

ENDLESS OPPORTUNITIES

A community-wide program of educational, social, recreational and volunteer activities
Temple De Hirsch Sinai, Temple B'nai Torah, Jewish Family Service & Congregation Beth Shalom



Jews and Black Lives Matter: How We Can Respond?

August 11, 2020 • 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

The Jewish and Black Communities have a long and complicated history. At times we have inspired each other. At times we have disappointed each other. How does the history of the Black-Jewish relationship in America impact our response to the Black Lives Matter Movement today? What do Blacks and Jews have to be proud of in this relationship? What mistakes have been made? What can we learn from the past that will help us respond intelligently and compassionately to the present moment and position us to create a new kind of Black-Jewish relationship for the future?

Register in advance for this virtual meeting by clicking here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvdu6oqzsoEtwiYNZjXACMBJn3AtglXEQt>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email which will contain your personal link to the program.



Sticky Subject: The History and Culture of Sugar

August 13, 2020 • 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

When King Henry VIII wanted three pounds of sugar for his guests at an important banquet, he had a tough time getting it. Now the average American eats that much sugar in a single week! Once a rare, exotic ingredient, sugar has become a dietary staple, leaving its sticky fingerprints all over the globe. Anthropologist and sweets expert Julia Harrison will take on a journey from ancient sugar cane plantations to modern candy factories, uncovering sugar's economic and social significance. From slavery and mass migration to environmental changes and nutrition, the consequences of sugar's rise are global—and not always sweet.

Register in advance for this virtual meeting by clicking here:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMod-qvqTosH9M4R7sOMJ-ZXP_D7MgoZrUp

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email which will contain your personal link to the program.



Now or Never: How We Protect Voting Rights in 2020

August 20, 2020 • 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

The COVID-19 pandemic is a massive public health crisis first and foremost. But it also poses an existential threat to the core democratic action of voting. Millions of Americans have fought to extend the vote to all US citizens, and now it's our responsibility to do all we can to protect this right. Potential steps to protect the vote are both national in scope, residing in the hands of our leaders in Washington DC, and state-based, to be decided by civic leadership across America. This lecture dives into the facts as they stand and how every one of us can do our part to protect voting rights in 2020.

Register in advance for this virtual meeting by clicking here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89666425252?pwd=eWJLVWxrQ1RMWc9hVTkvTWVyb1NsUT09>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email which will contain your personal link to the program.



Det. Wareing



Ms. Cypers

The Rise of Hate Crimes and Bias Incidents in Seattle: Community Responses & Collaboration

August 25, 2020 • 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Seattle Police Department's Bias Crimes Coordinator, Detective Elizabeth Wareing, and Miri Cypers, Regional Director for the Anti-Defamation League's Pacific Northwest Office, will provide an update on how their agencies work together to respond to hate crimes and support affected communities. Collectively and individually, the SPD and ADL track hate incidents and crimes in the Seattle area, support victims, engage in policy and advocacy, and provide community education around the damaging impacts of hate and bias on diverse communities.

Register in advance for this virtual meeting by clicking here:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUvce2tqj8tHtLnVQLiR2OU_kxBKmE4FtNp

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email which will contain your personal link to the program.

If you have any questions please contact EO Director, Rabbi Kate Speizer, rsvpEO@tdhs-nw.org or (206) 693-3046.