

2024 B'nai Jeshurun Annual Meeting

Schedule B

Election of Trustees

Nomination of Trustees for Initial 3-year Term

Rachel Park
Dava Schub
Carol Smokler

Nomination of Trustees for 2nd 3-year Term

Don Fishbein Michael Geller Yosef Riemer Dana Trobe



Proposed New Board Members Recommended by the Nominating Committee and the Board of Trustees

Rachel Park

Rachel joined BJ in 2018, along with her husband, Seth, after moving to the Upper West Side in 2017.

Rachel is a skilled strategic facilities planner. Her expertise is in facilitating discussions and developing analyses to inform strategies and business operations and people-oriented decision making. She has a career's worth of experience within major corporations and architecture and engineering firms. Currently, she is a consulting director at Cushman & Wakefield, working with brokers to support tenant transactions.

Rachel participates in BJ's annual Holy Rollers group and is a member of the Building
Committee. In December 2022, Rachel started a project to photograph all the headstones at
Beth Olom cemetery in Brooklyn. This cemetery is shared by BJ, Congregation Sherith Israel, and Shaaray Tefila. The
project took 18 months to complete, and the plot records including the headstone photos are now accessible at Billion
Graves and Find a Grave.

Rachel received a BS degree from Cornell University in Design and Environmental Analysis. During her junior year abroad, she met Seth while studying at Tel Aviv University.

Rachel and Seth's move to the Upper West Side, after no longer needing to be in the suburbs, has been a dream come true—and BJ is a big part of that. Rachel and Seth's daughter, Abby, is also a member of BJ. Their son, Solomon, and his wife, Hannah, live in Boston.

Dava Schub

Dava Schub has 30 years of experience leading and growing cultural organizations and nonprofits. Dava is the CEO of the Children's Museum of Manhattan, prior to which she served in a variety of leadership roles at the JCC in NYC, Connecticut, Virginia, and Washington D.C.

Dava served for more than a decade as the co-chair of the BJ/SPSA shelter on Manhattan's Upper West Side, and serves on the boards of directors of West Side Campaign Against Hunger and JCC Global. She received her BA from University of Wisconsin-Madison, and Masters from Yeshiva University School, School of Social Work, with a focus on community organizing.

And Dava is mom to Benna (almost 13 years old), who has joyfully bounced her way through the aisle of BJ since she was a baby!





Carol Smokler

Carol Shalita Smokler, along with her husband, Irv Smokler, have been out-of-town members and supporters of BJ for close to 20 years. They live in Florida and the Berkshires, but spend much time in NYC. Carol participated in BJ's civil rights trip in 2019 and, since the pandemic, Carol and Irv have been able to participate regularly online.

Carol is a retired psychologist, who has been an active member of the Jewish community for many years. She has served on the Board of the Jewish Agency for Israel, chaired the JFNA Emergency Committee, and Partnership 2000, as well as serving as President of JFNA's National Women's Philanthropy. She was a member of the Hillel International Board of Directors and Executive Committee for 12 years and continues to serve on Hillel's Board of Governors. She continues to serve on the Executive Committee of her local Jewish Federation in South Palm Beach County as well as the Board of Directors of the Jewish



