

# NEW CAPITAL CAMPAIGN!



Above is an artist's rendering of the beautiful new Special Education Complex to be built in Bnei Brak. This state-of-the-art facility will house not only a special education school, but also a rehabilitation center, a day care center for infants and toddlers, and a therapeutic swimming pool and hydrotherapy center. To learn how you can be a part of this labor of love for Aleh's special infants and children, call the Aleh Foundation at **718-851-4596** or **800-317-Aleh**. ❖



*Cocktail Reception*  
TO BENEFIT THE DISABLED CHILDREN OF  
**Aleh**  
MAY 7, 2008 • 6:30 PM  
SHAARE ZION BALLROOM, BROOKLYN, NY

*Guest of Honor*  
RABBI YEOSHIAU YOSSEF PINTO, SHLITA

*Chairman*  
JACK AVITAL

*Guest Speaker*  
NOBLE PRIZE WINNER  
ELIE WIESEL



## MILESTONES: ALEH HONORS SPECIAL BAR/BAT MITZVAH CELEBRANTS

Hats off to Bat Mitzvah celebrant Liad Arussy for her initiative and sensitivity while celebrating this milestone event in her life. Here is her story in her own words:

*Dear Friends,  
Hi my name is Liad and for my bat mitzvah project I'm selling beanies to raise money for an organization in Israel called Aleh. Aleh is where my uncle Rafi is living now because he can't take care of himself. They are there to help him take care of himself. They are there to help him take showers, make meals, and take him to work packing bags or setting tables. They help him with his special needs. Rafi loves to go to shul. Right now Aleh does not have a shul because they are just starting to have people like Rafi, who cannot walk, talk and daven, move in. I want Rafi to open the curtain of the Aron Kodesh (which I want to dedicate in memory of my uncle Matthew), and know that I helped get it for him. Tell people about this and buy some hats for yourself. Your warm head can mean Rafi's warm heart.*

*Thank you,  
Liad Arussy*



## ALEH BY THE NUMBERS A Year in Review

- 650** Disabled Israeli Children
- 365** Days a Year
- 24** Hours a Day
- 4** Residential Facilities
- 1,750** Outpatient Treatments monthly
- 700+** Staff Members
- 400+** Volunteers
- 30+** types of boutique items created in workshops (silk, paper-recycling, pottery, wood)
- 4** Stars on Charity Navigator (highest rating)
- 1000's** of hugs, smiles, joy and unlimited love given to Aleh's children!!

The Aleh Foundation has received the highest 4-star rating from Charity Navigator, America's largest independent evaluator of charities.

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## ALEH'S BIG ATTRACTION ON BROADWAY!

The beautiful Gotham Hall in NYC was the setting on November 15th for the Aleh Foundation's 2007 Gala Event in support of Aleh Negev.

The evening's program featured a moving tribute by Ilana Lipman to her daughter, Jennifer. Mrs. Lipman and her husband, Brian, are great friends and supporters of Aleh's children in Israel. There was also a tribute to Eran Almog, o"bm, son of Aleh Negev Chairman Major General (Res.) Doron Almog. Eran was among the first residents of the Rehabilitative Village, but unfortunately passed away earlier this year. There followed a memorial to Marcia Lieberman o"bm, mother of Senator Joseph Lieberman and a long-time supporter of Aleh's children. The Senators daughter, Hani, spoke eloquently about her grandmother. A presentation was made to Mrs. Barbara Beyda on behalf of her late husband, Joseph. The Beyda family, and their friends and community, were instrumental in the creation of the Joseph D. Beyda Special Education School in Aleh Negev, which recently opened. Dr. Alisa Kasachkoff, a noted psychologist and member of the Aleh Foundation's Board of Directors, was presented with the "Pillar of Aleh" award for her donation of the therapeutic swimming pool at Aleh's Bnei Brak center. David Friedman, a prominent attorney from the Five Towns and a major supporter of Aleh, served as both Event Chairman (along with his wife, Tammy) and Master of Ceremonies. Not only did Mr. Friedman do a wonderful job as MC, but also announced a large donation from his family, as well as a significant contribution from his most prominent client, Donald Trump.

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