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PROGRAMMING VICE PRESIDENT POSITION FLYER



Why are you running for Regional Board?:

Being on the Regional Board has been something I have wanted to do since I first came to NFTY, because of how welcome the past and current Regional Boards made me feel. Because of this, Regional Board members have always been my role models. Our region is already passionate and powerful, and I believe that I can help continue to make it stronger. I am running because I want to:

- Share my love of NFTY and Judaism with others, as well as continue to help make NFTY CWR a special place for others
- Build on the already existing legacies set by other board members that have made the region what it is
- Carry on content and experiences created by teens, for teens

Goals and Platforms:

- Strengthen the PVP network
- Relevant and inclusive programming to each and every teen
- Receive and implement feedback in order to strengthen regional programming
- More involvement by those not in leadership positions (cabinet, regional board, etc.)
- "Implementation plan" part of programming that gives participants ways to be able to keep using what they have learned

What new ideas/solutions do you have from talking to a younger or newer member?

- Elevate participants who do not have titles but who do want to be a leader for their peers
- Focus on some topics that are outside of NFTY/Jewish community
- Guest speaker/guest voice during at least one program to increase participant interest and help participants gain perspective

How do you plan on positively affecting the programming of NFTY CWR?

- Making an effort to both receive and implement participant feedback
- Collaboration with those in the region
- Understanding diverse backgrounds of participants so programming is universally relevant and inclusive

What is one topic you think is especially relevant to teens today and why? How would you program this?

A topic that is especially relevant to teens today is being able to find something you are passionate about because there are so many things for people to do in the world nowadays. This would be programmed by having participants watch some sort of short video such as a TedTalk, or a guest speaker and then have participants go through various scenarios that would be linked to certain passions or character traits.