GOALS

COUNTERPART BONDING

I plan on having a Godolim Weekend at the beginning of the term with the newly elected presidents to facilitate the creation of strong bonds and relationships. The top leaders of the region would be able to create new and innovative ideas.

MEETING WITH COUNTERPARTS

I will hold monthly meetings with the chapter counterparts to set goals and check what progress has been made. Being a chapter oriented region, I believe independence for each chapter is an integral part of helping the region to grow and thrive. Meeting with the presidents individually will help ensure the region is on the same page and allow the chapters to move at their own pace.

INTER-CHAPTER PROGRAMMING

Regional unity will be one of my biggest goals if elected RAG. Planning programs with other chapters will give all members the opportunities to meet and spend time with each other, resulting in a stronger and more dynamic region.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SUMMER PROGRAMS & MARCH OF THE LIVING

I plan to work with the Gizbor to start a March of the Living and Summer Program Fund. The sole purpose of this fund will be to financially assist members who otherwise would not be have been able to afford to make the trips. This means more Jewish teens going on more Jewish experiences.

GLOBALIZATION WITH SOUTH AFRICA

NTO has achieved amazing feats all over the order in result of our globalization. We were able to bring a Bulgarian teen to one of our conventions, as well as raise thousands of dollars for I\$F. Within NTO, we have many members with connections in South Africa. This is a perfect opportunity to improve upon our great work and build relations so that we could start a chapter there or bring South African kids here to our programs.

Aleph Godol and my brother Alephs,

The summer before my sophomore year I attended CLTC 6, 2011. Originally I was very reluctant to go for many reasons: It was my first time leaving home for an extended period of time, I wasn't going with any friends, and I had yet to find my passion for AZA. It was my first night there that everything changed.

We had a cheer circle and kids from all different places would jump into the middle and lead us in chants. I suddenly had the urge to take part so I jumped into the middle and started chanting, "Never too many, Never too strong, Always AZA." After repeating it a few times slowly for those who had not learned it before, everyone started screaming it from the top of their lungs while leaping up into the air. The amount of passion and fraternity in that circle was surreal. I simply could not believe that over 40 boys who I had never seen in my entire life just seemed so united, it was as if we had been friends and known each other our entire lives.

And it was from that moment that I knew what it meant to be in X Y X

It's not just hanging out with your chapter on Saturday nights, or seeing other kids around the region at PnF. It is much, much more than that. Being a member of AZA means that you are a part of an ongoing tradition started decades ago, it means you are striving to live for those 7 cardinal principles. Most of all it means that you are a part of an ongoing heartbeat that is felt by Jewish teens all across the world. It is because of this powerful heartbeat that I put 100% of my dedication and passion into this order.

Fraternally Submitted with Undying Love for NTO #74, my home Morton Arthur Lewis #135, and Never too many, Never too Strong, Always AZA.

I remain,



Aleph Michael Aubrey Vivier
Aspiring to be NTO's 29th Regional Aleph Godol

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Aspiring to be the High and Honorable Position of North Texas-Oklahoma's **29th Regional Aleph Godol**



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

-John Quincy Adams

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Meet with chapters' newly elected presidents and discuss future goals (K'lal Included)

Determine needs/set goals for NTO

Sit in on program or meeting with all Dallas council chapters

VISIT Tulsa and Ft. Worth

Start shifting focus to planning LTI
Stay in contact with all chapter presidents

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QUALIFICATIONS

MORTON ARTHUR LEWIS AZA #135

Aleph-in-Good Standing (Fall 2010 – Pres)
Aleph Godol (Fall 2012 – Pres)
Aleph S'gan (Spring 2012)
Aleph S'gan (Fall 2011)
Aleph Mazkir (Spring 2011)

Retreat Committee (Spring 2011, 2012)

CONVENTIONS / SUMMER PROGRAMS

IC 2013 (Registered)
ILSI 2013 (Registered)
Regional Conventions (2010, 2011, 2012)
NTO Execs (2012)
International Kallah (2012)
ILTC (2012)
Head Chairman of BBYO Reach (2012)
Lewis Retreat (2011, 2012)
LTI (2011, 2012)
Texoma Convention (2011)
CLTC (2011)
MIT/AIT (2010)
Walkdown (2011, 2012)

OTHER

Anti Defamation League (ADL) (Fall 2012) Inclusion Board (Fall 2012)

TULSA

To our brothers in FRAZA, I would like to say this region is nowhere near complete without you. As Godol I would like to come visit multiple times throughout my term (I already have dates planned) and meet with all the members at programs or meetings. This, however, is not enough. We need to have the Dallas chapters see Tulsa more often, not only at a couple of conventions a year. There are many campsites between Dallas and Tulsa that I would like to plan a weekend retreat at. Members from both cities could come unite and bond as a region. We can also invite FRAZA to our Shabbats or have LTI or Kallah in Tulsa.

FT. WORTH

I am determined to pull Gilbert back together. I intend on visiting there frequently to find a dedicated group of teens that want to bring Ft. Worth back to success. Once this is achieved, we can combine for many different events such as going to Six Flags or a Rangers game. This could be incredible if turned into a regional event and it would bring excitement to Ft. Worth along with great regional bonding.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

NTO is becoming recognized all over the order due to many different accomplishments. A big reason is because we have many members attending summer programs every year and hold a very strong presence wherever we are. After everyone returns from their respective summer programs, I will hold a meeting where they can share things they learned and want to incorporate into our region.

KICK-OFF EVENT

Before the fall term starts I want to hold a new and exciting kick-off program. This would be a great opportunity to bring inactive members back, and also provide the freshmen with an enjoyable start to AZA. This can be a fun dance, a BBQ, or any type of regional get-together.

PERSONAL GOALS

As Regional Godol it is my duty to lead this region to success. I hold myself accountable for each decision that is made, and I will do my best to stay in contact with each chapter and assist them in moving forward. I also hope to be the ultimate role model for every aleph out there. I am always available to talk and I will help out any brother in need.



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APRIL

Hold a successful LTI

Find delegates from South Africa to start communicating with

Continue push for Summer Programs

MAY

Last push for all Summer programs

More communication with presidents

SUMMER

Visit South Africa and meet with delegates to start BBYO

Hold a meeting with all those who attended Summer Programs

Plan kick-off Event