

Important news from Friends of Yemin Orde!



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### High School Seniors Explore Israel's Rugged Beauty on Foot

Each year, high school seniors embark on a four-day Challenge (Etgar) Hike through the Carmel Forest region to put new leadership and team-building skills to the test. The hike reinforces a connection to the land of Israel and provides opportunity for camping and practicing outdoor skills. [Read more.](#)



### YOEI Takes Hands-On Approach to Repairing the World

Educators from 15 Yemin Orde Educational Initiatives communities gathered for a day of learning and discussion to explore the connection between *Tikkun HaLev* (Repairing the Heart) and *Tikkun Olam* (Repairing the World) as these concepts apply to youth at-risk. Picking oranges to donate to food banks was all part of the program. [Read more.](#)



### A Meaningful and Fun Way to Honor a Bat Mitzvah at Yemin Orde

Friends of Yemin Orde's longest serving board member, Michael Salzhauer, and his wife, Amanda, brought their family (pictured at left) to Yemin Orde in honor of their daughter, Abigail's, Bat Mitzvah. [Read more.](#)



## Celebrating Purim and the Whole Megillah

The festive Jewish holiday of Purim brings out the creative side of everyone at Yemin Orde. From transforming the dining hall into a jungle to crazy costumes and dancing, celebrating Jewish traditions as one community is part of the Village Way! [Click here](#) to see a video on Purim celebrations at Yemin Orde.

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## Crossing the Finish Line as Winners at the Jerusalem Marathon

Yemin Orde's running team recently participated in the highly-challenging Jerusalem Marathon. The team, which has trained for months, ran together through the hilly streets of Jerusalem as friends and staff members cheered them on. [Read more.](#)

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## Yemin Orde Graduates of the "University of Life"

Yemin Orde's graduate program recently invited a distinguished group of alumni back to the Village to speak with our youth about the lessons learned in their lives. The graduates attended Yemin Orde during the 1970s and 1980s. [Read more.](#)

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Now is a good time to make a [gift](#) to Friends of Yemin Orde in order to take advantage of favorable exchange rates in Israel. Your donation today will enable us to fund even more activities and services for our children than just a few months ago. Please consider making your gift today so your dollars can go farther. [Donate Now.](#)

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## Make a Gift to Yemin Orde With Combined Federal Campaign

You can donate to Friends of Yemin Orde through your workplace's Combined Federal Campaign. Please designate CFC #11584 when you make your gift. [Read more.](#)

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## Discover the Beauty of Yemin Orde

Watch a beautiful video about the magic of Yemin Orde.  
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