

# GATESHEAD YESHIVA NEWSLETTER

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The Rosh Hayeshiva Shlit"א speaking at the event.

## ERETZ YISROEL EVENT

Motzei Shabbos Vayeira was historical for *Talmidim* of Gateshead Yeshiva living in Eretz Yisroel. A lavish *Melave Malka* took place in the Beis Yisroel Halls, Yerushalayim bringing Alumni of many decades together for a chance to reconnect with each other and with the *Yeshiva*.

It is estimated that close to 1,000 *Talmidim* of all ages attended the event including an alumnus who joined the *Yeshiva* in 1938.

The *Melave Malka* opened with the chairman Rabbi Yossi Cohen, himself a *Talmid* of the *Yeshiva*, introducing HaGaon HaMekubal Reb Yaakov Hillel Shlit"א, Rosh Yeshivas Ahavat Shalom. Rav Hillel recalled his days learning in the *Yeshiva* with nostalgia. He elaborated on the fact that all the *Talmidim* are given the potential in *Yeshiva* to become *Talmidei Chachomim* who are *Marbitzei Torah VeYirah*.

A video presentation was then shown giving attendees a reminiscence of the *Yeshiva* days. The chairman then introduced HaGaon Reb Moshe Chaim Denderowitz Shlit"א, Rosh *Yeshivas Sefas Emes*, who spoke about his times as a *Talmid* in the *Yeshiva*, especially when he learnt by the Roshei Ha*Yeshiva* Reb Leib Gurwicz zt"l and Reb Leib Lopian zt"l. HaRav Denderowitz explained how all the *Talmidim* owe tremendous *Hakaras HaTov* to the *Yeshiva* and its staff for all they have done.

He then continued that the Rosh Ha*Yeshiva* Moron Harav Avrohom Gurwicz shlit"א will be writing the first letter of *Sefer Bamidbar* of the *Sefer Torah* which is being written by all *Talmidim*, internationally, as a gift to the Rosh Hayeshiva Shlit"א, and that the chance would be given to become partners in the *Sefer Torah*.

# The Sefer Torah Campaign

ועתה כתבו לכם את השירה הזאת

The Rosh Hayeshiva Shlit" a wrote a letter in the Sefer Torah which led the oilam to dance *lekovod hatorah*. The climax of the evening was the Rosh Hayeshiva Shlit" a address to the gathered Talmidim. Silence reigned in on the crowd as the Rosh Hayeshiva explained the importance of seeing everything as a message from Hashem and that it should be internalized to stay with the person. This would especially be the case with recognizing Chessed Hashem.



The Mashgiach, Harav Mordechai Yosef Karnowsky Shlit" a, closed the evening with words of chizuk and brocho to the talmidim of the Yeshiva. The Mashgiach Shlit" a was mechubad with Birkas Hamazon.

The event was enhanced with the presence of Harav Hagaon Reb Boruch dov Povarsky Shlit" a, Rosh Yeshiva Ponovezh and Harav Hagaon Reb Eliezer Yehudah Finkel Shlit" a, Rosh Yeshivas Mir in Yerushalayim and many other prominent Rabbonim.

