

# PRIVATE EVENTS

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LILLIAN AND ALBERT SMALL  
CAPITAL JEWISH MUSEUM





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## ABOUT

The Lillian and Albert Small Capital Jewish Museum explores the Jewish experience in the national capital region and inspires visitors to connect, reflect, and act—Connect personally and collectively, Reflect on the relevance of the past to today, and Act on behalf of their communities and values.

With its experimental spirit, the Museum connects the past to the present through thought-provoking exhibitions, dynamic programming, and creative public experiences.

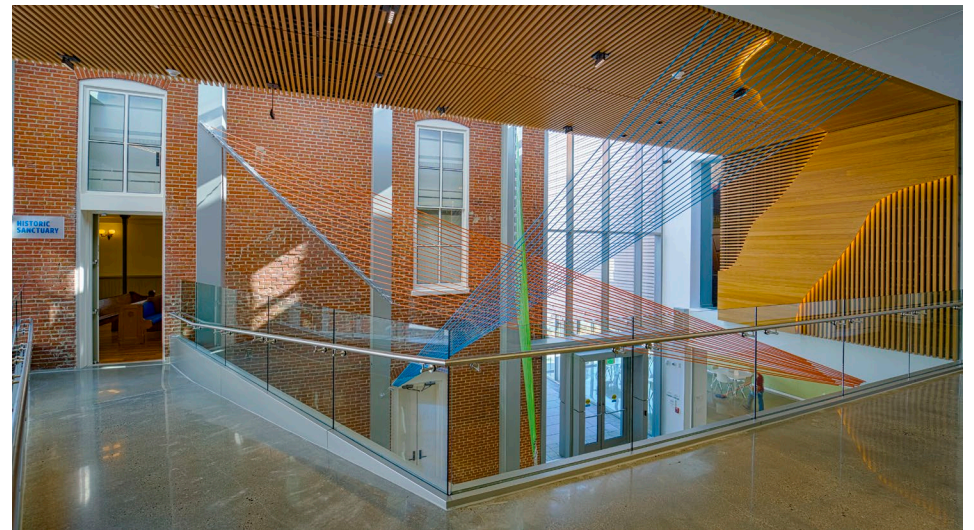
Featuring the renovated and restored interior of our historic sanctuary and the soaring ceiling of the lobby atrium, the Capital Jewish Museum offers traditional and modern settings for celebrations, both large and small, for audiences of all backgrounds. All spaces are wheelchair accessible.



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## WEDDINGS

Start the next chapter of your life nestled in a page of DC history. The Museum's 1876 sanctuary can accommodate ceremonies of up to 100 guests. Guests watch from historic pews.

After saying "I do" move into the breathtaking two-story lobby where you can enjoy a seated dinner with up to 150 of your friends and family or a standing room reception for up to 200, including space for a dance floor.



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## MITZVAHS

Let's *L'chaim*! Celebrate your *simcha* in one of the oldest synagogues in Washington, DC and then *Hava Nagila* in the newest home of the region's Jewish community.

Give your guests the experience of a lifetime — enjoy scavenger hunts, interactive exhibits, and individual spaces that allow for all manner of celebrations — let the teens dance the night away in the Community Action Lab while adults enjoy cocktails on the terrace.







## CORPORATE FUNCTIONS

Whether you are hosting a nonprofit gala or a corporate retreat, the Museum is an ideal setting with flexible and functional spaces. As an added bonus, rentals include access to the ongoing exhibitions which explore the region's history—providing hundreds of interesting stories to spark conversation for the most eclectic groups of guests. Conveniently located between downtown DC and the Capitol, with easy access to the Convention Center and numerous hotels, the Museum's facilities are at your service.

With various options for breakout rooms in both historic and modern settings, and state-of-the-art technology to keep your team on their A-game, the Capital Jewish Museum is the key to your organization's next innovation.





# Event Spaces

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## PRICES

### Morse-Loeb Museum Lobby & Cafritz Hall Together

- Monday — Thursday \$5,000
- Friday — Sunday \$7,500

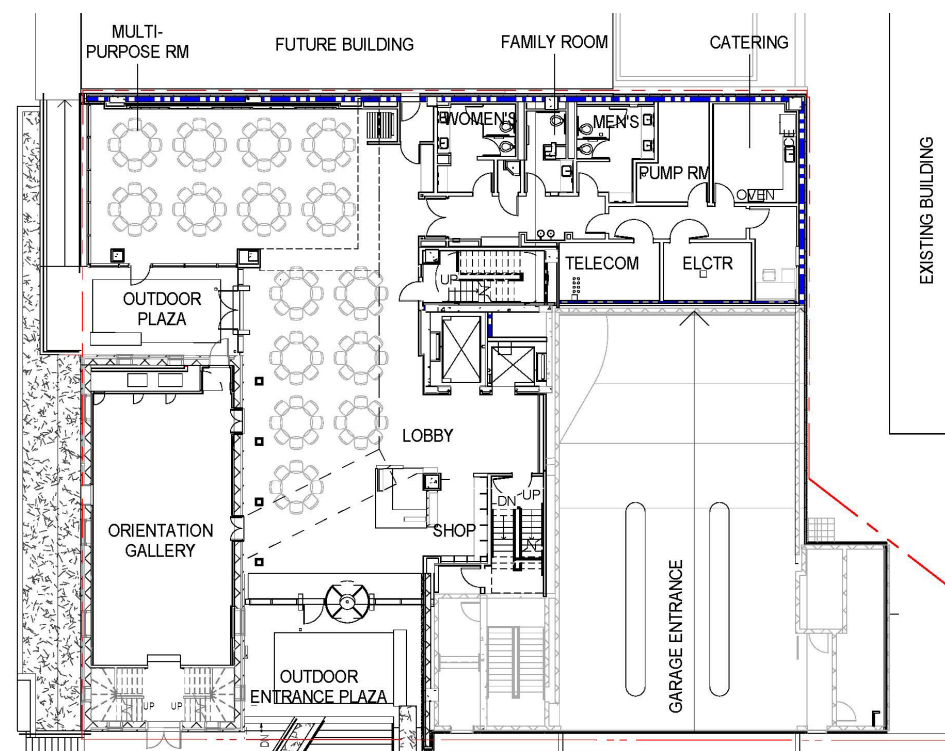
### Cafritz Hall

- Monday — Thursday \$2,000
- Friday — Sunday \$4,000

## MORSE-LOEB LOBBY & CAFRITZ HALL

Visitors will immediately feel welcome in this airy, light-filled space, as they take in a close-up view of the historic synagogue and the bridge connecting it to our new building.

Put this dynamic space to work for you — a seated ceremony or standing reception can accommodate up to 250 guests or a seated dinner can fit 150. Want a smaller, more intimate celebration? The Museum's Cafritz Hall can be closed off via a retractable wall into the ideal intimate space for hosting a beautiful event, no matter the size of the guestlist.



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## COMMUNITY ACTION LAB

The Community Action Lab is available to rent individually or as part of a full museum rental. This dynamic space is perfect for a breakout session, pre-dinner cocktail hour, or it can be turned into an after-hours club, allowing for the perfect event flow from ceremony to cocktails, to dinner and dancing!

### PRICES

- Monday — Thursday \$500
- Friday — Sunday \$750





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## HISTORIC SYNAGOGUE

Dedicated in 1876, the historic building is the only local synagogue listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The first floor of the synagogue is dedicated to the Museum's orientation gallery, an interactive exhibit exploring the history of Jews in the DMV. On the second floor is the historic sanctuary, restored to reflect its late nineteenth century elegance, complete with original floors, pews, and paneling. The perfect setting for a micro-wedding, mitzvah, or breakout session, the synagogue can seat up to 100.

### PRICES

- Monday-Thursday \$3,000
- Friday-Sunday \$5,500



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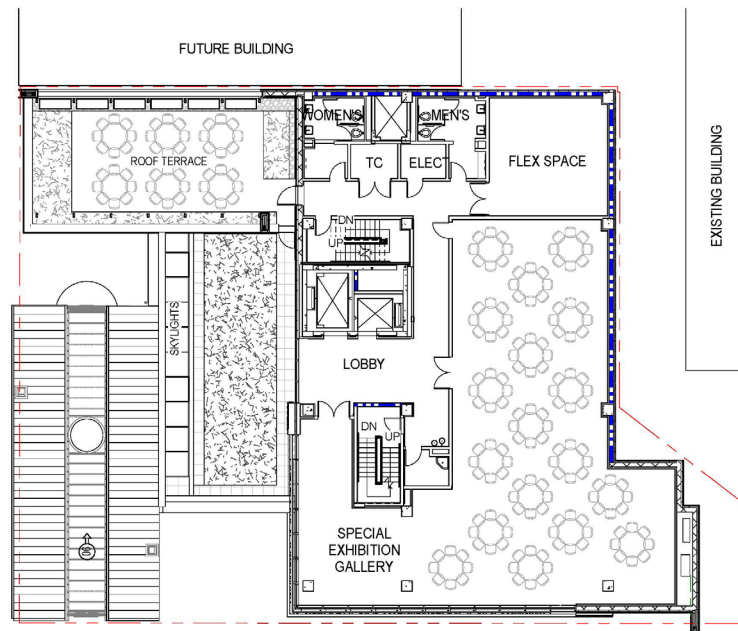


## ROOFTOP TERRACE

Take the celebration outdoors and enjoy everything DC has to offer. Up to 50 guests can enjoy cocktails while taking in sweeping views of nearby landmarks. For larger parties, embrace an easy indoor-outdoor flow from the terrace into the third floor special exhibitions gallery for exclusive access to popular temporary exhibits.

## PRICES

- Monday-Thursday \$1,000
- Friday-Sunday \$3,500



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## What is included in a rental?

All rates are based on a seven-hour rental period, including two hours of set up, a four-hour event, and one hour for take down. They also include:

- Tables and chairs for 100
- Museum Event Coordinator
- Security guards
- Standard custodial fee

## Can an event include a guided tour of the exhibitions?

Of course! Please be sure to request your guided tour at least four weeks in advance. Contact your Event Coordinator for other options to customize your rental.

## Does CJM require events to be kosher?

The Capital Jewish Museum does not require for your rental to be kosher, however we do not allow pork or shellfish to be served at any time. CJM has a prep kitchen available for plating and staging food. It includes the following equipment:

- Food prep table
- Commercial fridge
- Ice maker
- Sink

## Are animals allowed?

Only service animals, please!



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## What kind of decorations may be used?

Freestanding décor is always welcome! We love banners, flowers, balloon arcs, and light displays. Please consult your Museum Event Coordinator for any installations in the exhibits, including the historic sanctuary. CJM has simple chuppah poles available for use, the renter must provide the cover or other decorations. No confetti, rice, helium balloons, glitter, silly string, paper, or any other decoration may be thrown in any part of the Museum. Battery operated candles are welcome, but please no live candles or sparklers anywhere in the Museum. Sternos are permitted in the catering kitchen only and must be supervised.

## Does CJM have preferred vendors?

We do! See next page. Other vendors may be used as long as they can provide a valid license upon request.



# Preferred Vendors

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## Preferred Caterers

### Kosher

Signature Caterers

Justin Dekelbaum

240-290-0032

[justin@theshalomgroup.com](mailto:justin@theshalomgroup.com)

[www.signaturecaterers.com](http://www.signaturecaterers.com)

Hoffman & Co. Catering

Adrienne Bryson

410-764-6100

[adrienne@lovetocater.com](mailto:adrienne@lovetocater.com)

[www.hoffmancaterers.com](http://www.hoffmancaterers.com)

Kosher Sustenance

Rachel Bitton

240-393-8603

[koshersustenance@gmail.com](mailto:koshersustenance@gmail.com)

[www.koshersustenance.com](http://www.koshersustenance.com)

### Non-Kosher

Well Dunn Catering

Amy Lawrenz

[202-431-5009](tel:202-431-5009)

[alewerenz@welldunn.com](mailto:alewerenz@welldunn.com)

[www.welldunn.com](http://www.welldunn.com)

Occasions Caterers

Joel Wolke

202-454-7824

[jwolke@occasionscaterers.com](mailto:jwolke@occasionscaterers.com)

[www.occasionscaterers.com](http://www.occasionscaterers.com)

Main Event Caterers

Melissa Hauser

703-820-2028

[melissa@maineventcaterers.com](mailto:melissa@maineventcaterers.com)

[www.maineventcaterers.com](http://www.maineventcaterers.com)

Windows Catering (Kosher and Non-Kosher Options)

Debbie Smith

703-752-9414

[debbie@catering.com](mailto:debbie@catering.com)

[www.catering.com](http://www.catering.com)

## Preferred Alcohol Purveyor

Schneider's of Capitol Hill

Andrew Meyrowitz

202-543-9300

[andrew@cellar.com](mailto:andrew@cellar.com)

[www.cellar.com](http://www.cellar.com)

## Preferred Furniture Rentals

Select Event Group

Maria Flanders

301-812-3559

[mflanders@selecteventgroup.com](mailto:mflanders@selecteventgroup.com)

[www.selecteventgroup.com](http://www.selecteventgroup.com)

## Preferred A/V Techs

A2Z Music Factory LLC

John Howard

703-444-1562

[DJ@a2zmusicfactory.com](mailto:DJ@a2zmusicfactory.com)

[www.a2zmusicfactory.com](http://www.a2zmusicfactory.com)

Casaplex, LLC

Jeffrey Mercer

202-903-5488

[djjeffmercerc@me.com](mailto:djjeffmercerc@me.com)

[www.casaplex.com](http://www.casaplex.com)

## Preferred Photographer

Chris Ferenzi Photography

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609-790-1727

[chris@chrisferenzi.com](mailto:chris@chrisferenzi.com)

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