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MANDEL JCC
Palm Beach, FL

Location

The Mandel JCC operates two multi-purpose campuses in Palm Beach — Palm Beach Gardens and Boynton Beach — under the Jewish Federation umbrella. Both locations support a broad range of programming including fitness, aquatics, early childhood education, summer camps, and community events.

Each campus features a mix of indoor and outdoor spaces including gyms, classrooms, offices, preschool facilities, playgrounds, and recreational areas. The Palm Beach Gardens location includes expansive amenities such as sports courts, event spaces, and aquatics facilities, while Boynton Beach focuses on preschool programming, camp activities, and recreational use.

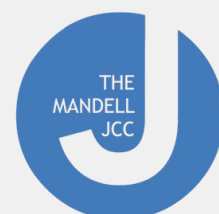
With high daily traffic across staff, members, and children, both campuses operate as dynamic, fast-moving environments with constant movement between spaces. Maintaining secure and consistent access control across numerous entry points, buildings, and activity zones is critical to supporting daily operations and ensuring the safety of all occupants.

Challenge

JCC made the decision to invest in a comprehensive access control upgrade — one that would bring both facilities under a single, unified platform and establish a consistent standard of security across every area of each site.

With two campuses comes two distinct sets of entry points, operational rhythms, and security requirements. Sensitive areas including childcare environments, staff offices, and server rooms required a more controlled approach to access management, while high-traffic zones demanded a reliable and scalable solution capable of keeping pace with the energy of a busy community center. Outdoor spaces, playgrounds, and transitional areas also needed to be brought into the fold — extending the reach of the system beyond interior walls and into every corner of both campuses.

Leadership recognized that managing credentials, monitoring access activity, and maintaining visibility across two locations required more than a patchwork of standalone devices — it required a centralized, intelligent platform built to grow alongside the organization.





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Solution

The Mandel JCC partnered with AT&I Systems to deploy an Avigilon ALTA access control platform across both the Palm Beach Gardens and Boynton Beach campuses, designed to provide centralized management, enhanced security, and long-term scalability across the entire organization.

AT&I replaced existing entry points and expanded access control throughout both facilities — covering offices, gyms, aquatics areas, preschool environments, and outdoor spaces — with all necessary hardware and cabling installed to support a clean, reliable deployment at each location. License plate recognition cameras were also installed at both properties, providing real-time visibility into vehicle activity at key entry and exit points across each campus.

The system supports encrypted credentials for staff and authorized users, with centralized control for managing permissions and AI-driven alerts to flag unusual or unauthorized access attempts across both locations. Expansion capability was also built into the design from the start, ensuring the Mandel JCC has a platform that can grow alongside the organization as its needs continue to evolve.

Results

The new system gave the Mandel JCC a modern, centralized access control infrastructure that significantly improved security, visibility, and day-to-day administrative efficiency across both campuses. Management can now monitor and administer access across both locations from a single platform, with AI-driven monitoring ensuring consistent security policies and giving staff the ability to respond proactively to unusual activity at either site. License plate recognition at vehicle access points adds an additional layer of awareness, strengthening overall security across both properties.

As key community centers within the Jewish Federation network, both facilities play an important role in supporting the cultural, educational, and social programs that serve the broader Palm Beach community. The enhanced security infrastructure helps provide a safer, more welcoming environment for members, staff, and visitors — ensuring these spaces can continue to fulfill their mission with confidence for years to come.



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