

LOUIS RABIN

2017 Beth Judea Men's Club Man of the Year



Louis serves as the Ritual Vice-President for the Beth Judea Men's Club. In that position he organizes the annual Men's Club Shabbat and recently organized the services for the Club's post-Shabbat Winter Retreat held in Lake Geneva, a very successful event attended by 40 members. Last May he served as ritual chairman for the FJMC Midwest Region Retreat held at Starved Rock.

Beyond his Men's Club duties, Louis is very active in the ritual life of Beth Judea. He leads part of the Shachrit service during the High Holidays, leads services throughout the year, regularly reads Torah for the weekday and Shabbat minyanim, and is head of the Shiva Committee where he helps ensure that there is someone to lead a minyan at a member's home, if needed, often leading the service himself.

Louis and his amazing wife Judy have been members of Beth Judea since moving to Buffalo Grove 19 years ago. They are the very proud parents of sons Benjamin and Seth. As a family they love travel, especially road trips to NYC. They are big fans of the Second City in Old Town and try to see every new review.

Inspired by his fondness for the book Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance, Louis has been interested in motorcycling for a long time. He finally acted on this interest by purchasing his first motorcycle last May. Since then, Sundays often find Louis and Judy taking rides out into the country, he on his Honda Nighthawk, she on her Kymco motor scooter. His dream is to one day ride Route 66 all the way to California.

He would like to thank the members of the Beth Judea Men's Club for this great honor. He is truly appreciative of it.

AVI LIMER

2017 Beth Judea Men's Club Youth of the Year



Avi is currently a senior at Vernon Hills High School. He has always been very active in Beth Judea's USY chapter, serving on the executive board as President, Israel Affairs Vice President, and is currently serving as the Immediate Past President. Additionally, Avi loves participating in regional and international events. He is on the Regional General Board as a Senior Programming Chair and was a member of USY on Wheels Bus A 2015 and L'takayn Olam Pilgrimage 2016.

Aside from his USY involvement, Avi was additionally a one on one helper for a child with Autism in the Hebrew school and at Kadima events for two years. He also has participated in Maot Chitim with his family and a group from Beth Judea since he was around eight years old.

Outside of the synagogue, Avi is very involved in the music program at his school. He has been in five groups, playing six different instruments, and will be performing a Senior Concerto in April. Additionally, he is an active member of his school district's fencing team, joining the team his freshman year. Avi is incredibly honored to be receiving this award and would like to thank Marc Sender and his Beth Judea family for all that they have taught him.

Man of the Year/Youth of the Year 2017 Luncheon

Congregation Beth Judea Men's Club Honoring

Louis Rabin and Avi Limer

**Sunday, March 19, 2017 @ 1:00 pm
North Suburban Synagogue Beth El
1175 Sheridan Road, Highland Park, IL 60035**

Join us as we recognize Louis Rabin
as the Congregation Beth Judea Men's Club,
2017 Man of the Year
and Avi Limer as
Congregation Beth Judea Men's Club
2017 Youth of the Year

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Louis Rabin and Avi Limer
can be processed online

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