

The Beis Community Alcohol Policy

A core value of the Beis Community is creating a safe home. The Beis community takes seriously its commitment to the safety and security of each and every member and participant who walks in the door. As such, we see the need to establish guidelines as to the use and distribution of alcohol at the Beis during regular Shabbat activity and other events.

- The use of alcohol at Beis events is permitted.
- Participants are asked to act responsibly and know their own limits about alcohol use.
- In accordance with NY State Law, participants under the age of 21 are not permitted to drink alcohol.

Guidelines for the Core Team

- The Board of the Beis is legally responsible for the health, safety, and security of people who enter the building.
- Therefore the Board requests that the CT notify them a week before an event (outside of regularly scheduled Kiddush) if alcohol will be served.
- Any sale of alcohol must be approved by the board.
- CT needs to communicate to the Board
 - how alcohol is being served
 - who is monitoring people's consumption
 - who will appropriately store and manage leftovers (or remove it from the event if needed); this can be delegated later, or on site, but the Board would like to be informed who is taking responsibility for this item, and that there is a plan in place.