

Shalom Haverim,

We are very pleased to report that the relations between Maestro and the city of Ma'alot - Tarshicha are becoming stronger and tighter...

Mr. Shlomo Buchbut, the mayor of Ma'alot - Tarshicha, was the guest of honor at American Friends of Maestro in N.Y.C.

Mr. Stanley Hirsch, the Chairman of AFoM, organized and led the meeting on May 25, 2005.

Mr. Jonathan Wagner, a board member, hosted the reception at his law office in Manhattan.

Mr. Buchbut explained the uniqueness of Ma'alot - Tarshicha, its tremendous development during the last twenty years, primarily the coexistence between Arabs, Jews, New Immigrants and "Vatikim" (senior citizens) and between the eastern and western cultures as well.

Mr. Buchbut expressed his wish to position Ma'alot - Tarshicha as the capital city for music in the North of Israel. This challenge seems achievable considering the beautiful facility Ma'alot owns, and the strongly motivated and talented population living in their geographic region.

The board members of American Friends of Maestro promised Mr. Buchbut to do their best efforts to fulfill this challenging mission.

The Mayor and the AFoM Members.

Photograph by Board member Michael Malina

Left to right:

Mr. Richard Wolloch, Mrs. Miriam Hirsch, Mr. Shlomo Buchbut, Mr. Baruch Arnon, Mr. Stanley Hirsch



Mr. Shlomo Buchbut introducing the city of Ma'alot - Tarshicha

