

Volunteer of the Month

Jamie Rowe is our latest Volunteer of the Month. We are very fortunate to have her as a member of Shomrei Torah; she is not only a tireless volunteer, but her sunny outlook on life inspires us all. Jamie was born in Orange County, California and attended UC Davis, where she earned a BS in Political Science. After college, Jamie became a sales analyst at Allergan Eye Care. Her work ethic was quickly noticed and it didn't take long before she was a valued employee. While there, she also went to grad school and earned her MBA at University of Redlands. But, perhaps her greatest "achievement" while at Allergan, was to catch the eye of Michael, who worked in marketing. In February, 1995 the couple got married. In 1996, Michael took a position with Pfizer in NYC and they moved to Long Island. The following year Danny was born and David followed behind two years later. In 2000, the 3.5 hour daily commute was beginning to take it's toll on Michael. So that, coupled with the fact that they both missed Southern California, led them back west to San Diego. In, 2000 Michael took a position with Bayer Pharmaceuticals and they moved to Wayne. During this time, Jamie had what many consider the more demanding role, that of a stay-at-home mom. Like many families, they joined a synagogue when their oldest child reached school age. Luckily for us, in 2005 they chose Shomrei Torah. Knowing that her children's Jewish education was an important part of their youth, Jamie decided to become involved with PTO. And in 2007 she was appointed co-chair, along with Julie Seplow, of PTO. Since that time, Jamie has agreed to serve on the SLI Strategic Planning Committee as well as the Keruv Committee. Jamie currently is employed as a Chocolate Creation Specialist at Memorable Creations by Jodi (owned by shul member Jodi Kashmann). When she has free time in her hectic life, Jamie enjoys reading, playing with her new puppy Annie, socializing with friends, and traveling to California to spend time with her mother.



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