



Dear Partners,

On March 27th 2017, The Psifas Fund committee in honor of Yosef Goodman and Eliezer Globerman convened for its monthly meeting and approved 13 requests that came to a total of 42,220 Shekel:

*Names and personal details were altered for privacy reasons

1. 4,500 Shekels were given to fund Yaffa's Coaching course:

Yaffa, 45 years Old, divorced with children. In here youth Yaffa was injured in an accident, after years of treatment she managed to rehabilitate herself. She conducts women meetings, voluntarily and helps other people to overcome failures and crises. Yaffa finished an entrepreneur course and her intention is to open her own business for personal training. Yaffa lives off a handicap stipend. **The Psifas fund would like to assist Yaffa to fund the Coaching course to support her journey, already proving her strong abilities to help others. This way Yaffa can acquire security and economic stability.**

2. 4,000 Shekels were given to Nofar to finish 12 years of High School:

Nofar, 23 years old, lives with her Mum who lives off a guaranteed minimal income from the State. The family is under the supervision of Social services due to being a victim of Terrorism. As a teenager Nofar attended many frameworks and suffered from Violence and criminal acquaintance. Nofar decided to make a change in her life and joined a rehabilitation program, there she decided to take responsibility for her life and changed her ways. Nofar decided she wants to become a social worker and help others, for this goal she needs to finish her 12 year High School qualification. **The Psifas fund would like to fund Nofar's studies so she can proceed from that point on her next step to become a Social Worker and start her new life with success and prosperity.**

3. 3,000 Shekles were given to Reut to fund her 4th year in Education Studies at University:

Reut, 30 years old, divorced with children. The father doesn't participate in funding the kids, which he is obliged to pay by law. Reut combines work and studies to provide for her kids. Reut is struggling to finish her last year of studies. Her goal is to become a teacher and then have afternoons at home so she can be with her kids. **The Psifas fund will subsidize Reut's last year of studies so she can finish her BA and precede her qualification of becoming a teacher and a proud mother.**

4. 1,800 Shekles were given to Saida to subsidized her rent at the University dorms:

Saida is 20 years old and single. Saida's family is under the supervision of the social services. Saida's father was injured in accident that occurred at work and receives a handicap stipend. Saida's studies are funded from a scholarship that she receives in exchange for volunteering in the community. Saida's house is far from the university and she is struggling to fund the rental cost for the student dorms. Prior attending University, Saida worked and helped with the family's expenses. Saida studies a full program and is having difficulties to work



a lot of hours. **The Psifas fund will help Saida with her rental for the dorms so she can finish her studies and have an independent life, not dependent on others.**

5. 1,000 Shekles were given to Mishel for a preparation course for the Army:

Mishel, 19 year old. Her family is under the supervision of social services in the past years due to violence and financial struggles in the family. Mishel is not in contact with her parents and they don't support her financially, she rent an apartment with a flat mate. As a teenager Michel did not attend school on a regular basis, and took part of a day program for teenage women. Mishel received a dismissal from serving in the IDF but fought the system to serve and successfully was accepted to a preparation course for the army. The program consists certificate studies and preparation for the army. Mishel is funding all her expenses but is having difficulties to fund this program. **The Psifas fund will assist Mishel in funding her preparation course for the Army, from there serve and on the way finish the course with a job certificate.**

6. 5,000 Shekles were given to Merav for management, publicity and digital marketing studies.

Merav, 37 years old, divorced with children. Worked in the past in several jobs but doesn't have an official diploma. Currently Merav is not working and she gets by with alimony. Merav has debts to the execution office. Merav is a participant in a economic program of the municipality. She is interested in studying digital marketing, a field that is suitable for her and fits her needs of working from home with flexible hours. The studies are partly funded by the rehabilitation program and Merav is paying 1500 Shekels from her own pocket. **The Psifas fund will complete Merav's tuition so she will be able to require a respectable, stable job and settle her debts to self- subsidize herself and children with prosperity.**

7. 2,000 Shekels were given to Karen to fund a financial course:

Karen, 25 years old, deoiced with one child. At a young age she was removed from her home due to violence at home and was put in boarding school. Karen has many bank loans and debts dating back to her married years. Karen decided to rehabilitate her life. She is currently working as a secretary together with her studies. Once she graduates from the financial course she will be promoted to a better job. **The Psifas fund will help Karen finish her course so she will be promoted and proceed her financial journey to enjoy independence and prosperity.**

8. 2,000 Shekels were given to Inbal for a beauty course:

Inbal, 31 years old, married with two kids. Inbal's partner worked in a steady job but left due to work dispute, since this incident he works in various, unstable jobs. During the time her partner worked a steady job, the couple were granted loans but today they are having difficulties paying them back and they are in a the middle of a bankruptcy process. The couple is participating in a rehabilitation program in the community. Inbal hasn't worked in the past but due to the lack of income and with support of the program she's interested to join the



work force. Inbal is interested in learning cosmetic courses and work at her neighbor's beauty salon. Her spouse is also attending a training course and is supposed to start working as well.

The Psifas fund will fund Inbal's beauty course and help her and her husband to acquire respectable jobs and get a fresh start.

9. 1,500 Shekels were given to Reuven for logistic course:

Reuven, 37 years old, married with kids. In the past the couple worked in steady jobs but accumulated debts due to bad financial decisions. Reuven and his partner are participating in a rehabilitation program and are in process of solving their debts with execution office. Reuven doesn't have job diplomas and he is interested in studying logistic management so he can join the work force in his area. **The Psifas fund donation will help Reuven to acquire respectful and profitable job. His job will able him to close the family debts and to work with dignity.**

10. 4,000 Shekels were given to Ilana for transportation funding for her son Alon:

Alon, 13 years old studies at a special needs school. He takes part of a special program in an agricultural ranch that is far from Alon's school. This agricultural ranch program is helping Alon drastically with his development. The only way to get to the ranch is by taxi that is not subsidized. Alon's mother works as a cleaner, receives guaranteed minimal income, lives in subsidized apartment (by the state) and has no ability to pay for her son's transportation to the ranch. **The Psifas fund donation will help subsidize the travel expenses to Alon's sessions in the ranch. This will help the family to take off the financial pressure in this issue and that way will allow Alon to continue his progress.**

11. 2,420 Shekles were given to Avi for an electronics course:

Avi, 37 years old is in a divorce process. Avi's partner is suffering from health issues and was having difficulties taking care of the children. Avi functions as the main care figure and the past years accompanied his spouse with her treatments. This situation made it difficult for Avi to be consistent at his work place and get promoted. Avi received custody over the kids and is using the help of the social services. The employment bureau directed Avi to study an electronics course that wills qualify him as an electrician. The course is mostly funded by the employment bureau and Psifas will fund the rest. **The Psifas fund will assist avi to pay his tuition for his course. His cwalification as an electrician will allow him to work in a prosperous job and that way give him and his kids financial stability.**

12. 5,000 Shekels were given to Rivka for a hairdressing course:



Rivka, 43 years old, divorced with kids. Rivka left her home with the kids due to domestic violence. Rivka had a wig business in her previous neighborhood. Since she moved, she focused the rehabilitation of herself and her children; she hasn't managed to go back in to her industry and lived off child support and the help of her parents. After attending a community process, Rivka has decided to take control over her financial situation and wants to open a business. To overcome her fears she wants to attend professional classes of hairdressing. **The Psifas fund will help Rivka to expand her current knowledge in her field and doing so will help her gain back her confidence, get back on a financial track and provide for her kids.**

13. 6,000 Shekels were given to Sima to finish 12 years of High School:

Sima, 26 years old, divorced with children. In her youth, Sima dropped out of many schools, became a mother at a young age and didn't finish high school. Sima lives off social insurance stipend and is entitled to get funded housing by the state but Sima decided to turn her life around and study to graduate with a career diploma. Sima is attending classes to finish 12 years of high school and is getting great results. **The Psifas fund will help Sima to reach her academic goal for a high school diploma and from their continue her nest goal for a BA. Sima will become a model for her girl and will be able to provide for them and live with dignity.**

- **This donation has been given to commemorate the memory of Zvi Noiman z'l,
May his soul be bound in the bond of life -**

We use this opportunity to ask that you assist us in spreading the ideal of Psifas amongst your acquaintances in hope that they will join the Israeli Psifas Fund. For that goal to be achieved we have attached a description of the fund and its activities. We would like to stress that all donations are given to the requests directly and are not used to fund the organization, and that they are tax deductible. We receive many requests and your donations and involvement us is necessary now more than ever
Thank you,
The Psifas Fund