## Men's Club – TRZ Board Meeting Report Thursday, December 20, 2018

## **November Events**

Harvest Dinner - 11/16/2018

Successful event. We served over 150 people.

Want to thank Muriel Rodoute and Deborah in the Temple Office for getting the two, non-working convection ovens repaired prior to the event. We could have not cooked for this many people without the equipment. Thank you to all who attended.

**Vista Del Mar Toy Drive** 

We collected about 10 huge bags of toys for Vista del Mar. This is an annual event and we want to thank everyone who donated new unwrapped toys for the boys and girls at the orphanage. It's amazing how generous the TRZ family truly is. – Toda Raba.

Mitzvah Day – Men's Club collected used glasses that to be donated to the Kwanis Club. Men's Club would like to do this year-round and on Mitzvah Day close it up to be able to donate to this worthy cause.

## **December Events**

December 7<sup>th</sup> - Men's Club turned over, for this year, Hanukkah is Funukkah Dinner –due to the short turnaround time between the Harvest Dinner and the other Hanukkah events taking place this month. Next year we will be back in the kitchen for this event and hope that all will attend and support TRZ. The event is being catered and I want to thank Susan L. for her support in getting the food, volunteers, etc. Over 120 people attended this dinner and several people helped with set up and serving. However, MC members were still the ones who did clean up.

December 10<sup>th</sup> – Held the first Annual Martinis and Menorahs. Men's Club tried to host this event last year, but due to Alberto's eye surgery, we cancelled the event.. This year, we invited Hazzan Friedman to talk about *Why 8 Days*. We learned about the history of Hanukkah, ate some traditional Hanukkah foods, but did not light candles. It was a good time even with the low turnout of attendees.

## **Future Events**

We'll be planning a TRZ Family UNO tournament in the future. More information to follow.