As members of the Camp Newman Legacy Society For Living Judaism, you have promised to name camp in your estate plan, mostly through a bequest, a retirement account, or a life insurance policy. Your promise is the guarantee that camp will have a long life and will continue beyond your lifetime. We are honored to welcome you as protectors of our camp community.

Yasher Koach — May you go from strength to strength !!

Through the efforts of Founding Co-Chairs Frank Ponder and Greg Hirsch, we blasted past our goal of 25 members. Here is the photo of the presentation of our $10,000 incentive check from the Harold Grinspoon Foundation.

We now enter year 2 of our program and we have a goal this year of 25 new members. If we reach our goal by November 1, we will receive another $10,000!! Don't be shy — ask your friends and family to join you as members.

Welcome to our newest member — Harold Grinspoon !!

Camp Update:

Summer 2009 was maybe our most successful summer ever! (despite the flu). The end of summer satisfaction survey conducted by the Foundation for Jewish Camp found that our camp scored 15 points above any other camp in the country this past summer!! We are going to ride that wave all the way through summer 2010. Here is a little tidbit that bodes well for us; usually at this point in the year we have approx. 100 staff applications — right now, we have over 200! We have now surpassed 900 campers registered — it looks like 2010 will be an amazing summer—!!

For Information, please contact Dena Kaufman at dkaufman@urj.org or 602-740-3362
"... My CIT summer of 1970 had a tremendous influence on me that I feel today. Since 1992, I have had the opportunity of being a camp doctor at Swig and now Newman. No where else do I feel as much spiritual power, or ... the presence of something more powerful than man. No where else do I feel the power of Judaism. My three sons have grown up at camp, as campers, counselors, and unit heads. Standing in a closing circle with my sons, at Havdallah, or holding a tallit either with them or over their heads at Shabbat leaves me speechless, tearful, and moved in ways that I cannot put into words. I get spiritually renewed at camp.

This is why it is important to us to insure that Camp lives on, for my grandchildren, and for all future generations.

Greg and Kathy Hirsch

Welcome to our Charter Members

Ruben Arquilevich  
Michael J. Austin  
Susan Austin  
Robert Bavin  
Vivian Braff  
Len and Roberta Cohn  
Moshe Dollinger  
Diane and Peter Goldenring  
Joanne and Fred Greene  
Harold Grinspoon  
Rabbi Jason Gwasdoff  
James Heeger  
Greg and Kathy Hirsch  
Dena Morris Kaufman  
Rabbi James Kaufman  
Jennifer Brodkey Kaufman  
Todd Kaufman  
Rabbi Paul Kipnes  
Rabbi Howard Laiason and Ellen Goldsmith  
Gail G. Littman and Marshall J. Littman  
Daryl Messinger  
Michelle November  
Lindy Pusser  
Nancy and Richard Pechner  
Frank Ponder  
Robinow Family Trust  
Sandy Stolberg  
Scott Stolberg  
Eliot Swartz  
Gale Swartz

Please Join Us at Camp This Summer for a very special

Legacy Society Members Celebration

Friday Evening, June 25 or July 23  
(you can choose one date, or celebrate twice!)

Details will be available online soon