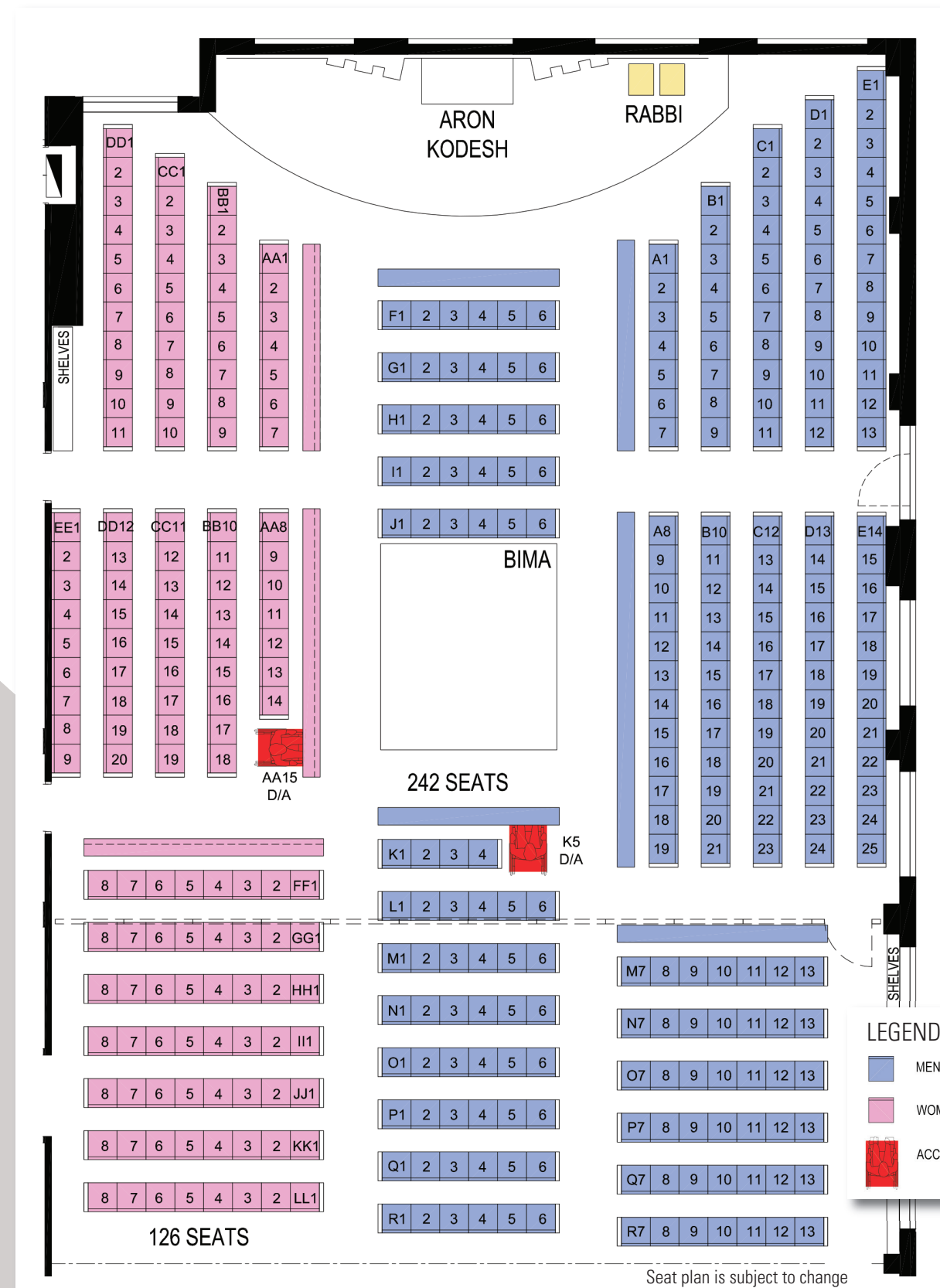


Seating Plan



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Blake Street Shule Announces

Seat Acquisition Program



Dear Member

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This month, Blake Street celebrates its 18th anniversary. As part of this milestone, I am delighted to announce the launch of the Shule's seat acquisition program.

This program is set to change the way the Shule looks.

The Shule is committed to acquiring new, hand crafted seats which will greatly improve the Shule's aesthetics. The seats will be from Kibbutz Lavi, which is well known and has made chairs for a number of other shules in Melbourne.

Features of the new seats include the following:

- Crafted wooden exteriors
- Fabric seats
- Arm rests
- Storage areas for siddurim etc

The Shule is requesting donations of \$5,000 per seat. In recognition of these donations, the Shule will place your name or the name of the person you would like to honour or remember on the back of a chair, which you can choose. This can become "your seat" for the lifetime of your membership. You will not be moved from this seat unless you give consent (which will only be requested in rare circumstances e.g. to accommodate new family members of those sitting close by).

The full terms and conditions on which these donations are made are available at the Shule office and on the website.

Why new seats?

Following the planning day held last year, your committee considered the need for permanent seats. It was thought appropriate to install these seats for the following reasons:

- Improved aesthetics
- Better noise control and acoustics
- Improved security arrangements
- Better reflect the maturity and permanence of the Shule

We are asking for the requested donation to be paid over 5 years at \$83 per month, although this is flexible. A 10% discount is available if the donation is fully paid prior to installation, which is expected to be around August 2014.

Please note that unless sufficient funds are raised, these seats will not be installed.

You will not be charged if they are not installed.

We will be happy to discuss with you the ability to claim a tax deduction for your donation towards these seats.

Your donation will help the Shule install beautiful, permanent seats, secure a permanent legacy, and help reduce existing debt so that valuable resources can be used to provide better services to members.

We look forward to your support.



Eugene Berkovic

President | February 2014

Application Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Number of seats required: _____

Preferred seat numbers (refer attached seating plan)

Male/Female	Preferred Seat Number	Name on Seat

☐ I hereby agree to donate \$5,000 per seat at the rate of \$83 per month, commencing August 2014

☐ I hereby agree to donate \$5,000 per seat requested at the rate of \$ _____ commencing August 2014

☐ I hereby agree to donate \$5,000 per seat requested, less 10% discount, prior to August 2014.

CREDIT CARD DETAILS

Name: _____

Card Number: _____ Exp: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

☐ By signing this application form, I agree to make my donation and use the seat in accordance with the full terms and conditions.

SUMMARY OF KEY TERMS

These are only a summary of the terms - please ensure you read the full terms and conditions which are available at the shule office and on the website.

1. Donations may be paid as a lump sum or by instalments.
2. Members who donate the full price of the seat prior to installation will receive a 10% discount.
3. All donations are in addition to annual membership fees and seat rental fees.
4. Due to the cost of manufacturing and importing the seats:
 - (a) we cannot offer any refund for donations already received, other than if the seats are not installed; and
 - (b) other than in exceptional circumstances, members who make donations in instalments are required to donate the full amount of the requested donation, even if they cease to be a member.
5. Members may transfer their seat to a relative of the same sex who is a full member of the shule.