

Welcome to the 2009-2010 Chapel Hill Kehillah Youth Group

The **Kehillah Youth Group:**

- Is geared towards teens post B'nei Mitzvah through high school
- Is designed to meet teens' religious, intellectual, spiritual, and social needs
- Offers approximately 10 innovative, exciting, creative, fun, and engaging programs/year that contain a mix of fun, education and social action
- Keeps your teen connected to his/her peers, engaged in social action activities, and being a part of the Kehillah community

Programs Include(d):

- 2008-9: a visit to the Comedy Club, a meal in the Sukkah, running the Purim Carnival, and Shul-Ins.
- 2009-10: a similar mix of fun, learning and relevance they will never forget!

Governance and Planning:

- The Youth Group Board: plans and executes most activities. The Board is a group of elected Youth Group Members.
- Dina Schiff, the Youth Group Director, supervises the Youth Group Board and ensures organization and robust event planning.
- The Youth Group Committee, composed of Youth Group members, parents, and Dina Schiff, provides additional support, guidance, and connection.

Your Youth Group Membership contributes to program costs and helps pay the salary of the Youth Group Director. Additional Youth Group support comes directly from the Kehillah, generous donations by Kehillah members, and from Youth Group fund raising efforts.

Kehillah Youth Group Membership Form
Chapel Hill Kehillah, 1200 Mason Farm Rd., 27514
2009-2010

Child/ren's Last Name _____

1st Parent's Name _____

Street Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone _____ Work Telephone _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

2nd Parent's Name _____

Street Address (if different) _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone _____ Work Telephone _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Emergency Contacts

1. Name _____ Phone _____

Relationship _____

2. Name _____ Phone _____

Relationship _____

Fees

\$150 x _____ # of children enrolling = _____

I am contributing additional funds to help support the youth group = _____

Total # of children attending _____ Total due = _____

Although membership is vital to support the Youth Group, the Kehillah welcomes **every** post B'nei Mitzvah teen to take part in Youth Group activities, regardless of ability to join. However, non-members will be charged a fee to help pay for expenses incurred by the activity.

Name of 1st (oldest) child enrolling _____
 Birth Date _____ Hebrew Name _____
 Secular School _____ Grade for 2009-10 _____
 Physician's Name _____ Phone _____
 Current medical diagnoses/conditions _____
 Medications _____
 Allergies _____
 Other information we should know _____

Name of 2nd child enrolling _____
 Birth Date _____ Hebrew Name _____
 Secular School _____ Grade for 2009-10 _____
 Physician's Name _____ Phone _____
 Current medical diagnoses/conditions _____
 Medications _____
 Allergies _____
 Other information we should know _____

Emergency Information: In case of minor illness or injury of my child/ren at school, I give the staff permission to give basic first aid to my child. In case of major injury or illness, I understand that staff will make every effort to contact me. If they are unable to do so, I give permission for my child's physician and/or an ambulance to be contacted and for a physician to hospitalize and/or secure proper treatment for my child.

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Substance Abuse: I understand that no smoking, alcohol or drugs other than those prescribed by a licensed physician will be permitted at any Kehillah teen event. If my child is caught in possession of or using cigarettes, alcohol and/or drugs, I will be notified. If I am able to pick up my child, I will do so immediately. If not, my child will be sent home at my expense with an adult supervisor.

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Unacceptable Behavior: The Kehillah aims to provide a comfortable and safe space for all teens and staff. If my child exhibits aggressive behavior, is consistently disruptive or makes disparaging remarks towards staff or other teens, my child may be asked to leave the program. In cases of a teen leaving the program due to unacceptable behavior, there will be no fee reimbursement.

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____