

EDOS SHABBAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Times	Friday	שבת	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Daf Yomi	5:30	7:30 AM	6:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30	5:30
Shacharit	6:45	Kriyat Shema: 9:30 9:00	7:30	6:30	6:00 8:30	6:45	6:30	6:45
Mincha	6:30	7:50	8:00	7:00	7:40	8:00	8:00	6:25
	🕯️: 7:58	🕯️: 8:57		Maariv: 8:45P	Maariv 8:45P Tisha B'Av			🕯️: 7:51

Readings	
ArtScroll Torah	938
ArtScroll Haftarah	1195

Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to everyone who is davening with us today.

Mazel Tov

Mazel Tov to Shimon Blau upon his engagement to Elysa Goldman. A special Mazel Tov to proud parents Hermine and George Blau and as well to the extended Blau and Goldman families.

Mazel Tov to Alex Amchislavskiy upon his forthcoming marriage to Rachel McSpadden, and his Aufruf today!

Events

Tisha B'Av—Monday evening, Mincha is at 7 PM so members may go home, eat the seudah mafseket. The fast begins at 8:13 PM. We return for Maariv at 8:45 PM, followed by Eicha and Kinot, along with words of inspiration by Rabbi Rapp. Tuesday morning there are two Shacharit services. The first at 6AM with abridged, traditional EDOS Kinot; and 8:45 AM Shacharit with full Kinot recitation and explanations by Rabbi Rapp. Rabbi Rapp gives a shiur at 7 PM, followed by Mincha on Tuesday evening at 7:40 PM. Maariv is at 8:45 PM. The fast ends at 8:55 PM.

Eclipse Trip—Monday, August 21st is the day of a solar eclipse that will reach totality in Wyoming and

EDOS Classes This Week			
Rambam Shiur	Rabbi Rapp	Shabbat	8:30 AM
Pirkei Avot	Rabbi Rapp	Shabbat	75 minutes before Mincha
Halacha Sugya	Rabbi Fleisher	Sunday	8:15 AM
Biblical Personalities	Rabbi Rapp	Sunday	After Maariv
Halacha Shiur	Rabbi Rapp	Monday Wednesday Friday	After Shacharit
Women's Lunch & Learn	Dr. Chaya Rapp	Wednesday	Noon
Israeli Holidays in Halacha	Rabbi Rapp	Wednesday	After Maariv
Talmud Bechorot	Rotation	Thursday	After Shacharit
Parasha Shiur	Rabbi Rapp	Thursday	After Maariv

Nebraska, a mere hop, skip, and a jump away. EDOS will rent 2 or 3 15-passenger vans to see the eclipse. The total cost per person will be \$40. This will include a seat on the van, food, (breakfast, soft drinks, snacks, and a BBQ on the return) and the special glasses which we already ordered.

If you prefer to drive your own car, we will charge \$15 per a person for the food and glasses. We plan to leave early in the morning (5 AM) to Cheyenne for Shacharit and breakfast. We will continue to Ayres National Bridge in Douglas to view the actual eclipse.

After the eclipse we head back and have a BBQ upon our return. If you are interested in joining the planned Shul trip, we need a firm commitment and payment no later than Sunday, July 30th.

Office Hours:

Shul Office: Rabbi Akiva Stern, Manager

Sunday: 8:00-9:00 AM

~~Tuesday: 5:45-7:45 PM~~

Thursday: 1:30-3:00 PM

Friday: 9:30 AM-Noon

E-mail: manager@edosdenver.org

Send bulletin announcements to

newsletter@edosdenver.org by Wednesday.

Oral announcements are due to the President

(president@edosdenver.org) by Thursday afternoon

Visit us online at www.edosdenver.org.

Notes

Update Email Addresses with Office—If you have not updated your email address with the office recently, please let manager@edosdenver.org know your preferred email address. This will allow us to contact you in a timely, reliable way.

Summer Learning Sponsors—We thank our Summer Learning sponsors, and would like to invite you to join them! To show your support, and endorse this program, please consider making a donation to EDOS in any of the following donor levels. Founder- \$1000; Pillar- \$850; Builder- \$700; Platinum- \$500; Diamond - \$360; Gold- \$250; Silver- \$180; Bronze - \$100; Donations can be made online by clicking [Donate](#), or just drop by the office! Thank you in advance for your support. We hope you, and the rest of the community, enjoys and grows in Torah learning from the EDOS Summer Learning.

Youth Activities

Follow NCSY on Facebook! [DenverNCSY](https://www.facebook.com/DenverNCSY). Yisrael Katz, ykatz@ncsy.org, 818-277-0727. Enjoy Summer break!

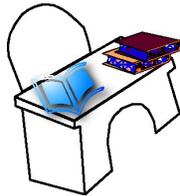
Condolences

We offer our condolences to Ellen and Mark Levine upon the passing of Joyce Sachter, Ellen's mother. May her memory be for a blessing. Mincha/Maariv at the Levine home, 180 S. Dahlia, 8 PM Sunday. Shacharit at 7 AM Friday and Monday, 8 AM Friday. Visiting hours Friday, 7-10, 1-3; Sunday, 8-11, 2-5, 7-9; Monday, 7-10, 2-5.

From The Rabbi's Desk

When Moshe retells the story of the war against עוג in this week's פרשה, he recounts that Hashem told Moshe that he need not fear עוג. Rashi comments that it was not the tremendous size of עוג (see ברכות נ"ד ע"ב) that concerned Moshe, since he was not afraid of any of the other giants. Rather, Moshe's concern was that עוג had a merit in that he was the one who informed אברהם that לוט had been taken captive.

Moshe's concern is hard to understand, given that no matter how great the merit of informing אברהם was, עוג had already received the reward of an extremely long life. Beyond that, Moshe must have known that the merits of אברהם and his descendants far



outweighed this one merit. Last, the מדרש tells us that עוג passed along the information because he hoped אברהם would die in battle and then עוג would be able to marry שרה! How could Moshe be concerned that בני ישראל would be overwhelmed by such a minor, dated, and not particularly impressive good deed?

Rav Avigdor Nevenzahl suggests that the answer lies in the משנה we focused on in our study of פרקי אבות last week - הוי זהיר במצוה קלה כבחמורה שאין אתה - Be as careful with a minor mitzvah as with a major one, for you do not know the rewards of the mitzvot. Even this good deed, which was done with bad intentions, had the ability to reap great rewards hundreds of years later.

Whenever we need some motivation to do the right thing, we should keep in mind that the rewards of what we might even consider a minor act may be beyond what we could imagine.

Upcoming Events

Shabbat, August 19th, Community Lunch

Monday, August 21st, Total Solar Eclipse Trip & BBQ

Kiddush

The Kiddush today is cosponsored by Rabbi Daniel Rapp in honor of receiving Chatan Torah; and Alex Amchislavskiy on the occasion of his Aufruf.

Community Events

Surviving Skokie—July 30th, 10AM-Noon. Special community screening of this engrossing film about a group of men and women who survives the horrors of the Holocaust only to face a virulent anti-Semite in America. This is the story of Jack Adler, who will address the audience following the film. The \$5/ticket cost has been graciously underwritten for the first 200 RSVPs. Location: The Hanger at Stanley, 2501 Dallas Street, #135. RSVP to tinyurl.com/SkokieScreening Info: Penny Nisson, 303-749-5016, pnisson@mizelmuseum.org

Chief Rabbi Israel Meir Lau in Denver—Sunday, August 13th, 7 PM, at BMH-BJ, Chief Rabbi Lau, a child survivor of Buchenwald who became Chief Rabbi of Israel, spends an exclusive evening here, his first time in Colorado. Donation of \$15 requested in advance, \$20 at the door. See Shlomo Fried for additional information.

Shabbat Shiur

The Shabbat Shiur, on Pirkei Avot, is 1 hour 15 minutes before Mincha. For the summer, the shiur is enhanced with an oneg.

Imagine a week without the Eruv. Do your part to keep it going!

It's only \$36 to sponsor a week of the East Side Eruv! Your announcement will be heard by all weekly callers. Call Barbara Schwartz, 303-394-3117, as far in advance as possible to reserve your week.

The ERUV hotline is 303-836-3788: DenverEruv.org: Check each week one hour before candlelighting.

EDOS can mail special cards from the Shul office for births, birthdays, anniversaries, engagements, condolences and Mazel Tovs. And your support means so much to the Shul!

If you wish to receive these announcements by E-mail, please visit denverjewish.com/mailman/listinfo/edos. This service is available to members and out-of-town family.
