

EAST WINDSOR USY

VINE OF THE WEEK

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-T-XwUxs0O4&sns=em>

Provided to you by our Comm VP,
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Daily Inspiration

"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence."

From your Memprog VP Ben Pincus

Israel Update

Twitter announced that in 2013, Israel tweeted 'I love you' more than any other country on planet Earth. Israel - a small country, big on love and changing the world for the better.

YOUTH SHABBAT

Youth Shabbat is back and better than ever. March 14th-15th at Beth El!!!!
RSVP to eastwindsorusy@gmail.com
RIGHT NOW BECAUSE YOU
DONT WANT TO MISS IT!!!!!!!

Hey East Windsor! Last weekend we had our Build A Bear event for SATO! We made bears to give to the kids at CHOP. One of the great things about USY is that we can make new friends and have good times while giving back to the community like we did this past Sunday. Also, coming up we have one of our biggest events! Youth Shabbat! I hope everyone will be there and participating in the service and sleeping over because it's going to be a great weekend!

Your President,

Sarah Chairnoff

What did the corn say when its clothes got stolen?

Aw shucks!

From your Memprog VP Ben Pincus

Hey East Windsor USY!

As we are halfway through the year it's time to enjoy the time we have left together! Come to events, lead prayers, and make these last few months the best they can be. We need to raise lots of money in these last few months to surpass what we raised last year. I know we can do it and I need all of your help! Also, as soon as the application for spring convention comes out, sign up song up, sign up! It will be the best convention of the year and one to remember! I can't wait to see you all at youth Shabbat!

Yours truly,

Danielle Solomon

Torah Tidbit from our Rel/Ed VP Heather Brandspiegel



PURIM

THATS RIGHT!!!! It's the Megillah reading, Haman hating, Hamantaschen eating, Purim carnival season. If you would like to help set up, run booths, and just have to have fun at the annual Beth El Purim carnival make sure you email at eastwindsorusy@gmail.com!!!!

Can't wait to see you all at all these upcoming events! March is going to be a fun, USY-filled month you don't want to miss out on. Also please feel free to bring any of your Jewish friends who are in high school and are not involved in USY to any of these upcoming events!!!

MEMBERSHIP DANCE

Membership Dance has been rescheduled for March 8th(NEXT SATURDAY) in Paramus. If you would like a spot on the bus you must email eastwindsorusy@gmail.com. There are only a couple seats left and time is running out, so RSVP ASAP!

In Parshat Pekudei Moshe, on behalf of God, relays to the Israelites the specifics of the building of the Mishkan or the Tabernacle. Each Israelite is instructed on how much gold, silver and copper each person needed to give. After the Mishkan was completed, Moshe awarded Aaron and his four sons to be the priests. The Jewish people had to work together to accomplish the goal of completing the Mishkan. That is similar to USYers working together to accomplish goals. Your EWUSY board is working on making Youth Shabbat, March 14-15, a very exciting weekend. But, we need your help. While we are all working on creating this great weekend, we need you to come so that the goal of the weekend, a fun exciting weekend led by the Youth of Beth El and an awesome weekend with your friends, can be accomplished. You need to help the board acknowledge that all of our best and hard efforts will pay off. We, as USYers, need to work together to accomplish the future of USY and a great weekend ahead. The Jewish People worked together to get to Israel, and now we need to work together help USY grow.

Award- Hoanak- הוענק

Vayikra

In Parshat Vayikra God tells Moshe the laws of offering Korbanot, the animal sacrifices. There are several laws that are discussed, including the laws of offering a peace offering. The meat was to be eaten by the one bringing it, burned on the alter and given to the Kohanim, Priests. The priests ran the Mishkan, and especially benefitted from the offerings. In USY there are many roles of leadership, whether on board, a committee or even just an advocate of USY. While Aaron and his four sons ran the Mishkan, they needed people to bring them sacrifices. Similar while your EWUSY board is planning and running events for the chapter, we need you to come to the events. It is not enough for just the board to be active, but we need the members to be active as well. **SO STEP UP! ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO COME! GET ACTIVE! GO USY!**

Leader- Manheeg- מנהיג

[This Week in History](#)

February 26, 1829- Levi Strauss, German-born clothing designer was born.

February 25, 1932- Immigrant Adolf Hitler got his German citizenship.

February 24, 1955- Steve Jobs, San Francisco, California, American computer entrepreneur and co-founder of Apple was born.

February 29, 1972- Hank Aaron became the 1st baseball player to sign for \$200,000 a year.

February 23, 1980- The 13th Winter Olympic games closed at Lake Placid, NY.

February 25, 1994- Israeli extremist Baruch Goldstein massacred 30 Palestinians in Hebron.

February 27, 2013- Pope Benedict XVI presented his farewell address to Vatican City.

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