



A Message from David Alfonso

JFGR Board Chairman



David Alfonso, MD

Dear Community Members,

I am thrilled to announce that we have officially met and exceeded our campaign 2021 goal for fundraising! When we entered last campaign season, Nicole challenged us to think big and set an audacious goal. Thanks to her leadership, as well as our campaign coordinator Evan Rossio, and our campaign chairwoman, Linda Pestka, we were successful in this important endeavor. I would also like to thank all of you in our community that donated to our campaign, it is truly a team effort and all donations help towards reaching the goal. Our goal was to raise \$500,000 for the campaign this year and we exceeded that amount by a little over seven thousand. In addition, we added 33 new donors to our registry, and brought 20 donors back to Campaign who did not donate in 2020. We exceeded last year's campaign by over \$21,000. These are very inspiring numbers and reinforce the fact that we have a very generous and involved donor base, despite being a small Jewish community. Please mark your calendars for September 15, 2022 as that will be our Campaign 2022 kick off event.

In other news, we are closing in on our community wide Holocaust sculpture dedication event. Recently, members of our Board were able to meet with the staff at Meijer Gardens as well as the sculptor, Ariel Schlesinger. It was a very enjoyable event and allowed us to gain further understanding of the artist's background and inspiration. The event will be held on Thursday, June 30, 2022. Your Federation staff has been hard at

work finalizing the plans for the event and you will be hearing about the details in the coming weeks. We are excited about this great accomplishment and all of the positive news it has generated about our local Jewish Community. Finally, as I write this, we are in the beginning of Passover. I hope all of you had a fulfilling Pesach and were able to celebrate in a meaningful way.

David



April 8, 2022 - Luncheon at Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park (R to L) Claude Tütche, JFGR Board member, Rick Stevens, Community member, Ariel Schlesinger, artist, Ways to Say Goodbye, Rob Franciosi, Professor GVSU, Linda Pestka, JFGR Board member, David Hooker, President & CEO, Frederik Meijer Gardens, Dan Hurwitz, JFGR Board member

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Our Mission:

Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids unites the local Jewish community to sustain and strengthen Jews locally, in Israel and around the world.

This mission is accomplished by providing services to the community and through fundraising and allocation efforts.

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GOAL: \$500,000.00
340 Donors
\$509,000

Campaign 2021 ended March 31, 2022, raising more than \$509,000!

We received donations from 340 donors. In addition, any increased amount and any new pledges were matched by a generous grant from the Louis and Helen Padnos Foundation up to \$25,000, and for donors age 50 and younger, that amount was also matched by a generous grant from the Hy and Greta Berkowitz Foundation up to \$6000.

On behalf of JFGR, thank you for supporting our Jewish Community. In May, our Board of Directors will begin the allocation process to provide funds that make a difference for Jews right here in West Michigan, Israel, and around the world. Even though Campaign 2021 has ended, you can still make a gift to support our community. Your assistance is needed more than ever to help those in need.

Thank you,
Linda
Linda Pestka
Campaign Chair

The Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids would like to thank our Campaign Chair, Linda Pestka, for her outstanding work and leadership!

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JFGR Welcomes Stephanie Jesin: New Pomegranate

Stephanie Jesin was born and raised in Grand Rapids, Michigan where her family had a wonderful influence on her Jewish life and the importance of tzedakah, specifically Edith Rashewsky, Lisa Rashewsky, and Shelley Knape. Stephanie graduated from Forest Hills Central High School and completed her undergraduate education at Kalamazoo College and then went to Boston for dental school at Harvard where she met her husband, Mark.

While at Harvard, Stephanie was the International Representative for Alpha Omega, the Jewish Dental Fraternity and was involved in the Harvard Hillel. Stephanie continued her education with two dental residencies, one in anesthesia and the other in pediatric dentistry.

Stephanie and Mark got married and moved to Grand Rapids where she practices as a pediatric dentist in Ada at Norman Family Dentistry/Ada Pediatric Dentistry and Mark is an oral surgeon and the owner of Advanced Oral Surgery & Dental Implant Studio. The two of them love talking about teeth and helping bring healthy smiles to West Michigan.

Stephanie and Mark have an adorable five year old daughter, Chloe, who loves gymnastics, tutus, unicorns, and swimming. They have a second baby on the way who will hopefully be making an appearance in May.

As a family, the Jesins enjoy spending time outdoors, traveling, and playing boardgames.



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For more information, contact Evan Rossio,
Campaign Director at evan@jfgr.org



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Ukraine Crisis Update

“Communities do not wait until there is a fire to build a fire department, and the Jewish people do not wait until there is an emergency to create an effective system of rescue and humanitarian aid. The skill and expertise we have been witnessing in the relief efforts in Ukraine and in the bordering countries is the result of years of experience, training, relationship building, and fundraising.”

Eric D. Fingerhut, President and Chief Executive Officer, Jewish Federations of North America

The Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids has joined the Jewish Federations of North America’s (JFNA) emergency campaign to provide humanitarian assistance to Jewish populations in Ukraine. Funds will be allocated through JFNA’s core partners including: The Jewish Agency for Israel, The Joint Distribution Committee, and World ORT (*Organization for Rehabilitation Through Training*). They are on the ground providing critical welfare where it is needed most to support, protect, and safeguard Ukraine’s Jewish community, as well as, Jewish refugees in neighboring countries.

JFNA has raised over 40 million and allocated funds to:

- Help people make Aliyah to Israel
- Secure the local communities and institutions
- Maintain critical welfare services
- Assist internally displaced persons in multiple locations
- Launch an emergency hotline for refugees
- Secure temporary housing for people in transit
- Purchase satellite phones to maintain communications across the region
- Secure five Jewish schools and training staff to manage crisis needs

**If you would like to make a donation to the Ukraine crisis visit the Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids at [www.https://www.jewishgrandrapids.org](https://www.jewishgrandrapids.org)
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Thank you to the Grand Rapids community members who have contributed to the Ukraine Relief Crisis.

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Diane Hammerman	Karen, Mitchell & Louis Padnos	Dana Winniman



JFGR Men's Outdoor Group

Get together outdoors each Wednesday morning! Meet new people, hang out with old friends, get fresh air and exercise. We can tailor our outings to fit you.

Upcoming Meeting Dates:

April 27

May 4

Email Jim Siegel at jims@siegeljewelers.com for time and location of each outing, and for additional questions and carpool arrangements.



News from the Nosh



We are officially under construction!

Thank you for continuing to submit recipes. We are looking for the following categories: appetizers, mains, desserts, Passover & holiday, Vegan/Vegetarian, sides, and international (e.g. Russian, Sephardic, Mizrahi, "old country" etc.)

A reminder that we are accepting recipes and content via www.JFGR.org, mailing to the Federation office, or by email: evan@jfgr.org.

Keep them coming!



Women Unite
Hiking Group



Women Unite Hiking Club

Sunday, May 8 - Mother's Day Kick-off Walk - Rockford Trail and coffee at Herman's Boy following @ 9:30am by the dam (215 N Main St, Rockford, MI 49341)

Sunday, May 15 - Reeds Lake @ 9:30am in front of Rose's Restaurant (550 Lakeside Dr. SE, East Grand Rapids, MI 49506)

What to bring: a water bottle and a good pair of sneakers

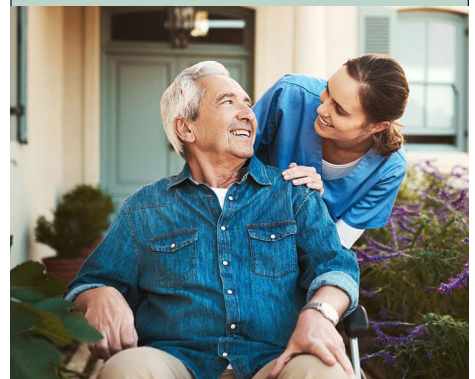
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JFGR is conducting a survey

to gauge the interest in Jewish senior housing options in West Michigan.

If you are interested in participating, the survey is brief, open to all community members, and can be found at www.jfgr.org.

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Financial Focus

How to be a good money manager in retirement

By Chad Zagel, CFP®, AAMS®, JFGR Board Member



Chad Zagel JFGR
Board Member

If you reach retirement with a significant amount of assets, you've done a great job of saving and investing. But now comes another challenge – making that money last.

You might think that this task, as important as it is, won't be as hard as accumulating the money in the first place. Yet, a sizable number of people have reached a different conclusion. In fact, 36% of retirees say managing money in retirement is *more* confusing than saving for retirement, and 56% say they wish they had budgeted for more unexpected expenses in retirement, according to the Edward Jones/Age Wave *Four Pillars of the New Retirement* study.

What steps can you take to help you become an effective money manager during your retirement years? Here are a few to consider:

- **Set your goals.** Your money management needs will certainly depend, to some extent, on what your goals are for the coming years. Will you travel extensively? Stay close to home and pursue your hobbies? Or maybe even open a small business? Once you identify your vision for retirement, you can estimate how much it will cost, which will then dictate much of your spending and saving needs.
- **Stick to a budget.** If you've followed a budget throughout your working years, there's no reason to stop now – in fact, budgeting may be even more essential when you retire. Of course, you don't necessarily want to force yourself to be as frugal as possible – after all, you worked hard, saved and invested so you can enjoy a comfortable retirement lifestyle. Look for reasonable cost-cutting opportunities, such as eating out less often or eliminating streaming services you don't use.
- **Don't underestimate health care costs.** Even when you're on Medicare and pay for supplemental insurance, health care costs could still be one of your biggest expenses during retirement. Initially, budgeting for \$4,500 to \$6,500 per person annually may be a good starting point

for traditional health care expenses in retirement.

However, depending on your health, prescription drug usage and other factors, your costs could be higher or lower. And you may also want to estimate long-term care expenses as part of your plan.

- **Look for senior discounts.** Once you're a senior, you may be able to find discounts on a wide range of items and activities, such as movies, transportation, groceries, gym memberships and more. By taking advantage of these discounts, you can save a surprising amount of money and ease pressure on your cash flow.
- **Establish a sustainable withdrawal strategy.** For decades, you've been putting money into your IRA and 401(k). But once you're retired, you will likely need to start taking withdrawals from these accounts. It's essential that you don't withdraw so much early in your retirement that you eventually run the risk of outliving your money. You may want to work with a financial professional, who can analyze your entire situation – assets, expenses, lifestyle, expected longevity, etc. – and recommend a sustainable withdrawal rate. Keep in mind that once you turn 72, you may be required to take out a certain amount each year from your 401(k) and your traditional IRA, so you'll want to incorporate these withdrawals into your overall income strategy.

Do whatever it takes to become a good money manager during retirement. You'll find that it's well worth the effort.

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Grand Rapids Delivers Solidarity to Ukrainian Refugees in Israel

By Marni Vyn and Sandi Simms, JFGR Board Members & P2G Co-chairs

Last month we celebrated Passover, commemorating when the Jewish People fled from slavery in Egypt to freedom in Israel. By retelling our story from thousands of years ago, we are reminded of the importance of helping those who are in dire situations today. Many of us have watched in horror as Ukraine is attacked by Russia and felt helpless in how to help.

In April we had the incredible opportunity to travel to Israel's Central Galilee region with the Partnership2Gether program through the Jewish Federation of Metro Detroit. The community of Nof HaGalil is working to resettle thousands of Ukrainian refugees (specifically, women, children, and the elderly since the men ages 18-60 were required to stay behind for military service).

The refugees arrived in Israel with almost nothing but the clothes on their backs. The municipality is tirelessly working to provide them with clothing, shelter, schooling for the children, and Hebrew classes for those who choose to make Aliyah.

The ground level of a parking garage was converted into a "shopping center" designed to meet the refugees' basic needs and restore dignity to people who lost

everything. The city's employees and the numerous volunteers who run the "store" are true heroes.

Among the photos, below is a sweet woman who explained in her broken English that she shows these gowns to the women who arrive at the center so full of fear and heartbreak in order to remind them that there is hope – and some day they will be reunited with their men and wear such clothes again. She wanted us to know what she does to help lift up broken souls, and now you know about her too. There ARE people whose seemingly small actions save our humanity.



So many members of our Jewish community in West Michigan stepped up to help the Ukrainian refugees by donating much-needed socks and underwear, which we hand-delivered to the "store". Thank you so much to those of you who contributed!



May 14 @ 7pm & May 15 @ 4pm

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A Bittersweet Love Story.

After emerging from four years of hiding when the allies liberate Southern Holland in 1944, Jewish translator Sarah van Praag and African American Army Lieutenant Tom Johnson worked together smuggling food to starving Dutch in the north still occupied by Nazi forces. These two young people from completely different walks of life fall in love only to separate after the war. Sixty years later Tom is being forced to move to an assisted living facility in his hometown of Detroit by his children. He secretly decides to skip town and return to the Netherlands hoping to rediscover his first love.

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A Journey into Modern Antiquity

By Sandi Simms

Federation Board Member, and Partnership2together (P2G) Steering Committee Member

In 2018 Marni Vyn and I traveled to Israel with the Jewish Federation of Metro Detroit to the Jezreel Valley which is an agricultural region in northern Israel. We were invited to learn about a partnership that the Detroit Federation helped to establish twenty-five years ago along with the Grand Rapids and Ann Arbor Federations. Today, a vibrant partnership exists between this region and the Federations of Detroit and Ann Arbor so we headed off to find out how we could bring Grand Rapids back into the partnership. In April of this year, Marni and I were finally able to travel back to Israel with the P2G Steering Committee to further the work of creating connections in our “region.”

The trip began with us joining up with the other Michigan steering committee members, and our



Sandi Simms and Marni Vyn in Acre, Israel. Enjoying the beautiful city and learning more about what sparked violence in this shared community last May.

Israeli counterparts in Nazareth. Traveling together for four days, we toured the partnership region which includes the towns of Nof HaGalil, Migdal HaEmek, and the fertile Jezreel Valley. We engaged in conversations about shared society and the current challenges of building trust and reducing the intermittent violence that hurts the entire country. We heard

from passionate Jewish, Christian, and Muslim Israeli leaders, educators, and community organizers about their challenges and breakthroughs in creating a shared society based in equity.

We met with bright, young Jewish Israeli students from diverse backgrounds preparing for their futures as leaders while muddling through the complexities of their societies, their

identities, and what it means to be an Israeli, Arab, and Jew alike. We met educators who cross the divide and bring Arab and Jewish youth together. We listened to the story of a Christian Palestinian who lost his village and boyhood home in 1948, and how he is working to bring his lost community back to the land of his family. We visited the ancient town of Tzipori, a long-time place where Christians, Jews, and Druse have lived together and met kindergarten teachers who teach in three languages (Hebrew, Arabic, and English) to meet the needs of their diverse students.

However, the best was yet to come. In the interim four years since we first stepped foot in the Jezreel Valley, two communities were identified as good matches to become our very own “sister city” in Israel. Marni and I had the esteemed honor of meeting with representatives of both places and touring their beautiful communities. We are going through the paces and due diligence to select the community that best matches the values of our Jewish community here in Grand Rapids. The opportunity for both communities is remarkable as the partnership is first and foremost a relationship-building entity. This is not about fundraising or financial support, it was created to allow Jews to support each other through sharing experiences and making lasting friendships across religion, age, and nationality. The potential of our partnership is limited only by our imaginations. We will have much more to share as plans become clearer, as the path to new friendships across the world opens up for our whole community.



Sandi Simms and Marni Vyn at the shopping center created by the city of Nof HaGalil, Israel for Ukrainians refugees fleeing their homes.



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Final Senior Schmooze!

Thanks to the Louis & Louise Weiner Fund, Senior Schmooze has returned on select dates this Spring.

Final Delivery

Date:

May 13

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Sunny Nayberg: Educator & Advocate for Israel



Sunny Nayberg

When a young Russian speaking Israeli girl immigrated to Michigan from Israel, she could not have predicted the deep passion that she would develop for educating and advocating for her ancestral homeland. For Sunny Nayberg, who currently serves as the Michigan Israel Programs Admission Director with Jewish National Fund-USA's (JNF-USA), that passion is now just a way of life, and she is excited to inspire her community's next generation of future leaders.

Sunny was born in Afula, Israel and moved to West Bloomfield when she was 13 years old. She has always been connected within the Jewish community, from being a Jewish Summer Camp Camper, to later attending Grand Valley State University for her first two years of her undergraduate and being involved with the Hillel on campus. "It made me stay connected to my roots in Israel and made me feel at home," she said.

Recently, Sunny joined JNF-USA, where she has been able to live and breathe her passion for educating and advocating for Israel across the state of Michigan. **Jewish National Fund-USA's** strategic vision has been and always will be, to ensure a strong, secure, and prosperous future for the land and people of Israel. Everything they do -- every project, initiative, and campaign-- is integral to the vision of building and connecting to Israel. JNF-USA plants trees, builds houses and parks, sources water solutions, buys fire trucks, and improves the lives of people with special needs. As a result of that, JNF-USA boosts tourism, supports Aliyah, promotes Zionist education and engagement, builds medical centers and trauma centers, funds agricultural and culinary research, and more. They do all these things because each project, each program, each partnership, is consistent with the strategic vision of population growth in the north and south, connecting the next generation to Israel, infrastructure development, ecology, forestation,

heritage preservation, and more -- all for the land and people of Israel.

One of Sunny's favorite programs that she is promoting in our community is Alexander Muss High School in Israel (Muss), JNF-USA's flagship study abroad in Israel program for high school students.

With five Michigan students spending either a semester or a summer program in Israel at Muss within the last two years, the study abroad experience that focuses on academic excellence has continued to gain traction within the Michigan Jewish community. With a unique educational experience that blends traditional High School classes with experiential learning that uses the land of Israel as a living and breathing classroom, Muss gives students an unforgettable experience they can take with them when they return home.

Sunny's advice to any high school student looking to enhance their college applications is simple: "If you want to stand out from the crowd and demonstrate independence, leadership, and dedication to your community, a study abroad experience at Muss is for you!"

For more information about Alexander Muss High School in Israel (AMHSI) or Jewish National Fund (JNF-USA), go to amhsi.org or contact Sunny Nayberg at snayberg@jnf.org.

Sunny Nayberg is the Michigan Israel Programs Admissions Director at Jewish National Fund-USA (JNF-USA). Sunny is a proud Grand Valley State University Alum and recently earned her Government Studies Masers of Arts Degree from the Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya. Sunny is passionate about educating and advocating for Israel.

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By Shari Ungerleider

When I gave birth to my first child, Evan in August of 1994, my husband Jeff and I were so happy that after nine long months of anticipation, we were blessed with a beautiful and healthy baby. We joyfully watched Evan develop normally for the next six months and had the



normal hopes and dreams for his future. Over the next few months we started to become concerned, as we realized that Evan was not developing at the same pace as other children his age. We witnessed our friends' children begin to roll over, sit up, crawl,

stand, walk, talk and interact with each other. Evan was not able to do any of this; he just watched and smiled but soon his smile began to lessen and his observing became a distant stare. Evan was not even able to sit up by himself without falling over. We also started to notice that he was having difficulty eating.

At 10 months we brought Evan to the pediatrician for what we thought was a standard well visit, but this turned out to be the beginning of our nightmare. After several months, visits to numerous doctors and endless tests, Evan was diagnosed with Tay-Sachs disease. This news not only devastated us, but shocked us since I was tested for Tay-Sachs and told I was not a carrier. I immediately contacted my OB/GYN who upon re-examining my records discovered that I had actually tested positive as Tay-Sachs carrier.

As Evan's disease quickly progressed, he was unable to move on his own, he suffered multiple seizures daily and had respiratory difficulty, which required us to suction him regularly. He eventually became blind and deaf. We had a feeding tube surgically inserted so that Evan would be able to stay properly nourished and medicated. He had to undergo several hours a week of physical therapy so that his muscles would not atrophy.

We wanted to care for Evan at home so that we could spend as much time with him as possible and not take a moment of his life for granted. We wanted to create a lifetime of memories with Evan in the short time he had left. We spent our days taking him to the park, pool, beach and zoo. He was constantly surrounded by people who loved him. Evan lost his battle with Tay-Sachs when he was almost 4 ½ years old.

We have three other healthy children. With each of my other pregnancies, I updated my carrier screening for diseases that were added to the panel. Knowing that

Jeff and I were both carriers for Tay-Sachs disease we were able to make family planning choices that enabled us to have healthy children. We chose to get pregnant naturally and have a CVS test performed at 10 weeks. From the bottom of my heart, I believe that every couple should be able to make educated decisions, based on accurate genetic information. We are so blessed to have our other children; however, it does not take away or replace the tremendous loss we feel every day for Evan. I constantly imagine what it would be like for us as a family if Evan were still alive.

To honor Evan, I decided to turn our tragedy into something positive so that other families would be spared the suffering that we experienced by raising awareness about the importance of carrier screening. It is essential that everyone who is planning to start or add to their family seek preconception carrier screening along with genetic counseling to determine if they are at risk of having a child with any of these horrific diseases. The purpose of carrier screening coupled with genetic counseling is to identify carrier couples, preferably before pregnancy, and help them understand the impact of the disease they carry on an affected child and to present reproductive options to the couple.

Shari Ungerleider is an Outreach Coordinator for JScreen, a non-profit organization dedicated to saving lives through genetic screening and education. Shari, along with her husband Jeff and father Stanley Michelman founded the Evan Lee Ungerleider Foundation when her son was diagnosed with Tay-Sachs disease. This foundation is part of the National Tay-Sachs and Allied Diseases Association, New York Chapter, where served on the board for over 20 years. Shari has four children, Evan (mentioned above), Justin, Leigh and Sydney. She lives in Wayne, NJ with her family.



Shari Ungerleider



Did you know?
Each pregnancy is at an independent risk.

Carrier screening can determine your risk for having a child with a genetic disease. Did you know that testing panels are updated every few years? If you're planning to have another baby, it is important to update your screening.



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As Your Shaliach, I'll Personalize Israel for You

By Ophir Tal



Ophir Tal

Congratulations, Grand Rapids! You have a shaliach now, and it happens to be me-Ophir Tal, a Jerusalem-native Israeli who's currently based in Tel-Aviv. I'm a writer, facilitator and the founder and lecturer of WhyIsrael lecture initiative for international Jewish communities. As your online Shaliach, I seek to create a sense of

home far from home by bringing Israel to your laptop screens and into your hearts.

But first, let me unpack what a shaliach is, and more importantly-Why have I become your shaliach.

In Hebrew, the word Shaliach has multiple meanings: a delivery guy, but also a messenger. A person who's spreading a word, but also an envoy, an emissary.

I find myself relating to all of the above.

In our context, a shaliach is an emissary, sent on behalf of the largest Jewish NGO on earth, The Jewish Agency For Israel to a selected Jewish community (in this case, the lovely grand rapids).

The role of the shaliach is to address the various platforms of your community by producing, organizing and delivering Israel-themed content. In our most recent context-I'll be a shaliach without borders, as the programs I'll create with various partners in Grand Rapids will occur entirely online.

Moreover, a shaliach is someone you can turn to on issues that juxtapose the needs of your community with

Israel-related matters. That is the case because as a shaliach I'm not just familiar with Israel, I am Israel.

In fact, there are multiple "Israels". Just like myself, there are hundreds of emissaries throughout the Jewish world, each and any one of them are acting as their own angle of Israel, and working to nourish the sense of Jewish peoplehood in their selective arenas of activism.

As for me-This isn't my first time as an emissary. Between the years 2018 and 2020 I served as the emissary of The 14th Street Y community center in New York City, and I was amazed by how fostering the conversation about Israel is a pathway towards community empowerment.

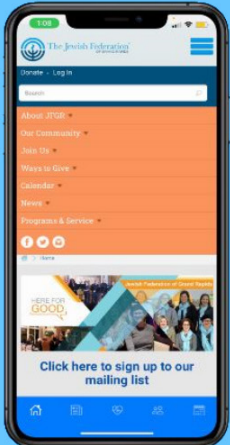
During that time, I've learned vital lessons on how Online webinars, lectures and activities could bridge gaps of language and geography and harness the spirit of collective curiosity in confusing times.

Prior to my term as an emissary, I worked as a facilitator of Israeli-Palestinian dialogue groups, and as a Journalist in the acclaimed Israeli magazine Ynet.

I intend to leverage all of this experience and alongside community members and leaders craft content that will bring a nuanced Israel into the iPhones, laptops and minds of thousands of Jews in the Grand Rapids community.

Through lectures, dialogues, games and the power of the written word, I hope to personalize Israel for you, so it will become your own for a lifetime.

This is going to be an exciting ride, and I can't wait to embark on this journey with all of you!




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Excerpt: How to Improve Your Life: Seven Tips from Brian Tracy

By Coach John Robinson

The following is an excerpt from my blog post, "How to Improve Your Life: 7 Tips from Brian Tracy."

Why is a leadership lens good for success in both our personal and professional lives? I believe the answer lies in our language and how we speak about our lives. We often talk about leading our lives, with a reference to leadership at the heart of that saying. Therefore, I help people use a leadership lens to increase their success, happiness, life satisfaction and more.

Today I want to share tips from Brian Tracy's article, "7 Leadership Qualities of All Great Leaders" and help you apply them in leading your life better, personally or professionally. Whether you are dealing with a challenge (such as workplace issues, feeling empty, facing failure, friendship frictions, or career pressure) or looking to achieve something (such as hitting work or life goals, finding purpose or greater peace and happiness), I want to use these tips to help you apply a leadership lens to your life. (If you want to read the original article, go here: <https://snip.ly/me7z5v>)

"1. Vision: GREAT LEADERS have a clear, exciting idea of where they are going and what they are trying to accomplish."

Whether you are going for personal or professional success, it is important to have this vision. In my video, "Three-Step Success Plan for Improved Health, Wealth & Relationships" (<https://snip.ly/0yw53p>), I help people achieve this vision through my first step which is to create a Dream Blueprint. A great way to build a Dream Blueprint is through a tool called a vision board. Learn more about making a vision board here: <https://snip.ly/xhcgwk>.

"2. Courage: Among the 7 LEADERSHIP qualities, courage is the most identifiable outward trait."

There are plenty of opportunities for courage. In our personal lives, it might be that it's time to get to the

doctor to find out what they have to say about our health, or talking to a loved one about a tension between us. Professionally, it might be sharing in front of the team or going for a promotion. Two great resources for this are Brave, Not Perfect (<https://snip.ly/945wdt>) from Reshma Saujani and Brené Brown's work on vulnerability, such as her TED Talk "The Power of vulnerability" (<https://snip.ly/th3kfe>).

"3. Integrity: The main value that almost all executives agree upon for their company is integrity."

One of the things that I think can be really tough to do but equally empowering is the integrity to be true to yourself. That's why I share with people my 3B's: Be You, Be Unpredictable and Just Be. We are meant to be our unique selves in the world, and the world needs what we have to offer. No matter how small our gift might seem, it is meant to be shared. (You can see me talk about them here: <https://snip.ly/8c3wq9>).

For the other four tips, read my full blog post, "How to Improve Your Life: 7 Tips from Brian Tracy" at <https://snip.ly/0xwuf5> or <https://CoachJohn.help/blog>



Coach John Robinson

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Celebrate with Sabich

By Evan Rossio, Campaign Director, JFGR



Evan Rossio

Israel's Day of Independence, or Yom Ha'atzmaut, commemorates the Israeli Declaration of Independence in 1948. This year it falls from sundown on May 4th to sundown on May 5th. A great way to celebrate is to make Sabich, a popular Israeli sandwich consisting of eggplant, hard boiled eggs, and tehina (tahini) sauce.

Sabich

- ½ roasted eggplant, with olive oil, salt & pepper
- Tehina/tahini sauce (below)
- 1 hard boiled egg, sliced thinly
- 2 small pickles, sliced thinly
- Fresh parsley
- Lemon zest
- Bread of your choice

Cut an eggplant in half and score in a criss-cross pattern about ½" deep. Drizzle with olive oil and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Roast in a preheated 450 degree oven for 35-40 minutes and finish under the broiler for a couple minutes to brown.

Spread tehina sauce on bread. Once cool, chop eggplant and place on top of sauce. Add hard boiled egg and pickles. Top with fresh parsley leaves and lemon zest.

Drizzle more tehina sauce on top.

Tehina Sauce

- ½ c raw tehina (tahini)
 - Juice of ½ lemon (2t)
 - 1 clove of garlic minced to paste
 - 4 T cold water
 - Pinch of salt
- Combine all ingredients and stir to reach a smooth consistency using a fork, whisk, or food processor.



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Beit Sefer B'yahad United Jewish School

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I can't believe this is my last newsletter of the school year! It's been a fabulous year full of learning and growing in 5782! Thank you for welcoming me into your children's lives. Thank you to the teachers, parents, Rabbi Krishef, Rabbi Schadick, members of the UJS board, Congregation Ahavas Israel, Temple Emanuel, and the Jewish Federation of Grand Rapids. Without these amazing entities, UJS couldn't be possible. We are so blessed!

We're so proud this year to have instituted so many wonderful active and immersive Jewish experiences for students. This year, we've added Jewish Yoga, Mindfulness and Meditation (YMM), Jewish baking, Israeli dance, and T'filah every Sunday morning. We have also increased our security measures, adding more hired security officers as well as having multiple security evacuations drills. We've engaged students of all ages in mitzvot throughout the year, including raising \$613 to plant trees in Israel. Kol hakavod!

As I write this, I must acknowledge what's sitting heavily on my heart and the trauma our Grand Rapids community is experiencing after the death of Patrick Lyoya who was shot and killed by a police officer. We are more committed now more than ever to creating a welcoming community for everyone where we can learn from one another, empathize with one another and support one another, and where we look beyond the walls of the synagogue to connect with our community-at-large as well. Zichrono livracha.

Before we bring this year to a close, I want to note a few valuable moments coming up that will continue to connect our community. On May 8th, we will be celebrating Yom Ha'atzma'ut -- Israel's Independence Day! We have a special guest, our community shaliach, Ophir Tal, who will appear on our big screen television and will interact with our kids in real time, straight from Tel Aviv. Kids will be asking him questions, getting to know him, and Ophir will be sharing with us his love of his beloved homeland.

Our last day of school will be May 15th. In the past, we've done a field day with lawn games and fun activities. This year, we'd like to go out with a bang! It would be amazing to have a big BBQ, music, and some entertainment. I am looking for parent volunteers to help me organize this. If you are interested, please email me.

Thank you again for a fabulous year of growth and Jewish learning. I can't wait for next fall as we'll continue to build on the momentum we gained throughout the year.

*L'simcha,
Cantor David Fair
Educational Director of the United Jewish School*

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CTEEN DAY: COOKIES FOR COPS

SUNDAY, MAY 15TH | 1:00PM

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SHAVUOT GARDEN PARTY

SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH | 1:00PM

END OF THE YEAR CELEBRATION & JTEXT AUCTION

MONDAY, JUNE 13TH | 7:00PM

Join us for the our 3rd JText auction and end of year celebration as we celebrate the past and build our future.

CTEEN JUNIOR UPCOMING EVENTS:

For Jewish teens Grades 6-8. To RSVP or for more info contact Rivka at 616.206.9654

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SUNDAY, MAY 15TH | 4:00PM

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- Twitter: follow @ahavasisraelgr

SHAVUOT
The Krishef household will host a Shavuot evening gathering, on Saturday night, June 4, at 7:30 p.m., details to follow.
We may limit numbers and we probably will not serve food. But we will offer Shavuot Torah from the Sefat Emet, Rabbi Yehuda Aryeh Leib Alter, the remarkably perceptive 19th century leader of the Ger Hasidim. Contact Ahavas Israel for details.

AHAVAS ISRAEL BOOK GROUP
May 18, 2022, 7:00 p.m. - The Dovekeepers,
by Alice Hoffman (fiction)
It's not easy to make characters living in 70 C.E., fighting the Romans on Masada, breathe on the page, but Alice Hoffman's masterpiece succeeds. Two women and five children survived the massacre, according to first-century Jewish historian Josephus. Hoffman builds upon his ancient account, using it as a starting point to tell the stories of four women whose divergent paths brought them to Masada.
<https://www.jewishbookcouncil.org/book/the-dovekeepers>



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Sunday, May 1

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Friday, May 6

Shabbat Services at 6:00 PM
Celebrating Israel's 74th Birthday

Saturday, May 7

Shabbat Services at 10:00 AM
Celebrating the Bat Mitzvah of Claire Christopherson

Friday, May 13

Family Shabbat Services at 6:00 PM
Special liturgy for children of all ages
Celebrating May birthdays and anniversaries

Saturday, May 14

Informal Shabbat Service in the Round at 10:00 AM

Friday, May 20

Shabbat Services at 6:00 PM
Special Blessing for Jeanne Englehart and Jack Novick

Saturday, May 21

Afternoon Services at 6:00 PM
Celebrating the Bar Mitzvah of Ari Schwartz

Friday, May 27

Shabbat Services at 6:00 PM

Friday, June 3

Shabbat Services at 6:00 PM

Saturday, June 4

Shabbat Services at 10:00 AM
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Leven Family Fund To establish and provide Jewish facilities, and support for cooperative programming among the congregations that support Jewish education for our youth.

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Donna G. Boorstein Memorial Fund To help ensure funding for Jewish arts, culture and history in Greater Grand Rapids.

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