

Ori and Dana Rackovsky

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Dear Family and Friends,

Our son Shmuel (Sammy) is a student in the early childhood division of the Stein Yeshiva of Lincoln Park in Yonkers, New York. Since he started to attend Stein we have seen him flourish! Every week he comes home singing new songs, with creative new projects centered on *parshas hashavua* and *chagim*. He loves talking about his *morot* and can't wait to go to school every morning. Shmuel's enthusiasm for Stein Yeshiva is a credit to the warm, creative, loving, and nurturing environment created every day by the fantastic teachers and staff who work there.

This year we are being honored with the Parents Award at the Stein Yeshiva annual dinner. We feel privileged to be partnering with Stein in their goal to provide an outstanding Torah education to all children, and we hope that you will join with us in this important mission.

The Stein Yeshiva administration firmly believes that every child deserves the opportunity to receive a warm and nurturing foundation in Torah. This belief is reflected in tuition costs, which are kept relatively low. As a result, tuition only accounts for part of the yearly cost to educate each child, and the remainder is made up by fundraising efforts, primarily the yearly dinner.

Stein Yeshiva includes an early childhood division for ages 0-4 and an elementary school for K-8. We are repeatedly impressed with the quality of education and level of personalized attention Shmuel receives in the early childhood division. The *morot* and *rebbeim* are second to none, and have enormous creativity and passion for their work.

We invite you to place an ad in our honor in the commemorative book to be distributed at this year's dinner. Your contribution will play a part in helping to guarantee that the important work done by Stein continues for many more years.

With warm regards,



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