

June 26, 2018

We hope this letter finds you well and enjoying the summer. We are busy preparing for the Yomim Noraim 5779, and are pleased to announce our plans for Yom Tov. After much discussion, the board decided to keep the price of the seats the same as last year to ensure affordability for our members.

As has been the case in recent years, we expect demand for seating to be at an all-time high. Given the expected increase in demand, chairs (both folding and regular) will be added to both the main shul and social hall to maximize seating. Space will be tight, but our main goal at this time is to accommodate the needs of our members for Yom Tov. Therefore, if you intend to be away for one of the Yom Tovim, please indicate so on the form.

Reminder that, like last year, we are planning a rebate of \$35 dollars per seat that is re-used for one of the Yom Tovim by the Seating committee. Seats will be chosen for rebates based upon the seating needs and a first come first serve basis for the offering of the seats.

Secondly, as in years past, we will not be sending out a formal mailing, so this email, the shul newsletter and shul announcements will be our only forms of communication regarding seating.

Thirdly, we will be applying a late fee for any seats requested after July 25th, to cover the additional administrative burdens.

Lastly, please understand that reservations cannot be accepted without full payment. You must drop off a check or present a printed copy of your credit card payment with your reservation. A reservation dropped off without payment will not be processed.

We will once again have 3 minyanim. The minyan schedules are as follows:

Main Shul: 8:00 a.m.
Beis Medrash: 8:00 a.m.
Social Hall: 7:30 a.m.

The following prices will apply:

Members: \$135 per seat
Associate Members: \$175 per seat
Non-Members: \$200 per seat

Requests for same seats will be given priority on a first come first served basis until July 25th, but cannot be guaranteed. Requests received after July 25th will not have priority for the same minyan as previous years. Non-members should submit seat requests prior to July 25th but they will only be processed afterwards to ensure members receive priority.

In order to purchase seats at the member rate, all financial obligations (including 2017-18 annual dues) must be met. For special arrangements, please contact Devora Weinstein

(devora.loike.weinstein@gmail.com) prior to the July 25th deadline.

Given the volume of requests, we cannot accept emailed reservation forms. Please either drop off in the designated box outside (PLEASE DO NOT RING BELL) or mail completed forms and payment to:

Avi Lopchinsky

254 Lakeview Terrace

Teaneck, NJ 07666

Drop off- Please put in marked box and write your name legibly on the sign-in.

Please note, reservation forms for groups will be sent in a separate email later this summer.

We look forward to a meaningful and enjoyable Yom Tov. Ksiva V'Chasima Tovah.

If anyone has any questions or comments, please feel free to contact any of us.

Sincerely,

David Schwartz,

President

Avi Lopchinsky

Chair, High Holiday Seating Committee

Seating Reservation Form

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Number of Men's Seats: _____ Number of Women's Seats: _____

Where would you prefer to Daven? Main Shul / Beis Medrash / Social Hall (circle one)

For the Main Shul (see chart below):

Men's Seating Area: _____ Women's Seating Area: _____

Note: If you are interested in buying seats in different places (BM/Main Shul/Social Hall), please fill out appropriate parts below.

Would you like the same seats as last year? Yes _____ No _____

*I will be away for Rosh Hashana _____ *I will be away for Yom Kippur _____

I want a rebate if my seats are used _____ Please keep the money as a donation _____

*Seats donated will retain priority for same seats in next year's seating arrangements.

PAYMENT

Main Shul

Number of Seats: _____ x \$135 / \$175 (assoc) = _____ (non-members x \$200 = _____)

BeisMedrash

Number of Seats: _____ x \$135 / \$175 (assoc) = _____ (non-members x \$200 = _____)

Social Hall

Number of Seats: _____ x \$135 / \$175 (assoc) = _____ (non-members x \$200 = _____)

Total Amount Enclosed: _____

Please make checks payable to the **Young Israel Of Teaneck**, and mail to:

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Main Shul Layout

