

Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included

Posted by shemirateinayim - 25 Jan 2010 07:26

I started this post, after making too many unheeded responses to Kedushah's threads. There is SO MUCH that we can all do to raise awareness, without even getting off our chairs. Simply call the Rav of a shul and town that never heard of you. Don't identify yourself, but give him a pep-talk about addiction, offer to sent him the haskama to this site, a handbook, and poster. Let him adress it on shabbos, making 'the anomonus you', into his scapegoat(and post the material in the shul bulletin).

The intention of this thread is solely for the furtherment of spreading the word. Please limit all posts to this cause alone.

Please supply any ideas, letters, etc. to help everyone accomplish this holy task. Why should Kedushah get ALL the credit, let's do something ourselves!

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included

Posted by shemirateinayim - 11 Feb 2010 02:11

In light of my recent boredom, I have re-taken to freelance PR on behalf of GYE. I found a list with every single Young Israel in America. But I need some help to do this. I gotta google each one, and click "contact us" to find the rabbis's email. I know they may not be reading mishpacha, but since it is about to become a 'hot issue' in the jewish world (thanks Kedusha)... the tip-off may enable him to direct people to us. Or even make a sermon/speak/oration about it!

The list is here <http://www.youngisrael.org/content/youngisraelsynagogueslist.cfm>

simply google the name, and find the email. Then send it with this email

http://docs.google.com/Doc?docid=0AQMOX_qnRbp9ZGRxM3RzbXNfMTFjMzZjdRkMg&hl=en. And make sure to add this document as an atachment

http://docs.google.com/fileview?id=0BwMOX_qnRbp9MGFkOTM5MzctNzk2Ny00NmE4LTk5ZDQtMDRhZDgxYjhlMDBi&hl=en

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by shemirateinayim - 12 Feb 2010 15:48

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Now do the same with these 2 urls: www.guardureyes.com

rehab-my-site.com/guardureyes/forum/index.php

I did it to a bunch of searches, including "mishpacha internet" and "philip rosenthal" "GYE program" "internet addiction" internet addiction jewish" "internet filter" and a few combonations of simmilar terms and the word p____ .

The more accurate one's search for help. The better is google and the better is GYE.

Ashrei chelki for having the zchus of listing these three links to the search for "GYE program" . he he he now their coverstory gets "full coverage"

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by Holy Yid - 12 Feb 2010 20:30

I would be glad to help with this but I worry about triggering myself with such searches

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by Holy Yid - 12 Feb 2010 20:32

Also is there can we add tags to the GYE site so it will come up when people are looking for shmutz?

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by shemirateinayim - 14 Feb 2010 03:10

I am sure we can, but it may hurt our credibility as a legit site. So how about we create a site with tags, to everything in our K9 browsers, and then that site will transfer you to GYE!!! B"H my computer skills are outdated, so we need someone techy to help. Who's good at this kinda stuffs?

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by shemirateinayim - 19 Feb 2010 20:12

[sHeMiRaTeInAyIm wrote on 12 Feb 2010 15:48:](#)

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Please add it to "internet addiction jewish" and other variations of "internet addiction" . We are sadly all the way on the 2nd page!! We need to be at the top of the 1st page!

Additionally, please get into the habbit-if you have google as a homepage, or part of your toolbar- to search for the forum and site every time you want to visit. By doing so you are essentially signing a petition, that shows google peaple care about our site. Knowing th egadlus of google, I assume they also take into account your location (which every website receives whenever you open the internet). SO we need EVERYONE EVERYWHERE to be helping with this!

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by shemirateinayim - 22 Feb 2010 23:23

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I am scheduled to check-in with him in 2 weeks, and he has my number in-case I forget. I hope to take the opportunity to impress upon him the importance of this program, in addition to emailing him our askanos, handbooks, lighthouse, and urls.

And although he now has my name, number, and affiliation to GYE, the only feeling I have is....exhilaration. I have not a single feeling of shame or embarrassment (the call was in reference to one of his talmidim, he never heard of me until now).

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Posted by Kedusha - 23 Feb 2010 15:17

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Tremendous! Anonymity is worthless if it gets in the way of these types of accomplishments!

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
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I was discussing a talmid of his (and close freind of mine), and when mentioning that this talmid needs help with his p--- addiction, and his iTouch to be internet free, I took the liberty to credit this site. Naturaly it sounded weird like "hey rabbi you gotta see this website!". But after I brought messianic aid to his fight agains Iphone p---, he was so exited that he actualy wrote down 'guardyoureyes.org'. I will get to push my point in insisting this talmid is helped based on the 12 steps, and handbooks, when we talk next in 2 weeks.

But once I mentioned the site, I was proud, for some crazy reason, to add that I em very invovled in the site, and we just got 2 haskmos from these gedolim, and R twesky has a policy of NEVER writing haskamos.... and this "program" greatly helped me get over "my issues".....I don't know why?

It was all over the phone, but I was so exhilarated with the benefit of the conversation for the talmid in question, that I frankly didn't pay any attention to whatever embarrassment this may have caused me. Who cares, plus it was a phone conversation, and I have no shaychus to that yeshiva.

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Re: Your Chiyuv to spread the word!! Everyone can do it- you included
Posted by Holy Yid - 24 Feb 2010 06:53

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