

Aleph Daniel Ethan Weissman

Aspiring to the high and honorable position of 87th Grand Aleph Godol

Qualifications and Experience

Samson AZA
#1656

14th Chapter Aleph Gizbor (2008-2009)

- Quadrupled Chapter funds
- Participated in the planning of all Chapter Events
- Chapter Brotherhood Overnight
 - Winter 2007, 2008 ✓, 2009 ✓, 2010
 - Spring 2008, 2009 ✓, 2010 ✓
- Attended virtually all Chapter meetings since joining
- Attended Chapter Executive Board Meetings 08-Present
- Co-writer of the Samson AZA Chapter Constitution
- Stay-Awake-A-Thon 2010 ✓
- Member in good standing 2007-Present

Grand Order of the
Aleph Zadik Aleph

Global Ambassadors Network-Head Global Ambassador

- International Convention 2009, 2010 ✓, 2011 ✓
- International Convention 2010 Involvement Team
- August Executives Conference 2010
- February Executives Conference 2011 ✓
- East Coast Kallah 2010
- 2010 AZA Shabbat Team
- International Leadership Training Seminar 2009
- International Kallah 2009
- Ambassadors to Bulgaria 2010 ✓
- International Leadership Seminar in Israel 2010
- Tree of Life Award Recipient
- Bronze Shield of David Award Recipient
- Silver Shield of David Award Recipient
- AIPAC High School Summit 2009
- Chapter Leadership Training Conference 6 2011

Nassau Suffolk Region

52nd Regional Aleph Shaliach (2009-2010)

53rd Regional Aleph Godol (2010-2011)

- Winter Convention
 - 2007, 2008 ✓, 2009 ✓, 2010 ✓
- Spring Convention
 - 2008, 2009 ✓, 2010 ✓
- AIT/MIT Overnight Steering Committee 2009, 2010, 2011
- Kickoff Dance 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010
- Regional Leaders Teaching Institute 2008, 2009 ✓, 2010 ✓
- Project H.O.P.E.
 - Winter 2007, 2008, 2009 ✓, 2010
 - Spring 2008, 2009, 2010
- Brotherhood Camping Trip 2010 ✓
- AZA Shabbat 2009 ✓, 2010 ✓
- Assisted in the founding of Solomon AZA #2327
- J-Serve 2008, 2009, 2010 ✓
- Co-founder of the Long Island Jewish Teen Coalition
- Founder of the NSR Stands Up! For Kids campaign
- Active AZAA participant 2007-Present



Other

- Hebrew school tutor at Commack Jewish Center
- Actively involved in the Friendship Circle
- IB Student
- National Honor Society

GOALS AND IDEAS

INTERNATIONAL BOARD AND MORE

- ◆ **Ensure** that each member of the Grand Board stays in constant communication with one another so that everyone remains on the same page at all times.
- ◆ **Motivate** all members of the 87th Grand Board to set up feedback systems between them and their Regional/Council and Chapter Counterparts to ensure that the goals that the International Boards are striving to accomplish remain relevant with the needs and desires of all Regions and Councils.
- ◆ **Create** Hub Conferences. Assign each International Board member to work with a specific Hub. Establish a Hub Execs Body and have this body along with a specific International Board member work to identify **what** each Region/Council's main weaknesses are and **why** they are occurring.
- ◆ **Change** the August and February Execs Conferences from being business oriented to focusing more on **the needs of all Regions/Councils**. Incorporate programming and meeting time that help to identify and resolve the issues that **all Regions and Councils** are facing.

ONE ORDER, ONE MOVEMENT, ONE FUTURE

REGION/COUNCIL AND CHAPTER VISITATIONS

- ◆ Plan Regional/Council visits strategically so I can work towards improving and strengthening our Order in the most efficient and effective way.
- ◆ Meet with staff and Regional/Council leaders to not only identify the problems that are occurring, but more importantly identify **why they are occurring**. Once these issues are discovered I, along with the rest of the Grand Board will be able to assist Regions/Councils in developing plans and strategies to resolve these problems.
- ◆ Meet with a team of Chapter leaders in each Region/Council to get their feedback on what they think the Grand Board should be focusing on.
- ◆ Follow up each visit with regular dialogue between myself and youth leaders in each BBYO community I visit to ensure that **real progress** is being made.

GLOBALIZING OUR MOVEMENT

- ◆ As relationships with Global BBYO Communities become stronger create new "Ambassador" programs, similar to Ambassadors to Bulgaria, where BBYO sends a delegation of North American teens to various global communities where they will participate in programs alongside global teens in order to establish relationships between BBYO in North America and BBYO Overseas on a more **personal level**.
- ◆ Create an "Ambassadors to America" program where Global Teens can participate in North American programs other than IC and International Summer Programs. (Ex. Global Teens attending East Coast Kallah 2011)
- ◆ **Make Globalization updates available to all members**. Post the S.W.O.T. (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats) Analyses and sample Global Programs that were developed by the Global Ambassadors online so that **all members** can be apart of our **Global Movement**.

My Brother Alephs,

Over the past 86 years the Grand Order of the Aleph Zadik Aleph has grown and progressed tremendously. We have taken the idea of a Jewish fraternity and turned it into our own **International Youth Movement**, but now it is time to take **OUR ORDER** to the next level. It is up to us, the Alephs, to continue to influence the lives of Jewish teens **around the world**, but before we move forward we must **UNITE** our order as **ONE force**,

ONE family and ONE International Youth Movement.

Fraternally submitted with undying love for the Grand Order of the Aleph Zadik Aleph, uniting this family and making our movement really move I remain

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