

SOCIAL

- **Leo's & Marvin's**
- **Rain Forest Café and Gameworks**
- **Movie Nights**
- **Senior Graduation Party** This event will give us a way to say goodbye to our seniors and congratulate them on what they have accomplished in Fisher AZA.
- **Freshman Kidnap:** With parental permission, we would go wake up our freshman and take them out to breakfast.
- **Cedar Point**
- **Support Your Brothers Function:** An ongoing function where if a number of members are participating in an event (i.e. concert, sporting event, etc.) the rest of the chapter could go to support their brothers in the stands.
- **Virtual College Road Trip:** With so many of our founding members graduating this year, this event would be a chance for them to share college information and campus visit impressions with us in a Virtual College Road Trip.

JUDAIC

- **Thanksgiving Leftovers Shabbat Oneg:** The chapter would gather for a Shabbat dinner where each member would share an item from their Thanksgiving dinner. The blessings would be said and we would hold a Shabbat service.
- **Chocolate Seder:** This would be a typical Passover Seder with a chocolate theme.
- **Sukkah Building Contest**
- **Purim Carnival:** This would be a community wide event that would include a skit that tells the story of Passover.
- **Hanukkah Chinese Gift Exchange:** Each member would bring an eight-dollar gift, one dollar for each night of Hanukkah. Members would draw a number from a hat. The first person would choose a gift to open. Then the second person could choose to open a gift, or take the gift from the first person. Gifts change hands many times!

ATHLETIC

- **Zap Zone**
- **Detroit Sports Package:** A package for either a Tigers, Pistons, or Red Wings regular season game.
- **Whirly Ball**
- **Bowling**
- **Super Bowl Party**
- **American Gladiators Night:** Chapter members will engage in a series of athletic challenges. May the strongest man win.
- **BBYO Olympics:** The BBYO Olympics would be a way for chapter members to show off their strengths. The chapter would be divided into a few teams; each team would elect one individual to compete in each event. The individual chosen should be the best qualified individual for the particular event. Events would range from sports, music, to story telling.
- **Paradise Park**

SOCIAL ACTION/COMMUNITY SERVICE

- **Gleaners Food Bank:** Gleaners is a local food bank that delivers food to those in need. We would be able to package boxes to send to families.
- **Ongoing Canned Food Drive:** At every meeting or function, people will be able to give canned goods that will be donated to a local food bank.
- **Matzo Ball Eating/PB&Jathon:** At this function people can bid to watch a chapter member eat a certain amount of matzo balls or PB&J sandwiches. All of the money earned will be donated to a local charity.
- **Holocaust Remembrance Program:** Fisher AZA would relive the past by watching clips from documentaries and looking up famous people who played an active role in the Holocaust. We would end the night with a service in memory of the six million Jews, and the other seven million non - Jews who were murdered.

EDUCATION

- **Platform Workshop:** This workshop is intended to teach chapter members the essentials of platform writing and design.
- **Detroit Science Center**
- **Arab/African American Museum:** We know a lot about our Jewish history, but how much do we really know about other faiths? Going to either an Arab Museum or an African American museum, would enable us to learn about another culture.
- **Photo Scavenger Hunt:** The chapter would be divided into four teams. Each team would have two hours with a camera, to go around town taking pictures of one thing for each letter of the alphabet that relates to BBYO. Afterwards, each team would present their BBYO photographic alphabet to the chapter.

FIVE FOLDS

- **Road Rally:** This would be a traveling scavenger hunt where chapter members would be divided into teams. They would have to stop at various checkpoints and perform different tasks. There would be at least one checkpoint for each of the five folds.
- **Brotherhood Overnights:** During these overnights, the goal would be to improve the bonds in our chapter. Members would learn to trust one another in order to complete certain activities. Activities include ropes course activities as well as learning about the history of our people.
- **Judaic Dodge Ball:** The chapter would be divided into two teams. Each team would be in charge of three wars that Israel has fought in its past. For each war, the team will have to build a structure to represent it. The teams will battle in dodge ball, knocking down their opponents structures to win the game.

Aleph Joshua Michael Breuer

Candidate for the High and Honorable Position of

Aleph S'gan

of Max Fisher AZA #337

"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."
- John Quincy Adams

Positions Held

Dedicated Aleph	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-Life
Fisherman	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-Life
Aleph Sopher	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
Bittker Coordinator	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
ETC Committee Member	Michigan Region GLC	2009

Events Attended

(* Denotes registered and attending)		
Chapter Meetings	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
Chapter Executive Board Meetings	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
Chapter Functions	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
Chapter Installations	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008
Chapter Community Service	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
Chapter Elections	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008-2009
AZA Flag Football	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008
Regional Convention	Max Fisher AZA #337	2008
Bittker Weekend	Max Fisher AZA #337	2009
Platform Workshop	Max Fisher AZA #337	2009
Council Meetings	Michigan Region GLC	2008-2009
Elections Training Conclave	Michigan Region GLC	2009*
Fall Conclave	Michigan Region GLC	2009*
Mr. AZA	Michigan Region GLC	2009*
Operations Counterparts	Michigan Region GLC	2008
Jewish Heritage Nights	Michigan Region GLC	2008-2009
CLTC 1	International Order	2009*

Awards/Honors While in Office

(* Denotes will be applying for)		
1 st Place RC Newspaper	Michigan Region GLC	2008
1 st Place Game Challenge	Michigan Region GLC	2008
1 st Place RC T-shirt	Michigan Region GLC	2008
2 nd Place Banner	Michigan Region GLC	2008
3 rd Place RC Song	Michigan Region GLC	2008
RC Honor Roll	Michigan Region GLC	2008
RC Sportsmanship	Michigan Region GLC	2008
Sopher of the Year*	Michigan Region GLC	2008-2009
Rookie of the Year Award*	Michigan Region GLC	2008-2009

S'gan (suh-gah; sa-gahn) *noun*. 1, Vice-President of Programming 2, Aleph who presides at all Chapter Executive Board Meetings 3, Aleph who shall hold responsibility of overseeing the planning of all chapter programming 4, Shall be in close communication with Chapter Godol, Chapter Advisor, and Regional S'gan 5, Must be a hard worker and be able to work with others in the chapter

3 Outstanding Program Ideas!

Progressive Shabbat Dinner

1. A Progressive dinner is where you travel from house to house and eat a different course at each house. It would be a new twist on Shabbat.

Jewish Battle of the Sexes

2. This is a joint function with a BBG chapter where both chapters would compete in various activities ranging from obstacle courses to cheer-offs.

Five Folds Battle of the Bands

3. The chapter would be divided into groups of five. Each group would take a song and rewrite the lyrics to educate other members of the chapter about a specific event in Jewish history. Afterwards, we would go to a local nursing home where we could perform for the residents.

Goals & Ideas as Aleph S'gan

Overall Programming Goals	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Have a complete program bank This will be a complete list of planned programs that we can integrate throughout the year.• Have a suggestions box At every chapter and executive board meeting, I will pass around a box to collect people's programming suggestions. All comments will be carefully considered.• Programming Vote Two times during the programming year, I will pass around a list of twenty programs that chapter members can rank in order of their preference. I will tally the results and the top five programs will be planned if possible.• Five Fold Booklet Create a five fold booklet that will be passed out to members to educate them about the five folds.• Conduct follow up phone calls Conduct follow up phone calls to insure that all details of a program are attended to.• Program with out of area chapters Echad and Tikvah are two out of area chapters in Michigan Region. Unfortunately, we do not function with them often. I plan to schedule two programs with each chapter.• Have an average of three programs per month Having three programs a month will enable us to have a greater variety of programming choices that will appeal to all chapter members.• Improve brotherhood, fraternity, and unity I plan on having Brotherhood Overnights and Boundary Breaker sessions in order to strengthen the brotherhood in the chapter. With strong brotherhood, fraternity, and unity as a chapter, we will work better as a group.• Anyone is welcome to plan a program I encourage all chapter members to aid in planning a program.• Plan at least 80% of functions with other chapters We will have better relationships in the region, and have more fun at programs by having more functions with other chapters• Be a role model for all chapter members	Membership & Education Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• AIT Programs Stay in close contact with the Aleph Moreh so that we can plan successful recruitment programs. Provide educational opportunities for AIT's.• All AIT's to plan one function Having AIT's learn to plan functions will speed up the learning curve, enabling them to take on leadership positions when our founding members graduate.• Recruitment Programs Plan at least three recruitment programs to fill the gap left by our founding class.
Communication		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keep in close contact with the Godol With close contact, we will be able to be more efficient between programming and executive board meetings.• Keep in contact with the Advisor By having good contact with the advisor, he will know all of the details for a program ahead of time to make sure he deems everything appropriate.	
Working with the Executive Board		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Have executive board meeting once a month Monthly executive board meetings will insure that all programming details are attended to in a timely manner.• Have executive board meetings run smoothly and efficiently By improving our efficiency, more work will be accomplished in the time allotted. Therefore more chapter events will be planned.• Conduct follow up phone calls within the executive board Depending on our upcoming events, I will call certain members of the board to ascertain that they are correctly fulfilling their duties in a timely manner.	
In Depth Programming Ideas		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jewish Family Service Fall Fix-Up Fall fix-up is a community wide event where Jewish people of all ages help the elderly with fall chores.• Farmington Players Barn The Farmington Players Barn is a community theatre that puts on some awesome plays. I have been to four this year and I think it would be great if we went as a chapter.• Winter Blast The entire chapter could go to the Fridge, Shiawassee Park or Pine Knob for winter snow activities such as a snow man making competitions or ice skating.• Walk For Israel This is a nonviolent protest that occurs annually to show support for Israel during its troubles with foreign countries.• Color Wars Divide the chapter into three teams where they will compete in various events• Iron Chef Shabbat Dinner The chapter would be divided into a few teams. Each team would have a certain amount of money and an hour in a grocery store. After shopping, teams would go to a house and prepare a Shabbat dinner. The chapter would then say the prayers and have a lovely Shabbat dinner prepared by their brothers.	<div>W.O.W. Stands for: Worthwhile, Outstanding, and Well Thought Out Programming</div> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Strive to have all programs be W.O.W. programs Using W.O.W. insures our members are getting involved and are challenged to think.• Why W.O.W. It is a good foundation for helping us plan programs that are more meaningful.• W.O.W. programs include: Iron Chef Shabbat, Brotherhood Overnights, Israeli Road Rally, BBYO Olympics, and Jewish Battle of the Sexes.
Jewish Programming Ideas		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creation Idol This function will be held with a BBG chapter. The program will start out with a Shabbat Dinner. Afterwards, the chapters will be divided into six teams, one for each day of creation. Each group has a half hour to create a song and "act" about their day. At the end, all of the groups will present their skit for the judges.• Up All Night for Israel This program would be a twelve-hour function hopefully held at the JCC. The entire Jewish Community would be invited to come and show support for Israel. Activities include quilt making, story telling, Israeli Dancing, and sampling of native food. The goal would be to raise as much money as possible for a needy organization in Israel.	

“Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.” –Ralph Waldo Emerson