

# A DRAMATIC AFFAIR

## A VIRTUAL EVENING WITH MAINE DRAMATISTS

CONGREGATION BET HA'AM

MAY 1, 2021 AT 8PM

FEATURING PLAYS BY

*Brent Askari*

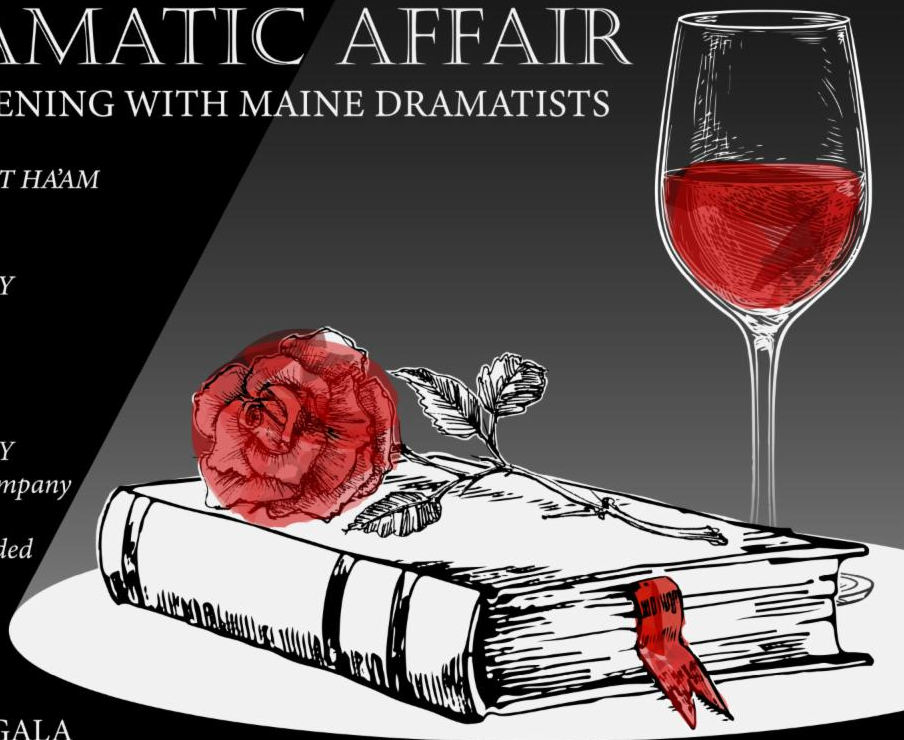
*Bess Welden*

*Monica Wood*

BROUGHT TO LIFE BY

*Mad Horse Theater Company*

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### Invite Your Friends and Family to "A Dramatic Affair"

*Our Virtual Fundraising Event Can Be Experienced by Anyone Anywhere!*

**Let's spend a much-needed evening together!** Increase the fun by inviting your family and friends to join us! Zoom admissions are available on a sliding scale (\$200-\$0) to make the event accessible to all. All proceeds benefit Congregation Bet Ha'am. Please click on the link below to buy tickets or to make a contribution. If you prefer, you may register by calling the office at 207.879.0028 or visiting <https://www.bethaam.org/events/gala/>

**Register to Attend. Buy a Raffle Ticket. Make a Contribution.**

**Can't Make The Event on May 1?** Anyone who supports our event with a contribution will receive a link to a recording of the entire evening that will be accessible throughout the month of May.



**"A Dramatic Affair" - Saturday, May 1st at 8pm**

This year's literary-themed fundraiser for Congregation Bet Ha'am features three world premiere plays brought to life by Mad Horse Theater Company. ASL interpreting will be provided:

**Tikkun Olam, by Brent Askari**

*A humorous and insightful examination of how one congregant's crisis of faith results in some unexpected advice from his rabbi.*

**June 20/20 reVision(s): A Fire Diary, by Bess Welden**

*A brand new, totally untested solo performance text-in-progress of truer than true tales about whiteness, Jewishness, and what she inherited from her father.*

**The Male Gaze, by Monica Wood**

*A woman feeling overlooked by her husband asks an older neighbor for advice. Be careful—very careful—what you wish for.*

David Bass-Clark will return as Master of Ceremonies, and Q&As with the playwrights will be moderated by Andrew Kosak.

We hope that you will give generously to support the evening and Bet Ha'am. Click below to register to attend, make a contribution, or Join the Host Committee or purchase tickets for the Adventure of a Lifetime Raffle.

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### **The Adventure of a Lifetime Raffle Tickets Are Now On Sale!**

**Tickets are \$100 each and only 150 tickets will be sold.** One winner will be chosen by drawing to select from our two prize categories, each valued at \$5,000. You can:

**Travel the World** – Got pent up travel desires? When the time comes to act on them confer with our travel mavens to create the trip of your dreams.

or

**Feather Your Nest** – Use your winnings to enhance your home or life. Be fanciful or practical. We encourage you to shop local!

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**Visit Bet Ha'am's website for more information about "A Dramatic Affair" and all other programs taking place at the synagogue this spring:**

**<https://www.bethaam.org/events/gala/>**

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