and welcoming all of us.

As summer is winding down, we are looking forward to the upcoming new program year. Please see detailed descriptions of the upcoming Fall programs listed throughout this newsletter.

- On **Sunday, September 1st**, our first **Rosh Chodesh** gathering will be held at a private home, discussing "Preparing for the New Year".
- Join us on **Wednesday, September 18th to Exercise with Leasa Shukiar**. 567BROADWAY! is a totally original fitness dance workout for all levels. Work out to your favorite Broadway hits!
- Then on **Wednesday, October 23rd**, create a special connection to the holiday of Sukkot and experience Sukkot with your "sisters" at **Dinner in the Sukkah**.
- We will roll the dice again on **Wednesday, October 30th** for another opportunity to play **Bunco**.
- Be sure to mark your calendars for **Wednesday, November 6th** for our **Charcuterie Workshop**. You don't want to miss this chance to create a stunning appetizer platter for your Thanksgiving table.

Come out! Have fun! Support Sisterhood!

L'Shanah Tovah!

Elaine Bercy

Check out our Sisterhood Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/TAESisterhood>) and, of course, take a look at our page on the TAE website.

Membership §

Please welcome the following new and returning members to TAE Sisterhood, and add them to your Sisterhood Directory.

Maeva Carter (3/6) 6501 Ponce Avenue West Hills 91307 (818) 939-1661 maevabesscarter@gmail.com	Tami Lesser (12/9) 29520 Woodbrook Drive Agoura Hills 91301 (818) 571-3839 tlesser@vm-events.com
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Simone Cohen (9/10) 29415 Quail Run Drive Agoura Hills 91301 (818) 625-5301 s_cohen@pacbell.net	Laura Loftus 3125 E. Hillcrest Drive Westlake Village 91362 (818) 373-9285 lauraloftus83@gmail.com
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Suzanne Einhorn (3/21) 2177 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd. Thousand Oaks 91362 (702) 858-0044 Princebichon2@yahoo.com	Jessica Maiten (4/11) 1107 Lantana Street Camarillo 93010 (818) 613-9587 jessica@fausthouse.org
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Marsha Glickman (4/28) 2657 Grand Oaks Drive Westlake Village 91361 (818) 879-0340 stanglickman@cs.com	Beverly Shapiro (12-21) 29310 Queens Way Agoura Hills 91301 (310) 486-7604 bevstylist@yahoo.com
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Welcome!

- ☛ Denotes Patron member: Renewal member plus additional \$30 donation towards Sisterhood projects
- Friend of Sisterhood

FUN

We Loved It—It's Back! Gals Bunco Night Out



Wednesday, October 30th
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
TAE Social Hall

Ages 16+ • No experience necessary
\$10 cash at the door • Light refreshments

RSVP by Monday, July 22nd to www.adatelohim.org/Bunco

Questions? Please contact:

Marilyn Lippel at (818) 621-3055 / momlipps@gmail.com

Beverly Shapiro at (310) 486-7604 / bevstylist@yahoo.com

Melanie Weisenfeld at (818) 618-6242 / melnuss2002@yahoo.com

Save the Dates!



Dinner in the Sukkah

Wed., October 23rd
More info. to come.



Charcuterie Creations

Wed., November 6th
More info. to come.



Chanukah Pop-Up Shop

Sunday, December 8th
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in foyer

Volunteer Opportunities

Recording Secretary position open on our Board.

If you would be interested or have any questions about the position, please contact Elaine Bercy at (818) 458-1932.



E-Mail List Updates &

Please send all e-mail address changes and additions to Patti Zeman at rpzeman@gmail.com or 805.298.2027. ✪

Articles for Kol Isha may be sent to the editor, Patti Zeman, by email (rpzeman@gmail.com) or call 805.298.2027 for questions. The next Kol Isha will be the November/December 2024 issue. The deadline for submissions for that issue will be October 20, 2024. ✪

Dedication

Tribute Cards

It is so nice to receive a card on your birthday or a thoughtful note on your anniversary. Sisterhood can make it easy for you to recognize your friends in that special way.

For \$3, a card will be sent for you to whomever you wish. A Goldengram costs \$7.

We do all the work and you get all the credit.
What a deal!

A list of monthly birthdays and anniversaries are e-mailed to you each month. Just send us your requests. Our Tributes e-mail is tatributes@gmail.com.

By sending a Tribute Uniongram, you are making a contribution to the Youth, Education and Special Projects (Y.E.S.) Fund of Women of Reform Judaism.

—Mary Forman & Diana Kealer

While Myra is on vacation, please contact Linda Winegrad for your See's Candies orders at (818) 661-8919



Sisterhood's
See's Candies
Order All Year 'Round!

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☆ Judaica Shop ☆

I would be happy to meet with you by appointment if you need something from the Judaica Shop. Masks required.

**No credit cards—
cash or checks accepted.**
Please call Paula Kraft at (805) 341-7665



2024–2025 TAE SISTERHOOD MEMBERSHIP FORM

Hello current and future sisters—We are so excited for you to join us! Your membership in Sisterhood lasts from July 1, 2024–June 30, 2025. All members **MUST** fill out a form every year to ensure we have your most updated interests and information. **We will not be having the temple bill you, so please make payment via check (made out to TAE Sisterhood), Zelle (new this year), or Paypal (extra \$2 fee).**

Please go to https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfMZJUESZWoapaWvm1RjhOyg_QqVTGU286wimTT54uH_V_k8A/viewform to fill out your form online or use this QR code.



If you have any questions or if you need help completing the form, please contact our VP of Membership, Bev Ovdad at ovdat@sbcglobal.net or Chair, Cheryl Landsberg at cheryllandsberg@gmail.com.



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING A BOOK GROUP?

Our group meets on the third Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. on Zoom.

If you are interested, please contact Barbara Peifer at barbsgr88@aol.com / (805) 375-2436.



Wishing you and your families a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Sisterhood Directory

2024-2025

"Jewels & Pets"

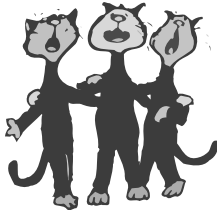


Fill out the form below to remember your children, grandchildren, and pets in our Directory.

Please submit the form with a check payable to **TAE Sisterhood** for the amount of \$5 per name. Or use PayPal (extra \$1 fee) or Zelle to Diane Milavetz at milavetzcpa@gmail.com.

Please make a note of what it's for.

Send to: Patti Zeman
292 Siesta Avenue
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360



For further information, contact Patti Zeman at rpzeman@gmail.com / (805) 298-2027.

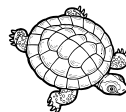


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Your Name: _____ Total: Number of Names x \$5 = \$ _____



Come Join the Fun! Mah Jongg Tournament

Sponsored by Temple Adat Elohim Sisterhood
Sunday, January 19, 2025

Temple Adat Elohim
2420 East Hillcrest Drive
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\$45 tournament fee per person includes a continental breakfast, delicious buffet lunch, and snacks. Bring your 2024 Mah Jongg card with your name on it.



Schedule

8:30-9:00	Check-in, coffee and bagels
9:00-12:00	Session 1 (3 rounds)
12:00-12:45	Lunch
12:45-3:45	Session 2 (3 rounds)
4:00	Awards

Invite Your Friends!

For more information, please contact
Patti Zeman (805) 298-2027 / RPZEMAN@gmail.com

To register, fill out the form below
and enclose a check for \$45 payable to TAE SISTERHOOD

No refunds after January 1st.

Mail to: Patti Zeman
292 Siesta Avenue
Thousand Oaks, CA 91360



Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

I will bring my Mah Jongg set and dice

I am willing to be East and keep score

Playing level: Intermediate Advanced



Make checks payable to: TAE SISTERHOOD