

*KI is the  
place for kids!*

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2022-2023

ALL Program

Offerings for

K - 12th Graders!

*A unique, comprehensive, Youth Group  
program geared toward the lives of  
Jewish kids, loaded with relevant content,  
and a tight-knit community.*

- Grades 7-12

+ **CLUB KIFTY!**

- Grades K-6

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## What is KIFTY?

KI offers family services, different types of family social programming each year, as well as youth group experiences:

**Club KIFTY** provides our K-6 aged students with Friday night and Sunday afternoon programming run by our teens and, under the direction of Lee Slobotkin, our Youth Engagement Coordinator.

**KIFTY:** Our senior youth group for grades 8-12 offers leadership development opportunities and social events. This unique program combines hanging with your friends and incredible activities like escape rooms, live theatre, social action programs, and much more! KIFTY creates a fun, comfortable atmosphere, while engaging members to dig deeper, and have a more spiritually fulfilling experience.

KIFTY is a member of **NFTY** Pennsylvania Area Region enabling KI teens to participate in regional and national events. NFTY is our regional youth group. Participants build friendships, lifelong Reform Jewish identities, and leadership skills through community building, worship, social action, and experiential youth-led programming. Weekend retreats happen throughout the year and we encourage all students to attend. **Scholarships are available upon request for all programs.**

Youth Groups are run by Lee Slobotkin, KI's Youth Engagement & Creative Director. A proud member of our congregation and Broadway alumnus, Lee has a wealth of experience working with children and teens in an informal Jewish setting. They can be reached by emailing [kifty@jquest.org](mailto:kifty@jquest.org)

To learn more about KIFTY's events & to register, visit [kenesethisrael.org/KIFTY](https://kenesethisrael.org/KIFTY)

# KIFTY 22-23 CALENDAR

All dates and events are subject to change. Please check [kenesethisrael.org/Calendar](https://kenesethisrael.org/Calendar) for updates.

## SEPTEMBER

Sun. 11 JQuest Begins  
Tues. 13 Quest Noar Begins  
Sun. 18 Shofar on the Roof/  
Opening Bash\*\*\* 🎉🍏🍯

## OCTOBER

Fri. 21 Family Shabbat led by 6th  
Grade & Help Out w/ Hamotzi\*\*\* 🍷🥰

## NOVEMBER

7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat~  
Thu-Sun 3-6 Etgar36 - Atlanta, GA  
& Selma, AL (Civil Rights Journey)

## DECEMBER

Fri. 16 Hanukkah Shabbat  
followed by 🕯️💖  
Hanukkah Party 🎉 & Super Oneg!

## JANUARY

Sun. 15 MLK Learning & Service  
Fri. 20 Family Shabbat led by 5th  
Grade followed by Movie Night\*\*\* 🍿🎥

## FEBRUARY

Fri. 17 Family Shabbat led by 4th 🏰  
Grade followed by KI Behind the Scenes\*\*\*  
10<sup>th</sup> Grade Retreat~  
Fri-Mon 24-27 L'Taken - Washington, DC

## MARCH

Sun. 5 Purim Carnival\*\*  
Mon. 6 Purim Spiel\*  
Fri. 17 Family Shabbat led by 2nd &  
3rd Grade followed by Game Night\*\*\* 🎴🎮  
Sun. 26 Culinary Adventure! 🍳🍷

## APRIL

Sun. 16 New York City Trip\* 🗽🎭  
Fri. 21 Civil Rights Journey Shabbat  
Sun. 30 Spring Celebration 🍷🏃

## MAY

Sun. 7 Klds Got Talent\*\*\* 🎨🎤  
Tues. 16 KIFTY Board Elections\*  
Fri. 19 KIFTY Family Shabbat\*\*\*  
Sun. 21 Phillies Game\* 🍷🏈



\*KIFTY only  
\*\*Club KIFTY only  
\*\*\*All Ages