



What do people have to say about the project?

"The idea behind the project is very simple. A candle never loses anything by lighting another candle. This is what the project is all about."

Jerry Spitzer, President
World Confederation of Jewish Community Centers

"I happen to be in Atlanta and am going to meet the kids from Minsk. Harry Stern's enthusiasm for this project is infectious! He also keeps talking about the initial hesitance of his board about his involvement, and how they are now fully committed and interested in further projects in Argentina and other places. This project is a definite winner, and we should duplicate it wherever possible."

Allan Finkelstein
President
JCC Association of North America

"What we have received during these meetings is the aggregate knowledge of years of experience that we don't have in Moscow. All the meetings with Lew Stolzenberg were very beneficial and we learned a lot. Nikitskaya is going through a major transformation these days. It is introducing the concept of fees for services, it is beginning to grapple with issues of fundraising, marketing, lay leadership development. Lew's expertise in all these areas helped us in this transition. We hope that the relationship with Lew and with JCCs around the world will continue and flourish."

Borris Rubinstein
Executive Director
Nikitskaya JCC, Moscow

"The first visit of Neil Taylor from Jewish Care London in Kharkov greatly enriched the community and staff. We are already planning his next one."

Shauli Dritter
JDC Country Director
FSU Department

"The visit to Denopetrovsk and Zaparoché was so moving and helped me reconnect to my Jewish identity and my Jewish heritage that is rooted in Eastern Europe."

Uri Strizover, Mentor, Israel Association of Community Centers