



January 2013
Teves 5773

Dear Shaarei Tefillah Congregant

As we enter into the eighth year of Shaarei Tefillah, we can be extremely proud of our Kehillah's achievements over the past year.

B'H, as a result of the tireless work of Rabbi Berlin, our daily Minyonim have continued to strengthen. The learning in our Beis Medrash has also shown significant growth over the past year. With the start of our daily Daf HaYomi shiur taking place before shacharis, as well as regular chavrusas, Shaarei is continuing to build its reputation as a real מקום תורה. We have also seen a significant growth in our library, including a new children's library.

The growth of 'Shaarei Youth' has also added tremendous ruach to our Shul. Much of this is only due to the hard work of our youth director Rabbi Binny Fogelgarn. We wish him much continued success.

Over the past year Shaarei Tefillah had the opportunity to host a number of world class international speakers. These included: Rabbi Kelemen, Rabbi Kaplan and Rabbi Becher. We look forward to bringing more overseas Rabbis in the coming year.

Shaarei Tefillah has also hosted many successful and enjoyable family events. These include; the Chanukah BBQ, Simchas Torah lunch, Purim functions and our Annual Melava Malka. We thank the events committee for all the effort they have put in to make these events such a success.

Shaarei Tefillah's ongoing running costs have increased due to the growth of our Kehillah. These include: Salaries, Kiddushim, Shalosh Seudos, Youth Projects and other expenses. Shaarei Tefillah also funded JLC projects organised in Melbourne. We have only been able to maintain this through the financial support of our congregants, for which we are most grateful.

FOST - Friends of Shaarei Tefillah

Our major source of income is through the FOST donations. We now encourage you to join FOST for 2013. We have attached the form which sets out the various contribution options and payment arrangements available.

Please Note – FOST members will receive priority in regards to Yom Tov seats.

Your cooperation in promptly returning your forms together with payment, by 31st January 2013, would be greatly appreciated. As mispallelim of Shaarei Shul, we all use of the services provided and therefore, wherever possible we should financially support Shaarei Tefillah.

If you have any questions or queries please contact me on 0402 238 423 or accounts@shaarei-tefillah.com alternatively you can contact the office on office@shaarei-tefillah.com.

Thank you for your continued support.

Antony Ossip
Finance Committee



Shaarei Tefillah 2013 FOST Form

Thank you for supporting Shaarei Tefillah in the past, both financially and by attending shiurim and davening with us. Although we understand that each person would like to contribute in their own way, at this time we are asking for a minimum contribution of \$800 per family. As the FOST contribution is a major source of funds for Shaarei Tefillah, we would greatly appreciate donations in excess of the \$800 per family so that we can continue to improve the educational programs and facilities for both children and adults.

Name:	
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Contribution Amount:	\$
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Payment by:

☐ Cheque (Please attach)

Cheques to be made out to:
Jewish Learning Centre or Shaarei Tefillah

☐ Direct Deposit

Deposit into the Shaarei Tefillah Account:
BSB: 063 104 Acc Number: 1028 7204

Direct deposit into the JLC bank Account:
BSB: 032 053 Acc No: 184161
Please notify us by email to:
accounts@shaarei-tefillah.com
This payment will be tax deductible.

☐ Credit card - JLC only
(Full amount or quarterly payments only.
Complete credit card details below)

☐ Cash

Please give all cash to Antony Ossip, Adam Goldberger
or John Fleischmann, or deliver it to 1/48 Carrington
Grove, St Kilda East

Credit Card: Complete details below. Four equal installments on:
15th Feb 2013, 15th May 2013, 15th August 2013 and 15th November 2013
 Details must be provided no later than 31st January 2013

Credit Card details

I authorise Shaarei Tefillah/JLC to charge my credit card as per dates above. (VISA or MasterCard only)

Name on credit card:		
Please circle	One Payment 15 th Feb	Quarterly as above

Card number:																			
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Expiry date:			/			Security Code: _____ (usually on reverse of card)
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Please tick card type: ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard

Signature:		Date:	/	/2013
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Please return the completed form no later than 31st January 2013.

Forms may be emailed to accounts@shaarei-tefillah.com or given to Antony, Adam or John.

Prompt payment would be appreciated.

It would be of great benefit to the Shul and much appreciated, if payments could be made to Shaarei Tefillah. Payments to Shaarei Tefillah are not Tax Deductible

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