

## SISTERHOOD: WHO WE ARE

- We are a vibrant group of women whose ages range from 22 to 98. We are friends, confidantes, a support system for each other and family.
- We have the longest running Torah study class in the New Orleans area.
- Our programming is fun, thought-provoking, educational and interesting. We enjoy Wednesday morning Sisterhood classes, hamantashen baking, brunches, game nights, lunches, book reviews, dinners and panel discussions on topics ranging from parenting, human trafficking, testing for children/teens, and Zionism.
- We participate in a yearly Torah Fund campaign which supports the Jewish Theological Seminary where our rabbis and many of our professional Jewish educators receive their education.
- History: Through our fundraisers which included Nearly New, Mitzvah Donor events, calendar/directory publications and Matanati projects (individuals contributing a percentage of funds raised from their special interests), we have provided monies for the sculpture above the ark in the sanctuary, machzors (Rosh Hashana/Yom Kippur prayer books), synagogue tree plantings, kitchen renovations and building a new playground furnished with new equipment.
- We remodeled and furnished the Beit Midrash.
- Monies we raise also support our religious school in the form of a **\$15,000** grant and scholarships. Stipends are provided to Shir Chadash children and teens who attend Camp Ramah Darom, USY/Kadima programs and conventions. Each Bat/Bar Mitzvah receives a voucher redeemable for a USY regional convention registration fee. Holiday care packages are sent to our college/graduate students. Our future is our children. An investment in them is an investment in our future.

All we're missing is **YOU!**

Join us for our **61<sup>st</sup>** year of scintillating, meaningful programs.

Dear Friends,

After reading **SISTERHOOD: WHO WE ARE**, you're probably asking yourself "How can I become a member of this exciting group of women and support the wonderful work we'll be doing?" Listed below are several available options. Please choose several!

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| 1. Join Sisterhood. Dues are   | \$ 36.00     |
| 2. Place L'Shana Tova greetings in the directory.  | \$ 18.00     |
| 3. Sponsor a page in the directory.  | \$ 20.00     |
| 4. Place a business card ad in the directory.<br>(not available this year)                               | \$ 25.00     |
| 5. Purchase a Torah Fund pin.<br>(monthly installment plan available;<br>Check(s) payable to Torah Fund) | \$180.00     |
| 6. Attend Torah Fund Brunch.   | \$ 18.00     |
| 7. Contribute to the Sisterhood Endowment Fund.<br>(Any amount appreciated and tax deductible.)          | \$\$\$\$\$\$ |
| 8. Join the Sisterhood Chai Club.<br>(May be paid in installments.)                                      | \$180.00     |

**Most importantly – attend Sisterhood programs!**

Questions? Contact Charisse Sands via phone, text or e-mail (Sisterhood in subject line) at 504-231-6464 or [annsands@aol.com](mailto:annsands@aol.com)

**Men are also invited to monetarily support & attend programs!**

## SHIR CHADASH SISTERHOOD

*We Unite and Strengthen Jewish Women Through Friendship, Education, and Service to Ensure the Continuity of Jewish Life. Join the Women Who Make a Difference!*

Your membership dues of **\$36.00** for **2020 – 2021**

- Enable Sisterhood to continue its important work of supporting Shir Chadash youth throughout the year.
- Include an invaluable synagogue directory.

Join **Sisterhood** and make it important to you. **You** are important to **Sisterhood!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_

Interests in activities/programming \_\_\_\_\_

Expertise/Background in \_\_\_\_\_

**I would like to give the gift of a Sisterhood membership.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address/City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Dues may be paid online on Chaverware or [www.shirchadash.org](http://www.shirchadash.org) or by check payable to **Shir Chadash Sisterhood** and mailed to:

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