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### - Rich & Lisa Cohn





## Mazel tov, Denver Jewish Day School, on another successful year!

JEWISH colorado appreciates your commitment and dedication to our Jewish community.



Congratulations to Amity, Marc, and Jerry for this well deserved honor and for all the years you've been supporters of Denver Jewish Day School. Because of your unwavering support and educational contributions you helped make DJDS what it is today; a wonderful Jewish Day school encompassing a multi-disciplinary understanding of Judaism as well as the secular world.

We're also so very proud of Clarissa and Blake for co-chairing this important celebration.



- Jo Ellen, Steven, Tania, and Grant Cohen





## Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg and Marc & Amity Cooper.

Mazel Tov to Nathan Schweid.









Thank you to the faculty and staff of Denver Jewish Day School for all of the amazing work you do, both within the school community, and in the greater Denver Jewish community at large.

### - The Cooper Family





## To Amity & Marc and Jerry

Mazel Tov on your Leadership, Hard Work and Dedication to Denver Jewish Day School!

Your example sets the tone for a bright future of the DJDS community!

Wishing you all only the best!

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Congratulations to Amity and Marc Cooper on a well-deserved honor!

Thank you Jerry for being an integral part of the DJDS team. We are grateful for all you have done and continue to do for our kids!

- Arinn and Noah Makovsky and Family





### Mazel Tov to the honorees!

Amity and Marc, you have done so much for our school and our community.

Thank you!

Jerry, you've inspired so many growing minds to bloom Jewishly. We look forward to our children learning with you in the near future.

To the entire faculty and staff at Denver Jewish Day School, we thank you for supporting our children every day. Day after day!

To Miles and Ellis, you fill our hearts. We love you so much.

We are thrilled to be co-chairing the Annual Dinner!
Thank you for celebrating our beautiful community together!

-Blake & Clarissa Cohen





### In appreciation of tonight's honorees:

Marc & Amity Cooper

Jerry Rotenberg

And with love to our children and grandchildren: Sara & Brad Nieder, and Isaac, Molly, and Sylie Nieder.

- Barbara & Dr. Bob Nieder



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### Jerry,

### Congratulations and Thank You.

No one has done more than you to build this wonderful school and to give it a Jewish heart.

It has been a great joy and an absolute honor to share the remarkable ride with you these last 32 years and to become your friend along the way.

-Bryan Hay





Marc and Amity, we are so proud of you.

Mazel Tov!
With love,

Bette, Cami, and Kim





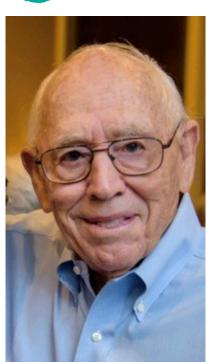


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- Denver Jewish Day School







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Leonard Strear was a devoted family man, respected business leader, and philanthropist, who passed away March 18, 2021. Leonard and his late wife Irma were the very first \$1M donors to Denver Jewish Day leaving the legacy of the Strear Family Gymnasium.

- Denver Jewish Day School



## Mazel Tov to Jerry on your 32 years of teaching!

- Paula & Harvey Deutsch



Mazal Tov to Amity, Marc and Jerry!

Thank you for your years of dedication and commitment to Denver Jewish Day School, our students and our community!

We appreciate each of you!!

Lisa, Vern, Malka and Levi Engbar





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on this well deserved honor

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**Kol HaKavod to Jerry Rotenberg** for all that you have done for our children and so many children, now adults and parents themselves in our community and beyond!!!

### Mazal Tov to Marc and Amity Cooper

for your work at DJDS and in our community!!

Mazal Tov to Nathan Schweid and his parents on the honor of speaking at the event this year!!

May DJDS go from strength to strength!

Yasher Koach and Todah Rabah!!!

## - Peter and Gabriela, David and Shoshana and Ilan Benjamin and Avi Lior, Adam and Yael and Lev, and Yoni Gottlieb





Yashar Koach to Jerry and to the Coopers for their commitment to the Denver Jewish community.

### - George and Sheera Gumbiner







## Mazel Tov to the Coopers and Jerry Rotenberg on a well deserved honor.

Thank you Rich Cohn for your continued leadership of the Board of Trustees.

Thank you to the teachers and administration for all you do for my grandkids and all our children.

- Henny Kaufmann





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### Amity & Marc,

### Congratulations on this well deserved honor!

### - Jeff and Sandra Kelly







Mazel tov to Jerry on your many years of dedicated service to our students and our school.



Congratulations to Marc and Amity. Thank you for your support of DJDS.

- The Denver JDS Leadership Team

(Jodie Applebaum, Krista Boscoe, Shayna Friedman, Rick Getz, Avi Halzel, Matan Halzel, Josh Lake, Benjamin Levy, Peta Miller, Elana Shapiro, Jason Snyder, Samantha Raizen Walsh)





Congratulations to the honorees, Jerry Rotenberg, Amity & Marc Cooper, and alumni speaker, Nathan Schweid.

We appreciate all the teachers and staff at DJDS who have worked extremely hard especially in the last few challenging years.

Jerry, thank you for being such a mentor and role model to so many students. You have instilled a love of Judaism, Torah and overall mensch-i-ness to all of us.

Nathan- a true mensch (you must have had Jerry as your teacher)! You truly embody all the values of DJDS. It has been wonderful to see what a kind and caring person you've become and how you bring these qualities into your prosperous business endeavors and community outreach.

Much love,

- Ruth, Michael, Alyse, Lauren, and Daniel





## Congratulations to the honorees, Jerry Rotenberg Marc & Amity Cooper

Thank you for your dedication to and support of Denver Jewish Day School.

May God bless you and your families!

- Ilene & Mike Rosen and Family





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Alumni speaker Nathan Schweid
We are so proud of you and the wonderful young man you have grown to be!

The Annual Dinner Honorees

Amity and Marc Cooper and Jerry Rotenberg
for the leadership and educational guidance you have given our children all these years

and in memory of Bernie Naiman, z'l, our family patriarch

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## Congratulations to Marc and Amity Cooper

From all of us at Northmarq







Congratulations to Marc & Amity Cooper from your friends at Otten Johnson.



### To Marc and Amity

Mazel Tov on a well deserved honor!

- Rick and Mindy Miller





Congrats to the 2022 honorees,
Jerry Rotenberg and
Amity & Marc Cooper,
as well as this year's speaker
Nathan Schweid!



-Leah Griggs (Schweid)
Class of 2010





#### **Mazel Tov Amity & Marc!**

Thank you for all you have done for our community and Denver JDS. Your continued leadership is incredible.

#### **Mazel Tov Jerry!**

Thank you for all you have done for all of our kids. We are grateful for your continued kindness, guidance, and patience especially on all the student trips.

Love,

Mark, Leslie, Leah & Hannah Sidell





### Jerry,

Thank you for everything you do. You are an amazing teacher and we appreciate all you have done for us and DJDS.

- Zach and Shannon Silberman





# Congratulations to the honorees, Jerry Rotenberg Marc & Amity Cooper

For your support, leadership and commitment to Denver Jewish Day School and our community.

The Strear Family
Irma & Leonard Strear z'l
Debra z'l & John Aleinikoff
Linda & Les Liman
Marci & Earl Roper
Suzanne & Michael Strear





# Congratulations to the Coopers on their Star of David Award.

A big Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg on his Neshama Yeteirah Award. Jerry, you are indeed a very special teacher and one our family respects immensely.

- Joey Wasko Hart Wasko Alyssa & Matan Stein





### Congratulations to Marc, Amity and Jerry.

Thanks especially to Jerry for being a true mensch, setting an example of kindness and Jewish principles for all DJDS students, parents and the larger community.

**Kol Hakavod!** 

- Jason, Ronit, Arielle, Talia, & Noah Williamson



# Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg and Amity & Marc Cooper

We appreciate everything you do for Denver Jewish Day School and for our whole community!

-Scott and Trina Reisch



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# Congratulations to Amity and Marc Cooper and Jerry Rotenberg

You are tremendous leaders who every day answer the important questions Rabbi Hillel posed in the Pirke Avot -

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If I am only for myself, what am I?

If not now, when?

Thank you for all that you do.



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Mazel Tov to the wonderful honorees

Jerry Rotenberg And Marc & Amity Cooper

And a big Mazel Tov to alumni speaker Nathan Schweid!

Angel & David Drucker

"Yehoshua ben Perachyah said: Make for yourself a teacher; acquire for yourself a friend; and judge every person on the positive side." (Avot 1:6)

Jerry has helped students grow as active members of the Jewish community through his nurturing through the relationships that develop between him and his students and among peers. DJDS has taken the teaching of Avot and shown how to put it in action.

Mazel Tov to Jerry and DJDS.

With love,

### Arnie & Veronica Rotenberg



Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg and Marc & Amity Cooper.

Jerry, thank you for your many years of dedication to Denver JDS and, most importantly, to our students.

Marc & Amity, thank you for your incredible commitment to Denver JDS and to the Denver Jewish community at large.

# The Denver JDS Board of Trustees





Congratulations to Marc and Amity on your Star of David Award and for making Denver JDS a better school.

Mazel Tov Jerry for your amazing 32 years of teaching and doing everything for Denver JDS. Your Neshama Yeteirah Award is well deserved and there are so many alums to attest to this!

Thank you honorees for allowing us to honor you and for being such amazing community stewards of all we stand for.

Warmly,

-Krista and Mark Boscoe

Mazel tov, Jerry, on this well-deserved recognition! You were a wonderful counselor, teacher, and friend, and the DJDS community is so lucky to have benefitted from your wisdom and mentorship over the years.

Kol ha Kavod!

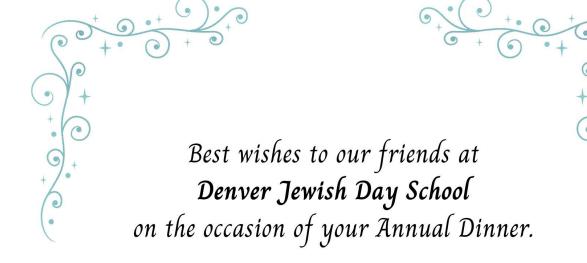
-Cody Harris (Class of '96)



### CONGRATS ON 32 YEARS, ZAIDE!



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Mazal Tov to honorees

Jerry Rotenberg

Marc & Amity Cooper



From DAT Minyan







Congratulations to Amity, Marc and Jerry!

Thank you for all you have done for our school and our students!

Haidi, Brian, Holden, Mara, and Stanley Demain



# Mazel Tov Jerry!

Thank you for years of educating and instilling Jewish pride in so many of us and our children. May you continue to go from strength to strength!

The Denver Kehillah

Amity and Marc - you are truly inspirational as community philanthropists and leaders. We are so grateful and honored to know you and to get to work with you!

Mazel Tov on your Star of David Award!

Jerry - we get to see every day the impact of the work you've been doing for 32 years to make this school the amazing place that it is.

Our students benefit from your wisdom for many, many years. Thank you for everything you do!

Mazel Tov on your Neshama Yeteirah Award!

Krista, Sam, Pam, Maya



Mazel Tov to the honorees

Jerry Rotenberg

And

Marc & Amity Cooper

And a big Mazel Tov to alumni speaker Nathan Schweid!

- Eric Drucker





Mazel Tov to all the amazing DJDS faculty, and especially to Josh Lake. We appreciate you and all that you do so very much!

-Morey & Evelyn Cohen

Mazel tov to Jerry on this auspicious occasion.

Knowing you, no one deserves this honor more!

-Morey and Evelyn Cohen





Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg and Marc & Amity Cooper!

We appreciate everything you do for Denver Jewish Day School.

-Nancy & Mickey Gart,
Brandon Gart,
Natalie & Tim Mohan,
Amy & Jonathan Pell



Congratulations to the Honorees!

Special gratitude to the teachers and staff of DJDS for providing outstanding education and foundation to the future leaders of our Jewish community.

Deepest love to Mia Wexler and Jake Wexler

- Lela and Gene Kay



Mazel Tov to Marc & Amity
Cooper on the Star of David
Award and special thanks to
Jerry Rotenberg for all you do
for our kids and our Jewish
community.

-Jen Gilbert-Kaufmann, Rob Kaufmann, Rachel & Alyssa

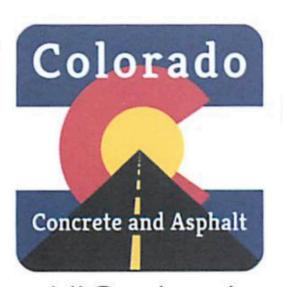


Mazel tov Jerry!
Thank you for being such an incredible teacher and colleague!

Thank you Marc and Amity for everything you do to support DJDS.

-Avi & Rayna Halzel

In honor of our children, Alan and Jen and Greg and Jenn Jackson and our beautiful grandchildren: Jilly, Eli, and Levi

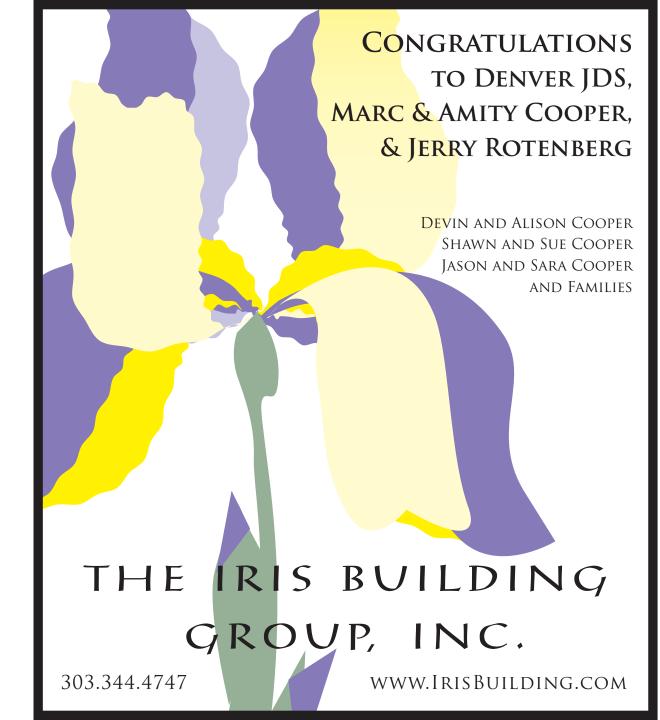


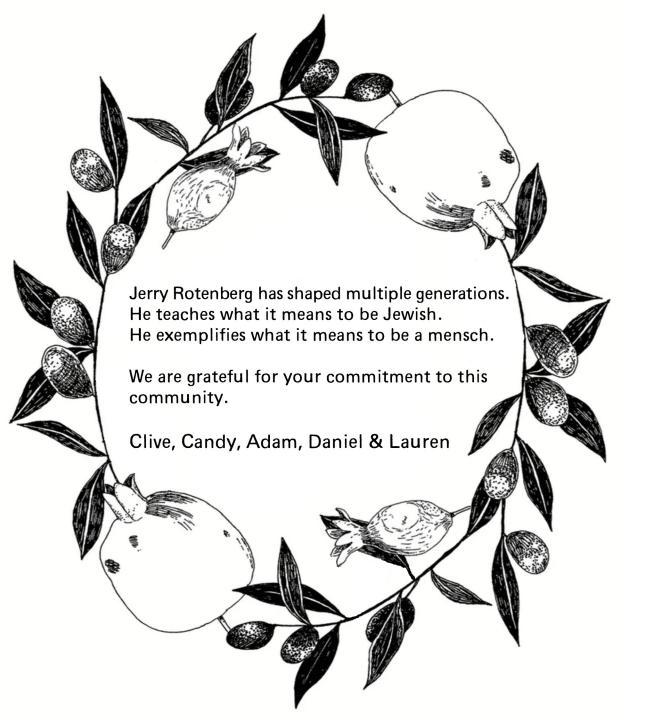
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Congratulations to the honorees on this well-deserved honor. Thank you to Denver JDS for giving our grandchildren Emmie and Eli Cohen, Molly, Isaac, and Sylvie Nieder a wonderful education.

### -JoAnn & Larry Cohen

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Jerry, thank you for being a mentor, a partner and a friend. You are the best of what this community offers and have changed more lives with your wisdom and knowledge than anyone I have ever met.

Thank you for all the memories!



-Josh Lake



Very proud of my brother for this amazing accomplishment! I have always looked up to you and totally understand why all these students love and respect you so much.

-Ken, Judy, Jacob & Zachary Rotenberg



Mazel Tov to Amity and Marc Cooper on this well deserved honor from DJDS.

We are so very happy and proud for you both and your family!

With love and many memories,

## Linda and Jerry Kernis

## Mazel Tov to the Honorees

# Buzz & Shelley Krovitz & Family



#### **Mazel Tov Jerry**

Thank you for being such a positive influence on our sons, Michael, Shane and Ethan.

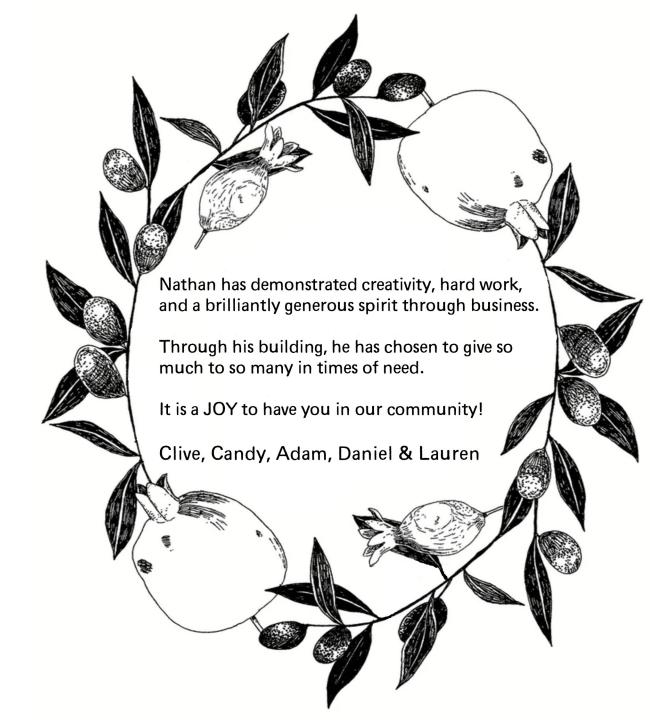
### - Laurie and Louis Morris





We are grateful for the professionalism and leadership of Jerry and Marc & Amity.

**-Leslie and Andy Heins** 





Mazel tov to Jerry and Amity & Marc Cooper!
Thank you for everything you have done for this
DJDS community.

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Congratulations to Jerry Rotenberg, and Marc and Amity Cooper!

Thank you for your dedication and commitment to DJDS and our community.

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Mazel Tov to Jerry Rotenberg and Marc & Amity Cooper. Thank you for all of your contributions to the Denver JDS community, and the Denver Jewish community at large.

-Scott Robinson

#### JERRY,

You have been in our lives since the days of RMHA. You coached us and rooted for us, you taught us, you always made time for us. You put us in the game and had a high 5 waiting for us whether we won or lost.

You were with us.

And now, at DJDS, our children get the benefit of knowing you. We are so happy and grateful to have you in our lives.

Mazal Tov on this

Libbi, Aviv, Liat, Maytal & Eyal Segev Abbi & Alon Rosenthal & Family Ellen & Mark Levine



## We have been with you every step of the way

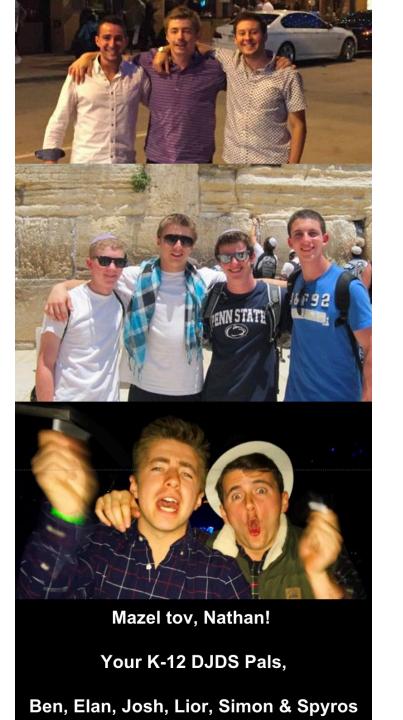
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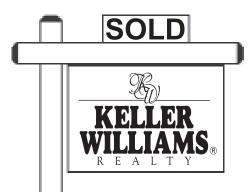
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#### Mazel tov to the honorees!

Jerry, thank you for shaping my Jewish education. From, Proud Denver JDS Alumna

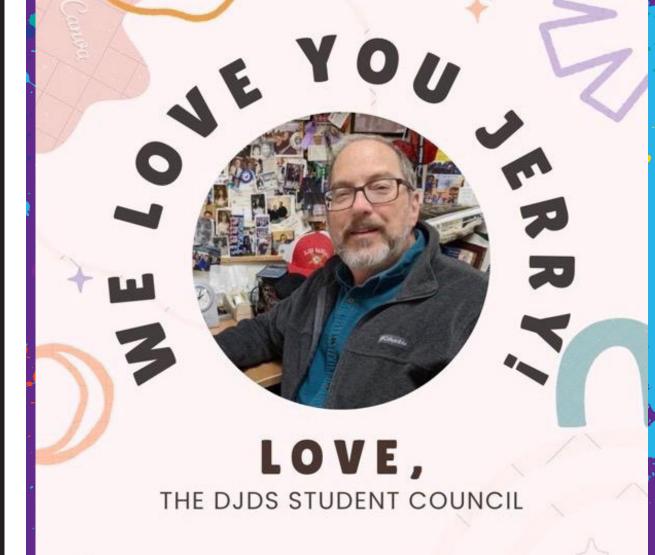


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#### Dear Jerry,

Thank you for everything that you have done for this school and our community over the past 30+ years. Your dedication and commitment to our students and fellow faculty members have been an inspiration to us all. From all the students you've advised, the teachers that you've mentored, the teams you've coached, and the lives you've changed, your impact at this school will go on for generations to come.

And no matter how many more parent-teacher conferences you attend, we will always make sure your baked potato is cooked to perfection.

Love,

-The Upper Division Faculty & Staff

### Mazel Tov

Our beloved president, Jerry Rotenberg, and Marc and Amity Cooper on this well deserved honor.

From everyone at BMH-BJ and the BMH-BJ Preschool. Thank you for all you do for the Denver Jewish Day School, BMH-BJ and the entire Denver Jewish community!



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Thank you to the 2021-22 Denver JDS Faculty and Staff for providing our students with an extraordinary education throughout this school year.

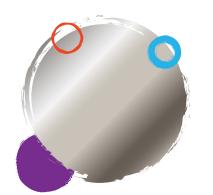
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# Denver Jewish Day School thanks our Annual Dinner Chairs

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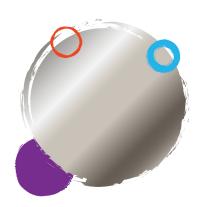


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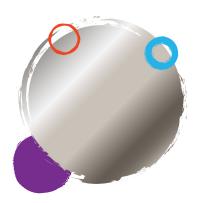
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