**Additional Information for the Quality Club Application:**

Optional Requirements:

1. Minyan of Comfort

* The Men’s Club runs an alternative weekly Shabbat service in parallel to the main shul service that includes Torah discussion and mindfulness sections.

All the Shivas since Mar 2020 have been virtual.  The Rabbi and Hazzan have participated in those Zoom minyans.  Men’s Club members only participated as friends of the family.  Men’s Club members regularly led general shul minyans that include a remembrance section prior to saying Kaddish.  These are not the same as the pre-Covid home Shivas where Men’s Club members trained in the Minyan of Comfort program often took total care of the home-based Shiva minyans.

1. Joint Program with Sisterhood/Women’s League

* Jointly ran holiday box program for Rosh Hashana, Sukkot, Chanukah for shul members. Jointly done with the Sisterhood.

The Box program consisted of creating in-home holiday celebration kits for families in the shul.  They would include holiday food treats, games for little children, decorations, etc.  (Includes things like apples & honey for Rosh Hashana).   The congregants would pick up the assembled “boxes” at the shul.  The Men’s Club, Sisterhood and sometimes the Education Department provided the materials for the boxes and helped in the distribution. This was a new program in response to the Covid pandemic.

Club Administration:

1. President Elect

* Rob Lipka and Brandt Rosen will continue as Club Co-Presidents for 2nd year of term.

Our current Co-Presidents are finishing the first year of their two-year terms.  They will continue in these roles next year. Beyond next year, we have plans for succession to the presidency with specific individuals but this list is not firmed up at this time.