



IMPACT REPORT

APRIL-JUNE
2022



GREETINGS

Dear Friend,

It is with great appreciation that we present this second quarter of 2022 Impact Report.

Thank G-d this quarter has seen So. Many. Happy. Faces! With the warmer weather came a non-stop flow of people for Jewish holidays and farm programs. Every event was magical!

But magic does not happen by itself. Your support is the driving force behind every smile, every mitzvah, and every positive Jewish experience. Please take a moment to get a peek into the magic you made happen this quarter in the pages below.

With Appreciation,
Rabbi Zalman and Goldy Sandhaus





HIGHLIGHTS

- Distributed Shmurah Matzah to 141 Households
- Hosted County Executive for Education and Sharing Day Proclamation and breakfast
- Community Pesach Seder
- Vassar Collage Chabad student board farm visit
- Tri state CTeen farm visit (over 50 Jewish teens!)
- Lag Baomer BBQ
- 71 people celebrated Shavuos at Pardess
- Hebrew School end of year ceremony
- Monthly Shabbos day service became weekly!
- 3 Teens went off to Jewish overnight camp



EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY

In honor of the Rebbe's birthday County executive, Marc Molinaro, Town supervisor Nick D'alessandro and State senator Sue Serino signed a proclamation indicating Yud Alef Nisan, as Education and Sharing Day. We celebrated with an intimate breakfast and watched a video of the Rebbe speaking about the importance of moral education not just academics.





Pesach
COMMUNITY SEDER
(photos taken before candle-lighting)





Lag Baomer

COMMUNITY BBQ





TRI-STATE
CTeen
VOLUNTEER ON THE FARM





Hebrew School



ZOOMING IN ON YOUR IMPACT BY SHERRI BROWN

Several years ago, my dear friend Allen Cohen introduced me to Rabbi and Goldy by inviting me as his guest to their Passover Seder. They lived in Fishkill with their 2 boys and were still fairly new to the area. Now as their family is growing their extended family (all of us) is also growing. I have never seen one family make such a difference in so many people's lives. Like me. With all my ups and downs, Rabbi and Goldy believe in me. And they show me this with every phone call, text, and email they answer as if I am the only person in the world. And I know I'm not the only one.

There's nothing in this world like davening with Rabbi. The only way I can explain it is that he brings G-d into the room. And when it's time to go, I am at peace.

One of the most touching times for me was being invited to Liba's 3rd birthday party. How beautiful it was to watch little Liba light her own Shabbos candle. And then without hesitation, cover her eyes with her little hands and say the Shabbos prayer. Just like her Mama. And then Goldy told us all what it was like growing up in her house. That when Shabbos began, everything else stopped. And the house became holy. I can only guess how that must feel.

I thank G-d every day for bringing them into my life. And I thank them for all they do.

FEEDBACK FROM PARENTS OF HEBREW SCHOOL STUDENTS

We are so grateful for the beautiful experience you gave our children. We are all so happy with your Hebrew School and the education and knowledge you are instilling in the Children.
-S. G.

Thank you so much for running Hebrew School and teaching our children and for being flexible and fun. Thank you also for bringing a community together and creating opportunities for us to connect to and celebrate our Jewish roots.
-H.P

They attended every Sunday with so much excitement and enthusiasm and they learned so much more about Judaism than I could offer them. I am grateful for the Jewish education they are receiving and am so proud of the commitment and effort they put into learning the Aleph-bet.
-M.S.



WHY WE GIVE TO PARDESS

BY ELIZABETH & ADAM GLATT

Seven years ago, Rabbi Sandhaus knocked on our front door to introduce himself. A few weeks later he left us one of his wife Goldy's famous fresh baked challah and a few weeks after that he brought us a box of Shmurah Matzoh for Passover.

The Rabbi did not ask for anything in return, however, with each visit he shared a little more about what he and Goldy were doing for the local Jewish community. Since then we have watched the Pardess Center for Jewish Life grow and over the years enjoyed many aspects, including Hebrew school, the Bar Mitzvahs of our twin sons, Matthew and Michael, Shabbat dinner with the Rabbi and his family, High Holiday services, menorah making, Purim, Chanukah lightings, sushi in the Sukkah, learning to make homemade challah with Goldy, and so much more.

So why do we donate? The answer is simple, it is our way of giving back to the Rabbi, Goldy and the Jewish Community that the Pardess Center for Jewish Life, also known as, Pardess Chabad Farm, serves. It has enriched our lives and for that we are grateful.

The Glatt Family

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The impact your contribution has had is beyond measure. We look forward to continuing this partnership and spreading the light of Judaism farther than ever.

Wishing you and your family a happy, and healthy summer. If you are in driving distance we would love a visit from you at the farm!

Warm regards,
Rabbi Zalman and Goldy Sandhaus

