

# Sammy Gerstman's Mitzvah Project

## 11th Annual Alley Oop for Autism Funds to be donated to Family Center For Autism



In honor of my recent Bar Mitzvah, I have chosen to raise money for the **Ascent School for Autism** by participating in the **11th Annual Alley Oop for Autism 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament** in Jericho on March 25th and asking others to join me. Ascent is a private, non-profit school for children diagnosed with autism and atypical pervasive developmental disorders. It provides a full day, 12-month academic and behavioral treatment program to preschool and school age children ranging from 3-21 years of age.

I would like to invite my friends to enter teams into the tournament and to share this announcement with others who may be interested. The tournament is open to children grades 3 through 12 and there is also an Adult division (18+).

- If you would like to enter a team of 4-5 (5 is max) kids, please email Rochelle Gerstman ([rgsny@optonline.net](mailto:rgsny@optonline.net)) with the names of the children and their grade level. Registration for each child is \$40 which includes a reversible jersey.
- If your child would like to register individually, please email Rochelle Gerstman ([rgsny@optonline.net](mailto:rgsny@optonline.net)) with his/her name and grade level and we will try to put teams together with other individual players. Registration for each child is \$40 which includes a reversible jersey.

Please make out your check payable to **Family Center for Autism** and mail it to:

**Rochelle Gerstman**  
52 Villas Circle  
Melville, NY 11747

If your child is not able to play, I would appreciate any donation you can make.

***There are also sponsorships available. If you're interested in becoming a sponsor, please email Rochelle Gerstman ([rgsny@optonline.net](mailto:rgsny@optonline.net)).***



### **THE DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION IS MARCH 15TH.**

The tournament schedule will be provided on March 24th. We'll let everyone who is playing know as soon as we receive that information.

#### **TOURNAMENT DATE AND TIME**

Saturday, March 25, 2017  
12:00PM - 6:00PM

#### **TOURNAMENT LOCATION**

Jericho High School  
99 Cedar Swamp Road  
Jericho, NY 11753

If any parents and/or kids have an interest in volunteering at the tournament, please let us know and we'll contact you to discuss.

Please join me and help raise money for this amazing cause. I greatly appreciate your support.

Thank you!

**Sammy**