

Seattle Jewish Seniors

Monthly Social Events

Every month we have up to a dozen different programs and events: nature walks, museum programs, trips, Birthday Bash, and more!

Bi-Monthly Meetings

One Friday every other month, right after Current Events with Jacob Bolotin, we meet to plan upcoming SJS events, and are always open to new ideas.

TBA Senior Rides Program

This program is for any seniors who have been unable to come to evening events at Temple Beth Am because they do not have access to transportation or do not feel comfortable driving at night.

Seniors are eligible for one free evening taxi ride per person, each month, to attend an evening Shabbat service, holiday celebration, lecture, or committee meeting. Requests must be made at least three days in advance of event.

To reserve, contact Alexis Kort, TBA's Director of Community Engagement, at 206-525-0915 or alexis@templebetham.org.



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**Strengthening our
senior community
for over 20 years!**



Seattle Jewish Seniors (SJS) is the type of group social scientists describe favorably, and gerontologists prescribe as a regimen as necessary as medications: we are an active and social group.

SJS was formed over 20 years ago by a vibrant group of retirees who live in the greater Seattle area, but come from different regions of the United States and have had different life experiences.

We operate informally: there are no dues, we are all volunteers, and we are all leaders. Committees are ad-hoc, staffed by member/volunteers, and facilitated by alternating members. Temple Beth Am (TBA) generously provides space and staff support, but membership in TBA is not required: *everyone is welcome!*

Activities

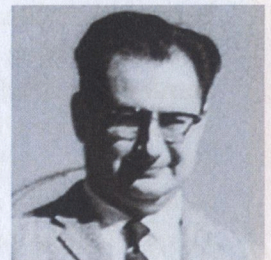
Members develop, plan, coordinate, and promote all activities of the SJS's program. Planning Meetings are held every other month, generally on the last Friday. All members are encouraged to attend and submit their ideas.

Regularly scheduled activities include Schmoozes, Schmovies, or Schmusics at members homes; Birthday Bashes at area restaurants; and Current Events with Jacob Bolotin at Temple Beth Am. Weather permitting we also schedule outdoor activities, as well as trips to museums, parks, hikes, and other interesting destinations in the area.



Heinz Schwartz Fund

Seattle Jewish Seniors have been blessed: one of our past members, Holocaust Survivor Heinz Schwartz, was an enthusiastic participant in our activities, and he designated SJS as one of ten community organizations who are beneficiaries of his estate.



Adult Education

SJS regularly sponsors popular lectures at Temple Beth Am: Professor Theodore Deacon, a well-known musicologist offers multi-media presentations about Jewish composers of Broadway and cinema; and David Domke, Chairman of the UW Communications Department, had a popular series on American politics.