

## June 2012 Newsletter

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Hadar Arazi and Family

### Pass It On Announces a New Recipient of the Morris and Rhoda Wernick Community Scholarship

*Pass It On* is proud to announce that Hadar Arazi is the 2012 recipient of the Morris and Rhoda Wernick Community Scholarship.

Hadar graduated at the top of her class from Western High School where she took fifteen advanced placement classes and served as the captain of the swim team. In addition to earning various academic awards and distinctions at Western, Hadar also found time to perform a whopping 1,026 hours of community service! In particular, Hadar spent much of her high school career donating her time at the Chabad of Weston, where she worked as the cook and event coordinator, and the YMCA swim club, where she was the assistant swim coach.

Hadar looks forward to exploring a career in foreign service, and her long-term goal is to serve our country as an ambassador. We are excited to watch this young leader succeed, and we wish her tremendous success when she enrolls at the University of Florida this fall.



### TO OUR SUPPORTERS

With your help we have been able to award scholarships and create programming to further our mission of *helping young people develop into self-sufficient citizens and leaders through education, life-skills training, and community involvement.*



Rob Kline offers feedback on a participant's job resume

### Pass It On to take the 2nd STEP: Assisting Youth Transition to Independent Living

As part of the organization's mission to help youth succeed through education, *Pass It On* crafted *STEP* (Skills Training and Employment Program) as a tool for improving job preparedness and personal confidence in teenagers aging out of foster care.

The inaugural program, held in October 2011, was a great success. In fact, when asked for their feedback at the conclusion of the program, the participants wholeheartedly said *Pass It On* should offer this workshop "again and again."

We are currently planning for the 2nd *STEP* to be held this September, and we would welcome more volunteers. If you are interested in becoming part of the *STEP* or for more information, contact the program chair, Steve Wernick, at 786.208.0753, or Ellie Nelson-Wernick, at [enwernick@aol.com](mailto:enwernick@aol.com).



~~~~~ NOVEMBER 2012 ~~~~~  
*Pass It On's*  
**WINE & JAZZ EVENT**

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*watch for the date*