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RABBI RUBIN ANNOUNCES "KASHRUT CHEAT DAYS"

"A LITTLE BACON NEVER KILLED ANYONE"

Rabbi Rubin recently announced the permissibility of the occasional Kashrut Cheat Day. The LOL Ya'akov reached him for comment.

LOL Ya'akov: So you think that Kashrut cheat days are OK?

Rabbi Rubin: Sure. I mean we all try so hard to keep kosher all the time and I think that we deserve a little guilty pleasure.

LY: And what do you think constitutes one of these "cheat days?"

RR: I've thought about this a lot. Don't get me wrong, cheeseburgers should still be a sometimes food. Definitely don't want this to be an everyday thing. I think that maybe after someone has performed all 613 mitzvot they can have a crab dinner or two. After that, it's back to one and you have to do the full pomegranate all over again.

LY: Interesting. And what do you have to say to those who are against this motion?

RR: Honestly, and don't take this the wrong way, they need to loosen up a little. I love Jews, love em! That being said, they sure can get stuck in their ways. To those who have a problem with my Proposition, go do some mitzvot, grab a suckling pig, and get back to me.



BETH JACOB NOW OFFERING "BARK MITZVAH" CLASSES

NOT TO BE CONFUSED WITH DAG

Mans' best friend is often given the short end of the stick in Judaism; dogs are excluded from many traditions. From bris to shivah, pets play little to no role in any of our lifecycle events. It's time for that to change.



Beth Jacob has announced their Bark Mitzvah program. Now, congregants' dogs can have their very own coming-of-age ceremony. Once they are thirteen (roughly 1 and 4/5 in human years,) they are welcomed to the bima.

Naturally, they must go through the standard training. The Classes will teach the basics, as well as some more dog specific subjects such as:

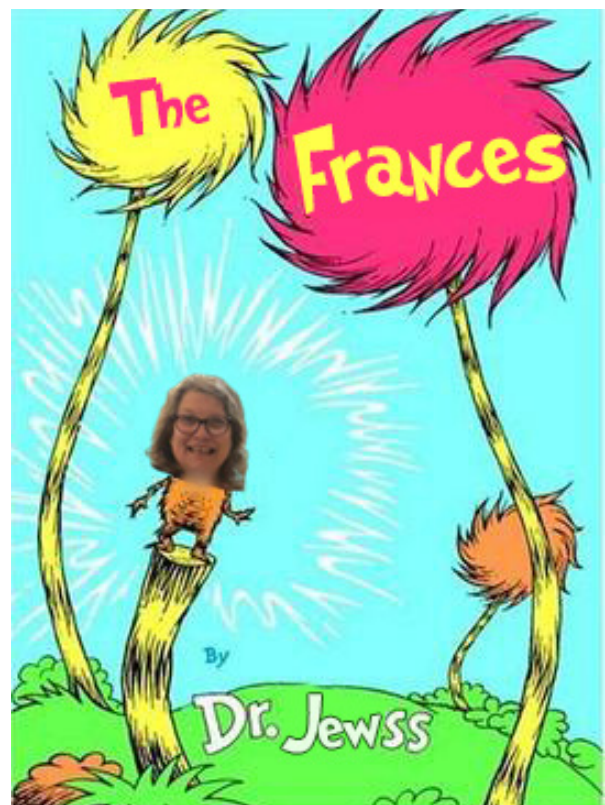
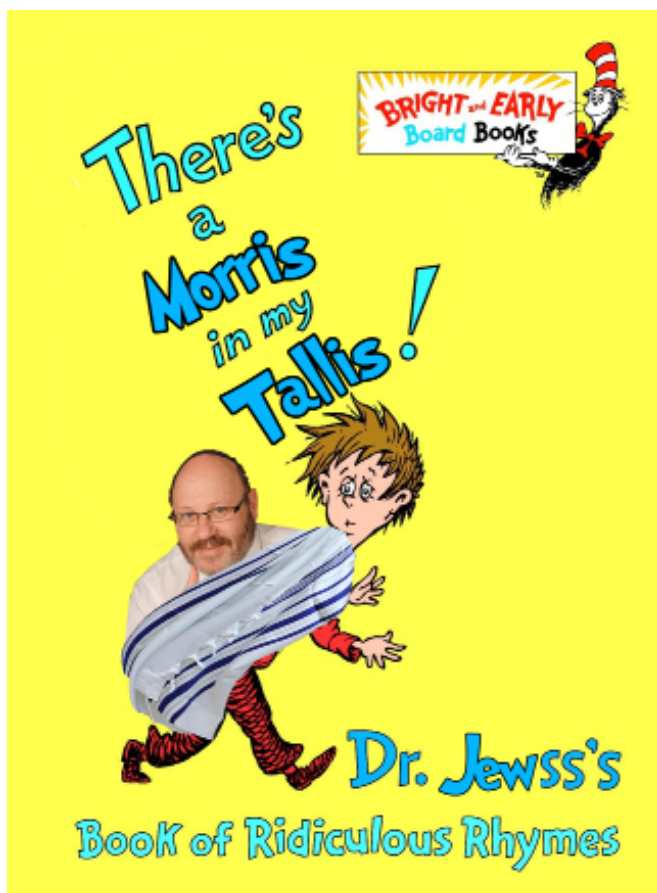
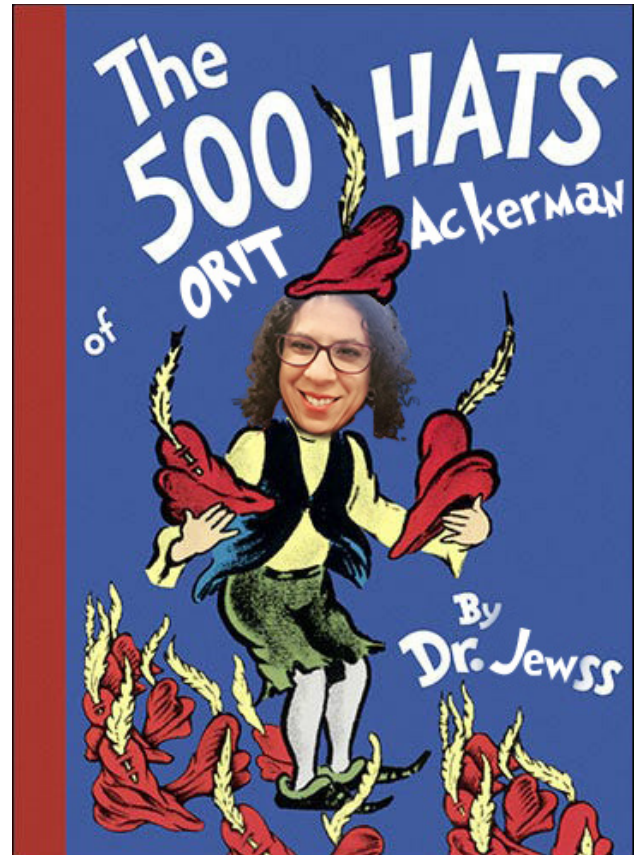
- Who's a good boy? Judaism and self Image.
- My human: The slippery slope to Idolatry.
- Dog backwards: coincidence or no?
- Canine kashrut: How do I move on from pig chews?

BOOK DONATION

An anonymous donor has gifted the nursery with a vast array of new Jewish books such as:

- There's a Morris In My Tallis
- How the Grinch Stole Hannukah
- Fox In Lachs
- And to Think That I Saw It On Victoria Curve
- McElligots Shul
- The Frances
- Green Eggs And Tofu Ham
- The 500 hats of Orit Ackerman
- The Schmear Battle Book
- Hop on Abba

And more!



NEW RIDESHARE SERVICE

Today is not only Purim, but Saint Patrick's Day. This is to say the drunkest day ever. You should not be driving.

Introducing Jewber.

No longer shall you schlep yourself around. No longer shall you require a designated driver. Grab some wine and you're still fine. This is a "semitic party night" and nobody deserves for that to be taken away from them.



Depending on the rank, your Jewber Driver may offer many amenities such as:

- Deli bar if you're hungry
- Cooler of Dr. Brown's if you're thirsty
- Tallis and Tefillin if you're yet to pray
- A Tanakh for some light reading
- The full run of "Seinfeld" available for streaming
- Complementary judgement from the driver based on your destination.

All you have to do is put in your location and destination and a driver will come and get you. The service is available to all, but Jews will receive an 18% discount.

BARRY GOLOB UNDER FIRE FOR SPREADING "MAXINE MISINFORMATION"

Maxine Rosenthal was shocked when she woke up earlier this week to find vicious lies about her posted on Barry's Facebook page.

Posts contained such untruths as "Maxine's favorite quilting fabric is burlap", and "Maxine rates her grandchildren a solid seven out of ten"

When reached for comment, Maxine had this to say:

"I just don't know why Barry would do this. It's a shanda! My grandchildren are perfect! And burlap is a terrible quilting fabric. It's far too flimsy. It would lose its shape as soon as you cut it down. Even if you somehow managed to keep it together, the final result just wouldn't look professional."



MEGILLAH READERS

THANKS!

Thanks to all our Megillah readers:

Chapter 1- Rabbi Shosh Dworsky

Chapter 2 - Jeremy Newberger

Chapter 3- Jeremy Newberger

Chapter 4- Sara Lynn Newberger

Chapter 5 - Rabbi Tamar Magill-Grimm

Chapter 6- Sara Lynn Newberger

Chapter 7- Sara Lynn Newberger

Chapter 8- Sara Lynn Newberger

Chapter 9- Natan Paradise

Chapter 10 - Rabbi Shosh Dworsky

Even if we drown you out from time to time, don't take it personally; we appreciate you!

DONATE TO BJUSY

IF, FOR SOME REASON, YOU FEEL THE NEED

Would you like to donate to BJUSY's Tikun Olam efforts? BJUSY supports many worthwhile causes, including, but not limited to organizations that support racial justice, fight gun violence, and provide microloans to people around the world (Which have been paid back, and we will reinvest soon in new microloans)!

BJUSY also helps the shul by (among other things) setting up chairs for the high holy days, putting on the Purim Carnival for Beth Jacob's youngest members, and producing this very LOL Ya'akov that you're holding!

If, for some reason, you should find yourself suddenly motivated to donate to BJUSY, just scan the QR code below with your phone's camera, or go to beth-jacob.org/bjusydonate.

Thanks in advance!



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NO NEED TO CRY

Have to perform a bris but forgot your kit? Introducing the newest multi-purpose tool, the Bris Army Knife. No need to fret any longer. This handy contraption contains anything a mohel could ever need:

- A flask of wine to sedate the baby
- A protective shield
- A wipe for the blood
- A roll of gauze
- And of course a scalpel for "the deed"

*A mohel background check will be required to purchase this product

