



See your friends and our community of 6th graders and their families.



Hear how other students accomplished their Tzedakah projects and survived!



Talk with teen Mitzvah Makers about your project ideas.



Be a star! With a great project, you can change the world!



Tzedakah is the highest form of mitzvot. Share the love!



How wonderful it is that no one need wait a single moment to start to improve the world --Anne Frank

This event is brought to you by the Bureau of Jewish Education and partner synagogues at **NO CHARGE** but you **MUST RSVP** by Tuesday, **February 14th to the Bureau.**

Questions? Please contact Sheri Gropper at the Bureau 949-435-3450, ext. 329 sheri@bjeoc.org

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Mitzvah Mania



Sunday, February 26, 2006
9:30am-Noon
Tarbut v'Torah School in Irvine

The Bureau of
Jewish Education
presents the
6th Annual Community-wide
Mitzvah Mania

*A pre-Bar/Bat Mitzvah morning for
6th grade students and their parents*

Sunday, February 26
9:30am until Noon
at Tarbut v'Torah
Upper School Campus
5 Federation Way in Irvine



- ☆ Create a Community Tzedakah Project
- ☆ Share this milestone with our community of 6th grade families
- ☆ This Community Program will count towards 6th grade attendance at religious school
- ☆ Take home helpful handouts, including our "Teens Take Action" Resource Guide

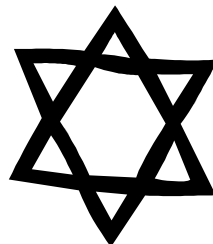


Sample Outline of Activities

- I. **Welcome Activities 9:30-10:00 am**
 - Registration
 - "Mitzvot R Us" exhibit--Meet teen Mitzvah Makers and discover their Mitzvah projects
 - Create Purim baskets for Jewish nursing home residents
 - Decorate Passover greeting cards for Jewish soldiers in the US Armed Forces

- II. **Greetings and Overview 10:15-10:35 am**

- III. **Mitzvah Stations 10:45-Noon**
(Participants will be divided into 4 groups and will rotate every 20 minutes to each of the 4 stations)
 - A Linus Project: Participate in our blanket-decorating project to benefit CHOC patients
 - B Paws 4 Healing: Animal Assisted Therapy
 - C Think Big: How to plan a fundraising event
 - D Sports & Mitzvah: AYSO program, Little League Challenger program and more.



Please bring Purim basket supplies for our **Community Tzedakah Project** such as mugs, tea bags, Shabbat candles, mini honey jars, Kosher pre-wrapped cookies (ie. Fig Newtons, Oreos, etc.)

We'll make Purim baskets for Jewish nursing home residents.

This event is FREE, but space is limited. Please send or fax your registration to the Bureau by **February 14th** to hold your place!

Name of 6th Grader _____

Name of Parent(s) Attending _____

Email _____ @ _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____

Synagogue _____

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