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UNITED JEWISH CENTER RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Shabbat—The Heart of Judaism!

Sundays: 9:00—11:30
Preschool—Grade 6

Mondays: 4:10—5:55, Grade 7
Grade 6 beginning February 1, 2010

Sundays: 11:10—1:00
Grades 8 & 9
Confirmation (established dates)

Wednesdays: 4:10—5:55, Grades 2—7
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August 2009

Schedule of Events

- Aug 19—Religious School Committee Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Aug 26—Opening Day Faculty Mtg. 6:00 pm.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 RSC Mtg. 7:00	20	21	22
23	24	25	26 Opening Day Faculty Mtg. 6:00 pm	27	28	29
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September 2009

- Sept 11—Family Service and Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm.
- Sept 13—**Opening Day** for Grades Pre-K—6th (9:00 am-11:30 am) and Grades 8 & 9 & Confirmation class (11:10-1:00).
- Sept 14—**Opening Day** for Grade 7.
- Sept 16—Jr. Congregation Prayer, 5:15.
- ◇ Religious School Com. Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Sept 18—Erev Rosh Hashanah.
- Sept 19—Rosh Hashanah Day 1; Children's Program, 10:30 am.
- ◇ Tashlich, 4:00.
- Sept 20—No School, Rosh Hashanah.
- Sept 21—Shofar Blowing Workshop Grade 7, 5:00 pm
- Sept 27—No School, Erev Yom Kippur, Children's Program, 10:30 am.
- Sept 28—No School, Yom Kippur, Children's Program, 10:30 am.
- Sept 30—Sukkah decorating.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 Labor Day No School	8	9	10	11 Family Service & Birthday Blessings	12 Selichot
13 Opening Day Pre-K-6th & Grades 8 & 9 & Confirmation class	14 Opening Day Grade 7 S	15 S	16 Jr. Congregation Prayer RSC Mtg. S	17 S	18 Erev Rosh Hashanah	19 Rosh Hashanah Day 1; Children's Program 10:30 Tashlich 4:00
20 No School Rosh Hashanah Day 2	21 Grade 7 Shofar Blowing Workshop S	22	23 S	24	25	26
27 No School Erev Yom Kippur; Kol Nidre	28 No School Yom Kippur Children's Program, 10:30	29	30 Decorate Sukkah S			



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October 2009

Schedule of Events

- Oct 2—Erev Sukkot.
- Oct 3—Sukkot.
- Oct 4—Classes in Sukkah; Confirmation class.
- Oct 9—Family Service w/bday blessings Erev Simchat Torah; Simchat Torah Celebration, 6:00 pm., **CONSECRATION**.
- Oct 10—Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah.
- Oct 11-12—No School, Columbus Day Weekend.
- Oct 14—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm.
- Oct 18—Neil and Lisi Marcus Honor Event.
- Oct 21—Grades 6 & 7 unload Marcus Dairy truck.
- ◊ Religious School Com. Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Oct 25—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am.
- ◊ Judaism workshop
- Oct 31—Daniel Green Bar Mitzvah.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
					Erev Sukkot	Sukkot
4 Classes in Sukkah Confirmation Class S	5 S	6	7 S	8	9 Erev Simchat Torah Celebration, Family Service w/ bday blessings 6:00 pm Consecration	10 Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah
11 No School Columbus Day Weekend	12 No School	13	14 Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 S	15	16	17
18 Neil & Lisi Marcus Honor Event S	19 S	20	21 Unload Marcus Dairy Truck Grades 6 & 7; RSC Mtg. S	22	23	24
25 Jr. Cong. Prayer Judaism Workshop S	26 S	27	28 S	29	30	31 Daniel Green Bar Mitzvah



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November 2009

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- Nov 1— Daylight Savings Time ends (turn clock back one hour); Confirmation class.
- Nov 2, 9, 16, & 30—Hebrew Reading Crash Course by Rabbi Librach, 7:00-8:30 pm.
- Nov 4—Guest Speaker Ralph Priess for Grades 4-7. Kristalnacht.
- Nov 11—No school, Veteran’s Day.
- Nov 15—Mitzvah Day.
- Nov 18—B’nei Mitzvah picture taking, 4:30 pm
- ◊ Bar/Bat Mitzvah Date Selection Mtg., 6:00 pm.
- ◊ RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Nov 20—Pre-Oneg, 7:00 pm; Family Service & Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm; 4th graders to receive prayerbooks; 4th & 5th graders to participate in Service.
- Nov 22—Annual Meeting.
- Nov. 23—Interfaith Thanksgiving Service 7:00 pm at the UJC. Hebrew Reading Crash Course to follow.
- Nov 25-29—No School, Thanksgiving Recess.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Daylight Savings Time Ends Confirmation class S	2 Hebrew Reading Crash Course S	3 Election Day	4 Guest Speaker Kristalnacht S	5	6	7
North American Biennial Nov. 4-8, 2009						
8 Biennial S	9 Hebrew Reading Crash Course S	10	11 No School	12	13 Adult Choir	14 Sisterhood Event
15 Mitzvah Day S	16 Hebrew Reading Crash Course S	17	18 B’nei Mitzvah Pics, 4:30; BM Date Selection Mtg., 6:00; RSC Mtg. S	19	20 Pre-Oneg, Family Svc. & Birthday Blessings; Kabbalat HaSiddur; Music Shabbat	21
22 Annual Mtg. S	23 Interfaith Thanksgiving Service; Hebrew Reading Course S	24	25 No School Thanksgiving Recess	26 Thanksgiving	27	28
29 No School Thanksgiving Recess	30 Hebrew Reading Crash Course S					



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December 2009

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- Dec 2— Faculty Mtg., 6:00 pm
- Dec 6—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am., Confirmation
- Dec 13— Family Day.
- Dec. 11—First Candle. Chanukah Dinner, 6:15; Family Svc. and Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm.
- Dec 12—Second Candle, Chanukah.
- Dec. 13—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am.
- Dec 16—Jr. Cong. Prayer led by Grade 7, 5:15 pm.
- ◊ RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Dec. 23-Jan 3—No School, Winter Recess.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Faculty Mtg. 6:00 pm S	3	4	5
6 Jr. Cong. Prayer 9:15 am Confirmation class S	7 S	8 S	9	10 S	11 First Candle Chanukah Din- ner, 6:15; Fam- ily Svc. & Birth- day Blessings	12 Second Candle Chanukah
13 Family Day S	14 S	15	16 Jr. Cong. Prayer led by Grade 7 RSC Mtg. S	17	18	19
20 S	21 S	22	23 No School ← WINTER RECESS →	24	25	26
27 No School ← WINTER RECESS →	28 No School	29	30 No School	31		



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January 2010

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- Jan 3—No School, Winter Recess.
- Jan 10—Confirmation Parents Mtg., 10:00, Confirmation
- Jan 13—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15, led by Grade 6.
- Jan 15—Pre-Oneg, 7:00; Family Service & Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm.
- Jan 17-18—No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. weekend.
- Jan 20—RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Jan 23—6th and 7th Grade Shabbaton.
- Jan 24—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am.
- ◇ Eisner/Crane Lake Pres., 10:00 am.
- Jan 30— TuBishvat.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 New Year's Day	2
3 No School Winter Recess	4	5	6	7	8 Adult Choir	9
10 Confirmation Parent's Mtg., 10:00 am Confirmation class S	11	12	13 Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15, led by Grade 6 S	14	15 Pre-Oneg 7:00; Family Svc. & Birth- day Blessings	16
17 No School Martin Luther King Weekend	18 No School	19	20 RSC Mtg. S	21	22	23 6th & 7th Grade Shabbaton
24 Jr. Cong. Prayer Eisner/Crane Lake Presentation S	25	26	27	28	29	30 Tu Bishvat
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February 2010

Schedule of Events

- Feb 1—Grade 6 begins on Mondays.
- Feb 7—Pancake Breakfast, Confirmation.
- ◊ Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am in Honor of our Teachers.
- Feb 14-15—No School, President’s Week-end.
- Feb 17—Grades 5 & 6 make Purim baskets.
- Feb 19—Pre-Oneg, 7:00; Family Service & Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm.
- ◊ Pre-K, Kindergarten & Grade 1 participates in Service.
- Feb 20—Learner’s Service.
- Feb 21—Grades 5 & 6 to deliver Purim baskets.
- Feb 24—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm, led by Grade 5.
- ◊ Faculty Mtg., 6:00 pm
- Feb 27—Erev Purim.
- Feb 28—Megillah Reading, 10:30; Purim Carnival, 11:00 am.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Grade 6 begins on Mondays	2	3	4 S	5	6
	7 Pancake Breakfast; Jr. Cong. Prayer in Honor of our Teachers; Confirmation S	8 S	9	10 S	11 Adult Choir	12 13
14 No School	15 No School President’s Weekend	16	17 Grades 5 & 6 make Purim Baskets S	18	19 Pre-Oneg 7:00; Family Svc. & Birthday Blessings S	20 Learner’s Service
21 Deliver Purim Baskets Grades 5 & 6 S	22 S	23	24 Jr. Cong. Prayer Faculty Mtg. S	25	26	27 Erev Purim
28 Megillah Reading Purim Carnival S						



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March 2010

Schedule of Events

- Mar 5—visit to B’nei Jeshurun
- Mar 10—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm, led by Gr. 4.
- Mar 14—UJC Bowl, 11:30 am.
- ◊ Daylight Savings Time begins.
- Mar 17—RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.
- Mar 19—Pre-Oneg, 7:00 pm; Music Family Shabbat & Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm. Grades 6 & 7 to participate in Service.
- Mar 21—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am.
- Mar 24—Model Seder Grades 2-7 4:30-5:55 p.m..
- Mar 28—Pre-K, K & 1st Grade Model Seder 10:00 a.m., Confirmation
- ◊ High School Model Seder.
- Mar 29—No School, 1st Seder, Erev Pesach.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
		S	S		visit to B’nei Jeshurun 7:30	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
S		S	Jr. Cong. Prayer S		Adult Choir	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
UJC Bowl Daylight Savings Time Begins S		S	RSC Mtg. S		Pre-Oneg 7:00; Family Svc. & Birthday Blessings	S
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Jr. Cong. Prayer S		S	Model Seder Grades 2-7 S			
28	29	30	31			
Pre-K, K & 1st Gr. Model Seder; High Sch. Model Seder S	No School 1st Seder Erev Pesach	2nd Seder Passover		S		



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April 2010

Schedule of Events

- Apr 5—No School, Passover Day 7.
- Apr 7—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm., led by Grades 2 & 3.
- Apr 11—Yom HaShoah, Holocaust Remembrance Day, Confirmation.
- ◊ Jr. Cong. Prayer, 9:15 am.
- Apr 16—Family Service & Birthday Blessings, 7:30.
- Apr 18-25—No School, Spring Recess.
- Apr 24—Rebecca Bain Bat Mitzvah.
- Apr 28—RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5 No School Passover Day 7 S	6	7 Jr. Cong. Prayer S	8	9 Adult Choir	10
11 Yom HaShoah, Holo- caust Remem- brance Day; Jr. Cong. Prayer S	12 S	13 S	14 S	15 S	16 Family Service & Birthday Blessings, 7:30	17
18 No School Israel Memo- rial Day (Yom HaZikaron)	19 Israel Independence Day (Yom HaAtzmaut)	20	21	22	23	24 Rebecca Bain Bat Mitzvah
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25 S P R I N G R E C E S S	26 S	27	28 RSC Mtg. S	29	30	



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May 2010

Schedule of Events

- May 1—Ryan Fox Bar Mitzvah
- May 2—Lag B’Omer, Field Day, Confirmation
- May 5—Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm., First Confirmation Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.
- ◊ Confirmation Rehearsal, 6:00 pm.
- May 8—Jacob Schilling Bar Mitzvah.
- May 9—Mother’s Day.
- ◊ Jr. Cong. Prayer, 5:15 pm.
- May 10—Faculty Mtg., 6:00 pm.
- May 12—Confirmation Rehearsal 6:00 p.m.
- May 16—Grade 5 & 6 Brunch, 9:00 am.
- ◊ Confirmation Rehearsal, 11:30 am.
- May 18—Erev Shavuot, **CONFIRMATION**, 7:00 pm.
- May 19—No School, Shavuot.
- May 21—Family Service with Birthday Blessings, 7:30 pm.
- May 23—End-of-Year Celebration
- May 24 & 26—Snow Make-up Days.
- ◊ RSC Mtg., 7:00 pm.

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						1 Ryan Fox Bar Mitzvah
2 Lag B’Omer Field Day Confirmation S	3 S	4 S	5 Jr. Cong. Prayer Confirmation Rehearsal S	6	7	8 Jacob Schilling Bar Mitzvah
9 Mother’s Day Jr. Cong. Prayer S	10 Faculty Mtg. 6:00 pm S	11	12 Confirmation Rehearsal 6 BOT Mtg 7	13	14 Adult Choir	15
16 Grade 5 & 6 Brunch Confirmation Rehearsal S	17	18 Erev Shavuot CONFIRMATION S	19 No School Shavuot	20	21 Family Service & Birthday Blessings	22
23 End-of-Year Celebration S	24 Snow Make-up Day S	25	26 Snow Make-up Day; RSC Mtg. S	27	28	29
30	31 Memorial Day					