

At Congregation B'nai Shalom we believe that joining a congregation is a spiritual and emotional commitment. We encourage all congregants to become involved in all aspects of life in our congregational community. Your participation will help strengthen the community and will make your temple experience more meaningful. Please indicate which of these areas interest you by checking the appropriate box or boxes and answering the questions at the end. You will be contacted by a congregation member with more information.

ADULT NAMES: (1) _____

(2) _____

Manageable Mitzvot (a few hours)		
ADULT	1	2
Building Repair		
Community Meals Program		
Cooking/delivering Meals		
Gardening		
Library Aide		
Offering Rides to Services		
Office Work		
“On-call” for Shiva Minyan		
Seniors’ Thanksgiving Dinner		
Scrip (selling)		
Sukkah Building		
Ushering (Shabbat and/or High Holidays)		
Volunteer in Religious School		
Other:		
Ongoing Activities		
Brotherhood (and Café Shalom)		
Choir		
Empty Nesters		
Gesher (Business Networking/Jobs)		
Sisterhood		
Teach in Religious School (paid position)		
Torah Study		
Other:		

Committees		
ADULT	1	2
Adult Education		
Art		
Building Management and Maintenance		
Bylaws Revision		
Communications		
Early Childhood		
Finance		
Fundraising		
Information Technology		
Library		
Membership		
Music		
Nominating		
Planning & Development		
Publicity		
Ritual		
School		
Social Action/Tikkun Olam		
Yad b’Yad Caring Committee		
Youth		

For current member: What do you value the most about being a member of Congregation B’nai Shalom?
 For new member: What has brought you to Congregation B’nai Shalom?

What interests, skills and/or talents could you bring to the congregation?

Are there any activities or programs not currently offered that would interest you and/or your family?

Is there anything else you would like to share with us? (use the back if necessary)

**Congregation B'nai Shalom Sisterhood (Women of Reform Judaism)
Membership Application June 1, 2009 – May 31, 2010**

Name _____
Address _____
Home Phone _____ E-mail _____

I can attend programs on: Sunday mornings Sunday evenings Weekday evenings

Areas that interest me:

Speakers Social Events
 Spiritual/Religious Events Educational Activities (e.g. Book Club)

I would be interested in helping Sisterhood with:

Event Planning - support and assist in coordination and planning of events
 Oneg – Help coordinate Friday night service oneg
 Membership - recruit and welcome new members, maintain active membership list
 Religious/Jewish Life - help to coordinate religious/spiritual events.
 Publicity
 Other (please specify)

Please make your membership check payable to: *Congregation B'nai Shalom Sisterhood* or include the full amount in your first annual membership contribution payment. If you include your Sisterhood dues with your annual membership contribution, the entire amount must be included in your first payment.

Membership Dues: \$36 Member, \$54 Sponsor, \$72 Benefactor

If you are not including your Sisterhood dues with your annual membership contribution, please mail your completed application and dues to:

Cheryl Kasof 6 Dana Road Shrewsbury MA 01545 or enclose with Membership Annual Contribution.

Congregation B'nai Shalom Sisterhood (WRJ) is open to all women of the Jewish Community regardless of your affiliation.

**Congregation B'nai Shalom Brotherhood
Membership Application June 1, 2009 – May 31, 2010**

Name _____
Address _____
Home Phone _____ Other Phone _____
E-mail _____

Preferred method of contact: Home Phone Other Phone E-mail

I can attend programs on: Sunday mornings Sunday evenings Weekday evenings

Areas that interest me:

Speakers Social Events
 Spiritual/Religious Events Other (please specify)

I would be interested in helping Brotherhood with:

Event Planning - support and assist in coordination and planning of events
 Membership - recruit and welcome new members, maintain active membership list
 Religious/Jewish Life - help to coordinate religious/spiritual events.
 Fundraising and Special Projects – plan and coordinate as needed
 Other (please specify)

Please make your membership check payable to: *Congregation B'nai Shalom Brotherhood* or include the full \$36 in your first annual membership contribution payment. If you include your Brotherhood dues with your annual membership contribution, the entire amount must be included in your first payment.

Please enclose this completed application with your other renewal forms, including your annual membership contribution.

Congregation B'nai Shalom

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Friday Night Oneg Shabbat Commitment for Members

Why is an Oneg Shabbat important at Congregation B'nai Shalom?

The meaning of Oneg is "delight." By lingering, chatting, and noshing after Friday evening's service, we add to the feeling of the Sabbath as being different from the rush of the other days of the week. An Oneg Shabbat also allows us as a community to share the Sabbath's joy in a relaxed setting and provides congregants and guests a valuable weekly opportunity for fellowship.

Who is responsible to help?

Hosting an Oneg Shabbat is an important responsibility for *each* of our congregant households. To ensure equal participation, the responsibility is rotated among nearly 400 households. The synagogue office assigns four households per Oneg Shabbat date. **Hosting an Oneg Shabbat every one to two years is one vital way to show your commitment to our community.**

Can I select an Oneg Shabbat date to co-host?

Absolutely! You may volunteer to co-host an Oneg Shabbat on a specific date by completing the Oneg Host form on our website under *Member Info -> About Our Onegs*.

What duties are co-hosts expected to do?

Co-hosting an Oneg Shabbat is fun, rewarding, and now easier than ever as Sisterhood members are helping Oneg Shabbat hosts every step of the way. For complete co-host duties and timelines see the Oneg Checklist on our website under *Member Info -> About Our Onegs*. Briefly, co-hosts are asked to:

- Provide a quality food item(s) like baked goods, cheese/crackers, humus/pita, veggies/dip or cut fruit that feeds 25 people (about 2-3 dozen pieces).
- Arrive 30 minutes before the start of Friday's service to help set-up the Social Hall.
- Enjoy the Oneg Shabbat
- Stay about 30 minutes after the Oneg Shabbat to help clean up the Social Hall/Kitchen.

CONGREGATION B'NAI SHALOM RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

**Re-Enrollment Review
5770 (2009-2010)**

Dear Parents,

We have automatically re-enrolled your children in Religious School and/or Chai School (formally Confirmation) for the 2009-2010 school year. This means that your child(ren) will be placed in the same Sunday session (early or late) as the current year and/or in the same weekday session (Tuesday or Thursday) as the current year. You will note on the enclosed invoice that you have been billed accordingly. If you need to change any of your preferences for the coming year, please indicate those changes below. *If there are no changes, you do not need to return this form.*

FAMILY NAME _____

FIRST NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ **ZIP** _____

HOME PHONE _____

WORK PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

FIRST NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ **ZIP** _____

HOME PHONE _____

WORK PHONE _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

Please make the following changes to our emergency contact information

Emergency Contact _____ **Phone** _____

Emergency Contact _____ **Phone** _____

Please make the following changes to our carpool information

Please list the NAMES and GRADES of all students (including yours) in your carpool.

(OVER)

INDIVIDUAL NEEDS

- Please have the Director of Education contact me prior to the start of school in order to discuss recent changes in my child(ren)'s special needs (IEP, social, emotional, medical, behavioral or other).

CLASS SCHEDULES

Pre K-2	Sundays from 8:30-10:30 or 10:45-12:45 (Sessions switch in January)
3-7	Sundays (above) and either Tuesdays or Thursdays from 4:00-6:00
8-10	Tuesday evenings from 6:00-8:30
11-12	First Tuesday evening each month from 6:00-8:30

Please indicate class preferences for child(ren) in grades 3-7:

- Please place my child(ren) in a TUESDAY class
 Please place my child(ren) in a THURSDAY class
 Please place my child EARLY SESSION on Sunday in the fall
 Please place my child LATE SESSION on Sunday in the fall
 No preference—would be happy with either choice

ANY OTHER INFORMATION TO SHARE:

TUITION AND FEES

\$610	Non Member Fee for Pre School Registration
\$460	Member Fee for Pre School Registration
\$610	Kindergarten – Grade 2
\$910	Grades 3 – 5
\$1060	Grade 6 – Tuition and Class Trip
\$910	Grade 7
\$900	Grade 8 - Tuition, Class Trip and Dinner Fee
\$1300	Grade 9 - Tuition, New York Trip & Dinner Fee
\$1700	Grade 10 - Tuition, Trip, Confirmation Fee & Dinner Fee
\$280	Grades 11 & 12 - Tuition and Dinner Fee

Return This Form To:
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