

# SUMMARY PAMPHLET

## in the 2019-2020 school year

### Dear partners and donors,

The academic year we've just completed, during which Covid-19 spread, had us face a challenge with which we were unfamiliar. From March 2020 on, the education system was shuttered and only some 2 months later, a degree of routine was reinstated – initially in capsules, and slowly returning to regular frameworks.

Nevet's activities are predominantly focused on the education system, and during those months, when we encountered different difficulties to those we knew our students had faced until then. Day by day, our children's starting point is more complex. The Covid-19 period, which led to a widespread lockdown and 1 million people unemployed, worsened their situation, and additionally, their families' situations. Additional families spiraled down into the cycle of disadvantage and we were hit by a wave of new requests for assistance from schools and cities we hadn't needed to help beforehand.

The new reality forced us to be there for the children and, this time, for their families too. We started mapping needs together with our partners (local authorities, education systems and the schools themselves) and decided to continue providing support, this time direct to the children's homes. Recruiting more volunteers and resources, we prepared food packages, delivered to homes throughout Israel. Package contents were planned to supply an average family of 5 people with suitable nutrition for a week.

With the education system returning to a new framework of routines, Nevet collaborated with the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health to hone appropriate procedures for preparing sandwiches, based on the education system's updated needs (capsules, partial study days, etc.)

Currently we're working on a new strategy to address each of the various proposals being suggested by the Ministry of Education for 1st September. We're collaborating with our partners to address students' needs for each possible scenario: full shutdown, capsule learning, partial and gradual return to routines, and so on.

I'd like to personally ask you, during this tough period more than ever before, to continue financially supporting Nevet. This is a true test for us all as a society, when disparities are widening. We need to maintain our support of the children and do all we can to reach even more children with our unique assistance.

**My thanks and deep appreciation to you all for your generosity. I hope you'll stay with us in routines and emergency situations for many years to come.**

**Warmest wishes,  
Rotem Yosef  
Nevet CEO**



### Nevet in Numbers

This year we distributed

**1,058,787**  
sandwiches

at **168** schools in **50** cities  
and locations across Israel.

Nevet made it possible  
for **9,000** children to enjoy  
a healthy daily sandwich during  
their study day.



### WE'VE GROWN

During the past academic year, and in light of the numerous additional applications we received, we formed new partnerships and managed to include another **1,611** students in the program. Joining our distribution runs for the first time were Kiryat Motzkin, Sderot, Dimona, Gedera and more.

### Sderot Municipality CEO, Mr. Tal Toren, on the collaborative venture

**"We must never let children cope with inequality in general, and inequality when it comes to food in particular. The municipality collaborated with Nevet to lessen this disparity."**



# Companies joining our circle of donors and volunteers

## ► Iron Source

The company helped with distributing sandwiches to 2 schools in Tel Aviv. Employees volunteered to prepare sandwiches once a week at the company's offices.

**Anat Niemowitz, Community Relations Director**

“Each sandwich actually carries a far greater significance and impact than feeding children. A sandwich makes them feel that they're like everyone else, lets them focus on learning and eat with their classmates in breaks rather than feel left out because they lack this basic item. It's a relatively small action, is a huge change for the kids. We feel privileged to have taken part.”

## ► Western Digital

Located in the town of Omer near Beer Sheva, the company's 1,000 employees prepared sandwiches for schools in the south during two days of intense activity throughout the year.

**Idit Goldschmidt, Corporate Social Responsibility**

“Taking up the reins for this activity was very moving. Energies peaked! From the call for support to ideas for streamlining, to the activity itself and the buzz that comes afterwards... we're proud of being part of it. It's gratifying to know we can upgrade the children's day, lift their spirits, and help hundreds of kids function better. You deserve every blessing for your activities, and for raising awareness of this important issue.”



## ► Optimal Plus

The company contributed to sandwich distribution for the school adjacent to its offices in Holon. Employees volunteered to prepare sandwiches once a week in the company's offices.

**Shalom Maloul, Administrative Manager**

“I start the day by doing something with true meaning.”

## Activities during Covid-19

As of mid-March 2020, our schools shut down because of the pandemic. Our students were left without recourse to solutions in worsening financial constraints.

Recruiting our partners once again, we set out to prepare food packages for distribution to the children's homes in 14 cities across Israel.

## Distributing food packages to children's homes during the Covid-19 quarantine



Ramle Mayor, Mr. Michael Vidal, pitches in with distributing food packages to the school's children, together with our driver Mr. Menahem Levi

## And our warm appreciation and thanks to

**all the organizations which contributed during the Covid-19 crisis, enabling us to help so many children who really need us**

- Perion
- Check point
- Isracard
- Delek Group
- Clal Insurance
- Diplomat
- Eyal Peretz Real Estate
- Altshuler Shaham
- Emerson Spectronix



**Round Up**  
Small change big change

**Small Sums, Big Differences**  
**What does rounding up mean?**

Every credit card purchase you make will be rounded up to the nearest round Shekel and the agorot are donated direct to Nevet

For example: Purchase is

**78.60 NIS > you paid 79 > you donated 40 Agurot**