

News & Views - Conejo Valley Chapter

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Brandeis Conejo Valley Chapter Proudly Presents

Award Winning Radio Personality and host of two radio programs on KFI AM radio - a morning current events show and a legal advice show.

BILL HANDEL

William Wolf Handel (born August 25, 1951, Brazil) is the director and founder of the Center for Surrogate Parenting and an AM radio personality in Los Angeles, California. His father Leo Handel was a Polish Jew who had hidden in a Jesuit house and lived as a Catholic priest during World War II. Much of the Handel family lost their lives in the Holocaust. Leo applied to emigrate to the United States legally, and was forced to wait for eleven years to obtain entry. During this time he lived in Brazil where he met and married his

wife, Nechama, a dentist. The Handel family emigrated to the U.S. when Bill was six. He spent the remainder of his formative years growing up in the San Fernando Valley. He attended California State University, Northridge where he obtained his bachelor's degree in Political Science. He then earned his J.D. from Whittier Law School.

Handel currently hosts two radio programs on KFI. First is KFI's local morning show, in which he comments on current events. The program is one of the top rated morning program in the Los Angeles market, with more than 1 million listeners. Additionally, he hosts a legal advice show on weekends called *Handel on the Law*, which is syndicated by Premiere Radio Networks and heard on over 150 stations. Handel's legal show is currently his longest running radio program to date.



Also that day:

Study Group Sign-Ups: Study Groups are a great way for members to make new friends while exploring new areas of interest.

Membership Enrollment: With nearly 500 members, we are expanding our horizons reaching out to find new members.

Tributes-Book Fund: Purchase Brandeis Tribute Cards and spread warmth, kindness, caring, love, understanding and friendship.

Shop at the Boutique: For the Boutique we have many new vendors selling different kinds of merchandise, plus some of our returning favorites.

Questions: Barbara Polisky 818-991-2667 ipolisky@aol.com

Go to our web site to download your personal invitation! www.brandeisconejo.org

All proceeds from this event will benefit Brandeis University's Sustaining the Mind endowment fund to find cures for neurodegenerative diseases and to endow science scholarships.

A Message from Your Co-Presidents

Greetings to one and all.

The summer isn't the only thing heating up. As one term has ended and another has begun...

The members of your new Board began their terms by attending "Camp Brandeis" and "The College of Brandeis Knowledge". (Yes, being a Board member *can* be fun!) It was a time for us to get to know more about one another, our chapter and the University, build upon what we've already started as a team and develop some new ideas to carry us forward.

Inspired by the success of other chapters, our focus this year will be on implementing a Leadership Development Program, the goal of which will be to identify and develop our chapter's future leaders. Enrollment in the program requires little more than an interest in learning about who we are and what we do. Along the way, we hope to find your "sweet spot" and spark your interest. Be sure to read the article in this edition to find out more.

Together with our study group offerings, special events and an upcoming music series, this promises to be an outstanding Conejo Valley BNC year. Please support our events. Remember, the vital medical research being done at Brandeis University may someday contribute to cures for Alzheimer's, Parkinson's and ALS – diseases that affect far too many of our friends and family.



Join our Leadership Development Program.

What does it take to run a BNC chapter of 500+ members? From Membership to Study Groups – Special Events to Learning Opportunities and Social Justice programs – everything is planned by a team of committed volunteers. The end result is the fulfillment of our philan-

thropic mission to help fund vital medical research at Brandeis University while bringing our members the benefits of social interaction, friendship and intellectual stimulation.



Susan Barnett and Carol Smith

Perhaps you've thought of getting involved but can't quite decide what your area of interest is or how much time would be involved. Would you be willing to attend a few Board or committee meetings to find out? No commitments, no responsibilities – just an opportunity to observe and see what goes on – up close and personal. What have you got to lose? It may be a cliché, but nothing ventured, nothing gained. Contact Carol Smith at carolovestan@gmail.com or Susan Barnett at ansbar@roadrunner.com to explore the possibilities. THANK YOU!

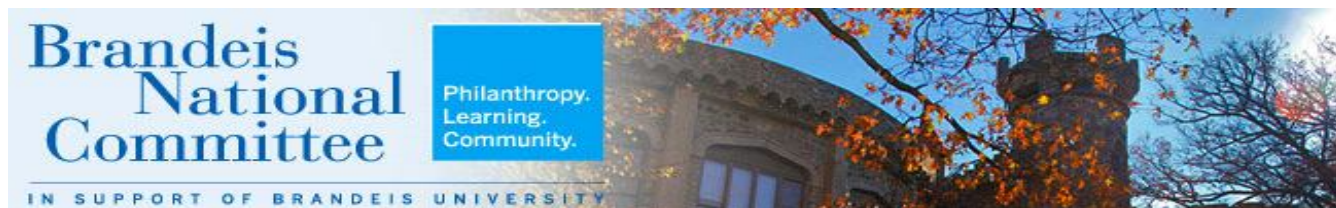
"Leadership's job is to groom that next generation. If you're not doing it, you won't get there."

-Jonathan Kass, CIO at Veterinary Pet Insurance Co.

Warmly,
Your Co-Presidents,

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Wish you L'Shana Tova, a Happy, Healthy New Year.



BNC Mission Statement:

Brandeis National Committee is dedicated to providing philanthropic support to Brandeis University, a distinguished liberal arts and research university founded by the American Jewish community. Its membership is connected to the university through fundraising and through activities that reflect the values on which the university was founded: academic excellence, social justice, non-sectarianism, and service to the community.

Brandeis University policy for sharing names

"It is the policy of Brandeis University, the Brandeis National Committee, and the Conejo Valley Chapter that membership lists and event registration lists may not be shared with other organizations. They are the property of the Conejo Valley Chapter. In order to insure the privacy of each individual, our members may not use our lists for any purpose other than that for which they were created."



MEMBERSHIP UPDATES

I am so excited to once again be Membership V.P. for Conejo Valley Chapter of Brandeis. It means that I get another opportunity to meet all the new and prospective members coming in. I feel like an ambassador representing all the wonderful people already here in Conejo Valley and like a tour guide explaining all that is available to everyone who joins us.



I hope you are looking forward to our Membership Luncheon in September and our get acquainted coffee in October. Please give me the names of any friends that you think will enjoy our many study groups or the varied ways we raise money for the research, libraries, and scholarships at Brandeis. I will be glad to call them to familiarize them with our chapter and our goals.

Ellie Puls Membership V.P. 818-889-5555 norm0020@yahoo.com

OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

Daniel	Brown
Harve	Galper
Meryl	Keller
Janis	Margolis
Sarita	Meresman
Larry	Meresman
Indy	Rebhun
Michele	Scissors

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Food costs more, clothing costs more, gas costs more and mailing the BNC newsletter costs more.

It has become increasingly more expensive to print and mail the newsletter to those members who request it. Out of necessity, the Conejo Valley Chapter Board has instituted a new policy that states: "Any member who chooses to have a print version of our newsletter mailed to their home will incur a charge of \$10.00 per year". This fee will just cover our cost of printing and mailing. This will be the last newsletter that is mailed free of charge.

If you decide you would like to receive your newsletter electronically, please send us your name and email address and you will be added to our email list.

Thank you for your understanding,
Conejo Valley Chapter Board

Brent's and BNC Team Up

Did you know that you can purchase gift cards to Brent's Deli through our chapter and raise money for medical research at the same time? That's right!

For every \$25 gift card you buy *FROM US*, Brent's is contributing 10% toward our fundraising efforts. You get the full \$25 value to spend at either Brent's location (Northridge or Westlake) and the chapter gets \$2.50. If you like to eat at Brent's (and who doesn't?), this is a "no brainer".
Contact:

Jackie Kantor at
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Yum!!



OPEN BOARD MEETINGS

1st Thursday of the month at 10:00 am
Thousand Oaks Library
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All members are welcome.

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Installation of Officers



Gallery GIRLS visit artist Djibril



Sunday Couples Group visiting Leonis Adobe

<<< Divas at Murphy Auto Museum in Oxnard



Study Group News

It's a new Brandeis year and your new Study Group Vice-Presidents and Directors are looking forward to an exciting 2014/2015. Our membership Fall luncheon and Boutique is right around the corner.

Help Plan Our New Study Groups.

Brandeis Conejo is famous for our Study Groups so be sure to check them out. Exciting new groups are coming in the fall as well as our fabulous existing groups. Get involved!! Don't miss out!! Our groups for men and couples are expanding rapidly. Men, don't let the women have all the fun.

Please go to www.brandeisconejo.org study group updates for list of study group categories Which ones interest you? Let us know.

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Frustrated You're Not in a Study Group?

Our study group Vice Presidents are aware that many of you have expressed frustration at the long waits to join study groups.

We want you to know that you can join a group only after putting your name on the wait list for that **category**. While you may request to join a specific group, this may actually *prolong your wait* until an opening becomes available *in that group* and hope you are next on the waiting list.

There are two ways for you to start the process:

Fill out sign-up sheets at B.N.C. events

Inform any one of the study group VPs:

The reasons it takes so long to launch a new group are:

Insufficient names on the waiting list

Groups cannot start without volunteers to be leaders and coordinators of that groups.

We require existing groups to follow the rules and let people in on a first-come, first-served basis.

Specific groups do not have individual wait lists. There is a list for each category (such as Women's On the Town groups) that is held by a VP, *not by individual group leaders.*

If you have an idea for a new group that you are willing to lead please let us know.



On Sunday June 1st, the "Happy Wanderers" On the Town Couples Study Group was given a docent led tour of the Van Nuys Sova Pantry. Twenty one in all, our group donated 104 pounds of food. Fred, our docent was very informative and interesting, and we learned much about Sova.

"SOVA" is a Hebrew word that means "eat and be satisfied."



Brandeis, Conejo Valley Study Groups as of November 1, 2013

W K	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1 st	<p>Memor Writing 10:00 A</p> <p>Monday Book Club 12 Noon</p> <p>Monday Movie Mavens 1:00 P</p>	<p>Literary Potpourri 10:00 A</p> <p>We the Jury 1:00 P</p>	<p>Almost Anything Goes</p> <p>Antique Browsers 11:45 A</p> <p>Wednesday Walkers 10:00 A (Weekly)</p> <p>Women in Transition 12:30 P</p> <p>Reel Men 4:30 P</p> <p>Dinettes-Dinner</p>	<p>BOARD MEETING 10:00 A</p> <p>Flick Chicks 1:30 P</p>	<p>Gallery Girls</p> <p>Canastaristas 10:30 A</p> <p>TGIF Gals 1:00 P Weekly</p>		<p>Happy Wanderers</p>
2 nd	<p>Women of a Certain Age 9:30 A</p> <p>Hot Mama Mahjers 1:00 P</p>	<p>Wild Bunch</p> <p>Book Thieves 10:00 A</p> <p>CE Mavens (Men) 10:00 A</p> <p>Book Markers 11:00 A</p> <p>Brothers Book Group 1:30 P</p> <p>Tues. Afternoon Readers 1:00 P</p>	<p>Cinema Gals 1:00 P</p> <p>Bridge (couples) 7:00 P</p>	<p>Day Trippers 10:00 A</p> <p>Yiddishe Mamas 10:00 A</p> <p>Legal Eagles 1:00 P</p> <p>Legal Puzzlers (couples) 7:15 P</p> <p>Cinemaddicts 7:30 P</p>	<p>Breaking News 10:30 A</p>		<p>Sunday Movies & Shakers (couples) 3:00 P</p>
3 rd	<p>Current Events Newsroom 9:30 A</p> <p>Monday Newsers 10:00 A</p>	<p>Gallivanting Gals</p> <p>Tuesday Travelers</p> <p>Life and Times 10:00 A</p> <p>Food for Thought (couples) Dinner</p> <p>Legal Mavens (couples) 7:15 P</p>	<p>Wednesday Life Issues 9:30 A</p> <p>Men's CAD 9:45 A</p> <p>Law & Disorder 10:00 A</p> <p>Happy Bookers 12 Noon</p>	<p>Bit's & Pieces</p> <p>Daytime Divas</p> <p>Daytime Trotters</p>	<p>Canastaristas 10:30 A</p>		<p>The Sociables (couples)</p> <p>Gadabouts (couples)</p> <p>Les Sunday Cinema (couples) 4:00 P</p>
4 th	<p>Monday Women 9:30 A</p> <p>Women of a Certain Age 9:30 A</p> <p>Hot Mama Mahjers 1:00 P</p>	<p>12 Angry Women 10:00 A</p> <p>Knosh & Knowledge 12:30 P</p> <p>Book Ends 1:00 P</p> <p>Brandeis Players 1:30 P</p>	<p>Men Unlimited</p> <p>Shaina Maidlech 1:30 P</p> <p>Bridge (couples) 7:00 P</p>	<p>Thursday Women's View 9:45 A</p> <p>Family Finders 1:30 P</p> <p>Hang Em All (couples) 4:00-6:00 P</p>		<p>Movie Critics (couples) 5:45 P</p> <p>Clueless Players 7:00 P</p>	<p>Movie Mavens (couples) 6:30 P</p> <p>The Watchables (couples)</p>



IMPORTANT INFORMATION



**Brandeis Conejo Community Social Justice / Committee Service
Our Community Service Committee believes that
you will "Empower Yourself" by Giving Back.**

Our dedicated Committee members as always are busy collecting and delivering donations that make a difference in the life of the less fortunate. We delivered clothing to Alexandria House. Soon we will be delivering to RAIN many bags of toiletries collected by Sherry Weisman and the items from Helene Lustig. Several members collect soda can tabs for Ronald Mc Donald House. Thank you. Marilyn Bolnick is busy volunteering at "For Our Troops" and "Chicken Soup For The Soul".

Thirty women -- great grandmothers, grandmothers, daughters, and granddaughters enjoyed a rewarding evening making bracelets for Israeli Soldiers. They were packaged with hand written heartfelt notes.



Members are welcome to attend our every other month "Committee Get Together" or you can just collect donations and we will be happy to "Pick Up". Your participation will be appreciated.

For any information or for pick-ups please email co leaders Edie Dellorco edellorco1@yahoo.com (805) 241-2972 and Gertie Sanders gertiesanders@gmail.com 805-230-1252

CIO REPORT (Shelly Wasserman)

Interesting facts from Brandeis University

Our students are doing some great things this summer. Edan Zitlney '17 is investigating cancer and genetics during a 10-week research internship in Chicago.

Neurodegenerative diseases are becoming a global epidemic as population's age and life expectancies increase.

The neuroscience program at Brandeis is ranked sixth in the country.

The university's world-renowned scientists conduct cutting-edge research through an interdisciplinary, collaborative approach that involves students.

Students in more than 56 laboratories work side-by-side with Brandeis scientists. In the classroom and in the lab, Brandeis students have the opportunity to interact with exceptional faculty who truly care about undergraduate education. They are leaders in their fields who are on the cutting edge of research and intellectual thought.

The Sustaining the Mind Campaign supports students studying the sciences.

Brandeis researchers are racing to find breakthroughs that will lead to cures.

Please check our web site for additional information.

www.brandeisconejo.org



MOST OF THE THINGS WORTH DOING IN THE WORLD HAD BEEN DECLARED IMPOSSIBLE BEFORE THEY WERE DONE.

Louis D. Brandeis



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Sustaining the Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships

Did you know that Alzheimer's disease alone affects 15 million people worldwide? Maybe you or a family member or friend is one of those people. As the population ages and this number increases, the need for neurological and neurodegenerative disease research becomes increasingly important.



Brandeis University researchers in over 50 laboratories are already pioneering strides in the field of brain-related disorders, including Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases. Scientists in the areas of neurodevelopment, neurodevelopment disorders and neurodegeneration are trying to understand the fundamental biological processes underlying brain function. These Brandeis professors and students are dedicated to the basic research that has already led to breakthroughs in our understanding of neurological diseases. Educating tomorrow's scientists is important; that's why investing in scientific research and scholarships at Brandeis is an investment in the future. Plus Brandeis is committed to ensuring that it meets the financial needs of students doing outstanding work in science's fastest-growing arena.

We invite you to join the Brandeis National Committee's "Sustaining the Mind: Scientific Research and Scholarships" campaign to establish an important fund to foster research in neuroscience and neurodegenerative diseases, and to establish an endowed scholarship fund for students in the sciences. The vision and determination of a cadre of loyal supporters like you will help us reach our \$3 million campaign goal and will ensure that Brandeis researchers and students are able to excel in their fields of study and make important advancements in neuroscience.

How Will You Create Your Legacy?

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National
Committee

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75	5.8
80	6.8
85	7.8
90	9.0

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*Rates for 2 life annuities available on request



LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

The High Holidays 2014 Rosh Hashanah & Yom Kippur

September 24-26

October 3-4



The Cry Of The Shofar

A parable from Rabbi Israel Baal Shem Tov:

A King had an only son, the apple of his eye. The King wanted his son to master different fields of knowledge and to experience various cultures, so he sent him to a far-off country, supplied with a generous quantity of silver and gold. Far away from home, the son squandered all the money until he was left completely destitute. In his distress he resolved to return to his father's house and after much difficulty, he managed to arrive at the gate of the courtyard to his father's palace.

In the passage of time, he had actually forgotten the language of his native country, and he was unable to identify himself to the guards. In utter despair he began to cry out in a loud voice, and the King, who recognized the voice of his son, went out to him and brought him into the house, kissing him and hugging him.

The meaning of the parable: The King is G-d. The prince is the Jewish people, who are called "Children of G-d" ([Deuteronomy 14:1](#)). The King sends a soul down to this world in order to fulfill the Torah and mitzvot. However, the soul becomes very distant and forgets everything to which it was accustomed to above, and in the long exile it forgets even its own "language." So it utters a simple cry to its Father in Heaven. This is the blowing of the *shofar*, a cry from deep within, expressing regret for the past and determination for the future. This cry elicits G-d's mercies, and He demonstrates His abiding affection for His child and forgives him.

Honey-Free Rosh Hashanah Recipe

On Rosh Hashanah, most Jews indulge in sweet foods at their table to symbolize their desire for a sweet year. Problems arise when someone is unable to tolerate sugar and honey for either medical reasons or for dietary reasons. Obviously, we all desire a year filled with sweetness and all manner of delicious blessings, even if we cannot eat the sweet foods that symbolize these blessings.

The question is how to substitute for sugar and honey and yet still have those sweet delicacies that symbolize a sweet year and the answer to this culinary dilemma is to substitute fruit and fruit juices for the honey. Here is one idea:

Applesauce Cake:

- 1 cup Earth Balance non-hydrogenated margarine, softened
- 1 jar banana baby food
- 2 eggs
- 32 oz. jar of natural applesauce
- 4 cups whole wheat pastry flour
- 1 Tbsp. baking soda
- 2 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 tsp. ground cloves
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 cup finely chopped walnuts

Preheat oven to 325. Cream margarine and bananas. Add eggs and mix well. Pour in applesauce, beating well, then add dry ingredients. Fold in nuts. Pour batter into a greased 9" x 13" pan and bake for about 1 hour or until toothpick inserted into middle comes out clean.





IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunshine News:

Congratulations and Mazal Tov:

- ~ Cheryl and Joel Stuback on their 50th Wedding Anniversary
- ~ Elisa Lazarus honored Temple Etz Chaim Sisterhood, "Woman of Valor", and Sisterhood President
- ~ To Lila Segal on the move to a new home
- ~ To Nancy and Robert Tanowitz on Engagement of their Son.
- ~ To Marsha and Bob Rosenblum on the Bat Mitzvah of Granddaughter Aubree.
- ~ Norma Katz on Marriage of Granddaughter Monet
- ~ Barbara Polisky on Birth of first Grandchild Arthur Oliver.



Graduations:

- - Alvira and Israel on the graduation of their daughter from UC Irvine with Masters
- - Norma Katz on the graduation of their Granddaughter Sienna

Congratulation to all the graduates.

A Special Thank you to Marsha Goldin, Rita Zarrell and Bev Halpern for a Beautiful Installation Luncheon, and to Harriet Maran and Jackie Kantor for wonderful Small Events. Welcome back to the Board, a healthier Shelly Wasserman.

In Deepest Sympathy:

- Condolences to Renee Spero on the loss of her Brother
- Condolences to Murvet Arnstein on the loss of Mother
- Condolences to Carolyn Sax on the loss of her Husband Barry
- Condolences to the family of Dolores Freides

May their blessed memory bring all of you comfort.

Get well and Speedy recovery To:

Nomi Freed; Alice Diamond; Elaine Boss; Dan Reed; Warren Zarrell; Sheila Clapkin; Nina Fenster-Smylie; Joyce Sussman

Please let us know your sunshine news. We'd be happy to print it. Contact Gertie Sanders - chairperson of the "Sunshine News" committee gertiesanders@gmail.com 805-230-1252.



TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF SMALL EVENTS 2014-2015

Because our annual Brandeis Membership Luncheon is scheduled for September 29, we have scheduled our first small event in late November, featuring Sol Jacobs, narrator, commentator, and performer. Also, Bob Lipson, pianist, will present memorable musical moments and will offer classic sing-alongs, along with Hollywood gossip and little-known tidbits accompanied with U Tube clips. Planning for an unforgettable year includes our Chanukah festivities on November 17th. University on Wheels, featuring a Brandeis professor will be held on January 8 (time and place to be announced), and Elizabeth Stewart, our antique expert, has agreed to return at a future date.

Some surprise guests will decorate this year's events in the upcoming months. Remember, you can always check our calendar on our website, www.brandeisconejo.org for up-to-date information.

If you have any questions, suggestions, or comments, please call Jessica Pearlman (805-499-1320) or Frona Decovnick (818-883-1247)

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<u>TO</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>MESSAGE</u>
Elissa Lazarus	Book Marks	Mazel on Sisterhood Woman of Valor
Barry Sax	Helaine Portnoy	Get well
Gerri Wissot	Helene Lustig	Get well
Arlene Madden	Brandeis Art & Antique	Get well
Barry Sax	Lila Klausner	Get well
Skip Clapkin	Brandeis Board	Get well
Judy Grossman	Nancy Minkow	Speedy recovery
Sheila Anderson	Helene & Carl Lustig	Speedy recovery
Nomi Freed	Barbara Hersh	Speedy recovery
Ellie Jacobs	Brandeis Current Events Newsroom	Speedy recovery
Margie Titcher	Brandeis Movie & Art & Antique group	Speedy recovery
Carolyn Sax	Sharon Cohen	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Elaine Blonder	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Carol Smith	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Helaine Portnoy	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Sandra Simsovit	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Bobbi Albert	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Marsha Rosenblum	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Herb & Marsha Goldin	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Helene & Carl Lustig	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Lois Block	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Honey Bencomo	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Norma & Mel Silberberg	Memory of husband Barry
Carolyn Sax	Lila Segal	Memory of husband Barry
Shirley Sanders	Lila Segal	In memory of Herbie
Dorothy Mendelson	Norma & Mel Silberberg	In memory of Jerry
Family of Dolores Friedes	Marsha & Bob Rosenblum	In memory of Dolores
Family of Dolores Friedes	Barbara Hersh	In memory of Dolores
Renee Spero	Brandeis Board	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Renee Spero	Carol Smith	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Renee Spero	Lillian Garner & Helene Phillips	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Renee Spero	Marsha & Bob Rosenblum	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Renee Spero	Ellie Puls	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Debbie Alpert & Family	Lila Segal	Condolences on the loss of Dolores
Renee Spero	Nancy Minkow	Condolences on the loss of your brother
Murvet Arnstein	Nancy & Robert Tanowitz	Condolences on the loss of your mother
Barbara Polisky	Carol & Stan Smith	Mazel tov on the birth of your grandson
Barbara Polisky	Brandeis Board	Mazel tov on the birth of your grandson
Barbara & Ira Polisky	Marsha & Bob Rosenblum	Mazel tov on the birth of your grandson
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<i>Sustaining the Mind</i>		
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Beverly Halpern	Conejo Valley Brandeis Chapter	In appreciation
Carolyn Sax	Wild Bunch	Condolences on the loss of Barry
Murvet Arnstein	Barbara & Ira Polisky	Condolences on the loss of your mother
Debbie Alpert & Family	Nina Fenster	In memory of Dolores

To the Board Members of the Brandeis Conejo Valley Chapter,
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With love to all, **Renee Spero**

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CONEJO VALLEY CALENDAR

BOARD MEETINGS ARE THE 1ST THURSDAY
OF THE MONTH - 10:00 AM

Thousand Oaks Library

MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS

SEPTEMBER 4
SEPTEMBER 24
SEPTEMBER 29

BOARD MEETING - 10:00
ROSH HASHANA
Fall Luncheon and Boutique 10 a.m.
Hyatt Westlake

OCTOBER 2
OCTOBER 3
OCTOBER 8
OCTOBER 17
NOVEMBER 6
November 17
NOVEMBER 27
DECEMBER 4
December 15

BOARD MEETING - 10:00
Evening of YOM KIPPUR—Kol Nidre
Evening SUKKOT
SIMCHAT TORAH
BOARD MEETING - 10:00
Small Event
THANKSGIVING
BOARD MEETING - 10:00
Small Event

DECEMBER 16
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