

TBE'S SOCIAL ACTION SHABBATON WEEKEND WITH GUEST JAN JARBOE RUSSELL



FRIDAY, APRIL 20

6:00-7:15 PM | CATERED MIDDLE EASTERN DINNER

Join TBE's Social Action Committee for a catered Middle Eastern dinner (with vegetarian option) with journalist Jan Jarboe Russell, where she will explain how she came to write her book *The Train to Crystal City*. Donation: \$18 per adult, \$9 for 12 and under. Attendees can pay online, by mail, at the TBE office, or at the door. TBE welcomes everyone to all events regardless of ability to pay. Contact the TBE office for financial assistance.

For planning purposes, reservations are strongly recommended.

RSVP here: <http://bit.ly/ShabbatDinnerSAC>.

7:30 PM | SHABBAT SERVICES

Jan Jarboe Russell will speak during services. Oneg hosted by the Social Action Committee.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

6:00-8:00 PM | DEPORTATION DURING WWII & TODAY:

A PANEL DISCUSSION WITH NYT-BESTSELLING AUTHOR JAN JARBOE RUSSELL

Jan Jarboe Russell will discuss her NYT-bestselling *Train to Crystal City*, a book that explores the dramatic stories of a secret American internment camp in Texas during WWII, where many US citizens of German and Japanese descent were incarcerated. She will be joined in the panel by others with unique insights into immigration in the 1940s and today. They include Holocaust survivor Irene Butter, whose story appears in part of Russell's book; May Watanabe, who was an internee of Japanese descent incarcerated in another US internment camp; Maria Ibarra-Frayre, a local DACA recipient and immigrations rights activist; and Lorrie Gilbert the daughter of one of the Jewish prisoners who was exchanged for an internee of German descent.

Join us for a lively discussion, brief Havdalah service, and snacks afterwards!

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