

UJFC Jewish Resource List

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Religious Center	Congregation Beth Israel	Congregation Beth Israel 301 East Jefferson Street P.O. Box 320 Charlottesville, VA 22902 (434) 295-6382 Office Email: office@cbicville.org	Congregation Beth Israel is a Jewish community in Charlottesville, Virginia dedicated to worship and spiritual growth in an environment that welcomes diversity, engages congregants, provides supportive care to members and invests in future generations through education. We promote social justice, charitable giving and lifelong learning.
Religious Center	Rohr Chabad House at Uva	Contact Page	Chabad House at UVA is a “home away from home” to hundreds of college students. Providing a warm, open, non-judemental, Jewish family atmosphere makes our niche in Charlottesville so unique. Whether it’s our crowded Shabbat Dinners, or a personal visit during our families weeknight dinner hour, our doors are always open. Chabad House is here to foster a love of Judaism in the students and the greater Charlottesville community. To encourage a love and connection to the Jewish people, the Torah, and the land of Israel. Regardless of background or affiliation, Chabad accepts all Jews as equals and strives to make all who walk inside feel welcome. There are no members or membership fees.
Religious Center	P'nai Yisrael Chavurah	Contact Page	Our chavurah arose from a desire for additional connection among the congregants of our local Charlottesville synagogue, Congregation Beth Israel [CBI]. In response to this request, CBI developed chavurot [fellowship groups] based on mutual interests. Our group was interested in personal & spiritual growth.

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Religious Center	Brody Jewish Center of the University of Virginia	1824 University Circle Charlottesville, VA 22903-1886 Email: info@brodyjewishcenter.org Phone: (434) 295-4963	The Brody Jewish Center, Hillel at the University of Virginia, is the focal point in a renaissance of Jewish life for the 1,800 Jewish students on Grounds. Building upon UVa's strong tradition of student leadership, the Brody Jewish Center actively and successfully empowers Jewish students to create relevant and meaningful Jewish experiences that will inspire a lifelong commitment to the Jewish people. The Brody Jewish Center is engaging more Jewish students than ever before through a broad range of activities and creative initiatives for social enjoyment, Jewish learning and community outreach.
Interest Groups	Hadassah Charlottesville	Email: membership@hadassah.org Phone: (800) 664-5646	Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, is a volunteer organization that inspires a passion for and commitment to its partnership with the land and people of Israel. It enhances the health of people worldwide through its support of medical care and research at the Hadassah Medical Organization in Jerusalem. Hadassah empowers its members and supporters, as well as youth in Israel and America through opportunities for personal growth, education, advocacy and Jewish continuity.
Interest Groups	CBI - Temple Sisterhood		
Cultural Opportunities	Virginia Festival of the Book	Phone: 434-924-3296 Email: vabook@virginia.edu	The Festival is the largest community-based book event in the Mid-Atlantic region and has attracted audiences of more than 20,000 for each of the past twelve years. We have presented a captivating list of authors, ranging from international bestsellers to topical specialists to debut authors.
Cultural Opportunities	United Jewish Fund for Charlottesville	Phone: (434) 978-7775 E-mail: russlinden1946@gmail.com	We embrace a fundamental Jewish principle – that all Jews are responsible for one another. In that spirit, UJFC's purpose is to meet the existing and emerging needs of the Jewish community, here and abroad.

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Cultural Opportunities	Virginia Film Festival	Phone: 434.982.5277 Email: info@virginiafilmfestival.org	The Virginia Film Festival is more than a four day festival of films. We engage the local community through school screenings, interactive workshops, filmmaking competitions, and more. Often Jewish films are screened.
Child and Youth Resources	CBI - Preschool and Kindergarten	Jill Abbey-Clark, Directory of Early Childhood Education Phone: (434) 295-6382	Congregation Beth Israel's (CBI) early childhood program provides an opportunity for children ages 18 months to Kindergarten to play, learn, and grow together in a Jewish environment.
Child and Youth Resources	CBI - Summer Camp	Registration and Contact Information	Camp CBI is a place for campers to create positive Jewish experiences which will last a lifetime. Our camp offers an enriched atmosphere in which Jewish themes and activities are interwoven through music, crafts, sports, field trips, swimming and more! Camp CBI offers something for everyone; from preschoolers to high schoolers. Camp CBI is a fun, interactive and exciting way for your child to spend their summer.
Child and Youth Resources	CBI - Religious School	Email: shelbyapple@yahoo.com.	The mission of the Congregation Beth Israel Religious School program is to enable our children to become knowledgeable and practicing Jews. We want Jewish learning to be an exciting and engaging experience for our children.
Senior Resources	CBI - Senior Connections	Latifa Kropf Senior Connections Coordinator (434) 974-7016 Direct (434) 295-6382 CBI Office Latifafital@yahoo.com	Senior Connections is a new initiative intended to address the communal and spiritual needs of the increasingly large aging population in Central Virginia. "The primary goal of Senior Connections is to connect with and support our Jewish elders," says Latifa Kropf, Senior Connections Coordinator. The program is funded by the Eitelberg Fund of the United Jewish Fund of Charlottesville (UJFC) and is run by Congregation Beth Israel.
Senior Resources	The Colonnades - Jewish Programming for Non-Residents		

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Senior Resources	Internment Information	Phone: (434) 295-6382	Rabbi Alexander and Rabbi Gutherz are available to help guide individuals and families as the end of life approaches and following the death of a loved one. Any time is a good time to begin to think about how one wishes to prepare for life's inevitable end and to prepare for both the spiritual challenges and the practical issues that accompany this transition. You may contact Rabbi Alexander at RabbiDA@cbicville.org or 434-295-6382. You may contact Rabbi Gutherz at RabbiTG@cbicville.org or 434-295-6382.