

## CALENDAR

### Sunday, May 14

MAImodesty fashion show for women and girls, Brener Building gymnasium, 2 p.m.

### Monday, May 15

Softball at Cathedral High School, Peters Park, South End, Boston, 3:30 p.m.  
Tennis at Gann Academy, Waltham, 4 p.m.

### Wednesday, May 17

Tennis at St. Joseph Preparatory, Brighton, 3 p.m.  
Junior varsity baseball vs. Boston Trinity, Hyde Park, 3:45 p.m.

### Thursday, May 18

Baseball vs. Atlanta Jewish Academy at Sharon High School field (Ezra Schwartz Memorial Tournament), 1 p.m.  
Softball at Ursuline Academy, Dedham, 4:30 p.m.  
Baseball vs. SAR High School, JFK School, Canton (Ezra Schwartz Memorial Tournament), 7 p.m.

### Friday, May 19

Yom Orchim, Early Childhood Center, Elementary and Middle Schools, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Baseball vs. Ramaz School, Sharon High School field (Ezra Schwartz Memorial Tournament), 12:30 p.m.

### Sunday, May 21

Tennis at Hanover High School.  
Girls' tennis vs. Hanover High School.  
Softball vs. Pope John XXIII High School, Pine Manor College, 400 Heath St., Chestnut Hill, 4:30 p.m.  
Lecture by Dr. Steven Bayme '67 on "The Six Day War, 50 Years Later," S. Joseph Solomont Synagogue, 7:30 p.m.

### Monday, May 22

Elementary School spring concert, Brener Building gymnasium, 4 p.m.

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CONCERT MAY 22

The Elementary School music program's spring concert is scheduled for Monday, May 22 at 4 p.m. in the Brener Building gymnasium. The agenda includes the band, second and third grade chorus, fourth and fifth grade chorus, and combined chorus. The band is preparing three songs: the classic "When the Saints Go Marching In," a jazz tune entitled "Crazy Cat" and a dynamic piece, "Dragon Slayer." "One of the choral selections will feature lyrics written by our own fifth grader Eliana Fromer, titled *Kosher*, a parody of the pop song *Closer*," said music teacher Andrew Malkin.

## MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT BEGINS THURSDAY

The first Ezra Schwartz Memorial Baseball Tournament gets underway next Thursday at 1 p.m., when the Maimonides M-Cats meet Atlanta Jewish Academy on the Sharon High School Diamond. The M-Cats also play at 7 p.m. Thursday at JFK School in Canton against SAR and next Friday at 12:30 p.m. at Sharon High vs. Ramaz. The tournament committee is promoting a raffle to offset expenses, with some attractive prizes: two field-level Red Sox tickets and two midfield Patriots tickets, first tier (game dates to be determined). Raffle tickets are available from Herman Weiss ([hweissmd@gmail.com](mailto:hweissmd@gmail.com), 617-483-5956). The tournament consolation game is scheduled for 8 a.m. Sunday, May 21, followed at 10 a.m. by the championship game, both at Sharon High. Details can be found at <http://ezraschwartzbaseballmemorial.com/wp/>.

## JERUSALEM THEME OF YOM ORCHIM SONGS

A preview of Yom Yerushalayim will be the theme of the Elementary School *zimriyah* that highlights Yom Orchim next Friday. Under the direction of music teacher Andrew Malkin, each grade will present a song with a Jerusalem theme during an assembly for visitors between 9 and 9:40 a.m. in the Brener Building gymnasium. There also will be a dance presentation. The school's 21st special visitors' day takes place between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m. in the Elementary and Middle Schools, and from 8:30 to 10:15 a.m. in the Early Childhood Center. Visitors will receive individualized schedules so they can shadow the students through their Friday morning program. Visitors also will have lunch with their students, followed in the Middle School by a showcase of learning, featuring a range of highlights from the academic year in grades 6, 7 and 8. For registration (by Monday, May 15) and other details, contact Ellen Pulda (617-232-4452, ext. 423, [epulda@maimonides.org](mailto:epulda@maimonides.org)).

## NOTED LECTURER TO DISCUSS SIX-DAY WAR

The events in and around Israel from June 6-11, 1967 profoundly changed the landscape of the Middle East. A nationally-recognized Jewish leader and scholar will lecture on "The Six-Day War: 50 Years Later" on Sunday, May 21, beginning at 7:30 p.m. (mincha at 7:15) in S. Joseph Solomont Synagogue. The speaker, Dr. Steven Bayme '67, is director of the Koppelman Institute on American-Israeli Relations and of the Contemporary Jewish Life Department at the American Jewish Committee headquarters. He will be in Brookline to celebrate the Maimonides Class of 1967's fiftieth high school reunion. Indeed, Dr. Bayme notes that their commencement occurred on the day after a cease-fire ended the Six-Day War. For more information and reservations, write [info@maimonides.org](mailto:info@maimonides.org) or call (617) 232-4452, ext. 405.

## **FASHION SHOW FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS**

All girls and women are invited to the first MAlmodesty fashion show Sunday beginning at 2 p.m. in the Brener Building gymnasium (use the Philbrick Road entrance). In addition to young people modeling fashions and songs by the girls' choir, the event will include opportunities to purchase items from two stores: Brooklyns, offering lines of clothing, and Premier Jewelry.

## **SCHOOL HOSTING TALK BY DR. ZORNBERG**

Maimonides will host a lecture by the scholar Dr. Avivah Gottlieb Zornberg next Wednesday, May 17, at 7:30 p.m. in Saval Auditorium. The event is sponsored by Ma'ayan. Dr. Zornberg's topic will be "Like Hearing the Grass Grow: Guilt, Atonement and Intimacy." The lecture is open to men and women, with a fee of \$18 in advance or \$20 at the door (full-time students and educators \$9 and \$10). Dr. Zornberg holds a B.A. and Ph.D. in English Literature from Cambridge University. For the past 30 years, she has taught Torah in Jerusalem at Matan, Yakar, Pardes and the Jerusalem College for Adults.

## **CLOSE FINISHES IN SPRING RESERVOIR RACE**

Close finishes marked both the boys' and girls' results this week in the Physical Education Department's annual spring run around the Route 9 reservoir for students in Grades 6-11. Daniela Neusner, a junior, covered the almost-one-mile loop in six minutes, 19 seconds, just one second in front of Devorah Wertheimer in Grade 8. Daniela's sister Natalie, who is in sixth grade, finished third in 6:37. Two seventh grade girls, Yakira Galler and Mira Ganz, rounded out the top five. A junior also won the boys' event, as Yair Kosowsky-Sachs registered a time of five minutes, 23 seconds, three seconds faster than J.J. Berlove and five seconds faster than Itay Nevo, both freshmen. Two other ninth graders, Yossi Kotler and Daniel Solouki, covered the course in 5:42 and 5:43, respectively.