

THE VALUE OF BBYO...

With over 400 AZA and BBG chapters across the globe, BBYO is the largest pluralistic network of Jewish teens in the world. By engaging teens through BBYO's time-tested leadership programs, teens gain the skills and confidence needed to achieve great things. BBYO creates lasting Jewish connections that ensure the future of the Jewish people. In local communities, AZA and BBG chapters engage teens in community service efforts and Jewish celebrations while offering a fun and meaningful retreat from the stresses of teen life.



THE EMERGENCE OF FAN...

BBYO separated from B'nai B'rith International in 2002. Now, as an independent organization, BBYO looks to its most passionate supporters to secure its future. Responding to this need, a group of committed adults who believe in the power of BBYO experiences formed the Friends and Alumni Network – FAN. Today, FAN exists in approximately 40 communities, each headed by volunteer leaders who engage their communities in supporting BBYO. Every penny raised in a particular community directly funds BBYO in that community. All told, FAN raises approximately \$2,000,000 each year to support BBYO's teens.



“As a FAN Chair, I have the opportunity to collaborate with community leaders from across North America and participate in FAN's leadership trainings and skills building retreats. Not only am I securing BBYO's future in my community, I'm becoming a stronger leader myself.”

-Karen Lerner, Chair, Houston FAN

GET INVOLVED IN YOUR COMMUNITY...

BBYO is made possible because its friends and alumni step forward to contribute their enthusiasm, resources, talent and time. Become a FAN Chair or join your local FAN committee today. There are so many different ways to get involved in securing BBYO's future. Choose the opportunity that's right for you!

Build Community

- Bring together old friends through reunions and other events
- Share BBYO's successes in the community
- Represent BBYO in communal settings
- Host a parent orientation
- Create local partnerships

Raise Funds

- Help make the case for BBYO to potential funders
- Lead donor meetings and other community gatherings
- Plan a fundraising event
- Send your own appeal
- Organize a phone-a-thon
- Donate to your local region

Support Our Teens

- Sign-up to be an advisor
- Become a mentor
- Recruit new members by reaching out to parents with teens
- Volunteer to help at a program

Learn more...

There is a role for everyone in FAN. We are here to help you find yours! Go to www.bbyo.org/locations and contact a BBYO professional in your area or simply write to fan@bbyo.org and we will do the rest!