



Northern New Jersey
Region - Federation of
Jewish Men's Clubs

Presidents Installation Dinner

23 Sivan 5785
June 18th, 2025

Highland Park Conservative Temple – Congregation Anshe Emeth

The Board and Officers of the NNJR
welcome all of our Clubs and their
leaders to this year's Presidents
Installation Dinner. The mission of
FJMC is to involve Jewish men in
Jewish life. We hope that this evening
will help fulfill that goal.

Shalom Chaverim!

Hinei Ma Tov U'Manayim

How pleasant it is to dwell together in Unity



HIGHLAND PARK
CONSERVATIVE TEMPLE
Congregation Anshe Emeth

Presidents Installation Dinner Committee

Dinner Chair Seth Arbital
Program Book Jeff Schulman

This Evening's Program

6:00PM – 6:30 PM – Check-In / Snacks

6:45 PM – Minyan

7:00 Program

Welcome – Seth Arbital

D'var – Rabbi Eliot Malomet

Uninstallation and installation of the NNJR Board and Exec Board - Leonard Whitman

Uninstallation and installation of CLub Presidents - Leonard Whitman

Recognition of Continuing Club Presidents - Leonard Whitman

Regional President uninstallation of David Julis – David Glass

Outgoing Regional President Remarks – David Julis

Regional President Installation of Larry Klioze – David Glass

Incoming President Remarks – Larry Klioze

Closing Remarks - Seth Arbital

8:00 PM – Dinner

Chinese Buffet with the Magical Entertainment of Alex Iverson

Clubs of the Northern New Jersey Region

B'NAI SHALOM	West Orange
BETH EL SYNAGOGUE	East Windsor
CONGREGATION AGUDATH ISRAEL	Caldwell
CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL	Millburn
CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL	Toms River
CONGREGATION B'NAI JESHURUN	Staten Island, NY
CONGREGATION B'NAI TIKVAH	North Brunswick
CONGREGATION BETH EL.....	South Orange
CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL.....	Scotch Plains
CONGREGATION BETH OHR	Old Bridge
CONGREGATION NEVE SHALOM	Metuchen
CONGREGATION TORAT EL.....	Ocean
EAST BRUNSWICK JEWISH CENTER.....	East Brunswick
FAIR LAWN JEWISH CENTER / CONGREGATION B'NAI ISRAEL.....	Fair Lawn
HIGHLAND PARK CONSERVATIVE TEMPLE – CONG. ANSHE EMETH.....	Highland Park
OHEV SHALOM / MARLBORO JEWISH CENTER	Marlboro
PINE BROOK JEWISH CENTER.....	Montville
SHOMREI TORAH, THE WAYNE CONSERVATIVE CONGREGATION	Wayne
TEMPLE BETH AHM.....	Aberdeen
TEMPLE BETH AHM YISRAEL	Springfield
TEMPLE BETH EL	Somerset
TEMPLE BETH O'R/BETH TORAH.....	Clark
TEMPLE BETH SHALOM.....	Livingston
TEMPLE BETH-EL MEKOR CHAYIM	Cranford
TEMPLE EMANU-EL	Closter
TEMPLE ISRAEL & JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER.....	Ridgewood
TEMPLE SHOLOM.....	Bridgewater

2025-2027 NNJR Officers



Larry Klioze
President
Highland Park Cons. Temple - CAE,
Highland Pk.



Len Whitman
Executive Vice President
Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish
Center, Marlboro



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1st Vice President
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Congregation Beth El, South Orange



Andy Simon
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Jewish Center, Fair Lawn



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Financial Secretary
Congregation B'nai Tikvah, North
Brunswick



Steve Harkavy
Recording Secretary
East Brunswick Jewish Center
East Brunswick



David Julis
Honorary President
East Brunswick Jewish Center
East Brunswick

Spiritual Advisor



Rabbi Eliot Malomet

Highland Park Conservative Temple – Congregation Anshe Emeth
Highland Park

2025 - 2027 NNJR Trustees

Seth Arbital	Temple Beth Ahm, Aberdeen
Bob Held	Beth El Synagogue, East Windsor
Dan Hirsch	Congregation Neve Shalom, Metuchen
Rudy Kiste	Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish Center, Marlboro
David Millman	Temple Israel & JCC, Ridgewood
Eric Morell	Congregation Beth Israel, Scotch Plains
Marty Schenker Rosh North	Congregation Agudath Israel, Caldwell
Jay Seliber	Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish Center, Marlboro
Gary Silver	B'nai Shalom, West Orange
Glenn Wohl Rosh Central	Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael, Springfield

NNJR Past Presidents

Irvin (Bud) Solomon z"l 1974-1976
Temple Beth O'r, Clark

Lou Gourvitz z"l 1978-1980
Temple Beth O'r, Clark

Jerry Trachtenberg z"l 1980-1982
Temple B'nai Abraham, Livingston

Ted Sulzberg 1982-1984
Highland Park Conservative Temple,
Highland Park

Max Resnick z"l 1984-1986
Temple Shomrei Torah, Hillside

Bob Levine 1986-1988
East Brunswick Jewish Center,
East Brunswick

Harvey Marks 1988-1990
Congregation Beth Israel,
Scotch Plains

Arnie Kohn 1990-1992
Temple Beth El, Somerset

Norm Kurtz 1992-1994
Temple Beth Shalom, Livingston

Morris Roth z"l 1994-1996
Temple Beth O'r/Beth Torah, Clark

Harry Grant z"l 1996-1998
Temple Israel, Ridgewood

Stan Schnitzer 1998-2000
Congregation Or Hadash,
Sandy Springs, GA

Lance Adelson 2000-2002
Marlboro Jewish Center, Marlboro

Al Davis 2002-2004
Highland Park Conservative Temple,
Highland Park

Stu Kaplan z"l 2004 – 2006
Congregation Beth Sholom, Teaneck

Peter Gotlieb 2006-2008
Temple Beth Shalom, Livingston

Eric Weis 2008-2010
Congregation Shomrei Torah, Wayne

Dave Mandell 2010-2012
East Brunswick Jewish Center,
East Brunswick

Jeff Schulman 2012-2014
Congregation Neve Shalom, Metuchen

Joel Kurtz 2014-2016
Congregation B'nai Israel, Toms River

Harvey Hershkowitz 2016-2018
Congregation Agudath Israel, Caldwell

Elliott Brown 2018-2020
Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish
Center, Marlboro

Rob Blitzer 2020-2021
Beth El Synagogue, East Windsor

David Glass 2021-2023
Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael, Springfield

David Julis 2023-2025
East Brunswick Jewish Center,
East Brunswick



Our
2025-2027
Club
Presidents

“Leadership, Innovation, Community”

Club	Synagogue	Incoming / Continuing President(s)	Outgoing President(s)
Aberdeen	Temple Beth Ahm	Russell Cohen	
Bridgewater	Temple Sholom	Eli Goldstein	
Caldwell	Congregation Agudath Israel	Joseph Kelmanovitch	
Clark	Temple Beth O'r / Beth Torah	Michael Goldstein	
Closter	Temple Emanu-El	Neil Chalfin	
Cranford	Temple Beth-El Mekor Chayim	Lance Kandl	
East Brunswick	East Brunswick Jewish Center	Arthur Fliegelman Marty Hoffman Howard Jacobs	Neil Kosher
East Windsor	Beth El Synagogue	Brian Albert Bob Held	
Fair Lawn	Fair Lawn Jewish Center / Congregation B'nai Israel	Steven Margulies	Hal Fine
Highland Park	Highland Park Conservative Temple – Congregation Anshe Emeth	Spencer Brooks	Ira Kizner Marc Weinstein
Livingston	Temple Beth Shalom	Eric Baltuch Phil Chaiklin	
Marlboro	Ohev Shalom / Marlboro Jewish Center	Jay Seliber	
Metuchen	Congregation Neve Shalom	Neil Stein	Keith Boxer

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Millburn	Congregation B'nai Israel	David Touger	
Montville	Pine Brook Jewish Center	Jay Thailer	
North Brunswick	Congregation B'nai Tikvah	Craig Cohen Steve Chernela Marc Rosen	Brian Burness
Oakhurst	Congregation Torat El	Neil Becourtney	
Old Bridge	Congregation Beth Ohr	Ed Mendlowitz	
Ridgewood	Temple Israel & JCC	Hank Finke Craig Padover	Evan Fleischmann
Scotch Plains	Congregation Beth Israel	Sean Zam	
Somerset	Temple Beth El	Marc Hilton	
Springfield	Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael	Glenn Wohl	
Staten Island, NY	Congregation B'nai Jeshurun	David Friedman	Joel Brimmer
Toms River	Congregation B'nai Israel	Michael Perks	
Wayne	Shomrei Torah, The Wayne Conservative Congregation	Zev Friede Steve Gastwirth	
West Orange	B'nai Shalom	Barry Lovett	

Federation of Jewish Men's Clubs:

Quality Club Award Recipients

Beth El Synagogue.....	East Windsor, NJ
B'nai Shalom.....	West Orange, NJ
Congregation Agudath Israel	Caldwell, NJ
Congregation B'nai Israel	Toms River, NJ
Congregation Neve Shalom.....	Metuchen, NJ
East Brunswick Jewish Center.....	East Brunswick, NJ
Fair Lawn Jewish Center/Congregation B'nai Israel.....	Fair Lawn, NJ
Highland Park Conservative Temple - CAE.....	Highland Park, NJ
Ohev Shalom/Marlboro Jewish Center.....	Marlboro, NJ
Shomrei Torah, The Wayne Conservative Congregation.	Wayne, NJ
Temple Beth Ahm	Aberdeen, NJ
Temple Beth Ahm Yisrael	Springfield, NJ
Temple Beth El.....	Somerset, NJ
Temple Beth-El Mekor Chayim	Cranford, NJ
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Temple Sholom.....	Bridgewater, NJ

Ask one of the region officers how
your club can receive this award.

FJMC 2025

International Convention

WHEN: Thursday July 3 - Sunday July 6, 2025

WHERE: Chicago, Illinois

VENUE: Sheraton Grand Chicago Riverwalk



Mark Givarz, Chairman

Jay Steinmetz, Co-Chair

Rick Wronzberg, Chairman Emeritus

Danny Mandeau, Chairman Emeritus