



ALEPH LEE MICHAEL BEGELMAN



ASPIRING FOR THE HIGH AND HONORABLE POSITION OF 87TH GRAND ALEPH GODOL

QUALIFICATIONS

WOODCREST AZA
#1302

Dedicated Aleph: November 2007-Life
SJR Chapter of the Year 2009,2010
Aleph Shaliach - Spring 2008-Spring 2009**
Aleph S'gan - Spring 2009-Spring 2010**

SOUTH JERSEY
REGION # 35

Regional Aleph Godol - Spring 2010-Present*
Aleph S'gan of the Year - 2009-2010
AZAA Chairman - 2009-2010
Youth Leadership Training Institute 2010+
Youth Leadership Training Institute 2008 Graduate

GRAND ORDER OF THE
ALEPH ZADIK ALEPH

International Tree of Life Award Recipient
Bronze Shield of David Award Recipient
Silver Shield of David Award Recipient ~
International Convention 2011 Steering
Koach AZA #1836 Aleph S'gan

EVENTS PLANNED AND ATTENDED

Kickoff 2008,+ 2009+, 2010
Fall Event 2008+, 2009+, 2010
Woodcrest Winter Weekend 2008+, 2010+
Brotherhood 2009+, 2010+
Crestfest 2008, 2009, 2010+

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Kickoff 2008, 2009, 2010+
Brotherhood 2010, 2011+
Spring Thing 2009 <, 2010 <
Execs 2010+

Chapter Leadership Training Conference 4 2009
International Leadership Training Conference 2010
International Kallah 2010
International Leadership Seminar in Israel 2011 ~
International Convention 2010, 2011^+
August Executives Conference 2010^
February Executives Conference 2011^
East Coast Kallah 2010, 2011~
Panim el Panim June 2010 Seminar
AIPAC High School Summit 2010

~ - Pending

^ - Head Delegate

* - Full Year Term

+ - Planned

< - Delegate

** - Two Six-Month Terms

"TO CHANGE THE WORLD, START WITH ONE STEP"

-DAVE MATTHEWS BAND

REBUILDING & ROOTS

We are losing focus on the most important aspect of our Order – the regions and the members themselves. We need to shift our attention to strengthening the motivation of the Execs body and provide the tools necessary to improve our quality of membership and our future progress.

- During visits, create strategic plans with entire Regional or Council Board
- Hold Young Leadership Seminars for freshmen and sophomore Alephs
- Regional Growth and CLTC participation incentives
- Design AZA Leadership curriculum with Grand Board and Execs Body to be implemented in every Region

My Brother Alephs,

Four score and seven years ago, our future was written. The foundation for the Aleph Zadik Aleph that we cherish today was forged in history by Sam Beber. Today, with our landmark eighty-seventh International Convention, I stand before you with an opportunity- a new destiny, a new beginning. However, the power to seize this moment does not lie with me; it rests in the hands of you, the member. The true heart of this Order has never been the International Board. Instead, YOU are the one who has the strength to change this movement. The only thing I can do is provide the means. But in the end, we all must realize that our time is running out. We have to seize this moment, and make a choice: Will we rewrite our history and seal our future? Or stand idly by as this opportunity fades away? Our time is now to ultimately decide our fate.

Fraternally submitted with undying love for the Grand Order of the Aleph Zadik Aleph and the Seven Cardinal Principles upon which it stands, I remain

Aleph Lee Begelman
aspiring to be your 87th Grand Aleph Godol

PROGRAMMING

- Instead of universal programmatic guidelines, build regional programming standards. Programming needs to be specifically coordinated to fit the needs of each separate chapter and region/council. Broadening programming on a scale that encompasses the entire Order potentially limits the quality of our programming on a regional level.
- Work on International Convention promotion and Steering efforts to improve attendance and quality

MEMBERSHIP

- Improve the overall quality of our education through an advanced CLTC curriculum and internationally formed AIT standards for each region to follow and implement.
- Bring back the Young Leaders Chair to help design methods to strengthen the foundations of our order and ensure success down the road.
- Strengthen Teen Connection across the Order

COMMUNICATION

- Follow up with all Region Visits with monthly assessments with counterparts to check advancement
- Consistent I-Board communication

JUDAISM

- Increase PANIM participation through attendance incentives and fundraising efforts to improve cost
- Make SpeakUp! a more fluid and consistent initiative year-round

GLOBALIZATION

- Create a system in which regions and councils are paired with Global communities outside of StandUp!
- Send foreign Alephs to CLTC to spread the message of globalization across the Order

INTERNATIONAL BOARD RELATIONS

- Improve the transparency of International Board through weekly Officer Reports by both Board members and their Chairmen
- Enhance relationship with Execs body by implementing their ideas and initiatives
- Refine overall democratic values of our Order through a strengthened application process for Chairs