

Israel Lacrosse

Newsletter #7

Israel Lacrosse Gap Year/Semester

As we head into the kickoff of the 2020-2021 Gap Year/Semester we want to continue to introduce you all to the young men and women who will be spearheading the growth of lacrosse in Israel while continuing their own high level training! You can also read a news article about the program HERE that will be published in a handful of local Israeli news outlets.





A star for our Women's National Team, Rosen is a mainstay on the Penn State University team as well. Combining her genuine enthusiasm, high level lacrosse knowledge, and deep empathy for others, she has consistently made an enormous impact throughout Israel Lacrosse.

The full press release is **HERE**



Charlie Ratner

This will be Charlie's first experience with Israel Lacrosse. As a Freshmen starting all 14 games for Hamilton College in the prestigious NESCAC, he quickly established himself as a rising star. He brings a love for his surrounding communities and we are incredibly excited to have him in Israel.





Nate Lapat

Coming to Israel for the first time, Nate will be heading to D-III lacrosse staple Stevens Institute following this year. His enthusiasm is second to none which drives his intense love for coaching and mentorship. We are lucky to have him and believe he will make an enormous impact this year.

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Rachel Scheinberg

A fierce up-and comer for Johns Hopkins, Rachel has a host of connections to Israel even though this will be her first time with Israel Lacrosse. She has a deep love of lacrosse which we cannot wait for her to share with the country of Israel and our lacrosse community.

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Justin Tepper

A highly accomplished High School player out of Maryland, Justin is taking time away from D-III powerhouse Stevenson University to come train in Israel. Justin has doned the Blue-and-White many times and has proven to be a dominant force between the lines. We are incredibly excited for him to bring his tenacity and versatility to both the youth lacrosse players of Israel as well as our own practices and competitions.





Sammy Dubner

Sammy is a long time member of the Israel Lacrosse family. Starting in 2015 growing lacrosse in schools throughout the country, cut short due to COVID. This will be her first he has played a variety of different roles on and off the field in our community. We are so excited to see him grow the enormous influence he has cultivated so far.

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Benjamin Cook

Ben "Cookie" Cook, has represented Israel Lacrosse throughout many events since 2018. A highly awarded High School player coming out of Texas, Cookie will head to the University of Kansas after his year in Israel. An ultimately selfless young man, his passion for teaching, coaching, and lifting up those around him is unmatched. Our lacrosse community will certainly benefit from getting more of Cookie.

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Amy Shohet

A star player coming out of High School, Amy's Freshmen season at Dartmouth was time with Israel Lacrosse. Her enthusiastic attitude and genuine investment in others improves every situation she is in and we are eagerly anticipating her arrival.







Reese Gittelman

Reese is a veteran of Israel Lacrosse, representing us since 2015. A mainstay for the Smith College Pioneers, Reese brings her on field drive and passion to all other aspects of her life as well. Israel Lacrosse gets better whenever she has been involved and we can't wait to get her for longer!

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Caleb Dion

A member of our first ever U13 team, Caleb has since gone on to be a part of every program and team possible. He is a prime example of what it means to be apart of Israel Lacrosse. His selfless devotion to assisting others will make be enormous impact on Israel Lacrosse this year.

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Louis Burg

Having played for Notre Dame High School and Denver University Club Lacrosse, Louis brings a wealth of lacrosse knowledge and experience. Not only does he aim to help our Israel Lacrosse community grow, but he is also intently focused on protecting our homeland as he pursues joining the Israel Defense Forces. Louis's deep love for all things Israel is one of the many reasons, we are incredibly fortunate for Louis to be joining us!





Beau Chetner

A highly accomplished box player, this will be Beau's first time with Israel Lacrosse. His expertise and in depth understanding of box lacrosse strategies and techniques will be incredibly impactful as he helps lead the incomparable and we are ecstatic to watch development of our indoor lacrosse capabilities.

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Evan Wolpert

Evan, one of the best players in Dalton High School history, will be attending Haverford College after his year in Israel. No stranger to visiting Israel, Evan has been involved with Israel Lacrosse since 2016. His love for Israel will no doubt be on display as he enjoys all the country has to offer while helping train the next generation of Israel Lacrosse players.

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Kelly Layton

A long time member of Israel Lacrosse, Kelly is the starting goalie at Millersville University. Her deep commitment to Israel and our lacrosse community is the impact she will make across our organization this year.









Sam Trojano

A dominant high school player in Massachusetts, Sam just finished living in Israel for the 2019-2020 gap year program and is coming back for more! Very few posses the genuine devotion to the Israel Lacrosse community that Sam does. His passion is extremely contagious and the 2019-2020 Gap Year program will certainly be made better by his return.

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Brooke Applebaum

A long-time starter on defense for Catawba College, this will not only be Brooke's first time with Israel Lacrosse but also her first time in Israel! Her enthusiasm and excitement are a powerful addition to the Gap Year program and we cannot wait to see how she is able to create the next great Israeli defenders!