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Beth Tikvah High Holidays Security Protocol

We are delighted to welcome you back to the synagogue for the High Holidays! We are doing our best to ensure a safe and sacred experience for all. This means that the social hall will be open to ensure extra spacing, masks are welcome, hand sanitizer will be readily available, and most importantly, we ask that you ensure you are feeling well before coming to synagogue. If you are not feeling well or showing any symptoms of COVID-19, please stay home and join us through Zoom.

This is an exciting time and truthfully, we need one another. We need to be together, and we need to help keep one another safe. This idea extends well beyond COVID measures. We ask that you take the time to familiarize yourself with the following security protocols. Out of concern for both the environment and your safety, these measures will take the place of physical tickets this year.

- During all services, we will position security guards and Beth Tikvah greeters (with greeter tags) around the building. Please do not hesitate to approach a guard or a greeter should you have any questions / concerns.
- Building access will only be through the **back door and** require members to use their **key fob**.
 - In case of a lost or stolen key fob, contact the office as soon as possible. The fob will be deactivated, and we will issue you a new one.
 - Should you arrive without your key fob, the security guard will verify the name on your picture ID against the membership list. **You will not be able to enter the building** without a functioning key fob or picture ID that matches the membership list.
- Guests must pre-register by calling the office and bringing a picture ID.
- Members must not hold the door open for others. This is essential for the safety of all, and for the security team to do their job effectively.
- External building doors should not be propped open. Exceptions as required, for specific circumstances, with someone at/near the door.
- We ask that children attending services access the playground and return to the building through the southwest sanctuary doors unless under the supervision of one of our childcare providers from a back room.
- Maintain your situational awareness and be aware of your surroundings when arriving. Report any concerns or suspicious activity to the security guard or greeter immediately, or in the case of emergency, call 911.

Thank you in advance for your support in helping Beth Tikvah create a safe and uplifting environment for the High Holidays.

Please don't hesitate to contact the office with questions or concerns.

Shana tova to you and your family.

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