



They are our Yungeleit.  
We are their partners.

SALUTING THE YUNGELEIT OF  
BETH MEDRASH GOVOHA





ON 13 SIVAN 5782, WE GATHERED AT WELLS FARGO  
CENTER IN PHILADELPHIA, PA,

**25,000 STRONG.**

AND WE WERE REMINDED:

The spark of the  
yungerman is  
there in us all.

WE GATHERED TO PAY TRIBUTE TO OUR ADIREI HATORAH, THOSE  
WHO GIVE UP EVERYTHING ELSE SO THAT THEY CAN SIT AND  
LEARN. AND WE WERE REMINDED THAT OUR STATIONS IN LIFE  
MAY HAVE CHANGED, BUT INSIDE US ALL LIES

THE HEART OF A BEN TORAH.

**It's who we are.**

LET'S UNITE TO ENSURE THAT SUPPORT FOR OUR  
YUNGELEIT CONTINUES TO GROW.

אֲשֶׁרִי  
עִיִן  
רֵאתָה  
כָּל  
אֱלֹהִים!

Together,  
we made  
history.





“We came together to understand and to appreciate what it means to be an amal baTorah, what our limud haTorah means to the world.”

**RAV ARYEH  
MALKIEL KOTLER**

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“We have to all add to our avodas Hashem. That’s what must emerge from this maamad.”

**RAV YERUCHEM  
OLSHIN**

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“[These are] ameilei Torah with mesirus nefesh, ameilei Torah who give their entire lives to Torah and Klal Yisroel.”

**RAV DOVID  
COHEN**





“Bais Medrash Govoha is the מקום that is holding up the world by the Yungerleit sitting and learning. Those that support it have a שותפות in holding up the world”

**RAV SHMUEL  
KAMENETSKY**



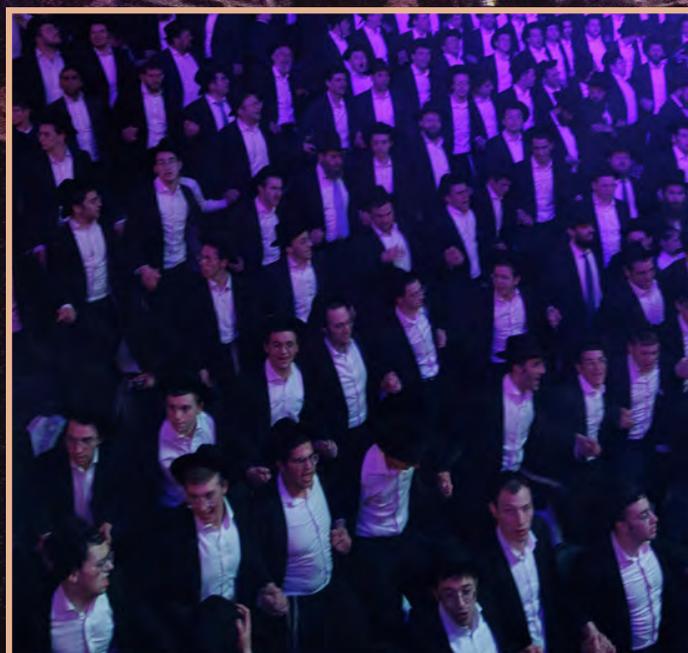
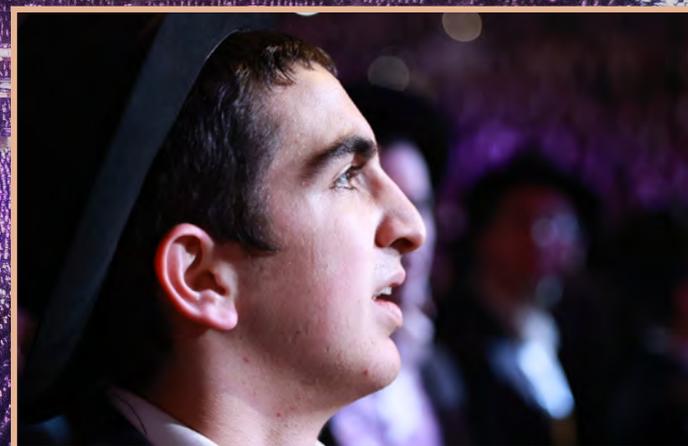
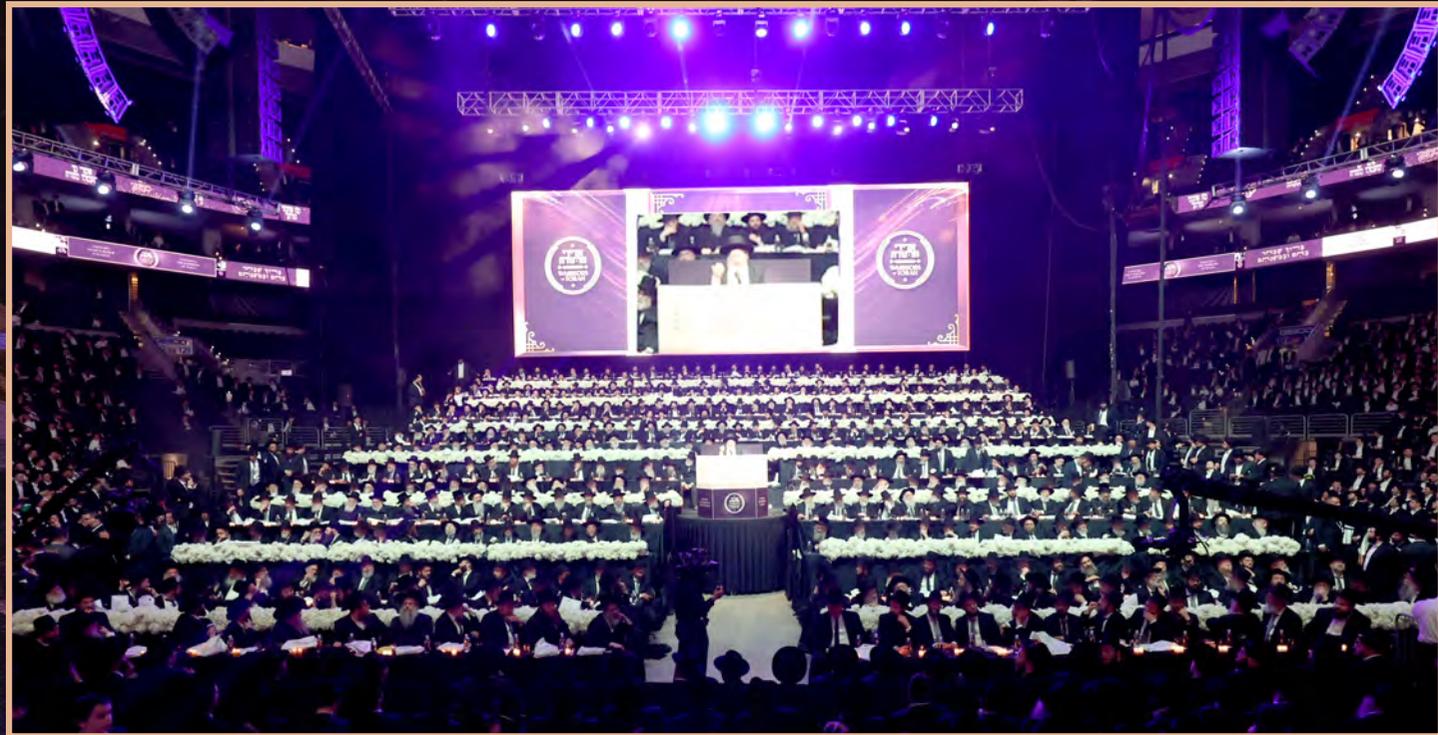
“Through the כבוד התורה that will come out (of this מעמד) through the Learning Torah and the support will definitely bring out the שכינה, enough שכינה that we will be זוכה to the שלמה במהרה.”

**RAV MOSHE  
HILLEL HIRSH**

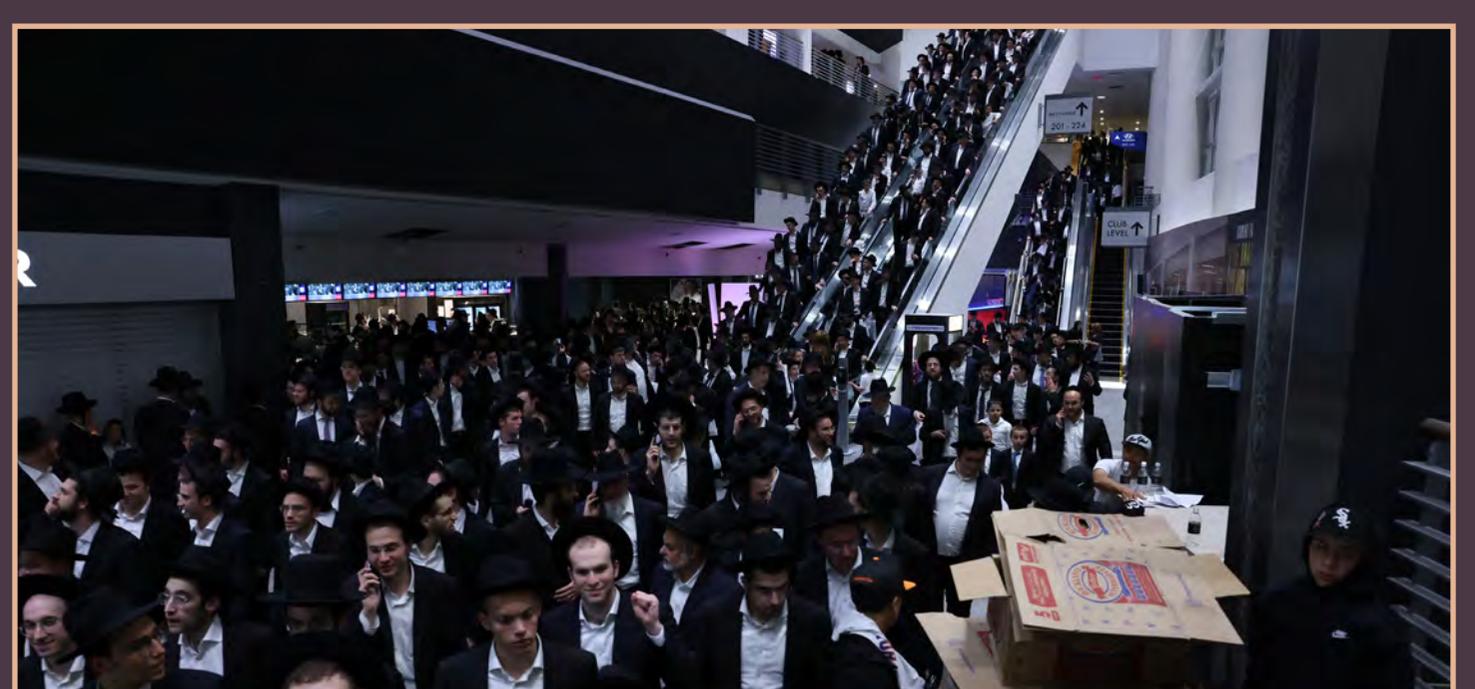
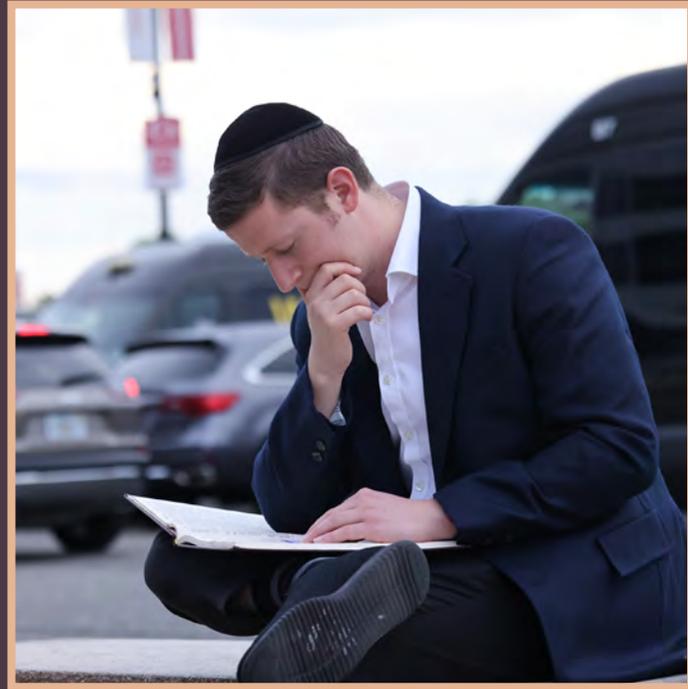


“Tonight’s asifa is a revolution, a revolution in attitude. We are declaring that we believe and we are committed to live with that awareness that indeed ha’Aron nosei es nosav. This has to become the new understanding – it’s really an old understanding – living with it and lifting up the entire bria’h.”

**RAV EPHRAIM  
WACHSMAN**







# אֲשֶׁרִי עֵינַן רְאֵתָהּ כָּל אֱלֹהִים!

# Feedback

Some events are more than just what happened, who spoke, or what was served, but about something much greater. What people felt. The parts of them that came alive. The little sometimes sleeping embers became roaring flames again. Last night was about that. We walked out on a high and it hasn't dissipated. You created a clear sense of what team we're all on and allowed us to cheer for it. The cheering will echo forever.

Rabbi Sruly Besser

"There was a world before the Adirei HaTorah event and there's a world after the Adirei HaTorah event.  
"It was that transformational.  
"It was that incredible.  
"It was that life-changing...a once-in-a-lifetime experience."

Chaim Cherrick

"We were so moved by the maamad that when we got back to our block at 12:30 a.m., someone said, 'How can we go straight to sleep?' So instead of going right home, we went to shul to learn for a few minutes. That's the impact of this event and this movement."

Zevy Freund

"The Adirei Hatorah asifah reminded me that there is nothing in the world as meaningful and valuable as remaining at my shtender, right where I am."

Dov Binder

"Nothing comes close to the energy that filled the arena. It was real. It was authentic."

Binyomin Spiero

"The yungeleit were charged by the event, and you could see it at first seder the morning after. The bais medrash was on fire!"

Pinny Stern

"My son came home from yeshiva and asked, 'Totty, are you from the Adirei HaTorah?' His eyes were practically pleading. He heard all about the event. He heard about the heroes. And he wanted to make sure that his father is one of them."

Eliyahu Shmurak

"It was rein—pure kavod haTorah, and nothing else."

Akiva Adret

"Ashrecha vetov loch for orchestrating what was perhaps the greatest maamad of kavod haTorah and kiddush Sheim Shomayim ever on American soil."

Mordechai Hershberg

"The olam here in yeshiva is on a high. In all my years, I have never seen such a thing. Everyone is walking around with a pep in their step."

Yanky Zelcer

"It was an event that was pure through and through. There was only one agenda: Holding up the yungeleit on the pedestal where they belong and honoring the Adirei HaTorah for their unparalleled contribution to our world."

Shmuel Irons

"I daven that the ahavas haTorah and pride that I felt there in being a yungerman will remain with me forever."

Yaakov Inzlicht

"We are all standing a little taller today. We're proud. We feel the support of the machzikei haTorah for the limud haTorah of the yungeleit. It was an infusion of chizuk unlike anything I've ever experienced."

Shnuer Kalatsky

"Thank you for giving me the feelings that I should have had for many years - not just basic dignity while learning in kollel, but prestige and honor for being involved in the most noble of 'professions.' I knew it all along, but it became a reality tonight."

Boruch Rubin

# The Way It Was

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There was a time when a kollel check was a respectable sum.

And now it's happening again.

To Rav Aharon Kotler zt"l, nothing was more important than seeing bnei Torah immersed in limud haTorah. The original kollel check at Beth Medrash Govoha of \$40 was enough to support a family. Rav Aharon had a close group of committed baalei batim who bought into his cause, and they shouldered the financial burden of the yeshiva's kollel.

Later, under the leadership of Rav Shneur Kotler, Bais Medrash Govoah expanded, growing at a rapid pace, with the addition of several hundred

yungeleit to the kollel payroll.

Inflation and changing times rendered the original kollel check insufficient to support a family.

In the mid-1980s, Shragi Newhouse and Isaac Rokowsky of Monsey led an initiative to double the kollel checks.

During the 1990s, the kollel at Bais Medrash Govoah kept growing.

It was clear, as the years passed, that something significant would have to be done. The setup was unsustainable.

In 2002, Moshe Reichmann stepped in, assuming responsibility for the kollel.



# The Way It's Now

The yeshiva continued to grow – and with it so did the costs of sustaining a Torah family.

Almost two decades later, in June 2021, a group of baalei batim came forward and proclaimed the need to do more – and provide more – for our yungeleit. They pledged to nearly triple the kollel check to \$13,500 (which includes a Yom Tov bonus of \$750 bi-annually,) embarking on a far-reaching campaign – a historic one by all measures – to bring their vision to reality.

The kollel budget had morphed from \$17.8 million annually to the current annual budget of \$61.4 million.

We are living at a time of unprecedented

generosity, as Yidden all over are stepping up to the plate to support the Adirei HaTorah, those who have made Torah learning their occupation.

Our yungeleit are finally being supported by a community of people who appreciate bnei Torah, and who appreciate who they are and what they stand for.

Through the Adirei HaTorah movement, every penny donated goes towards the kollel checks received by the yungeleit.

Join the movement.

Join the response.

There's opportunity for everyone.



## Greatness in Numbers

### Beth Medrash Govoha Facts and Figures



27,042

Talmidim have passed through the walls of the Yeshiva over the years



6,465

Kollel Yungeleit



366

Chaburos

7,853

Talmidim are learning in Yeshiva currently



4,552

Talmidim currently receive Kollel checks



1,388

Bochurim

4 CAMPUSES, 9 BUILDINGS, 18 BOTEI MEDRASH

# Partnership for Eternity!

YOU NOW HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTNER WITH THE YESHIVA'S YUNGELEIT. BEING PART OF THIS MOVEMENT IS A SPECIAL ZECHUS, SUPPORTING THE HEROES WHO KEEP THE WORLD GOING WITH THEIR LIMUD HATORAH. A PARTNER RECEIVES SO MUCH MORE THAN HE GIVES, REAPING REMARKABLE BENEFITS FROM THIS SPECIAL PARTNERSHIP.

**BECOME A PARTNER TODAY!  
RESTORING THE GLORY OF  
OUR YUNGELEIT!**



## Join the movement

ZCHUS OF SUPPORTING ONE YUNGERMAN

For a year Including YT bonuses	\$1125 /month	\$13,500
For six months Including YT bonus, paid over a year	\$563 /month	\$6,750
For three months Paid over a year	\$250 /month	\$3,000
For a month Paid over a year	\$84 /month	\$1,000
For a week Paid over a year	\$22 /month	\$260
For a day	\$43	
Yom Tov bonuses	\$125 /month	\$1,500

### TEN YUNGELEIT

**\$135,000 / year**  
Including YT bonuses  
**\$10,000 / month**  
**\$15,000 Yom Tov bonuses**

### AN ENTIRE CHABURA (50 YUNGERLEIT)

**\$675,000 / year**  
Including YT bonuses  
**\$50,000 / month**  
**\$75,000 Yom Tov bonuses**

תמיכה בנאמלי ישיבה

He's learning Torah.  
He's living Torah.  
He's sustaining us all.  
He's the yungerman.

ADIREI HATORAH FOR YUNGELEIT OF BETH  
MEDRASH GOVOHA HAS SPEARHEADED  
THIS EFFORT TO SUPPORT OUR YUNGELEIT.

**We need your help.**

JOIN US IN THIS HISTORIC  
EXPRESSION OF KAVOD HATORAH.



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