

Social Events

Through out the year, we have a variety of different social events, some of these include:

- Welcome Ice Cream Social
- Bagle Brunches
- Lazer Tag
- Movie Nights
- Bowling
- Roller & Ice Skating

Community Service

Hillel Members Samara Silverman, Elizabeth Feinstein, Jamie Schenker volunteer pack packing food for the hungary.



Every year we choose an organization to raise money for through fund raisers and events. Some organizations we have chosen are Ohel, Project Elijah, and Chi Life Line. We also volunteer through out the community with Kids Against Hunger, Habitat for Hummanity, and helping our fellow Students.

The Jewish Experience



Hillel Members Oliver Housman and Samara Silverman work on making their own Shofar!

Hillel is a great way to meet new people and have fun being Jewish at Drake. Here are some examples of what we do:

- Shabbat Dinners
- High Holiday Meals and Rides
- Pizza in the Hut for Sukkot
- Hanukkah Party
- Shabbatons with Other Schools
- Educational Events/Discussions
- Passover Seders

“Drake Hillel really means a lot to me... It’s always nice to have someone you can relate to nearby!”
-Aliza Rosenthal



Who We Are

“Drake University Hillel’s mission is to enrich the lives of Jewish undergraduate and graduate students on and around campus through education and involvement. Hillel student leaders and members are dedicated to creating a welcoming environment for all Jewish students. Hillel helps students find a way to bring Judaism to campus life both religiously and socially.”
-Drake University Hillel Mission Statment



The Drake University chapter of Hillel is unique, as it is completely student-run. A executive board consisting of eight members oversees all of the planning and preparation for our events.

We have a prominent prsence in both Drake campus life, as well as the Jewish community in Des Moines. Everyone is welcome to join Hillel and participate in our events.

Jewish Life in Des Moines

Local Synagogues are always welcoming Drake students to services and events on a regular basis.



Temple B'nai Jeshurun - *Reform*
(515) 274-4679
www.templebnaijeshurun.org
Rabbi David Kaufman



Tifereth Israel - *Conservative*
(515) 255-1137
www.tifereth.org
Rabbi Steven Edelman-Blank



Beth El Jacob - *Orthodox*
(515) 274-1551
www.betheljacob.org
Rabbi Aaron Schwartzbaum



Lubavitch of Iowa - *Chabad*
(515) 277-1718
jrcspark@msn.com
Rabbi Yossi Jacobson



Jewish Federation of
Greater Des Moines
(515) 277-6321
www.jewishdesmoines.org



Maccabee's Kosher Deli
1150 Polk Blvd.
(515) 277-1718
Rabbi Yossi Jacobson, Owner

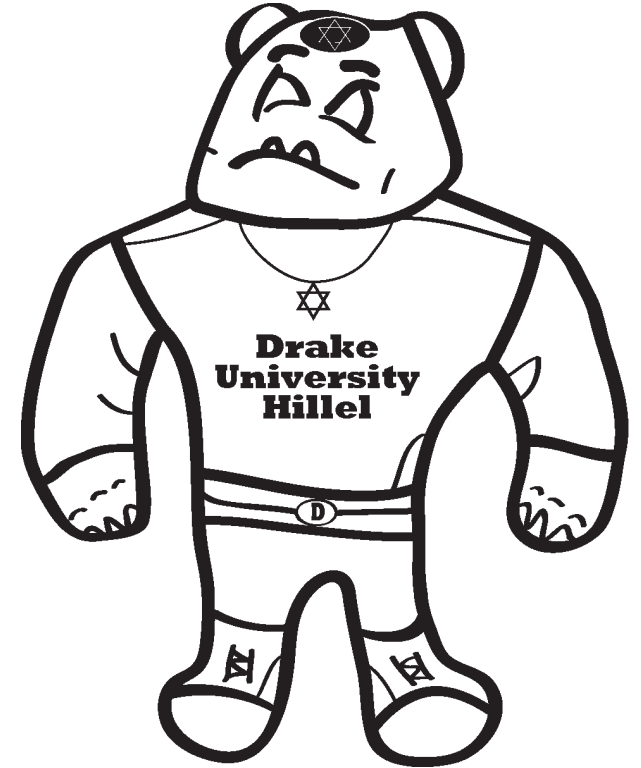


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the Soref Initiative of the national
Hillel organization, known as
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