

Minyan B'Yachad (Junior Congregation Family Service)

We are a member of the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism and a Framework of Excellence school. This requires us to meet 2 afternoons a week in addition to Sunday classes. Because we only require class on Sunday and one day during the week (Tuesday or Wednesday), we must make up for the lost second day.

Gan K – Bet 2 must be accompanied by a parent.

Gimel 3 – Vav 6 are required to attend a minimum of at least 10 Minyan B'Yachad services in addition to 5 other services (Friday evening service or Saturday morning) which can be in our main sanctuary or at other synagogues. Please remember that students in Vav 6 are required to complete 10 Minyan B'Yachad services regardless of their B'nai Mitzvah date.

Zayin 7 students are required to attend services once a month beginning one year prior to their B'nai Mitzvah.

When attending services, students are required to pull their attendance card so they can receive credit. There are two sets of attendance cards, one for Minyan B'Yachad and one for the Main sanctuary. There will be separate cards for Zayin 7 students as well.

Carole Levy, a member of the Education committee, has graciously volunteered to track student Minyan B'Yachad attendance. If your child forgets to pull his/her card or if they attended a service outside of BSO, please email her at clevymd@yahoo.com. You do NOT need to email her every time your child attends services.

As a reminder, High Holy Day services do NOT count toward completion of the Minyan B'Yachad requirement. The following will count toward fulfilling these requirements:

- Class services
- Attendance at another synagogue's Shabbat (can only be counted once)
- Attendance at BSO

Schedule (Saturdays 9:30AM-11:45AM) in Rooms 13-15

- September 12, 2009
- October 3, 2009 - double credit with a parent
- October 17, 2009
- October 24, 2009
- November 7, 2009
- November 21, 2009
- December 5, 2009
- December 19, 2009 - double credit with a parent
- January 9, 2010
- January 23, 2010
- January 30, 2010
- February 6, 2010
- February 20, 2010
- February 27, 2010
- March 6, 2010
- March 13, 2010
- March 20, 2010
- April 10, 2010
- April 24, 2010 - double credit with a parent
- May 1, 2010

Parent Captains

Service Date	Grade	Teacher	Parent Captain #1	Parent Captain #2
September 12	Vav 6	Cutler	Levy	Alexander
October 3*	Vav 6	Fell	Bayewitz	Fauntleroy
October 17	Hey 5	Shalvi	Waks	Rosendorf
October 24	Hey 5	Glikman	Bass	Kahan
November 7	Dalet 4	Blumstein	Zemel	Krause
November 21	Dalet 4	Taylor	Benjoar	Fuchs
December 5	Gimel 3	Jacobs	Berman	Frazier
December 19*	Vav 6	Cutler	Shure	Scheinberg
January 9	Vav 6	Fell	Glickman	Leifer
January 23	Hey 5	Shalvi	Willson	Daugherty
January 30	Dalet 4**	Blumstein	DeBastos	Dickstein
February 6	Hey 5**	Glikman	Bloom	Wugalter
February 20	Dalet 4	Taylor	Greenberg	Herman
February 27	Gimel 3	Jacobs	Jacob	Stevenson
March 6	Vav 6	Cutler	Hesse	Boden
March 13	Vav 6	Fell	Tadmor	Shapiro
March 20	Hey 5	Shalvi	Goldman	Brenner
April 10	Hey 5	Glikman	Baylin	Lewis
April 24*	Dalet 4	Blumstein	Gruen	Schwarz
May 1	Dalet 4	Taylor	SanSebastian	Grant

* double credit with an adult

** Hey 5 and Vav 6 Class Service in Main Sanctuary on January 30

Parent captains need to be at BSO from about 9:15AM to 11:45AM. If you cannot fulfill your duties on your assigned day, please find another parent within your child's class to switch with you. Contact Linh (linh.nguyen@bnaishalomofolney.org) if you need a class email distribution list. Depending on how many people from your team shows up, the responsibilities can be divided however you choose.

Responsibilities include:

- Set up Kiddush (everything you need is in the RS Office)
 - o Cookies
 - o Challahs
 - o Juice (pour between 75 and 100 cups depending on the crowd)
 - o Cups
 - o Napkins
 - o Platters for cookies and challahs
- Set up table outside of JC classroom (everything you need is in the RS Office)
 - o JC cards to be pulled
 - o Parts to be taken by kids to participate in the service
 - o Box of Kepahs
- Pull kid's cards out of the box as they enter—cards are sorted by grade and then alphabetically by last name
 - o Encourage the kids to take a part as they enter
 - o Remind the boys to take a kepah

Sponsoring Kiddush

To make Minyan B'Yachad even more special, we ask parents to sponsor a service in honor of a special occasion. The cost is \$36.

- Yes, I would love to honor my child by sponsoring Minyan B'yachad Kiddush for \$36.
 - Minyan B'Yachad date: _____
 - Occasion: _____
 - Parent's name: _____
 - Telephone number: _____

Return to the Religious School Office with a check made out to B'nai Shalom of Olney.