

Benefactor

Bruce, your devotion to Torah has distinguished you, in the words of Rabbi Meir (Pirke Avot 6:1), "...as righteous, pious, upright and trustworthy...and people benefit from your counsel, sound knowledge, understanding and strength..."

The Board and staff of the Reform Pension Board congratulate and thank Rabbi Bruce Raff for his decades of service to ARJE, the RPB and the Reform Movement. Mazel Tov Bruce!

We love you!!!

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Lisa and Rachel,

We are incredibly grateful to have you as our sacred partners. Thank you for all you have done for us, for all Jewish educators, and for the field of Jewish education over the last year, and always!

Love (and stuffie snuggles),

The ARJE Leadership





## THANK YOU DR. ANNE LIDSKY PH.D., R.J.E. DIRECTOR OF CONGREGATIONAL LEARNING

Temple Jeremiah honors Dr. Anne Lidsky Ph.D., R.J.E. for forty years of devoted and loving service and for our reaccreditation by ARJE

With deep appreciation from the clergy, staff, and families of Temple Jerermiah



#### Temple Sinai Celebrates Marisa Kaiser!

Our community is truly blessed by your visionary leadership! Mazel tov on your installation as ARJE President!

With love and pride, Your Temple Sinai Family











Make for yourself a teacher and acquire for yourself a friend... Pirkei Avot

The Jewish community has been enriched by the thousands of Jewish professionals and students who have made Rabbi Bruce Raff their teacher and friend.

All of us stand upon his shoulders.

Mazal Tov to Rabbi Bruce Raff upon receiving the Jewish Education Leadership Award.

With deep gratitude, the entire community of Temple Judea





To my extraordinary daughter Marisa.
You have always been a shining light
in whatever you do, as a daughter,
wife, mother, Jewish educator. And
now, President of ARJE. I am beyond
proud. Congratulations, my darling
daughter.

I love you so much. Mom





#### Beth Young, RJE

We are so proud of you and grateful for your leadership!





Iris Schwartz Thank you for 25 years
of teaching our youth,
inspiring our families,
and touching our lives.











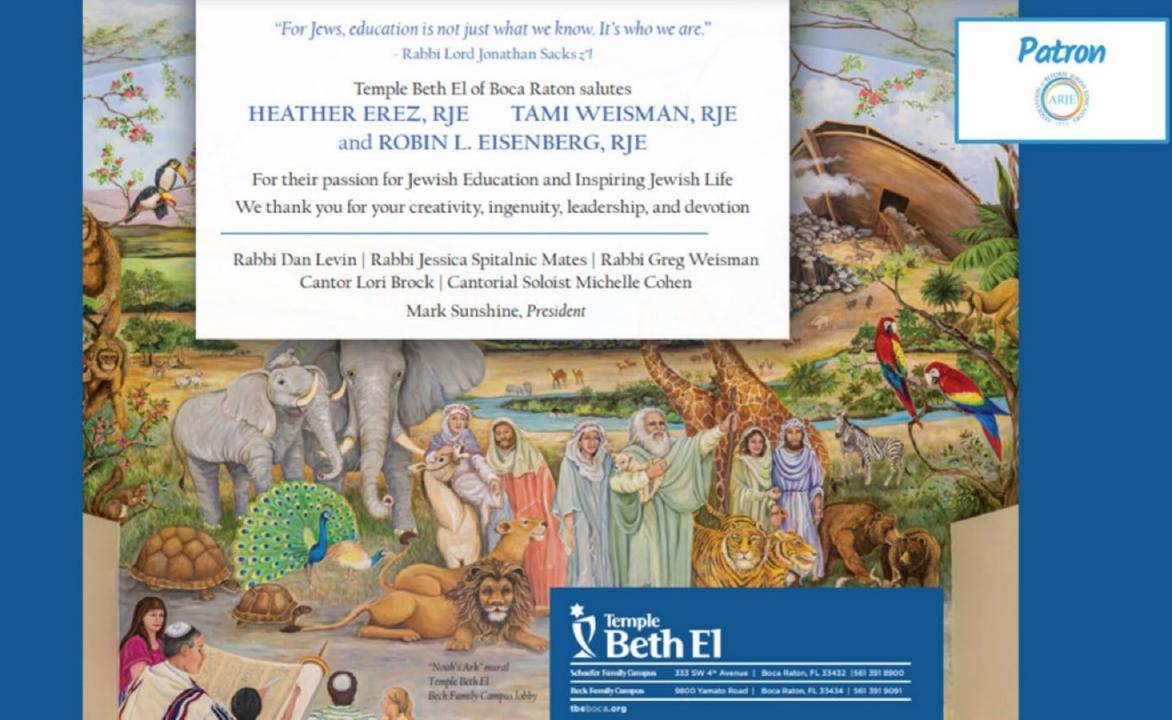














Bruce-

Mazel Tov on receiving the Jewish Educational Leadership Award from ARJE.

For the past 30 years you have been an outstanding Leader in Jewish Education.

Along with that ... a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, and friend. Cheers to your new position at Temple Judea as the Executive Director.

From your friends ...
Brenda and Dale Surowitz
Tilly and Danny Rubinstein
Cindy and Glenn Sherman
Michelle and Alan Buchsbaum



MAZEL TOV TO LAURA PERPINYAL,
TEMPLE CHAI'S DIRECTOR OF
CONGREGATIONAL LEARNING, ON
BEING ELECTED TO THE ARJE
BOARD! THANK YOU FOR YOUR
INSPIRING LEADERSHIP IN OUR
CONGREGATION AND IN THE
REFORM MOVEMENT!







#### CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL

#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO**

#### STACY ROSENTHAL, RJE

On her second term as the ARJE's Vice
President. Her leadership and contributions
to the ARJE and Congregation Beth Israel
have had a tremendous impact on our
community. We are incredibly grateful and
appreciate everything you do.



#### BRUCE,

MAZEL TOV ON RECEIVING THE ARJE'S JEWISH EDUCATION LEADERSHIP AWARD. YOUR HARD WORK, CREATIVITY AND COMMITMENT HAS INSTILLED IN GENERATIONS OF JEWISH STUDENTS A DEEP LOVE AND KNOWLEDGE OF OUR HERITAGE AND FAITH.

WITH LOVE AND ADMIRATION, ELLEN



Aseh lecha rav, knei l'cha chaver.

Make for yourself a teacher, acquire for yourself a friend.

Pirkei Avot 1:6

#### Bruce,



Thank you for all your years of dedication to Jewish Education, to supporting your colleagues both locally and nationally, but most of all for your friendship.

Julia Snitzer, Dalia Samansky, Amir Orbach, Paul Kipnes, Julia Weisz, Leah and David Lewis, Carla Adivi, Amy Berlin, Carla Kopf, Randee Bishoff, Cathy Gordon, Ellie Laycook, Carrie Vogel, Phil Liff-Grieff, Adam Schaffer, Randi Sher, Julia Levine, Andre McNellis, Danielle Kassin, Sharone Weizman, Lori Daitch, and Stephanie Schwartz Mazel Tov
Rabbi Daniel Plothin
on receiving the title of
Reform Jewish Educator (RJE)

From the Temple Isaiah Board of Trustees and Staff







#### בן זומא אומר איזהו חכם הלומד מכל אדם שנאמר (תהלים קיט) מכל מלמדי השכלתי כי עדותיך שיחה לי

Ben Zoma said: Who is wise? One who learns from every person, as it is said: From all who have taught me have I gained understanding (Psalms 119:99).

Pirke Avot 4:1



It has been my great honor to serve as ARJE President these past two years. Thank you to the ARJE staff, executive committee, board, team leaders and all of the committee chairs and members who have stepped up to be partners in our sacred work. But most of all, I am grateful to all of you — the entire ARJE membership - for your wisdom, caring and leadership in the field that has been so evident in the past year. I indeed have never been more proud of the collective work we have done to support one another in the service of Jewish education. It is from all of you that I have truly gained understanding. With much gratitude and excitement I wish a hearty mazel tov to all the incoming leadership and especially Marisa Kaiser, RJE on becoming the next president!

Kathy Schwartz



#### MAZAL TOV BRUCE RAFF

You are an amazing husband, father, Pops, rabbi, teacher, and friend! We could never begin to count the number of people who have been enriched by your teachings and wisdom.

We love you and are so proud of you!



Love, Tamar Rami, Jordan, Morgan, & Parker Sunshine Micah and Julie

#### DEAR BRUCE,

Thank you for being our teacher, friend, mentor, boss, rabbi and colleague. Your leadership continues to guide and inspire us.

With love, from your fellow Judeans,

Rabbi Donald Goor, Rabbi Ashley Berns-Chafetz,
Lori Daitch, Melanie Cole Goldberg, RJE, Cathy Gordon,
Marisa Kaiser, RJE, Rabbi Jonathan Kupetz, Charlie Kramer,
Ellie Laycook, Dr. Kimberly Schwartz, Rachel Tichauer,
Rabbi Dr. Laura Novak Winer, RJE



#### Mazal Tov Rabbi Joe Eiduson, RJE

The Future of the ARJE is Bright!



With respect and love from,

Lisa, Rosie, Carly &

Everyone at Congregation B'nai Torah

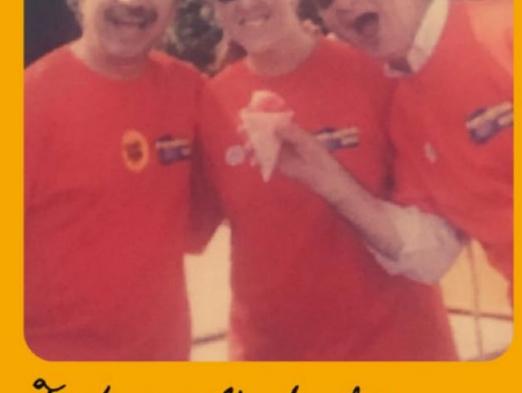




Bruce, from the day you welcomed me to Judea, you, Tamar, Rami and Micah, have been my teachers, my colleagues, and truly my friends. On behalf of thousands of young people who are Jews because of what you taught them, and personally, from the bottom of my heart, !!!תודה רבה

Patron

Don (and Evan)



Find yourself a teacher, acquire for yourself a friend....

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Caryn Roman

From Your Co-Chairs

Rabbi Joe Eiduson, RJE Miles L. Roger, RJE



Humbly expressing my immense gratitude for the passion and dedication of the ARJE Leadership and Member Relations Team. It's been quite a year and was made easier with your partnership.

Mazal Tov to Marisa Kaiser and the newly installed board members!

And finally, a HUGE thank you to Kathy Schwartz for leading our organization, it has been an honor to serve and learn with you.

Heather Erez



kathy, Mazal tor on all you have accomplished during your tenure as president. ARJE has been blessed by your leadership.

LISA LIEBERMAN BARZILAI



Marisa, Mazal tov on becoming ARJE president. I look forward to the new ideas you will bring to our work.

Lisa Lieberman Barzilai



SARAH AND SUSAN, WHAT A STELLAR JOB YOU ARE DOING WITH THE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE. KOL HAKAVOD. LISA LIEBERMAN BARZILAI





#### DR. ANNE LIDSKY





ON YOUR RETIREMENTS!
YOUR CHARJE
COLLEAGUES LOVE YOU!

MARCIA COHEN



Celebrating the installation of Marisa Kaiser as ARJE President as you continue to inspire Jewish educators from coast to coast!

Honored to be your colleague and friend!

Beth Ellen Young, RJE



# Mazal Tov Marisa Kaiser... our dear friend, neighbor, and gifted educator!

May you go from strength to strength,

Rabbi Steven H. Rau, RJE Elizabeth C. Foster Rebecca L. Good





# We're so glad you've joined us!

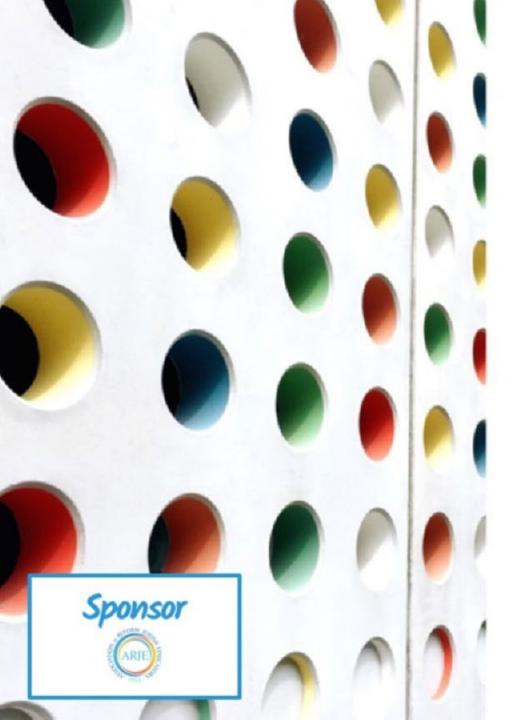
Welcome to the Club

Looking forward to sitting in the back row with Dr. Katherine Schwartz as she joins me as an esteemed member of the NATE/ARJE Past Presidents' Club!

Mazal tov on an excellent presidency...

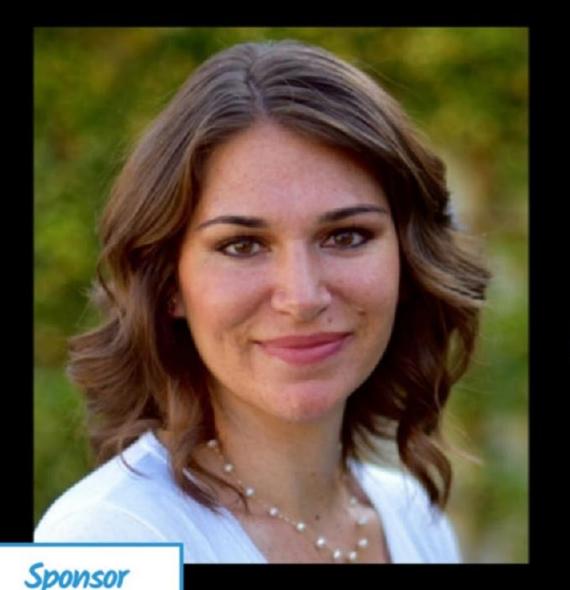
Anne Berman-Waldorf, RJE Past President, ARJE





MAZEL TOV TO KATHY
SCHWARTZ AND THE ENTIRE
ARJE LEADERSHIP ON A
MASTERFUL JOB MOVING
ARJE FORWARD IN A MOST
CHALLENGING TIME.

IN APPRECIATION
ROBIN EISENBERG



Heather Rosenthal

Mazel Tov on receiving the welldeserved title:

RJE

We, at Congregation Shir Ha-Ma'alot, are the beneficiaries of your enthusiasm, knowledge and leadership.

We are so proud of you.

With appreciation,

Your SHM Family.

#### Bruce

The difference you have made in Jewish education is immeasurable. You have truly raised and trained the next generation of Temple Educators. No one is more deserving of the Jewish Educational Leadership Award than you.

We are so very proud of you and so grateful for our family. We love you.

Bernie and Lynda



### Mazel tov to my dear friend Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE

recognized as the unparalleled leader in Jewish Education we all respect and adore. Yoreh Yoreh: You are a Rabbi's Rabbi and an Educator's Educator!

With love, Rabbi Karen Bender



Mazel Tov to Dr. Kathy Schwartz for her leadership and completion of her term as President of ARJE.

Mazel Tov to incoming President Marisa Kaiser, RJE.

May you both continue to go from strength to strength!

David Scott, RJE







#### **CONGRATULATIONS!!**

Marisa Kaiser....You rock!

We love you and are so proud of you!

--Shelli, Rick & Samara

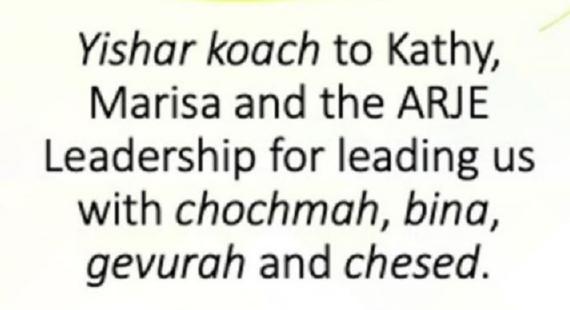


#### עבְדוּ אֶת-ה' בְשִׁיפְחָה

With gratitude and appreciation for all our colleages who serve with joy.

Jo-Ellen Unger, RJE Emily Messinger, RJE





Rabbi Dr. Laura Novak Winer, RJE



From LA to South Africa to Chicago to Disneyworld to Oconomowoc – and now for our next adventure...

Welcome to ARJE Board, Laura!

Love, Missy





To our ARJE Colleagues -

"Creativity begins at the moment we don't know what we are doing" – Simon Sinek

In a year where we had to reimagine everything we thought we knew, plan for the unknown, and lead for the future – you have been creative, and bold, and inspirational. Thank you for leading our field and the broader Jewish community toward the unknown future.

With admiration, Lisa Langer Rachel Margolis





We are so proud of

#### RABBI AMY HERTZ, RJE

and salute the great work of Jewish educators everywhere.

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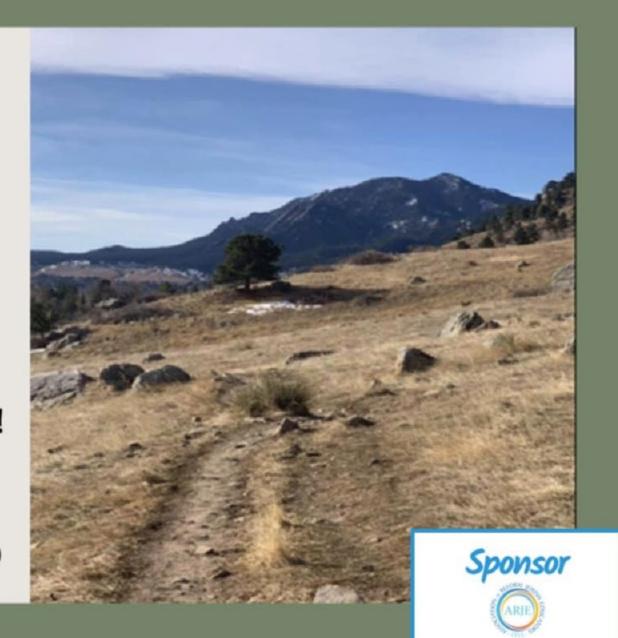
Thank you, Kathy, for leading ARJE on a path forward.

Your wisdom and compassion Inspire us always.

We'd follow you up any mountain!

With gratitude,

Your HUC-JIR EMA colleagues (Anna, Joy, Julie, Lesley, Lisa, Miriam, Sue, Tamara)



Todah Rabbah to the stellar members of the Placement and Career Services Task Force. You are the best!

Shari Isserles and Joan Carr,

Your grateful task force co-chairs

MISSY BELL
ROBIN EISENBERG
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LAURA NAIDE
DEBBIE NIEDERMAN
LAURA PERPINYAL
DAVID SCOTT



## BALTIMORE HEBREW CONGREGATION THANKS OUR DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION RACHEL OPATOWSKY

Through all of the challenges this year has brought, you have continued to put Youth Education at the forefront of all you do. You continue to amaze and inspire staff, students, and parents with your creative lessons and meaningful activities. Thank you for all you do.





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# Places The ell go...

after RETIREMENT!



Mazal Tov to Diane Zimmerman.

TSRS will forever be better because of you.





"Find a teacher; make a friend" – Pirkei Avot 1:6



Kathy and Marisa,

I'm lucky to have both of you as teachers and friends, and the ARJE is lucky to have you as leaders! Kathy, thank you for your leadership for the last two years. Marisa, mazel tov on your installation as president!

Love, Missy

### "Beauty lies in that which is, if only we open our inner eye to behold it."

- From Ehyeh: A Kabbalah for Tomorrow

Mazal Tov **Jo-Ellen Unger**, as she joins the ARJE Board and shares her extraordinary ability to seek, nurture, and grow the beauty, talents, and artistic gifts of everyone she encounters.

The URJ is so proud to have Jo-Ellen and the ARJE as partners in our work of building a more whole, just, and compassionate world.







## Congratulations Rabbi Daniel Plotkin



upon earning the title of

#### Reform Jewish Educator



Marcia & Marc Leavey

Bonnie & Jerry Plotkin

שמע בני מוסר אביך ואל תטש תורת אמך

#### As we go from strength to strength.

#### DR. KATHY SCHWARTZ, RJE

YASHER KOACH FOR SERVING AS PRESIDENT OF THE ARJE THESE PAST TWO YEARS! YOUR LEADERSHIP, GUIDANCE, PARTNERSHIP AND FRIENDSHIP HAVE SET THE TONE FOR OUR ORGANIZATION AS WE ENTER THIS NEW CHAPTER!

#### **TEAM LEADERS**

TDAH RABBAH FOR THE TIME, CREATIVITY AND PASSION IN LEADING OUR TEAMS AND WORK OF OUR ORGANIZATION.

#### **OUTGOING BOARD MEMBERS**

TODAH RABBAH TO THOSE WHO HAVE USED YOUR VOICES TO TRANSFORM OUR ORGANIZATION.

#### **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

TODAH RABBAH FOR YOUR COLLABORATION, HUMOR AND INSIGHT.

#### **NEW BOARD OF TRUSTEE MEMBERS**

MAZAL TOV! I LOOK FORWARD TO DOING THIS HOLY WORK TOGETHER.

MARISA KAISER, RJE



#### In honor of Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE An educator's educator



We are so grateful for your lifetime commitment to cultivating the next generation of Jewish educators.

You have been blessed:

"May your interns be as numerous as the stars in the sky"

And thus, we have been blessed.

May you go from strength to strength!

With admiration,
The Leadership, Faculty, Students and Alumni
of the Rhea Hirsch School of Education



In honor of outgoing president Dr. Kathy Schwartz, RJE and incoming president Marisa Kaiser, RJE



May the ARJE go from strength to strength as two of our finest leaders pass the baton.

HUC-JIR remains steadfast in our sacred partnership with ARJE, advancing the field of Jewish education boldly and creatively, together, עם לב אחד.

May ARJE continue to thrive!



We are so proud of our friend and colleague

#### Alison Weikel

Recipient of this year's Yad B'Yad Award

We at Temple Shir Tikva feel so blessed to have you as part of our team.

In the Mishnah we read: Make for yourself a teacher and acquire for yourself a friend.

We are grateful to have both of these in you.

With love, The Team at Temple Shir Tikva





On Your RJE

Love, Beth, Mom & Tim, Diane & Robert





## ngratulation



Mom,

We are very proud of your accomplishments. We know that you will be great as the next President of ARJE. Mazal Tov on your amazing honor! We love you.

Ryan, Benjamin, and Nathan













Congratulations on becoming President of ARJE. You are an amazing leader, and you have a great team. You are an amazing educator, leader, and collaborator.

Your engagement and innovation will serve the board and members well.

The boys and I are very proud of you for reaching this moment. We'll miss you for the next two years. I've got this.

Mike









Congratulations NICE GOING!
GREAT! Way to Go!
Yea! FELICITATIONS
CHEERS Take A BEST
CHEERS BOW! WISHES!



## Mazal Tov

JODI KAUFMAN, RJE
25 years of inspiring Jewish
learners of all ages
Here's to the next 25!





with all our blessings
Rabbi Heidi and the HaNefesh/Jew By You community



We are so proud of you for completing your Executive Masters with HUC-JIR!

Love, Your Temple Beth-El Family

> Religious School

עשה לך רב, וקנה לך חבר Find yourself a teacher, and acquire for yourself a friend.

Thank you,
Rabbi Joe Eiduson, RJE
for being both my teacher
and my friend. Mazal Tov on your
new role with ARJE leadership.



~ Miles Roger, RJE



#### Mazal Tov

Dr. Kathy Schwartz, RJE on completing your term as ARJE President.

Mazal Tov Marisa Kaiser, RJE on beginning your term as ARJE President.

From Miles Roger, RJE



Mazel Tov, **Miles L. Roger, RJE** Director of Education, Temple B'nai Shalom

We are proud of the memories you are creating; the next generation of Jews you are building. Cantor Janice, Brandon, and Eddie Roger

"What we need more than anything else is not textbooks but text people. It is the personality of the teacher which is the text pupils read; the text they will never forget."

(Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel)



#### We've got consensus!







The Leadership Development Committee is the greatest!

Thank you, Lisa Lieberman Barzilai, Lori Daitch, Robin Eisenberg, and Debbie Niederman for another year of thoughtful conversation and unwavering commitment to moving the work forward. Onward!

> With appreciation and gratitude, Sarah Gluck and Susan Morrel



#### עֲשֵׂה לְךָּ רֵב, וּקְנֵה לְךְּ חָבֵר FIND YOURSELF A TEACHER AND ACQUIRE YOURSELF A FRIEND. (PIRKE AVOT 1:6)

We are infinitely blessed to have found them both in one!

Mazal tov, Marisa Kaiser, our teacher +our friend

We love you, Leah and David Lewis + Family





#### Congratulations to

#### Miles L. Roger

Temple B'nai Shalom Director of Education

On Re-Installation as an

**ARJE Board Member** 

Mazel tov and with admiration,

Your TBS family





Temple Judea and its Director of Education, Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE is proud to have provided the foundation upon which these ARJE leaders have built a better Jewish world for all of us.

Incoming ARJE President, Marisa Kaiser, RJE

Past ARJE President, Dr. Rabbi Laura Novak Winer, RJE

Past Operations Co-Chair, Lori Daitch









# Stan & The Executive Committee

Thank you for your leadership, mentorship and partnership!

May We Continue To Go From Strength To Strength



Rabbi Joe Eiduson, R.J.E.



## Thank you to ARJE members who served on the 2020 Nominating Committee

Sharon Amster Brown, RJE Emily Cohen, RJE Sarah Gluck Vanessa Ehrlich, RJE Michael Greenfield, RJE Dr. Lesley Litman, RJE



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Marisa Kaiser, RJE - President

Ex-Officio: Rabbi Stan Schickler, RJE Dr. Kathy Schwartz, RJE Lori Daitch



Congratulations to the newly elected ARJE Board members!



Congratulations to

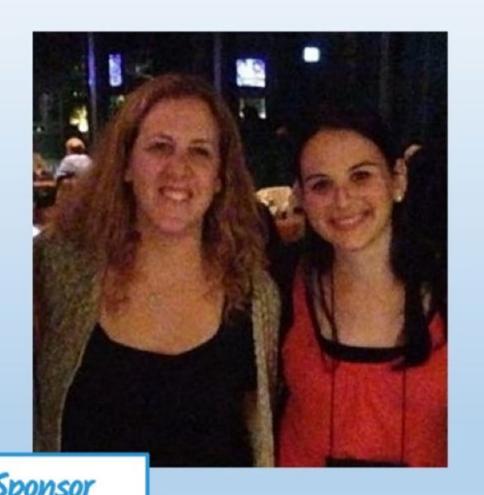
#### Beth Ellen Young, RJE

on your "Bat Mitzvah" Year! 13 years as Director of Education at Temple Judea Coral Gables.

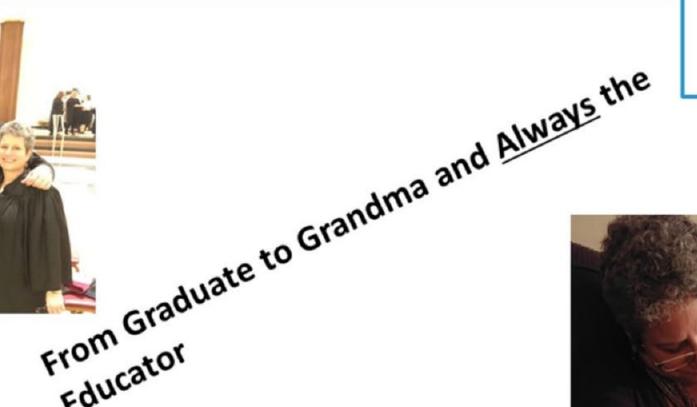
Florida Ann and Richard Young

David Zarefsky

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MAZAL TOV to my teacher, mentor, friend and our ARJE President MARISA! Xo, Amanda



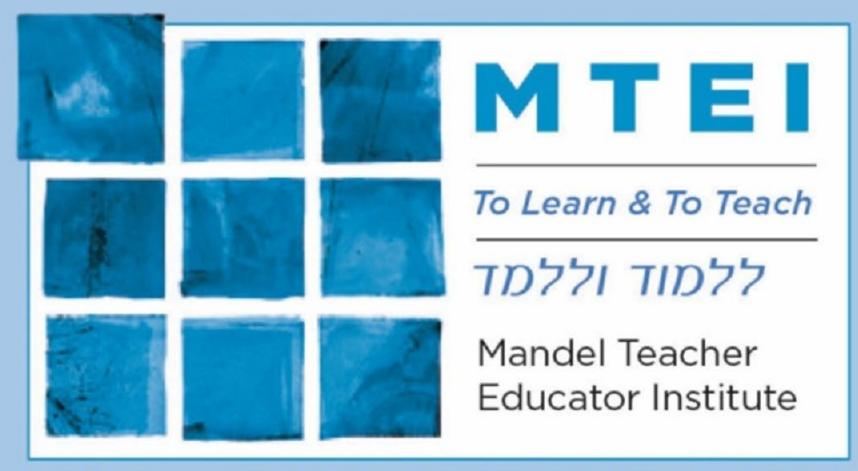


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Louise, wishing you a HUGE מזל טוב on your retirement!

Love, Kathy





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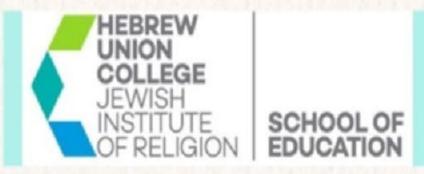
Stacey Frank
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Ben Mazur
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Mazal Tov!





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#### Mazel Tov to the Newly Installed 2021-2022 ARJE Board of Trustees

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#### Mazel Tov to our Colleagues Celebrating Professional Milestones in 2020-21:

40 Years in an Educational Leadership Field
Dr. Roberta Louis Goodman, RJE
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Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE

25 Years in an Educational Leadership Field Jodi Kaufman, RJE Dr. Iris Schwartz, RJE

18 Years in an Educational Leadership Field Rebecca Bernstein McVeigh

13 Years in an Educational Leadership Field Micol Zimmerman Burkeman



## Mazel Tov to our Colleagues New Recipients of the Reform Jewish Educator Title:

Stacey Frank, RJE

Rabbi Amy Hertz, RJE

Rabbi Lisa Levenberg, RJE

Ben Mazur, RJE

Rabbi Daniel Plotkin, RJE

Caryn Roman, RJE

Heather Rosenthal, RJE



## Mazel Tov to our Colleagues Celebrating Retirement from the Field of Jewish Education:

Marcia Cohen

Dr. Anne Lidsky, RJE

Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE

Louise Riddell-Kaufman, RJE

Dr. Iris Schwartz, RJE

Diane Zimmerman



#### Mazel Tov to Institutions Receiving ARJE Re-Accreditation for 2021:

Temple Jeremiah Northfield, IL

Educator: Dr. Anne Lidsky, RJE



#### Mazel Tov to our Colleague

#### Rabbi Bruce Raff, RJE

## Recipient of the ARJE Jewish Educational Leadership Award

Recognizing outstanding leadership in Jewish Education and a lifetime of work that has contributed greatly to the ARJE and furthered the field of Jewish Education overall.



#### Mazel Tov to our Colleague

#### **Alison Weikel**

### Recipient of the 2020-21 ARJE Yad b'Yad Award

The Yad B'Yad Award recognizes innovative programming and curricula. The purpose of this award is to share the achievements of our members and draw attention to their exemplary contributions to Jewish education.



## Thank You to the Operations Teams Leaders:

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#### Watch your Email for Details:

#### **ARJE's 2021 Gratitude Campaign**

#### Order your grati-grams today!

Order ARJE Grati-Grams to tell people in your life how much they mean to you!
Grati-Grams are also a great end-of-year gift for your staff and faculty.
There is no better "thank you" than a sincere message of gratitude from the heal and you'll also be supporting ARJE! Order grati-grams through the ARJE websit Check your email tomorrow for more information!



#### Thank You to the Development Committee

Stefani Carlson Emily Cohen, RJE Sarah DeWoskin Caryn Roman, RJE

The ARJE is incredibly fortunate to have such a strong team advocating, planning, and raising money on our behalf! Thank you for all that you do!



## Thank You to the Chaver Society

Behrman House Beit T'Shuvah **CCAR Press** Israel LINK Jewish Interactive Mandel Teacher Educator Institute Shalom Learning

We value your partnership and friendship this year and beyond. Thank you for being part of this inaugural group!



#### Thank You to our Tzedek Partner

Hebrew Union College -Jewish Institute of Religion

We are value your partnership and are grateful for your friendship - this year and beyond! We're looking forward to facing this next year together, stronger than ever!



Marisa,

You are an exceptional and intentional leader. ARJE is lucky to have you serve as our next President.

Mazel Tov!

Brad Cohen



Kathy,

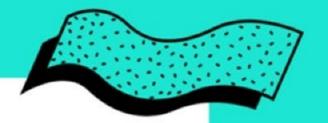
Your leadership and guidance over the years has impacted ARJE and so many Jewish Educators. May you go from strength to strength.

Brad Cohen









MAZEL TOV TO MY FELLOW EMA COHORT 7 FAMILY MEMBERS ON THEIR NEW RJE TITLES!

#### RABBI AMY HERTZ, RJE BEN MAZUR, RJE

Love, Heather Rosenthal





## MARISA KAISER, RJE & THE NEW ARJE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

As you undertake this new era of RJE leadership, I am so inspired to be led by such thoughtful, caring, and devoted educators. Todah MeiRosh!

RABBI STACY RIGLER, RJE





It has been pure joy partnering with you over the years. Mazal tov on becoming an ARJE Vice President. Kol Hakavod!

With love, Joan

#### SHARI





## Marisa, Joe, Missy, Stacy, Shari, & Kathy:

What a great team to lead ARJE into the future! B'hatzlacha to you and the Board.

Joan



KATHY, WHAT A PRESIDENT YOU HAVE **BEEN! MAY YOU CONTINUE TO GO** FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH. WITH LOVE, JOAN







**Executive Committee!** 

Can't wait to work

together. Love, Missy























# Marisa, We are so proud of you!





With love and luck, your Cali girls, Lori, Sharon, and Stephanie Mazal Tov to Marisa Kaiser and the Va'ad.

Rabbi Eve Rudin







13 years since graduation!
The impact you have had in that time is astounding.
We are so proud of you.

Love, Danny, Gabby & Benny!





Mazal Tov on your hard work and dedication. The future of Jewish life is bright with leaders like you.

Best, Lisa Langer, RJE











Enormous gratitude for your leadership and unswerving devotion to the ARJE.

With great appreciation, Sarah Gluck





## Thank you, Kathy, for your vision, courage, & good humor!

Mazal tov, Marisa, Joe, & the entire leadership team for guiding us through this challenging year.

Sarah Gluck

