

**Mission Statement:** We pledge to maintain, update, and improve the Kedma website through innovative ideas and community support. We will strive to create a website which is relevant, useful, and intuitive while providing greater access to information and foster community involvement and pride.

**Member Rights and Responsibilities:** Members may join the committee as walk-on members until such time the committee reaches a critical mass of 12 (including the chair). After this point members can join by submitting to the Committee Chair an application and resume.

Committee members will be required to attend Kedma events, assist in taking photographs, and participate in website coding, editing and maintenance. Picture taking responsibilities will be waived if members are unable to operate a digital camera. The technical skills involved in these tasks are essential and it is expected that committee members will teach, learn, and collaborate with other members of the committee in order to actively participate in the committee. Collaboration with members of other Kedma committees is recommended but not required.

If at any time a committee member has a conflict (personal, work related, emotional, biological, mental, or spiritual) he/she may present the chair with a notarized letter of resignation delivered electronically or by USPS (UPS and FedEx not allowed) which will represent a weeks notice until termination of their responsibilities. If at any point a majority of committee members find issue with the behavior, participation, or disposition, they may be politely asked to resign, effective immediately, with the possibility of reinstatement only after a thorough review of the person's infractions by the remaining committee members.

**Committee Chair Selection Process:** The Technical Committee Chair position will go up for general election in the community once a year during the Fall semester to be installed for the beginning of the Spring semester, or if at any point the Committee Chair cannot perform his responsibilities- in which case a special election will be held. Possible reasons include, but are not limited to: being overworked by Kedma Executive Board, too much classwork, or extended sickness. The new Committee Chair will take charge the Shabbat immediately following the special election.

#### **History of Technical Committee Chairs:**

- Avi Weinstein
- Josh Nehrer
- Akiva Futter (Spring 2013- Fall 2014)
- Amos Remer (Spring 2015- present)