



# 2020

## Annual Report



Elevating education and lifting lives the Village Way.

Formerly known as Friends of Yemin Orde

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# Letter from the Board Chair



Dear Friends,

I am pleased to present our 2020 annual report. Below you will find testimonials from Yemin Orde students and graduates and learn how the Village Way family responded to coronavirus challenges.

As lockdowns and quarantines became a part of our world, Yemin Orde was allowed to remain open, as many of its youth have no other home in Israel or would have returned to unhealthy domestic environments. Through it all, ImpactIsrael remained committed to Yemin Orde youth, staff, and graduates.

Village Way Educational Initiatives (VWEI) continued to serve as a source of strength to educators in partner communities, and we were proud to support these efforts. Throughout the year, teachers not only created remote learning materials and student care packages, but attended virtual conferences that sparked ideas on how to connect to their homebound students. Incredibly, VWEI added five new educational communities during the pandemic.

Covid-19 also forced ImpactIsrael to move its fundraising activities onto virtual platforms, where it hosted webinars and lively discussions with Yemin Orde graduates and educational partners in Israel. In doing so, we shared our mission with broader audiences and gained many new friends and supporters.

In order to meet pandemic-related expenses at the Village and in Village Way partner communities, ImpactIsrael had an emergency campaign that raised \$350,000 to support new remote learning tools. This allowed the Village to hire additional therapists and social workers. It also provided emergency financial assistance to graduates and families in need.

The ImpactIsrael community opened its heart in October during a star-studded virtual gala called A Celebration of Gratitude and Hope, which raised a total of \$680,000. It was thrilling to see entertainment icons such as Joel Grey, Tiffany Haddish, and Joshua Malina reflect on our important work! We will hold another virtual event on October 14, 2021, so please watch your email for an invitation.

Israel has already had its share of surprises for 2021, and it's clear — more than ever — that our mission to elevate education and lift the lives of Israel's at-risk youth is integral to the future of Israel. We are grateful for your commitment and look forward with the promise of hope and health for everyone.

Sincerely,

**Robert Arogeti**

Board Chair, ImpactIsrael

# 2020 - An Extraordinary Year

2020 posed the most significant challenges to Yemin Orde since the Mount Carmel fires of 2010. However, the Village was able to adapt quickly, as were its partners in the Village Way Educational Initiatives. ImpactIsrael also had to change direction, as traditional fundraising efforts and visits to the Village gave way to compelling virtual events that raised vital funds. Ultimately, this drew our Village Way family together in unprecedented ways.

## Covid-19 Impacts our Village Way Family



Citing the importance of Yemin Orde's safe and supportive environment for at-risk youth, Israel's health and education officials permitted the Village to remain open during Israel's lockdowns. Youth remained in small groups, or "pods", for all learning, living, and recreational activities.

The safety and well-being of the Village's youth remained a top priority at all times. Yemin Orde's staff and educators provided daily contact with youth who returned to their homes, personally delivering new remote learning materials, board games, books, and food to students and families in distress. The Village's leadership team connected with graduates from the last 10 years and offered emergency financial assistance, guidance, and comfort — via telephone — during this difficult time.



Village Way Educational Initiatives (VWEI) facilitators guided staff and educators at partner communities. Educators received guidance to help them stay connected to their homebound students and learning materials in Hebrew and Arabic to address all VWEI's at-risk populations. VWEI's leadership programs, such as Milestones and Trailblazers, also shifted to the virtual world, with training sessions conducted online or in small groups.



Additionally, VWEI's pre-military gap-year leadership programs (Mechinot) remained opened as a safe haven for their at-risk participants. At the Yemin Orde's men's mechina, volunteers delivered meals and medicine to seniors in the community of Hatzor, where the mechina is located. At Yemin Orde's women's mechina, IsraElite, volunteers returned to the community of Migdal HaEmek to help others in need. The young women delivered food and medicine to home-bound seniors and others who could not leave their homes.

# ImpactIsrael in Your Virtual Community

## Star-Studded Virtual Celebration of Gratitude and Hope:

Nearly 400 households tuned in to watch and participate in our virtual star-studded Celebration of Gratitude and Hope.

Hosted live by actor-producer, Joshua Malina, the event featured top celebrities and entertainers such as Joel Grey, Tiffany Haddish, Shoshana Bean, David Broza, and a performance by the Yemin Orde Youth Village band and choir. Additionally, U.S. Representative Nita M. Lowey received ImpactIsrael's prestigious Tikkun Ha'Lev Award for her lifetime of humanitarian efforts to help underserved children and families. ImpactIsrael Board members Jeremy Barnett and Harvey Potter co-chaired the program.

Several longtime ImpactIsrael supporters offered inspiring testimonials during the event. Grammy-awarding winning actress and comedian Tiffany Haddish conveyed an uplifting message of encouragement to the Village youth, who were incredibly surprised and excited to receive her personal message back at Yemin Orde.

The celebration raised \$680,000 for the innovative programs and activities at Yemin Orde Youth Village and Village Way Educational Initiatives. ImpactIsrael will host another virtual event on October 14, 2021.



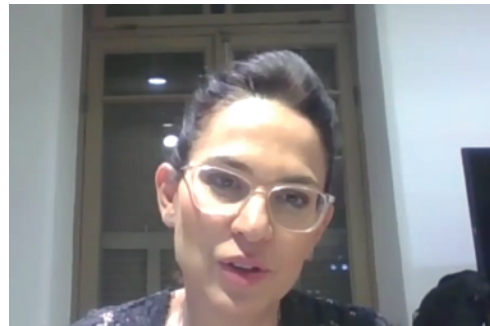
## The Warhol Women:

A virtual exploration of Andy Warhol's iconic paintings of leading female figures from the 1960s through the 1980s. Hosted by Susan Claster and Barbara Applbaum



## Insider's Briefing on Emerging Technologies in Israel:

A webinar focused on emerging technology and business ventures with top Israeli CEOs Yariv Bash (Flytrex Aviation), Michael Granoff (Maniv Mobility), and Yifat Oron (LeumiTech). The event was moderated by Jonathan Elkins of Headline Media.



## Coffee and Conversation:

A live briefing on Covid in Israel from Susan Weijel (Deputy Director of Yemin Orde Youth Village and Village Way Educational Initiatives) and Roi Etenesh, a Yemin Orde graduate.



# Yemin Orde Youth Village

Founded in 1953, Yemin Orde Youth Village is a home, school, and safe haven for at-risk youth. Located on a 77-acre campus in the Carmel Mountains of northern Israel, Yemin Orde is now home to 430 youth from Ethiopia, the Former Soviet Union, France, Brazil, native-born Israelis. Since its inception, the Village has served as a home away from home for more than 5,500 teenagers from dangerous or dysfunctional homes.

Through Yemin Orde's highly-successful and holistic educational methodology, called the Village Way, at-risk teens receive an excellent education and emotional support while learning the life skills necessary to thrive and have a positive impact on Israel's society.

Special features of Yemin Orde include an organic and fully-sustainable Eco-Farm; art, music, and dance therapy; extra-curricular and recreational activities; advanced honors-level courses in science, math, and technology; educational field trips; orthodontic and dental services; individual and group psychological therapy; guidance counselors and mentors; and a program for graduates that provides housing, financial assistance, networking opportunities, and a forever family.

Visitors are welcome to tour the Village, stay for lunch, and meet our youth and staff. Email us to plan a stop at Yemin Orde during your next trip to Israel.

## Key Programs



**Jewish Identity:** Jewish identity is an integral part of the Village's social and moral compass. By helping others through Tikkun Olam (repairing the world), at-risk youth heal their hearts and souls. In May 2020, Yemin Orde received a "Masa Israeli Award for Social and Educational Entrepreneurship" for youth leadership helping underserved families and advancing tolerance, respect, and acceptance of others.

**Integrated Tools:** A collaboration between the Israel Defense Forces elite intelligence corps and Israeli high tech partners, this program provides youth with the opportunity to learn high-level technology and cyber security skills — all prized by Israel's public and private sectors.





**Women’s Empowerment:** Designed to help teenage girls navigate the tensions and dilemmas of adolescence, this program includes workshops in self-defense and nutrition; meetings with leading Israeli women; discussions about healthy relationships; and developing social self-awareness. Initially focused on girls from the Ethiopian community, the program has grown to encompass all girls at Yemin Orde.

**Creative Arts:** Art, music, and dance therapy provides youth with outlets for creative expression. Feelings of anger, frustration, and fear are faced through artistic freedom and reassurance. These programs provide safe spaces for youth to relax, let their guard down, and explore new interests and skills.



**Eco-Farm:** This popular and tranquil farm at Yemin Orde features livestock, organic vegetable and herb gardens, and artisan cheese, milk, and yogurt production. There are also ample learning opportunities in metalwork and carpentry, as well as business entrepreneurship via a Green Basket program modeled after Community Supported Agriculture enterprises (CSA).

## 2020 Village Population



31%

Ethiopia



25%

Former Soviet Union



17%

Israel



15%

France



8%

Brazil



4%

Others

# Graduate Voices

Yemin Orde stays connected to its graduates throughout their lives, offering emotional and financial support as needed. Village staff offers graduates guidance in drafting resumes, interviewing, professional networking, and employment resources. Yemin Orde's "Home Away From Home" provides graduate-soldiers a place to stay for Shabbat or time off, as well as emergency temporary housing. The promise that "Yemin Orde will always be there for you" is important to every person who has ever lived at the Village.



In 2020, when the coronavirus pandemic resulted in lockdowns and financial insecurity throughout Israel, Yemin Orde provided food vouchers and crisis stipends to graduates in dire need.

The Village's annual Graduates Day program is one of the most important events of the year. Alumni typically return to the Village and meet in groups with teens who are deeply influenced by these role models. In this way, graduates "give back" to the Yemin Orde community, as well as network with friends, staff, and teachers. Alumni are also eligible for higher education scholarships. The Village's graduate program is 100 percent supported through philanthropy.

## Lika Khukhasvili

Lika arrived in Israel from the Republic of Georgia, alone, to live and learn at Yemin Orde Youth Village. The Village's supportive team helped Lika strengthen learning skills and understand what she wanted to do in life. After serving with distinction in Israel's military, Lika is now a computer teacher at Yemin Orde. She enjoys helping other youth achieve their potential, much like the opportunities she received as a youth at the Village.

## Eden Igzau

Eden and her family made Aliyah to Israel from Ethiopia when she was eight years old. She arrived at Yemin Orde as a shy teen but thrived in the Village's supportive community. Today, after serving with distinction in Israel's military, Eden attends university at IDC-Herzliya and is studying for a dual degree in law and government. "My dream is to be able to change and help other lives and to be able to give back to society like Yemin Orde has done for me," Eden said.

## Aviel Eyal

Aviel arrived at Yemin Orde after rejection and expulsion from several high schools in Israel. Only Yemin Orde Youth Village believed in him and welcomed him with open arms. At the Village, Aviel developed confidence in himself and his abilities to achieve success. He graduated in 2019 and now serves in the Israel Defense Forces. Aviel remains connected to his friends and staff at the Village. He knows that Yemin Orde will always be there for him. "Because of Yemin Orde, I am a different man. I am a different brother, a different citizen, a different child, a different everything," Aviel said.



# Village Way Educational Initiatives

Village Way Educational Initiatives (VWEI) was established in 2006 to scale the innovative Village Way educational methodology developed at Yemin Orde Youth Village. The program provides educational solutions that positively impact at-risk youth, families, and communities throughout Israel. Today, VWEI is the driving force behind a national educational movement in Israel empowering educators to positively impact thousands of youth.

## 2020 VWEI Impact by the Numbers



**60**  
Community Partners



**37**  
High Schools



**15**  
Youth Villages



**3**  
Therapeutic Villages



**2750**  
Educators trained in the Village Way methodology.



**25.5k**  
At-Risk Youth touched by the Village Way.



**3**  
Gap-year pre-military leadership programs (Mechinot).



**950**  
Commanders and officers in the IDF and Border Police all use Village Way training.



**300**  
College students have taken a Village Way course.

**“Your partnership, even during times of home isolation, has truly strengthened us, providing tools we can use tomorrow, not just more tasks to be carried out.”**

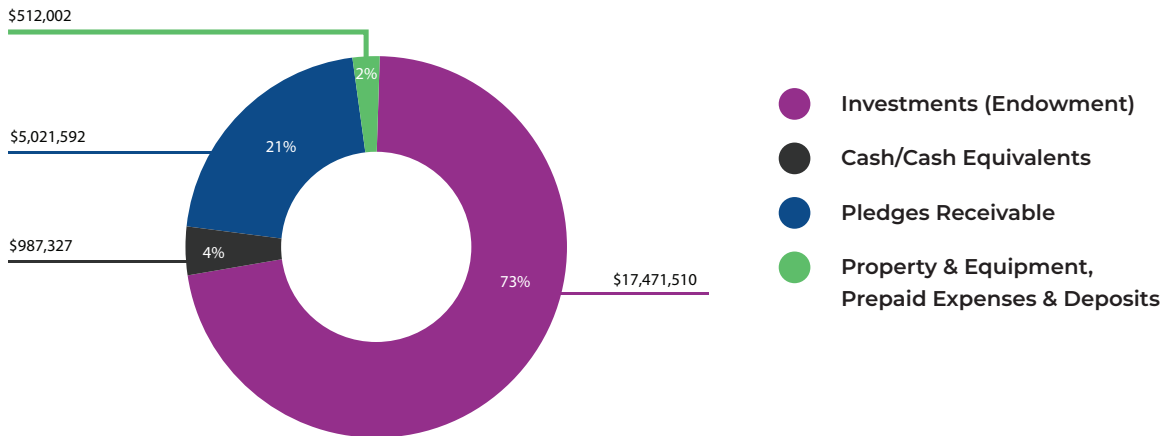
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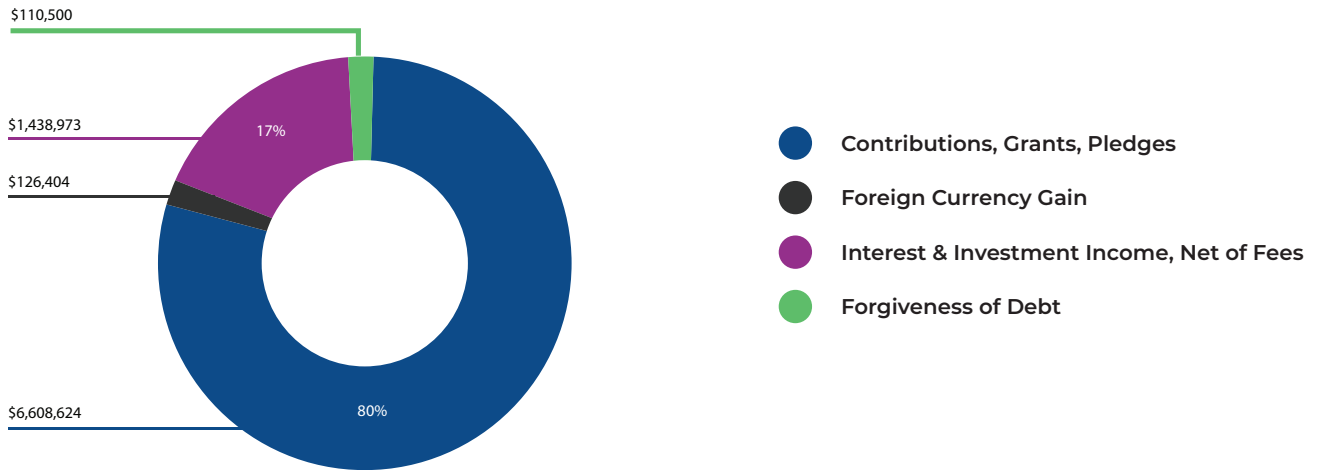
Principal of Tuviyahu High School, Be'er Sheva

# Financials

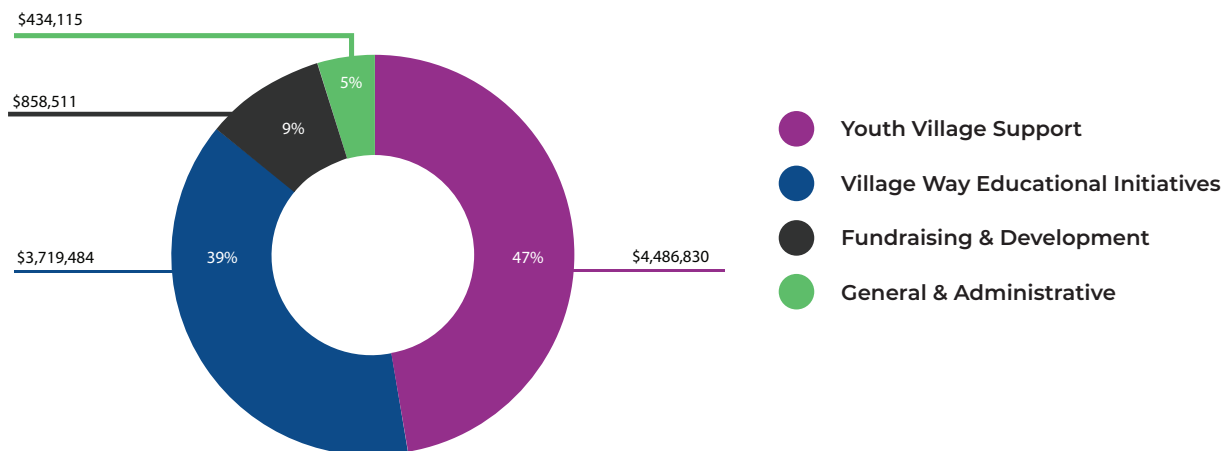
## Assets as of 12/31/2020 (Total: \$23,992,431)



## 2020 Revenue



## 2020 Expense Allocations



# L'Chaim Society

Members of ImpactIsrael's L'Chaim Society have set plans for a legacy commitment to ImpactIsrael, or have let us know they intend to. The name L'Chaim has, of course, multiple meanings. It honors Chaim Peri, the remarkable educational visionary. It is also our traditional exclamation of celebration. Most of all, membership is an emblem of pride and an unending commitment to transform the lives of at-risk youth and build Israel's security and future. Am Yisroel Chai!



We celebrate L'Chaim Society members by inscribing their names on the L'Chaim Society Wall of Honor at the Village and recognizing them in ImpactIsrael's Annual Report. L'Chaim Society members also receive invitations to exclusive events, receive insider reports, and access to leadership briefings. When in Israel, the Village will host members and their families for tours, meetings with staff and our children.

If you've arranged for a bequest already but haven't let us know or you'd like to discuss becoming a member of the L'Chaim Society, contact Bob Gurmankin at [Bob@ImpactIsrael.org](mailto:Bob@ImpactIsrael.org) or call 973-998-4709 to indicate your interest.

## L'Chaim Society Members

- Anonymous (2)
- Miriam Alimonos
- Frederic H. Arnold DDS, Victoria L. Arnold
- Robert and Amy Arogeti
- Kathy and Michael Azeez
- Harriet and George Blank
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- Nick Bunzl
- Susan and Mark Claster
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- Fineshriber Family Foundation
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- Kathi and Joseph Wahed z"l
- Eveline and Guy Weyl
- Marcie and Howard Zelikow

## This will be Our Legacy



**Dena and Vic Hammel**  
Wyomissing, Pennsylvania

It was love at first sight! On a mission to Israel in 1999 with CMS of Philadelphia, we stopped at Yemin Orde for a few hours. I was immediately impressed with its goals of rearing and educating orphans (or virtual orphans) from around the world. But beyond the admiration of its objectives was the emotion of meeting both the enthusiastic kids and the warm, deeply devoted staff and teachers. In the words of Shimon Peres, this was the embodiment of the Israel we all dream and hope for.

I couldn't wait to get home to tell my wife, Dena, my kids Melissa, Jed, and Jamie. I also approached our Federation to add Yemin Orde to its list of recipients. The love affair with Yemin Orde continued with Dena and me making

more family visits, leading a community mission and on other missions. I can truthfully say that just about everyone who has visited the village has agreed with us – Yemin Orde was a major highlight if not THE highlight of their visit to Israel.

Yemin Orde has become a significant aspect of our lives. I've proudly served on the Friends of Yemin Orde Board (now Impact Israel) for 20+ years. The Reading PA Federation not only made Yemin Orde a recipient but adopted it and their great children. Dozens of our community have included Yemin Orde while in Israel to visit "our kids", the YO Choir has sung in Reading where they interacted with our Hebrew High teenagers, and several of those teenagers have worked at Yemin Orde on summer break, and a few became pen pals. Our Federation raised money every year for nearly 20 years including enough to fully refurbish a dorm. (Look for Abraham Lincoln house next time you're at YO!)

We are thrilled that the methodology that Yemin Orde has been using for 450 children each year is now impacting 25,000+ at-risk youth at 60 educational communities through the Village Way Educational Initiatives.

The first time I met my wife, Dena (January 19, 1966), I just knew I was going to marry her. Love at first sight. And here we are 55 years later. No different than Yemin Orde. Every time we go back, we have the same great feeling – a combination of a smile on our face and tears in our eyes. We are SO delighted with what our contributions for 20+ years have been accomplishing for the lives of these kids...and the impact they are making on our beloved Israel. We continue to be impressed with the devotion and commitment of the staff both veterans and new.

We want all of that to continue even after we're gone. We have made a couple of legacy gifts to ImpactIsrael via the L'Chaim Society – a life insurance policy a number of years ago when our finances were limited and now a Bequest in our wills. Dena and I both came from modest circumstances. We feel wonderful that we are able to do this.

# Our Board of Directors

## 2020 - 2021 ImpactIsrael Board of Directors

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Karen Sallerson\*

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# Honor Roll

ImpactIsrael is grateful to our generous community of supporters for their unwavering commitment to Israel's at-risk youth

The following categories reflect total giving 1/1/20-12/31/20. Sustaining Friends, listed in bold type, are donors who contribute \$1,000 or more to our annual campaign AND have expressed their intent to continue their support annually.

## **\$1,000,000+**

- **The Marcus Foundation**

## **\$500,000 - \$999,999**

- **The Azeez Foundation**

## **\$250,000 - \$499,999**

- Anonymous (2)
- **Linda and Michael Frieze**
- **Paula and Jerry z"l Gottesman**
- **Charles Gwirtsman and Nancy Reichman**

## **\$100,000 - \$249,999**

- **Suzi and David Cordish and Family**
- **Gelfand Family Charitable Trust**
- **Nancy and Stephen z"l Grand**
- **Dena and Vic Hammel**
- **The Janey Fund**
- **One 8 Foundation**
- **Yadira and Todd Patkin**
- **Harriette and Ted Perlman**
- **The Rosalinde and Arthur Gilbert Foundation**
- **Susan and Barry Tatelman**
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## **\$50,000 - \$99,999**

- Anonymous (2)
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- **Harriet and George Blank**

## **\$50,000 - \$99,999 (Cont)**

- **Carl Marks Foundation - Mark and Susan Cluster**
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- **Linda and Arthur Schwartz**
- **Barbara and Ed Shapiro**
- **The Zalik Foundation Fund**

## **\$25,000 - \$49,999**

- **Melissa and Paul Anderson**
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- **Frances z"l Bunzl**
- **Yoly and Mark Davis**
- **Donna and David Frieze**
- **Barbara Goldman**
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## **\$25,000 - \$49,999 (Cont)**

- **The Baron de Hirsch Fund**
- **Jewish Federation of Reading**
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- **Richard Master**
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## **\$10,000 - \$24,999**

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- Mark Hackner
- Shani and Michael Henschel
- **Ronne and Donald Hess Foundation**
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- Jacobson Jewish Community Foundation of the Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County
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- Jewish Teen Foundation of Greater Boston
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- Lois Schnitzer
- Fabienne and Doug Silverman

### **\$5,000 - \$9,999 (Cont)**

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- Susan and Bob Mayer
- Rita and Bob Miller
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- Seed The Dream Foundation
- Barbara and Arthur Sheer
- **Joanie and Lewis Shubin**
- **Marilyn and Josh z"l Shubin and Family**
- **Aviva and Paul Silberberg**
- Sklare Family Foundation
- Jordan Smoller
- MaryAnn and Stanley Snider
- The Snider Foundation, Tina Snider
- Myra and Robert Snyder
- The Kurt and Rose Stanger Charitable Trust
- Kathryn and Richard Wandoff
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- Leslie and Harris Wildstein
- Diane and Howard Wohl
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- **Debra Yanofsky and Steve Shulman**
- Zionist House/Israel Cultural Center

### **\$1,000 - \$2,499**

- Anonymous (8)
- The Albert Family Charitable Fund

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- The Frances Bunzl Fund (Music)
- Susan E. Pollack Fund (Scholarships)
- Hattie and Arnold Segal Fund (Learning Center)
- Ben Snyder Fund (Scholarships)
- Marvin Tucker Memorial

## Named Endowment Funds (Cont)

- Education Fund (Computer Center)
- The Sue and George Viener Family Fund (Undesignated Support Yemin Orde)

## Bequests

- Estate of Frances Bunzl
- Estate of Suzanne F. Cohen
- Estate of Shirley Liebowitz
- Estate of Ester McDonald

## Federations, Schools, and Congregations

- The Israel-World Jewry Bureau of the Birmingham Jewish Federation
- Congregation Emanu-El of the City of New York
- Greater Miami Jewish Federation
- Iranian American Jewish Federation of New York (IAJF)
- Jacobson Jewish Community Foundation of the Jewish Federation of South Palm Beach County
- Jewish Center of the Hamptons
- Jewish Federation of Greater Middlesex Cty.
- Jewish Federation of Broward County
- Jewish Federation of Durham-Chapel Hill
- Jewish Federation of Greater Atlanta
- Jewish Federation of Greater Los Angeles

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- Jewish Federation of Reading
- Jewish Federation of Somerset, Hunterdon & Warren Counties
- Mount Hermon Baptist Church – Philadelphia, PA.
- Savannah Jewish Federation
- United Jewish Federation of Pittsburgh
- Jewish Center of the Hamptons
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