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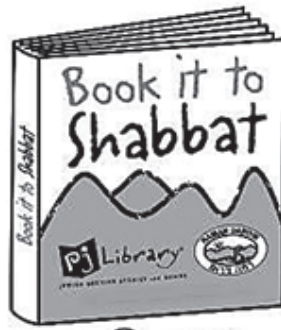
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Great start to the school year!



Aleph Bet Children's Center Reunion
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Sunday, October 25, 2015
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Please email alephbet@jewishchattanooga.com if you and/or your child would like to serve on the committee or to update your contact information.
More details available soon

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by Co-Directors
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Welcome back to another great year of learning, sharing, and giving with our wonderful joint religious school. Did you know that CJCRS is 20 years strong? Begun in 1995, our first director was Tziporah Altman-Shafer who now lives in Milwaukee, WI with her family of three children. Past directors have included Ilene Glance, Amy Cohen, Bonnie Stoloff, Sharon Levin, Ronni Charyn, Paula Israel, and others. Time really does go faster the older you get, the busier you are, and the more you want to accomplish in life. One of the students who I taught as a first grader was married last summer.

How did your CJCRS teachers spend time learning over their summer time? Cynthia Wolchuk and I attended the annual summer conference of the Institute of Southern Jewish Life (ISJL.org) in Jackson, MS. Rachel Salomon (Sadowitz) attended the prestigious week-long seminar at the Center for Israel Education under the auspices of Emory University and fully sponsored by the philanthropic organization, Avi Chai. Jason Cathcart attended the Mandel Teacher Education Institute whose goal is to “augment the ranks of educational leaders who can create educational innovation by designing and implementing ongoing, substantive learning opportunities for teachers and principals, as well as adult and family educators.”

I attended the two day “One Clip At a Time” teacher seminar led by Alison Lebovitz and her colleague, Grant. In Maryland, I was delighted to be a part of the New Directors Institute, under the umbrella of United Synagogues of Conservative Judaism. And finally, on August 9th teachers from Mizpah Academy, BZ’s Beit Sefer Ivri, and CJCRS traveled to Knoxville for our Second Annual Teacher Conference. And I’m sure many of our other teachers and madrichim spent time traveling and learning as well.

Another annual accomplishment is moving school materials between Mizpah and B’nai Zion. This year’s move went extremely fast due to additional hands from Gilad and Noa’s group of Israeli and American teens. Todah Rabah to them and to Bob & June Collins for use of the moving truck, and moving muscles Steve, Adelia, Jake, and Jessie. We finished in record time this year. Can y’all come back next year at this time and help again?



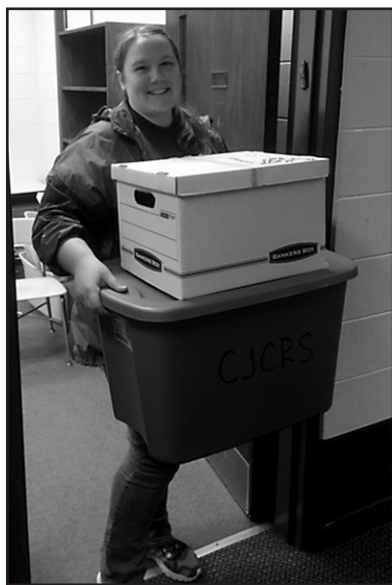
FALL

August 23, 30, September 13, 20, 27
 October 11, 18, 25
 November 1, 8, 15
 December 6, 13

SPRING

January 10, 17, 24, 31
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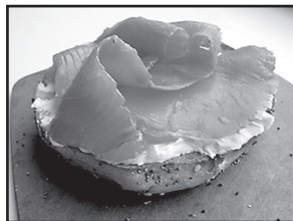
Moving in Day at CJCRS



B'NAI ZION CONGREGATION



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BLT

Sunday, August 30: 9:30 a.m.
Monthly Bagels, Lox and
Tefillin Minyan. Come for the
praying and stay for the food!



To Jackie & Roy Rosenfeld!

Join Jackie & Roy as we celebrate
their 20th wedding anniversary.

Shabbat services followed by Kiddush
Luncheon for everyone Shabbat morning.

Sept. 5: 9:45 a.m.



**Selichot: Breaking
down barriers to prayer
Saturday, September
5 @ 8:45 pm**

8:45 PM - Dessert Reception
9:00 PM - Havdallah
9:15 PM - Program
10:00 PM - Selichot Services and Plaque Dedication



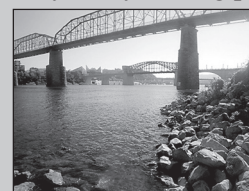
**Kever Avot
Sunday, September
20 @11:00 a.m.**

Our annual cemetery
service of remembrance. Join Rabbi Tendler as
she offers prayers of remembrance and healing at
this meaningful time of the year.

Tashlich by the River

Sunday, September 20 @ 12:30 p.m.

Join us to symbolically cast off the sins of the previ-
ous year by tossing pieces of bread into the flowing



Tennessee River. Please bring
a picnic lunch and plan to stay
afterward. Contact the office
for specific location.



**Sunday, September 6
10:30 AM
Men's Club
Changing of the Books**

Come assist in the important High Holy
Day tradition of moving siddurim out
of the sanctuary and distributing our
machzorim to all of the seats.

Lunch & Learn

We'll take a break
from class during
the high holy days.
Join us when we
resume on Oct. 8!



Mark your calendar

**Open House Shabbat, Oct. 2
Evening Simchat Torah Dinner,
Celebration & Services, Oct. 5**

High Holy Days Service Schedule

Erev Rosh Hashanah Sun., Sept. 13 5:45 PM
Rosh Hashanah Day One Mon., Sept. 14 9:00 AM
Rosh Hashanah Day Two Tues., Sept. 15 9:00 AM
Kever Avot - B'nai Zion Cemetery Sun., Sept. 20
11:00 AM
Tashlich at Coolidge Park Sun., Sept. 20 12:30 PM
Kol Nidre Tues., Sept. 22 Services 7:15 PM
Yom Kippur/Yizkor Wed., Sept. 23
Services 10:00 AM Mincha 6:00 PM Neilah 7:00 PM
Maariv 8:10 PM Break Fast 8:20 PM
Sukkot Day One Mon., Sept. 28 9:30 AM
Sukkot Day Two Tues., Sept. 29 9:30 AM
Shemini Atzeret Mon., Oct. 5 9:30 AM
Simchat Torah Dinner, Celebration and Services
Thu., Oct. 5 6:00 PM
Simchat Torah Tues., Oct. 6 9:30 AM

*Do you need to get your New B'nai Zion High
Holy Day Passes? Call the office with questions
or to arrange a pick up.*

Come meet Dr. Elliot Rank, High Holy Day Hazzan,
at Shabbat services on Sept. 12.

Beit Sefer Ivri

It's a great beginning to our school year. Students are thrilled to be back and engaged
in Jewish learning. Our studies of the holidays of Tishrei are filling the classrooms. We
are having a great time getting 'back to our siddurim' and working hard on our Hebrew.
Our students will celebrate outside with Sukkot-A-Palooza on Sept. 30. There will be
lots of great sukkot activities concluding with a fabulous homemade dinner of Pizza In
The Hut. If you have any questions about any of our BSI classes for students in Pre K to
12th grade, please contact Jason at B'nai Zion.



Beit Sefer Ivri Meeting Dates September 2, 9, 16 & 30

BSI Gan Class (Pre K & Kindergarten)
September 2, 16 & 30
Rosh Hashanah Junior Congregation
September 14 & 15, 10:30 a.m.
Yom Kippur Junior Congregation
September 23, 11:00 a.m.

Youth Group Events

**USY and Kadima Decorates
the Sukkah - Sept. 27 at
12:30 PM**

Questions about USY/Kadima?
Email our Choosy Chapter Presi-
dent Murray Lebovitz at
choosyusy@gmail.com

The BZ Weekly email provides details about upcoming events,
holidays, and services.

**Don't currently receive our weekly email?
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You do not need to be a member to receive our weekly email.



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MIZPAH CONGREGATION



by Donna Etkin

MIZPAH HIGH HOLY DAYS SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 5th, 7:00 pm: Selichot Service, which ushers in our High Holy Days, with Havdalah, the changing of the Torah Covers and a discussion. Refreshments will be served.

Sunday, September 13th, 7:30 pm: Erev Rosh Hashanah Service (Child Enrichment Care available)

Monday, September 14th, Rosh Hashanah:

- 9:00 am: Children's Service in the Sanctuary
- 10:00 am: Rosh Hashanah Morning Service (Child Enrichment Care available)
- 1:00 pm: Tashlich Service: South end of Walnut Street Bridge
- 2:00 pm: Lunch (pay your own) at 212 Market Restaurant-RSVP!

Sunday, September 20, 2:00pm: High Holy Day Memorial Service at the Mizpah Cemetery

Tuesday, September 22nd, 7:30pm: Erev Yom Kippur Service, Kol Nidre (Child Enrichment Care available)

Wednesday, September 23rd: Yom Kippur Services:

- 10:00 am: Yom Kippur Morning Service (Child Enrichment Care available)
- Noon: Yom Kippur Children's Service in the Sanctuary
- 1:00 pm: Adult Discussion Group facilitated by Deborah Levine, meets in the library
- 2:00 pm: Yom Kippur Afternoon services
- 4:00 pm: Yizkor Service—Receive the Annual Book of Remembrance
- 5:00 pm: Concluding Service, with sounding of the Shofar.
Congregational Break-the-Fast to follow in Feinstein Hall

Sukkot and Simchat Torah

First day service, Monday, September 28th, 11:00 am

Final day service: Sunday, October 4th, 11:00 am, with Yizkor

Friday, October 9th, Shabbat, Simchat Torah, with the unrolling and re-rolling of the Torah

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MIZPAH ACADEMY

Hebrew Language Learning for our Children and Youth

4:30 to 6:00 pm, Wednesdays
Mizpah Academy, our congregation's Hebrew Language program, began August 19. Our skilled and caring faculty imbues students with a love for 'the first language

of the Jewish people.' Using the excellent Mitkadem (Progressive) curriculum created by our umbrella congregational body, the Union for Reform Judaism (URJ), students develop their gifts in a warm, generous and supportive atmosphere. Please contact the Principal, Rabbi Bill S. Tepper, for additional information, or to meet and speak about your child's engagement with our precious Hebrew language at Mizpah Academy.

INTRIGUING CONVERSATIONS 2015

Herb Cohn and his Committee announce the following lineup for Fall 2015 Intriguing Conversations:

- September 30th: Dr. Clark White: "Blues Culture and the American Experience", Introduction by Karen Diamond
- October 14th: Dr. David Sachsman: "Journalism in America: From the Civil War to Climate Change", A conversation with Dr. Carol Berz
- October 28th: "Why I Chose to Become Jewish: A Personal Journey", Moderated by Helen Smith
- November 11th: "The Legacy of the Chazen Family"-- interview conducted by Bob Berz

Israeli Teens Visit a Huge Success



Rabbi Bill S. Tepper, the Israeli teenagers, their chaperone and hosts pose at Mizpah First Friday Shabbat Dinner August 7 in the newly updated Feinstein Social Hall.



WELCOME NEW MEMBER

A South African native, Cynthia Wolchuk moved to Chattanooga a year ago from Southern California. She studied Hebrew and Religious Studies while earning a BA in Managerial Economics and an MBA in Finance and Business. Cynthia taught Hebrew to adults and children, preparing them for their bar and bat mitzvahs, and has assisted her prior rabbi with preparing individuals for conversion to Judaism. In Chattanooga, she is involved in the community and teaches at our CJCRS — Chattanooga Jewish Congregational Religious School — and Mizpah Academy. We welcome Cynthia to Mizpah Congregation!

TUESDAYS WITH THE RABBI GET TO KNOW SOME WELL - KNOWN JEWS

7:30 am to 8:30 am in Mizpah Congregation's Harris A. Gould Library
Enjoy coffee, conversation, learning and friendship on Tuesday Mornings, as we explore the lives of Jewish personalities. There is no charge, all are welcome and the coffee is always fresh!



Leah Goldberg



Paul Muni

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Rabbi Shaul Perlstein

Rabbi Baruch Rabinovitch was the son in law of the famed Rabbi Chaim Elazar Shapiro, known as the "Minchat Elazar." He relates the following story that occurred, after he left Warsaw to assist his father in law in Munkacs

Rabbi Baruch had a son named Tzvi Nosson Dovid. Baruch would often recall that his father-in-law loved this boy in an "exaggerated way," in part due to the fact that they had waited a long time to have that first child. He would play with and "spoil" the child, and Tzvi would sit on his grandfather's lap at the Shabbat gatherings.

In the final year of his life, the Minchat Elazar took the shofar on the first day of the month of Elul and tested it to see whether it was in good condition. Tzvi was in the room and was visibly excited by the shofar and its sounds.

He asked his zeide (grandfather) for one more blast, and his zeide gladly obliged. From then on, for the remainder of the month, this became a ritual; the Rebbe blowing the shofar once each day for little Tzvi. On the day before Rosh Hashanah, Tzvi was there, awaiting his daily blast, but he was disappointed.

"Today is the day before Rosh Hashanah," his grandfather explained. "Today we do not blow the shofar. Tomorrow morning, we will blow the shofar in the synagogue."

The child did not comprehend the reasons. He knew no reason. He kicked and screamed, "Just one blast! Just one blast!"

After a while, the grandfather softened at the sound of his favorite grandchild crying, and he took the shofar and blew one blast.

On Rosh Hashanah, the custom in Munkacs was that the Rebbe spoke before blowing the shofar. That year, the Rebbe went up before the ark, opened it and said: "Master of the Universe, I have to repent. It's written that on the day before Rosh Hashanah one mustn't blow shofar, yet I did."

He began to sob uncontrollably and called out: "Master of the Universe, do you know why I transgressed this custom? It was because my young grandchild lay on the floor begging and crying that I should only blow one blast of the shofar for him. My heart melted, I couldn't bear to watch him cry like that, so I blew once for him, though I shouldn't have.

"Tatte (Father), how can you stand by and see how millions of Your children are down on the floor, and crying out to You, 'Tatte, just one blast! Sound the blast of the great shofar which will herald the final Redemption!?' Your children cry out to You: how can You stand by idly?!"

Rabbi Baruch cried as he recounted the story, and recalled how at that time the entire crowd cried along with the Rebbe. The sounding of the shofar was delayed, and for a long time. "They could not regain their composure... loud wailing was heard throughout the Synagogue."



Join friends and family as we combine cheese, sauce and a hut to form the ultimate Pizza-In-A-Hut Sukkah Party!
When: Wednesday, September 30th 6pm
Where: Chabad's Sukkah 950 Vine St. Chattanooga, TN 37403
Bring the Whole Family!

Memorial for Fallen Soldiers



The community came together with the message of Aron the high priest, "love peace, pursue peace, love your fellow creature, and bring them close to the Torah."

ROSH HASHANAH

Sunday, September 13

Services followed by a buffet of Rosh Hashana delicacies 7:00 pm

Monday, September 14th

Morning Services 9:00 am
Children's Program 10:45 pm
Shofar Sounding 11:45
Musaf followed by Kiddush 12:00 Noon

Tashlich at the river.

(We will leave from Chabad at 4:30 pm)

Tuesday, September 15th

Morning Services 9:00 am
Children's Program 10:45 am
Shofar Sounding 11:45
Musaf followed by Kiddush 12:00 noon

YOM KIPPUR

Tuesday, September 22nd

Candle lighting / Fast begins 7:20 pm
Kol Nidrei Service 7:15 pm

Wednesday, September 23rd

Morning Service 9:00 am
Children's Program 10:45 am
Yizkor Memorial Service 11:45 am
Mincha Service 6:15 pm
Neilah Closing Service 7:15 pm
Havdalah Service & Break Fast 8:14 pm

Rosh Hashanah September 13 – 15 Yom Kippur September 22 – 23

Are you going to answer that?



Chabad of Chattanooga invites you and your family to join us for the High Holidays.

To join Chabad for the High Holidays is to enjoy an inspiring synthesis of delights for body and soul. Held at the new Shul at 950 Vine Street, the atmosphere is as physically comfortable as it is spiritually warm and inviting.

Services are not only about prayers and rituals, but about celebrating one's Judaism as a dynamic and enriching community experience, an experience harmoniously shared by Jews of any and all backgrounds. Whether you've joined Chabad for High Holidays in the past or whether this is your first time celebrating with us, you and your family can look forward to ushering in the New Year enveloped by the

uplifting spirit of joy, discovery and solidarity that is the hallmark of this unique program.

JOIN US AND SEE FOR YOURSELF... how sweet it is!

For a complete list of services visit jewishchatt.com. R.S.V.P. & reserve a spot: (423)910-9770.

September 13 @10-11:30 am

Mommy and Me - A fun class for mom and their tots

Join in as we explore the High Holidays in pint size proportions - via music, movement, sensory stimulants, and expressive arts. Start your Jewish Year Here!

For ages birth -30 months

Sunday Morning,

August 30

10-11 am

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Join us for a meaningful, fun and delicious Hakafot. October 5 @ 6:30pm. Special children's Hakafah! Singing, Dancing & Hakafot! L'chaim, lots of refreshments, and more L'chaim!

HADASSAH NEWS



Hadassah Happenings

by Judy Sachsman
Past President

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Chapter

After starting off Chattanooga's 100th year with a brilliant Anniversary Donor chaired by Finette Winer and Ellyn Brooks and then the second Novel-Tea organized by Cathryn Cohen and Sandy Tabakin, the Chattanooga Chapter celebrated August with two more events! Dana Banks organized a fascinating Houston Museum tour, followed by a fun luncheon. Then Noa Hadad demonstrated Israeli cooking at the home of Wendy and Hannah Beker, and participants got to eat the results.

Now a special thank you to Helen Smith for chairing the New Year's Greeting Card. This fundraiser gives the Chattanooga community an opportunity to share best wishes for the coming year.

In July Sandy Tabakin and Dana Waxler attended the National Hadassah Board meeting, where Ellen Hershkin became the President-Elect of National Hadassah. In 2013 Ellen was the guest speaker at Chattanooga's Myrtle Wreath Award Dinner honoring Alison and Alan Lebovitz. Fall chapter meetings will include more news from the National Board meeting.

Chapter members should be ready for a spectacular 100th year! Chattanooga welcomes Randi Weiss, a transfer from Pittsburgh, and new members Hadassah Shulkin and Rosie Newton.

A special announcement about annual memberships has just been released: until the end of the year, Life Members can now gift one non-member with an annual membership for no charge! Join Hadassah and make a commitment. Membership in Hadassah is the perfect gift that fits every occasion. Barbara Oxenhandler will be heading the new membership campaign this fall.

And for every occasion, Hadassah cards are available from Paula Israel (423-802-8434). The newest Hadassah jewelry features a heart necklace, priced at \$100, which supports the new addition to Hadassah Hospital and three styles of bracelets, at \$25 each, which supports Young Judea scholarships (available from Millie Lander, 423-698-1613). Think Hadassah for lifecycle events!

The Chattanooga Chapter wishes the entire community a Happy New Year.

HADASSAH: Putting our Jewish values into action: advocacy, health and well being, building community in Israel and the United States.

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• Annual "Majjong & Margaritas"
• Game Nite!
• Sunday Nov. 1 st
• 4-7P.M.
• Mizpah Congregation
•
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Hadassah group
tours Houston
Museum, Aug. 19



Warren Posternack and Sheldon
Gelburd sing at Noon Nosh event

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Jewish Federation Mission Statement

The Jewish Federation of Greater Chattanooga builds and fosters a strong unified Jewish community and strives to ensure its well-being and continuity locally, in Israel, and throughout the world.

Jewish Cultural Center Statement of Purpose

The Jewish Cultural Center, funded by the Jewish Federation of Greater Chattanooga, is a venue for programs, classes, and exhibits; social services; and a preschool—all rooted in Jewish values. The facility enables the Jewish community to raise its visibility, foster relationships, and strengthen its identity in the Chattanooga area.

Shofar Policies and Procedures

Article/Advertising Deadline

The deadline for *Shofar* articles, announcements, photos and advertising is the 8th of the preceding month. Submit articles via email to *Shofar* editor Dana Shavin at dshavin@jewishchattanooga.com. Photos should be e-mailed as high resolution (300 dpi) jpeg files. Hard copies of photos will be returned once they are scanned and the issue has gone to press.

The Shofar calendar

The Federation maintains an online calendar for the community that includes congregational events, social activities, special services and celebrations. Contact Courtney McKenzie at the Federation (493-0270, ext. 10; federation@jewishchattanooga.com) before scheduling your event and/or to add your date to the calendar. View the online calendar by visiting www.jewishchattanooga.com and clicking the calendar tab.

Only Jewish Federation and Federation-sponsored events are listed on the *Shofar* calendar, which appears on the inside back page of each issue.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 Tuesday Cafe 12pm JCC	2 Mideast Dance 10:30am, JCC <hr/> Intergenerational Lunch 12pm JCC	3 Cafe Dilemma	4 Candle Lighting 7:46	5 Candle Lighting 8:41
6 No CJCRS	7 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED for Labor Day	8 Tuesday Cafe 12pm JCC	9 Mideast Dance 10:30am, JCC	10 Major Gifts 6pm	11 Cake Pickup <hr/> YJL Social 5pm Candle Lighting 7:36	12 Candle Lighting 8:31
13 CJCRS Rosh Hashana begins at sundown Candle Lighting 7:33	14 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:28	15 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:26	16 Mideast Dance 10:30am, JCC	17	18 Candle Lighting 7:26	19 Candle Lighting 8:20
20 CJCRS	21 Interfaith Panel	22 FEDERATION CLOSES at 3pm Erev Yom Kippur Candle Lighting 7:20	23 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:14	24	25 Candle Lighting 7:16	26 Candle Lighting 8:10
27 CJCRS <hr/> Jew Crew Candle Lighting 7:13	28 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:07	29 FEDERATION and AB CLOSED Candle Lighting 8:06	30	1	2	3

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Key Jewish Federation Dates

Thursday, Sept. 3

Cafe Dilemma

Thursday, Sept. 10

Major Gifts

Friday, Sept. 11

Cake Pickup

Calendar Abbreviation Key

Aleph Bet	Aleph Bet Children's Center
BZ	B'nai Zion Congregation
CJCRS	Chattanooga Jewish Congregational Religious School
JCC	Jewish Cultural Center
YJL	Jewish Federation Young Jewish Leadership
P2G	Partnership 2Gether

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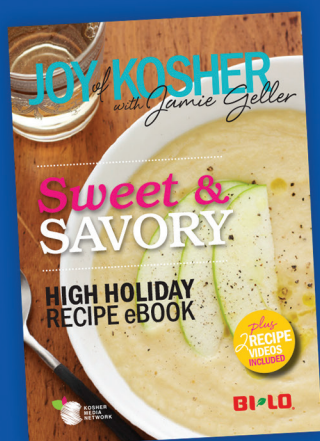
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