

## **B'nai Shalom of Olney Havurah Application**

Please complete the following questionnaire.

Information you provide will help to place you in a Havurah. All information contained herein is confidential.  
Your name, contact information and e-mail address will not be made public in any way.

<b>APPLICANT INFORMATION</b>					
Name:		Name (Spouse):			
Birthday:		Birthday:			
Occupation:		Occupation			
Work Phone #:		Work Phone #:			
E-mail:		E-mail:			
Address:					
Home Phone #:					
Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed					
Which category describes you best? <input type="checkbox"/> Family with children <input type="checkbox"/> Empty Nester <input type="checkbox"/> Retired <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
How long have you been a member of B'nai Shalom of Olney?					
Do you have family in the area with whom you celebrate Jewish holidays? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
<b>CHILDREN INFORMATION (IF APPLICABLE)</b>					
Do your children attend the B'nai Shalom of Olney Religious School? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
Child's Name	Age	Sex (M/F)	School Grade	Hebrew School Grade	School Name
<b>I/We would prefer a Havurah with (check as many as apply)</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Couples w/children (ages 0-5)		<input type="checkbox"/> Couples w/children(ages 6-12 )		<input type="checkbox"/> Couples w/children (teens)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Young Couples (ages 25-40)		<input type="checkbox"/> Mature Couples (ages 40-65)		<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Couples ( ages 65+)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Singles (ages 25-40)		<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Singles (ages 40-65)		<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Singles (ages 65+)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Singles w/children (ages 0-5)		<input type="checkbox"/> Singles w/children (ages 6-12)		<input type="checkbox"/> Singles w/children (teens)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Many types of people/ all ages		<input type="checkbox"/> Interfaith families			
<b>Please check the things that you would like to do with a Havurah</b>					
<input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Celebrations		<input type="checkbox"/> Shabbat Celebrations		<input type="checkbox"/> Dinner	
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Service/Social Action		<input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Programs		<input type="checkbox"/> Travel to places of Jewish interest	
<input type="checkbox"/> Attending Services		<input type="checkbox"/> Movie/Theatre		<input type="checkbox"/> Israel Affairs	
<input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Activities		<input type="checkbox"/> Indoor Games		<input type="checkbox"/> Current Event Discussions	
<input type="checkbox"/> BSO Activities		<input type="checkbox"/> Religious Study		<input type="checkbox"/> Fun – No theme	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Social Gatherings		<input type="checkbox"/> Other, please list ideas			

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<b>Please rank your goals for joining a Havurah</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Celebrate holidays
<input type="checkbox"/> Create an 'extended family'
<input type="checkbox"/> Socialize with other Jewish families
<input type="checkbox"/> Become more involved with B'nai Shalom of Olney
<input type="checkbox"/> Meet Jewish people who live nearby
<input type="checkbox"/> Meet religious school classmates and their families
<input type="checkbox"/> Expand Jewish knowledge
<input type="checkbox"/> Get involved in community service projects
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)
<b>Are you willing to be an initial "Host" to help start your Havurah? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</b>
<b>Describe any special interests or hobbies and anything else that you feel might help us in placing you in a Havurah.</b>
<b>Are there other BSO members you would like to have in your Havurah? (Please note that we cannot guarantee this request.)</b>
<b>When is the best time to reach you?</b>

**Thank you for taking this step to becoming more involved at B'nai Shalom of Olney. Please remember that a successful Havurah requires time, patience and energy from its members. When you are placed in a Havurah, please stay with the group at least 4-6 months – the investment is worthwhile!**

**Please drop off your application to the B'nai Shalom of Olney Office or mail to B'nai Shalom of Olney, 18401 Burtfield Drive, Olney, MD 20832. Please contact Sharon Agranov at [sharonagranov@comcast.net](mailto:sharonagranov@comcast.net) if you have any questions, ideas or would like additional information.**