

## Establishments Supervised by the Vaad Harabanim of Raritan Valley:

*(Always check on the current status and request to see the Certificate of Kashrut)*

Bridge Turkish & Mediterranean Grill.....  
..... 732-418-9000  
315 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

China Lee ..... 732-640-0050  
229 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Dairy Deluxe ..... 732-572-4111  
811 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Dunkin Donuts/Baskin Robbins ..... 732-828-5485  
65 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Giddy's Pizzeria..... 732-659-6898  
233 Hwy. 18 S, East Brunswick

Glatt 27 Kosher Meat..... 732-572-2626  
1177 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Jerusalem Pizza ..... 732-249-0070  
231 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Mordy's Bake Shoppe ..... 732-296-6777  
15 N. 4th Avenue, H.P.

Park Place Restaurant..... 732-565-1234  
120 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

Sushiana ..... 732-640-0111  
17 N. 4th Avenue, H.P.

From Sweets to Nuts ..... 732-246-4686  
72A Raritan Avenue, H.P.

### Books, Gifts

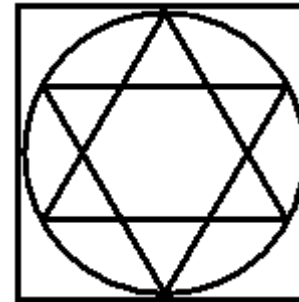
Judaica Gallery..... 732-828-7722  
300 Raritan Avenue, H.P.

## Jewish Community Phone Directory

Congregation Ahavas Achim ..... 732-247-0532  
Congregation Ateres Shlomo .....  
..... 1177 Raritan Ave, 2nd floor, H.P.  
Congregation Ahavas Yisroel ..... 732-572-8911  
Congregation Agudath Israel ..... 732-819-8300  
Congregation Etz Ahaim..... 732-247-3839  
Congregation Ohav Emeth..... 732-247-3038  
Congregation Ohr Torah ..... 732-777-6840  
Khal Chasidim .....khalchassidim@gmail.com  
Young Israel of East Brunswick ..... 732-254-1860

Bikur Cholim of Raritan Valley ..... 732-572-7181  
Chabad House (Rutgers) ..... 732-296-1800  
Chevra Kadisha ..... 732-572-2981  
Eruv Hotline (Fridays Only) ..... 732-247-ERUV  
Hatzolah of Middlesex County ..... 732-640-5545  
HP/Edison Connects ..... hpedisonconnects.com  
Jewish Family Services ..... 732-777-1940  
Jewish Federation..... 732-432-7711  
Keilim Mikvah ..... 732-572-4408  
Mikvah of East Brunswick (YI)..... 732-257-4121  
Netivot Montessori Yeshiva..... 732-985-4626  
Park Mikvah (Highland Park) ..... 732-249-2411  
Rabbi Jacob Joseph Yeshiva ..... 732-985-6533  
Rabbi Pesach Raymon Yeshiva ..... 732-572-5052  
Reenas Beis Yaakov..... 732-985-5646  
Regency Jewish Home for the Aged. 732-873-2000  
Rutgers Hillel Foundation ..... 732-545-2407  
Tehillim Hotline..... 732-247-3788  
Wilf Campus for Senior Living..... 732-873-3888  
Yeshiva Shaarei Tzion (Pre-School). 732-819-7083  
Yeshiva Shaarei Tzion (Girls Div.)... 732-235-0042  
Yeshiva Shaarei Tzion (Boys Div.) .. 732-777-0029

## Welcome To Highland Park



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Elena Orgel  
Sisterhood President

**AHAVAS  
ACHIM**

**Founded in 1889**

## Welcome to Highland Park!

Congregation Ahavas Achim is an inclusive and diverse Kehila. Whatever your age, level of observance, whether you're single or married, whether you are here for school or intend to remain with us longer, you are warmly welcomed into our Ahavas Achim family. We hope you will experience Ahavas Achim as your personal spiritual, social and learning community. Join us in our daily Shacharit and Mincha/Maariv minyanim as well as our Shabbat morning minyanim. Throughout Shabbat morning, the upper classrooms resound with the voices of happy children absorbed in their own Shabbat experiences.

We also want you to experience our learning community firsthand. We have an inviting Beit Midrash which offers a comprehensive Hebrew and English Judaica library. We offer an array of adult education classes, lectures and Scholar-In-Residence programs under the auspices of **Ahavas Achim University** throughout the year.

As part of your social experience, we have active youth groups, Teen Minayn, a vibrant Sisterhood, a yearlong social program and even a softball team—something for everyone. Our Chesed Committee coordinates many opportunities to do chesed including shiva needs, assistance for families with newborns, and welcoming new families into town.

We welcome you to participate at whatever level you are comfortable. Whether you come for Shabbat or yom tov services, join a Shiur, become active in our Sisterhood, or join any of our many active committees, you'll find we welcome new members and new ideas.

Please do not hesitate to call on us. We are eager to help in any way we can to make your transition to Highland Park as smooth as possible. We look forward to meeting and greeting you personally.

# Congregation Ahavas Achim Mission Statement

- Avodat Hashem** *Congregation Ahavas Achim* has served central New Jersey for over 100 years as a center for prayer, learning, and charity. We aspire to create a peaceful atmosphere for religious life and growth as we serve G-d together.
- Achdut** *Ahavas Achim* strives to create a welcoming environment for every Jew. As a Torah-observant congregation, we respect and welcome Jews of every background.
- Torah im Derekh Eretz** *Ahavas Achim* stands committed to living a Halakhic life within the context of modernity—in our homes, at work, among our neighbors and peers, in volunteer organizations, and in political life.
- Hesed** *Ahavas Achim* aspires to create a sense of responsibility among our members and community, to inspire our members to acts of loving-kindness in everyday life.
- L'mudei ha-Kodesh** *Ahavas Achim* sees Jewish education—in Torah and Talmud, in law, in history, in literature—as the foundation of the Jewish community. We strive to offer a broad program of study and discussion, one that strengthens both the vision and practice of every Jew.
- Klal** *Ahavas Achim* values the presence and contributions of all. We offer all our members—men and women, children and elders—a wide range of opportunities to serve as leaders and participants in synagogue life.
- Hinukh** *Ahavas Achim* considers the religious experience and education of our children a vital responsibility shared by all members of the community. We support parents and teachers in their efforts to raise children in a life of Torah, family, and good deeds.
- Medinat Yisroel** *Ahavas Achim* looks to Israel as the fulfillment of the Jewish people's destiny. We stand by Israel—the nation, the people, and the land—at all times.
- Ahavas Achim** *Congregation Ahavas Achim* pledges to live in every way according to the teachings of our Sages, of blessed memory. As a community, we commit ourselves to the service of G-d—to prayer, learning, charity, celebration, and acts of loving-kindness.

*Congregation Ahavas Achim is affiliated with the Orthodox Union*

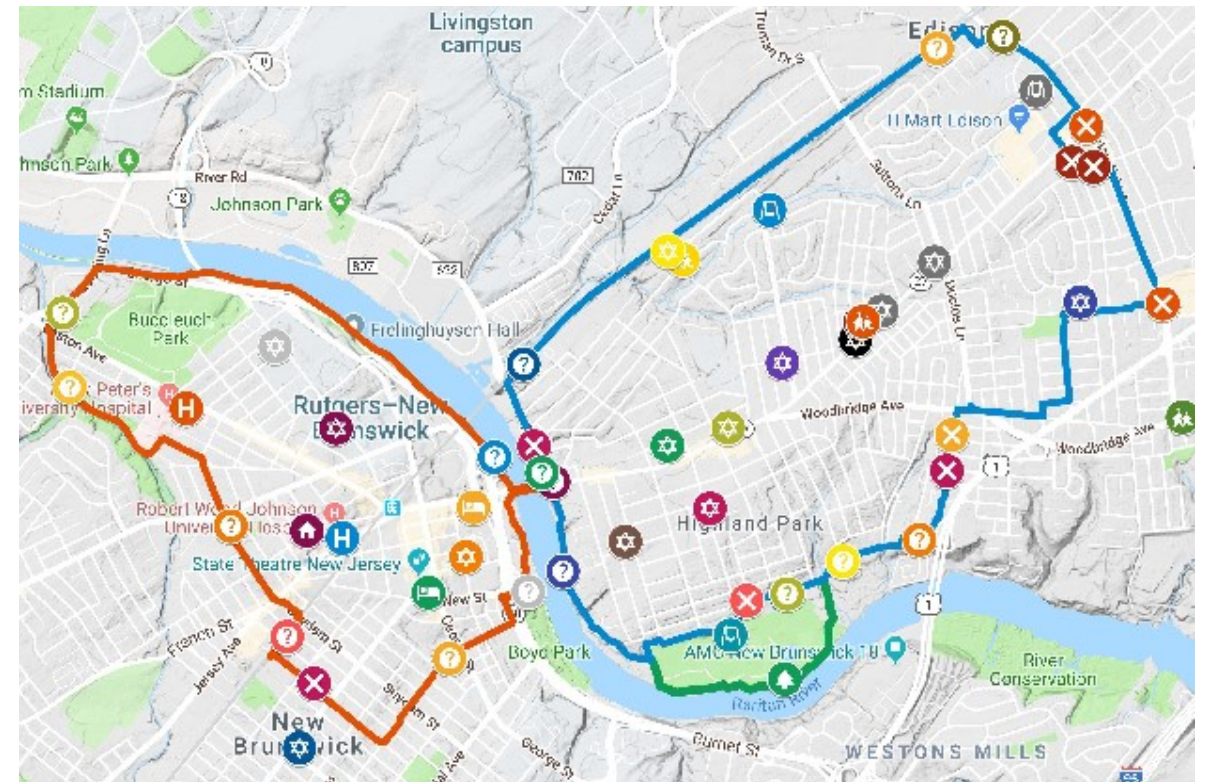
## Highland Park/Edison/New Brunswick Eruv Map

The Highland Park/New Brunswick Eruv is maintained by the community. The latest information about the Eruv can be found at <http://hperuv.org>. The website has the most up-to-date maps, status, and contact information.

You can get status updates about the Eruv via Twitter by following the user [@hp\\_eruv](https://twitter.com/hp_eruv), on Facebook by following [@hperuv](https://www.facebook.com/hperuv), or by calling the Eruv hotline at **732-247-ERUV**, or by joining the email list at [rutgerseruv-subscribe@yahoo.com](mailto:rutgerseruv-subscribe@yahoo.com).

And of course, the Eruv webpage has the latest news.

A complete text description of the Eruv boundaries can be found at <https://hperuv.org/text>.



### Schedule of Weekday Minyanim

Shacharit Sunday, Legal Holiday .....	8:00 AM, 9:00 AM
Shacharit Monday & Thursday .....	6:25 AM, 7:45 AM
Shacharit Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday .....	6:35 AM, 7:45 AM
Shacharit Rosh Chodesh .....	6:15 AM, 7:45 AM
Weekday Mincha & Maariv.....	10 min. before sunset

### Schedule of Shabbat Minyanim

Friday Kabbalat Shabbat .....	after candlelighting
Additional Kabbalat Shabbat .....	7:00 PM (after Pesach to end of August)
Shabbat Morning 7:00 AM, 8:45 AM (Sukkot to Pesach)	
Shabbat Morning 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM (Pesach to Sukkot)	