



OTMC January Newsletter

New Activities

Fall in Love in Las Vegas Fun-raiser, Saturday, February 11, 7:30 p.m.

Sisterhood and Men's Club invite you to a casino night fun-raiser! Play Blackjack, Craps, Texas Hold 'Em, and Roulette, all run by a professional casino company. We will also have a DJ and other fun activities, plus hors d'oeuvres, dessert, beer and wine. Sisterhood and Men's Club are using this event as a fundraiser with 4 levels of participation and raffle tickets. [Register here by Sunday, January 29.](#)



World Wide Wrap - Sunday February 12 8:30 a.m. - Sanctuary

Wrapping tefillin - a meaningful way to experience "first thoughts" of the day and reflection on our connection to God via prayer.

Join us before Sunday minyan for a brief refresher on tefillin and then stay to doven for the short Sunday morning service at 9:00am. Open to all. Bring your own tefillin or borrow from OT. A small nosh will follow the service.



ABBA Poker and Game Night - Saturday, February 25, 8:00 pm - Mosaic Lobby

Come play poker or bring a board game to play. \$18 per person includes beverages, snacks, and prizes. Proceeds from this event support OT youth programming. [Register here.](#)



Hearing Men's Voices – Sunday ,February 26, 9:40 am

Join us for a light breakfast and discussion of our experiences navigating interfaith relationships and lessons learned. Hearing Men's Voices (HMV) is a Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs (FJMC) initiative that seeks to create comfortable small-group forums for

learning from one another, grappling with important issues, and growing together as Jews. [Please RSVP here by February 23](#)

Have you paid your dues for the new year?

Join or Renew

Men's Club in Action!

Coffee Israeli Style



Port City Brewery Tour





Bowling



Winter Brunch





The last period OT Men's Club supported:

- 2 for Seder
- Power Pack Program
- GMU Hillel
- Jewish Community Relations Council
- Olam Tikvah Annual Budget

Please reach out to mensclub@olamtikvah.org if you'd like to help out in future efforts:

- Brunch prep
- Fundraiser party
- Community Service Day
- Organizing or recommending new activities

Looking Ahead

March 19 - Spring (almost) hike

March - April - Yellow Candle Packing and Distribution

April 16 - Electronics and Metal Recycling

April 23 - FJMC Blue Yarmulke Brunch

May 18 - Sisterhood book club - [Sons and Soldiers: The Untold Story of the Jews Who Escaped the Nazis and Returned with the U.S. Army to Fight Hitler](#) - Read ahead

TODAH RABAH

Thank you to our great volunteers and organizers:

Yehoon Bayih - Coffee
Rob Sherman - Brewery
Aron Sterling - Bowling
Eric Rothberg - Brunch
Dennis Staten - Brunch

Short Survey - Weekday Men's Club Activities:

Please fill out this [30 second survey](#) to help Men's Club look at new opportunities to support our members.

Seaboard / FJMC News

Sign up for FJMC Convention 2023 - Philadelphia



JUNE 29 - JULY 2, 2023

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