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Fall has finally arrived in Beautiful South Haven. The FHC was the center for much activity during the summer and fall months. We had Bat Mitzvah, dignitary visits, 6 Friday night and 10 Saturday morning Minyans with Kiddush. Our annual Lox Box was the busiest we have had in years. Every third Wednesday movie nights were well attended and enjoyed by all. We also held the dedication of the beautiful Veteran memorial arch and numerous other cemetery improvements that were so needed.

High Holidays

The High Holiday services were enjoyed by many new faces and welcomed old ones. Rabbi Cohen and Lou Price were in tune and the explanations of various parts of our tradition help to give us a deeper understanding and are so welcomed.

The "Apples and Honey" event held at Crane Orchards was a resounding success. Thank you Deb Ehrlich, Sharona Shapiro, David and Renee Kaplan, and the entire Board of Directors who worked this well attended event.

Thanks Dan

Thanks to Dan Rosen who was our representative putting the Israeli Consul General in South Haven and Joe Ashen who made the initial contact. The event was so special and meaningful to us all at the FHC.

Unveiling

The Norm Siegel unveiling will be held on October 20th at 1:00 pm at the FHC cemetery. Support of the Siegel family is appreciated.

Sukkot

Rabbi Mordechai Haller will be bringing the Sukkah on Oct. 20th at 5:00 pm to help us celebrate this memorable holiday.

Mark your calendar The next event that is being planned is a Chanukah party on December 29th. Put this on your calendar so you can come and enjoy this festive dinner with latkes and much more. Further details will follow.

Condolences

Condolence to Candi Green on the recent passing of Allen Green, to Marcus Gottlieb on the passing of Howard Gottlieb, and to Jerry and Cooky Fleishman on the passing of Cooky's sister, Betty Weisman. We are so sorry for your loss. May their memories be a blessing to us all at the FHC.

Mazel Tov!

Congrats to Sheri and Sherwin Zuckerman on the birth of grandson, Jack.

A great Mitzvah can be done by visiting Bea Warshawsky, and Michael Slotnick at River Ridge Retirement Village. They so enjoy seeing their old friends.

Our Shamus, Steve Tolen, has moved back to North Carolina to be near his daughter while dealing with his Illness. Anyone wanting to wish him well can send a get well wish to Steve Tolen, 110 Sudbury Lane, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27516. He would love hearing from some of his friends at the FHC.