

In The Know

Five Important Highlights from the Jewish Federation of Broward County

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Learn About Our Impact in the Jewish Community at Our Annual Meeting

This year's Annual Meeting will be a meaningful moment for our community to come together, reflect on the year behind us, and look ahead to the future we are building together. Join us for our Annual Meeting on Tuesday, May 19, when we will thank our outgoing Board Chair, Doug Berman, and outgoing Board members for their service, honor our Leadership Award recipients, and install our 2027 Board of Directors.

President & CEO Audra P. Berg will deliver her State of the Federation address—a powerful update on the work of our community—illuminating where we are today, where we are headed, and the bold opportunities ahead. [Click here](#) to register.



2

Free Security Training Sessions Available to the Jewish Broward Community



Our community's safety remains a top priority, and being prepared can make all the difference in an emergency. As part of our ongoing security initiative, Federation's Community Security Director, Dennis May, provided Stop The Bleed® training to more than 20 members of Congregation Kol Tikvah. The training empowers people to perform lifesaving steps to treat persons suffering from a traumatic injury resulting in a massive bleed.

Whether you're a community member, organizational staff, or volunteer, vital training sessions like Stop The Bleed® provide practical guidance on responding under pressure and ensuring the safety of those around you. Please [click here](#) for a complete list of upcoming security training sessions.

3

Learn to Protect Yourself and Others From Scams and Fraud Targeting Seniors

Scams are becoming increasingly harder to spot and often target seniors. Join us on Tuesday, April 28, at 4:00 p.m. for a free, informative Zoom Webinar to learn how to protect yourself and others.

Featured speakers include Dennis May, Community Security Director for the Jewish Federation of Broward County, and Brandon Waller, Security Director for the Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County. [Click here](#) to learn more and register.



4

Upcoming Opportunities to Commemorate and Celebrate



The Jewish people will mark two of the most powerful days on the Israeli calendar: Yom Hazikaron, Israel's Memorial Day honoring fallen soldiers and victims of terror, followed immediately by Yom Ha'atzmaut, Israel's Independence Day celebrating the miracle and resilience of the modern Jewish state. Together, these days move us from collective grief to collective pride - from remembrance to renewal.

This is a powerful opportunity not only to commemorate and celebrate, but

also to come together as one unified Jewish Broward community. Join us for **three central community-wide opportunities**:

- **Yom HaZikaron Community Commemoration** on April 19. View [invitation here](#) and [register here](#)
- **Yom Ha'Atzmaut Community Collaboration with Rolling Thunder** on April 26. View [invitation here](#) and [register here](#)
- **Yom Ha'Atzmaut Community Shuk** on May 3. View [invitation here](#) and [register here](#)

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Hatzalah South Florida Provides Free Ambulance and EMT Services

Hatzalah South Florida, a Broward Federation partner emergency medical services agency, includes over 300 community-based, state-certified volunteer EMTs and paramedics and 9 ambulances that serve Hallandale Beach, Hollywood, Lauderhill, Deerfield Beach, and Coral Springs. Hatzalah boasts a response time averaging under 3 minutes, which is much lower than most ambulance corps in South Florida that average 7 -12 minutes!

Uniquely, Hatzalah South Florida does not charge for its services, which removes the hesitancy many people feel to call an ambulance, further reducing time to treatment and greatly improving medical outcomes. [Click here](#) to learn more. To reach Hatzalah in an emergency, call 305.490.5274.

