



Growing *for* life NEWSLETTER

Jewish Foundation of Manitoba Community Report

Young Donors Impact Our Community *Today. Tomorrow. Forever.*

CancerCare Manitoba

"Thank you for your Bat Mitzvah gift to CancerCare Manitoba. Your donation will benefit all Manitobans diagnosed with cancer and will help them live longer, healthier and more productive lives. On behalf of CancerCare Manitoba's doctors, nurses, researchers and most importantly the patients we serve, thank you for making a difference!"

Winnipeg Harvest

"Thank you for your donation through your Bar Mitzvah funds. With every dollar we receive, we can move \$20 of food to hungry people. These funds will be used to fight hunger and poverty among Manitoba's youth."

Winnipeg Jewish Theatre

"Thank you for your generous donation to the Winnipeg Jewish Theatre. Your donation means a lot to us and is making an impact. Your contribution will assist us in continuing to present outstanding, professional Jewish theatre to audiences from across Winnipeg."



Bar Mitzvah fund-holders Joey Frohlinger & Jeremy Levi chose to allocate the income from their funds to the Jewish Child and Family Service. Pictured here with Emily Shane, Executive Director of JCFS.



Gail Asper, National Campaign Chair of the Canadian Museum for Human Rights (centre), was excited to receive \$2,330 from JFM Bar & Bat Mitzvah funds. Pictured here with some of the fund-holders.



Murray Gilfix, Chair of BB Camp meets with Leanne Zimmer, Rachel Duboff & Jonah Brown who chose to support BB Camp with the income from their Bar and Bat Mitzvah funds.



Bar & Bat Mitzvah fund-holders Rachel Rubin & Alex Dashefsky were happy to allocate funds to their favorite camp - Camp Massad. Pictured here with Lesley Jacob, Camp Massad Administrator.

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2008 Bar and Bat

Promise

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Natasha Brown



Jacob Dimerman



Cara Dveris



Shira Dveris



Ethan Levene



Joshua Manishen



Nathan Morantz



Jayden Pollock



Jenna Zimmer



Lexie Zimmer

Photo Unavailable for:

- Dominique Levin
- Joshua Morry
- Samantha Morry
- Jordan Sector

Jewish Child and Family Service

"Thank you for your contribution to JCFS. Your donation will ensure that the most vulnerable and needy members of our community will be able to enjoy and experience what many youngsters take for granted - be it a camping experience, an extra curricular educational program or simply the means of having a safe and secure home."

Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba Inc.

"Thank you for your donation in recognition of your Bat Mitzvah through the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba. On behalf of the over 130,000 children that pass through the halls annually at the Hospital thank you...because children need us!"



Bat Mitzvah fund-holder Becky Frohlinger chose to allocate the income from her fund to D'Arcy's ARC. Pictured here with D'Arcy Johnston, Chief Executive Officer, D'Arcy's ARC.

Mitzvah Fund Holders



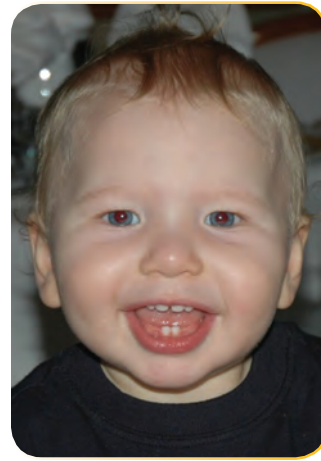
Simon Garfinkel



Matthew Goldberg



Alexa Hecht



Joshua Kohn



Annie Levene



Talia Ripstein



Piper Riley Thompson



Sierra Trepel



Zachary Weinberg



Haley Yurman

Jewish Foundation of Manitoba Bar and Bat Mitzvah Fund-Holders (to December 2007)

Bradley Abells
Daniel Altman
Daniel Asper
Maxwell Asper
Rebecca Asper
Sara Barsky
Daniel Bellan
Gary Bellan
Jonathan Bellan
Michal Berkowitz
Yael Berkowitz
Adiv Billauer
Cobi Billauer
Asher Billinkoff
Jordan Billinkoff
Anna Blankstein
Ben Blankstein
Ross Book
Alex Brodovsky-Adams
Jenna Brown
Jonah Brown
Jonathan Buchwald
Tara Calnitsky
Alexa Cantor
Gilad Carroll
Ethan Chess
Rebecca Chess
Lindsay Cohen
David Coodin
Fraser Cook
Adeena Cooperband
Adam Corrin
Matthew Corrin
Rachel Corrin
Rachel Cosman
Laurie Daien
Alex Dashefsky
Jarrod Davis
Emma Dempsey
Haley Dempsey
Jillian Dempsey

Daniel Derbitsky
Kyle Derbitsky
Ilana Deutscher
Samuel Dimerman
Michael Duboff
Rachel Duboff
Jona Erenberg
Max Erenberg
Stephanie Faintuch
Zev Faintuch
Eli Feierstein
Joshua Fineblit
Samuel Fineblit
Ben Fleisher
Zachary Fleisher
Ari Floom
Rachael Floom
Tali Floom
Benjamin Fogel
Hannah Fogel
Brynne Frohlich
Jona Frohlich
Alexandra Frohlinger
Becky Frohlinger
Joey Frohlinger
Jesse Garber
Shea Garber
Levi Garber
Mikaela Kagan Garfinkel
Myles Gilmore
Rebecca Gilmore
Jessica Goldberg
Mikaela Goldberg
Rachel Goldberg
Stefanie Goldberg
Zachary Goldberg
Alexandra Gorlick
Gregory Gorlick
Ryan Gorlick
Samantha Gorlick
Nicholas Goszer

Samuel Goszer
Harlan Gurvey
Darren Hall
Jeremy Hecht
Kara Henrie
Ryan Henrie
Charles Hoffman
Jamie Holt
Frannie Itzkow
Jonathan Itzkow
Ronna Joudan
Shira Joudan
Adam Kaplan
Yael Kaplan
Cara Katz
Jonathan Katz
Matthew Katz
Sophia Katz
Ashley Kaufmann
Ethan Kellen
Josh Kerr
Lindsay Kerr
Brenna Kessler
Brittany Kessler
Baillie Klein
Julie Klein
Sarry Klein
Daniel Kroft
Gavin Kushner
Erica Lasker
Justin Lasker
Julia Lazareck
Benjamin Leibl
Aliza Lerner
Jordyn Lerner
Maxwell Lerner
Shira Lerner
Jeremy Levi
Gabrielle Levin
Sarah Levy
Amy Lieberman

Joshua Lieberman
Robyn Lieberman
Hailey Lipkin
Marissa Lipkin
Benjamin Lipson
Daniel Lipson
Jonathan Lipson
Mark Lipson
Michael Litman
Ezequiel Lubocki
Yaffa Ludwig
Ben Macklin
David Marantz
Ezi Margolis
Jessie Margolis
Kelsea Margolis
Lindy Margolis
Lewis McIntosh
Daniel McKinnon
Drew Meller
Jessica Meyers
Morgan Micay
Drew Mindell
Paul Narvey
Simon Narvey
Alix Neaman
Cori Odwak
Leo Palay
Maxwell Palay
Jonathan Paterson
Stephen Paterson
Joel Peltz
Zachary Peltz
Dayna Penner
Zev Permack
Ethan Pollock
Jesse Pollock
Lewis Promislow
Haley Rabb
Justin Rabb
Daniel Raizman

Gabrielle Raizman
Alex Rash
Leanna Reiss
Jonathan Remis
Jonathan Ripstein
Zev Ripstein
Karlee Rosenberg
Rafaella Rosenberg
Seth Rosenberg
Rachel Rubin
Tyler Rubin
Marissa Rykiss
Beth Schachter
Daniel Schachter
Jeffrey Schachter
Ari Schaefer
Susan Schipper
Michael Schneider
Thomas Schneider
Dario Schor
Maia Schor
Lainie Schwartz
Michael Schwartz
Lara Secord-Haid
Lazar Rodin Sectar
Meira Sectar
Ryan Segal
David Shachar-Hill
Esther Shachar-Hill
Elisabeth Shapiro
Greer Shenkarow
Molly Sherlock
Hadera Short
Saul Shrom
Yael Shrom
Baillie Shuster
Samuel Shuster
Sadie Silverstein
Miriam Sneiderman
Joshua Sodomsky
Sarah Sodomsky

Jordana Sommer
Sarah Sommer
JT Paul Steinberg
Mo Steinberg
Jonathan Stern
Dena Stitz
David Thompson
Skyler Trepel
Joseph Tritt
Jacqueline Usiskin
Chloe Vickar
Michaela Vickar
Amy Vine
Jordan Vine
Andrew Walker
Jeffrey Walker
Cayli Weinberg
Mara Weinberg
Dylan Weinstein
Jenna Weiss
Joshua Weiss
Benjamin Winestock
Joshua Winestock
Yale Wolman
Andrew Worb
Daniel Worb
Jessica Worb
Jacob Brodovsky Yager
Adam Yan
Julie Yan
Ashley Youssem
Lauren Youssem
Haley Yurman
Lauren Yusim
Marlee Yusim
Eric Zelcer
Leanne Zimmer



Frequently Asked Questions about the Bar and Bat Mitzvah Program

1. What is the benefit of establishing a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund?

Bar and Bat Mitzvah funds teach children about the importance of giving and the value of Tzedakah. They provide them with the opportunity to affect positive change in their community. They set children on a path of life-long giving.

2. What is the minimum amount needed to establish a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund?

\$100

3. Who can open a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund?

A fund can be opened by a Bar or Bat Mitzvah child or by anyone who wishes to honour a child before or at the time of his or her becoming a Bar or Bat Mitzvah. Funds have been established by children, their parents, grandparents and family friends.

4. Who can contribute to the Fund?

Anyone can make a contribution to the fund, either at the time of the Bar or Bat Mitzvah or at any other time for any occasion.

5. What happens to the money in the fund?

The money is invested and each year the income from the investment is distributed for charitable purposes.

6. What happens when the fund reaches \$750?

When the fund reaches \$750 within two years of the Bar or Bat Mitzvah, program benefactors Nora and David Kaufman will contribute \$250. This brings the fund to the \$1,000 level, at which point it becomes donor advised.

7. Can the fund holder determine where the money is distributed?

Yes. Once the fund reaches \$1,000 it becomes donor advised and the fund-holder is invited to direct the income from the fund on an annual basis to any registered charity in Canada.

8. What if a Bar/Bat Mitzvah fund-holder wants to have a regular fund at the Foundation once he/she is an adult?

Bar/Bat Mitzvah Funds will be moved into regular funds at the time the child turns 25. Before the fund-holder turns 25, they will be advised that their fund is approaching the time when it will be treated consistent with other Foundation funds.

9. How do you establish a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund?

Contact the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba at 477-7520 and speak with:
Marsha Cowan, *Chief Executive Officer* or
Brenda Gurvey, *Director of Donor Relations*

Making A Difference

In 2008, Jewish Foundation Bar and Bat Mitzvah fund-holders supported the following charitable organizations:

Allergy Asthma Information Association
B'nai Brith Jewish Community Camp
Camp Massad Manitoba
Canadian Cancer Society - Manitoba
Canadian Diabetes Association
Canadian Foundation for AIDS Research
Canadian Museum for Human Rights
CancerCare Manitoba Foundation
Chai Folk Ensemble
Children's Hospital Foundation of Manitoba Inc.
Combined Jewish Appeal Inc.
D'Arcy's Animal Rescue Centre
Dry Cold Productions
Free the Children
Graffiti Art Programming Inc.
Gray Academy of Jewish Education
Heart and Stroke Foundation of Manitoba Inc.
Herzlia-Adas Yeshurun Congregation
Jewish Child and Family Service
Jewish Federation of Winnipeg
Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation
KidSport Winnipeg
LadyBug Foundation Inc.
Lubavitch Centre
Maccabi Canada
Make-A-Wish Foundation of Canada
Manitoba Moose Yearling Foundation
Manitoba Theatre Centre
Manitoba Theatre for Young People
National Council of Jewish Women of Canada
Osborne House Inc.
Rady Jewish Community Centre
Right to Play
Ronald McDonald House
Siloam Mission
Sleeping Children Around the World
St. Amant Foundation
Canadian Friends of the Hebrew University
The Children's Wish Foundation - Manitoba
The Children's Wish Foundation of Canada
The David Suzuki Foundation
The Stephen Lewis Foundation
The University of Winnipeg Foundation
UNICEF Canada
United Way of Canada
Winnipeg Harvest Inc.
Winnipeg Humane Society Inc.
Winnipeg Jewish Theatre Inc.
Winnipeg Pet Rescue

Save The Date!

9th Annual Women's Endowment Fund "Heartstrings & Purse Strings" Luncheon



Topic: **"Heartstrings & Purse Strings"**

Guest Speaker: **Karyn Lazarek** - Karyn is a dynamic activist and philanthropist who is responsible for founding "GROW" (Gaining Resources Our Way) in Gimli and in Winnipeg, and has launched many initiatives in support of the special needs community.

Thursday, May 7, 2009, 12 noon at the **Fort Garry Hotel, Provencher Room**

Leaving 100% of your estate to your kids? Great!



Topic: **Did you know that you can leave an additional 25% to your community? Your invitation to a very unique opportunity to learn how...**

Guest Speaker for both seminars: **Alain Lévesque**, President of DeVimy Group & author of "George's Tree" - The story of a well planned gift.

Tuesday, June 2, 2009

5:00pm at the Multi-Purpose Room, Asper Jewish Community Campus (**FOR DONORS**)

Wednesday, June 3, 2009

12 noon at Bergmann's on Lombard (**FOR PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS**)

For more information about the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba please call or visit our office on the 4th floor of the Asper Jewish Community Campus, Suite C400-123 Doncaster Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N 2B2.

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