TEMPLE BETH EL-CEDARHURST MEN’S CLUB

 TORCH AWARD

 PROGRAM ADVANCE PLANNING

 TIMELINE

June 2018-Men’s Club members from Temple Beth El Cedarhurst met with Rabbi Kupchik, the President of the Temple; and the Executive Director to discuss a Rosh Chodesh program that was going to take place on Sunday, August 12, 2018.

We agreed that a “Health Program” should be established at the Temple and it should be related to our Sunday Rosh Chodesh Events.

We invited Dr. Andrew Yacht from Northwell Health to present Issues of Women’s Health for the Rosh Chodesh event to be held on August 12. Rosh Chodesh caters to women so we thought this would be a good program for that day.

August 12, 2018-Rosh Chodesh Minyan, Breakfast and Speaker (Dr. Andrew Yacht) presented. The flyers; speaker; and organization of the event were done by members of the Men’s Club. Women and Men participated in the morning Minyan. (Flyer attached)

September 2018-A description of the program was written in The Temple’s Newletter (The Messenger) (Article attached)

October 2018-Dr. Yacht, at the request of The Men’s Club President, provided the name of the Program Director from Northwell Health who handles Community Health Initiatives.

October/November 2018-The Men’s Club of Temple Beth El contacted the Program Director from Northwell Health to arrange a meeting with three Community Temples to discuss a viable Health Related Program for Men and Women that would include these three Temples. (Sons of Israel; Temple Hillel; and Temple Beth El of Cedarhurst).

December 2018-The following took place:

The Men’s Club President asked the Program Director of Northwell Health to send us a list of topics that could be used (in addition to other suggestions) for future events. (See Attached)

Men’s Club distributed the list to congregants for their input for Topics to be used at future events.

Men’s Club President reached out to several other Temples in the Community in order for them to join this Collaborative.

A meeting was arranged by President of Men’s Club with our Temple (Temple Beth El), Sons of Israel; and Temple Hillel.

Meeting was set up for December 26, 2018.

December 26, 2018-Meeting held at Temple Beth El with the three Temples and Northwell Health

(See attached minutes).

 As noted in the minutes, Milton Lipitz reached out to Hewlett East Rockaway and The Sephardic Temples; he also reached out to Temple Israel in order for these three additional Temples to join our Collaborative with Northwell Health. As a result, the Collaborative consists of six Community Temples with Northwell Health.

January 6, 2019-Temple Beth El of Cedarhurst hosted a breakfast and presentation by Penny Stern, MD from Northwell Health. The Topic was “Matters of the Heart”. Temple Beth El’s Men’s Club invited Congregants from the six Temples to attend the event. (Flyer and Messenger article attached)

February 3, 2019-Our Temple held our annual “World Wide Wrap” Event where the Rabbi spoke about Spiritual and Health Related Issues associated with laying Tefillin. (Flyer attached and Health Related Information attached)

March 3, 2019-CPR Training held at our Temple-All Community Partners invited to attend. (Flyer attached)

March 14, 2019-Milton Lipitz contacted The Program Director from Northwell Health to discuss:

Boiler Plate Heading for Flyers to be used by all six Temples (prepared by Northwell Health)

Speaker and Topic for May 5, 2019 Rosh Chodesh Event.

March 27, 2019-Received Boiler Plate Heading for Flyers; (see attached) and arranged for speaker and topic that will be presented at the next Rosh Chodesh Event.

March/April-Public Relations-Temple Newsletter (The Messenger) included articles related to to our CPR Program; the “World Wide Wrap” and the Collaborative with Northwell Health (Article attached)

April/May 2019-Milton Lipitz will be in contact with ALL the particpants in the Northwell Health Collaboration in order to arrange a meeting to discuss FUTURE EVENTS AND TOPICS to occur at each of the other Temples. (Starting September 2019)

May 5, 2019-Rosh Chodesh Speaker and Breakfast to be hosted by Temple Beth El of Cedarhurst.

Topic: MEDICAL MYTHS

The six Temples agreed that Temple Beth El will host ALL Rosh Chodesh Sunday Morning Events and that the other Temples will host events on other occasions.