

Welcome Letter

Guys,

We are extremely excited you will be joining us for the 2018 FJMC Regional Retreat! This will prove to be an excellent time to leave your work, daily routine and normal day-to-day activities behind and jump into what will prove to be a very meaningful experience. We will all take a deep breath and chill and get to know ourselves, each other and Judaism in a more meaningful way. There will be camaraderie with old and new friends, excellent kosher cuisine, learning, card-playing, football watching, sharing favorite beverages and of course davening in traditional ways, as well as in new alternative ways. A number of your brothers have been working behind the scenes during the last several months in order to provide an experience you will take with you well beyond the weekend.

Here are the Basics:

Retreat Begins and Finishes:

Friday October 26, 2018 at 3 pm.

Sunday October 28, 2018 at 11am.

Location:

Oglebay Resort and Conference Center

465 Lodge Dr. Wheeling, WV 26003 1.800.724.1686

Suggestion: Put this address into your phone's GPS (google maps, etc.) and be sure to print out the directions before leaving since you may not have cell phone service.

Cost:

The total cost per man is only \$185, due in part to the support of your Region. Additionally, many Clubs are offering extra support. Checks should be made out to FJMC-KIO Region Retreat. Mostly everything is included in this one charge; lodging for two nights, all kosher meals during the entire time, bedding and towels.

Please plan on bringing your favorite beverage to share with others, some additional pareve snacks if you like, personal items, tefillin, tallis and yarmulkes if you choose and if you have a couple of extra folding chairs, that would be very helpful. Each Club is asked to bring at least two bottles of wine. Also, you may want to bring some cash for playing poker and there will be an assortment of FJMC books and guides available for sale after Shabbat.

Questions: Feel free to contact Karl Rubin or Henry Leopold anytime:

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