The Ronald Gardenswartz Jewish Community Center is Proud to Present:

## Benji Lovitt

Israeli Humor - Is It Okay to Laugh?

Sunday, 3/17 10:30am-Noon In-Person at the JCC!

The JCC is thrilled to bring you this exclusive live appearance by Benji Lovitt, American-Israeli Comedian/Author! Visiting from Israel, in his brand new presentation, Benji will explore Israeli resilience through the power of comedy, especially during dark times. Jews have historically laughed to keep from crying. Through comedy video clips, social media images, and interviews with Israeli comedians, you will gain insight into how Israelis have coped with the traumas of October 7th through humor.

ABOUT BENJI: Since making Aliyah in 2006, comedian and author Benji Lovitt has performed for audiences around the world. He's been featured on Israeli TV, USA Today, Time Magazine, BBC Radio, The Atlantic. His latest book Israel 201: Your Next-Level Guide to the Magic, Mystery, and Chaos of Life in the Holy Land will be available for sale & signing.

Ticket includes: Assorted bagels & schmears, mimosas and coffee/tea.

\$20 JCC Members \$25 Non-Members

Tickets can be purchased in Member Services or online at jccabq.org/meeting/benji-lovitt

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