



Temple Beth Torah

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Temple Beth Torah Melville to Host Briefing by StandWithUs on Responding to BDS Movement Activities on Campus

Partnership of Temple Beth Torah, Dix Hills Jewish Center, South Huntington Jewish Center and StandWithUs to Deliver Program on Feb 3, 2016

Melville, NY – Temple Beth Torah (TBT), an active and inclusive Reform Temple in Melville, has announced that it will be hosting a learning session by StandWithUs on responding to anti-Israel activities on North American campuses at 6:30 PM on Wednesday February 3, 2016 at 35 Bagatelle Rd in Melville. The program is free and open to the public.

Northeast Executive Director Shahar Azani and Tri-State Area High School Program Coordinator Paul Friedman of StandWithUs will deliver an interactive program that will expose high school students and their parents to anti-Israel sentiments found on North American college campuses and teach them how to respond, should they encounter it. There will be separate programs running concurrently for students and adults. Refreshments and Pizza will be provided.

“We are very pleased to be able to provide this service to our temple members and the local community,” said Susie Moskowitz, Senior Rabbi at Temple Beth Torah. “This information is very important to all Jews and particularly to Jewish college students.”

About StandWithUs

StandWithUs is an international, non-profit organization that believes education is the road to peace. It is dedicated to informing the public about Israel to combat the extremism and anti-Semitism that often distorts issues. They believe that knowledge of the facts will correct common prejudices about the Arab-Israeli conflict. Through print materials, speakers, programs, conferences, missions to Israel, campaigns, social media and internet resources, they ensure that the story of Israel’s achievements and ongoing challenges is told on campuses and in communities around the world. For more information, visit <http://www.standwithus.com>

About Temple Beth Torah Melville

Founded in 1969, Temple Beth Torah Melville is an active and inclusive Reform Jewish Congregation of over 600 families serving the Western Suffolk and Eastern Nassau County areas of Long Island. Its extended temple family shares rich educational, spiritual and social experiences through a full spectrum of programming -- including religious and nursery school, religious services, and teen and adult activities. Members come to Temple Beth Torah to pray, to learn and to celebrate. Its culture is diverse and inclusive, and encourages participation by all age groups. For more information, visit <http://www.tbtny.org>.

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