

# The Kibbitzer

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## FROM THE RABBI - Rabbi Bryan Mann

### ***Fall Jewish Holidays: Joy Through the Spiritual and Physical***



Wow, what an incredible time in the Jewish year this has been. We have made our way from Rosh Hashanah through Yom Kippur followed by Sukkot, culminating in Simchat Torah. We started with the New Year — a time of hope, renewal, sweetness, and deep introspection. We continued that introspection through the radical honesty of Yom Kippur — reflecting on the choices we made, whom we needed to seek forgiveness from, whom we wanted to grant forgiveness to, and how we might want to make better choices this year. We then moved into Sukkot.

Rabbi Moses Isserles, a major codifier of Jewish law and practice of the 16th century, said it is a mitzvah to begin building the sukkah immediately after Yom Kippur.

A friend of mine in rabbinical school taught, “This mitzvah makes a lot of sense to me. We have just done the spiritual work of the High Holidays. We have prayed. Some of us have fasted. We have done deep introspection and soul-searching. We have been thinking about our spiritual world and life. Immediately after Yom Kippur we need to ground ourselves. We need to bring ourselves back to our earthly world and life. What better way to do that than literally hitting something with a nail? If that doesn’t bring your awareness back to the earthly world, I don’t know what will.”

Along with this teaching, sukkot is all about the Earth. It is our harvest festival. We are celebrating [hopefully] having enough food for the year. We are also praying for a successful harvest season this upcoming year. By waving the lulav and etrog we are praying for rain according to some, beating back evil spirits or winds from plants according to others. We are praying for a good harvest, that plants will grow in their right time. The right amount of rain and wind will be provided for the duration of the harvest.

The fall Jewish Holidays culminate in Simchat Torah, a time of joy and celebration for the receiving of the Torah. The Torah is both a spiritual and earthly document. Yes, we have ethical and moral teachings about how to live our lives as Jews. We also have stories of sibling rivalry, oppressive leaders, people finding their basherts (soulmates). How could we celebrate receiving this text if we only focused on the spiritual or only focused on the Earthly?

The message of the fall Jewish Holidays is we need both. We need to spend time taking an account of all of the good and bad we have done in the past year. We need to move from that into conceiving of ways we want to be better this year. We then move from conceptualization to actualization.

We do not stay in the introspection of the High Holidays, but we put that first nail in the sukkah, we raise the walls, put the skakh on the roof as a reminder, “We live in this world. We need to take action to become those people we hope to be” and once we have made our way through this cycle we can truly celebrate receiving Torah.

**FROM THE PRESIDENT - Richie Bauman**

***Change is the only constant***

5778 was a major year of change and upheaval for Congregation Beth Shalom – some of it negative, some neutral, some positive. 5779 will also be year of change – positive changes, changes of growth and changes of shalom (well-being and wholeness) as Rabbi Bryan settles into his rabbinate.

Change can be stressful, but it can also be liberating and freeing. We occasionally read Torah on Erev Shabbat, Friday night – for CBS, that was a major change – it hadn't been done in at least 14 years. When Torah is read on Shabbat or a holiday, we have choices now - Torah can be chanted, read or read and translated into English – that is a positive change that embraces the whole congregation. What you may not know is that those who couldn't chant Torah were excluded from embracing Torah! If you want to

embrace Torah by engaging in reading or chanting – all are welcome! On Yom Kippur in Nitzavim we were told to embrace Torah – this instruction, this teaching – let it be so!

For a small congregation, we have incredible demographics. It follows what I read on Yom Kippur from Nitzvaim; “You are standing here, all of you, this day – your chiefs, your tribes, your wise ones, your judges ... your little ones, your wives, the stranger ... from the woodcutter to the water bearer.” From our 90-year-olds to our infants, from those that come from classical reform to strictly orthodox and shomer Shabbos, from men to women, to young adults to children, from physicians to the sheriffs to the civil servants to the lab techs – we all have a spiritual and welcoming home at CBS. We embrace our differences and change to live and grow.



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## Upcoming Dates to Remember



**Reminder!**

- **Wednesday, Oct. 1, 7 p.m.:** Simchat Torah.
- **Saturday, Oct. 6:** Meet & Greet, Ellis family.
- **Saturday, Oct. 13:** Meet & Greet, Richter family.
- **Friday, Oct 19, 7 p.m.:** Shabbat Alive!
- **Saturday, Oct. 20:** Meet & Greet, Enszer family.
- **Sunday, Oct. 21, 12:30 p.m.:** Meet & Greet for kids and teens. More information on page 7.
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  - **Saturday, Oct. 27, 6 p.m. & 7 p.m.:** Monster Mash Costume and Dance Party. More information on page 9.
- **Sunday, Oct. 28, 9:30 a.m.:** Religious school family programming. Parents invited to attend. More information on page 7.
- **Sunday, Oct. 28:** Meet & Greet, Slavkin family.
- **Saturday, Nov. 3:** Meet & Greet, Baylis family.
- **Friday, Nov. 16-Sunday, Nov. 18:** Rabbi Mann installation weekend celebration. More details on page 8.
  - **Friday, Nov. 16, at 7 p.m.:** Shabbat service and installation on followed by a special oneg.
  - **Saturday, Nov. 17:** Breakfast and study session.
  - **Saturday, Nov. 17:** Potluck dinner, Havdalah special programming, and entertaining games.
  - **Sunday, Nov. 18:** Congregation BBQ with games and activities for all.
- **Sunday, Nov. 18, 9:30 a.m.:** Thanksgiving gift fair and food drive. More information on page 4.
- **Monday, Nov. 19, 6 p.m.:** Page Turners. More information on page 6.

## October Oneg Schedule

*There can be no joy without food and drink. — Talmud, Mo'ed Katan*

**THANK YOU!** to the following people who will host an oneg Shabbat in October.

- **Oct. 5:** **Maria Miranda** will host the oneg in honor of becoming a new CBS member.
- **Oct. 12:** **Allan & Denise Weber** will host the oneg in honor of their son **Joshua's** 13th birthday and as a temple mitzvah.
- **Oct. 19:** **Julie Enszer** will host the oneg as a temple mitzvah.
- **Oct 26:** **Anna Feldman** will host the oneg in honor of **Steve & Anita Hoffman**, who share the same birthday.

On behalf of the oneg committee, I want express to our appreciation and thanks to our October oneg hosts!

If you have any questions or are interested in hosting an oneg, please contact us (Judith 856-816-2174, Anita 813-990-9498, and Anna 707-628-5399).

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## MEMBERSHIP

As we celebrate the start of the New Year, please help us welcome Beth Shalom's newest members: **Scott Savitt**, **Maria Miranda**, and **Luis Carmona**.

**Scott Savitt** is a Detective with the Tampa Police Department and joined the congregation along with his two children.

**Maria Miranda** plans to continue studying for conversion to Judaism – Mazel Tov!

**Luis Carmona** decided to join his daughter, son-in-law, and grandchild-

ren as a new member of Congregation Beth Shalom following the August open house, and now we are delighted to have two generations of Carmonas in our congregation. Fantastic!

Be watching for all these cheerful new faces at services and other temple activities.

**Question:** Have you met our new rabbi, Rabbi Bryan Mann? He is great!

See you Friday nights at 7 p.m.!

*Gail Verlin and Judith Pliner*  
Membership Co-Chairmen

## Congregation Beth Shalom of Brandon

November 18, 2018  
10AM – 2PM

Thanksgiving Gift Fair  
and Food Drive

Come shop our Vendors with unique gifts  
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can have a great Thanksgiving



### Annual CBS Retreat Cancelled

In order to focus on acclimating our new rabbi into our congregation family, our CBS annual retreat has been cancelled.

Suggestions for what a new retreat should be are welcomed at [cbcretreat@gmail.com](mailto:cbcretreat@gmail.com)



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### Religious School\*

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## Other Programs

### CBS Singles Over 50

Anita Clifford

### Chavurah

open

### Dinner With the Tribe

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### Interfaith/Outreach

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Phyllis Newman

## Join with CBS in offering congratulations and recognition to the following members on their accomplishments:

### Kudos

- Kudos to **Jason Baessell**, son of **Suzie and Mitch Baylis**. Jason is one of our unsung heroes. He has done so many things at CBS - computer repair, power washing, landscaping - just all kinds of things consistently. So here's a special shout-out!
- Kudos to **Anita Clifford** for organizing a successful and informative candidate forum. And kudos to all her volunteers who helped make this event happen.
- Kudos to **Jenny Allen** for all of the work she has done to help Rabbi Bryan.
- A special kudos to: **Steve Slavkin** who, in spite of personal challenges, pulled our High Holiday events together. **Cynthia Goldstein** for keeping our services running right, **Steve and Mindy Gale** for taling over greeting this year, **Joan Frankel** and **Kolot Shalom** for enhancing our services with their song. **Sandy Santucci** for lifting us up as she does each and every year and for being the honey cake maven, **Seth Dugan** and the shofarot corps for resounding blasts (as well as Seth's getting our sound system to work)! What would the High Holidays be without **Anna** and **Steve Feldman** in and about the kitchen), **Karen Weber** for handling the break the fast, **Susan Reckner** for handling our Rosh Hashanah pancake breakfast, **Gerry Pliner**, **Michael Barnett**, **Andrea Chassen** and **Micah Dugan** for braving the elements to get us parked, **Errol Fishman**, who, in spite of some significant challenges, polished the silver, **Mitch** and **Suzie Baylis** and their son **Jason Baessell**, who trimmed the trees, ripped out the vines, and cleaned the carpets with their helpers, **Steve** and **Anna**, **Mark Finke**, **Dave Friedman**, **Steve Gale**. And let's continue with **Dave Friedman** - he is the only one who consistently arranges CBS and schleps the furniture in and out in record time - with everything in the right place. And let me also add our administrative director **Jenny Allen**. In spite of some personal family challenges, Jenny was there to put it all together, whether in the office or at home, whether it was day or night, whatever we needed - Jenny had it done - our Book of Remembrance was put together eight hours before Kol Nidre. But there are so, so, so many others who pitched in, before, during and after - I am sure that it is at least 1/3 of our congregation who helped put this together each and every year as a community, a kehillah. And for anyone's name that I may have missed, through fatigue and brain fog, please let me know so that I can add you to the OY VEY! I'm sorry list. Thank you all for your love of CBS. – *Richie Bauman*



Kudos & Mazels

*Do you know a CBS member who should be congratulated for a special accomplishment?  
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## LIFE LONG LEARNING— Richie Bauman



*li-brar-y 'lī, brerē, 'līb(ə)rē/ noun a building or room containing collections of books, periodicals, and sometimes films and recorded music for people to read, borrow, or refer to.*

Life Long Learning actually encompasses a number of functions. First of all, there is the actual committee itself.

Then there are three functional parts; Page Turners, our book club, Bible and Bagels, our Shabbat morning study group and lastly, the Scholar-in-Residence, the last being Morris Wolff on Raoul Wallenberg.

But since Anita Hoffman has been ill, a major education component, the library, has sat neglected.

Just before the High Holy Days, we made an assessment

and determined there needs to be a total overhaul in line with the outlines for a Jewish library.

Suffice it to say we had prayer books and machzorim everywhere, some books in quadruplicate that we might only need one or two, stuff generally out of order and donations not being put away or de-accessioned.

To make sure that our library is up to date, functional and organized, I have placed under the Life Long Learning Committee as the 4th component so that it is no longer an orphan.

Anyone wishing you to help organize, catalog or generally schlep stuff around - please contact me as good help is hard to find!

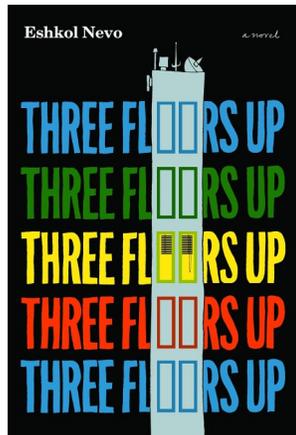
Thanks, Richie

### PAGE TURNERS

Monday, Nov. 19, at 6 p.m., Page Turners will discuss *Three Floors Up* by Eshkol Nevo.

Released in 2015, The author interweaves the stories of the residents of three apartments: a retired officer in the IDF, a stay-at-home mother, and a retired judge. The residents are human, with flaws that influence their decisions to move in unexpected directions.

A light dinner will be served. For more information, contact Andrea Chassen at [abchassen@gmail.com](mailto:abchassen@gmail.com).



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## EDUCATION— Sheila Fishman

The High Holy Days have passed, and we are now beginning our third month of religious school. Our kindergarten/1st grade group continues to meet once a month to learn about Jewish holidays, traditions and values through stories and games. They are being introduced to the Hebrew letters. During this month, our 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>-graders, 4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup>-graders, and 6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup> graders continue to meet weekly from 9:30a.m. to noon. Each of these classes attends a worship service with Rabbi Bryan Mann at 9:30a.m. During the first hour, they dedicate classroom time to Hebrew studies, while in the second classroom hour they meet to learn about Jewish thought, Torah stories, and their obligation to partner with God to make this a better world. Additional topics are introduced based upon grade level.

### Special EVENT

Sunday, Oct. 28, Rabbi Bryan will be offering his first school-wide program. Parents are invited to join us on this day to participate in the events. If you know of a family who is seeking a religious school program for their children, this would be a great to invite them to CBS, observe our programming, and meet with Rabbi Bryan.

Additional information regarding the school-wide program will be provided through future email blasts.

*Sheila Fishman, Religious School Administrator  
813-833-7843*

### Kids & Teens Meet & Greet

Sunday, Oct. 21, 12:30 p.m.

Saladino Park, 1705 Bryan Rd, Brandon

Join us as we get to know Rabbi Bryan! We will be carving pumpkins and playing games.

Carving instruments (child-friendly) will be provided along with snacks, but please B.Y.O.P. – bring your own pumpkin.

Kids of all ages welcome and those with a youthful attitude as well.

### BESTY BEAT

A good way for teens to be connected to the temple is to be involved in youth group. Join now, and you can combine both friendship, fun, and Jewish study into your lives. Anyone who has had their bar or bat mitzvah and is between the ages of 13-18 can be a part of our youth group family today. For middle schoolers, they can attend Hatikvah Kallah, which is a large youth event on Nov. 9-11. Email [wanna-bemybesty@gmail.com](mailto:wanna-bemybesty@gmail.com) for more information.



### Bar/Bat Mitzvah Listings

- If you would like to
- have information on
- your child's
- upcoming Bar or Bat
- Mitzvah listed in
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## TRANSITION COMMITTEE - Sheila Fishman

The first meeting of the transition team was held Aug. 29. The committee is chaired by Sheila Fishman, and its members include Richie Bauman, Toby Koch, Dave Friedman, David Richter, Anita Clifford, Julie Enszer, Lea Garbett, and Jodi Olshina.

With the initial meeting, we determined that we would be providing meet-and-greet events in congregant homes in October and November. At each event, 15 to 20 congregants will be invited to interact with Rabbi Bryan Mann on a more intimate level. Light snacks and beverages will be offered. We wish to thank our hosts, who include Jon and Isabel Ellis, David and Rudina Richter, Julie Enszer, Sheila and Steve Slavkin, and Suzie and Mitch Baylis. All efforts are under way to ensure that every congregant may participate in one of these events. Invitations are going out on a flow basis. So, keep an eye on your emails. Additionally, special events are being planned by Lea Garbett for our youth and their parents.

Please record this weekend on your calendar!! Installation shabbat/weekend is being held Nov. 16, 17 and 18. Rabbi Sharon Cohen-Anisfeld, President of Hebrew College, will be visiting Congregation Beth Shalom and will perform Rabbi Bryan's installation. We envision the weekend to proceed as follows:

- Shabbat worship service and installation on Friday, Nov. 16, at 7 p.m., and will be followed by a lovely oneg.
- The morning of Saturday, Nov. 17, we will offer a bagel breakfast and study session with Rabbis Bryan and Sharon. This study session will be followed by a brief worship service.

▪ On Saturday evening, a special gathering for congregants of all ages will be held. The evening will begin with an early potluck dinner and will be followed by Havdalah, special programming, and entertaining games.

▪ On Sunday afternoon, we will be offering a BBQ onsite with games and activities for all. The afternoon will end with s'mores at our fire pit.

The events don't end there. A gathering with local rabbis and other clergy is being arranged with the assistance of Cynthia Goldstein, Sheila Slavkin, Jan Golden and Christine Stockelman. We envision an introductory meeting and breakfast at CBS in the very near future.

Finally, we will be presenting community-wide activities to identify the unaffiliated, introduce them to the CBS family, and encourage them to become part of that extended family. Events could include Torah on Tap, lunch discussion groups at local restaurants, and gatherings at coffee shops.

The highlight of our outreach activities will be events surrounding Chanukah. We are thinking in terms of our very own "Eight Crazy Nights of Chanukah." We are working on several events to include the Brandon Mall, FishHawk, WaterSet, and Plant City as well as offering a book reading for children at Barnes & Noble.

As you can see, our transition year is filled with so many special events. If you would like to assist in any particular area, please reach out to Sheila Fishman at [gold17@verizon.net](mailto:gold17@verizon.net) or 813-833-7843.

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***"Tzedakah weighs as much as all the other commandments combined" - Talmud***  
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**THE FUN STUFF**

**Costume Dance Party**



Saturday, Oct. 27

7 p.m.-10 p.m.

Free for congregation members,  
\$5 for non-members

Join Congregation Beth Shalom for a frightfully fun evening with a Monster Mash Costume Dance Party. Enter the costume and dance contests for eye-popping prizes.



Before the Monster Mash join us for a special wine tasting event at 6 p.m. (adults only please.) There will be "bloody red wines" and "ghostly white wines" to sample. The wine tasting event is only \$10 per person and will also feature some finger foods, naturally.

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## KOLOT SHOLOM NOTES



Our Yom Kippur choir did a fantastic job. Pictured from left to right, are: Cantor Friedler, Joan Frankel, Rabbi Mann, Sandy Santucci, Brian Slater, Jodi Olshina, Jeff Newman, Christine Stockelman, Michael Lubin, Lauren Weisman, Cynthia Goldstein and Steve Feldman. Missing from the picture: Milt Newman and Steve Slavkin.

With special thanks to Seth Dugan, Micah Dugan and Michael Barnett for their help with the sound system. Thank you also to Steve and Sheila Slavkin, our benefactors for our new vestments.

*L'Shanah Tovah!*  
Joan E. Frankel



We encourage you to review our birthday, anniversary and yahrzeit anniversaries each month, and notify the office of any errors.



### CBS ON FACEBOOK



Our congregation has a few places to find us on Facebook! All three of the following groups require approval to join:

- ✓ **Congregation Beth Shalom of Brandon**
- ✓ **Congregation Beth Shalom of Brandon Religious School Parent Association**
- ✓ **Youth Group**

Then there is our page:  
**Congregation Beth Shalom of Brandon**  
that anyone can follow.



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### Funds:

- **General Fund** (unrestricted): An unrestricted gift to the General Fund allows the temple to use those funds wherever they may be needed most. This fund incorporates contributions received from our High Holy Day Appeal, Yahrzeit donations, Bricklets, Adopt-A-Book, Tree of Life (unless otherwise indicated) and other non-restricted gifts.
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10/6	David & Vickie	Goldberg
10/22	Andrew & Kate	Swedlow
10/24	Gerald & Judith	Pliner
10/31	Sheila & Errol	Fishman
10/31	Jan & Bruce	Sperry



## Birthdays

10/2	Eric	Alexander
10/2	Lea	Garbett
10/5	Andrea	Chassen
10/5	Joshua	Weber
10/8	Renate	Greenfield
10/12	Marcia	Weiner
10/12	Adam	Watson II
10/13	Steve	Billor
10/13	Laura	Shres
10/16	Myron	Feldman
10/18	Paige	Dugan
10/22	Gerald	Pliner
10/23	Michael	Lubin
10/23	Sheila	Slavkin
10/27	Lander	Feldman
10/27	Roberta	Peterson
10/28	Ira	Arman
10/28	Scott	Shres
10/28	Danielle	Elazer
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## Yahrzeits

10/4	Ira	Fleischman	Father	of	Lauren	Weisman
10/4	Rose	Goloskov	Grandmother	of	Sheila	Fishman
10/5	Arnold	Krulich	Father	of	Lee	Schwartz
10/7	Morton	Wasserman	Husband	of	Doris	Raymond
10/10	Paul	Buchman	Father	of	Ken	Buchman
10/12	John	Cassidy	Father	of	Jerilyn	Dimant
10/13	Dorothy	Zazulia	Grandmother	of	Iylene	Miller
10/15	Eleanor	Segall	Grandmother	of	Laurie	Noyes
10/18	Melvin	Rifkin	Husband	of	Eunice	Rifkin
10/19	Doris	Ohman	Mother	of	Cynthia	Goldstein
10/20	Irene	Freedman	Aunt	of	Randy	Freedman
10/22	Mary	Burton	Grandmother	of	Keren	Vergon
10/23	Richard	May	Grandfather	of	David	Richter
10/25	Florence	Finkel	Aunt	of	Steven	Feldman
10/27	Victor	Goldberg	Father	of	Karen	Goldberg Pitchon
10/27	Elisabeth	Ballou	Mother	of	Christine	Stockelman
10/29	Harriet	Lawrence	Wife	of	Gerry	Lawrence
10/29	Lawrence	Bernstein	Father	of	Sheila	Slavkin

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**October 19**

The dates listed for the Yahrzeits are adjusted yearly according to the Jewish Calendar and may not necessarily coincide with the common date of death. Names are read for Kaddish at the Shabbat before the actual date. If you would like to have the common date listed, please contact the temple office.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	2 6:30pm - Executive Committee Meeting 7:00PM - Board Meeting	3	4 6:30PM - Life Long Learning, Meeting 7:30PM Ritual Committee Meeting	5 7PM - Erev Shabbat Service	6 Meet & Greet (Ellis Family)
7 9:30AM - Religious School	8 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	9	10	11	12 7PM - Erev Shabbat Service	13 Meet & Greet (Richter Family)
14 9:30AM - Religious School	15 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	16	17	18 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	19 7PM - Erev Shabbat Alive Simcha Service	20 Meet & Greet (Enszer Family)
21 9:30AM - Religious School 12:30PM - Youth pumpkin carving	22 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	23	24 6:30PM - Life Long Learning, Meeting 7:30PM Ritual Committee Meeting	25 6:30PM Fundraising Meeting 7:30PM Membership Meeting	26 7PM - Erev Shabbat Service	27 Monster Mash Event
28 9:30AM - Religious School Meet & Greet (SlavkinsFamily)	29 Choir Rehearsal 7PM	30	31			

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