



**JEWISH
COLUMBUS**

Impact Report

2022

**Celebrate today.
Prepare for tomorrow.**





We work together
with our partner
agencies to make our
community stronger.

About us

Formed in 2018 through the partnership of the Jewish Federation of Columbus (Federation) and the Columbus Jewish Foundation (Jewish Foundation), JewishColumbus represents a new way of thinking about Jewish philanthropy, supporting community needs and engaging the next generation of leadership.

What we do

We meet our community's needs locally and globally by:

- Keeping our community safe
- Funding Jewish experiences and institutions
- Supporting Jews in Israel, Ukraine and throughout the world
- Cultivating the next generation of Jewish community leaders
- Fighting antisemitism through education and advocacy
- Helping Jews in need

Impact Snapshot

POWERED BY YOUR DOLLARS



YOU FUNDED SECURITY
FOR OUR INSTITUTIONS,
SYNAGOGUES AND SCHOOLS.

\$382,177

YOU STEPPED UP TO SUPPORT
UKRAINIAN JEWS AFTER THE
RUSSIAN INVASION.



YOU SENT 120+ COLUMBUS
KIDS TO OVERNIGHT
JEWISH SUMMER CAMP.

 *Nożyk Synagogue is the only surviving prewar Jewish house of prayer in Warsaw, Poland.*

We keep our community
vibrant and safe



Our partnerships help us meet our community's diverse needs.



LOCAL PARTNERS

- Columbus Community Kollel
- Columbus Jewish Day School
- Columbus Jewish Historical Society
- Columbus Torah Academy
- Jewish Community Center
- Jewish Family Services
- Ohio Jewish Communities
- OSU Hillel
- Wexner Heritage Village
- Nine synagogues across greater Columbus



GLOBAL PARTNERS

- American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee
- Jewish Agency for Israel
- Jewish Federations of North America
- Partnership Together: Kfar Saba
- Taglit - Birthright Israel - Onward Israel
- World ORT



COMMUNITY INITIATIVES

- Burial of Indigent Jews
- Holocaust Survivors Initiative
- Jewish Community Relations (JCRC)
- LIFE & LEGACY® planned giving program
- Overnight Jewish Summer Camp
- PJ Library

2022

Funding Snapshot

\$6,041,702

ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

Meeting our community's needs in real-time

\$1,320,505

RESPONSIVE FUNDING

Directing funds to targeted community needs

\$4,263,162

PLANNED GIVING

Ensuring bright Jewish tomorrows in partnership with LIFE & LEGACY®

\$382,177

UKRAINE

Aiding Ukrainian Jews following the Russian invasion



OUR DONOR BASE
INCREASED BY

19%

since JewishColumbus' inception in 2018



In 2022, we opened

\$1,720,908

IN NEW FUNDS

Why JewishColumbus?

Caring for our community is the most important thing we do,
and your support enables us to do just that – together, we work to:

- **PROTECT OUR COMMUNITY**

so we can live freely as Jews

By increasing programming and training, we empower our community to fight against antisemitism – everyone should feel safe at Jewish schools, synagogues and institutions. Our partnerships with local law enforcement and our advocacy work to secure security funding offer another layer of protection against antisemitic threats. Help us keep our community safe.

- **CREATE INCLUSIVE SPACES**

for everyone

We established and fully funded the Jewish Community Disabilities Inclusion Director, in partnership with the JCC, building an inclusive Jewish community for children of all abilities. Help us provide every child with access to Jewish experiences and education.

- **INSTILL JEWISH PRIDE**

in our kids

Studies prove that overnight Jewish camp instills Jewish pride and fosters deep attachments to the Jewish community. This year, we sent 120+ kids to camp and we know costs keep increasing. Your support continues to make this funding possible.

- **ASSIST JEWS IN NEED**

across the globe

From Columbus to Ukraine and from South America to Israel, Jews face poverty, persecution and uncertainty. Our local Holocaust Survivors Initiative and partnerships with international organizations help our fellow Jews across the globe – the need still is great.

- **CULTIVATE JEWISH LEADERSHIP**

for the next generation

Young Jewish Columbus' (YJC) exciting programming engages our under-40 community members, and Leadership JewishColumbus (LJC) prepares them to lead. Already, 100% of our 40 program graduates have been connected to leadership opportunities on agency, synagogue and JewishColumbus boards and committees. Join us for a YJC event and you'll understand the power of our growing community. To learn more, contact Michael Goldman at michael@jewishcolumbus.org or follow @YoungJewishColumbus on Facebook and Instagram!

- **ENSURE JEWISH TOMORROWS**

by building a legacy

Our LIFE & LEGACY® Program aims to strengthen our community for today's and future generations. Add your signature to the 774 signed commitment letters valuing \$21,000,000 by sending an email to Lori Wishne at lori@jewishcolumbus.org



Did you know?

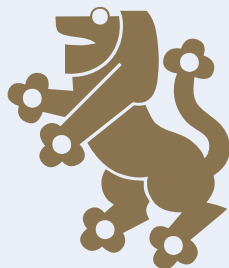
It costs over

\$1,000,000

a year to provide physical security for Jewish schools, institutions & synagogues.

Giving Levels

All gifts to JewishColumbus power the important work we do. We invite you to lead and inspire our community by joining a Giving Society.



UNDER 40

\$180

CHAI SOCIETY

Be part of a community of young Jewish philanthropists, who receive access to exclusive events, perks and discounts.

\$365

YJC 365

Make a big impact on our community with the small mitzvah of Tzedakah everyday. Also enjoy events, exclusive networking opportunities and all other benefits of the Chai Society.

\$1,000

BEN GURION SOCIETY (BGS)

Join other young leaders, who enjoy access to exclusive events, networking opportunities and recognition as a Major Donor.

\$5,000

NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERSHIP CABINET

Connect with leaders across the country and receive an invitation to apply for prestigious leadership opportunities, including events and trips worldwide.

WOMEN

\$1,800

POMEGRANATE SOCIETY

Join a national donor recognition society for women, granting access to high-quality programming.

\$5,000

LION OF JUDAH (LOJ)

Become part of an international sisterhood of global activists, who care deeply about our Jewish future. LOJs have exclusive access to local and national events.

Endow your Annual Campaign gift and gain access to special events and briefings.

L'DOR V'DOR LEGACY SOCIETY

The JewishColumbus L'Dor V'Dor Legacy Society celebrates those who plan to establish or have already established everlasting and unrestricted gifts for JewishColumbus. These include:

- Perpetual Annual Campaign Endowment (PACE)
- Lion of Judah Endowment (LOJE)
- Columbus Jewish Foundation Founder's Fund
- LIFE & LEGACY® Letter of Intent for the benefit of JewishColumbus

PERPETUAL ANNUAL CAMPAIGN ENDOWMENT (PACE)

Support the Annual Campaign in perpetuity and enjoy exclusive benefits, such as VIP events and recognition in the Columbus LIFE & LEGACY® program. PACE gifts start at \$10,000.

LION OF JUDAH ENDOWMENT (LOJE)

Endow your Annual Campaign LOJ gift and ensure your legacy for generations. Benefits include exclusive events and recognition nationally, locally and in the Columbus LIFE & LEGACY® program. LOJE gifts start at \$125,000.

STARTING AT
\$10,000

*Give
Lead
Inspire*

BE A MAJOR DONOR

Impact our community and
enjoy special events, briefings
and travel experiences.



Donor Honor Roll

Thank you to our 2022 Annual Campaign Donors & Leaders!

Scan the code to view the list of annual, supplemental and designated gifts to our total financial resource development efforts from individuals and foundations.

If your name is misspelled, omitted or in the wrong category, please contact us at 614.559.3211 and we will make any corrections. We have done our best to ensure that everyone is included and listed correctly based on their individual preferences.



Thank you!



Your support means **everything**
to our community.

Contact us and let's talk about what matters to you:

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