

9 Ways Areyvut Impacts The Community

As Tisha B'Av approaches, we want to share 9 ways that Areyvut works to fight sinat chinam (baseless hatred) and increase kindness, compassion, and unity in our community.

1 National Mitzvah Day

Partnered with Good Deeds Day, Areyvut's National Mitzvah Day/24 Hours of Kindness is an opportunity to get children, teenagers and adults involved with community service activities. With projects and initiatives throughout the country, there is something for everyone!



2 Mitzvah Clowning

Areyvut's Mitzvah Clowning program teaches kids and teens how to apply clown make-up, create balloon animals and initiate conversations with others who may be different from them. Following the training, our clowns visit seniors and others in need of some cheerful company.



3 Teen Philanthropy

Our Teen Philanthropy program brings Jewish teens together for the purpose of learning about charitable giving and philanthropy, resulting in the group's allocation of funds to organizations in need.



4 Tikkun Olam Tour

This unique program brings participants together for a marathon of chesed projects over the course of a day.



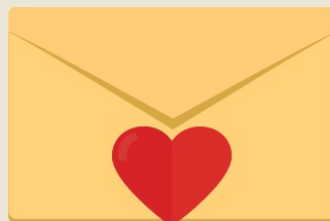
5 Chesed Fair

Our Chesed Fairs help students and their parents find meaningful mitzvah projects and volunteer opportunities. At each fair, attendees meet with agency representatives and can participate in hands-on chesed projects.



6 A Kindness a Day Calendar

The calendar gives practical suggestions on how to incorporate the values of chesed, tzedakah and tikkun olam into his/her daily life. Each day contains a kindness that corresponds to a traditional Jewish text.



7 Unity Day Values Clarification

To commemorate the lives of Eyal Yifrach, Gilad Shaer and Naftali Fraenkel, Areyvut organized an event to ensure that a sense of Jewish unity remains alive. Our Unity Day values clarification exercise allows participants to reflect on what Jewish Unity looks like and to use art to explore and express their individual visions of Jewish Unity.



8 5 Days/5 Ways

Areyvut's annual Chesed Camp for middle school students, 5 Days/5 Ways, brings middle school students together for a week to learn about and participate in good deeds and community service throughout the local area. Every day has a different theme, and there are projects and activities as participants learn about that Jewish value and how they can actively use that value to make the world a better place.



9 Creating Unity !

Areyvut is committed to creating innovative and fun programming that gets kids and teens excited about Jewish values and making a difference in their community. We go above and behind to connect Jewish youth with meaningful programs and provide educational resources to help schools and parents teach their kids about getting involved. We are here to help you with all your chesed needs and look forward to working with you to make the world a better, happier and kinder place.

