

Peninsula Havurah High (PHH)

Peninsula Havurah High, sponsored by the Bureau of Jewish Education, is the best place to continue your formal Jewish education and hang out with other Jewish teens. The Wednesday evening (6 - 8:30 p.m.) program includes dinner with friends, classes taught by Beth Am and other community clergy and educators, and closing ceremony. **To learn more and register, visit www.bjesf.org/teens.**

Other Learning Opportunities: Teens are welcome at Saturday morning Torah Study and any of Beth Am's Adult Education and Hebrew classes

Community Opportunities

There are always ways to get involved Jewishly outside of Beth Am! Check out some of these programs:



Diller Teen Fellows:

The Diller Teen Fellows is an innovative program for 11th graders designed to inspire leadership among Jewish youth. Focusing on social action, community involvement and Jewish learning, this year-long program includes a three-week summer seminar in Israel.

<http://www.sjfcf.org/diller/sanfrancisco/>

Jewish Community Teen Foundation:

JCTF participants engage in an in-depth examination of social justice issues and profound discussions of *tzedakah* and other Jewish values, and are given the unique opportunity to make collective decisions on grantmaking and actually give grants to organizations of their choice.

<http://www.sjfcf.org/endowment/grants/programs/teenfoundation/peninsula/default.asp>

Shalhevet: This is a 11th and 12th grade program with a class on the Holocaust and the genesis of the State of Israel, culminating in a two-week trip to Poland and Israel.

<http://www.hcnc.org/education/shalhevet.html>

Contact Information

Seriously, we really care about you. The clergy and educators at Beth Am want you to know that we want to hear from you. No issue is too big or too small. You can call us or email us or make an appointment to meet with us. Your lives, your health, and your well-being are really important to us. Please let us know if you need us.

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Being a Teen at Congregation Beth Am



Dear Beth Am Teens,

High school can be tough. What with classes, extracurriculars, standardized tests, college applications, and social obligations, it can be challenging to fit Beth Am into your schedule. We don't want you to lose touch with your Jewish identity and Jewish community. Beth Am has programs, old and new, that are both enriching and interesting to YOU. All of our high school programs are part of our new Beit Midrash Teen Program.

Navigating Beth Am's many programs can be a challenging labyrinth. The following is a guide to help you decide how to become involved at Beth Am in a way that speaks to your interests, passions, and busy schedules.

Please send us your updated email address to receive more information throughout the year, including "Notes from the Bat Cave," Beth Am's teen newsletter, which will tell you everything you will need to know about what's happening.



