

# PASSOVER

at Ramah Darom

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Program Book & Schedule  
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## Welcome to the Kaplan Mitchell Retreat Center at Ramah Darom (KMRC).

I am so glad you could join us for Passover 5778!

Passover is a celebration of the Jewish people emerging as one Am, one free nation. It is uplifting to see Jews of so many backgrounds, ages, and locations coming together to celebrate this holiday at Ramah Darom, which, at its core, is a place to explore and celebrate Judaism as a community, as one big family.

I thank the entire Ramah Darom team for building such an inspirational, creative and diverse program. This special annual retreat demonstrates the vision our founders and board members had of offering year-round Jewish experiential living and learning programs. We welcome you to this Passover Retreat and hope you will join us for more programs, simchas and celebrations this year and for many years to come.

Wishing you and your family a wonderful holiday.



### **Chag Sameach!**

Eliana Leader, Director, KMRC

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### **Dear Guests,**

As the Program Coordinator for this retreat I am excited to welcome you to Passover at Ramah Darom. This program book includes all the information you need to ensure a relaxing and meaningful stay.

Let us know if there is anything we can do to help make your Passover vacation more enjoyable. If you have any questions during the retreat about the program schedule or logistics, I or one of our Passover team staff will be happy to help you. Please check out the "Who's Who On Campus" on page 10 for contact information.

I look forward to connecting with you as we learn, sing, and celebrate together.



### **B'Shalom,**

Emily Kaiman, Program Coordinator, KMRC

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## AN OVERVIEW OF YOUR PASSOVER VACATION

Ramah Darom's warm, relaxed Passover community draws multigenerational guests from across the country and internationally, and includes singles, couples, families, young children, empty nesters, college students, and grandparents alike. We welcome new participants every year with open arms, and are also delighted to reunite with friends we see each year who have become extended family.

Throughout the first day, you will have the chance to familiarize yourself with the campus while we offer some basic programming. All meals are served in our Dining Hall, located on the upper level of the Levine Center, the hub of our campus. The Levine Center also houses our synagogue, multi-purpose room, library, and gym, and is where the Concierge Desk is located.

Yom Tov at Ramah Darom is a special time, with services, discussions, meditations, and hikes. Some people choose to dress up for Yom Tov. Generally, we encourage everyone to dress and participate as they feel comfortable - our daily dress code is casual. If the terrain is too challenging for you to walk, feel free to ride our campus shuttles, which run daily from 7:45am until 11:00pm (midnight on Seder nights). These shuttles will be available throughout your stay.

We provide "A Different Night" Haggadot for all guests, and of course each table is set with Seder plates, ritual items and Kiddush cups. Those choosing semi-private Seders may conduct their Seder at their own pace.

Throughout the holiday, our schedule includes activities for all levels of experience and knowledge, facilitated by our helpful, friendly faculty and staff. We'll have engaging discussions, children's activities, sports and games. On Chol Hamoed, in addition to group excursions, we will enjoy art projects, climbing, boating, movies, bonfires and so much more. Daily, our team of chefs will create spectacular, mouthwatering buffets and offer outstanding, personalized service.

Most importantly, don't worry about a thing. Our staff is ready to assist you. We look forward to a wonderful holiday experience together.

**Cover:** The photo on the cover is of alcohol ink wall art created in a session with Abby Maeir during Passover Retreat 2017.

# PASSOVER FROM "A" TO "Z"

**Accessibility:** All our recreational buildings are wheelchair/handicap accessible. Shuttles will run daily throughout campus with continued service between 7:45am and 11:00pm (midnight on Seder nights). Shuttle stops with seating are located at several clearly-marked locations throughout the campus. Please note that there is a low speed on campus for safety concerns and guests are constantly embarking and disembarking from the shuttles, so the wait time for a shuttle can be up to 30 minutes.

**Airport Transfers:** Transport from Ramah Darom to the airport will depart promptly at the stated departure time from the Welcome Center. Luggage must be placed at the Luggage Drop located in your cabin or outside your hotel door by 7:30am to be picked up by Ramah Darom Staff and brought to the bus. All shuttles will depart from the Welcome Center at 9:00am SHARP. Guests must arrive 30 minutes prior to bus departure time to check luggage onto the bus – not arriving at that time delays those passengers who have early return flights. Travel time between Ramah Darom and the airport is 2 to 2.5 hours depending on traffic. If you have any questions or concerns about your travel, the Concierge Desk is available to help.

**Babysitting:** We are pleased to offer babysitting for every night of your stay. Please see the Concierge Desk for questions regarding babysitting.

We offer group babysitting for children ages 8 and under during the two Seders for those who have registered in advance. Babysitting will be held in the Library on the ground level of the Levine Center. Parents must bring their child to the babysitters in the room, ensure they have been signed in, and must pick up their child and ensure the babysitter signs them out. Toys and sleeping mats will be available. Babysitters will have a list of the names of the children that have been signed up for babysitting as well as the table number of the parents for both Seder nights. Drop-ins will incur an additional charge, and be added to your final bill.

On non-Seder nights, private babysitting is available. Babysitting is charged at an hourly rate of \$15/hour, with a minimum 2-hour guarantee. (Limited number of babysitters available)

**Boxed Lunches:** For guests going on our chol hamoed excursions, independent day trips, or departing during Passover, we will have a daily buffet available where you may prepare boxed lunches or snacks for you and your family to bring with you.

**Business Center:** We understand many of our guests must stay connected with the outside world during their stay. We do ask that you be respectful of other guests' observances during Yom Tov and Shabbat and conduct your business in a private area. There is full WiFi access in every building on campus, however there are times that our breathtaking mountain terrain might pose some challenges to this. We will have shared workspaces available in the side-conference rooms of the Library every day of chol hamoed for your business needs.

**Candlelighting:** We will provide Shabbat and Yom Tov candles for candle lighting in the Dining Hall. Our daily schedule will include candle lighting times. You may not light candles in your room!

**Cars and Parking:** The speed limit on campus is 5mph. For everyone's security all cars belonging to guests must have a completed hanging mirror tag with your last name and room number prominently displayed. The parking tags will be provided for you at check-in. Guests may not use their vehicles to travel around campus.

Guests may park in the parking location designated on your hanging parking tag. Please park only in approved parking locations. It is extremely important to only park in designated parking areas to ensure smooth operation of our shuttle bus through the various roads around campus. Buses cannot turn around if cars are parked in non-designated areas. We will not be responsible for any damage caused to cars parked in illegal spaces.

**Cell Phone Use:** Cell phone signals can be spotty. We suggest enabling your WiFi calling if your phone has this feature. If you find a good spot, stay put!

**Check-In and Check-Out:** Check-in starts on March 29th at 2:30pm, on March 30th at 9:00am, and on April 3rd at 11:30am. (If your room is not yet ready on 4/3, we will hold your bags in the reception area until it is).

Check-Out for all guests is no later than 10:00am on your departure day. If you are departing mid-holiday, we invite you to remain on campus and enjoy the day's programming, after you have vacated your room, to allow us time to prepare for new arrivals.

**Children's Camp/Youth Programming:** Supervised youth programming will be offered daily by professional educators and experienced counselors. A daily Camp schedule will be available. Our Gan, (babies through 3 years old) and our Shorashim (K-2nd Grade) will spend their time with counselors enjoying activities and games throughout camp. Grades 3 and up will have the opportunity to select from electives that interest them each day. Etgar is the name of the special programming held for our teens. Please encourage your children to join us in all camp activities. There is a meeting for parents at the start of the program to go over all camp details and check-in/check-out procedures.

**Clothing:** Our atmosphere is casual. For Yom Tov and Shabbat we recommend bringing dressier attire. Temperatures can drop quickly in the evenings and early mornings so we do suggest layering your clothes. Bring comfortable shoes, and rain gear just in case!

**Coffee Service:** Coffee will be available each morning from 7:30–9:30am in five locations:

**Coffee Locations:** The Main Dining Hall of the Levine Center, the lobby of the Welcome Center, the kitchenette on the lower level of the Mountainside Hotel, the sitting room on the lower level of the Lakeside Hotel, and the community room in the Marcus Lodge.

**Concierge and Reception Services:** Our Concierge Desk is located at the Levine Center on the ground floor in the Portico area. Hours are from 8:00am–12:00pm and 2:00–6:00pm. Please note, on Shabbat and Yom Tov the Concierge Desk will be closed during morning service times. You will be able to schedule spa appointments, reserve babysitting, add/change excursion reservations, and check-out games and sports equipment at this window.

Our Reception Desk will be staffed 24 hours a day in the Welcome Center lobby. The reception desk phone number is (706) 782-9300 or 9300 from a campus land line. At the Reception Desk you will be able to report maintenance issues, and check for phone messages.

**Drinking Water:** All water on our property is underground mountain spring water – great for drinking! Reusable drinkware will be provided to guests at registration.

**Driving Directions:** Online mapping and navigation systems can be inaccurate in the mountains. If you intend to go off campus during your stay, please refer to the driving directions at the end of this "A-Z" information.

**Emergencies:** In the event of an emergency, call 911 or 7-911 from any landline on campus. Be prepared to state the nature of the problem and your location (70 Darom Lane, Clayton, Georgia 30525). Please also dial 9300 internally or (706) 782-9300 to reach our receptionist who will help notify a staff member of the situation.

**Excursions:** Guests participating in our off-site excursions must have registered and paid for the excursion prior to departure time. If you have not registered and would like to participate in any of these excursions, please visit the Concierge Desk. Cut off for registration is 10:00am the day prior to trip departure, and payment is due upon reservation (your authorized credit card on file can be used). Refunds will be provided only for cancellations made at least 24 hours in advance. Please inform our Concierge Desk ahead of time if you will not be going on your preselected excursion, or if you have sold your space to another guest.

Transportation to excursions will depart from behind the Levine Center at the shuttle stop area. Departure will be promptly at the stated departure time. Please note: Due to time constraints and respect for other guests we will not be able to wait for stragglers. Refunds will not be available if guests miss the bus. For your convenience, a boxed lunch/snacks buffet will be available each day.

**Food:** We are a kosher campus. Please help us maintain our Passover kashrut. All your meals, snacks and beverages are provided. Outside food is not allowed on campus.

**Kitniyot Options and Guidelines:** Under the guidance of Rabbi Joel Roth, our Rav Ha-Machshir, we have worked to set in place a system that both respects the tradition of many of our community members, while also catering to the specific needs of others. For additional resources or questions, please see Rabbi Daniel Greyber, our on-site Mashgiach.

**Here is the protocol for how kitniyot is prepared and served:**

- 1) All kitniyot will originate from products packaged and labeled as Kosher for Passover (כשר לפסח לאוכל קיטניות) from a recognized kashrut agency.

- 2) All kitniyot dishes will be clearly marked and served separately, from just inside the prep area of the kitchen, where all special dietary food needs are available.
- 3) Please note, the presence of kitniyot, even within a cooked food, does not render as hametz—either the prepared food itself or the utensils to prepare it, serve it, or eat it. Nevertheless, to accommodate the full and diverse range of our Passover participants, all dishes containing kitniyot will be separately prepared and cooked in our supervised kitchen.

**Games and Sports Equipment:** Sports equipment is readily available throughout campus for your enjoyment. Tennis rackets and tennis balls, as well as board games, can be checked out from the Concierge Desk. All checked out items must be returned to the Concierge Desk in the original condition, or charges for replacements will be assessed.

**Gym:** For safety reasons, only guests 16 and older are welcome to use our gym, located on the ground floor of the Levine Center. The gym is equipped with bikes, treadmills, elliptical, bench press benches, cross fit equipment, multi-purpose weight machine, medicine balls, gym bands and yoga mats. Please keep all gym equipment inside the gym.

**Heated Accommodations:** All accommodations are heated. Each cabin building has a thermostat located in the common entryway that controls all cabins within the building. Please be mindful of your neighbors needs if you change the setting of the thermostat.

**Housekeeping:** We offer light housekeeping service daily, which includes tidying rooms and cabins, collecting trash and replenishing towels. Help us stay "green" by using your door hangers in the hotels to alert us of your towel needs. Cabin guests will have access to clean towels outside of their bathrooms. Full-stay cabin guests receive 2 sets of sheets and pillow cases in the cabin on arrival. If you are a half-stay guest, and need an extra set of sheets, please request sheets from either the Welcome Center reception desk or Concierge Desk.

**Bed linens in hotels will be changed for full-stay guests as follows:**

- Welcome Center, Marcus Lodge, and Cottages on Wednesday, April 4th.
- Lakeside Hotel and Mountainside Retreat Hotel on Thursday, April 5th.

**Laundry:** For families wishing to have fresh personal laundry mid-program we offer a professional laundry service for \$36 a bag (max 12 lbs.), payable onsite or charged to your authorized credit card on file. Empty laundry bags and name tags are available at the Concierge Desk. If you want lights and darks laundered separately you'll require two laundry bags. Bags with your name tag attached must be dropped at designated Laundry Drop area in your cabin, or outside the front door of your hotel by 12:00pm on Wednesday, April 4th. Your laundry will be washed, folded and returned to your room/cabin after 3:00pm on Thursday, April 5th.

**Lost & Found:** The 'Lost and Found' table is located next to the stage, in the Main Dining Room. Please be sure to leave found items or check for lost items at this location.

**Luggage Service:** Luggage assistance will be available to all guests arriving and departing on the airport buses.

**IMPORTANT:** If you are taking a bus back to the airport on Tuesday, April 3rd or Sunday, April 8th and require luggage assistance, your luggage must be placed in the designated luggage drop location in your cabin or outside the front door of your hotel no later than 7:30am. Luggage will not be loaded onto the bus until it is identified by its owner. You will need to be at the bus 30 minutes before departure time to ensure that all your luggage is there, and to give approval to have it loaded onto the bus. The buses will be located at the Welcome Center and will leave Ramah Darom at 9:00am sharp.

**Massage Therapy:** Two female massage therapists will be available all week; appointments can be made at check in and throughout the week at the Concierge Desk. Payment is due to Ramah Darom at the time the appointment is made, and guests may pay with cash, check, or your authorized credit card on file. Massage fee includes tip.

Massage rooms are located in the Mountainside Retreat Hotel, middle floor (follow the signs). Please note that missed appointments cannot be refunded.

**Meals:** At our communal Seders, as well as at Shabbat Dinner, Kiddush will be recited aloud for the community; the buffet line will open thereafter. At all other meal times ritual items will be provided per table, as needed.

**Medical:** For minor medical issues, first aid kits are available at the Welcome Center reception desk, at the Concierge Desk, in the Marcus Lodge Hotel community room (ground floor), in the Mountainside Retreat Hotel kitchenette (lower level), in the Lakeside Hotel sitting room (bottom floor), and in the Main Dining Room.

We have a doctor on staff who will offer infirmary hours daily from 8:00–9:00am and again from 1:00–2:00pm. Our Infirmary is located on the lower level of the Levine Center, near the Concierge Desk.

**Optional Charges:** For everyone's convenience we require a credit card to be provided at check-in to be kept on file for any authorized on-campus charges such as laundry service, spa services, last minute add-ons, Ramah merchandise etc. You will be informed of charges being processed in advance, and a receipt will be sent to your email.

**Prayers:** All participants are welcome to join in daily prayer services. Times are listed in the Program Book. Please bring your own kippot, tallit, tefillin, if it is your custom, as Ramah Darom does not provide these items.

**Room Keys:** Hotel room keys are available upon request. Keys must be returned to the Reception Desk prior to check-out or a charge of \$50 will be assessed.

**Running/Walking Off Property:** If you intend to run or walk on the road outside of our property, please be aware that there are dogs in the area that might not be as friendly as we at Ramah Darom are!

**Seders:** Please plan to be seated 10 minutes before Seder start times. Alphabetical Seder seating assignments will be posted in the Dining Room. There is a Shabbat elevator available for your convenience.

**Smoking:** Smoking is not allowed inside any building. There is a designated smoking area on the back porch outside of the Mountainside Dining Hall. A fee will be assessed to rooms or areas showing evidence of smoking or smoke damage.

**Swimming:** Our campus has a swimming pool and a lake. Swimming and boating are allowed only during designated hours, while lifeguards are on duty. Don't forget to bring your swimsuits!

**Telephones:** Passover guests can be reached through our reception desk at 706-782-9300. Telephones are located in cabins and hotel rooms for your use. To call a hotel room or cabin from a campus phone, dial the four-digit extension for the room you are trying to reach. Extension numbers are located on a sheet in the drawer of the side table in the hotel rooms, or next to the phone in the cabins. Cabin phones are for emergency or on campus calls only. To call outside of campus from other campus phones dial 7 for a dial tone. Local 706 area code calls and 800 calls can be dialed directly. Other long-distance calls require a calling card.

**Transport:** On site shuttles will run daily throughout campus from 7:45am until 11:00pm. On Seder nights shuttles will run until midnight. Shuttle stops, with seating, are located at several clearly marked locations.

**Valuables:** Ramah Darom is not responsible for any missing or lost items. If you are uncomfortable leaving valuables in your room, please leave them locked in your car (at your own risk).

**Wireless Access:** Wireless internet service is available throughout the facility via **RetreatGuestWIFI**. If you are having any issues connecting to the internet please call the customer support line at 1.800.257.6290 (no calling card required).

# RAMAH DAROM PASSOVER 2018 EXCURSIONS

## Tallulah Gorge State Park

\$20 per Person

Monday, April 2nd 9:00am-1:30pm & Thursday, April 5th 9:00am-1:30pm

Come along for a ranger led hike, or explore on your own! Tallulah Gorge State Park is a 2,689-acre state park that surrounds Tallulah Gorge, a 1,000-foot deep gorge formed by the action of the Tallulah River, which runs along the floor of the gorge. The major attractions of the gorge are the six waterfalls known as the Tallulah Falls, which cause the river to drop 500 feet over one mile.

## Sunburst Stables (Horseback and ATV Rides)

Monday, April 2nd 1:00-5:00pm & Thursday, April 5th 1:00-5:00pm

Located near Helen, GA. Guests can experience the beautiful scenic area on horseback or ATV.

### **Horseback Rides \$95 per Adult 8+, \$40 per Child ages 4-7 with Adult**

Sunburst offers guided horseback trail rides into the Chattahoochee National Forest on 4,000 acres of beautiful mountain trails. Rides are suitable for any experience level, and riders 7 years and older ride on their own horse. Riders under 7 may ride double with a parent. Double riders sit behind the parent in a small seat and are required to hold on to a handle during the ride.

### **ATV Rides \$95 per Adult 16+, \$40 per Child Ages 4-15 with Adult**

We will follow a 5 -mile loop of mountain terrain guided by experienced guides. Speed depends on terrain and experience of the riders. Visit a gold mine and drive through the cave. See the mini animal farm as we cruise leisurely back to base camp. 16 year olds (accompanied by parent) may ride alone. Tour accommodates younger children who ride with parent on ATV. Minimum age 4 years old.

## Fun Factory

\$30 per Person

Monday, April 2nd 1:30-6:00pm & Wednesday, April 4th 1:00-5:15pm

Located in scenic Franklin, NC., The Factory is Western North Carolina's premier destination for great family fun. Enjoy over 100 arcade games, the region's largest go cart track, bumper cars, carousel, laser tag, indoor mini golf, a kid's play area for smaller children and much more. Ramah Darom will provide each person with a pre-loaded \$15 game card for an afternoon of fun!

## The Great Smoky Mountain Railroad

\$100 per Adult, \$75 per Child Age 2-12, \$10 per Toddler Under Age 2

Tuesday, April 3rd 8:00am-5:00pm

Take a ride alongside the beautiful Nantahala River on our Nantahala Gorge Excursion! Departing from Bryson City, this 4½ hour excursion carries you 44 miles to the Nantahala Gorge and back again arriving at our Bryson City Depot. Enjoy the sights and sounds of the Great Smoky Mountains while traveling along the Tennessee and Nantahala (nan-tuh-HAY-luh) River. The historic trellis bridge Fontana Trestle takes you across Fontana Lake and into the beautiful Nantahala Gorge. Arrive at the Nantahala Outdoor Center (NOC) for a one-hour layover where you can relax by the river or enjoy sightseeing! The Nantahala Gorge Excursion operates March through October.

## Brasstown Bald

\$20 per Person

Tuesday, April 3rd 9:45am-1:15pm

Brasstown is the highest point in Georgia. Located in Northeast Georgia, the mountain is known to the native Cherokee people as Enotah. Enjoy the scenic ride through the North Georgia Mountains to the beautiful viewing spot. Walk or ride a van to the top and enjoy your picnic lunch where, on a clear day, you can see all the way to Atlanta.

### **North Georgia Canopy Tours (Zipline)**

\$75 per Person

Tuesday, April 3rd 9:00am-2:30pm & Wednesday, April 4th 9:00am-2:30pm

Allow 3 hours for this twelve zipline tour with over one mile of cable. The Adventure Tour includes two sky bridges, three nature walks, the fastest zips on the course, zips over three ponds, two zips over the North Oconee River, and a rappel. Race a partner on the thrilling finale - a 695-foot dual zip over the Hilltop Pond in front of the Observation Deck. Ages 10-17 must be with a parent. Weight requirement – must be between 70-250 lbs.

### **Take Me Out to the Ball Game!**

\$56 per Person Age 3+, \$20 per Child Age 2 and Under.

Wednesday, April 4th 8:30am-6:30pm

Join us for a day game of the Atlanta Braves vs. Washington Nationals at Suntrust Park in Atlanta.

### **"Let Freedom Ring" Tour at the Center for Civil and Human Rights/King Center**

\$60 per Adult, \$55 per Child Age 7-12, \$36 per Child Age 3-6, Free for Children Age 2 and Under

Wednesday, April 4th 8:30am-6:30pm

Travel to Atlanta to visit the Center for Civil and Human Rights, which is a museum dedicated to the achievements of both the civil rights movement in the United States and the broader worldwide human rights movement. Then head over to The King Center, the official memorial of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The day scheduled is the 50th anniversary of Dr. King's assassination in Memphis.

### **Georgia Aquarium**

\$70 per Adult, \$65 per Seniors Age 65+, \$65 per Child Age 3-12, Free for Children Age 2 and Under

Wednesday, April 4th 8:30am-6:30pm

The Georgia Aquarium is a public aquarium in Atlanta, GA. It houses more than a hundred thousand animals and represents several thousand species, all of which reside in 10 million US gallons (38,000 m<sup>3</sup>) of marine and salt water. The Aquarium's notable specimens include whale sharks, beluga whales, California sea lions, bottlenose dolphins, and manta rays.

### **Atlanta City Pass**

\$110 per Adult, \$95 per Child Age 4-12, Free for Children Age 3 and Under

Wednesday, April 4th 8:30am-6:30pm

Walk around Downtown Atlanta for the day with this amazing pass that offers you admission to Atlanta's top attractions, handpicked and packaged together at a significant savings. CityPASS Admission Includes Georgia Aquarium, World of Coca-Cola, CNN Studio Tours, Zoo Atlanta, Center for Civil and Human Rights, Fernbank Museum of Natural History and the College Football Hall of Fame

### **The Biltmore**

\$100 per Person, \$60 per Child Age 9 and Under

Thursday, April 5th 8:30am-6:30pm

Built in 1895 near Asheville NC., The Biltmore is the largest private home in the United States. The Biltmore has the natural beauty of the mountains and the majestic house and gardens to beguile us, inspire us, and allow us to escape from the everyday. The Biltmore is still family owned, and still passionate about its mission of preservation through self-sufficiency – a philosophy embraced before the first stone was ever placed.

# IMPORTANT CONTACT INFO.

## Contacts

### WHO'S WHO ON CAMPUS

*and who or where to ask about what...*

| WHO  | WHAT  |
|--|---|
| <b>Emily Kaiman</b>  | Programming, Scheduling,<br>Logistics, Staff Support  |
| <b>Michael Fingerman or<br/>Sarah Attermann</b>  | Kid's Camp, Teen Programs,<br>Babysitting   |
| <b>Katie Hendricks or<br/>Joey Heyman or<br/>Concierge Desk or<br/>Welcome Center Desk</b> | Spa Services, Game Check-Out, Sports<br>Equipment, General Needs, or to report<br>any issues in your cabin or hotel |
| <b>Dani Carrus</b>   | Gan Program   |
| <b>Randy Gorod</b>   | Excursions, Transportation  |

### RAMAH DAROM PHONE NUMBERS

|                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| <b>Clayton Office</b> | (706) 782-9300 |
| <b>Atlanta Office</b> | (404) 531-0801 |

# DAILY SCHEDULE

## THURSDAY, MARCH 29: WELCOME!

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION               |
|--------------|--|------------------------|
| 2:30-11:00pm | <b>Check in &amp; Welcome</b>  | Welcome Center         |
| 3:00-6:00pm  | <b>Sports Facilities Open</b>  | Sports Fields & Courts |
| 3:00-6:00pm  | <b>Boating</b>   | Lake                   |
| 3:00-6:00pm  | <b>Open Climbing Tower and Giant Swing</b>   | Climbing Tower         |
| 3:00-6:00pm  | <b>Open Art Studio with Judy Robkin and counselors</b><br>Stop by to play, create, and get your hands dirty with fun crafts  | Art Building           |
| 6:00-6:15pm  | <b>Mincha</b> (Prayer Service)   | Synagogue              |
| 6:00-8:00pm  | <b>Dinner</b>  | Dining Room            |
| 7:30-8:15pm  | <b>Search for Chametz Scavenger Hunt</b>   | Meet in the Synagogue  |
| 8:15-8:30pm  | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service) <b>and Bedikat Chametz</b>  | Synagogue              |
| 8:00-11:00pm | <b>Open Night Swing</b>  | Giant Swing            |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Adult Evening Program: Pre-Passover Welcome Party</b><br>Join us for drinks, music, complementary chair massages, and hands on DIY fun while getting to know the other Passover Retreat participants! | Dining Room            |

Religious Services

Learning & Lectures

Arts & Media

Eats & Drinks

Outdoors & Wellness

Youth & Teen

Family Friendly

Fun & Games

\*NOTE: When you see color behind an event, preregistration is required!

## THURSDAY, MARCH 29: WELCOME!

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION          |
|--------------|--|-------------------|
| 9:00-10:30pm | <b>Ramah Darom Film Series: Mel Brooks: Make a Noise</b><br>Showcasing the Brooklyn native's brilliant, skewed originality, Mel Brooks: Make A Noise features never-before-heard stories and new interviews with Brooks, Matthew Broderick, Nathan Lane, Cloris Leachman, Carl Reiner, Joan Rivers, Tracey Ullman and others. This career-spanning documentary of the man behind Blazing Saddles, Young Frankenstein, The Producers, Spaceballs and of course The 2000 Year Old Man journeys through Brooks' professional and personal ups and downs, providing a rare look at a living legend, beloved by millions. | Multipurpose Room |

## FRIDAY, MARCH 30

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|--------------|--|--|
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>                            | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b> | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |

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| 7:30-8:45am    | <b>Shacharit</b> (Morning Prayer Service) and <b>Ta'anit Bekhorot</b> (Siyum for First-born Children)  | Synagogue                         |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Hatha Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A thoughtful, breath-oriented class emphasizing foundation and alignment with an introduction to intermediate yoga poses to help students safely deepen their practice. Beginners welcome! For students with a developing practice, an alignment-based flow. Learn how to work safely in deeper variations and address postural imbalances. | Multipurpose Room                 |
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>   | Dining Room                       |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary                         |
| 9:00am-3:00pm  | <b>Check-in &amp; Welcome</b>  | Welcome Center                    |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!   | Dining Room, look for table cards |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>Burning of Chametz</b>  | Lakeside Firepit                  |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Lake Open</b>   | Lake                              |

# FRIDAY, MARCH 30

| TIME             | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|------------------|--|--|
| 9:30-10:00am     | <b>Parents Meeting &amp; Kids Program Kickoff for All Ages Gan through Teens!</b>  | Synagogue  |
| 9:30am-12:00pm   | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off at the Synagogue, pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| *10:00am-12:00pm | <b>Hand-Made Beaded Necklaces with Judy Robkin</b><br>Try your hand at making paper and fabric beads. We will use your creations to make a one-of-a-kind necklace.   | Art Building   |
| *10:00am-12:00pm | <b>Painted Glass Miriam's Cup with Abby Maeir</b><br>A "Miriam's Cup" brings honor to a heroic woman whose faith, poise and wisdom gave comfort to Jews and helped them overcome hardships during their Exodus from Egypt. Using acrylic paints and stencils, you'll create your own Miriam's Cup by designing a colorful wine glass that will represent strength and honor at your table. | Art Building   |
| 10:00-11:00am    | <b>Freedom From or Freedom To: Abraham Joshua Heschel's Radical Understanding of Freedom with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>Rabbi Heschel, in his writing on freedom as a central theme in the Jewish tradition, presents a radically different approach to freedom than the basic read of the Biblical Exodus would have you think.  | Synagogue  |
| *10:00-11:00am   | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".  | Archery Range  |
| 11:00am-12:00pm  | <b>Theologies of the Amidah with Sam Blustein</b><br>Come and analyze the Avot prayer of the Amidah, as we uncover the multiple theologies that lie within and how they might connect to our lives at different times.   | Synagogue  |
| *11:00am-12:00pm | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".  | Archery Range  |



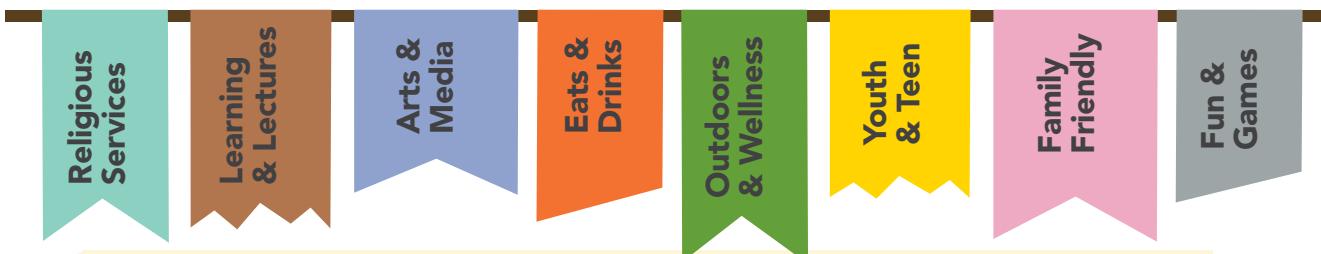
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# FRIDAY, MARCH 30

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
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| 12:00-1:30pm | <b>Lunch</b>   | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-2:00pm  | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |
| *1:30-4:30pm | <b>Adults-Only Climbing and Giant Swing</b>  | Climbing Wall & Tower  |
| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |
| *1:30-3:30pm | <b>Book Making with Judy Robkin</b><br>Construct hand-made books which can be used as journals or sketch books.  | Art Building   |
| *1:30-3:30pm | <b>Painted Glass Miriam's Cup with Abby Maeir</b><br>A "Miriam's Cup" brings honor to a heroic woman whose faith, poise and wisdom gave comfort to Jews and helped them overcome hardships during their Exodus from Egypt. Using acrylic paints and stencils, you'll create your own Miriam's Cup by designing a colorful wine glass that will represent strength and honor at your table. | Art Building   |
| 1:30-2:30pm  | <b>"Minhag Ramah" with Rabbi Josh Heller</b><br>Early Seder? Trichetzas? All your questions answered about the halachic basis for some of Ramah's distinctive Passover practices, with the chair of the Rites and Rituals Subcommittee of the Conservative Movement's Committee on Jewish Law and Standards.   | Synagogue  |
| 2:45-3:45pm  | <b>Warrior Women in the Tanakh: A Closer Look at Deborah and Yael in the Age of #timesup with Rabbi Penina Alexander</b>   | Synagogue  |
| 2:45-3:45pm  | <b>Total Conditioning Mat Class with Megan Moran</b><br>A fun fusion of Pilates, Yoga, and PiYo that blend movements to develop core strength and flexibility primarily using our own body weight. This class aims to improve our mind-body awareness with low impact movements. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness.             | Multipurpose Room  |
| 3:45-5:45pm  | <b>Lake Open</b>   | Lake   |
| 3:45-5:00pm  | <b>Rest and Prepare for Seder</b>  |  |
| 4:00-5:00pm  | <b>Dialogue and Dissent: The Subversive Potential of Talmud in the Age of Trolling, Twitter Wars, and "Fake News" with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br>This session will frame the series of teachings that Rabbi Labovitz will be offering throughout the Passover Retreat.  | Synagogue  |

# FRIDAY, MARCH 30

| TIME          | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION                 |
|---------------|--|--------------------------|
| 5:00-6:00pm   | <b>Light Meal For Families</b>   | Under the Portico        |
| 5:00-6:00pm   | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Anthony Franklin, Ramah Darom General Manager</b>   | Lakeside Pavilion        |
| 6:30-7:30pm   | <b>Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat, and Maariv</b> (Prayer Services)  | Synagogue                |
| 6:45-7:35pm   | <b>Candlelighting Available</b>  | Dining Room              |
| *7:30-11:45pm | <b>Group Babysitting Available</b>   | Library                  |
| 7:45pm        | <b>First Seder: Communal Seder with Pella</b><br>Join the energetic Pella Singers as they lead an interactive, musical, educational, and entertaining communal Seder. Families and participants of all ages will be engaged in songs, rituals, activities, skits, and discussions that will make the Seder seem to fly by. | Lakeside Dining Room     |
| 7:45pm        | <b>First Seder: Communal Seder with Rabbi David Paskin</b> Our communal seder will come to life with song, dance and celebration. We'll remember our ancient escape from Egypt and wonder what enslaves us today. Join us as old meets new with familiar traditions, new tunes and contemporary meaning.                   | Mountainside Dining Room |
| 7:45pm        | <b>First Seder: Semi-Private Seder with Family and Friends</b>   | Main Dining Room         |



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# SATURDAY, MARCH 31: YOM TOV 1

| TIME           | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION   |
|----------------|---|--|
| OPEN ALL DAY   | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>   | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY   | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b>  | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you. | Multipurpose Room  |
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!  | Dining Room, look for table cards                                    |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Traditional Egalitarian Service</b>  | Synagogue  |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Alternative Chanting and Meditation Service with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>Along with chanting many texts/songs of the Jewish liturgy, we will use our time to practice mindful breathing and the act of self reflection on the themes of Pesach - freedom, love of the stranger, our relationships with God, and our relationships with our community. | Lakeside Pavilion  |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Junior Congregation: A service for kids only!</b><br>(Geared to grade school age kids)   | Library  |
| 10:45-11:30am  | <b>Tot Shabbat with the Grossberg Sisters</b><br>A service geared to young children and families through kindergarten.  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-5:00pm    | <b>Pool Open</b>  | Pool   |
| 1:30-4:00pm    | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>  | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink         |

# SATURDAY, MARCH 31: YOM TOV 1

| TIME            | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION                 |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm | <b>Love Your Enemies? First Steps Toward a Jewish Response with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br><i>Jesus famously tells his disciples to love their enemies. What, exactly, does he mean by this, and is he departing from Tanakh when he says it? In this session we'll try to make sense of the Gospel of Matthew, see what precedents in Tanakh Jesus might (or might not) have had, and ask: Is loving your enemies a good thing? A bad thing?</i> | Synagogue                |
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm | <b>Is Mindfulness Jewish? with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br><i>An introduction to Jewish Mindfulness Meditation will look at basic Mindful philosophy and examine its potential Jewish roots.</i>   | Multipurpose Room        |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>Building Singing Communities with Joey Weisenberg</b><br><i>Using concepts, actions and visions from his book Building Singing Communities, Joey discusses strategies for bringing people together to make music a lasting and joy-filled force in shul and Jewish life. We will sing, discuss, and have time for Q&amp;A.</i>   | Synagogue                |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>From Pharaoh to Today's Middle East Leaders with Efraim Chalamish</b><br><i>How the Middle East of today creates new alliances and opportunities for the Jewish State. While it took the Jews 40 years to travel to Zion, will a flight from Saudi Arabia to Tel Aviv make it shorter?</i>   | Multipurpose Room        |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>Pick-Up Basketball Game</b>  | Covered Basketball Court |
| 4:00-<br>5:30pm | <b>Panel Discussion: Jewish Life – The Next 25 Years</b><br><i>Moderated by Joey Heyman. Panelists: Rabbi Aaron Alexander, Rabbi Shai Held, Rabbi Ashira Konigsburg, and Eliana Leader.</i>   | Synagogue                |
| 4:00-<br>5:00pm | <b>Rest and Prepare for Second Seder</b>  |                          |
| 5:00-<br>6:30pm | <b>Family Seder with Rabbi David Paskin</b><br><i>Join Rabbi David for a short, sweet and superb seder for families of all ages. Join us in an ancient Israelite tent as we sing our way through the seder and dance our way out of Egypt with Miriam the prophet. The food will be plentiful and the celebration will be hopping (but not with frogs!)</i>   | Lakeside Dining          |



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# SATURDAY, MARCH 31: YOM TOV 1

| TIME          | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION                 |
|---------------|---|--------------------------|
| 5:00-6:00pm   | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.   | Multipurpose Room        |
| 5:00-6:00pm   | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Howard Zandman, Ramah Darom Board President</b>  | Lakeside Pavilion        |
| 5:45-6:15pm   | <b>Mincha (Afternoon Prayer Service)</b>  | Synagogue                |
| 6:15-7:15pm   | <b>"In a Place Where There is No One...": Models of Leadership in Exodus from Shifra, Puah, Pharaoh, Moses, Aaron, and Miriam with Rabbi Jason Kimelman Block</b><br><i>The Exodus contains a variety of models of leadership. What can we learn from them in confronting contemporary challenges on our society?</i>   | Synagogue                |
| 7:15-7:30pm   | <b>Maariv (Evening Prayer Service) Available</b>  | Synagogue                |
| *7:30-11:45pm | <b>Group Babysitting Available</b>  | Library                  |
| 7:45pm        | <b>Second Seder: Community Seder for the Mind, Heart, and Stomach with Rabbi Josh Heller</b><br><i>Together we'll talk about the meaning of Passover, sing songs that you have always loved, and get you to dinner on time!</i>   | Mountainside Dining Room |
| 7:45pm        | <b>Second Seder: Semi-Private Seder with Family and Friends</b><br><i>Semi-Private Seders may begin as late as 8:45pm. Please let us know if you plan to begin late.</i>  | Main Dining Room         |
| 8:30-8:45pm   | <b>Maariv (Evening Prayer Service) Available</b>  | Library                  |
| 8:35pm        | <b>Candlelighting Available</b>   | Dining Room              |
| 8:45pm        | <b>Second Seder: Pella "Campfire Style" Traditional Seder</b><br><i>At this more traditional Seder, Pella Singers will be seated at a center table with all of their guests' tables circled around them campfire-style. The singers will go around the circle and recite and sing the complete traditional text of the Seder. They'll delight everyone with extemporaneous explanations and impromptu storytelling—and, of course, lots and lots of group singing, including taking your song requests.</i> | Lakeside Dining Room     |

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## SUNDAY, APRIL 1: YOM TOV 2

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|--------------|--|--|
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>                            | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b> | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |

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|----------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br><i>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you.</i>  | Multipurpose Room                 |
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>  | Dining Room                       |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary                         |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br><i>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!</i>   | Dining Room, look for table cards |
| 9:15-10:15am   | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br><i>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.</i>  | Lakeside Pavilion                 |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Traditional Egalitarian Service</b>  | Synagogue                         |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Alternative Service: Prayer in the Round Silence and Sound with Eliana Light</b><br><i>There is magic in the moment after a community has raised their voices together. This service seeks to embrace these moments by moving from song to quiet, without the interference of talking. Intentionally selected melodies old and new will be followed by moments of silence and reflection, allowing each individual to find their place in the whole. This service will use acoustic instruments.</i> | Lakeside Pavilion                 |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Junior Congregation: A service for kids only!</b><br><i>(Geared to grade school age kids)</i>  | Library                           |
| 10:45-11:30am  | <b>Tot Tefillah with the Grossberg Sisters</b><br><i>A service geared to young children and families through kindergarten.</i>  | Multipurpose Room                 |
| 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>  | Dining Room                       |

## SUNDAY, APRIL 1: YOM TOV 2

| TIME        | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|-------------|--|--|
| 1:00-2:00pm | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-5:00pm | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |
| 1:30-4:00pm | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-3:00pm | <b>Intermediate Hike with Rabbi Ashira Konigsburg</b>  | Meet Under the Portico                                       |
| 1:30-2:30pm | <b>Ramah Darom A Cappella Choir</b><br><i>All ages are invited to participate in the Ramah Darom Choir. The Choir meets for one hour daily and will lead Musaf on the 7th Day of Pesach. The music is joyous, infectious, and great fun!</i>   | Multipurpose Room  |
| 1:30-2:30pm | <b>Do the Egyptians Need an Exodus Too? The Amazing Vision of the Prophet Isaiah with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br><i>According to the book of Exodus, God wants the Egyptians to come know God and recognize God through God's dramatic liberation of the Israelites. But in an amazing prophecy, Isaiah imagines the Egyptians knowing God in a very different way—through God's saving them from their own oppressors. What is going on here, and why does it matter?</i>   | Synagogue  |
| 1:30-2:30pm | <b>The Talmudic Story of Rabbi Plimo and Satan: The Ethical Challenge of Overcoming the Emotion of Disgust in Striving Toward a Moral Life with Rabbi Jeffrey Rubenstein</b><br><i>In this fascinating Talmudic story, a rabbi challenges Satan and fails a test of his virtue. The story features disgust, an emotion that has played an important role in contemporary debates about same-sex marriage and other issues. We will study this story in light of contemporary and Jewish sources on the role disgust should or should not play in morality.</i> | Library  |
| 2:45-3:45pm | <b>Defining the Boundaries of Jewish Community: Walls, Fences, and/or Doorways (Text Study) with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b>   | Synagogue  |
| 2:45-3:45pm | <b>Wrestling with Meat: Ritual, Ethics and the Marketplace with Devora Kimelman Block</b><br><i>How can Jews navigate the marketplace of ideas and consumer choices concerning meat eating? We will not only delve into our tradition, but will explore the complicated issues of our modern food chain spurred by concerns over the health, animal welfare and the environmental impact of animal consumption. Omnivores and vegetarians welcome.</i>   | Library  |
| 2:45-3:45pm | <b>Restorative Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br><i>Suitable for all ages, this practice invites you to slow down and create space for stillness while nourishing your body. This is a perfect class for beginners and those working with injury, limited mobility, or those who prefer a softer, gentler approach to yoga and wellness.</i>  | Multipurpose Room  |

## SUNDAY, APRIL 1: YOM TOV 2

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION               |  |
|--------------|--|------------------------|--|
| 2:45-3:45pm  | <b>Pick-up Hockey Game</b>   | Hockey Rink            |  |
| 4:00-5:00pm  | <b>The Daughter of a Voice and the Words of the Living God with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br><i>Eruvin 13b &amp; Yevamot 13b-14a. When does debate become factionalism? When both sides of a debate make valid arguments, by what criteria do we decide who "wins," and how strictly do we then enforce the outcome?</i> | Synagogue              |  |
| 4:00-5:00pm  | <b>Family Activity: Exodus Walk</b><br><i>In every generation, we are commanded to feel as if we were let out of Mitzraim. How can we do that? Join us for a nature walk/experiential learning trip to see. Wear closed toe comfortable walking shoes.</i>   | Meet Under the Portico |  |
| 4:00-5:00pm  | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br><i>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.</i>   | Multipurpose Room      |  |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Eliana Leader, Ramah Darom Retreat Center Director</b>  | Lakeside Pavilion      |  |
| 6:00-6:15pm  | <b>Mincha</b> (Afternoon Prayer Service)   | Synagogue              |  |
| 6:00-7:30pm  | <b>Dinner</b>  | Dining Room            |  |
| 7:30-8:30pm  | <b>Family Game! Yom Tov Spell-It-Out-Spell-it-Out</b><br><i>A fast paced race of spelling. Think Wheel of Fortune meets Speed Scrabble meets Relay Race.</i>   | Multipurpose Room      |  |
| 7:30-8:30pm  | <b>Wine Tasting with Brad Semon</b>  | Dining Room            |  |
| 7:30-8:45pm  | <b>Panel Discussion: In Pursuit of Social Justice</b><br><i>Moderated by Rabbi Ari Kaiman with Rabbi Jason Kimelman Block, Rabbi Aaron Alexander, Devora Kimelman Block, Rabbi Shai Held.</i>  | Synagogue              |  |
| 8:45-9:00pm  | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service)   | Synagogue              |  |
| 9:00-9:30pm  | <b>Havdallah and Songs with Rabbi David Paskin</b>   | Dining Room            |  |
| 9:30-10:30pm | <b>Eric &amp; Happie in Concert</b><br><i>Come listen to Eric &amp; Happie playing original music off their debut indie-folk album It's Yours, their debut Jewish music album Hamavdil, and new songs off of their upcoming sophomore indie-folk album arriving this summer.</i>                                       | Dining Room            |  |

## SUNDAY, APRIL 1: YOM TOV 2

| TIME         | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION          |
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| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Ramah Darom Film Series: Praying with Lior</b><br>Praying with Lior asks whether someone with Down Syndrome can be a "spiritual genius." Many believe Lior is close to God - at least that's what his family and community believe, though he's also an inspiration, a burden, and a friend. | Multipurpose Room |
| 9:30-11:00pm | <b>Breezy Wind Chimes with Found Objects with Abby Maeir</b><br>What could be more soothing than listening to wind chimes on a breezy day? In this workshop, you'll design & create your own wind chime using found objects, metal and glass embellishments and nature's treasures.             | Art Building      |

## MONDAY, APRIL 2: CHOL HAMOED

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| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>   | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b>                                      | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Open work space in the side conference room of the library available. Bring your laptop.</b> | Library, Side Conference Rooms                                       |

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| 7:45-8:45am | <b>Running Group with Louis Lapat</b><br>Come meet other runners for an early morning jog around our beautiful campus.   | Meet in front of the Welcome Center |
| 7:45-8:45am | <b>Hatha Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A thoughtful, breath-oriented class emphasizing foundation and alignment with an introduction to intermediate yoga poses to help students safely deepen their practice. Beginners welcome! For students with a developing practice, an alignment-based flow. Learn how to work safely in deeper variations and address postural imbalances. | Multipurpose Room                   |
| 7:45-8:45am | <b>Shacharit</b> (Morning Prayer Service)  | Synagogue                           |

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| TIME           | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|----------------|--|--|
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>   | Dining Room  |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!   | Dining Room, look for table cards                            |
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| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Lake Open</b>   | Lake   |
| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Unleash Your Inner Activist: How to Start Your Own Activist Community with Devora Kimelman Block</b><br>A year ago Devora started a resistance activist group called Unleash Your Activist. Unleash helps folks find their voices and their way to action and draws on Jewish values as members educate themselves and determine their actions. Unleash supports immigrants, refugees, and asylum seekers and does election work for candidates who stand for an inclusive America. Come hear about Unleash and starting an activist group. | Synagogue  |
| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Outdoor Bootcamp Fitness with Chana Balk</b><br>This class is a mix of cardio, strengthening exercises and core conditioning. We will use the great outdoors as a "gym." Modifications are available for all fitness levels.  | Meet Under the Portico                                       |
| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.  | Multipurpose Room  |
| *9:30-10:30am  | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".  | Archery Range  |
| *9:45-11:45am  | <b>Discarded Book Bird Houses with Judy Robkin</b><br>Made from discarded library books and other salvaged finds, these repurposed birdhouses are the ultimate in upcycling.   | Art Building   |
| *9:45-11:45am  | <b>Resin Spoon Pendants with Abby Maeir</b><br>This workshop makes it crystal clear that resin jewelry offers endless possibilities for your creative touch. Layer your favorite gems, beads, steam punk and word art into a piece of wearable art. Fun shapes and molds make it super easy to produce stunning results.   | Art Building   |

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| 9:45-<br>11:45am   | <b>Jewish Songwriting Seminar with Eric &amp; Happie</b><br><i>The world of Jewish music is more vibrant than ever and is growing with beautiful music from songwriters of all generations. Come study the art of songwriting with inspiration from Jewish ideas, values, and texts.</i>  | Synagogue  |
| 10:45-<br>11:45am  | <b>Beyond "Tikkun Olam": Jewish Articulations of Social Justice with Rabbi Jason Kimelman Block</b><br><i>How has Judaism been understood to inspire social change work? What are the core concepts in Jewish thought, religion, and history that have inspired people? We will study Jewish teachings related to social change as well as activists who articulated their work in compelling Jewish ways, looking at sources from the ancient to the modern, including Talmud, Rambam, Emma Goldman, A.J.Heschel, and Betty Friedan.</i> | Synagogue  |
| 10:45-<br>11:45am  | <b>DanceFit with Carol Means</b><br><i>Join this fun Zumba-like dance class with low to moderate impact.</i>  | Multipurpose Room  |
| *10:45-<br>11:45am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br><i>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow &amp; arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".</i>  | Archery Range  |
| 12:00-<br>1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-<br>2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-<br>3:30pm    | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>  | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-<br>3:30pm    | <b>Pool Open</b>  | Pool   |
| *1:30-<br>3:30pm   | <b>Hand-Made Beaded Necklaces with Judy Robkin</b><br><i>Try your hand at making paper and fabric beads. We will use your creations to make a one-of-a-kind necklace.</i>   | Art Building   |
| *1:30-<br>3:30pm   | <b>Wall Art That Wows with Abby Maeir</b><br><i>You're the mastermind behind a gorgeous masterpiece created by colorful alcohol inks. You'll use gravity, canned air and other innovative techniques to create stunning patterns and effects on ceramic tiles that will burst with color. After sealing the tiles, they'll be mounted on a painted piece of wood and ready to take home to hang on your wall.</i>   | Art Building   |
| *1:30-<br>3:30pm   | <b>Aluminum Can Flower Bouquet with Terri Jacobson</b><br><i>Learn how to make beautiful folk art flowers using recycled aluminum cans. These flowers can be "planted" in window boxes or gathered together and placed in a vase. Lucky for you...they never need watering!</i>   | Art Building   |

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| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Photography 101 Workshop with Ori Salzberg</b><br>Explore the basics of photography in this beautiful natural setting. We'll focus on portraits, wildlife and family action shots. Bring your camera or smartphone.  | Meet Under the Portico |
| 1:30-2:30pm  | <b>Ramah Darom A Cappella Choir</b><br>All ages are invited to participate in the Ramah Darom Choir. The Choir meets for one hour daily and will lead Musaf on the 7th Day of Pesach. The music is joyous, infectious, and great fun!   | Multipurpose Room      |
| 1:30-2:30pm  | <b>God Is Everywhere, So Why Are We Still Searching? with Daniel Grossberg</b><br>The poet of Psalm 139 can't escape God's presence. A German, a Welsh and an Israeli poet tell us why they can't even find God. We will read these pieces and see if they match our views.   | Synagogue              |
| 2:30-3:30pm  | <b>Total Conditioning with Megan Moran</b><br>A class using a variety of free weights, body weight and calisthenics to improve overall total body conditioning. Improve strength, flexibility, and cardiovascular health. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness. | Multipurpose Room      |
| 2:30-3:30pm  | <b>Of "Snake Ovens" and Sore Winners with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br>Bava Metzia 58b-59b. Can rabbis overrule God?! How God handles "losing" an argument, and how the rabbis (mis)handle winning.   | Synagogue              |
| 3:45-5:45pm  | <b>Lake Open</b>  | Lake                   |
| 3:45-5:45pm  | <b>Open Family Climbing Wall</b>  | Climbing Wall          |
| 3:45-5:45pm  | <b>Open Archery (Ages 8+)</b> with Yale Nogin   | Archery Range          |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Wire Kippot with Marilyn Rose</b><br>Using wire and beads we will make lively wire kippot that will be ready to wear in a few hours.   | Art Building           |



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| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Concrete - It's Not Just For Sidewalks Anymore with Abby Maeir</b><br>Cement your creativity in this fun workshop where you'll be amazed how easy it is to design wearable art with this industrial material. Choose from charms, beads & other embellishments to make one-of-a-kind pendants that are relatively lightweight and extremely durable.  | Art Building         |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Hamsa Embroidery Hoop (To Hang) with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Hamsot come in many beautiful patterns and are a very popular design element in Jewish homes. Create your own hamsa embroidery and "frame" it for hanging in an embroidery hoop. Participants should know how to complete basic hand sewing. We will learn embroidery stitches. Please bring glasses for close up work.  | Art Building         |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>When the Kids Took Over the Study Hall... and Taught Some Magnificent Torah with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br>The Talmud relates a playful but serious story about a day when little children took over the Beit Midrash and, by interpreting the letters of the Hebrew alphabet, taught what they thought was the core of Torah. In this session, we'll let them teach us too.   | Synagogue            |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Family Activity: Top Chef Charoset</b><br>Let your creative juices flow as you team up to prepare unique charoset to be tasted by our panel of judges.  | Lakeside Dining Room |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you.  | Multipurpose Room    |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Eliana Sings (About Jewish Things!) with Eliana Light</b><br>What does a yad, washing cup, mezuzah, and t'fillin have in common? They're all Jewish things, and we'll sing about them and a dozen more ritual objects in this interactive, educational, super-fun concert for folks of all ages.  | Synagogue            |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Where is the Love? A Lost Language With Potentially Severe Implications with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>While the love of God and God's love for man was an essential element of the Jewish belief system not too long ago, it has most recently been replaced by a more intellectual, scholarly Judaism. And yet, as can be seen through various Jewish texts, it might not only be essential to the Jewish expression of faith but also serve as a response to our most basic of anxieties. | Multipurpose Room    |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.  | Multipurpose Room    |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Fred Levick, Ramah Darom CEO</b>  | Lakeside Pavilion    |

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| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION             |
|--------------|--|----------------------|
| 6:00-7:30pm  | <b>Dinner</b>  | Dining Room          |
| 6:00-6:15pm  | <b>Mincha</b> (Afternoon Prayer Service)   | Synagogue            |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Kid's Movie: Prince of Egypt</b> Drop off for 3rd Grade and up.   | Library              |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>The Art of the Nigun with Joey Weisenberg</b><br>Focusing on beautiful old melodies that may have been lost by history, as well as his own compositions, we will collectively bring this music to life. Drawing on nigunim (wordless melodies), nusah (prayer chant) and other musical styles, participants will explore the soul of any melody.  | Synagogue            |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Open Art Studio with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Come and enjoy an evening of playful art.  | Art Building         |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Wine and Watercolor with Marilyn Rose</b><br>Have fun losing your marbles. Using the natural qualities of watercolor pigments and water, we will create playful paintings—no drawing experience necessary—using swirled glass marbles as our inspiration.   | Art Building         |
| 8:00-10:30pm | <b>Adults-Only Night Odyssey</b>   | Odyssey Ropes Course |
| 8:45-9:00pm  | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service)   | Synagogue            |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Adult Program: Team Trivia Night</b><br>Come with friends and family, or join a table, and enjoy snacks and drinks, as you battle other teams to correctly answer the most questions and win Ramah SWAG!  | Dining Room          |
| 9:30-11:00pm | <b>Ramah Darom Film Series: Lemon Tree</b><br>Hiam Abbass of The Visitor won the Israeli Academy Award as Best Actress for her powerful portrayal of a lonely Palestinian widow who tends her family's West Bank lemon grove. But when the new Israeli Defense Minister and his wife move next door, the government demands that the trees be uprooted. Can two women from opposite sides of the fence find justice in a country and culture divided by intolerance? | Multipurpose Room    |



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# To our first-half guests: See you next year!

## Guests preregistered for the airport bus:

If you want luggage pick-up, please leave your bags in the designated "luggage drop" location, or in front of your hotel room door by 7:30 am. The bus will depart from the Welcome Center for the Atlanta airport at 9:00 am sharp.

# Welcome to our second half guests!

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|--------------|---|--|
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>   | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b>                                      | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Open work space in the side conference room of the library available. Bring your laptop.</b> | Library, Side Conference Rooms                                       |

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| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Outdoor Bootcamp Fitness with Chana Balk</b><br>This class is a mix of cardio, strengthening exercises and core conditioning. We will use the great outdoors as a "gym." Modifications are available for all fitness levels.   | Meet Under the Portico                                       |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you. | Multipurpose Room  |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Shacharit (Morning Prayer Service)</b>   | Synagogue  |
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!  | Dining Room, look for table cards                            |
| 9:30am-3:30pm  | <b>Check in &amp; Welcome for 2nd Half Guests</b><br>PLEASE NOTE: Your room will not be ready until the afternoon. We are happy to hold your luggage while you enjoy the day's activities.  | Welcome Center   |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>  | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Lake Open</b>  | Lake   |

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|---------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| 9:30-10:30am  | <b>The Splinter in Your Eye, the Beam in Mine with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br>Arakhin 16b. How do I tell you you're just wrong or behaving wrongly? What do I do when you tell me the same?   | Synagogue                           |
| 9:30-10:30am  | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.   | Multipurpose Room                   |
| 9:30-10:30am  | <b>Running Group with Louis Lapat</b><br>Come meet other runners for a morning jog around our beautiful campus.   | Meet in front of the Welcome Center |
| *9:30-10:30am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target". | Archery Range                       |
| *9:45-11:45am | <b>Painting without a Brush with Judy Robkin</b><br>Using a straw and fluid acrylic paints, we will create beautiful abstract flower paintings.   | Art Building                        |
| *9:45-11:45am | <b>Wishy Washy Pendants with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Create a beautiful pendant (or two) with typical washers from a hardware store. We will use alcohol inks for color as well as copper and aluminum wire for embellishments. Some students may even want to incorporate metal stamping to create a message on their pendant.                       | Art Building                        |
| *9:45-11:45am | <b>Watercolor Flowers with Marilyn Rose</b><br>After a quick introduction to watercolor, we will apply that knowledge to some simple still life paintings.  | Art Building                        |
| 9:45-11:45am  | <b>Songleader Training</b><br>Eric & Happie have, independently and as a duo, song-led around the world and trained songleaders of all ages. This workshop focuses on philosophy, technique, and repertoire and is geared toward the experience level of each individual community.   | Synagogue                           |

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| 10:45-11:45am  | <b>DanceFit with Carol Means</b><br>Join this fun Zumba-like dance class with low to moderate impact.  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 10:45-11:45am  | <b>The Righteous Mind: Why Good People Are Divided by Religion and Politics</b><br>Shai Robkin together with his son, Rabbi Ayal Robkin, delve into the insights of NYU social psychologist Jonathan Haidt, exploring them from both evolutionary psychological and traditional Jewish perspectives.   | Library  |
| *10:45-11:45am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".                          | Archery Range  |
| 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>   | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-3:30pm    | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-3:30pm    | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |
| *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Adults-Only Climbing Tower and Giant Swing</b>  | Climbing Tower   |
| *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Silk Infinity Scarves with Marilyn Rose</b><br>You will doodle your way to making a lovely and colorful silk infinity scarf. When the secret ingredient is added, the inks will spread and your patterns will become transformed into a freeform textile pattern.   | Art Building   |
| *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Resin Spoon Pendants with Abby Maeir</b><br>This workshop makes it crystal clear that resin jewelry offers endless possibilities for your creative touch. Layer your favorite gems, beads, steam punk and word art into a piece of wearable art. Fun shapes and molds make it super easy to produce stunning results.   | Art Building   |
| *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Totally Terrific Tape Transfer with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Who knew that magazine pictures could be worn around your neck, made into a bracelet, or turned into earrings?! We will choose drawings, photographs and prints from magazines to transfer onto packing tape. The transferred image will then be made into jewelry for you or another. <i>Totally Terrific!</i> | Art Building   |

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| 1:30-<br>2:30pm  | <b>The Torah of Music with Joey Weisenberg</b><br><i>Drawing from Joey's 2017 National Jewish Award winning book The Torah of Music participants will explore the spiritual teachings of music by studying various Jewish musical-spiritual texts and stories. We will sing, too. Where there is song there is prayer.</i><br><i>(Brachot 6a) במקום רנה שם תהא תפללה</i>              | Synagogue         |
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm  | <b>Ramah Darom A Cappella Choir</b><br><i>All ages are invited to participate in the Ramah Darom Choir. The Choir meets for one hour daily and will lead Musaf on the 7th Day of Pesach. The music is joyous, infectious, and great fun!</i>  | Multipurpose Room |
| 2:30-<br>3:30pm  | <b>Total Conditioning Mat Class with Megan Moran</b><br><i>A fun fusion of Pilates, Yoga, and PiYo that blend movements to develop core strength and flexibility primarily using our own body weight. This class aims to improve our mind-body awareness with low impact movements. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness.</i> | Multipurpose Room |
| 2:30-<br>3:30pm  | <b>Underconstructionist Judaism: Taste the Rainbow! with Rabbi David Paskin</b><br><i>There is beauty in all of the movements of Judaism. There is also a threat of entrenching ourselves so much in our respective movement that we miss the forest for the trees. How can the Jewish people survive post-denominationalism?</i>   | Synagogue         |
| 3:45-<br>5:45pm  | <b>Lake Open</b>  | Lake              |
| 3:45-<br>5:45pm  | <b>Open Climbing Tower and Giant Swing</b>  | Climbing Tower    |
| *3:45-<br>5:45pm | <b>Concrete - It's Not Just For Sidewalks Anymore with Abby Maeir</b><br><i>Cement your creativity in this fun workshop where you'll be amazed how easy it is to design wearable art with this industrial material. Choose from charms, beads &amp; other embellishments to make one-of-a-kind pendants that are relatively lightweight and extremely durable.</i>                    | Art Building      |
| *3:45-<br>5:45pm | <b>Drawing Bootcamp with Marilyn Rose</b><br><i>Always wanted to draw, but didn't know where to begin? Anyone can draw, all it takes is this simple introduction and you will have the tools and knowledge to be able to begin some illustrated journaling which is so popular today.</i>   | Art Building      |

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| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Discarded Book Bird Houses with Judy Robkin</b><br>Made from discarded library books and other salvaged finds, these repurposed birdhouses are the ultimate in upcycling.  | Art Building                  |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Totally Terrific Tape Transfer with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Who knew that magazine pictures could be worn around your neck, made into a bracelet, or turned into earrings?! We will choose drawings, photographs and prints from magazines to transfer onto packing tape. The transferred image will then be made into jewelry for you or another. Totally Terrific! | Art Building                  |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Family Activity: Family Talent Show</b><br>All acts are welcome. Intergenerational participation encouraged. Sign-Up at the Concierge Desk.  | Amphitheater                  |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Restorative Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>Suitable for all ages, this practice invites you to slow down and create space for stillness while nourishing your body. This is a perfect class for beginners and those working with injury, limited mobility, or those who prefer a softer, gentler approach to yoga and wellness.                                      | Lakeside Pavilion             |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Why Do We Pray? With Sam Blustein</b><br>Together we'll explore three different Biblical and Rabbinic models of prayer. How can these apply to our lives and enhance our prayer experiences?   | Synagogue                     |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.   | Multipurpose Room             |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Make America-Israel Relations Great Again with Efraim Chalamish</b><br>The new U.S. administration and the new signed U.S.-Israel strategic agreement for the next 10 years may change the landscape for years to come. Where are we heading in U.S.-Israel relations?   | Synagogue                     |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Emily Kaiman, Ramah Darom Retreat Center Program Coordinator</b>   | Lakeside Pavillion            |
| 6:00-6:15pm  | <b>Mincha</b> (Afternoon Prayer Service)  | Synagogue                     |
| 6:00-7:30pm  | <b>Dinner</b>   | Dining Room                   |
| 7:30-9:30pm  | <b>Family Bonfire and Open Night Swing</b>  | Lakeside Fire Pit/Giant Swing |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Family Project: Shrink Plastic Bookmarks with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Shrinky Dinks bring back fond childhood memories for many of us. Children, parents and grandparents, join together to create one of a kind "magically" shrinking bookmarks that any literature lover will long for.  | Art Building                  |

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| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Open Art Studio with Marilyn Rose and Abby Maeir</b><br><i>Come finish up your projects, and enjoy an evening of art.</i>   | Art Building      |
| 8:45-9:00pm  | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service)   | Synagogue         |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Rising Song Gathering</b><br>Join musician, prayer leader, awarding author and teacher extraordinaire Joey Weisenberg, for an intimate gathering of communal singing, in which we will bring our voices and join the energy of the evening. Beautiful collective nigunim (wordless melodies) alternate with Joey sharing new songs and stories.   | Synagogue         |
| 9:00-10:30pm | <b>Ramah Darom Film Series: Waltz with Bashir</b><br>Inspired by actual events, <i>Waltz with Bashir</i> chronicles one man's descent into his own half-forgotten past. Filmmaker Ari Folman, an Israeli veteran of the First Lebanon War, encounters an old friend suffering from nightmares of the conflict. Ari begins to wonder why his own memories are full of gaps. In an effort to uncover the truth, he reconnects with old friends and dares to confront the horrors of war. Hailed as "innovative" and "devastating," <i>Waltz with Bashir</i> fuses animation and documentary to create an experience unlike anything you've ever witnessed. | Multipurpose Room |
| 9:00-10:00pm | <b>Israel and the Asian Renaissance with Efraim Chalamish</b><br>Trade, investment, and national security trends helped China, India, and other Asian nations to discover Israel. What are the recent developments and what does it mean for Israel's politics and economics?  | Library           |

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|  | OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>   | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
|  | OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b>                                      | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |
|  | OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Open work space in the side conference room of the library available. Bring your laptop.</b> | Library, Side Conference Rooms                                       |

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|  | 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Running Group with Louis Lapat</b><br>Come meet other runners for an early morning jog around our beautiful campus.   | Meet in front of the Welcome Center                          |
|  | 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Hatha Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A thoughtful, breath-oriented class emphasizing foundation and alignment with an introduction to intermediate yoga poses to help students safely deepen their practice. Beginners welcome! For students with a developing practice, an alignment-based flow. Learn how to work safely in deeper variations and address postural imbalances. | Multipurpose Room  |
|  | 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Shacharit (Morning Prayer Service)</b>  | Synagogue  |
|  | 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>   | Dining Room  |
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|  | 9:00-9:30am    | <b>A Daily Dose of Talmud with Rabbi Aaron Alexander</b><br>A daily shiur offering insight into the rabbinic mind and its logical methodologies. Bring your breakfast!   | Dining Room, look for table cards                            |
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|  | 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Lake Open</b>   | Lake   |
|  | 9:30-10:30am   | <b>The Perfect Storm of the StartUp Nation with Shai Robkin</b><br>Not likely to be replicated. What unique factors turned Israel's lackluster economy into the technology powerhouse that it is today? Countries around the world have and are studying Israel's secret sauce but none are likely to succeed.   | Synagogue  |
|  | 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Torah Trope 101 with Doug Brook</b><br>The chants you've been waiting for! In just one session, the mystery of how people chant Torah, Haftarah, Esther – all the greatest hits – gets demystified. You won't leave knowing all the melodies, but you'll know how they work, see that even you (yes, you) can do it, and be intrigued for more!                                     | Multipurpose Room  |

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| 9:30-10:30am  | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.   | Lakeside Pavilion      |
| 9:30-10:30am  | <b>Outdoor Bootcamp Fitness with Chana Balk</b><br>This class is a mix of cardio, strengthening exercises and core conditioning. We will use the great outdoors as a "gym." Modifications are available for all fitness levels.   | Meet under the Portico |
| *9:30-10:30am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target". | Archery Range          |
| *9:45-11:45am | <b>Watercolor Flowers with Marilyn Rose</b><br>After a quick introduction to watercolor, we will apply that knowledge to some simple still life paintings.  | Art Building           |
| *9:45-11:45am | <b>Book Making with Judy Robkin</b><br>Construct hand-made books which can be used as journals or sketch books.   | Art Building           |
| 9:45-11:45am  | <b>Family Project: Shrink Plastic Bookmarks with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Shrinky Dinks bring back fond childhood memories for many of us. Children, parents and grandparents, join together to create one of a kind "magically" shrinking bookmarks that any literature lover will long for.  | Art Building           |
| 10:45-11:45am | <b>Don't go to a Shiva House Hungry and Other Lessons About Comforting the Mourner with Rabbi David Paskin</b><br>Sitting shiva is hard - making a shiva call can be just as hard. What should we do? What should we say? How can our presence help heal the wounds of loss?  | Synagogue              |
| 10:45-11:45am | <b>Total Conditioning with Megan Moran</b><br>A class using a variety of free weights, body weight and calisthenics to improve overall total body conditioning. Improve strength, flexibility, and cardiovascular health. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness.                             | Multipurpose Room      |



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## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4: CHOL HAMOED

|  | TIME           | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |  |
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|  | *10:45-11:45am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".  | Archery Range  |  |
|  | 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>   | Dining Room  |  |
|  | 1:00-2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |  |
|  | 1:30-3:30pm    | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |  |
|  | 1:30-3:30pm    | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |  |
|  | *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Adults-Only Odyssey</b>   | Odyssey Course   |  |
|  | *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Painting Without a Brush with Judy Robkin</b><br>Using a straw and fluid acrylic paints, we will create beautiful abstract flower paintings.  | Art Building   |  |
|  | *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Silk Infinity Scarves with Marilyn Rose</b><br>You will doodle your way to making a lovely and colorful silk infinity scarf. When the secret ingredient is added, the inks will spread and your patterns will become transformed into a freeform textile pattern.   | Art Building   |  |
|  | *1:30-3:30pm   | <b>Wishy Washy Pendants with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Create a beautiful pendant (or two) with typical washers from a hardware store. We will use alcohol inks for color as well as copper and aluminum wire for embellishments. Some students may even want to incorporate metal stamping to create a message on their pendant.  | Art Building   |  |
|  | 1:30-2:30pm    | <b>Let My People Go: The Jewish Slave Owner's Seder on the Eve of Abolition with Joey Heyman</b><br>General Robert E. Lee surrendered on April 9, 1865. Passover began the very next night. We'll take a deeper look into the lesser discussed Southern Jewish slave owners, and the experience of freeing their Black slaves on the very night they celebrate their own freedom from Egypt. Inspired by, and including readings from Matthew Lopez's play The Whipping Man. | Synagogue  |  |
|  | 1:30-2:30pm    | <b>Ramah Darom A Cappella Choir</b><br>All ages are invited to participate in the Ramah Darom Choir. The Choir meets for one hour daily and will lead Musaf on the 7th Day of Pesach. The music is joyous, infectious, and great fun!  | Multipurpose Room  |  |

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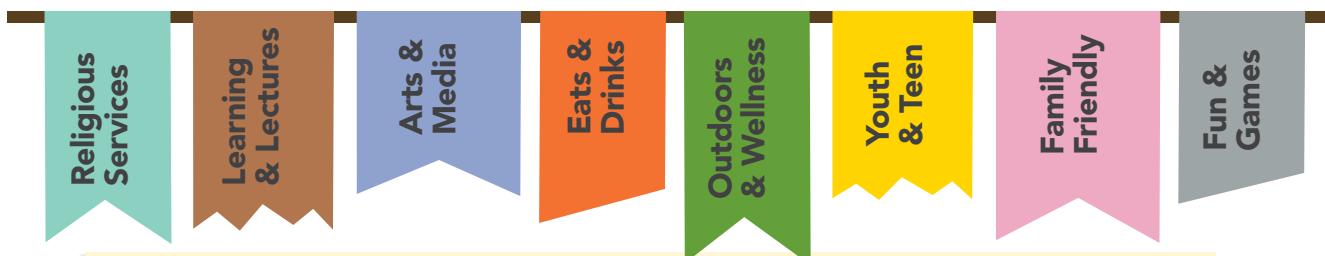
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| 2:30-3:30pm | <b>Total Conditioning Mat Class with Megan Moran</b><br>A fun fusion of Pilates, Yoga, and PiYo that blend movements to develop core strength and flexibility primarily using our own body weight. This class aims to improve our mind-body awareness with low impact movements. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness. | Multipurpose Room |
| 2:30-3:30pm | <b>Offering Our Prayers with Sam Blustein</b><br><i>The language of sacrifice often disturbs us in prayer. How can we use these moments to uplift our spirit instead?</i>  | Synagogue         |
| 3:45-6:30pm | <b>Artists and Authors Marketplace and Fair</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 3:45-5:45pm | <b>Lake Open</b>   | Lake              |
| 3:45-5:45pm | <b>Open Archery (Ages 8+)</b> with Yale Nogin  | Archery Range     |
| 3:45-4:45pm | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you.                      | Lakeside Pavilion |
| 3:45-4:45pm | <b>Advanced Halakhah: When Life Obligations and Religious Obligation Collide</b><br>A Medieval Response to an Eternal Question with Rabbi Aaron Alexander (Sources in Hebrew).   | Synagogue         |
| 3:45-4:45pm | <b>"The Lady and the Peddler" by Agnon and, Would You Believe, — Vampires? With Daniel Grossberg</b><br>We will read and discuss the Hebrew Nobel laureate's short story that treats the position of the Jew in Christian society through the medium of a vampire tale.  | Library           |
| 3:45-4:45pm | <b>Family Activity: Whose Line Is It Anyway? Ramah Darom Style</b><br>Come for our own version of this improv show. Leave your inhibitions at the door!  | Multipurpose Room |



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| 5:00-5:30pm  | <b>All About Summer Camp with Rachel Dobbs Schwartz</b><br>Come learn what a summer at Ramah Darom looks like, and how YOU can be a part of it!  | Multipurpose Room |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.  | Lakeside Pavilion |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Another Brick in the (Jewish) Wall with Efraim Chalamish</b><br>2017 was defined as a turning point in American Jewry - Israel relations. The Western Wall controversy and the conversation crisis have triggered a serious debate about the future of the Diaspora. Is the crisis real? What will shape the challenges and opportunities of the relations in the years to come?        | Synagogue         |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Wine Tasting with Brad Semon</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 6:00-6:15pm  | <b>Mincha</b> (Afternoon Prayer Service)   | Synagogue         |
| 6:00-7:30pm  | <b>Dinner</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Teen Night Odyssey</b>  | Odyssey Course    |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Kid's Movie: Inside Out</b>   | Library           |
| 7:30-8:45pm  | <b>Songs of Change with Eric and Happie</b><br>The history of the Jewish people is one highlighted by moments of great struggle and change. Throughout times of persecution and discrimination, we, and other suffering communities, have used song and music as a means of communal strengthening. Come learn and sing songs of change and anthems of civil rights movements new and old. | Pizza Patio       |
| 8:45-9:00pm  | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service)   | Synagogue         |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>A Celebration of Fred Levick</b><br>Join us for an evening to celebrate our CEO of the past 18 years with a musical Pella Concert, toasts and more!   | Dining Room       |



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| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>   | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b>                                      | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Open work space in the side conference room of the library available. Bring your laptop.</b> | Library, Side Conference Rooms                                       |

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| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Outdoor Bootcamp Fitness with Chana Balk</b><br><i>This class is a mix of cardio, strengthening exercises and core conditioning. We will use the great outdoors as a "gym." Modifications are available for all fitness levels.</i>  | Meet Under the Portico                                       |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br><i>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you.</i>  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Shacharit (Morning Prayer Service)</b>   | Synagogue  |
| 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>Morning Middot with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br><i>Join this daily shiur where we will look into our choices, forgive our mistakes and push further down the path of cultivating character through the practice of Middot. Today's Middah-Zerizut: Laziness and Alacrity</i>  | Dining Room, look for table cards                            |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>  | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 9:30am-12:00pm | <b>Lake Open</b>  | Lake   |
| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Thirsting For A Distant God with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br><i>What do we do when we are (or feel) far away from God? What is it like to feel a thirst for God that is so intense that we feel physically parched? Can we hold despair and hope, anger and confidence, all at the same time? In this session, we'll examine Psalms 42-43, a magnificent poetic prayer about yearning for a God who seems all too far away. We'll read the text closely, line by line, and also explore the many complex issues of faith and spirituality that it raises.</i> | Synagogue  |

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| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.   | Multipurpose Room                   |
| 9:30-10:30am   | <b>Running Group with Louis Lapat</b><br>Come meet other runners for a morning jog around our beautiful campus.   | Meet in front of the Welcome Center |
| *9:30-10:30am  | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".   | Archery Range                       |
| *9:45-11:45am  | <b>Wall Art That Wows! with Abby Maeir</b><br>You're the mastermind behind a gorgeous masterpiece created by colorful alcohol inks. You'll use gravity, canned air and other innovative techniques to create stunning patterns and effects on ceramic tiles that will burst with color. After sealing the tiles, they'll be mounted on a painted piece of wood and ready to take home to hang on your wall. | Art Building                        |
| *9:45-11:45am  | <b>Handmade Beaded Necklaces with Judy Robkin</b><br>Try your hand at making paper beads and fabric beads. We will use your creations to make a one-of-a-kind necklace.   | Art Building                        |
| *9:45-11:45am  | <b>Hamsa Embroidery Hoop (to hang) with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Hamsot come in many beautiful patterns and are a very popular design element in Jewish homes. Create your own hamsa embroidery and "frame" it for hanging in an embroidery hoop. Participants should know how to complete basic hand sewing. We will learn embroidery stitches. Please bring glasses for close up work.                       | Art Building                        |
| 10:45-11:45am  | <b>The Torah of Music with Joey Weisenberg</b><br>Drawing from Joey's 2017 National Jewish Award winning book The Torah of Music participants will explore the spiritual teachings of music by studying various Jewish musical-spiritual texts and stories. We will sing, too. Where there is song there is prayer.<br><i>(Brachot 6a)</i> במקומ רנה שם תהא תפלה  | Synagogue                           |
| *10:45-11:45am | <b>Adult Archery with Yale Nogin</b><br>Feel empowered and have fun while learning archery. During your archery experience expect expert instruction in range safety and understanding the parts of your bow & arrow, and instruction on proper shooting technique, with time to practice your new skill and perhaps shoot for "the moving target".   | Archery Range                       |
| 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>  | Dining Room                         |
| 1:00-2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary                           |

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| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |
| *1:30-3:30pm | <b>Explore the Alef-Bet with Marilyn Rose</b><br>We'll explore the elements that make up the Hebrew Alef-Bet and use collage to create our own visual midrash.   | Art Building   |
| *1:30-3:30pm | <b>Painted Glass Miriam's Cup with Abby Maeir</b><br>A "Miriam's Cup" brings honor to a heroic woman whose faith, poise and wisdom gave comfort to Jews and helped them overcome hardships during their Exodus from Egypt. Using acrylic paints and stencils, you'll create your own Miriam's Cup by designing a colorful wine glass that will represent strength and honor at your table. | Art Building   |
| *1:30-3:30pm | <b>Aluminum Can Flower Bouquet with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Learn how to make beautiful folk art flowers using recycled aluminum cans. These flowers can be "planted" in window boxes or gathered together and placed in a vase. Lucky for you...they never need watering!   | Art Building   |
| 1:30-3:30pm  | <b>Photography 101 Workshop with Ori Salzberg</b><br>Explore the basics of photography in this beautiful natural setting. We'll focus on portraits, wildlife and family action shots. Bring your camera or smartphone.   | Meet Under the Portico                                       |
| 1:30-2:30pm  | <b>Ramah Darom A Cappella Choir</b><br>All ages are invited to participate in the Ramah Darom Choir. The Choir meets for one hour daily and will lead Musaf on the 7th Day of Pesach. The music is joyous, infectious, and great fun!  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 1:30-2:30pm  | <b>The Honest Truth About Dishonesty with Shai Robkin</b><br>Israel psychologist and behavioral economist Dan Ariely heads up the Duke University Center for Advanced Hindsight and has written the "Irrational Trilogy," of which this book is a part. Shai will discuss findings from Ariely's research into the everyday dishonest behaviors that almost all of us engage in.           | Synagogue  |



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| 2:30-3:30pm  | <b>Total Conditioning with Megan Moran</b><br>A class using a variety of free weights, body weight and calisthenics to improve overall total body conditioning. Improve strength, flexibility, and cardiovascular health. All levels welcome, instructor will offer modifications to accommodate all levels of fitness.   | Multipurpose Room                       |
| 2:30-3:30pm  | <b>Creating Sacred Spaces with Eric and Happie</b><br>People don't remember days or weeks, they remember moments. Dive deep into the ways you can set your programming and prayer up for success and impact.  | Synagogue                               |
| 2:30-3:30    | <b>The Bold and the Beautiful (Rabbis) with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br>Bava Metziah 84a. Eros and Thanatos in the rabbinic Beit Midrash! Tragedy follows when the (intellectual) rabbinic (b)romance of Rabbi Yohanan and Resh Lakish goes bad.   | Library                                 |
| 3:45-5:45pm  | <b>Lake Open</b>  | Lake                                    |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Wishy Washy Pendants with Terri Jacobson</b><br>Create a beautiful pendant (or two) with typical washers from a hardware store. We will use alcohol inks for color as well as copper and aluminum wire for embellishments. Some students may even want to incorporate metal stamping to create a message on their pendant.   | Art Building                            |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Wire Kippot with Marilyn Rose</b><br>We will use wire and beads to make lively wire kippot that will be ready to wear in a few hours.  | Art Building                            |
| *3:45-5:45pm | <b>Blind Faith Drawing with Judy Robkin and Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>What if the art of faith were the art of letting go? Faith is hard to define. What does it mean to have it? How does it work? Is it something more than just a belief? Is it an act? We will examine one way of looking at faith in the Jewish tradition and then take it to the next level by using the act of relinquishing control in an artistic exercise. | Lakeside Pavillion                      |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Family Activity: Matzah Mania 5K and Kid's Fun Run</b>   | Meet Under the Covered Basketball Court |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Torah Takes the Stage with Doug Brook</b><br>All the world's a stage, so why not the world of Torah? Volunteer readers will perform a modern, hip, yet faithful stage adaptation of a relevant Torah parsha, bookended by discussion. Written by the artistic director of Theatre Chevruta, writer of What Ever Happened to HanuClaus?, and the Creation/Corporate mashup Original Synergy.                                      | Multipurpose Room                       |
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>Restorative Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>Suitable for all ages, this practice invites you to slow down and create space for stillness while nourishing your body. This is a perfect class for beginners and those working with injury, limited mobility, or those who prefer a softer, gentler approach to yoga and wellness.  | Lakeside Lawn                           |

# THURSDAY, APRIL 5: CHOL HAMOED/EREV YOM TOV

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION          |
|--------------|--|-------------------|
| 3:45-4:45pm  | <b>"Let My People Go" and the Changing Nature of Jewish Diplomacy with Efraim Chalamish</b><br>Jewish diplomacy has changed dramatically since the Cold War. Protecting Jewish communities and fighting BDS & Anti-Semitism require a new thinking and advanced diplomatic tools to achieve our goals. | Synagogue         |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.  | Multipurpose Room |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Jamming on the Porch with Rabbi David Paskin</b>  | Dining Room Porch |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>How Do We Describe the Indescribable? with Daniel Grossberg</b><br>Three modern religious poets - an Israeli, an American, and a Welshman - each describes intimate spiritual moments. We will read their poems and discuss the parallel elements as well as the particularities of each.           | Synagogue         |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Early Family Dinner</b>   | Dining Room       |
| 5:00-6:00pm  | <b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Sharon Rosenfeld, Ramah Darom Director of Development</b>   | Lakeside Pavilion |
| 6:30-7:15pm  | <b>Mincha and Maariv (Prayer Services)</b>   | Synagogue         |
| 6:45-7:30pm  | <b>Candlelighting Available</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 7:30-9:00pm  | <b>Dinner</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 9:00-11:00pm | <b>Adult Program: Human Game Night</b><br>Let your inner-kid out and join us for a "larger-than-life" game night featuring giant Jenga, human Hungry, Hungry Hippos, and more!   | Dining Room       |

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|  | TIME         | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION  |  |
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|  | 9:00-10:00pm | <b>Praying With Our Legs: Social Activism Through a Jewish Lens with Rabbi David Paskin</b><br><i>What Jewish values and experiences lead Jews to support Social Justice Movements today and what roles do you think Jews should play in relation to political and social issues today?</i> | Synagogue |  |

## FRIDAY, APRIL 6: YOM TOV/EREV SHABBAT

|  | TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |  |
|--|--------------|--|--|--|
|  | OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>                            | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |  |
|  | OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b> | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |  |

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|  | 7:45-8:45am    | <b>Hatha Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A thoughtful, breath-oriented class emphasizing foundation and alignment with an introduction to intermediate yoga poses to help students safely deepen their practice. Beginners welcome! For students with a developing practice, an alignment-based flow. Learn how to work safely in deeper variations and address postural imbalances. | Multipurpose Room                 |  |
|  | 8:00-9:30am    | <b>Breakfast</b>   | Dining Room                       |  |
|  | 8:00-9:00am    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary                         |  |
|  | 9:00-9:30am    | <b>Morning Middot with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>Join this daily shiur where we will look into our choices, forgive our mistakes and push further down the path of cultivating character through the practice of Middot. Today's Middah-Kavod: Dignity and Respect  | Dining Room, look for table cards |  |
|  | 9:15-10:15am   | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.  | Lakeside Pavilion                 |  |
|  | 9:30am-12:15pm | <b>Traditional Egalitarian Services</b>  | Synagogue                         |  |
|  | 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Alternative Service with Eric and Happie</b><br>Join Eric and Happie for a morning service of songs and music to move your spirit as we look toward Shabbat.  | Lakeside Pavilion                 |  |

## FRIDAY, APRIL 6: YOM TOV/EREV SHABBAT

| TIME          | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|---------------|--|--|
| 10:30-11:30am | <b>Junior Congregation: A service for kids only!</b><br>(Geared to grade school age kids)  | Library  |
| 10:45-11:30am | <b>Tot Tefillah with the Grossberg Sisters</b><br>A service geared to young children and families through kindergarten.  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 12:00-1:30pm  | <b>Lunch</b>   | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-2:00pm   | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>   | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-5:00pm   | <b>Pool Open</b>   | Pool   |
| 1:30-4:00pm   | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>   | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |
| 1:30-2:30pm   | <b>Between Wonder and Indignation with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br>Where does religion start? Through exploring the various ways that a well-known midrash has been interpreted, we'll ask: does religion start with wonder at the world's beauty, or, on the contrary, with indignation at the world's brokenness. Or might it be both?  | Synagogue  |
| 1:30-2:30pm   | <b>The Talmudic Story of Shimon ben Shetah and King Yannai: Judges, Kings and Separation of Power with Rabbi Jeffrey Rubenstein</b><br>The Talmud recounts a conflict between Shimon b. Shetah, a leading rabbinic judge, and King Yannai of the Hasmonean dynasty. The story, which ends in disaster, relates to key questions of political philosophy, including the importance of an independent judiciary, the separation of powers, and interpretive authority. | Multipurpose Room  |
| 2:45-3:45pm   | <b>Come Let Us Depose Him! with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br>Berakhot 27b-28a. How does one lead (or fail to lead) in an ostensibly pluralistic system? What happens when the leader punishes opposition voices, or keeps voices out altogether?   | Synagogue  |

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## FRIDAY, APRIL 6: YOM TOV/EREV SHABBAT

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| 2:45-3:45pm | <p><b>How Do Poets See God When Their World is Falling Apart? with Daniel Grossberg [This session will be conducted entirely in Hebrew]</b><br/> <i>Disasters befall humankind in every generation. Biblical Psalm 13 is a poetic response to crisis. Zelda, a modern Israeli poet and Bob Dylan also express poetic responses to disaster. Let's see what their reactions are.</i></p>   | Library            |
| 2:45-3:45pm | <p><b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br/> <i>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you.</i></p>   | Multipurpose Room  |
| 4:00-5:00pm | <p><b>Freedom Of/From Energy with Efraim Chalamish</b><br/> <i>This conversation will explore how the Israeli government and the Jewish people rewrite the rules of regional and global energy markets and bring us energy independence.</i></p>  | Library            |
| 4:00-5:00pm | <p><b>Pella Concert</b><br/> <i>Pella Singers perform an interactive, energetic a cappella concert in their inimitable engaging style.</i></p>  | Synagogue          |
| 4:00-5:00pm | <p><b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b> Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.</p>   | Multipurpose Room  |
| 5:00-6:00pm | <b>Early Dinner for Families</b>  | Dining Room        |
| 5:00-6:00pm | <p><b>Cocktails &amp; Conversation with Robyn Diamond, Ramah Darom Marketing Director</b></p>   | Lakeside Pavillion |
| 5:00-6:00pm | <p><b>They Like Us! They Really Like Us? Christian Zionism in the South with Larry Brook</b><br/> <i>Centuries of anti-Semitism from the church has given way to Christians who profess love for the Jewish people, and support for Israel. What is the story behind this change of heart? Is it genuine love or a way to proselytize? Journalist Larry Brook has been covering the phenomenon of Christian Zionists in the South and will provide insights, amusing anecdotes and thoughts on where this relationship is headed.</i></p> | Synagogue          |
| 6:45-7:30pm | <b>Candlelighting Available</b>   | Dining Room        |
| 6:45-7:30pm | <b>Family Musical Shabbat with Eliana Light</b>   | Multipurpose Room  |
| 6:00-7:30pm | <b>Mincha, Kabbalat Shabbat, and Maariv (Prayer Services)</b>   | Synagogue          |
| 7:30-8:45pm | <b>Shabbat Dinner</b>   | Dining Room        |

## FRIDAY, APRIL 6: YOM TOV/EREV SHABBAT

| TIME          | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION          |
|---------------|---|-------------------|
| 9:00-11:00pm  | <b>Etgar Teen Oneg</b>  | Beit Etgar        |
| 9:00-10:15pm  | <b>Panel Discussion: What is Jewish Prayer?</b><br>Join moderator Shai Held as we delve into what makes prayer Jewish, what are the boundaries, how do we teach it, and how do we cultivate a personal practice. Panelists: Rabbi Penina Alexander, Joey Weisenberg, Rabbi Josh Heller, Rabbi David Paskin, and Eliana Light. | Synagogue         |
| 10:15-11:30pm | <b>Tisch and Porch Party</b>  | Dining Room Porch |

## SATURDAY, APRIL 7: YOM TOV/SHABBAT

| TIME         | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION   |
|--------------|--|--|
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Sports Fields and Courts</b>                            | Check-out balls and sports equipment at the Concierge Desk           |
| OPEN ALL DAY | <b>Board Games, Card Games, Mah Jong, Scrabble, Bridge</b> | Check-out board games, cards, puzzles and more at the Concierge Desk |

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| 7:45-8:45am | <b>Vinyasa Flow Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br>A more rigorous and athletic practice. Vinyasa Yoga is defined by flowing movements in coordination with your breath. Improve strength, endurance, flexibility, posture and mental focus as you work with breathing and stretching. Yoga will meet you where you are but never leave you where it found you. | Multipurpose Room |
| 8:00-9:30am | <b>Breakfast</b>  | Dining Room       |
| 8:00-9:00am | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary         |



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# SATURDAY, APRIL 7: YOM TOV/SHABBAT

| TIME           | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION   |
|----------------|---|--|
| 9:00-9:30am    | <b>Morning Middot with Rabbi Ayal Robkin</b><br>Join this daily shiur where we will look into our choices, forgive our mistakes and push further down the path of cultivating character through the practice of Middot. Today's Middah-Bechira Point: The Power of Change.  | Dining Room, look for table cards                            |
| 9:15-10:15am   | <b>Flowing, Balance, Strength &amp; Meditation with Lynn Chanin</b><br>A soothing, contemplative, yet powerful awakening of our beautiful, healthy bodies including guided meditation and aromatherapy.   | Lakeside Pavilion  |
| 9:30am-12:15pm | <b>Traditional Egalitarian Services</b>   | Synagogue  |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Alternative Service: Prayer in the Round Silence and Sound with Eliana Light</b><br><i>There is magic in the moment after a community has raised their voices together. This service seeks to embrace these moments by moving from song to quiet, without the interference of talking. Intentionally selected melodies old and new will be followed by moments of silence and reflection, allowing each individual to find their place in the whole. This service will use acoustic instruments.</i> | Lakeside Pavilion  |
| 10:30-11:30am  | <b>Junior Congregation: A service for kids only!</b><br>(Geared to grade school age kids)   | Library  |
| 10:45-11:30am  | <b>Tot Shabbat with the Grossberg Sisters</b><br>A service geared to young children and families through kindergarten.  | Multipurpose Room  |
| 12:00-1:30pm   | <b>Lunch</b>  | Dining Room  |
| 1:00-2:00pm    | <b>Health Clinic Hours</b>  | Infirmary  |
| 1:30-5:00pm    | <b>Pool Open</b>  | Pool   |
| 1:30-4:00pm    | <b>Gan, Shorashim, and Camp Open</b>  | 2nd Grade and Under - Drop off and pickup at the Hockey Rink |



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# SATURDAY, APRIL 7: YOM TOV/SHABBAT

| TIME            | ACTIVITY   | LOCATION               |
|-----------------|--|------------------------|
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm | <b>Exploring Sarah's Sin: What Went Wrong and Why Does It Matter? with Rabbi Shai Held</b><br><i>In this session, we'll explore the complex and excruciating dynamics that unfold between Abraham, Sarah, and Hagar; we'll explore the line of interpretation that sees Sarah as having sinned in her "oppression" of Hagar and consider a variety of rabbinic and contemporary voices that struggle to understand just what went wrong, and what we ought to learn from it.</i> | Synagogue              |
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm | <b>Guerilla Girls of the Talmud: Yalta, Yehudit, and the Daughters of Samuel with Rabbi Gail Labovitz</b><br><i>What do the disenfranchised do when denied access to the system? Some Talmudic women take matters into their own hands.</i>  | Library                |
| 1:30-<br>2:30pm | <b>Safari Adventure Animal Show</b>  | Multipurpose Room      |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>The Meaning of the Mirrors: Women's Holy Power with Rabbi Penina Alexander</b>  | Synagogue              |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>From Startup Nation to Economic Freedom and Sustainability with Efraim Chalamish</b><br><i>Culture of innovation and foreign investment led Israel to business leadership and economic success. Yet, Israel is a tale of two economies and there is a growing need to build sustainable capitalism that leads to economic freedom and better equality both in Israel and in Jewish communities around the world.</i>  | Library                |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>Shabbat Waterfall Hike with Rabbi Ashira Konigsburg</b>   | Meet Under the Portico |
| 2:45-<br>3:45pm | <b>Restorative Yoga with Megan Moran</b><br><i>Suitable for all ages, this practice invites you to slow down and create space for stillness while nourishing your body. This is a perfect class for beginners and those working with injury, limited mobility, or those who prefer a softer, gentler approach to yoga and wellness.</i>  | Multipurpose Room      |
| 2:45-<br>4:45pm | <b>Farm Animal Petting Zoo</b>   | Lakeside Lawn          |
| 4:00-<br>5:00pm | <b>The G!D Gap with Eliana Light</b><br><i>The G!D Gap is a snappy name for a common experience: the moment when the way you've been taught about G!D stops making sense. How do we respond to these gaps? Where have we seen this in our own life? Together, we'll explore how G!D was taught (and not taught) to us, what we believe and why, and how that might change over time.</i>   | Synagogue              |
| 4:00-<br>5:00pm | <b>Body &amp; Soul with Lynn Chanin</b><br><i>Strength, flexibility, balance, power, anti-aging flowing yoga including tai-chi, Pilates, meditation, and aromatherapy.</i>   | Multipurpose Room      |

## SATURDAY, APRIL 7: YOM TOV/SHABBAT

| TIME          | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION          |
|---------------|---|-------------------|
| 5:00-6:00pm   | <b>Shabbat Menucha/Rest Time</b>  |                   |
| 6:00-6:30pm   | <b>Mincha</b> (Afternoon Prayer Service)  | Synagogue         |
| 6:30-8:00pm   | <b>Seudat Shlishit Dinner</b>   | Dining Room       |
| 8:00-9:00pm   | <b>Judaism Through the Lens of Behavioral Economics or Vice Versa with Shai Robkin</b><br><i>Why is the field of behavioral economics so dominated by Jews, and Israelis in particular? Is it something about Jewish scholarship, or the Jewish experience? Do Biblical and Talmudic teachings foreshadow the insights of modern day behavioral economists?</i>   | Multipurpose Room |
| 8:00-8:30pm   | <b>"Slow-ach" Slow Songs to Bid Farewell to Shabbat</b>   | Dining Room       |
| 8:45-9:00pm   | <b>Maariv</b> (Evening Prayer Service)  | Synagogue         |
| 9:00-11:00pm  | <b>Havdallah with Rabbi David Paskin and Final Concert Featuring Ramah Darom's Musicians-in-Residence: Eric and Happie, Joey Weisenberg, Pella, and Eliana Light</b>  | Dining Room       |
| *9:30-11:00pm | <b>Adults-Only Night Swing</b>  | Giant Swing       |
| 9:30-11:00pm  | <b>Ramah Darom Film Series: Blessed in the Match</b><br><i>In 1944, 22-year-old Hannah Senesh parachuted into Nazi-occupied Europe with a small group of Jewish volunteers from Palestine. Theirs was the only military rescue mission for Jews that occurred in World War II. Narrated by Academy Award winner Joan Allen, the multi-award-winning Blessed is the Match follows the remarkable journey of this young Hungarian poet and diarist, paratrooper and resistance fighter. Told through Hannah's letters, diaries, and poems, her mother's memoirs, and the recollections of those who knew and loved her (including two of her fellow parachutists), the film traces her life from her childhood in Budapest to her time in British-controlled Palestine--where she was drawn by the Kibbutz Movement that sought to build an independent Jewish state--to her daring mission to rescue Jews in her native Hungary.</i> | Multipurpose Room |

## SUNDAY APRIL 8: See you next year!

### Airport coach passengers:

For luggage assistance, please place your luggage at the designated luggage drop location in your cabin, or outside your hotel room door by 7:30am.  
The bus will depart from the Welcome Center for Atlanta airport at 9:00am sharp.

| TIME         | ACTIVITY  | LOCATION       |
|--------------|---|----------------|
| 7:00-10:00am | <b>Breakfast</b> The best biscuits you ever tasted!   | Dining Room    |
| 9:00am       | <b>Bus Departure</b><br>Please be at the Welcome Center by 8:30am to make sure your luggage gets loaded on the correct bus. | Welcome Center |

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# MEET OUR SCHOLARS AND FACILITATORS

**April Alexander** is a licensed massage therapist with 20+ years' experience. She has worked with professional and amateur athletics, including work with organizations such as, The United States Fencing Association, The Atlanta Beat soccer team, The Atlanta Classic Pro Tennis Tournament and The U.S. Track and Field Indoor National Championships. April was also an instructor teaching massage and anatomy for the Academy of Somatic Healing Arts. April received her Master's Degree in Oriental Medicine from East West Collage of Natural Medicine in Sarasota, FL. April's goal in each massage session is to create a customized therapy that leads to relaxation, balance and relief from discomfort.

**Rabbi Aaron Alexander** serves as Co-Senior Rabbi of Adas Israel Congregation in Washington, DC. Prior to this, he served as Associate Dean and Lecturer at the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles. He is a certified mashgiach (kosher supervisor) and currently serves on the Committee for Jewish Law and Standards (CJLS). Rabbi Alexander was appointed a Rabbi Samuel T. Lachs Fellow in the 2015/16 cohort of LEAP. He serves on the Board of Directors for Rabbis Against Gun Violence, is on the Advisory Committee for Death Over Dinner—Jewish Edition and sits on D.C. Mayor Bowser's Short-term Family Housing and Homelessness Advisory Team.

**Rabbi Penina Alexander**, Assistant Principal of Talmud Torah religious school at B'nai Israel Congregation, was ordained from the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in 2009 and completed her MAEd at American Jewish University. As an AJWS Global Justice Fellow, she advocated for women's rights worldwide, especially in India, where she traveled with the group. She has served as Associate Director of Education at IKAR and taught Jewish ethics at New Community Jewish High School in Los Angeles. She also served as founding coordinator for Camp Ramah in California's women's weekend, Ruach Nashim. She and her husband, Rabbi Aaron Alexander, live in Washington, DC, with their three wonderful boys.

**Chana Balk** is an ACE Certified Personal Trainer and Group Fitness Instructor. Her Brooklyn-based business, Move It Momma, offers personal training and group fitness for moms. Chana lectures regularly on women's health issues and postpartum recovery and has been featured in various publications including Parenting Magazine. Most recently, Red Tricycle honored Move It Momma with the 2016 "Totally Awesome Award" for the most "Invigorating Fitness Program" in New York City. Chana is a former attorney and mom of three. Her mission is to provide moms with the tools they need to live healthier and happier lives.

**Rabbi Tim Daniel Bernard** is Director of Digital Learning and Engagement at JTS. Previously, he was the Community Manager at Seeking Alpha, Grants and Communications Manager at PELIE, and Chumash and Rabbinics teacher at the Hannah Senesh Community Day School. He studied for a year each at the Conservative Yeshiva in Jerusalem and at Yeshivat Hadar before and after JTS Rabbinical School. Tim is an active member of Kehilat Hadar, where he gives regular Divrei Torah. He is married to Rabbi Ashira Konigsburg, with whom he enjoys traveling, hiking and visiting modern art galleries.

**Sam Blustein** is a third year Rabbinical Student at the Jewish Theological Seminary. His rabbinic passions include young adult and family education, focusing on empowering home observance, as well as creating meaningful, musical, egalitarian prayer communities. He is also a songleader, having served as Rosh Shira at Camp Ramah in Wisconsin, as well as at a variety of synagogues. Sam is the co-founder of the Shira B'dira minyan in NYC, a traditional egalitarian minyan focusing on beautiful t'fillah.

**Doug Brook** is the Executive Director of Silicon Valley Shakespeare and the VP of the Alliance for Jewish Theatre. He is a monthly humor columnist for Southern Jewish Life magazine and directs, writes and acts in various plays and musicals. Doug is an Alabama native, with undergraduate and graduate degrees from Carnegie Mellon University. He was very active in the Jewish Community growing up, having been a participant of AEPi, AZA, USY, and a camper at Ramah New England for 7 years. Doug is also a longtime synagogue instructor, filling various roles including b'nai mitzvah trainer, service leader, and Torah reader. He is currently a senior manager in cyber security and online graduate student at JTS.

**Larry Brook** is the founding publisher and editor of Southern Jewish Life, which began as The Southern Shofar in 1990, and now serves the Jewish communities of four states. A Birmingham Jewish Day School and Camp Ramah alumnus, Brook graduated from the University of Virginia with a degree in Religious Studies, has served on numerous community boards and was a member of Leadership Birmingham's Class of 2013. He is a past vice president of the American Jewish Press Association, and has won 15 national Rockower Awards for Excellence in Jewish Journalism, and has been recognized for the past two years by the Press Club of New Orleans.

**Dr. Efraim Chalamish** is an international economic law scholar, practitioner, and media commentator. He teaches at NYU law school and IESE Business School. Dr. Chalamish is a partner with Forward Advisors, and has been involved in international legal practice in New York, Paris and Israel, along with doing research and analysis in public and private international economic law. Dr. Chalamish regularly writes for publications, such as the Huffington Post, Global Finance, the Jerusalem Post, the Forward, and more. He works with nonprofit organizations with their strategic thinking and leadership needs, and was named by the French Government as a Future Global Leader for 2011.

**Lynn Handmacher Chanin** is a born and bred Atlantan. After receiving her undergraduate and graduate degrees in Dance and Exercise Physiology, she taught classical ballet, contemporary dance, anatomy, and physiology at Georgia State and other universities while dancing professionally with Callanwolde Arts Center, Georgia State University dance company, and Company Kaye in Atlanta. After her magnificent fiancé, Butch, her 4 extraordinary children Alexandra, Marissa, Erica, and Benjamin (of blessed memory), and her delicious grandson, Lynn's spectacular fitness men and women are her passion. This marks Lynn's 43rd year teaching fitness classes and her 8th Passover at Ramah Darom.

**Josh Ehrlich** hailed by Deke Sharon as "dynamic, bold, and audacious," is a composer, arranger, pianist, and music educator in New York City. His compositions and arrangements have been performed by the FAMES Orchestra, the Rutgers Glee Club, Helix!, and more. Josh music directed Off-Broadway productions, including The Imbible. He served as the choral director at Golda Och Academy for six years, founding a chamber choir and recording three full-length albums. He holds a BA from Yale where he music directed the Society of Orpheus and Bacchus MA in Composition from Rutgers. He currently music directs the musical productions and choirs at Camp Ramah in the Berkshires, the Frisch School, and Schechter Westchester.

**Jordan B. Gorfinke — Gorf!** — is a cartoonist, musician, producer, director and proud father (not necessarily in that order). For nearly a decade he ran the Batman franchise at DC Comics. He runs Avalanche Comics Entertainment, a creative studio that produces custom content for corporations, non-profits, and entertainment companies. Gorf is a pioneer of Jewish A Cappella, co-founding the original professional group Beat'achon. He also leads the Jewish Cartoon Workshop at schools and summer camps in which he guides participants in creating comic strips about Torah stories and Jewish themes and then collects them into a comic book for the community to share. His latest project is the Passover Haggadah Graphic Novel.

**Rabbi Daniel Greyber** is Rabbi at Beth El Synagogue in Durham, NC, author of Faith Unravels: A Rabbi's Struggle With Grief and God ([www.faithunravels.com](http://www.faithunravels.com)) and will serve as Team USA Rabbi at the 20th World Maccabiah Games in Israel. Formerly a Jerusalem Fellow at the Mandel Leadership Institute, faculty member at the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies in Los Angeles and the Executive Director of Camp Ramah in California, he currently serves on the editorial board of Conservative Judaism, and his articles have been featured in a wide range of Jewish publications. For more information, visit [www.rabbigreyber.com](http://www.rabbigreyber.com).

**Daniel Grossberg** is Professor Emeritus at SUNY Albany where he was Director of the Hebrew Program and taught Hebrew language, literature and Bible. Grossberg authored a monograph on biblical poetry for the Society of Biblical Literature, a Commentary on Lamentations for the Oxford Jewish Study Bible and numerous studies for professional journals. He also served as a visiting scholar at the Oxford Center for Post Graduate Hebrew Studies in Oxford, England and was an invited international presenter at Limmud UK.

**Eric & Happie** travel to Jewish communities around the world building relationships through song. The duo writes original Jewish songs and is set to release their first album of Jewish music in the Spring of 2018. You can hear them on Jewish Rock Radio, hosting their show "Stand Up! Sing Out!", highlighting some of their travels around the world. Eric & Happie make music for all audiences and, in the past year, have worked with organizations like BBYO Inc., Hillel International, AJT, March of the Living International, AJJC, Limmud, and JCCA. In the past year they have performed as official artists at SXSW Music Festival in Austin, TX and Sundance Film Festival in Park City Utah. Based out of Tulsa, OK, Eric & Happie brought their warm folk harmonies and indie sensibilities to the world

with their debut project, It's Yours. This album is made up of eight all-original duets chronicling their story of finding each other and the honest weight of love. Their album was released in September of 2016 and debuted at #11 on the iTunes Singer Songwriter Top 20. The duo's next indie-folk album is set to be released in late Summer 2018.

**Rabbi Shai Held**, renowned theologian and scholar, is President, Dean, and Chair of Jewish Thought at Mechon Hadar. Previously, he served as Scholar-in-Residence at Kehilat Hadar in New York City, and taught theology and Halakha at the Jewish Theological Seminary. A 2011 recipient of the prestigious Covenant Award for excellence in Jewish education, Rabbi Held has been named multiple times to Newsweek's list of the 50 most influential rabbis in America. He holds a doctorate in religion from Harvard. Rabbi Held is the author of Abraham Joshua Heschel: The Call of Transcendence, and, The Heart of Torah: Essays on the Weekly Torah Portion, He is currently writing a book entitled Judaism Is About Love. He lives in Westchester with his wife, Rachel, and their three kids. He is obsessed with the New York Yankees.

**Rabbi Joshua Heller** is Senior Rabbi of Congregation B'nai Torah in Sandy Springs, GA., one of the fastest-growing congregations in the US. He graduated from Harvard University, published original research in the "Journal for Computational Neuroscience" and then opted out of the dot-com boom to become a ninth-generation rabbi. He founded the JTS distance learning program and in the years after 9/11, and served as Rabbi of the "The Downtown Synagogue," three blocks from the World Trade Center. He serves on the committee of Jewish Law and Standards, and the board of the Atlanta Rabbinical Association. Joshua and his wife Wendy are proud parents of three Ramah-niks.

**Jordana "Joey" Heyman** is excited to be back for her 2nd Pesach at Ramah Darom. Joey is an Atlanta transplant from Southern California by way of Jerusalem. After earning a Master's in Experiential Jewish Education from American Jewish University and completing a post-graduate Fellowship in Jewish Education and Advanced Jewish Studies through the Pardes Institute of Jerusalem's Center for Jewish Education, Joey came to Atlanta to teach classic Jewish text and history at Greenfield Hebrew Academy (now AJA) and The Weber School. For the first time in her adult life, Joey is not a full time Jewish professional, taking a sabbatical year in the field of fashion retail to explore an alternative passion -- helping women feel confident in their own skin while cultivating their own sense of personal style.

**Devora Kimelman-Block** is the CEO of KOL Foods, the only source of kosher, 100% grass-fed American beef, lamb and organic pastured poultry. Before founding KOL Foods, Devora had a vegetarian kitchen for 14 years. Devora, her husband Jason, and four children are founding members of Eastern Village Cohousing, an award-winning LEED certified green building in downtown Silver Spring, MD. In January 2018 Devora founded a resistance group called Unleash Your Activist! which is affiliated with Bend the Arc and Indivisible. Unleash! focuses on opposition to scapegoating and supports immigrants, refugees, and asylum seekers and doing election work for candidates who stand for an inclusive America.

**Rabbi Jason Kimmelman-Block** is the Washington Director of Bend the Arc Jewish Action, which works to bring the voices of progressive American Jews into the halls of power in Washington DC. He previously directed the Selah Leadership Program. He is the co-editor and co-author of Just: Judaism. Action. Social Change and served as the Director of the PANIM Institute for Jewish Leadership and Values. He received his ordination from The Jewish Theological Seminary of America. Jason is a founding member of a cohousing community in Maryland, where he lives with his wife, Devora Kimelman-Block, and their four children.

**Terri Senoff Jacobson** is a native Atlantan. Terri developed a talent for designing jewelry and began studying metalsmithing in 2010. Currently, she teaches at the Spruill Center for the Arts in Dunwoody, GA and owns Poetic License Designs, a small handmade jewelry business which focuses on sterling silver and copper pieces. In addition to her jewelry business, she is a veteran teacher who spent over 14 years teaching at The Epstein School in Atlanta, GA. Terri also owns Apogee College Prep, which provides high school students assistance with the college admissions process. Terri is married to Eric Jacobson, and they have twin 22-year-olds, Hilit and Jonah.

**Rabbi Ashira Konigsburg** is the Director of Operations at the Rabbinical Assembly. She earned an MA in Talmud and Rabbinics and Rabbinic Ordination from the Jewish Theological Seminary. A native of South Florida, Ashira spent her undergraduate years at the University of Maryland and has spent many summers in a variety of roles at Ramah Darom in Georgia, including directing the climbing program. She currently serves as a member of the Kehilat Hadar steering team. She enjoys traveling, hiking and climbing. Find her on Twitter and Instagram: @ashirak.

**Rabbi Gail Labovitz** is a Professor of Rabbinic Literature at the American Jewish University, where she teaches for the Ziegler School of Rabbinic Studies. She is the author of Marriage and Metaphor: Constructions of Gender in Rabbinic Literature, a forthcoming volume of the Feminist Commentary on the Babylonian Talmud, and numerous articles on topics including rabbinic literature, Jewish law, and gender and sexuality. Dr. Labovitz served as a senior research analyst for the Feminist Sexual Ethics Project at Brandeis University and as the coordinator of the Jewish Feminist Research Group at the Jewish Theological Seminary. She is an ordained Conservative rabbi who serves on the Committee for Jewish Law and Standards. Although she currently lives in Los Angeles, she considers herself a New Yorker at heart.

**Eliana Light** is an award-winning songwriter and educator who seeks to invite individuals and communities into the spirit of Judaism. She has released two albums of original Jewish music, and travels the country performing in concerts, teaching at conferences, and working with synagogues to create intentional, meaningful prayer experiences. Eliana is the author of Behrman House's Hebrew in Harmony curriculum, and the founder of the G!D Project, an initiative to expand understandings of the Divine and provide space for exploring belief. She received her MA in Experiential Jewish Education from JTS in 2016 and is the Music Educator at B'nai Jeshurun in NYC. [www.elianalight.com](http://www.elianalight.com)

**Lisa Loveday** has been working in Experiential Education for 37 years. She has had the opportunity to work for several organizations and schools, the most impactful of which was North Carolina Outward Bound School. Lisa currently works with Avery County Schools as Experiential Education Program Director. In addition, she works with six other professional organizations, including Ramah Darom. Her passion is Experiential Education—learning by doing. Lisa enjoys guiding and assisting individuals in experiences through which they can learn about themselves, their strengths and their capabilities, as they continue to learn and grow.

**Abby Maeir** is thrilled to be back at Ramah Darom for her 5th year on the Passover Art staff. Abby is a Chicago-based artist and art educator whose passion for the arts dates back to her youth when she vividly recalls creating woven potholders and box-stitched lanyards at the Pittsburgh JCC. Abby mainly works with Fused Glass, Polymer Clay and Metalsmithing. She teaches children and adults as well as facilitates team-building workshops. In addition to Ramah Darom, Abby is an Artist-in-Residence at Ramah Wisconsin, Ramah Day Camp in suburban Chicago, and Ramah New England, as well as many schools and organizations. Abby believes there's an "inner artist" in all of us and is excited to welcome you to her workshops.

**Carol Means** moved to Rabun County in 2015 after retiring from a 38-year nursing career, with the past 23 years at Emory in Atlanta. In 2016, inspired by the need for affordable, enjoyable exercise in the Clayton area, Carol got group instructor certification from the Athletics and Fitness Association of America (AFAA) and National Academy of Sports Medicine (NASM). She has used this training to lead a DanceFit class (similar to Zumba with low to moderate impact) and resistance training classes. In 2017, she went on to earn her Registered Yoga Teacher (RYT) 200 designation, and teaches 2-3 classes per week.

**Megan Marlene Moran** attended college outside of Asheville in Western North Carolina, where she was exposed to the plethora of natural beauty in the Southern Appalachians; it instilled within her a deep sense of connection, stewardship and gratitude for the outdoors. Megan's expertise emerged from finding that she could empower and soothe herself through yoga, personal fitness, and a holistic approach to wellness and her wish to facilitate the same for others. She loves trail running through Black Rock State Park, mountain biking around Stonewall Creek and swimming in the majestic, wild and scenic Chattooga River! She feels so blessed to call these mountains her home.

**Dr. Yale Nogin** is the creator & teacher of The Hero Dad's Essential skills Class and author of The Hero Dad's Infant Manual. Through his classes he has prepared close to 1000 expecting, new and adopting dads to successfully transition into fatherhood and "husband-hood" with-a-baby version. In the amazing world of Camp Ramah Darom Dr. Nogin teaches archery during both summer camp & family camp programs. Archery is very empowering as it's discipline offers an opportunity to practice the life skills of standing tall, focusing, aiming and going after our own specific goal.

**Rabbi David Paskin** or Rabbi David as he is known, is an accomplished spiritual leader, singer/songwriter, entertainer, Jewish futurist, social activist, and award-winning Jewish educator. David has written and produced six albums of contemporary Jewish music and is the author of The Search for the Sacred: Is Holiness a State of Space, Time or Mind. David served as a congregational rabbi and educator in the Boston community for 20 years before moving to south Florida. David currently serves the Palm Beach and Broward county Jewish communities while spending his summers as Rosh Musica (Music Director) at Camp Ramah Darom.

**Pella Singers** provide pitch perfect harmony, music, and entertainment at Jewish celebrations and events with their one-of-a-kind energy, and interactive, personable style. Music is the language of the soul, and Pella elevates every gathering by involving everybody in singing, dancing, and most of all, simcha celebration! Pella draws from a pool of singers to customize the right groups for various events. Their proven track record of delivering value and excitement to more than 1000 clients worldwide gives them special insight into tailoring the exact right package for each client. Their happy clientele includes the White House (twice!), the Prime Minister of Israel, and sports stadiums, concerts, rallies, events, parties, celebrations and resorts around the world. Pella is excited to be back for their 2nd Passover at Ramah Darom.

**Rabbi Ayal Robkin** holds a B.A. in Jewish Studies from the University of Maryland and a Masters in Religious Education from the University of Pennsylvania. After serving in the IDF, Ayal completed the Pardes Educators Program as well as Semikha through Rabbis Danny Landes, Zalman Nechemya Goldberg and Shuki Reich. He subsequently taught at the Chicagoland Jewish High School and spent one year in a Post-Rabbinic fellowship at Yeshivat Chovevei Torah. Ayal lives in Brooklyn, NY and teaches Talmud, Tanach, Tikkun Middot, The Psychology of Chassidut and Jewish/Mindfulness Meditation at the Abraham Joshua Heschel High School in Manhattan, NY.

**Judy Birnbrey Robkin** is a native Atlantan whose work can be seen in numerous juried shows including the American Craft Council Show. She has worked with a variety of clay techniques and is currently immersed in a project entitled "Ladies," a series of intricately handcrafted ceramic women. Judy launched the arts program at The Weber School where she taught drawing, painting, sculpture and photography. As a ceramics instructor at the John C. Campbell Folk School in North Carolina, she teaches hand building, Raku and other firing techniques. Her work can be seen on her website: judyrobkin.com.

**Shai Robkin** is an Atlanta businessman who consults and teaches classes in the field of behavioral economics and leads monthly discussions on social psychology. Shai served in the Israel Defense Force, worked in the foreign currency and trade department of Bank Hapoalim, and opened, together with his wife Judy, "Sefer ve'Sefel," Israel's first bookstore/coffee shop. Following the sale in 2011 of a library technology company to One Equity Partners, a division of JP Morgan Chase, Shai served as president and CEO of Conexx, the America Israel Business Connector.

**Marilyn Rose** is thrilled to be returning to Ramah Darom where she has spent many Passovers. Marilyn Rose, a NJ resident, is a signature member of the Catherine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club, the Northeast Watercolor Society, New Jersey Watercolor Society, Garden State Watercolor Club and the Baltimore Watercolor Society. Her paintings have won numerous awards in statewide and national exhibitions, have been juried into numerous shows and plein air competitions, and are in private and corporate collections across the U.S. She has been selected to be an artist in residence in Bryant Park in NYC. She is on the faculty of The Art School at the Old Church, in Demarest, NJ, and frequently gives workshops and demos to artist groups along the East Coast. Her fine art can be seen on her website: MarilynRoseArt.com.

**Rabbi Dr. Jeffrey L. Rubenstein** is the Skirball Professor of Talmud and Rabbinic Literature in the Department of Hebrew and Judaic Studies of New York University. He received his B.A. in Religion from Oberlin College, his M.A. in Talmud from the Jewish Theological Seminary, where he also received rabbinic ordination, and his Ph.D. from the Department of Religion of Columbia University. His books include, *The History of Sukkot in the Second Temple and Rabbinic Periods* (1995); *Talmudic Stories: Narrative Art, Composition and Culture* (1999), *Rabbinic Stories* (2002), *The Culture of the Babylonian Talmud* (2003), and *Stories of the Babylonian Talmud* (2010).

**Milk (Jacob Sandler)** is a singer, pianist, ukulele player, educator and composer. He is a veteran Ramahnik, spending fourteen summers as a Ramah Berkshires camper and counselor. Milk participated in Ramah Israel Seminar, the Ramah Birthright Trip, and was a madrich on Tichon Ramah Yerushalayim. Milk has participated in Jewish Music experiences such as Song Leader Boot Camp, Mechon Hadar's Singing Communities Intensive, and more. Milk attends the H.L. Miller Cantorial School at the Jewish Theological Seminary and works as Music Director at Shaarei Tikvah. In what's left of his spare time Milk enjoys singing with Pella, doing freelance Jewish education and continuing to work on his original musical: "Squawk!"

**Ori Salzberg** is a digital media producer, bringing originality and emotion to his projects. His kids serve as constant inspiration and keep his work focused on educating and challenging viewers. Ori studied, lived and produced abroad for 9 years where he discovered art as a mode of living and not simply an enterprise. Music is the driving force of most of his visual projects and he often creates custom scores to enhance his productions. Ori works with a diversity of private, commercial and non-profit clients.

**Joey Weisenberg** is musician, prayer leader, author, and teacher. He is the Creative Director of Hadar's Rising Song Institute, which aims to cultivate the grassroots musical-spiritual creativity of the Jewish people. Joey educates and trains communities around the world to unlock their musical-spiritual potential and make music a lasting joy-filled force in synagogues and Jewish life. Joey directs Hadar's Singing Communities Intensive. He is the author of Torah of Music (2017 National Jewish Book Award), Building Singing Communities, Nigunim: The Songbook and The Kane Street Songster. He has recorded six albums, most recently By the Waters of Babylon. Joey's nigunim have become popular worldwide

**Honor Woodard**, BFA, LMT is a visual and healing artist licensed to practice massage in GA, FL and NC. A graduate of the Florida School of Massage, Honor's additional trainings have been in Resistance & Release with Deane Juhan, author of "Job's Body," and Biodynamic Cranial Touch with Georgia Milne. Honor's work blends these with traditional massage techniques and her clients generally report feeling both relaxed and energized by the body work she offers. Honor was a camper here, when the camp was Tumbling Waters 35 years ago.

Thank  
You!

## A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO...

**Sarah Atterman**, Camp Programming

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**Joey Heyman**, Concierge Desk and Evening Programming

**David Spielman**, Logistics and Driving

**Judy Harvey**, Registration Desk

**Dottie McCullar**, Registration Desk

**Genesis Canales**, Registration Desk



## ABOUT RAMAH DAROM

Ramah Darom offers Jewish experiential, inclusive programs for all ages, from summer camp and family camps to multi-generational retreats. Our world class amenities, top-notch accommodations, delicious food, and dedicated staff have made us a camp and retreat center that's second to none. But it's our heart and soul that have made Ramah Darom a magical place, one that leaves a mark on all who spend time here.

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**Chief Executive Officer:** Frederick R. Levick

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### Camp Ramah Darom

**Director:** Geoff Menkowitz

**Assistant Director:** Rachel Dobbs Schwartz

**Director of Tikvah Support & Camper Care:**  
Audra Kaplan

**Administrative Assistant:** Myriam Angel

**Registrar:** Andrea Cohen

**Summer Business Manager:** Fred Berkowitz

**Regional Coordinator, South Florida:**  
Stacey Chopp

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### Facility

**General Manager:** Anthony Franklin

**Assistant General Manager:** Justin Thompson

**Facility Director:** Shane Palmer

**Facility Technicians:** Tony Massengill &  
Rafael Lopez

**Director of Environmental Services:**  
Jorge Castillo

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### Retreats and Rentals

Kaplan Mitchell Retreat Center at Ramah Darom (KMRC)

**Director:** Eliana Leader

**Program Coordinator:** Emily Kaiman

**Program & Youth Assistant:** Michael Fingerman

**Hospitality & Sales Coordinator:** Katie Hendricks

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### Development & Marketing

**Director of Development:** Sharon Rosenfeld

**Marketing Director:** Robyn Diamond

**Annual Fund & Alumni Coordinator:** Alexa Dysch

**Development Assistant:** Ashli Breen

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### Food & Beverage

**Executive Chef and Food & Beverage Manager:**  
Todd Jones (Chef Todd)

**Executive Sous Chef:** Pete Arpke

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# UPCOMING PROGRAMS

| Program                         | Date                                      | Description  |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| <b>Shavuot Retreat</b>          | May 18-22, 2018                           | A Ramah Darom and Pardes Retreat that will educate and inspire you.  |
| <b>Camp Ramah Darom</b>         | June 12-Aug 6, 2018                       | 4 and 8 week sessions for rising 4 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> graders.  |
| <b>Taste of Ramah</b>           | 4 sessions available                      | A 12-day program for first-time, rising 3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> graders.  |
| <b>Tikvah Support Program</b>   | June 12-Aug. 6, 2018                      | 2, 4 and 8 week support for rising 6 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> graders with neurodevelopmental disorders.              |
| <b>Summer Family Camp</b>       | June 12-July 1, 2018 and July 23-29, 2018 | A family vacation and a camp test drive. Best for families with children 10 and under.                                       |
| <b>Camp Yofi</b>                | Aug. 8-12, 2018                           | For Jewish families with children with autism spectrum disorder ages 6-13.   |
| <b>LimmdFest</b>                | Aug. 31-Sept. 3, 2018                     | A Ramah Darom & Limmd Atlanta + SE program filled with learning, connecting and exploring Judaism.                           |
| <b>Book It To Shabbat</b>       | Oct. 19-21, 2018                          | A Ramah Darom and PJ Library fun-filled family retreat for families with children 10 years and younger.                      |
| <b>Jewish Women's Getaway</b>   | Nov.11-14, 2018                           | An all inclusive women's only retreat. We will provide all that you need to relax and rejuvenate your mind, body and spirit. |
| <b>Winter Break Family Camp</b> | Dec. 27, 2018-Jan. 1, 2019                | A stress-free family vacation with a rockin' New Year's Eve celebration.   |
| <b>Farm 2 Table Tu B'Shevat</b> | Jan. 25-27, 2019                          | A Ramah Darom/Hazon weekend of gardening, cooking, learning and locally sourced meals.                                       |
| <b>Passover Retreat</b>         | April 18-28, 2019                         | An all-inclusive, kosher for Pesach, fun and relaxing holiday. Whole and half vacations available.                           |

Learn about all that Ramah Darom offers: Camp Ramah Darom, year-round programs and rental opportunities at

## RECREATION

- A Tennis Courts
- B Hockey Court
- C Basketball Courts
- D Farm
- E Swimming Pool
- F Sand Volleyball Courts
- G Covered Basketball Court
- H Odyssey Course
- I Activity Field/Kikar
- J Alpine Tower, Climbing Wall & Swing
- K Team Building/Timber Challenge Course
- L Campfire Ring
- M Archery Range
- N Arts & Crafts Center
- O Boat Dock
- P Softball Diamond

## MEETING SPACES

- Q Mountaintop Pavilion
- R Rec. Hall & Youth Lounge
- S Amphitheater & Covered Stage
- T Mountainside Pavilion
- U Pizza Oven & Fireplace Patio
- V Levine Center (*Dining Hall, Multipurpose Room, Conference Room, Boardroom, Library, Spiritual Center, Fitness Center*)
- W Lakeside Pavilion
- X Treehouse

## LODGING

- Y Welcome Center
- Z Cottages (Z1 – Z5)
- AA Marcus Lodge
- BB Mountainside Hotel
- CC Deluxe Cabin
- DD Mountainside Cabins (1-12)
- EE Lower Roads Cabins (13-20)
- FF Lakeside Cabins (21 – 32)
- GG Lakeside Deluxe Hotel



MAIN ENTRANCE

