

Hakshivu! Hakshivu!

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CREATING CAMP TAKES A VILLAGE

Celebrating Herzl Family

“At camp, every prayer is a song... It feels so amazing when you are there with all of camp.”

*- B'yachad Camper
(pg 7 for more)*

Each week, we sing “Mah Rabu,” and campers and staff share their magical moments. This new tradition began a few years back, and now several summers later, it is entrenched as though it has always been and will always be a part of camp. This new tradition, inspired by Rabbi Abraham Joshua Heschel, centers on living our lives in radical amazement of the world and those around us.

In this Hakshivu, we share our radical amazement for all the Herzl Family, the village that works together, does to create Herzl Camp anew each summer. From the wonders of new programming

executed smoothly; from homes opened to our international staff; from volunteers trekking across the country to bring sailing back to Herzl and teach in Mickey's Mitbach; from bus volunteers alternately braving triple digit heat and deluges to safely transport hundreds of campers to and from camp; from alumni returning to camp after decades away to discover the ruach and friendships deeper and sweeter than when they left.

You are the Herzl Family and you are our Mah Rabu moment. **Read on** for stories of how you make the dream real, summer after summer.

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CREATING A LOVE OF JUDAISM

Mah Rabu moments

For many years, camp staff, volunteers, committee and board members have been working to deepen our Judaic and Israeli education. We've prepared the soil and planted seeds, and sometimes we get to stand back and appreciate how the campers and summer staff tend to and harvest those fruits. Many of my Mah Rabu moments this summer were in witnessing the full expression of those years of work and attention!

Herzl's Mah Rabu tradition began with a group of Conerstone Fellows, 4-6 returning staff who attend a national conference focused on creating intentional and meaningful Jewish programming at camp. A few years ago, the Fellows developed the idea of adding a "Mah Rabu" prayer and weekly focus during Shabbat services to acknowledge the wonderful and amazing moments of the camp week.

I was radically amazed as our traditional B'yachad/Kadimah Ultimate game grew to include the Ruach Award: Given by the team captains to a member of the opposing team or group to recognize sportsmanship, integrity and true ruach, defined as the ability to positively affect a group with your attitude and actions.

I hummed the Mah Rabu prayer as our focus on integrating Middot (soul traits like discipline or kindness) into all chugim and activities blossomed into the Mensch Award. Campers and staff are nominated by their peers for truly exemplifying the week's middah in daily

camp life and two are honored with a Maftir aliyah.

In a summer filled with magical, amazing moments, one moonlit night stands out. It showed me how deeply our Jewish programming takes root in our campers as they develop into young adults.

On that July night, I was on a "walk and talk" with a staff member when we passed the Mercaz, our outdoor prayer space overlooking the lake. The sight of the moon took our breath away! An almost full moon, against a clear sky, reflecting on a peaceful Devils Lake. As we took a moment to appreciate it, we knew it was too good not to share.

So I radio'd the B'yachad RK's (roshei k'vutza or group leaders). I had a feeling our oldest campers would appreciate it.

And so they came. Out of the quiet of camp. To the Mercaz. As one large group. The Yachers gathered together under the beauty of the natural world.

I knew that camp was doing something right when the campers broke out into "Mah Rabu." The k'vutza (group) then sang the "Moon Song," a nightly song mainly sung by female-identified cabins until recently, and then the shema.

It's moments like this where I believe, in my heart of hearts, in the power of camp. A full moon sighting that brings about community, organic participation in Jewish ritual and tradition, acknowledgement of awe and wonder, and appreciation of the surroundings.

Wow. Just wow.



DREA LEAR



From the president

The ecosystem that is Herzl Camp doesn't exist without all of its core components—well beyond campers, full-time employees, summer staff, and its lay leadership boards. If not for our countless summer volunteers, year-round committee members, office support, and all those who help in big and small ways to create a great Jewish camping experience, Herzl would not be—well—Herzl!

I want to thank our volunteer doctors and medical professionals. I want to thank camper care and support teams. I want to thank those who grind it out at the bus stops, airport runs, and everyone who opens their homes to our staff who come from across the country and the globe (and now with Aussies and Brits, in addition to our Israeli crew, we really are an international camp!). And those who send our b'nai mitzvah gifts and birthday cards so they feel camp's love yearround. There are great thinkers who help to develop curriculum for

our new summer programs, and those who make the drive to camp to coach, mentor, teach, tutor, and even drive a boat or two.

Thank you to our friends, parents, bloggers, podcasters, and grandparents whose years of wisdom guide new parents through the packing, bus logistics, laundry 101, and the eventual and challenging “camper re-introduction to society” with their experience and summer life-hacks.

A special thank you as always to our full-time staff who truly live-and-breathe Herzl 24-hours a day in the summer... They leave family and friends, run on little sleep and carry the burden and privilege of shaping the lives of our campers and staff. I imagine each summer adds a few gray hairs along with the precious memories that only those few who have walked in their shoes can fully appreciate.

I spent a lot of time this summer at camp with staff and campers. On every trip I was blown away at the pure joy, ruach, shtick, learning, and growth of the kids and the staff. With the introduction of the new waterfront, the boating, and the amazing Teyelet, camp continues to rise to the challenge—to grow and evolve, as we nurture these great Jewish kids and future leaders.

And again, none of it can happen without the full ecosystem. Some give a little, some give a lot, and every bit matters. So thank you to so many who give to camp in so many ways to make Herzl—well—Herzl!



ED HOFFMAN

Director's clipboard

We will be forever grateful to Marlys and Elliott Badzin for the gift of our 5-star waterfront and Teyelet. Those who were lucky enough to experience it left very impressed with its beauty and excited about what it brings to camp for generations to come. And we are thrilled to be adding even more waterfront toys and programmatic adventures this coming summer.

With this expansion, we went from 13 lifeguards in 2018 to over 40 in 2019, which leads me to my point: Smack in the middle of Herzl's mission statement it states, “young people become self-reliant, creating lasting Jewish friendships and develop commitment and love for Judaism and Israel.” Nowhere does it state it only applies to Jews.

Last year we employed 10 international staff at camp, mainly to provide experienced, skilled, and trained waterfront staff. They also served successfully in many other areas of camp. They came to us from Australia, United Kingdom, South Africa, and even Eau Claire. They are not Jewish, and many of them had never even met a Jew.

They came to Herzl with open minds, hearts, and arms—with no idea about what to expect, only knowing they had a job to do. And they all performed magnificently. (See page 6 for more details.)

In their exit interviews, I was touched to hear how, like thousands of young people before them, Herzl has now become their home, too. Many of them

want to come back! They made lasting Jewish friendships and developed a love for Judaism and Israel. (Albeit, they are a little confused that the Shabbat whites is just a camp thing, so be kind if they show up in white at your temple.)

Think how wonderful it is that they now bring that love and ruach (and all their Herzl regalia) to their home country, becoming ambassadors of Herzl, Judaism and Israel, and spreading good will around the world. Win!



GARY KIBORT

SUSTAINING CAMP IN PERPETUITY

Herzl today, tomorrow, forever

Herzl Camp is an independent camp built and sustained by generous alumni and parents like you. Because we are not part of a movement, federation, JCC, or umbrella agency, camp tuition and individual donations are our only sources of support. One way for you to ensure that Herzl thrives now and forever is to create an endowed fund.

We recognize our newly created endowments here. All fund stories and pictures are available on our website. It's a Mah Rabu moment to see how the love for camp spans generations and geography! Visit <http://herzlcamp.org/donate/herzl-endowment-funds/> for more.

THE AUDRA AND LOREN MINTZ FAMILY FUND

The Mintz Family recently established a family fund to mainly benefit the waterfront, including supporting continual upkeep and operations, staff training, purchase of new equipment and supplies, maintenance, and salaries as needed. Any surplus funds will be used to help with Camp's greatest needs.

Audra and Loren met at Herzl over 20 years ago when Audra was an Ozo and Loren was the Boating Director. Each grew their love for Camp by attending many summers as campers and then staff members. They cherish the camp experience because it led to their own relationship and family, along with countless fond memories and friend-



The Mintz Family today

ships that have lasted throughout the years.



Audra and Loren as campers

They are excited to give back through this fund as their children are now starting their camp journeys. The entire family has already spent many wonderful Shabbatot at Family Camp together, and this past summer their twins were in Noar. Their youngest is counting down the summers until she can go.

Both are forever thankful to Herzl and the time they spent there and hope this fund will help future campers and staff to make some amazing memories and have the best summers of their lives.

BRADLEY BIRNBERG AND STACY PINCK FAMILY ENDOWMENT FUND

The Birnberg Pinck family recently created an endowment to provide unrestricted support to Herzl Camp. While many Herzl endowments come from friends who have a lifelong love for Herzl, who live and breathe camp, the Birnberg Pinck family have made Herzl a giving priority for different reasons.

"Herzl was right for some of our kids at times but not for others, and that's ok!" Stacy said. "We are making this commitment because we value the role that Herzl plays in our community."

"We are passionate about Jewish education and giving kids a chance to connect to the community," Brad said. "We hope that we can play a small role in the work Herzl does, helping kids find their own place in our Jewish world. Herzl is one important way to give everyone a place to feel good about being Jewish."

Brad and Stacy's charitable focus is to support the community as a whole.



Brad Birnberg and Stacy Pinck

"We believe that in supporting organizations like Herzl, we can help the community continue to grow and thrive."



Thank you!

Fourteen funds have been established this year, each securing a \$5,000 donation from JCamp180 - a total of \$70,000 so far! We are just one fund short of maxing out this matching challenge! Will you be the one?

Endowment and program funds

Many friends of camp are considering their part in sustaining Herzl's future. Together, we are building an endowment that will sustain camp today, tomorrow, and forever. Endowments provide a permanent source of funding that camp can count on year in and year out. An endowment, in your name or in the name of a loved one, leaves a legacy of ruach and joyous Judaism. You can ensure that Jewish youth gather around our campfires, now and forever.

\$1,000,000 and above

Harold & Cindi Goldfine and Family Kitchen Fund

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\$500,000 - \$999,999

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Fiterman Endowment Funds
Fiterman Leadership Development Fund
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\$250,000 - \$499,999

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\$100,000 - \$249,999

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The Nancy and Steve Schachtman and Family Capital Reserve Fund
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The Richard and Judith Spiegel, Lawrence Spiegel Scholarship Fund

\$50,000 - \$99,999

1960-64 Staff Scholarship Fund
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\$25,000 - \$49,999

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\$10,000 - \$24,999

1968-73 Staff Scholarship Fund

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1994 Ozrim Fund

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Audra and Loren Mintz Family Fund

Pam and Jon Passman Family Fund

Amir Pelleg Memorial Scholarship Fund

Richard and Susan Proman Family Fund

Nancy and Kevin Rhein Family Fund

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Herb and Joyce Wolk Memorial Camp Scholarship Fund

Dawn and Danny Zouber Family Fund

SUMMER STAFF SHARE WHAT CAMP MEANS TO THEM

Herzl staff create camp's ruach

As we take stock of our 74th summer and look ahead to our 75th year, we are stopping for a Mah Rabu moment to acknowledge our staff. The Herzl magic is the product of each member of the Herzl family making a choice—a choice to send your child to camp, a choice to recommend camp to a friend, a choice to provide a scholarship for a family in need... Our staff make a choice each hour of each day of every summer to bring the ruach, make the magic, go one step further to make a camper feel special, make a discussion memorable, a flag song funny, or a Havdallah unique.

Herzl is blessed with many long-term staff. Among our year-round staff, the average tenure is close to a decade—the newbies are those who can't remember the Old Chadar or the time before backs on the Mercas benches. We are fortunate to have their institutional memory and dedication.

This longevity isn't unique to our full-time staff; our summer staff also can number their camp Shabbats in the dozens. Nearly all of Herzl's staff grew up at our camp. It is not uncommon for our staff to be the children and grandchildren of Herzl alumni. Carrying on camp traditions is one of the things that makes Herzl unique. The dedication that our staff show to the next generation of campers is radically amazing.

We asked some of this summer's staff to share a moment that they treasure from the summer. Not surprisingly, they focused on legacy and history: "Best moment of this summer was seeing how my campers grew closer as friends," Sam Schachtman said. "I love working with my friends to give campers as good of a summer as we had when we were campers."

"This summer I had the amazing opportunity to cheer along with my Kadimah campers as we defeated the Kadimah Wall," Eliana Smelansky said. "It was so surreal seeing my campers bond together,

just as I bonded with my Kadimah five years ago."

It continues on as alumni, too. Every summer, we welcome back the Ozrim from 10 years before. These twenty-six year-olds return to spend a Shabbat at camp, teaching and learning from this year's Ozrim and staff, returning to their roots and contributing to the on-going Herzl legacy.

Year after year, the torch moves slowly from one generation to the next, we are blessed with history, rich in ruach, and tied to tradition...



Our international staff exploring the Great Lakes area on a day off. Many continue their travels after camp visiting attractions all over North America.

So what happens when a radically amazing expansion of camp's waterfront forces camp to throw open the doors and welcome in skilled staff who have never been to Herzl or to the United States, and for some, never met a Jewish person before?! It was a wonderful infusion of much-needed skills and fresh eyes and ideas for our beloved traditions.

This summer, we brought 33 staff from around the world to camp. They came ready to teach swimming, sailing, windsurfing, and waterskiing. Twenty families opened their homes to give

these staff a homebase for days off. Our summer staff opened their homes, provided rides, and helped navigate institutions like the social security office and Uber.

Here's some of our international staff's thoughts on the experience: "I tried to prep myself by watching old Herzl YouTube videos and scrolling through camp's website, so I felt like I had a feeling Herzl. However, I worried that not knowing the customs or prayers would be a problem, but so many people helped me learn everything that I needed to know," Ryan Van Blaricom said. "I found

out that I am more open minded than I thought I was. After my first weekend, Shabbat became one of the highlights of my summer."

"I was excited and interested to learn about Jewish culture but I was also a little nervous because I had never met a Jewish person before, but after my first day, all the nerves went away," Emma Backen said. "I got to learn so much! I made lifelong friends and had so many memorable moments."

It was an experience of a lifetime and something I will remember and be grateful for forever."

We take this moment to say Mah Rabu for every staff person's choice to bring the ruach every hour of every day, to welcome the stranger, to celebrate tradition and strive to give campers the best summer of their lives, summer after summer.

Why I love coming to camp

I have been going to Herzl Camp since I was 7; it is my home away from home! Herzl Camp is a wonderful place that allows me to be with my closest friends while embracing my religion and escaping reality. At Herzl, I am able to be myself.

At Herzl, I am able to try new things and be myself without worrying what people think of me, allowing me to make true friends. I can be silly and weird without worrying about what people think of me. Being able to be yourself without having to mask the qualities you might find unattractive really helps to build strong and lasting friendships.

At Herzl, I am able to escape the reality of the real world and let go of everything. There are no phones allowed at camp, no social media or texting, so I can disconnect. Being without my phone for the summer is a great feeling; it helps everyone bond with each other without having a phone glued to their hand. It allows you to make more personal connections with other people and build authentic friendships. Being without technology also helps us be less stressed, free from the pressure of social media.

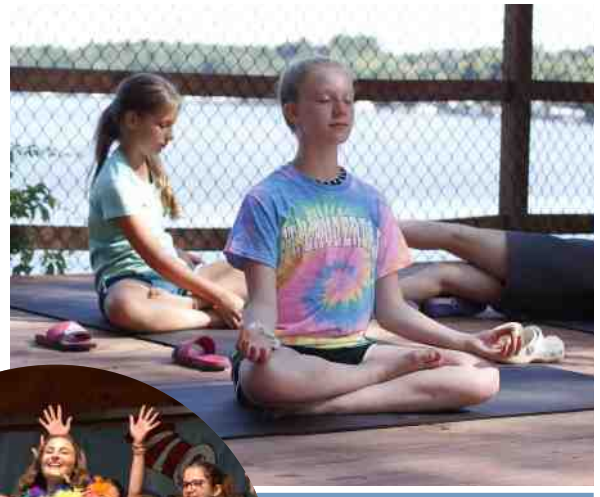
Herzl is in the middle of Wisconsin, surrounded by what most people picture the midwest to be: cornfields and trees. Being in the middle of nowhere really helps campers to forget about realities like school and all the other problems that cause stress. At Herzl, campers are isolated from the real world both physically and technologically, creating a carefree and relaxed environment.

Herzl helps me to feel more Jewish - to embrace my Judaism and enjoy it. At camp, everything is kosher, we pray before and after we eat, and we have a designated time every morning for Jewish education. This may not sound fun, but it really is!

At camp, every prayer is a song that comes with hand motions and dances, and the praying in the mornings usually involves games and activities.

While all parts of camp are fun, the most special part is Shabbat. Shabbat makes me feel the most connected to Judaism; it is a magical experience. Every Friday evening we get extra time to shower and dress nicely; everyone at camp wears white. We have a caravan where everyone holds pinkies and goes around camp singing songs in Hebrew.

Then we have a service at the Mercaz, overlooking the lake, where all of camp comes together and prays. The Mercaz is one of my favorite places in camp, it makes me feel so Jewish and connected to God and everything around me.



Trying new things without worrying what people will think...I can be silly and weird...At camp, I can be myself.



It feels so amazing when you are at the Mercaz with all of camp, sitting next to your best friends singing prayers as the sun gets closer to the horizon. I just look around at the beautiful scenery and it feels wonderful.





SUMMER 2019 IN PHOTOS

For the 74th summer, campers and staff spent the summer immersed in joyful Judaism. In many ways, this summer was no different than a summer five decades ago. Campers stepped onto a bus that took them far from home. They stepped off in Webster, WI, and began creating their own Jewish community, full of friendships, fun and shtick, new challenges, deep discussions, self-discovery, along with the occasional mosquito bite.

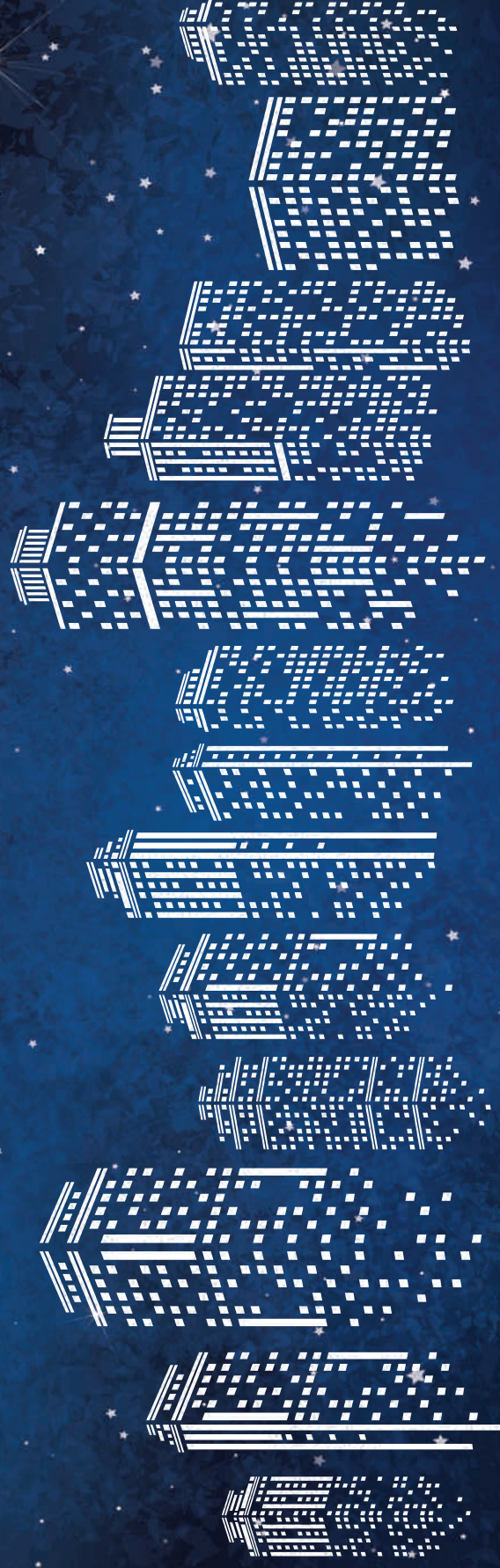




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11.16.2019

HERZL IN THE CITY



An evening to raise funds for camp programs, services, and scholarships
Tickets available at herzlcamp.org



SUMMER 2019 IN PHOTOS

As much as camp remains the same l'dor v'dor, details change each summer. Programs and traditions come and go and the ruach remains the same. This summer saw many new activities on our fantastic new waterfront, and waterskiing was by far the best new chug. Windsurfing and wakeboarding gave many campers a chance to master a new skill. Woodworking, ceramics, and guitar gave their creativity an outlet. The farm brought us in touch with nature and God's grand creation. In the kitchen, we learned the science of pickling, emulsifying, and fermentation...and got to eat the delicious fruits of our labor!



HALL OF FAME 2019

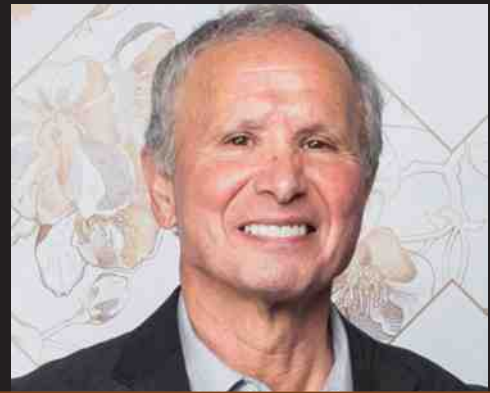


Richard Bachrach

Richard's devotion to Herzl Camp began when he first fell in love with camp as the child of one of camp's first year-round employees, Beth Bachrach. Beth served for many years as "camp secretary," the sole year-round employee responsible for all the details that make camp happen each summer. In time, Richard, became a Herzl camper and staff.

In the decades since, there has rarely been a volunteer role or need that Richard did not fill, serving on boards and committees, directing traffic at buses and visitors days, and putting his photography talent to work for camp.

Richard exemplifies the grassroots support needed for an independent, community-built camp to thrive!



Bruce Fink

Bruce spent just two years as a camper but his love of camp continued on to a lifetime of service, both professionally and personally.

Bruce has served on camp's boards of directors and as a fundraiser in every one of camp's campaigns. Using his expertise to guide camp's risk management practices, Bruce has spent countless hours working to ensure that campers, staff, and camp are safe and protected.

"I loved camp myself but seeing how camp affected my son's development and how the camp's network of alumni supported him in his career made Herzl's impact so clear. To be a small part of the life-changing stuff that camp creates every day is truly an honor."

Celebrate with us as we induct the Class of 2019 at Herzl in the City on November 16.

Since our founding in 1946, Herzl Camp has depended on the passionate support of the Herzl Family. In big and small ways, volunteers, donors, and staff have shaped Herzl Camp and ensured its future. Over the years, some individuals' contributions have stood out as exceptional in their size, depth, persistence, or visionary nature. The Herzl Hall of Fame honors and acknowledges the contributions of these individuals. Inductions are made every two years; nominations are accepted continuously.

Nominate your Herzl Hero today at <http://herzlcamp.org/alumni/hall-of-fame/>



Andy Halper

For a generation of campers and staff, Andy Halper has been the soul of Herzl Camp. As a camper, counselor, Papa Ozo, and camp director, his larger-than-life personality created a uniquely inspiring and inspired environment at Herzl.

Andy has the ability to gauge an individual's talent and inspire them to challenge themselves and each other. "Never settle for boring," was one mantra that has stayed with many over the decades. While Andy left camp in 1980, he never left his role as a leader. He continues to support his campers and to nourish their connections to each other, to their Jewish soul, and to camp.

Andy embodies our core value of creating community and lifelong friendships.



Steve Heller

Steve attended Herzl only once and while there, met his future bride, Bonnie. He returned to camp with Bonnie and their children in the 1970s as a camp doctor.

Steve led a concerted effort to recruit volunteer physicians. Over time, the "doctors program" grew in numbers and complexity. Policies and procedures were put in place and campers, staff and families began to see the doctor and nurse as a team they could rely on. Steve served as "Rosh Health" for 12 years before transferring the role to the capable hands of others who have continued to improve the health care program.

Herzl Camp is a better and safer place because of Steve and all of those dedicated volunteers who followed.

Recent tributes and memorials

**Thank you to our friends
who donate to camp!**

1960-64 Staff Scholarship Fund

Jerry Waldman & Judi Belzer

In honor of Natan HarPaz's 50
years of practicing psychotherapy

1968-1973 Staff Scholarship Fund

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In honor of Connie Butwinick's
birthday

In memory of Chernie Levinson

1972 Ozo Camper Scholarship Fund

Fran Carnevale

Bruce Orkin

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induction into the Herzl Camp
Hall of Fame

Bat Sheva Fund for Challenged Children

Richard Bachrach

In honor of Marvin Liszt's birthday

In honor of Steve & Nancy
Schachtman's anniversary

In memory of Bobby Ezrilov

In memory of Ronald Frick

Charlotte & Richard Berman Family Fund

Charlotte & Richard Berman

In memory of Bobby Ezrilov

In memory of Rose Zamansky

Chalfen Silvers Family Fund

Susan Chalfen & Dan Silvers

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In memory of Bobby Ezrilov

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Happy Fathers Day to Todd Cytron

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school graduation

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Speedy recovery to Mike Fiterman

Elaine & Gary Dachis Fund

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In honor of Gary Dachis' birthday

Jerry Waldman & Judi Belzer

In honor of Gabiella Marmet's Bat
Mitzvah

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In memory of Bobby Ezrilov

Vivian Ezrilov

In honor of Talia Braufman's
graduation

TODAH RABAH

Moving 750 campers safely from home to camp and back again is a monumental task. Each summer dozens of unsung heroes make sure that campers arrive safely at their destination, no matter the obstacles. Whether they are shvitzing in the blazing sun while collecting forgotten luggage or gamely entertaining homebound campers and soothing worried parents when flights are delayed, our crew of airport and bus volunteers' can-do attitude and generous spirit define the magic of camp.



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In honor of Amy Shiff's Bat Mitzvah

Samuel Reid

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In honor of Larry Braufman's birthday

Sherry & Steve Fredkove

In honor of Mildred Ingber's birthday

TODAH RABAH

When hundreds of children and college students come together to create their own Jewish community, bumps and bruises are bound to happen. Our volunteer medical corps provides 24/7 coverage, keeping campers and staff healthy. Beyond bee stings and sore throats, many campers' health conditions would prevent them from coming to camp without the care these generous professionals provide. Spending your vacation days to care for our campers and staff is truly a labor of love.

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Recent tributes and memorials

Sonia & Dan Galinson

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In honor of Eileen Garelick's birthday

Anita Geller

In honor of Arlene & Steve Winnick's birthdays

Sheila Goldstein

In honor of Sonia & Dan Galinson's anniversary

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In honor of Lisa & Corey Kotlarz

Gary & Stacy Kibort

In memory of Micki Naiman

Joy Levin & Marsh Greenberg

In honor of Bobbi & Merrill Fischbein's Simcha's

Arlene & Zvi Leibovich

In honor of Sam Schachtman's high school graduation

In honor of Noah Zaroff's high school graduation

Shirley & Burt Politz

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In honor of Shelley Segal's birthday

Rita Shear

In honor of Bob Baldinger's birthday

In honor of Peggy Kane's birthday

In honor of Nancy Markowitz's birthday

In honor of Jacob & Hannah's graduation

In honor of Zach & Sarika Ringer's marriage

Chloe Stillman

In honor of Paige Povitz's Bat Mitzvah

In honor of Sydney Povitz's Bat Mitzvah

Jerry Waldman & Judi Belzer

In honor of Gracie Kibort's graduation

Rosalyn Borg

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In memory of Bernie Karon

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Gary & Stacy Kibort & Family

In memory of Ruth Engel

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In memory of Gordon Singer

Barbara & Earl

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Barbara & Earl Hoffman

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In honor of Jamie Bonk's wedding

In honor of Stuart Chazin's Volunteer Award from the JCC

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In honor of Todd Leonard's birthday

In memory of Lou Ann Bongard

In memory of Judy Witebsky

Rader Leviton Family Fund

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Speedy recovery to Donna Leviton

TODAH RABAH

Our crew of host families provide a welcoming home base for our 15 Israeli campers and 40 international staff. Opening your home and hearts to this young people who are so far from their families is a gift that benefits the whole Herzl Family. You shoulder the joys and challenges of welcoming the stranger so camp can offer new and engaging programming.



Jewish Education Fund

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In honor of Larry Braufman's birthday

Mitzi & Terry Kane Family Fund

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In honor of Jerry & Louise Ribnick's new grandson

In memory of Gordon Singer

Speedy recovery Anita Geller

Speedy recovery Scott Lang

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In honor of Diane & Howard Kaplan's anniversary

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In memory of Dr. Harold Wexler

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In honor of Nancy Markowitz's birthday

Speedy recovery to Gloria Jaffee

Speedy recovery to Joanne Smith

Nancy & David Sadick

In honor of Harold Smith's birthday

Harold Smith

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In appreciation of Bob Rubenstein

In honor of Megan Welford's Bat Mitzvah

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TODAH RABAH

Each year, community members provide their expertise and time to help launch new programs. Whether it is lights and sound in the Ulam, sailing instruction at the waterfront, curriculum planning for the teaching kitchen, the wealth of talent and experience that you bring to camp enriches each and every summer.

**Lorraine Applebaum**

In memory of Lou Ann Bongard

In memory of Lois Devitt

In memory of Bobby Ezrilov

In memory of Natalie Harris

In memory of Frances Salper

In memory of Gordon Singer

Jay Applebaum

In memory of Natalie Harris

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5th - 6th Grade - **Ha'atid**
June 15 - July 5, (3 weeks), \$3,095
Or
July 14 - August 4, (3 weeks),
\$3,500

7th - 8th Grade - **Tzofim**
(3 weeks), June 15 - July 5, \$3,545

7th Grade - **Yesod**
July 14 - August 4, (3 weeks),
\$4,065

8th Grade - **Habonim**
July 14 - August 4, (3 weeks),
\$4,065

9th Grade - **Kadimah**
June 30 - August 4, (5 weeks),
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10th Grade - **B'yachad**
June 23 - August 4, (6 weeks),
\$6,335





CREATING A CONNECTED COMMUNITY

Herzl family news

BABIES



Baby Alex Jurisz

On July 15, Dani and Ben Jurisz welcomed their first child, a 6lbs, 12 oz bouncing baby boy named Alexander Michael. The family resides in Plymouth, MN.



Ari, Liz, and Hadar Yonah

Rabbi Ari Witkin and Liz Traison were blessed with a baby boy named Hadar Yonah on August 28. The family resides in Huntington Woods, MI.

ENGAGEMENTS

Drea Lear is engaged to David Winter. David is a longtime Camp Interlaken camper and staff, so he knows the drill when it comes to marrying a camp director...



Drea and David



Jamie and Josh

Jamie Diamond and Josh Kowitz became engaged on July 4. The couple resides in New York, NY.

WEDDINGS



Amy and Ari Goldstein

Amy Toberman and Ari Goldstein were married on August 25. The couple resides in Minneapolis, MN.



Shira Klane pic

Shira Klane and Tom LaDeau were married in September in Webster, WI, overlooking beautiful Devils Lake. The couple resides in San Diego.

ALUMNI NEWS

Before becoming a father in August, Ari Witkin became a rabbi in June. Ari was ordained by the Reconstructionist Rabbinical College in June and also completed his Masters in Nonprofit leadership at the University of Pennsylvania. Ari and his wife, Liz, relocated to Detroit where Ari is now the Director of Leadership Development at the Jewish Federation of Metro Detroit.





AGADAH WEEKEND

It was a joyful reunion for staff from the late 60s and early 70s - a dream that became real. With three days of bonfires, tie-dye, yoga, moonlit boat rides, meaningful services, and long nights laughing after lights-out, camp wasn't so different for our grown-up campers no matter how many decades had passed. Agadah Weekend showed us that creating a connected Jewish community and nourishing lifelong friendships happens for all ages at Herzl Camp.





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New specialty camp options in 2020

This summer, we have added two new specialty week options for 5th through 8th graders.

Water Sports Week and Creators Camp join our menu of options including Mit-bach Masters (cooking), Teva Adventure (wilderness trekking), and HUC (Herzl Ultimate Frisbee Clinic). For specialty campers, chug time (activity) is devoted to the camp's focus, and the rest of the day includes traditional camp fun and Jewish learning.

WATER SPORTS WEEK

Spend the week on the lake, learning to waterski, wakeboard, and wake surf. If you've never gotten up on skis or just



can't get enough time on the water, this week is for you!

CREATORS CAMP

Join in on the makers craze with a week spent designing and building your own

creations. Campers will work on individual and team projects that will grow their engineering and artistic abilities and ideas. Woodworking, arts and crafts, and hands-on creating are the focus. Campers of all genders who love DIY, creating, tinkering, and crafting will be challenged by this week in the shop!

Specialty camps can be stand-alone, one-week intensives or can be added-on to a 3-week camp session. Campers who stay on for a 3-week program participate in special intersession programming between sessions. Each camp is designed for all genders and all skill-levels. Specialty campers are bunked together by grade level and gender.

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