



Bar & Bat Mitzvah Funds 2013 Report

In 2013, new funds were established for the following young members of our community:



Ryan Abells



Ben Aronovitch



Brooke Atnikov



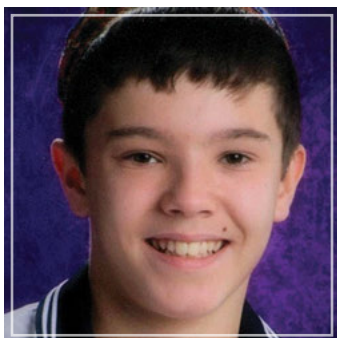
Carli Charach



Rachel Cogan



Elan Gabor



Ethan Hrabinsky



Talia Hrabinsky



Alex Kroft



Adam Lomow



Laura London



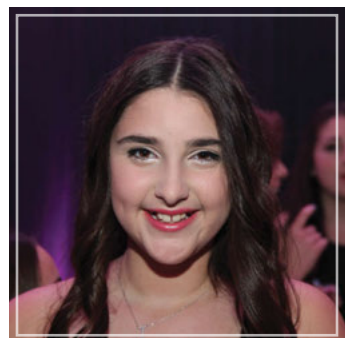
Matthew London



Farrah Manning



Mackenzie Miller



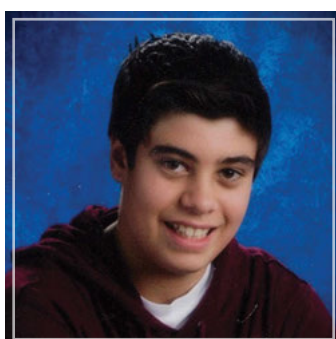
Jessica Ransby



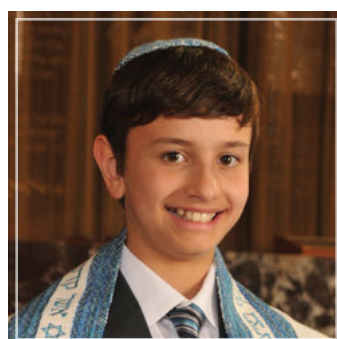
Zoë Silver



Noah Slayen



Liam Wortzman



Adam Yusim

No picture available: Maya Blatt; Menachem Simmonds & Devorah Simmonds



FAQ

Frequently Asked Questions about the Bar & Bat Mitzvah Fund Program

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

Establishing a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund provides young people with the opportunity to effect positive change in their community. Having a Fund teaches them about the importance of giving and the value of tzedakah, and sets them 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?

Funds can be established at any time for any child. Many Funds are opened when a child is born; most are opened either before or after the child's Bar or Bat Mitzvah. A Fund can be opened even if your child won't be having a Bar or Bat Mitzvah.

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?

If the fund reaches \$750 within two years of the Bar or Bat Mitzvah, the Nora & David (z'l) Kaufman Bar/Bat Mitzvah Fund will contribute \$250. This brings the fund to the \$1,000 level, at which point it becomes "donor-recommended." This means that our young fundholders can suggest which charities receive the income from their fund.

7. What if a Bar/Bat Mitzvah fundholder wants to have a regular fund at the Foundation once he or she becomes an adult?

Bar/Bat Mitzvah Funds will be transferred into regular funds at the time the child turns 25. Prior to turning 25, the fundholder will be advised that the time is approaching when their Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund will be treated like other Foundation funds.

8. How do I establish a Bar or Bat Mitzvah Fund?

Contact the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba at 204.477.7520 and speak with David Greaves, Director of Development & Marketing.



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PLEASE CONSIDER OPENING A BAR OR BAT MITZVAH FUND

The Jewish Foundation of Manitoba will be happy to provide you with an enclosure card for your invitation. The card describes the program for your guests.

If you require assistance with wording, please contact Mark Gershkovich at 204.477.7523 or mark@jewishfoundation.org.

