

Foundation for the Charlotte Jewish Community Teen Impact Fund Seeks High School Students to Serve Community

The Teen Impact Fund is looking for energetic and dedicated youth interested in serving their community. The program is designed to help teens learn about philanthropy, engage in team-building activities, and identify community needs.

Developed by the Foundation For The Carolinas, the Teen Impact Fund provides ways for young people to take action on issues that they care about with money entrusted to them by the Foundation. It allows them to also

be an advocate for the Jewish community. The Foundation for the Charlotte Jewish Community is a supporting organization of Foundation For The Carolinas.

After a ten-month training period, Teen Impact Fund participants are entrusted with a \$10,000 pool of funds, and the teen's award grants to programs that address challenges facing today's youth.

Potential participants must be 14 to 18 years old and be a high school student in Mecklenburg County. There is no financial obli-



gation to participate and no previous experience is required. It's a wonderful experience and looks great on a college admissions application. However, space is limited.

To find out more about the Teen Impact Fund, please contact Lauren Evans at 704-973-4568 or levans@ffc.org. ☆

Vibrant or Waning: Judaism in America at the Turn of the 21st Century

Featuring Dr. Yaakov Ariel, Thursday, April 12, noon at Levine Museum of the New South

What is the state of Judaism in America as we enter the millennium? Levine Museum of the New South explores this question during an evening program with Dr. Yaakov Ariel from the Carolina Center for Jewish Studies and a professor at UNC-Chapel Hill. Dr. Ariel studied at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and received his Ph.D. from The Divinity School at the University of Chicago, where he wrote his doctoral dissertation on American fundamentalists and their attitudes towards the Jewish people and Zionism.

The talk is free. Guests may bring lunch or order one through the museum for \$12. Orders must be placed 24 hours in advance. Reservations requested. For reservations and to order lunch, call 704-333-1887 ext. 501.

Presented in conjunction with Families of Abraham, a photographic narrative exhibit exploring life and faith traditions of Jewish, Christian and Muslim families in Charlotte. On display at Levine Museum of the New South now through July 31, 2007. The museum is located at 200 E.

Seventh St., in uptown Charlotte. Street Station parking deck. ☆
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escaped as a
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fowler's snare;
the snare is
broken, and we
have escaped!"**

— Psalm 124:7,8



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