



# THE TRIBE SCRIBE

TLC!



WE HOPE EVERYONE HAD A LOVELY SUMMER. WE CERTAINLY DID AT TRIBE WHERE WE HAD 8 CAMPS AROUND THE WORLD!

OVER THE COMING WEEKS TRIBE SCRIBE WILL BE SHARING SOME OF THE WONDERFUL EXPERIENCES WE HAD.

THIS WEEK WE KICK OFF WITH SOME THOUGHTS WRITTEN BY OUR WONDERFUL TRIBE MADRICHIM DURING THEIR LEADERSHIP TRAINING EXPERIENCE.



7 years ago an awkward and shy girl turned up on Tribe Camp in Belgium, slightly unsure of what to expect and very nervous. The ten days that followed were filled with some of the most memorable and enjoyable moments I'd ever experienced. I came home already signed up for camp the next year and then completed every Tribe summer camp that followed. I have made lasting friendships that I feel blessed to have.

Fast forward and I am about to embark on Tribe Leadership Camp with high hopes that I can be a madricha who has as great an impact on the chanicim as my madrichim had on me. I still remember how they inspired me to further my Jewish knowledge and made me prouder of the culture that we belong to. I remember the lessons that my mads taught me, and I want to pass them on to those who come on Tribe camp, so that they can find as much joy in Judaism as I do regularly.

On our TLC training we have prepared our activities for both camps Gad and Zev, trying to find ways to educate and inspire our campers.

Tribe is a special organisation, and I feel lucky to be a part of it.

Isabelle Oakland

As an active member of Tribe, I knew from the age of 9 that I wanted to be a madricha for Tribe camp. Throughout the years of being involved with Tribe, I have been inspired by the enthusiasm of my past madrichim and the commitment they have had to Tribe. I hope to continue this and inspire other children in the same way I was. The amazing thing about an organisation like Tribe is that it gives you an opportunity to experience Judaism in a fun, cool way and gives people a sense of community to be a part of and continue to look forward to. From being on TLC, I have been able to again experience camp but from a completely different perspective and it has given me the necessary skills I need in order to advance in my leadership roles within Tribe. From planning tochnit, to making posters and ensuring that the kids have the best time they can possibly have, TLC has been a journey of different emotions all resulting in the feeling of success. The camp has been a great way to connect with so many people who are leading with me and I am so lucky to have been able to be a part of such an amazing community like Tribe.

Kezia Blakeley



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