

# Women of B'nai Israel

Connecting, Giving, Growing, Having Fun....  
Renew or Join NOW!

**Who are we?** We are **Women of B'nai Israel**, a diverse group of women of all ages from our temple and community that provide personal and spiritual support and connections. We celebrate our Reform Jewish values and way of life. Active involvement in Women of B'nai Israel (WBI) allows members to bond with other women, nurture our own growth, celebrate our faith, and support our national affiliate, the Women of Reform Judaism, all while having fun together.

## Our Purpose:

- ❖ **Connecting** – We come together as a community with events such as the Rosh Hashanah Reception, Selichot Celebration, Passover Seder, and as women at WBI member-only events.
- ❖ **Giving** – We support the Congregation in numerous ways. WBI has made generous donations to the Capital Campaign, the playground, and the library. We have underwritten curriculum for special Religious School programs, we offer camperships to CBI youth, and we donate annually to the Confirmation Class trip to Israel.
- ❖ **Tikkun Olam** – We coordinate programs such as A Touch of Shabbat and Women Feed the Hungry, perform college outreach, and have a committee that pursues issues of social justice.
- ❖ **Growing** – We enrich lives, both young and old, through our Rosh Chodesh programs and Rosh Hodesh—It's a Girl Thing!

*Join us at our next gathering and feel the connection, caring and the compassion of all of those involved!*

If you would like to get involved please note that on the form below or contact:

**Jean Ismail** at (916) 923-1690 or at [jeanismail@earthlink.net](mailto:jeanismail@earthlink.net)

Please complete the form and mail it with your payment to: **Women of B'nai Israel, c/o Sandy Lee, 1900 Danbrook Dr., #612, Sacramento, CA 95835**

*I would like to:*     Renew    or     Join

Please select one:     Sarah    \$40        Judith    \$54        Esther    \$72        Miriam    \$108

First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (work/cell): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date (month and day): \_\_\_\_\_

I'm interested in (event or program): \_\_\_\_\_

*(See back of flyer for list of WBI committees & events)*

# ***What You Can Do.....***

“It takes a village...” applies as much to Women of B’nai Israel as anywhere.

*Please take a moment, read over the different committee titles and check which committee you would like to be involved in. Someone will give you a call.*

- Spiritual*** – (Rosh Chodesh, Shabbat, Prayer-writing, Retreat)
- Arts and Culture*** – (Dance, Film, Art, Literature, Crafts & Hobbies)
- Community Action / Social Justice*** – (Hunger, Reproductive Choice, Human Rights, HIV/AIDS, Peace, Environment)
- Health and Wellness*** – (Physical and Mental Health, Nutrition/Obesity, Children’s Health and Safety, Sacred Aging, Organ Donation)
- Temple Events*** – (Rosh Hashanah Reception, Selichot Dinner, Sukkah Decorating, Passover Seder, Youth Funds)
- Israel Connection*** – (Twining Project, Pen Pals)
- Nuts & Bolts*** – (Membership, Finance, Marketing, Communication, Leadership)

If you have other ideas, interests or projects that you are willing to chair/co-chair and believe Women of B’nai Israel should be involved in, please feel free to write them down on the reverse side of this form.

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