

Kol Isha

The Women's Voice of Congregation Shaarei Kodish

19785-4 Hampton Drive

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Shalom,

I would like to introduce myself as your Kol Isha President. I joined Shaarei Kodesh two years ago when I was looking for a spiritual place to call home. I came from Buffalo New York where I was very active in both my Sisterhood as well as the Region Board. It was a natural for me to continue with my love of being involved with my synagogue doing what I do best, be involved with the women and Sisterhood, Kol Isha. I assumed the position as president last spring. I took on this position because I love what Women's League can offer us and what we can do for Shaarei Kodesh.

Our sisterhood is known as Kol Isha, the Women's Voice. As a sisterhood we are a nucleus of women who can secure the destiny of our future for us and our children. Our membership spans a wide range of interests, ages, and backgrounds but there is a common bond to keep our Judaism strong for our children, grandchildren and generations to come.

So, what does being a member of Kol Isha mean? Not only do we support the Jewish Theological Seminary in New York, Zeigler School in California, and Seminario Rabinico Latinoamericano in Buenos Aires S.A., the spiritual and academic centers of the Conservative Movement worldwide, but we are a vital part of our Synagogue. We present educational and stimulating programs that are relevant to Jewish women. We convey the religious teaching and values of Judaism. We encourage the performance of Mitzvot and Jewish observance in the home. In addition to our programs, we have contributed to various congregational programs with sweets and treats throughout the year as needed as well as contributions for flowers for the Bimah at the holidays. We recognize our children as they become B'nai Mitzvah. The more we grow, the more we can do! It's up to you!!!

Kol Isha welcomes your financial support as well as your ideas and talents. We want to know what we can do for you. We want all women of our congregation to feel ownership and be involved and we want to meet your needs. We want to hear from you about how the women's community of our synagogue can be nurtured. We are planning an exciting year and would love to have you join with us and invite you to become part of the women's voice of Shaarei Kodish, Kol Isha.

Remember: we are Women at all Ages and Women at all Stages!! I am looking for women who are will to join us as we continue our planning for the upcoming year and to become members of our Board. Please call me or contact me with an email to share your thoughts or willingness to work with me as we move forward.

Please join us by returning your check for dues today. We will make sure you are notified of our programs and events. I am looking forward to a wonderful new year.

L'hitraot,

Ellen Jadd, President Kol Isha

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Kol Isha Dues July 1, 2011 – June 30, 2012

Annual Dues: \$36.00

Donating as a Neshama, will help Kol Isha continue
with our various projects for our sisterhood and CSK.

Neshama: \$54.00

Name: _____

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Please make your check payable to:

Kol Isha CSK

Please mail this form and check to:

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Please fill out our membership form and return it along with this form.

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Membership Information (please print)

Name: _____

Contact information:

Telephone: Land _____ Cell: _____ e-mail: _____

We are forming our Kol Isha Board and Committees.

We have a need to fill the following positions immediately. Are you willing to chair or serve on a committee? As we grow we will be adding more board positions and committees. Is there something you can offer but don't see a place where your skills will work, we will find a committee where your skills will help out. We need all the help we can get. *Please return this form together with your dues registration to the synagogue office.*

Please Check where you can help!

Secretary: Corresponding, Recording

Education: Chair, Committee

Membership: Chair, Committee

Program: Chair, Committee

Sisterhood Shabbat: Chair, Committee, Participant

I don't know where I would fit the best but would like to help out on a committee as needed.

Volunteer Skills: Typing/computer, artistic, stuffing envelopes, running errands, setup and/or cleanup, telephone, helping in the kitchen.

Is there a special type of program you would like have on the Kol Isha calendar? What is it?
We are open for suggestions.

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