

Myra & Robert Kraft Passport to Israel Programs Summer 2015, Compiled by Ahava Rosenthal of Temple Emanuel, Newton MA

Travel Plus

Program Name	USY L'Takeyn Olam	USY Adventure PLUS	Young Judaea Discovery
Program Type	travel/social action	travel/special interest week	travel/special interest week
Length in weeks	4	5	4
Date Range	6/30/15 to 7/28/15	6/30/15 to 8/2/15	7/5/15-8/3/15
Grade Range	10 to 12	10 to post grade 12	10 to 12
Program Description	A combination of sightseeing throughout Israel and daily social action projects/activities	Same itinerary as USY Israel Adventure with additional week spent at Gadna, an IDF army training simulation experience	This year, the program begins with 3 1/2 days in Greece. Travel throughout Israel for three weeks, and experience one "special interest" week, selected by each teen from a wide array of options ranging from the physically challenging ("Sea to Sea" hike) or more interactive(volunteer work with children).
Add'l Comments			Participants can add a 3 day Teen Israel Leadership Training (TILT) from at Camp Tel Yehudah in Barryville NY for an additional \$250. exact dates TBD
program price	\$5,995	\$6,990	\$6,950
Airfare included	From JFK	From JFK	From JFK
Additional Scholarship / Discounts	The website links to a number of creative resources for discounts. USY members receive some discount as well, and can contact the regional office for more information.	The website links to a number of creative resources for discounts. USY members receive some discount as well, and can contact the regional office for more information.	\$250 early bird discount by Dec.31, 2014. Need based and merit based scholarships available, including a scholarship for young women. See website.
Interaction w/ Israeli Teens	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Degree of Travel	High	High	High
Movement Affiliation	Conservative	Conservative	Young Judaea
Geographic Draw	US and Canada	US and Canada	US Canada and the UK
# of Participants	25-30	40-45	50 (often divided into two buses)
Contact Info	www.usy.org/escape/ 212-533-7800 ext.1146	www.usy.org/escape/ 212-533-7800 ext. 1146	www.yjsummer.org/ Diana Diner/ 1-800-725-0612