

## **No Chapter Left Behind**

-Number one priority for the region is to maintain and strengthen the foundation of the chapters. Will be done by assisting in chapter meetings and help create an atmosphere so that each chapter can be at its top best  
-Will make sure that the chapters will not fluctuate in terms of strength and foundation to help them all succeed

## **AIT Education**

*-The Regional Board will help work closely with the AITs of the region making sure they are given the right tools to lead and run the region and be the best possible future leaders of the region*

## **Retainment**

*-Will work on retaining each member of the chapters creating a system for each member to feel comfortable in their chapters*

## **Recruitment**

*-Each year Lonestar increases by a certain percent, this year we will work harder and try to get each chapter to recruit multiple new members to help the chapter and join each chapter*

## **Conventions:**

-Each convention will be focused around what members want to see happen, instead of a committee deciding on the theme, the members will vote on options of themes and programs that they would want to see happen at conventions, will find key people and have key events for all members to have a good time at conventions

## **Traditions**

-The region will be focused on creating new traditions and refining old traditions by connecting with old alumni by creating an Alumni Network to allow

members and alumni to reconnect with their chapter and support their chapters bringing back old traditions

## **Chair Network**

-The Lonestar Chair Network will be focused as it is run by the chapters view through the board in many aspects where initiatives will be more concerned with the personal views of the chapter and used as a way to get the ideas of each chapter

## **Chapter Ambassadors Program**

-Will create a chapter ambassadors chair for one nominated member from each chapter. The ambassadors will meet with the godol on a monthly basis and before conventions to discuss the status of their chapters and what they would like to see happen at conventions and programs. It is a way for the region to cater to each personality in the region and every chapters voice will be heard.

## **Stand Up**

-Stand Up will become a more personal chair where it will be provided to find a cause and organizations for where each chapter's opinions and ideas of what they care about will be applied into Stand Up to allow them to create a cause and create their goals as if they were doing it for fun

## **Speak Up**

-Each chapter has a different view on how Israel is important to them but it is hard to advocate for it, will use social media to spread news as a region and send updates through the facebook and twitter to notify what is going on. Will also do alot of work with the sister states of Israel and create more Israel themed programs

## **Texoma Regional Convention**

-Will Bring Back Texoma Regional Convention and unite us with our lost brothers of North Texas Oklahoma Region

## **AZAA**

-Will create new opportunities at AZAA for members that are not focused in the certain sports played and will create new opportunities to create new sports like softball and soccer

## **Lonestar Brotherhood Retreat**

-To end rivalries between the chapters, we will host our first brotherhood retreat where together as all seven chapters we will go on a weekend of fun and programing as one region as if we were one chapter and bond as a region

## **Lonestar Tournaments**

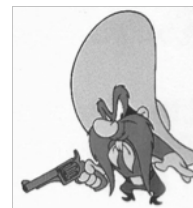
- Will have an entire mini convention dedicated to a Lonestar olympic games like atmosphere where all the chapters can compete with the others in sports, contests, and activities with a prize that will result in points for the cup

## **Lonestar in the International Order**

-Lonestar will send its most teens ever to summer programs to educate and create the best leaders possible for the region, will make sure that every chapter has at least 3-5 people at the minimum attend CLTC and Lonestar will also have a big place on the international board through IC and ILN committees that unites us with the international order

## **Globalization**

-Be In communication with pen pal regionals partnering each chapter with ideas of brother and sister chapters from places in the country and a chapter from a different part of the world to share and gain new ideas and views



# Aleph Aidan Daniel Israel

## Caucusing for the High and Honorable Position of your 30th Lonestar Regional Godol

### Qualifications:

#### Cyrus Adler AZA #434

##### - AIT of the Year Fall 2010

- Earned by providing leadership to my AIT class and demonstrating the qualities of a future leader
- Most inspirational member Spring 2011
- As a first time on board showing passion and leadership to the rest of the chapter
- Best Board Member Award Fall 2011
- Steering Committee for Cyrus Adler AZA #434 and Henry Barnston BBG #318 14th annual Bro/Sis Convention
- Planned and Coordinated Cyrus Adler AZA #434 and Henry Barnston BBG #318 15th annual Bro/Sis Convention, College Weekend
- Planned a great annual brotherhood sisterhood convention with our lovely sister chapter which created bonds between members and united the chapter through a fun filled 3rd degree weekend-Being appointed higher than my s'gan position proving that I am always reliable and that I put the chapter before myself
- Most Spirited Member Award Spring 2012
- Demonstrating passion and create spirit even though not on the chapter board
- Planned Countless Events since Freshman year even planned events as an AIT
- Helped train and teach advisors during the change of the chapter advisors
- **Shaliach Spring 2011**
- Provided insight on Judaism and made CA more fundamentally Jewish through planning programs that focused on inciting Jewish Values and traditions, also incorporated Stand Up and Speak Up through community service, advocacy, and Philanthropy
- **S'gan Fall 2011**
- Planned countless insightful programs that focused on becoming a better chapter and strengthening brotherhood, halfway through the term I had to become chapter godol and s'gan which was rigorous but provided training and experience where I could be a leader and a symbol for the chapter (Chapter Sgan+Godol halfway through the term)
- **S'gan Shanee Fall 2012**
- Helped educate the young new AITS of CA by giving them the experience of BBYO by creating a bond with them and bringing them the insight of BBYO and inciting passion within them, sent notifications and kept members up to date every week

#### Lonestar #73

- Perfect Attendance at all BBYO events
- AIT Pickup 2010, 2011, 2012
- Nom Pickup 2011, 2012
- Walkdowns 2011, 2012
- MIT/AIT 2010, 2011 (steering), 2012
- Regionals 2010, 2011 (steering), 2012
- Kallah '11 (steering)
- Every kickoff event
- LTI 2012
- Texoma Regional Convention 2011
- **23rd Regional Shaliach 2012**
- Provided the region with Jewish insight and helped coordinate Jewish programs to where members and counterparts could be passionate and comfortable with their Judaism, taught the values of Judaism to the region and made services more entertaining and made members excited for services, also put a lot of focus on AZA Shabbat, Stand Up, and Speak Up
- **Attended Regional Execs Spring 2012, Fall 2012**
- Set the examples and standards of a Regional board member through a weekend long training and goal setting
- **Planned and Coordinated Kallah 2012: Use Your Voice**
- Convention Focused on the themes of self confidence and the power of one's voice through Judaism and through our lives, encouraged members to stand up for what they believe in and how their voice is their strongest tool, they are more capable than they believe

#### International

- Perfect Attendance at all BBYO events
- **Attended CLTC 5 2011**
- Learned the fundamentals of leadership and how to run a chapter through mock chapter Chazak Echad AZA #247, learned key responsibilities and learned from people from regions across the country
- **Attended ILTC 2012**
- Learned how to be a leader on a larger scale planning events and programs with teens from all over the country and the world including Bulgaria, inspired me to take chances and to be the best I could be
- **Attended International Kallah 2012**
- Learned about what Judaism meant to me on a personal level and inspired leadership with me both on a large scale and a small scale inciting passion with me and making me a better Jew (wore a Yamaca every day for 3 months right after)
- **IC 2012**
- **Attending ICDC 2013**
- **Attending ILSI 2013**
- **Bronze Shield of David Award**
- **Silver Shield of David Award (pending)**
- **7 Cardinal Principles international Award**
- **AZA Shabbat international Committees**
  - Prayer Resources
  - Learning Living Experiencing Shabbat
- **International Leadership Network: D'var Torah Chair**

#### My Brother Alephs,

We only get one **opportunity** in life, one moment to make the most out of our AZA careers and make a **mark** on this order. AZA has truly changed my life and fostered me into the leader and man I am today. The teachings and values I have learned from AZA, I can now say I am more than ready to lead this region and **together** we will take it to a whole new level. The value and **impact** of the member is the number one priority of this region. The value of the member is the key to making this region **strong** and from this day forward I promise that no chapter will be left behind and the foundation will be set for each chapter to be as strong as it possibly can. Every member in this room has impacted my life and I want nothing more than to give back to it all that I have and all that this region is capable of. We can truly **change the world** and create a Utopia for each chapter and Jewish boy in southern Texas. We have a lot going for us and I definitely want to be apart of it.

**Faternally Submitted with Undying love** for the Red, White, and Blue Armadillos of Lonestar Region #73, **the moments and memories** that have made me into the man I am today, every member in this room, around the world, and throughout time both young and old that has made an impact on my life and inspired me to be all that I can be, and lastly, the people who started it all my heart my home the mighty Red and Blue Shields of Cyrus Adler AZA #434, I remain forever and Always

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Proud Candidate for your 30th Lonestar Regional Godol

