

# THE LEGACY FOR LIVING JUDAISM

Jewish camp is one of the best ways to ensure Jewish identity and Jewish continuity...

Who do we want our *children's* children to be?

...Pledging my support is an easy and effective way to keep Jewish camping vital and vibrant well into the future...

...I am extremely honored to be a Legacy supporter, and I encourage everyone to join.

- Harold Grinspoon

Jan Address • Rabbi Richard Address • Julie & Joel Africk • Ellen & Shawn Alexander • Anonymous • Ruben Arquitevich & Vivian Braly • Joel & Dub Ashner • Michael & Susan Austin • Rabbi Craig Adler • Ellen & Mark Balkin • Jeffrey & Karen Bank • Daniel Baratz • Roberta Bavin • David Berkman • Rabbi Alan Berlin • Rabbi Barry H.D. Block • Anna Blumenfeld • Joshua Bomze • Louis Bordman • Gary Brandt • Scott Braswell • Holaine & Bill Brauning • Barri Marsh Brunston • Marsha Cohen • Rabbi Valerie & Jonathan Cohen • Rabbi Norman & Andrea Cohen • Len & Roberta Cohn • Richard & Patti Courtheaux • Corey Cutler • Rabbi Matthew & Sharon Cutler • Melissa & Ralph Daniel, III • Steve & Suzie Daum • Rabbi Frank & Sarah DeWoskin • Louis & Sheila Dobin • Moshe Dollinger • Steve & Susan Donchin • Rabbi Ellen & Dr. James Dreyfus • Lois Erenberg • Roy Feinberg • Nancy & Jeffrey Fine • Jamie Beth Fleischer • Patricia & Michael Frazin • Melissa Anton Frey • Sally & Richard Friedman • Andrew Gamson • Jay & Robyn Gellman • Sue & James Gelsey • Mark & Karyn Gershon • Patricia Hertz Glascom • Michael & Arlene Glazer • Roberta & Rob Gitck • Arie Gluck • Diane & Peter Goldenning • David & Andrea Golub • Susan & Lou Good • Mel & Ellen Greenberg • Mrs. Edward C. Greene • Joanne & Fred Greene • Rabbi Mirah & Sheril Greenstein • Harold Grinspoon • Beth Grossfeld • Louis & Patti Grossman • Faylese Gruber • Liz & Alex Grumbacher • Rabbi Eric & Laura Gurvis • Rabbi Jason Givastoff & Lindy Passer • Bobby Harris • James Heeger & Daryl Messinger • Robert & Amy Heller • Greg & Kathy Hirsch • David & Sue Jackson • Peggy & L.R. Jalenak, Jr. • Beth Kanofsky • Howard & Cheryl Katz • Jan Katz • Dena Morris Kaufman • Todd Kaufman & Jennifer Brodkey Kaufman • Rabbi Jim & Sue Kaufman • Paula & Jerry Kaye • Rabbi Paul Kipnes & Michelle November • Mike & Michelle Klau • Rabbi Stephen & Joanne Klein • Rabbi Ron Klotz • Rabbis Ana Bonnheim & Asher Knight • Jean & Phil Kolovson • Steve & Myrna Krams • Debra Krolick • Becky & Alvin Labens • Rabbi Howard Laibson & Ellen Goldsmith • Joshua Laster • Cheri Lauterbach • Rabbi Roger Lerner • Theodore Levi • Harry & Mary Levy • Sarah & Jeff Lewis • Gail & Marshall Littman • Robin Erenberg-Lorah & Aaron Lorah • Susie & Michael Lorge • Rebecca Lunstroth • Rabbi Laurence & Samantha Malinger • Diane & Darryl Mallah • Leigh & R. Daniel Mansberg • Carol & Kevin Margolis • Brad & Janet Marion • Benjamin & Ruth Mendel • Lisa Messinger • Joan & Martin Messinger • Rabbi Sarah Messinger • Abraham Morris • Jean Mosow • Marc & Phyllis Newman • Leslie Noymer • Susan & David Olinsky • Rabbi Andrew Paley • Nancy & Richard Pechner • Marion Perlmutter • Jane Perlmutter • Rabbi Jonah Pesner & Dana Gershon Pesner • Daniel & Lisa Pliskin • Rabbi Les & Helene Polonsky • Frank Ponder • Linda & Mark Posner • Ari & Linda Presler • Scott Price • R. Gisele & Sheldon Prushan • Alyson & Joe Ray • Eric Rayvid • Ali Reich • Paul Reichenbach • Samuel & Kimberly Roberts • Robinow Family Trust • Rabbi Debra & Larry Robins • Jeff Rose • Dr. Jeffrey & Jennifer Ross • Stefani Rozen • Burton Ruby • Neal Sabin • Del & Randie Salmon • Robert & Pamela Saltzburg • Rabbi Herman & Lotte Schaalman • Rick Schiffman • Rabbi Jeremy & Rachel Schneider • Cantor Neil Schnitzer • Susan & Paul Schomer • Rosanne & David Selson • Rabbi Mark & Hanna Shapiro • Lawrence Sherman • Deborah Shreiber • Mark & Linda Silberman • Lawrence Simon • Lawrence Doreen Smith • Donna & David Sobel • James & Bess Soffer • Elizabeth & Michael Salka • Sylvia Sorkin • Scott & Sandy Stolberg • Eliot & Gale Swartz • Jerome & Ilene Sykes • Dr. Matthew & Sherri Tarr • Rabbi Joshua Taub • Michelle Tucker-Renfrow • Rabbi Vicki & Rob Tuckman • Francene & Seymour Van Os • Lauren Vines • Ben & Amanda Wachstein • Dr. Bettyruth Walter & Donald Goldberg • Rabbi Steve Weisman • Cantor Steven Weiss • Peter Wells • Susan & Howard Wiener • Lewis & Alisa Wiener • Wendy Wisker • Art Withop • Cynthia & Michael Wolf • Barbara & Steven Wolf • Rabbi David & Jane Wolfman • Susan Zuckrow & Jeff Makevich

We gratefully acknowledge the hundreds of visionary supporters already participating in the Legacy for Living Judaism.

Your local camp's development department staff will be pleased to work with you and your financial advisors to craft a planned gift or bequest that will meet both your charitable objectives and your financial goals.

[www.urjcamps.org/give](http://www.urjcamps.org/give)

All donors are advised to consult with and rely exclusively upon their own legal and/or tax advisors for tax and legal advice.

6 Points Sports Academy, Camp Coleman, Crane Lake Camp, Joseph Eisner Camp, Camp George, Goldman Union Camp Institute, Greene Family Camp, Camp Harlem, Henry S. Jacobs Camp, Camp Kalsman, Kutz Camp, Camp Newman, Olin-Sang-Ruby Union Institute

© 2010 Union for Reform Judaism Camps      Concept/Copy: The Spielman Group, Inc.



Who do you want your child to be?™

# URJ CAMP NEWMAN





# Camp Seneca Lake

## Alumni & Friends U•P•D•A•T•E

Friends of Camp Seneca Lake is an ever expanding group of friends and alumni who wish to stay connected to Camp and to each other. If you went to Camp Seneca Lake, or Camp Conesus before there was a CSL, we'd love to hear from you. Please let us know the years you went to camp and the best way to stay in touch with you. Email or phone CSL Assistant Director Debbie Zeeman with your contact information. In return you will receive a quarterly alumni newsletter and invitations to CSL Reunions and events. Debbie can be reached at [dzeeman@jccrochester.org](mailto:dzeeman@jccrochester.org) or 585-461-2000 ext. 263.

### *Become a Founding Member of the Camp Seneca Lake Legacy Society*

We invite you to become a Founding member of the CSL Legacy Society, created exclusively to give special recognition to friends and alumni of camp who help ensure the future of Camp Seneca Lake through gifts designated in their wills, trusts or estate plans. As a Legacy Society member, you'll be acknowledged in special ways and you will be invited to a variety of special programs designed exclusively for Legacy Society members. For information on becoming a founding member of the Legacy Society, please call Tammy Cohen at 585-461-2000 ext. 210 or email [tcohen@jccrochester.org](mailto:tcohen@jccrochester.org).

### *Camp Seneca Lake Campaign for our Future update*

Camp is \$150,000 away from reaching our \$1 million campaign goal by October 2010. All donations of more than \$3,600 qualify for 1:2 matching funds thanks to the generosity of the Cornell/Weinstein Family Foundation, the Kozel Kramer Fund Frank Family, and the Grinspoon Institute for Jewish Philanthropy. Call Tammy Cohen, 585-461-2000 ext. 210 for information on leveraging your support for Camp Seneca.



Parents (left to right) Trilby Dejung, Rhea Zweifler and Ruth Kramer enjoy the first moments of freedom after busses depart the JCC for CSL July Session. The informal brunch was hosted by the CSL Advisory Council and Tusc parents.



Conrad Wicks (CSL '50s) and Wendy Cukell Roizen (CSL '60s), from Salem, MA, were pleasantly surprised to learn they both attended CSL after meeting on an online dating site. They enjoyed reconnecting with camp at the Alumni Reunion, June 12-13.



Thanks to continued successful fundraising, and allocation of funds raised, first session campers enjoy the new "peace canoe" at the waterfront; the brand new fixed dock will serve the waterfront for many years to come.



The Cornell/Weinstein Family Foundation proudly dedicated the CSL flagpole in memory of Mike Nozik (CSL '75 to '88) at the recent camp reunion on June 13. Pictured with Gabriella Nozik, second from left, and representing all the Foundation Trustees are Josh Weinstein, Linda Cornell Weinstein and Sherwin Weinstein (l to r).



Founding members of the CSL Legacy Society celebrate their commitments to Camp Seneca Lake's future.



# Legacy

The opportunities  
are endless.

Legacy giving options gives you the ability to make plans today to make a gift to Camp Judaea now or in the future. Typically legacy gifts are wills, endowments, gifts of property, insurance policies or investments you own.

Please contact our office at 404-634-7883 to discuss a planned giving option.



[www.campjudaea.org](http://www.campjudaea.org)



## Will.

A valid "will" not only protects your loved ones, but it can also directly benefit Camp Judaea. You can give a specific percentage of your estate, a specific dollar amount or leave a specific asset. We would be pleased to discuss with you any terms or conditions of your bequest, to ensure that your gift is handled as you expressly desire.

## Life Insurance.

You may designate Camp Judaea as the beneficiary of an existing life insurance policy. Naming Camp as a beneficiary in this manner does not require a will.

## Outright Gifts.

These can include cash, securities, real estate and personal property, the outright donation of which can provide you or your estate with a valuable charitable donation receipt for income tax purposes and can make a substantial contribution to the long-term financial viability of Camp Judaea.

*Save the Date*

*Etz Chaim*  
Society Dinner

Monday, May 10, 2010  
6PM Hotel deLuxe

The Etz Chaim Society of B'nai B'rith Camp  
would like to thank you for being among the first Legacy Members

Please be our guest for cocktails, music and dinner  
For details contact Michelle Caplan at 503.345.9451 or [mcaplan@bbcamp.org](mailto:mcaplan@bbcamp.org)

# Alon Binyamin Legacy Circle

CAMP RAMAH IN CALIFORNIA

Thank you for joining the Alon Binyamin Legacy Circle!  
Your Legacy Commitment to Camp Ramah in California  
is a seed sown for our future.

“While the sage, Honi, was walking along a road,  
he saw a man planting a carob tree.

Honi asked him “How long will it take for this tree  
to bear fruit?”

“Seventy years “ replied the man.

Honi then asked, “Are you so healthy a man that you  
expect to live that length of time and eat its fruit?”

The man answered, “I found a fruitful world because  
my ancestors planted it for me.”

Likewise I am planting for my children.”

Babylonian Talmud, Taanit 23a

Your name will be inscribed on a Tree of Life at camp that  
will stand as a reminder of your extraordinary dedication  
for generations to come.

## Authenticity Certificate



Rae designs sculptures and conversation pieces for Jewish Holy Days and special occasions. Many of her larger designs are limited editions: only 17 (18) variations - not copies - of each is created. Her designs are characterized by delicately curved lines, which give the glass a light and ethereal feeling. Each work is infused with symbolic and biblical references, (catalog enclosed).

Apple-Shaped Honey Bowl: Each bowl is lovingly crafted by hand and thus, no bowl has an identical twin. Dip apple in honey during Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, or dip Challah in honey every Shabbat. This bowl is gratefully gifted to you with many sweet blessings and best regards.

Care and maintenance: Rae uses lead-free solder and invests in plating all metal parts with chrome, copper or brass. This enhances the work's durability and shine. It also makes the work washable by hand. After washing, dry thoroughly with paper towels. To slow the copper oxidation process, coat and shine the bowl with Lemon Pledge. To remove oxidation stains, use Brasso. Then coat with Lemon Pledge and shine with paper towels for display.  
No microwave or dishwasher please.

# CAMP RAMAH IN NEW ENGLAND

## *Etz Hayim Legacy Society Members*

*(as of May 14, 2010)*

Nancy Kriegel and Andrew Butler

Shulamith Reich Elster

Karen and David Farbman

Tamar and Rabbi Ed Gelb

Marcia and Scott Glickman

Lillian and Richard Gray

Gerry Kobell

Adina and Sander Mendelson

Rhonda Parker and Steven Binney

George Posener

Elizabeth and Bob Pressman

Sharon and Daniel Prober

Arlene and Sanford Remz

Judy and Reuven Rohn

Linda and Bruce Stanger

Deborah A. and Wallace Zuckerman

# CAMP RAMAH IN NEW ENGLAND

## *Sandy and Arlene Remz*

I can't imagine anything that has had as profound an effect on our family as Camp Ramah has had. Arlene and I each separately had our lives transformed by our summers at Camp Ramah New England and Camp Ramah Berkshires, respectively, and by experiences on Ramah Seminar in Israel. We each experienced the joy of Jewish living in a way that shaped our lives forever.

Our lives intersected in 1977 when we were both counselors in the pioneering Tikvah program at Camp Ramah New England. Arlene went on from there to a career in special education. She is now the head of Gateways: Access to Jewish Education, a Massachusetts-based organization that runs innovative programs that ensure that every child receives a Jewish education - just as Camp Ramah ensures that every child has access to transformative Jewish experiences.

Together, Arlene and I went on to form a Jewish family and raise the next generation of Ramahniks, Tamar, Adina and Jonah. Each of them has followed her or his own path shaped by Ramah: Tamar working for the innovative PJ Library program sponsored by Camp Ramah's good friend, the Harold Grinspoon Foundation; Adina and Jonah as passionate lovers of Israel and Camp Ramah New England counselors (with Jonah continuing what has become the family tradition by developing a special attachment to a camper in Camp Ramah's inclusion program).



Arlene and I have enthusiastically decided to become members of the Etz Hayim Legacy Society. Just as we take care of our own biological family in our estate plan, we feel that it is important to take care of our spiritual and communal Ramah family - to ensure Camp Ramah's long-term vitality and strength for future generations of our family and so many families like ours.

## *Andy Butler and Nancy Kriegel*

When Rabbi Gelb asked me to help out with Camp Ramah New England's planned giving program, I jumped at the opportunity to combine my professional skills (I'm an estate planner) with my appreciation for all that the camp has meant to my family. How often do you get such opportunities?

My wife Nancy has wonderful memories of the summers she spent working at Camp Ramah in the Berkshires and she remains in close touch with both fellow counselors and some of her campers - differences in age don't matter as much when you are in your 40's!



Once we had camp age children of our own, we had no doubt we would send them to a Jewish overnight camp, in much the same way we knew they would attend a Jewish day school - both were givens. We wanted a camp that would meet their needs, satisfy their interests and reinforce

the Jewish learning and experiences they were getting at home and at school. For our 12 year old son, Camp Ramah has done all of this, and so much more. Camp Ramah has embraced our entire family, and our son has grown so much in his summers there. We owe so much to Ed and the other members of the Ramah staff for making the current chapter in our family's Camp Ramah experience such a positive one.

In order to show our appreciation, I have been thrilled to co-chair the legacy committee with Sandy Remz. I often talk to my clients about including planned giving in their estate plans so it has been quite easy to do this on behalf of the camp. But one has to walk the walk also, so Nancy and I have committed to including Camp Ramah in our own estate plans. We have made this commitment not only to show our appreciation for what the camp has meant to us, but because we firmly believe that the camp's mission must be sustained in perpetuity. It is our hope that our legacy gift and that of many others who love and value Camp Ramah New England will ensure that it remains here for many generations of Jewish children.

# What can you leave your children and grandchildren?



## The GFC Legacy Campaign

Want More Information?

Please contact either Rebecca Lunstroth  
([rebecca@lunstroth.com](mailto:rebecca@lunstroth.com)) or  
Michael Wolf ([mwolf@wolfbunt.com](mailto:mwolf@wolfbunt.com))

