MY SISTER B'NAI B'RITH GIRLS, In HSM, when Gabriella Montez first walked through the doors of East High School, she was a bit nervous & scared but full of excitement. She saw an opportunity to do something & make a huge impact on not only herself, but others as well. I am Gilliana Hope Gaines, & I am caucusing for the high & honorable position of your spring term 2017 Sh'licha. Among my goals for this term I plan to create a meaningful SpeakUp program about Israel, organize holiday programs (such as Passover & Purim events), work to re-evaluate our StandUp cause, & work alongside our Gizborit to ensure that we reach our donation goals along with we exceeding them. Our chapter is a family, a home, a team. We're all in this together & I want to make sure every member feels as though they have a clear contribute in it. It is my hope that we, as sisters, have the chance to connect on a truly meaningful & deeper level. In HSM 2, Gabriella branched out & took on new challenges, such as jobs & fighting for what she knew was right. Much like her experiences, during my summer leadership training, I branched out to new & exciting opportunities; one thing from these experiences I would like to bring to our chapter would be having a God talk program to use as an open & free space where we can express our thoughts & feelings about our religion while also gaining the chance to question it in a judgement free environment. Along with exploring our own faith in a more in depth nature I would like to branch out & hold an interfaith program so that we gain a better knowledge of others around us who aren't necessarily Jewish. An idea I would like to bring to our chapter would be to have a Tikvah talent night. This would be a fun & exciting experience for not only us as a chapter but others as I know we could gain attendance from parents, other chapter members, & more. Within my goals for this term I would like to create a committee that helps to plan Shabbat & havdalah events, so that girls who are not on board also have a say in how we do things in our chapter. I plan to work diligently with my cos from other BBG & AZA chapters,& hope to have at a minimum one event co-chapter event with each chapter. This term let's break free, break molds, & start something new that will have an impact lasting **FOREVER**. Respectfully Submitted with undying love for the purple and blue turtles of Tikvah BBG #2473, High School Musical, Gabriella Montez, Shabbats and havdalah, LSR #73, CLTC 8 2016, IC 2017, Perlman Summer 2017, spooey, Shawn Mendes, fanfictions, Girl Meets World, Grey's Anatomy, music, breaking free, breaking molds, and each and every one of you, I remain, GILLIANA HOPE GAINES A proud candidate for your Spring Term 2017 Sh'licha

## WE'RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER (BBYO QUALIFICATIONS) ^= denotes steered >LSR/GHC Taste of BBYO Regional Kallah 2015 >GHC Taste of BBYO Game Night 2015, 2016 >GHC White-Out Kickoff Party 2015, 2016 > Active Member in Good Standing (Only missed 2-3 events in total since MIT/AIT Pickup 2015) > MIT/AIT 2015, 2016^ (Shabbat & Rituals Committee- Torah Service) > Wise BBG #2040 Spring Term 2016 Katvanit (Stand-in Sh'licha & Orechet when officers were unable to attend events.) > BBG Stand-up Week Committee (Friday Education Day Coordinator, Slideshow Maker) > Kallah 2016, 2017\*° >Regional Chair Network Spring 2016, Fall 2016, Spring 2017

> GHC Beau/Sweetie Walkdowns 2016, 2017\*

>LSR/GHC Leadership Training Institute Fall 2016

> Regional Chair Network Spring 2016, Fall 2016

> IC 2017\*. JEI Musical Pre-Summit\*

> Regionals 2015, 2016^ (Service Committee- Dreamcatcher

> Attended every BBYO Songleading Zoom calls opportunities

>New Member November (Planning & Prospects Committees)

> Global Shabbat Committee 2016 (Emma Project Co-Leader)

for Cholemet BBG #2296, led Minyans, Chair of Shabbat

> CLTC 8 2016: Perlman Summer 2017\* (Planned 2 Shabbat events

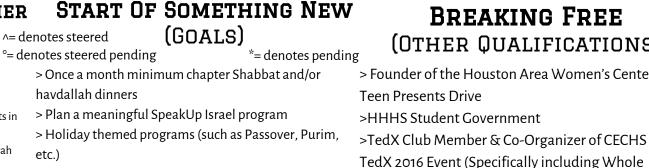
Committee, planned Education program, Planned a Shachari

> GHC Presidential Debate Night + Voice Your Vote Night 2016

> Wise BBG #2040 Fall Term 2016 Sh'licha

Service)

available.



> Work with Gizborit during March Madness month

> Diligently promote LSR Kallah 2016

members to bring causes they are

> Re-evaluate Stand up cause and allow

passionate about for us to Stand up for

>Teach prayers/songs for conventions

> Create a Tikvah Shabbat committee

>Tikvah talent show night

incorporated into shabbats)

BBC & AZA chapter

shabbat/havdalah

> Have members contribute

personal/family traditions (To be

≥ Bring God Talk programs to our chapter

> Plan interfaith education programs

> Have at least 1 shabbat and/or

havdalah co-chapter event with every

> Have a theme for each

## BREAKING FREE (OTHER QUALIFICATIONS) > Founder of the Houston Area Women's Center Teen Presents Drive

> Standing Rock donation/collection drive 2016

> HCRJ Mitzvah Day volunteer at Turning Point

> CSK High Holy Days Childcare Program

Worker/Activities Assistant 2016

> Hands on Judaism Member 2016

> A Leading Ladies 2016 nominee\*

Volunteer & Band Coach)

>Past volunteer of Seven Acres

> 2012 Reader's Choice award at FWS

> 2015 Excellence in Music award Recipient

>Active temple/congregation volunteer

>GRCH Camper 2012-Present (Planned Future

> HHHS Student short film director/writer Fall 2016

Foods Contactee)

2008-2012

2004-present