SHIELD OF DAVID AWARD
ALEPH ZADIK ALEPH

BACKGROUND

One of the most historic and prestigious honors awarded to an Aleph, the Shield of David Award, recognizes Alephs who throughout their tenure in the Aleph Zadik Aleph have displayed outstanding leadership contributions, a consistent commitment to the fraternity that is AZA, and a consistently participated across all tiers of the Order – Chapter, Council, Regionally and Globally.

CRITERIA

The Shield of David Award is based on a comprehensive point system that credits the following achievements throughout a member's participation:

- Fulfilling the duties of office at any level of the Aleph Zadik Aleph.
- Acting as an event coordinator or member of a planning committee.
- Participating in an internationally sponsored AZA contest.
- Contributing to the Aleph's Chapter.
- Fulfilling his responsibility of giving the experience of AZA to others through recruitment.

Every Aleph in good standing is eligible for this award. Awards are earned by accumulating 'points' granted for any combination of the items included in the attached spreadsheet. Upon achievement of varying thresholds, different lapel crest pins are presented in two degrees:

- THE BRONZE ORDER OF THE SHIELD OF DAVID – 200 Points
- THE SILVER ORDER OF THE SHIELD OF DAVID – 400 Points

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Staff/Advisor Approval: Your application and points tracker must be reviewed and approved in advance by your local staff member and chapter advisor.
2. Short Essays: You will have to submit two 100-250 word short essays for the following prompts
   a. My experiences as an Aleph have helped shape my future outside of BBYO because…
   b. My work as an Aleph has helped shape the future of my Chapter, Council, and/or Region by…
3. Growing our Movement: Applicants will need to have recruited 3 new Alephs. You will need to submit the names of these Alephs.

The application must be completed and submitted before the applicant becomes an alumnus.

Download the points tracker here.