

Looking for some help around the site.

Posted by Dermizinik - 06 Jul 2016 16:31

I'm 22. I'm part of a chassidishe community. Rather not say which one. My family is very respected and much respected amongst my peers. I have younger Bochurim who look up to me for guidance. I know marriage is coming soon. It's now or never for me.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.

Posted by Markz - 06 Jul 2016 16:54

Welcome!!

GEVALDIGGGGGG!!

KOBT

Keep on Buch'rish Trucking

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.

Posted by shmishachaim - 06 Jul 2016 16:57

Welcome! Hazlcha with being respected by others and yourself

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.

Posted by gibbor120 - 06 Jul 2016 17:13

Welcome! Your story is not uncommon. Many of us are "the top bachur in our yeshiva", "come from a chashuv family" etc.

I wouldn't say now or never, (some of us suffered for a decade or 2 or 3 before starting the process of recovery) but I will say, the sooner the better. It only becomes more difficult over time. Marriage makes it even messier. Why suffer any longer?

May this be the beginning of your recovery. Read the handbook. Keep posting.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Dermizinik - 06 Jul 2016 17:18

I need help looking for the right filter. I scheduled an appointment with venishmartem (and paid money) but they never called. Which filter is good? I used to have k9. For some one reason it doesn't have it in playstore anymore. And I think the last time I tried it didn't work with my new phone. Suggestions? Or direction which thread I should check?

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by gibbor120 - 06 Jul 2016 19:05

I still don't know much about you. A filter is a good start, but for most of us here, far from adequate. Is your phone the only problem? How long have you been acting out? In what ways?

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Dermizinik - 07 Jul 2016 00:24

My phone is the main problem. I don't know how large my problem really is... I am brand new to this site. I think this might be largest struggle at this point. I am trying to follow the tools in guidebook. Am I doing this wrong? Please help me.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by gibbor120 - 07 Jul 2016 16:20

Do you need the phone? What for? Can you get a kosher phone, or get TAG to filter it?

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Dermizinik - 07 Jul 2016 20:18

I use the phone alot. I've had a filter in the past. And it really helped. The start to falling and acting out is YouTube. I need a filter on my phone that will block websites and apps.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by inastruggle - 08 Jul 2016 14:19

Maybe try looking around the venishmartem website for good filter. Also it may be a good idea to look for accountibility software.

What gibbor was trying to say earlier is that for some people the phone is the issue and for others it's just a symptom of a different issue. If the whole issue is the phone then a filter wil solve it if not then more is needed.

Either way a filter is a good idea. Hatzlacha with that and keep us updated.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Dermizinik - 08 Jul 2016 15:56

Thanks for answering. Since you've answered-can you explain to me why I'm not getting the chizuk emails? I've signed up for both types.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by gibbor120 - 08 Jul 2016 19:02

What do you use the phone for? Do you "need" it? Do you "need" internet, or just the ability to make a phone call (and maybe texting)? Just because you "use it a lot" doesn't mean that you need it.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Dermizinik - 08 Jul 2016 20:58

I don't have a computer. At least most of the time. No office. I communicate with most people by WhatsApp an Email. I drive long distances and use the gps. When I started to admit that I had a problem after I got my new non filtered phone- I disabled the browser. It helped for a while. I didn't enable it. But then I stopped keeping focused. And I enabled it. Then cleared the data and disabled it for a week again. And chozer chalila.

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.
Posted by Markz - 08 Jul 2016 21:31

If you have a reliable reporting program partner, as I have via Covenant Eyes, you may be able to block regular browser, and use the Covenant Eyes browser app

Tell your partner that if he sees any YouTube use, he should give you a call.

Thats what I would do

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Re: Looking for some help around the site.

Posted by inastruggle - 08 Jul 2016 22:37

I think it tok a day or two after I signed up for the emails for them to start coming.

If you don't get it after that email the webmaster at eyes.guard@gmail.com

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