

# **NFTY-STR**

## **Social Action Vice President**

### **Network Packet 2018-2019**



**~repairing the world~**

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# MAZEL TOV!!!!!!!!!!!!

Hi everybody and welcome to the 2018-2019 NFTY-STR SAVP Network! I wanted to start off by saying congratulations on your newly-elected position as your Temple Youth Group's (TYG) Social Action Vice President or Fundraising Vice Presidents. The journey you are about to embark on is transformative, honorable, and, most importantly, unforgettable. I am truly so excited for each and everyone of you.

Serving on your TYG board is such a rewarding experience, and you will learn so much along the way. You are a leader, and not only to your TYG. I believe in all you, and I know that you can make a difference in your community, in whatever form that may take.

As members of the SAVP Network, it is your job to involve your TYG in social action. One of biggest takeaways from this position is the power of change- both how much we can accomplish together and how easy it is to make real change. The commitment that all of you show towards creating real change is what makes NFTY not just a collection of youth groups, but a youth **movement!** You have the hope, persistence, compassion, and knowledge necessary to shape the world into a better place.

But that doesn't mean you are carrying the weight of the world on your own! Look at everyone else in this room. These people are your partners, and you can rely on them because they are going through the exact same things you are. Now look at me. Hi. I'm here to help you too! Never hesitate to reach out to me and each other if you are having trouble, have any questions or new ideas, or just need a person to talk to. Whatever goal you seek, no matter how ambitious or idealistic, we can work towards it together.

I'm so excited to bond and learn with each of you throughout this weekend, and I am so incredibly proud to be a part of this network! I can't wait to work with all of you in the year ahead and I can't wait to get started!

Sincerely,

Daniel Shapiro

*“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has”*

*-Margaret Mead*

# Everything You Need to Know About Me

**Name:** Daniel Shapiro (pronounced like Sha-π-ro)

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**Movies:** Shawshank Redemption, Most things Disney, Anything Pixar...

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**Books:** *Hidden World* BY ZOE TERNER!!!

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# All About You?

(Take a deep breath these are the hard questions)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

TYG: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Pronouns: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Num--... Hometown... \_\_\_\_\_

## Why SAVP?

What are you most passionate about? Why?

What are you ready to do about it?

What is the most and least exciting part of your role?

What is your biggest goal for your term this year? (We will be getting more in depth about goal setting later but don't be afraid to share your goals!)

# Learn The Lingo

As leaders in our movement, it is necessary it to become familiar with the terms you will be hearing very often:

**NFTY:** North American Federation of Temple Youth; The URJ's youth movement

**STR:** Southern Tropical Region, from Central Florida to the Keys.

**TYG:** Temple Youth Group, the foundation of our movement

**JYG:** Junior Youth Group

**PVP:** Programming Vice President

**SAVP:** Social Action Vice President (Whoa that's us!!!)

**RCVP:** Religious and Cultural Vice President

**CVP:** Communications Vice President

**MVP:** Membership Vice President

**RegBo:** short for Regional Board

**Kallah:** A regional event where all TYGs come together for 2-5 days of innovative programs, engaging Shabbat services, awesome social action, and making new friends!

**PP:** Abbreviation for participant, used most often when describing a program

**LLTI:** The Liz Leadership Training Institute, the kallah where the leaders of NFTY-STR come together to learn all the skills they will need in their positions

**URJ:** Union for Reform Judaism; parent body of NFTY

**RAC:** Religious Action Center; the URJ's outlet for social justice in Washington, D.C.

**L'taken:** The L'taken Social Justice Seminar, in partnership with the RAC, engages nearly 2,000 Jewish teens in North American social action every year

**Siyyum:** Our closing circle that takes place every night of a NFTY event

**CJ:** CAMP JENNY!!! Camp Jenny is NFTY-STR and SAR's mitzvah project that takes over Memorial Day Weekend at URJ Camp Coleman

**STRsky:** NFTY-STR's famous mascot, our beloved white bengal tiger #selfieswithSTRsky

# You are a Board Member 1st; Position 2nd

Adapted from Robert Feder, NFTY-STR SAVP 2016-2017

## ***You were elected by your TYG to serve on your board.***

You are crucial to the success of your TYG. Your board may consist of anywhere from two to eleven other people and your TYG advisor, and each of them is depending on you to help work as a team! All of your successes and challenges are felt together, and each of your board members wants what's best for your TYG. Your board is one of your greatest support systems, but to earn their support, you have to be a team player.

## ***Each board member is...***

1. ***A programmer-*** the PVP was elected to be the point-person in regards to programming, but it is every board member's responsibility to help engage the TYG. Everyone has different skills and interests that they can bring to the table, as well as their own unique leadership style. If every board member is given an opportunity to work on a program, your TYG will benefit from a diverse range of programs and an excellent board dynamic!
2. ***An activist-*** the value of *Tikkun Olam* and the pursuit of social justice is a responsibility of all Jews, not just SAVPs. Your board needs to act as a cohesive unit in our commitment to social action, and you can achieve so much more if you all work together.
3. ***An active and knowledgeable Jew-*** Believe it or not, your TYG is a *Jewish* youth group. While having fun, social programs are important to your TYG, it is important to relate your programs back to our Jewish values.
4. ***A communicator-*** Every board member needs to help publicize the events! Not only will it lessen the burden on the CVP, but you will appeal to a larger audience. You also need to be communicating with your board to ensure that everyone is always on the same page.
5. ***An MVP-*** Reaching out to people and forming relationships with members is a very important responsibility. Increasing membership is in every board member's interest, and the closer you are to your TYG, the better!
6. ***A team player-*** You are a resource to your fellow board members. Reliability, accountability, and accessibility will help build your relationships with your board.
7. ***A participant-*** You are a participant before you are a board member. Your decisions on board must be made with the need of the TYG's in mind. Every leader is also a follower, and a TYG board member is both.
8. ***Flexible-*** Your new favorite F-word!!! It is highly improbable that events go exactly as planned. The best way to deal with the unexpected is to take what you're given and proactively find new solutions.
9. ***A comedian-*** Having a sense of humor about your flaws is life skill, not just a leadership skill. Being able to laugh at yourself allows you to manage your stress, maintain an optimistic attitude, and prepare for the future while learning from your mistakes.

# S.M.A.R.T. Goals and Action Steps



## **Specific:**

Don't be vague. Exactly what do you want to accomplish?

## **Measurable:**

Quantify your goal. How else will you know if you've achieved it or not? This will also help you track your progress along the way.

## **Attainable:**

Be honest with yourself about what you can really accomplish. You need to be able to complete action steps towards your goal.

## **Realistic/Relevant:**

It's got to be do-able, rational, and practical. How does your goal tie into your key-responsibilities?

## **Time-Bound:**

Associate a timeframe with each goal. When should you complete the goal?

## Creating Action Steps

**Action steps** are specific things you will do to start addressing the goal you identified. Steps are like phases to a plan, and can include items such as contacting supporters, raising a difficult question, bringing up an important issue with a fellow board member, or anything that will bring you closer to addressing your SMART goal.

**\*\*\*\*Refer to your Action Step Worksheet\*\*\*\***

# Network Goals

## ***My goals for the Network:***

1. Maintain an active, welcoming, accepting network group chat-  
I hope that throughout the year our network is one of the greatest resources you have as an SAVP. Look around you. None of you are alone! In fact, most of you will be going through the same things throughout the year. Everyone in this network is an asset to one another, and you can always learn something new from hearing someone else's approach to a problem.
2. Engage in sub-regional social action:  
In addition to giving advice and feedback to one another, we can collaborate with each other to create sub-regional events. A sub-regional social action event between nearby TYGs is beneficial for everyone involved! Your TYG members get to be engaged in social action between kallot, while also being with the best type of friends around (NFTY friends of course); the TYGs involved benefit from a stronger working relationship that can build for more successful events in the future; the organization that you choose to work with benefits from the time and effort you put in; and you benefit from being the lucky SAVPs that get to plan this all!
3. Reflect the interests of our members to create successful social action:  
We all know that any type of social action is a great form of engagement, but your interests don't necessarily match the interests of your TYG. To create successful social action engagement in the region, we have to strengthen the same engagement on the TYG level. One way this could be done is by periodically surveying our members to determine their passions and interests. You can even let members take the lead on a social action program that they are passionate about!

## ***Your goals for this Network:***



# 5 A's of Social Action

## **Awareness**

Awareness is how your program or event educates its participants about the topic at hand. However, don't make your participants an audience! Remember that you're not teaching participants what to think, but **how to think**, by giving them the opportunity to **form their own opinion**. It's important to acknowledge multiple perspectives on a cause in order to prevent one-sidedness. By doing this, you will help create a community where everyone feels comfortable voicing their opinions.

## **Assessment**

This is the act of evaluating your community's needs and challenges. As a TYG SAVP, you will primarily be focused on how to make tangible change in your own respective local communities. **How do large-scale issues influence your city? What does your TYG feel most passionately about?** People will resonate most with issues that they feel most directly impact them, and their opinions will help determine your program's course of action. Speaking of action...

## **Action**

This stage is when we make direct, hands-on change by **going out into our community**. This can range anywhere from holding drives and collecting donations, to volunteering at local community organizations. Action has a great effect when you take action on the causes you educate on! Your participants will be more engaged when they know exactly what they are doing, why they are doing it, and who will benefit from their actions. Education without action is a missed opportunity, and action without context is participation.

## **Alliance**

Alliance involves **forming partnerships** with local organizations to create stronger social change. You can foster relationships between you and an organization, the organization and your TYG, or even the organization and your temple to further engage in social action. Not only would these connections help your TYG succeed, but the local organization benefits from the time and effort you put it in, creating a standing, mutually supportive partnership and greater potential to change the world.

## **Advocacy**

Advocacy is the message that not only do you have power as an SAVP, but as a member of society, as a person who has a voice and knows how to use it. While the purpose of action-oriented programs is to mitigate the consequences of injustice, advocacy is directed towards ensuring long-lasting change by **targeting the roots of a problem**. This can be done by interacting with our local and national governments through phone-banking, letter-writing, and lobbying for issues that you are passionate about.

# Action Plan

*Adapted from The Project Courage Planning Form by Robert Feder, NFTY-STR  
SAVP 2016-2017*

Temple Youth Group(s) or Individual(s):

Supervising Coordinator:

Individual(s) Implementing The Project:

Is the project a **one-time program** or a **sustainable program** ?

Total Project Budget: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed source for additional funds if needed:

\_\_\_\_\_

Project Description (1-2 paragraphs):

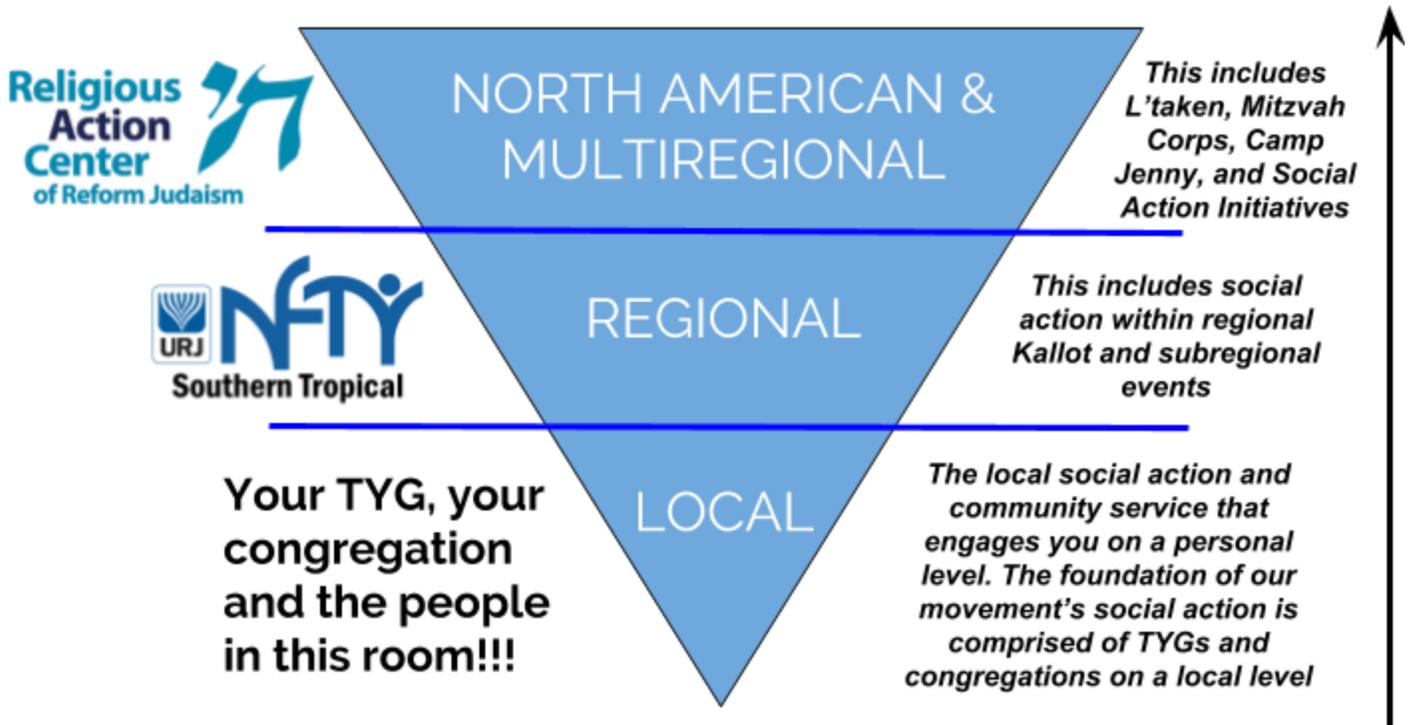
Date	Task	Description	People Responsible

**You can compile all of your ideas in an expanded form of this chart to create an organized, tangible to-do list.**



# The Inverted Pyramid Method of SA

Created by Shelby Shoup, NFTY-STR SAVP 2015-2016, NAB SAVP 2016-2017



The Inverted Pyramid Method reflects how NFTY is structured as an organization, as well as how change is made in the world. Large-scale social action issues must be powered on a local level before making an impact on a national or global basis. Similarly, the North American level of NFTY is dependent on the regions, and the regions cannot function without TYGs- the foundation of our movement. That being said, social action starts with YOU. You have power as a responsible, caring, and educated citizen to create tangible change and stand up for what you believe in!

## **How does this Pyramid thing address political issues??**

I'm glad you asked! The culture of one region could be completely polar to the culture of another. The same can be said about the wide diversity of views within our own region (leave it to Florida to be split, amiright?). Due to the sheer diversity of our nation and state, issues are most effectively dealt with on a local level, being able to convey how they personally impact us. Addressing political issues in a program only becomes more difficult as you move higher up the Pyramid. After all, taking action on your local government is more likely to result in change than that with the federal government.

# Types of Social Action Programming

## ***Education/Awareness***

Raising awareness to a cause is essential for all types of social action programming. An educational aspect of your program will benefit your members and participants by providing them more background on the topic, allowing them to learn more about the issue and how it impacts them, and most importantly **gives them all the necessary resources and information to form or adapt their own opinion**. For example, NFTY-STR has invited Donald Whitehead to many regional events to discuss his story of overcoming homelessness and addiction to provide his expertise on homelessness and how to become an advocate.

## ***Experiential***

Experiential programming describes programs in which participants are immersed in a specific scenario in order to experience a issue firsthand. In experiential programs, you are incorporating your members into a **controlled simulation** directed by group leaders to reach an expected result. By design, an experiential program is meant to be interactive and convey information indirectly. An example of an experiential program is the disability program at Winter Regional 2017, where PP's were assigned physical disabilities by taking away a sense or movement from them and were able see how it affects their likelihood of completing everyday tasks.

## ***Activity/Discussion based***

This type of programming incorporates elements of the educational and experiential programs to design a program that is both comprehensive as well as engaging. Your programs can be innovative and engaging by containing activity-based and discussion-based elements to effectively reflect the goals of your program. It is also beneficial to set up a program in this manner because it allows your participants to reflect over the meaning of the activity during the discussion and achieve a greater understanding of the topic at hand.

## ***Activism***

Activism programs are unique because they focus on the power that participants have to create change as individual citizens. This is a governmental route to social action, in which participants advocate for issues that they are passionate about and stand up for their beliefs. This can take form by advocating for issues on a local level such as through petitioning your local government, lobbying, and writing or calling your local government representatives.

# Social Action Programming (Cont.)

## **Community Service**

Community service allows participants to engage in hands-on social action and unite behind a cause, which strengthens their relationship to the issue. Hands-on social action programming is also great because your participants will be taking direct action on an issue, while maintaining a high level of engagement. When this style of programming is combined with an educational aspect, your members will also feel fulfilled because they are putting everything they learned about the cause to good use.

## **Education and Action**

As great as hands-on social action is (and it is pretty great), it is important to keep in mind that a balance needs to be achieved between education and action. We don't want participants to expect the same routine program style every time, and we don't want them to feel as if the same issue is constantly being reused. Your participants are passionate about a wide array of issues and it is important to address their interests! Remember: action without education is nearly participation and education without action is a missed opportunity. Being able to transform an educational or awareness program into an action program is key; you want to strengthen your participants' and your TYG's relationship to social action and it is very impactful to show how easily you can make a difference.

## **Ok... but what do I write programs on?**

You're the person who presents and implements social action initiatives in your TYG, which means throughout the year it will be your job to recognize what issues matter most to your peers and decide how to take action on them. Here's a few tips on how to best reflect your youth group's needs and interests:

1. What are you most passionate about? What is worth changing most?  
*Before you can start taking direction on others' interests, you need to know your own! Always keep your goals in mind when executing initiatives in your TYG.*
2. Ask your TYG the same question! Don't hesitate to send out a survey to find out what they are passionate about too.
3. Engage your temple youth group in temple-wide social action!
4. Ask why are these issues important to us as Jews? (Remember to tie your programming back to Jewish values!)
5. Utilize your resources to help you form **connections** in our commitment to social justice!

# Social Action Programming (Cont.)

	PROS	CONS
EDUCATION AND AWARENESS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Presents issues in a straightforward, factual manner</li> <li>● Provides background and puts the topic into context</li> <li>● Gives the participants the necessary information to form their own opinion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● A primarily objective style of education is not very engaging</li> <li>● Simply listening to a presentation for an extended period of time could cause boredom and disinterest</li> </ul>
EXPERIENTIAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Presents issues in a more interactive and engaging manner</li> <li>● Activities better captivate the participants' attention</li> <li>● Gives participants the power to make their own decisions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Instructions could be miscommunicated or misconstrued</li> <li>● Group Leaders may be needed to facilitate the program to reach a desired</li> </ul>
ACTIVISM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Strengthens participants' power as citizens</li> <li>● Allows participants to advocate for what they believe in</li> <li>● Activism does not need to be conducted only through programming</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Some participants may not feel comfortable voicing their opinion- and that's OK!</li> <li>● Topic of discussion must address multiple perspectives to be inclusive to differing opinions</li> </ul>
COMMUNITY SERVICE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Can be incorporated into a program or done independently</li> <li>● Hands-on social action allows participants to unite behind a cause</li> <li>● Allows participants to make a tangible difference in the community</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Hands-on programming is great, but you must have a variety on program types throughout the year</li> <li>● Don't want participants to feel like they're being put to work</li> <li>● Must reflect our participants' interests and passions</li> </ul>

# \$\$\$ Fundraising \$\$\$

*Adapted from Zoe Terner, NFTY-STR SAVP 2017-2018*

Fundraising is a very important aspect of social action. The money you raise or the items you donate support several local organizations while directly engaging the participants in quantifiable social action. Some of you here may be a Fundraising Vice President (FVP) or have one on your TYG board. The FVPs and SAVPs are the point people on your TYGs fundraising efforts.

Fundraising can be complicated in order to ensure that you implement the most effective and inclusive fundraising methods possible. You, as the people in charge of your fundraisers, help to set the tone of your event. It is very important to note that throughout your fundraising efforts, **no one should feel excluded or unable to contribute to your cause**. Fundraising isn't just a way to give back to your community, but it's an outlet to strengthen your participants' bonds with each other and their passion for social action- an experience that everyone should be able to be a part of.

That being said, in order to design an inclusive fundraiser, you should consider a few key things. If you're asking teens to raise funds or bring in items, reflect on if you are asking for too much or if it will exclude teens who don't have such items at their disposal. Don't be afraid to ask your teens to participate, so long as you are aware and sympathetic of everyone's ability to contribute.

Here are a few tips to help ensure that your fundraiser is successful and effective:

1. Make sure the purpose of the fundraiser is abundantly clear! Don't ask for money without informing your target audience about where it's going, who it benefits, and **why** it matters to your TYG
2. Establish WHO is your target market and audience. Who are you advertising this event to? Will they be interested in the fundraiser? How big will your event be?
3. Set an exciting but practical fundraising goal for your youth group and work towards it! Having a goal in mind allows your TYG to track your progress and will make everyone feel accomplished when you find success. Your success can also lead to increased engagement for your next wonderful fundraising idea!

# \$\$\$ Fundraising \$\$\$ (Cont.)

*Created by Natalie Barman, NFTY-STR SAVP 2012-2013 and adapted by  
Robert Feder, NFTY-STR SAVP 2016-2017*

The following email format can serve as a template as a way to reach out to and request donations (both monetary and in items) from different organizations and individuals. Don't be afraid to personalize your email and adapt it to fit your fundraiser's purpose and needs, as well as make it relevant to the recipient. However, you must not send any actual emails before receiving approval from your advisor! In this request, you represent your youth group and your temple, and your advisor must review your request for funds to ensure that it complies with your temple's fundraising policies. Finally, regardless of their response, follow-up with the recipient and thank them for their consideration.

**Date Dear Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_,**

**Begin by saying who you are, the position, and what organization you represent. Make sure to spell out the name of your TYG before using the acronym.**

**State what your TYG is doing (event, etc.) and why (what the cause/organization is). Write the date or dates of the project. If there is an actual event involved, invite the person to it.**

**Include some details about the project in the next paragraph. Keep it brief, but make sure the reader is able to gain a better sense of what the project is.**

**State the goal of the fundraising project. Tell the reader that every donation helps and then ask for their support. Make the reader aware of what it is you are what it is you are asking them to consider donating i.e. money, food, supplies, etc.**

**Thank the reader in advance. Tell them if they have any questions about the project to feel free to call you. Provide a phone number!**

**Sincerely,**

**(Signature)**

**Your Name**

**TYG Social Action Vice President 2017-2018**

# CAMP JENNY!!!!!!!!!!

Camp Jenny is NFTY-STR and NFTY-SAR's Mitzvah Corps project that takes place every Memorial Day Weekend at URJ Camp Coleman. Camp Jenny is an entirely free summer camp experience for students at F.L. Stanton Elementary school in inner-city Atlanta, Georgia. NFTYites across both regions serve as staff members for our campers and fundraise for Camp Jenny throughout the year.

Camp Jenny is the ultimate, life-changing reward for our campers' commitment to their education. They earn their way to Camp Jenny by following the acronym CAMP: **C**ome to school, **A**wesome attitude, **M**ake an effort, **P**arent participation. At Camp Jenny, our campers get to experience an array of fun camp activities, such as ziplining, water play, rockwall climbing, will be fed 3 warm meals a day, and can have fun in a safe environment.

Just like the campers have to earn their spot to Camp Jenny, so do we! The Camp Jenny Teen Volunteer application is released on the Camp Jenny Facebook page and website in the fall, and you will have the opportunity to apply for one of the most rewarding, transformative weekends you will ever have! NFTYites can apply for the positions of Staff-in-Training (9th grade only), Specialist (10-12th grade), Counselor (10-12th grade), Senior Specialist (11-12th grade), Senior Counselor (11-12th grade), Head Specialist (11-12th grade), and Unit Head (11-12th grade). I so so so so strongly encourage all of you to apply to be staff at Camp Jenny 2019.

Camp Jenny is entirely fundraised by the members, youth groups, and congregations in NFTY-STR and SAR. Camp Jenny cannot and will not happen if the sufficient funds are not raised, which is why we fundraise for Camp Jenny at every regional event and why many youth groups have a Camp Jenny fundraiser every year.

## **What can you do to keep the Camp Jenny magic alive?**

- Plan a Camp Jenny fundraiser!- As an SAVP, your greatest role in creating a successful Camp Jenny will be creating a fundraiser in your temple and TYG. Remember that Camp Jenny doesn't happen unless we collectively raise \$75,000, the amount necessary to send every camper to Camp Jenny, and any amount donated is greatly appreciated!
- Encourage members of your TYG to apply for Camp Jenny staff positions!
- Apply to Camp Jenny yourself!!!

# Resources

You are far from alone in your term as Social Action Vice President. There are so many people that you can rely on and want to see you succeed. Here are some resources that should be able to help you accomplish your goals throughout the next year:

- Your TYG Board: You will be working with this group of people so much in the next year. You can always bounce ideas off of your fellow board members and ask for their help in anything you need. Your board should always support and elevate one another. Be there for them no matter what and they will always do the same for you.
- Your TYG Advisor: Your greatest adult partnership. They trust you so much because they **know** they can rely on you. Advisors are an incredible resource and they will always encourage you.
- This network: One of my goals is that this network stays very active throughout the year. This is a group of people who are in the exact same position as you (literally!) and will have very similar experiences as you. I know that we all hope the best for each other in the year to come.
- Regional SAVP: Whoa that's me!!! You have no idea how much I want to see you all succeed. Please **never hesitate to reach out to me** no matter the subject. You can ask me any question any time. I can't wait for our partnership and our friendship to grow, and I can't wait to see you succeed in all your endeavors!
- Our regional advisor- Julie Marsh is always here for all of us. She has so much expertise on every position and will always steer you in the right direction
- The URJ: [www.urj.org](http://www.urj.org)
- The NFTY: [www.nfty.org](http://www.nfty.org)
- The NFTY-STR: [www.southerntropical.nfty.org](http://www.southerntropical.nfty.org)
- Camp Jenny: [www.campjenny.org](http://www.campjenny.org)
- The Religious Action Center: [www.rac.org](http://www.rac.org)
- Youth Group Social Action resources:  
[www.nfty.org/resources/youth-group-administration/social-action/](http://www.nfty.org/resources/youth-group-administration/social-action/)
- NFTY Social Action Program Bank:  
[www.nfty.org/resources/program-bank/social-action/](http://www.nfty.org/resources/program-bank/social-action/)

**Congratulations on making it to the end of the Network Packet! Your journey as SAVP has just begun and I can't wait to see all the great things you do!**

**Can't wait to work with you this year!!!**

**-Daniel**