



Jewish Federation  
of Palm Beach County

STAKEHOLDER REPORT  
2025-2026

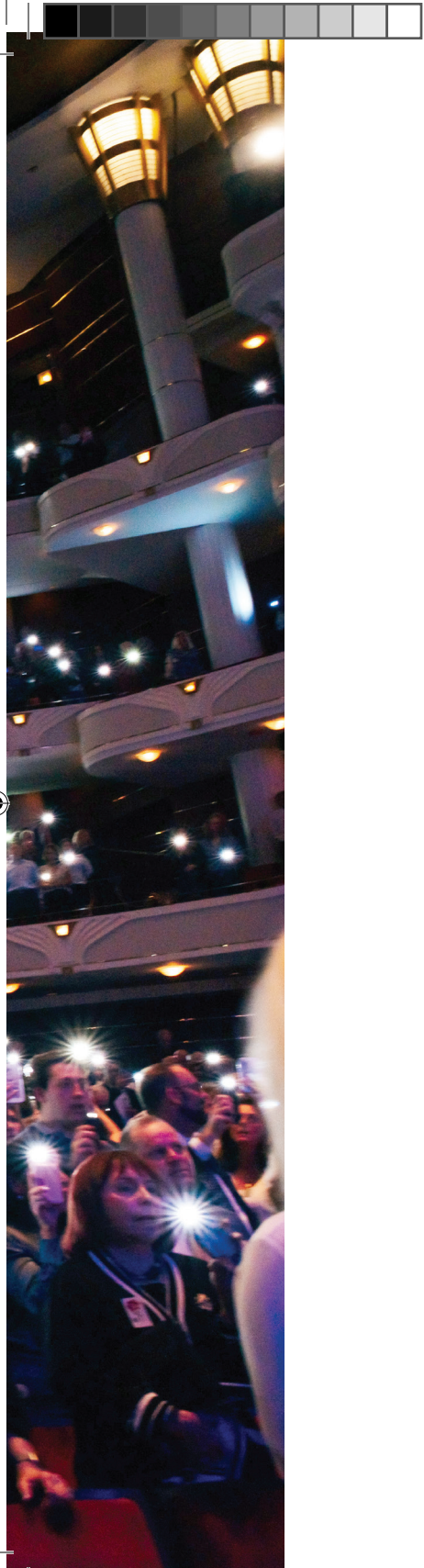
# creating a thriving Jewish community

Today. Tomorrow. Forever.









**Jewish Federation of Palm Beach County leads a collective and powerful response to community needs and meaningful opportunities, ensuring those in need are never alone and those who can help are empowered to make a difference.**

Whether it's giving every child the opportunity to experience Jewish camp, bringing people together to connect Jewishly, delivering hot holiday meals to homebound seniors or standing in unwavering solidarity with the people of Israel, we are always here for one another.

Federation is the "City Hall" of Jewish Palm Beach—one of the largest, fastest-growing and most dynamic communities anywhere. Through our broad network of partner organizations and programs, we offer the resources, expertise and track record to uphold the highest standards of responsibility, transparency and respect. That's why Federation consistently earns top ratings from charity evaluators as we transform lives locally, in Israel and worldwide.

**Driven by our Jewish values, we build a vibrant, thriving and resilient Jewish community here in the Palm Beaches and around the world by focusing on four Impact Areas:**

**We combat antisemitism and hatred**

– building a community where you feel safe and welcome.

**We safeguard the people of Israel when they need us most**

– creating a community that stands up for our global Jewish family.

**We care for people of all life stages, needs and abilities**

– fostering a community that offers the help you need to overcome life's challenges.

**We activate a movement that unites our community to celebrate Jewish life with joy and pride**

– cultivating a community where you can be active and involved in meaningful ways.

Thank you for your generous giving, compassionate volunteerism, visionary leadership and inspiring involvement. You make our community – and the world – a better place.

*For Today, Tomorrow and Forever.*





**your generosity  
makes  
a meaningful  
difference**  
in Jewish Palm Beach,  
Israel and worldwide.





With our historic **Campaign for the Future**, we celebrate your total giving. Your contributions address community challenges **Today**, while your multi-year commitments prepare Federation for **Tomorrow** and legacy gifts ensure community well-being **Forever**.

We extend special recognition to members of the following giving societies for their support of Federation's Annual Campaign:

- **International Leadership Reunion**  
(Contributors of \$250,000+)
- **Prime Minister's Council**  
(Contributors of \$100,000+)
- **Jewish Palm Beach Leadership Circle**  
(Contributors of \$50,000+)
- **King David Society**  
(Contributors of \$25,000+)
- **Lions of Judah**  
(Women contributing \$6,000+)
- **Ben-Gurion Society**  
(Individuals 45 and under contributing \$1,000+)
- **Tzedakah Community**  
(Contributors who give meaningfully at any level)





**we**  
**combat**  
**antisemitism**  
**and hatred**  
with a united strategy, strong allies  
and enhanced security.



**■** In partnership with Federation's Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred, inSIGHT Through Education brought the impactful Hate Ends Now: The Cattle Car exhibit to our area. This free, immersive Holocaust exhibit set inside a replica WWII cattle car educated more than 25,000 students and the public on the history of hate, empowering them as upstanders.



## the situation

Palm Beach County ranks **1<sup>st</sup>** in antisemitic incidents in the state <sup>1</sup>

**Nearly half** of American Jews report they have altered their behavior due to fear of antisemitism <sup>2</sup>

**80%** of religious-based hate crimes in Florida are attributed to antisemitism <sup>3</sup>

## your impact

- **\$3.2 million** in grants to fund innovative arts, education, community partnerships, and security initiatives to confront antisemitism <sup>4</sup>
- **40,000** local students participated in live experiential Holocaust learning through our partnership with community organizations and the School District of Palm Beach County <sup>5</sup>
- **New law passed** through our leadership of a coalition of partners that significantly increases penalties for many antisemitic activities under the Florida Public Nuisance Act



*“My trip to Israel with Federation has been a life-changing experience for me. It has shown me the strength and resilience of the Jewish people. I stand with you in celebrating your rich history and traditions...I am personally committed to participating in conversations that challenge antisemitism and that actively build bridges of understanding within our community.”*

**Danita R. DeHaney, Ph.D.**  
President and CEO  
of the Community Foundation  
for Palm Beach and Martin Counties



- Powered by the **Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred**, Community Leaders Israel Study Tours foster alliances with non-Jewish leaders from the Palm Beaches. Participants explore Israel's rich history and visit significant sites, including Yad Vashem and areas affected by the October 7, 2023, attacks. They engage with experts and everyday Israelis. They also tour border areas to understand the complexities of the conflicts with Hamas and Hezbollah. After returning home, they share their transformative experiences, advocating for unity against antisemitism and offer firsthand insights to their communities.

## LOOKING AHEAD

Six local public schools are piloting two courses—“Foundations of Jewish Civilization: Who are the Jews” and “Dynamics of Antisemitism for 2,500 Years”—designed by best-selling author **Dara Horn** to deepen students' understanding of Jewish history and antisemitism while fostering critical thinking, empathy and acceptance. Teaching our future leaders is an important part of the Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred's mission for our community.

Scan this QR code to learn more about how non-Jewish leaders are joining us to confront antisemitism.







**we**  
**safeguard**  
**the people of Israel**

**when they need us most and help to rebuild our homeland.**



## the situation

- **26%**  
of those evacuated from Northern Israel are still displaced <sup>6</sup>
- **3 million**  
Israeli adults are estimated to struggle with PTSD symptoms, depression or anxiety as a direct consequence of the October 7 terror attacks <sup>7</sup>
- **660,000**  
**businesses have**  
suffered severe disruption in Israel's small and medium business sector, with significant declines in key sectors <sup>8</sup>

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*Our gift to Jewish Federation of Palm Beach County is not only about supporting our Jewish community and the survival of Jews in Israel and around the world, but ensuring the quality of life for all residents of Palm Beach County. This Federation is an exemplary model of compassion, humanity and anti-hatred values.*

– Julie F. & Peter D. Cummings

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## your impact

- **50,000 people**  
assisted with trauma support per month <sup>9</sup>
- **44 hospitals**  
have been provided with medical equipment, trauma support and direct aid to first responders, soldiers and families affected by loss or injury <sup>10</sup>
- **3,209 businesses**  
received emergency grants <sup>11</sup>



- Preschool children in Tzfat, one of Federation's partnership cities in northern Israel, were defenseless against Hezbollah missiles due to a lack of bomb shelters. Federation and global partners took immediate action, building bomb shelters to ensure these children could play and learn safely, demonstrating our unwavering commitment to the people of Israel.

## LOOKING AHEAD

Federation is partnering with Mashabim, the Community Stress Prevention Center (CSPC), to establish a resiliency center in Tzfat. Mashabim's centers across northern Israel provide support to those affected by terror, war and trauma. This new hub will be a central resource for trauma care and resilience-building programs for those in our Israel partnership region who are impacted by the ongoing conflicts.



Scan this QR code for more ways to stand with our family in Israel.





# we care for people

of all life stages,  
needs and abilities.



## the situation

- Florida ranks **40<sup>th</sup>** among all states for access to mental health care <sup>12</sup>
- **1 in 5** children in Palm Beach County go to bed hungry each night <sup>13</sup>
- **4 in 5** households cannot afford our county's median home price <sup>14</sup>

## your impact

- **7,000** mental health session hours provided by Alpert JFS <sup>15</sup>
- **70,000** meals delivered to local people in need through our volunteer projects and human service partners <sup>16</sup>
- **13,500** hours of subsidized home health care services for seniors in need provided by Federation's Senior Subsidies program <sup>17</sup>



## LOOKING AHEAD

The Alpert Jewish Family Service (Alpert JFS) Enrichment Center in Boynton Beach has a 1,500-square-foot food pantry where those in need can choose their own groceries, giving them the dignity they deserve. The Enrichment Center is also the hub for programs, including Career Connections, where Federation's Career Strategists provide personalized support.

- Isolated and anxious after his wife passed away, Alan from Boynton Beach found comfort and hope through a volunteer from Federation's partner, Alpert JFS. Her weekly visits with meals, medicine, and conversation help him feel seen, supported and independent once again.



*Knowing that our contribution helps put food on the table, keep families in their homes and tackle the severe mental health crisis fulfills us deeply. So many are struggling to get by, and we are proud to know that we are making a difference right here in our community.*

– Roberta & Paul Kozloff



Scan this QR code for volunteer opportunities to help people in need.







## the situation

- **49%** of Jewish adults feel connected to our local Jewish community, showing many still seek belonging <sup>18</sup>
- **52%** are seeking more ways to participate, showing a growing desire for connection <sup>18</sup>
- **39%** of parents are newly considering Jewish camps and schools, reflecting renewed interest in identity <sup>19</sup>

## your impact

- **700%** increase in teens participating in Mandel JCC teen programs and experiences since 2023 <sup>20</sup>
- **80%** increase in enrollment at Arthur I. Meyer Jewish Preparatory School since 2019 <sup>21</sup>
- **300%** increase in seats filled at local OneTable Shabbat dinners since 2024 <sup>22</sup>

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*What an unforgettable summer at Camp Shalom! The Mandel JCC truly feels like a second home for my daughter. From the top-notch Jewish value-centered programming to top-notch counselors—kind, caring and fun—it was an experience we'll always treasure. Thank you for providing a safe and nurturing space where my kid can grow, make memories and have a wonderful summer!*

– Lauren Silver

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- On the Treasure Coast, a rotating group of families that a Connector brought together found friendship and community. Now, they're using Get Together Grants to host Shabbat dinners, deepening bonds and celebrating tradition with their new circle. Simple introductions have become a vibrant, supportive network rooted in shared experiences and meaningful connections.

## LOOKING AHEAD

Launched in January 2025, Federation's Community Connections program has become a vibrant network of 17 Connectors, energizing Jewish life across the Palm Beaches and the Treasure Coast. In just months, they've sparked nearly 200 new or deepened relationships and hosted 60 meaningful meetups. These warm, authentic experiences inspire more Jewish conversations at home and form lasting connections, many between families who met only through their Connector. As the program grows, Community Connections continues to embody *kehillah* (community), building a supportive Jewish village one relationship at a time.



Scan this QR code to get involved and make meaningful connections in your community.





# your giving

**Combined with the contributions of thousands of others, your generosity creates a powerful impact across Jewish Palm Beach and around the world.**

We are proud that our transparency, accountability and overall financial health have earned Federation the highest possible ratings from leading nonprofit evaluators. In 2024, the Palm Beach North Chamber of Commerce named Federation Nonprofit of the Year.





# Sources of Funds for Use in 2025-2026

Contributions to  
Our Annual Campaign  
**\$21,000,000**

Funds Designated by  
Our Board of Directors  
**\$2,407,000**

Targeted Giving to Federation  
Programs and Partner Organizations  
**\$13,072,000**

**TOTAL**  
**\$36,479,000**



## Breakdown of Targeted Giving to Federation Programs and Partner Organizations

Local Federation Programs	\$7,768,000
Local Jewish Partner Organizations	\$2,025,000
Israel Relief Efforts	\$1,742,000
Israel & Overseas Jewish Partner Organizations	\$1,537,000

**TOTAL TARGETED GIVING**  
**\$13,072,000**





# 2025-2026 Investments

## Investments in Local Federation Programs

Along with local Jewish partner organizations, Federation addresses several vital causes with signature programs that respond to our community's rapidly growing needs.

Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred*	\$5,924,000
Community Events & Engagement Opportunities	\$1,797,000
Mandel Center for Leadership Development	\$1,126,000
Friedman Commission for Jewish Education	\$907,000
Family Engagement including PJ Library®	\$855,000
Israel Program Center of the Stacey & Mark Levy Center for Israel & Overseas	\$620,000
Dorothy & Sydney Kohl Jewish Volunteer Center	\$510,000
Career and Community Resources	\$454,000
<i>mosaic</i> Public Affairs TV Show	\$380,000
Jewish Women's Foundation	\$222,000
Other Federation Initiatives	\$124,000
Camp & Israel Scholarships	\$71,000

**TOTAL INVESTMENT IN LOCAL FEDERATION PROGRAMS**  
**\$12,990,000**

## Operating Expenses

Federation prioritizes financial integrity by partnering with donors and carefully managing funds to maximize local and global impact. We connect with nearly 150 Federations by supporting Jewish Federations of North America to provide essential resources.

Fundraising and Administration	\$5,417,000
Dues for Jewish Federations of North America	\$560,000

**TOTAL**  
**\$5,977,000**

\* Includes security for local Jewish institutions



Scan this QR code to find descriptions of all our partners and programs.





# Investments in Local Jewish Partner Organizations\*

Thanks to your generosity, Federation invests in a network of independent Jewish nonprofits that serve critical community needs and create lasting change.

	Total	Allocations	Designated Gifts	Endowment Grants	Supporting Services
Mandel Jewish Community Center	\$4,855,000	\$1,069,000	\$690,000	\$259,000	\$2,837,000
Alpert Jewish Family Service	\$2,576,000	\$1,041,000	\$564,000	\$175,000	\$796,000
Meyer Jewish Preparatory School	\$1,958,000	\$606,000	\$45,000	\$109,000	\$1,198,000
Senior Subsidies	\$917,000	\$812,000	\$105,000		
Florida Hillel Council	\$207,000	\$129,000	\$78,000		

TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN LOCAL JEWISH PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS  
\$10,513,000

\* Includes campus security and additional Federation supporting services

# Investments in Israel & Overseas Jewish Partner Organizations

Our global network of partners enables us to support and connect with our Jewish community in Israel and around the world. In times of crisis, we can have a direct and immediate impact at a moment's notice.

	Total	Table of Allocations	Designated Gifts
The Jewish Agency for Israel	\$3,172,000	\$2,427,000	\$745,000
Israel Relief Efforts	\$1,742,000		\$1,742,000
American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee	\$1,373,000	\$1,040,000	\$333,000
Other Israel & Overseas Jewish Initiatives	\$452,000	\$452,000	
Birthright Israel	\$260,000	\$120,000	\$140,000

TOTAL SUPPORT FOR ISRAEL & OVERSEAS JEWISH PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS  
\$6,999,000

TOTAL INVESTMENTS  
\$36,479,000  
FOR USE IN 2025-2026











**Forward-looking philanthropists secure the future through legacy gifts with Federation’s William A. Meyer Jewish Community Foundation (Meyer JCF)—the part of Federation dedicated to helping donors create a lasting impact here in the Palm Beaches and across the globe.**

**Meyer JCF effectively manages a portfolio of investments, including Federation’s endowments and donor-advised funds, supporting foundations as well as funds for the benefit of local Jewish organizations.**



### **Board-Designated Funds**

**\$39,524,000**

These long-term funds fuel capital expenditures and provide added support for Federation operations and programming locally and overseas.

### **Targeted Endowments**

**\$31,066,000**

Upon a donor establishing an endowment, these permanent funds allow the donor to direct distributions toward a specific area of impact, organization or program.

### **Annual Campaign Endowments and Forever Lion of Judah Endowments**

**\$25,507,000**

Annual Campaign Endowments and Forever Lion of Judah Endowments are permanent funds that provide the donor’s gift to Federation’s Annual Campaign forever.

### **Donor-Advised Funds**

**\$25,292,000**

A Donor-Advised Fund is a low-barrier account dedicated to a donor’s charitable giving. Donors recommend grants to charities on their own timeline, making giving simpler and tax efficient.

### **Funds Managed for Other Organizations**

**\$10,887,000**

Many partner organizations trust Meyer JCF to invest their funds and endowments within our responsible investment portfolio.

### **Supporting Foundations**

**\$4,890,000**

Donors may establish a Supporting Foundation to invest their funds and endowments with our responsible investment portfolio.

### **Planned Gifts**

**\$1,942,000**

Established by a donor as part of their long-term planning, these investments are directed to a specific organization or program, per the donor’s request.

**TOTAL COMMUNITY ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT**  
**\$139,108,000**









## Impact of Donor-Advised Funds and Distributions of Supporting Foundations

We invest dollars you contribute to Donor-Advised Funds and Supporting Foundations to maximize their impact. With these assets, we distribute grants you recommend to mission-aligned organizations.

Federation Annual Campaign	\$1,352,000
Federation Programs	\$331,000
Local Jewish Partner Organizations	\$725,000
Israel & Overseas Jewish Partner Organizations	\$2,071,000
Other Organizations (Jewish and Secular)	\$3,938,000

**TOTAL IMPACT OF DONOR-ADVISED FUNDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS OF SUPPORTING FOUNDATIONS** **\$8,417,000**

This data reflects Meyer JCF's assets under management as of May 31, 2025.



**William A. Meyer  
Jewish Community Foundation**  
of the JEWISH FEDERATION OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

## Impact of Distributions from Endowments

Endowment funds are directed by donors toward the Annual Campaign or specific impact areas, organizations or programs.

Federation Annual Campaign	\$1,334,000
Campus Operations	\$2,622,000
Federation Programs	\$1,776,000
Local Jewish Partner Organizations	\$622,000
Israel & Overseas Jewish Partner Organizations	\$293,000
Other Organizations (Jewish and Secular)	\$461,000

**TOTAL DISTRIBUTIONS FROM ENDOWMENTS** **\$7,108,000**



**TOTAL DISTRIBUTIONS FROM MEYER JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION**  
**\$15,525,000**





# our dedicated leaders

We celebrate the inspiring leaders who drive our work through their invaluable guidance, expertise and commitment.

## Federation Executive Committee 2025-2026

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KEITH B. BRAUN William A. Meyer Jewish Community Foundation Chair  
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## Federation Board of Directors 2025-2026

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## Past Federation Board Chairs

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\*Past Board Chair <sup>z</sup>1 of blessed memory



## Campaign for the Future Cabinet

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## Federation Management Team

MICHAEL HOFFMAN President & CEO  
MELISSA ARDEN Chief Planning Officer  
RACHEL BERG Executive Director, William A. Meyer Jewish Community Foundation  
WHITNEY CHERNER Vice President, Community Engagement  
LEAH FRANKEL Chief of Staff  
JOSEPHINE GON Executive Director, Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred  
JAMES GRIFFEL Vice President, Marketing  
LINDSAY HIRSCH Vice President, Mandel Center for Leadership Development  
LEAH HOLCZER Chief Financial & Operations Officer  
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KATE LESTER Vice President, Major Gifts  
DR. JORGE MENDIETA Vice President, Information Technology Strategy & Data Operations  
JEFF TRYNZ Chief Marketing Officer

## Leadership of Local Jewish Partner Organizations

Alpert Jewish Family Service  
JENNIFER LESSER and MARC HOPIN

Meyer Jewish Preparatory School  
ROBIN KANEL and DR. RICHARD CUENCA

Mandel Jewish Community Center  
VIVIAN F. LIEBERMAN and SAMANTHA KLEIN







# founding community visionaries

**We express deep appreciation to our Founding Community Visionaries, who make total contributions of \$1 million or more to our historic Campaign for the Future and serve as an inspiration to us all.**







Gifts include annual and multi-year contributions as well as endowments.

As of September 30, 2025  
ז"ל of blessed memory

## \$10 MILLION+

CHRISTINE & ALAN CURTIS  
STACEY K. & MARK F. LEVY  
VICKI & ARTHUR LORING

## \$7.5 MILLION+

ARLENE I. KAUFMAN ז"ל & SANFORD M. BAKLOR  
NANCY & JOEL HART  
WILLIAM A. MEYER  
LINDA & MYRON ז"ל TEITELBAUM

## \$5 MILLION+

CONSTANCE & DAVID ז"ל BLACHER  
RITA & CHARLES BRONFMAN  
DIANE & NEIL EXTER  
JACK, JOSEPH AND MORTON MANDEL FOUNDATION  
SYDELLE B. SONKIN

## \$2.5 MILLION+

ROBERT M. BEREN FOUNDATION  
FRANCINE & STEVEN KATZ  
DOROTHY & SIDNEY KOHL  
ANNE E. KOONS  
JEANNE & IRWIN LEVY FOUNDATION AND  
ELLEN & IRWIN LEVY FOUNDATION  
VIVIAN & ERWIN ז"ל LIEBERMAN  
LISA & STEVEN TANANBAUM  
DAVID & NICOLE TEPPER

## \$1 MILLION+

DARIS & MARTIN ALLOY  
RICK & HEIDI BAER  
MARJORIE G. & BARRY S. BERG  
EILEEN BERMAN  
JUDY & HOWARD BERNICK  
CHRISTINA & JONATHAN CHANE  
MARILYN & RICHARD B. COMITER  
JULIE F. & PETER D. CUMMINGS  
LEONARD AND SOPHIE DAVIS FUND  
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SUSAN & RICHARD A. FRIEDMAN  
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LENI & PETER MAY  
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DEBBIE SHAPIRO, ALEC & SHEILA ENGELSTEIN  
PHILANTHROPIC FUND  
ELENA & SCOTT SHLEIFER  
HOPE & GENE SILVERMAN  
LAINEY & BERYL SIMONSON  
CAROLE SOLOMON  
ANNE & JEFFREY STANFIELD  
RONDA AND GERALD ז"ל STARR  
LIZZIE & JONATHAN TISCH  
KERRY & SIMONE VICKAR  
FAMILY FOUNDATION  
BETH & HAWKEYE WAYNE  
PENNI & STEVE WEINBERG  
CHRISTINE HIKAWA & DAVID WINDREICH  
ANONYMOUS





# our partner organizations and programs

Your investment in Federation is far-reaching because of our robust network of local, national and global Jewish partner organizations and programs. We support our network through your contributions.

## Primary Local Jewish Partner Organizations

The following partner organizations are separate 501(c)(3) nonprofits collaborating with Federation on planning, operations, facilities and security.

**Ferd & Gladys Alpert Jewish Family Service, including  
the Melvin J. & Claire Levine Jewish Residential & Family Service  
Mandel Jewish Community Center of the Palm Beaches  
Arthur I. Meyer Jewish Preparatory School**

## Primary Global Partner Organizations

Federation supports organizations that provide services in Israel and Jewish communities around the world.

**American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee (JDC)  
Birthright Israel  
The Jewish Agency for Israel**

## Signature Federation Programs

Federation funds and operates in-house, direct services to meet community needs.

**Career Connections  
Communities2Gether: Partnership with Kibbutz Ein HaShlosha  
Lorraine & Jack N. Friedman Commission for Jewish Education  
Jewish Family Life  
Jewish Women's Foundation  
Dorothy & Sidney Kohl Jewish Volunteer Center  
Stacey & Mark Levy Center for Israel & Overseas  
Mandel Center for Leadership Development  
William A. Meyer Jewish Community Foundation  
Palm Beach Center to Combat Antisemitism & Hatred  
Palm Beach Movement to Activate Jewish Life  
Partnership2Gether**





## Additional Federation Programs

To enhance our impact on community needs, Federation funds and operates additional in-house, direct services in the Palm Beaches.

### Community Connections

*mosaic*TV Show and Podcast

One World Tolerance Project

Palm Beach Israel Business Alliance

Pride

Scholarships for Summer Camp & Israel Travel Experiences

## National Jewish Organizations with Local Programs

We support national 501(c)(3) organizations that provide programs locally. These organizations operate their programs independently.

### BBYO

Blue Square/Stand Up to Jewish Hate

Hillel of Broward & Palm Beach Counties

Hillel Central Florida

Hillel at Florida State University

Hillel at University of Florida

Honeycomb

Honeymoon Israel

inSIGHT Through Education

IsraelNow

Jewish Educational Loan Fund

KAVOD SHEF: Survivors of the Holocaust Emergency Fund

Keshet

Mem Global / Moishe House Pod

March of the Living

PJ Library® and PJ Our Way®

OneTable and OneTable Together

Shalom Hartman Institute



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## Additional Global Jewish Organizations

In addition to our primary global partner organizations, we support organizations that provide programs supporting the people of Israel and Jewish communities around the world.

Camp Szarvas, a JDC Summer Camp in Hungary

Ethiopian National Project's SPACE Program

Hillel International

International Center for Tzfat Kabbalah

JCC Budapest

Jewish Federations of North America

Masa Israel Journey

Maslan, Israeli Sexual Assault Support Center

Ogen, Israel Business Loan Fund

Schneider Children's Medical Center of Israel

SparkIL, a Program of The Jewish Agency for Israel

Ziv Medical Center







# our corporate members

Our work is possible through the support of dedicated business partners.





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“Partnering with Federation aligns perfectly with Braman’s values. We’re proud to support an organization that profoundly impacts lives across the Palm Beaches, Israel and globally. Our collaboration with Federation resonates with our clients, showing our commitment to causes they care about.”

- Stephen Grossman  
General Manager, Braman Motorcars

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# donor bill of rights

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## proud

Donors take pride in contributing through Federation to create a bigger impact and embody the Jewish value of giving *tzedakah*.

## connected

Donors actively engage with other like-minded supporters and feel a sense of belonging to the larger community.

## empowered

Donors can access resources and information to make informed giving decisions, contributing to positive change in areas aligned with their values.

## confident

Donors are provided with clear and accurate information about the Federation's mission, values, leadership and finances to ensure that each contribution serves its intended purpose.

## appreciated

Donors are honored and respected for their contributions, with recognition that each donor has unique motivations, interests and financial capacity.

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## Mission

Strengthen Jewish identity, energize the relationship with Israel and meet human needs that are uniquely the obligation of the Jewish community.

## Vision

Develop the human and financial resources necessary to ensure a vibrant Jewish future.

## Core Values

We are a *Kehillah* – a cohesive community.

We are a caring, kind and compassionate community.

We are welcoming and inclusive.

We live the Jewish value of *K'lal Yisrael* – a shared commitment to one another.

We champion the importance of Jewish learning.

## Welcoming to All

Jewish Federation of Palm Beach County embraces a welcoming culture in accordance with Jewish values. We celebrate the uniqueness of our community members, lay partners and staff as varied perspectives enrich our learning and reinforce our commitment to making the world a better place. We aim to create an accessible environment that accommodates individual needs and welcomes the full participation of our community.



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