

MACCABI

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PHYSICAL FITNESS & WELL-BEING
ENRICH JEWISH IDENTITY

*Join the movement...
get on a team!*



This International Maccabi Movement presents athletic, cultural, and social opportunities to Jewish children from around the world. Join our teams now, so you don't miss the ride when you're a teen.

Soccer Basketball Tennis
Swim Team Baseball
Performing Arts

MACCABI 2012 - HOUSTON, TX SNAPSHOTS & QUOTES



"What does Maccabi mean to me?"

Casey Bogarad, Coach:

Maccabi is an unforgettable experience that all Jewish Teens need to experience. As a former athlete and present day coach, the meaning of Maccabi is one to be recognized. The ability for thousands of athletes to join together under the rules of rachmanus, show athletic talent and ability, make lifelong friendships, all while committing acts of love and kindness is as good as it gets.

Dena Raffler, Mom:

It seems just like yesterday that our "now" college freshmen Yoni and college junior Rebecca were packing up their gear. They couldn't sleep all night, so excited because they had an early 'wakeup' the next morning to meet their Maccabi team. They traveled to St. Paul, Vancouver, Orange County, San Diego and San Francisco. The exciting destinations they went to over their eight different Maccabi Games participations.

Yoni played golf, soccer and baseball over the years. He still cherishes many of the wonderful moments of his active Maccabi time. He still talks about Golf at Torrey Pines.

Max & Sam Lahn, 2012 Athletes:

Max: Maccabi gave me a chance to compete in a sport against teens from other cities, states & countries. I made new Jewish friends from across the globe! I loved the independence and being able to make my own decisions.

Sam: To me Maccabi means making new friends from all over the place and to play in tournaments with new & old friends. I played basketball and even though we were a very small team from a small city, I had the best time. I will definitely go next year.

*"While the focus for this wonderful event is **athletics**, it is much more than that:*

*It is being with **Jewish teens** from all around the world...*

*It is the 'taste' of sweet **independence**...*

*It is knowing you **belong** to something really special..."*



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Join us!

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