



**THE TRAVEL DESK** for making reservations and receiving info of Israel Center tiyulim. And, to help you - whether you live in Israel or are visiting - plan private tiyulim and make in-Israel travel arrangements. At your service 9:00am-1:00pm, Sundays to Thursdays. Call the Israel Center Travel Desk, 566-7787 ext. 261 or 244; fax: 566-0156 • tiyul@israelcenter.co.il

**LUNCH?** When a tiyul says "bring your own lunch", you can order one instead from the Israel Center Cafe. When you make your reservation for the tiyul, request a box lunch, or call the CAFE (ext. 257) up to the day before the TIYUL. 18₪ will get you a sandwich (your choice), a refreshing drink (regular or diet) and a dessert. Your lunch will be ready for you when you board the bus.

**CANCELLATION POLICIES** We reserve the right to charge a cancellation fee in case of last-minute cancellations. Also... Price of tiyul is based on a minimum number of participants.

**Students from Abroad** Parents visiting you some time this year? If so, you want to speak to us! (566-7787 ext. 244). We have many attractive deals for them... and you. Let us turn an ordinary "been there, did it" visit into an unforgettable, special one!

**KASHRUT POLICY** Food for Israel Center In-House programs is supervised by <-in-Israel - Mehadrin. Israel Center sponsored trips and programs are Mehadrin. Hotels, restaurants, and tiyulim advertised by the Travel Desk or by outside parties are not necessarily Mehadrin and are not endorsed by the OU or the Israel Center.

**Calls from abroad:** People from abroad should fax 972-2-5660156 for the attention of The Travel Desk or email to tiyul@israelcenter.co.il

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**Travel Desk: 566-7787 ext. 261**

**Please note:**

Hotels are sometimes booked by the time you respond to the deals on this page. Or sometimes they make last minute changes in their deals.

It is frustrating to both you & us.  
We ask for your understanding.  
We will do our best to help out.

**Tiyul Notes:**

**Tour of the Begin Center on Sun. Jan. 23rd is BOOKED.**

**Tiyul to the Palmach Museum for Mon. Jan. 31st is BOOKED**

We are planning other dates for each of these tiyulim. Call if you want to be listed for either or both.

## ↓ TRAVEL DESK SPECIALS ↓

For reservations at the hotels listed below or any other Israeli hotels,  
please call the Travel Desk 566 7787 ext. 261 or 244

**Sheraton-Moriah, Tiberias** valid Jan. 23-27, Jan.30-Feb.1  
**Special Ski Package** 580₪ per couple, per night, B/B  
incl. 2 entrance tickets to the Hermon, delicious treat in the room upon  
arrival, and entrance to hotel spa at 25₪ per person per day

**Renaissance, Jerusalem** valid until March 31st  
2-night MIDWEEK package 880₪ per couple, B/B

**Golden Tulip, Dead Sea** valid Jan. 23-27, Jan.30-Feb.1  
610₪ per couple, per night, H/B

**Dan Panorama, Haifa** valid Jan. 23-27, Jan.30-Feb.1  
630₪ per couple, per night, B/B

**Caesar, Tiberias** valid Jan. 23-27, Jan.30-Feb.1  
490₪ per couple, per night, B/B

**Kibbutz Lavi** valid January 27-29  
"Long" Shabbat package (One night stay possible) 1580₪ per couple, F/B  
Special Torah-study program in English with Dr. Avivah Zornberg

**Canaan Spa** valid January 16-20, 23-27  
Special deals for 2nd & 3rd nights 1200₪ per couple, per night, F/B

B/B = Bed & Breakfast • H/B = Half Board (breakfast + one meal) • F/B (3 meals a day)  
Midweek = SUN, MON, TUE, WED nights • Weekends = THU, FRI, Motza"Sh nights (some, not all hotels)

(Post) **TU BiShvat Tiyul**  
**In the Footsteps of Shimshon**

in the area that was inhabited by the tribe of Dan

Thursday, January 27th - 17 Shvat  
8:00am - 5:00pm (approx.)

with **Hagi Amitzur** Teacher of Tour Guides

☞ **Tel Bet Shemesh**: Archeological Site & Observation  
Lookout: Lowlands & Coastal Region

☞ **Ya'ar HaNasi**: Presidents Forest with Unique  
Sculptures throughout the park

☞ **Tomb of Shimshon HaGibor**

☞ **Neot Kedumim**: Biblical Gardens of Israel

☞ **Ya'ar Ben Shemen**: First J.N.F. Forest

100₪ members (110₪ non-members)

Call the Travel Desk to reserve

Bring your own lunch or order from the Israel Center Cafe

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**Israel Center,  
In-House**

**Feb. 18-19** (י' אדר א')

Scholar-in-Residence:

**SHABBATON**

**Rabbi Yosef Wolicki**

Shiurim, Divrei Torah, Tidbits (topics to be announced)

New friends... and old ones • Meals by Schocketino

220₪ p.p. (non-mem 250) for those registering by TU BiSHVAT

Price goes up from Wednesday, day after TU BiShvat

Let us know your housing needs or arrangements, dietary needs,  
seating requests, etc. when you reserve your places

For the Shabbaton: Candle lighting 4:53pm • Mincha at 5:00pm

*A Dream Vacation Come True*

# **KIBBUTZ EIN GEDI**

the only Botanical Gardens in the world in which people live

**4 days - 3 nights:**

**Monday thru Thursday, Feb. 7-10**

(includes Rosh Chodesh Adar Alef)

Leaving Monday 9:30am • Returning Thursday 2:00pm (approx.)

Shorter stay possible

**Half-board** (includes sumptuous Breakfast and Evening Meal)

Mehadrin-Glatt under the supervision of Rabbi Bistrisky

Bountiful Buffet Lunches 30₪ extra per day per person

**ONLY IF ORDERED IN ADVANCE**

Refrigerator and electric kettle in every room

Free bathing at the Spa including sulfur baths, mud baths, and more

Magnificent Magical Botanical gardens on premises

Full and varied programs - Tiyulim, lectures and shiurim, evening programs

Prices are per person, dbl occ - half board (single occ. available)

- 259₪ per night for a 3-night stay, regular room (309₪ for deluxe room)
- 269₪ per night for a 2-night stay, regular room (319₪ for deluxe room)
- 279₪ for a one-night stay, regular room (329₪ for deluxe room)

Third person in same room pays 250₪ per night - Deluxe rooms only

Transportation 35₪ each way (available only on Monday and Thursday)

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Read **Tiyul Notes** on page 21 for important information on other tiyulim