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Celebrating the Ethiopian Holiday of Sigd as One Joyous Community

In Israel, Sigd is celebrated each year by the Ethiopian-Israeli community with festivities and prayers for peace and unity. Yemin Orde Youth Village, Yemin Orde Educational Initiatives partners and Yemin Orde's Men's and Women's Leadership Programs for Immigrant Youth also observe the holiday's culturally-rich traditions. [Watch this short video](#) that reflects the joy of Sigd at the Village! [Read more](#)



YOEI Partner Communities Bridge Cultural and Generational Gaps

Two Yemin Orde Educational Initiatives (YOEI) partner communities, Ktziney Yam Ort Ashdod Youth Village and Tel Aviv Amal Technology High School, have embarked on remarkable and meaningful activities with Jewish and Arab students that reflect important elements of the Village Way educational methodology. [Read more](#)

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For Your Gift On
#GIVING TUESDAY
Friends of Yemin Orde

#GivingTuesday Campaign a Tremendous Success!

Thank you to the Samueli Foundation and all who supported Friends of Yemin Orde's #GivingTuesday one-day fundraising effort. We are thrilled to report that we exceeded our goal and raised \$65,000! **This represents a 500% increase over our goal!** This fabulous result allows us to purchase new ping pong tables and other

recreational equipment for our youth. #ThankYou!



Yemin Orde Leadership Reunites with Friends in the U.S.

Key leaders from Yemin Orde Youth Village and Yemin Orde Educational Initiatives toured several cities in the United States in November, attending meetings and briefings for new and current supporters. Thank you to all those who hosted programs and events in their homes and communities. (Photo at left: Chaim Peri and Sue Cohen, Baltimore.) [Read more](#)



Two New Board Members Join Friends of Yemin Orde

We are pleased to welcome two new members to our Board of Directors: Robert Arogeti (right) and Harvey Potter (left). Each new member brings years of involvement as well as fresh perspectives to our important commitment to provide philanthropic support for Israel's fragile youth. [Read more](#)



Help Strengthen Israel's Future in 2015

As we commemorate the miracle of Hanukkah, please consider a **gift** to Friends of Yemin Orde in 2015 and help us keep miracles alive for Israel's fragile children. Our youth draw strength from your commitment and trust in the promise that Yemin Orde "will always be there for them." Israel's next generation of leaders - its at-risk and immigrant youth - are counting on us. [Donate today.](#)



Are You a Federal Government Employee?

An easy way to support Friends of Yemin Orde is through the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC). When you complete your CFC form, simply designate Friends of Yemin Orde (CFC#11584) as a recipient. [Read more](#)

Happy Hanukkah from Yemin Orde!

Warm wishes to you and your loved ones from Yemin Orde Youth Village, Yemin Orde Educational Initiatives and Friends of Yemin Orde.



Discover the Beauty of Yemin Orde

Friends of Yemin Orde is excited to present its new video, "Discover Yemin Orde: A Home. A Family. Forever."

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