Beth Emet Community Retreat: Frequently Asked Questions

Join us for a special all-ages Beth Emet community retreat at Olin-Sang-Ruby Union Institute Camp (OSRUI) in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin! Enjoy a meaningful weekend of Shabbat, Jewish connection, creativity, and fun surrounded by beautiful winter scenery.

Where and when is the retreat?

The retreat takes place at OSRUI in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin.

- Friday, January 29: Check-in at 5:00 pm; candle-lighting and dinner at 6:30 pm.
- Sunday, January 31: The retreat concludes at 11:00 am following breakfast and a closing activity.

Who can attend?

Everyone! This all-ages retreat welcomes the entire Beth Emet community, whether you've been a member for years or are new to the congregation.

What will we do during the weekend?

There will be something for everyone! Activities include Shabbat worship, communal meals, singing, music and jamming, art-making, learning, outdoor activities, and plenty of time to relax and connect.

Who will lead the programming?

Our staff! Rabbi Immerman will lead learning opportunities, and Cantor Young will lead us in song.

Will there be activities for children and families?

Yes! Elementary and middle school children will enjoy a mix of structured and unstructured activities, with opportunities for families to participate together. There will also be time for intergenerational play and connection.

Will there be programming for adults?

Absolutely! Once children are settled for the evening, parents can enjoy special evening programming of their own.

How much does the retreat cost?

The early bird registration rate (15% discount) is $520. Regular registration is $599.

What is included in registration?

Housing, meals, activities, and plenty of fun!

What are the registration deadlines?

- November 30: Early bird registration deadline.
- December 31: Final registration deadline.

Who can I contact with questions?

Contact Debbie Siegel-Acevedo (dsiegelacevedo@bethemet.org)