

Questions for Power Breakfast on January 10, 2016 (select a few for discussion)

1. What have you found the most effective way to recruit as new members men who are not otherwise actively involved in your synagogue? What works and what does not work for your club?

2. What you have done to encourage your synagogue professional staff and your synagogue Board of Trustees to support the growth of your club? If so, how has the professional staff and Board responded?

3. Have you engaged in any efforts to collaborate on programs or fundraising with other arms of the synagogue such as the Sisterhood, USY, Hazak, or any Social Action Committee? If so, please describe these efforts and the outcome of these efforts.

4. Has your club conducted any programs or hosted any speakers with respect to Israel Affairs?

What role can your club play in reaching out to people in your congregation and the greater community on Israel related issues.

5. What role does your club play in Keruv (outreach) activities within your congregation? Can your club play a greater role?

6. What can your club do to help ensure the viability and vitality of your

congregation and Jewish life in your community (beyond the walls of your congregation)?

7. What does your club do to help retain the involvement and support of club leaders after they have completed their term of service as a club officer?

8. Does your club have a visible presence beyond your synagogue? Does it get involved in activities beyond the synagogue, in the greater Jewish community, or in the wider area? Would this be helpful to recruit unaffiliated Jews? Would it be helpful in ensuring better relations with our non-Jewish fellow citizens of all different backgrounds?

9. What does your club do to provide diverse programming that will appeal to men of different ages, interests and backgrounds? How do you strike a proper balance for your congregation and community?

10. What do you find effective in recruiting potential new leaders ?