

OHEV SHALOM KADIMA CODE OF CONDUCT

(All groups are part of the USY organization)

As a Kadimanik, or guest attending a synagogue sponsored event, I promise that I will uphold the standards of USY. I will respect others and myself. I understand that if I fail to abide by the standards set forth below that disciplinary action may be instituted. Accordingly, I acknowledge that I have reviewed and agree to the following rules of conduct:

1. Under no circumstances, will I violate any civil or criminal law, including but not limited to, those specific rules set forth below.

The rules set forth below are illustrations of the above and are included as examples to specifically warn that conduct which might be condoned elsewhere shall not be condoned here. They shall not be deemed to limit the above general rule.

- 1.1. Under no circumstances will I possess or use tobacco of any kind
 - 1.2. Under no circumstances will I possess or use illegal drugs of any kind.
 - 1.3. Under no circumstances will I possess or use any drugs not prescribed specifically for me.
 - 1.4. Under no circumstances will I possess or use alcohol at any function.
 - 1.5. Under no circumstances will I possess or use any type of weapon or firearm.
 - 1.6. I will not engage in any action that may be perceived by reasonable persons to be sexually harassing in nature.
 - 1.7. I will refrain from engaging in inappropriate physical contact. I will not enter a room designated or assigned for exclusive use by members of the opposite sex.
2. Congregation Ohev Shalom, USY, Kadima, our Jewish community and the Jewish people as a whole have a history of strength from their unified front and each individual's support of each other. To continue this tradition, I pledge that I will not take actions that are intended to hurt any other participant or lower his/her self-esteem. I will instead bolster each member of our group to support an ever-stronger community.
 3. I will use only approved Kadima/USY transportation during any Kadima/USY event. I understand that no USYer or Kadimanik may ride in a car driven by a (USY or non-USY) high school student during any event.
 4. I will observe the religious policies established by the United Synagogue of Conservative Judaism.
 5. I will attend and participate in the event in its entirety unless excused in advance by the Youth Director. In order to be excused early by the Youth Director, I must provide a signed form from a parent or guardian and an indication that the parent accepts responsibility for me once I have been excused.

OFFENSES MAY RESULT IN MY BEING SENT HOME / REMOVED FROM OFFICE AND / OR BARRED FROM ATTENDING FUTURE LOCAL / REGIONAL / NATIONAL EVENTS.

USYer/Kadimanik Signature

Date

Parent / Guardian Signature

RELEASE: My son/daughter _____ has my permission to participate in all Youth activities s/he chooses to attend and to be supervised by the synagogue Youth Director. I release Congregation Ohev Shalom, the Youth Director, and the Officers and Members of the Board of Directors of Congregation Ohev Shalom from any legal responsibility my son/daughter might have for destruction of synagogue property, or injury to self or others, whether such injury occurred intentionally, negligently or accidentally during synagogue sponsored youth events.

Parent / Guardian Signature

Date