

Hey NFTY-CAR, My name is
Marni Israel and I want to
be your 2016-2017
Membership Vice
President!



About Me

I am a Sophomore at Deerfield High School where I am on the gymnastics team and in Chorus. In school, my favorite class is Child Development where we work in groups to create different projects for the children in the child care center at my school. We lead the children in games and art projects every week. Out of school, I love spending time with my friends. I am extremely social and extroverted which can be very helpful when it comes to recruiting new members :). NFTY has become such a huge part of my life since my first event in 8th grade and I would love to help give back to the community that has made me so happy.

Qualification and experiences

- ❖ Membership and Communications Vice President of YoBE 2015-2016
- ❖ NFTY-CAR Membership committee 2015-2016
- ❖ Leadership Sich'a 2015
 - This was a 4 week leadership training group at OSRUI lead by Max Antman. It was an hour a day during Chalutzim.
- ❖ Kutz 2016 Leadership Major participant
- ❖ NFTY 678 high school leader 2015-2016
- ❖ 7 year OSRUI camper
- ❖ Madricha at Temple Beth-El for 2 years
- ❖ NFTY Veida 2016
- ❖ 12 NFTY events



My Platform



NFTY 101

There are many new members who may feel uncomfortable at their first event, especially if they do not know anyone. NFTY 101 will be the first thing new members do when they get to an event. This will occur at the beginning of the event because that is often the most awkward time if you don't know anyone. In this program, the new members will meet each other and they will be introduced to NFTY in a social type program lead by me and members from the membership committee.

Families

Families will be groups of 10 people of all ages. It will be a consistent group of people at each event. As new members join, they will replace the graduated people in groups. These groups will get very close and it will help to establish the aspect of family in NFTY. Everyone will find their family during the welcoming activity and it will remain the same throughout NFTY. The family group will be the group for all programs and discussion groups.

Membership Competitions

It's time for some competition between the TYG's! For every event, TYG's will compete to see who can bring up their membership up from the last event. Everyone will have incentives to reach for. The 3 most improved TYG's per event will be rewarded. This will help set membership goals for the region and each TYG. If the entire region reaches the goal for the event, everyone will be rewarded. In order to earn TYG membership in the first place, I will implement "Ask what you can do for temples, not what temples can do for you." This means talking with teens at temples instead of asking the temple to do the work for us. This will earn trust with temples and strengthen their opinion of NFTY.

By creating a NFTY 101 program for new members, families to create a close group in NFTY and having membership competitions as a motivator, I will change the face of NFTY-CAR membership

I cannot wait to see everyone at elections! With love,

-Marni Israel