

Our Cheder's VOICE



CHEDER CHABAD BOY'S DIVISION • PARENT EDITION

בס"ד

ג' אדר

February 24

פרשת תרומה

הדלקת נרות: 5:23

FROM *the* MENAHEL

Dear Parents,

Thank you for visiting Cheder this week. The clean building, the organized classrooms and our personable and dedicated staff, were all poised to welcome you into the setting in which your child spends many hours of his day, davening, learning, playing, eating and socializing with his friends. The cheder is the classroom and the lab where Torah values are taught and lived. And we hope you appreciated the glimpse into your child's life. Your visit was felt for days before you came. The children anticipated your visit and knowing that you will speak to their Rabbi and teacher increased their attentiveness and responsiveness to the lessons and instructions. Occasionally, a child may be overwhelmed by an academic milestone. A Child may struggle with a new subject, i.e. gemoro, or Rashi letters. They may bring their frustration to you asking that you negotiate down on their behalf. They may request an adjusted expectation to be agreed upon the two of you. Please keep in mind that our dedicated staff know your child, and Cheder expectations are adjusted to match your child's ability and are age appropriate and within the common expectations for a boy your son's age. If you support a child avoiding responsibility, when they consider difficult, you may unsettle the balance of responsibility and setback your child's educational, behavioral and attitudinal growth to a place from where it is difficult to return. Responsibility is a blessing. Being responsible for ourselves, and accountable for our actions is the right way to live. In the first perek of Tanya, the Alter Rebbe presents the extent of responsibility we have for every action, and the extreme value of every minute. This week, in perek chof tes, we read about the lasting impact of careless conduct of youth on our entire lives. Please partner with us to bring out the best in our children, to raise the bar with care and consideration and to keep our children motivated to step up with the willingness of a nediv lev.

Wishing you a good Shabbos,

Rabbi Kaplan

SCHEDULE UPDATES



Purim Dates:

אסתר תענית, Monday Feb. 6

Friday dismissal

פורים, שושן פורים 7 & 8 Mar.

No School

Chidon Trip:

Monday March 20, 27 Adar

Happy Birthday!

Menachen Weinstein, Mordechai Rosenfeld, Michoel Lakein, Naftoli Liberow, Sholom Lasker, Sholom Dov Ber Katz, and Levi Yitzchok Goldberg

May you have a Shenos Hatzlochah!

TIP
OF
THE
WEEK

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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



a PEEK at OUR WEEK

In English Language Arts our first graders learned about compound words like laptop, cannot, into etc. After writing the words in our notebooks we divided the words into two smaller words for reading. Exploring the "TH" sound we wrote many words and sentences with it, as well as found it in the reader stories of the day. In math, in honor of chodesh Adar each boy made their own game board. We used a clown themed place value chart, number cards and tens and ones sticks. The boys worked in pairs, and raced to be the first to show how they put the number cards and tens and ones sticks in the correct place on their game boards. In art class we drew and painted a beautiful fish and clown.

Mrs. Mandel

The boys in Grade 1B have been very busy this week. In math we are learning all about related facts in addition and subtraction and doing different activities to reinforce the concept. We are BH becoming amazing readers as we are constantly adding new sounds and blends to the words. We can already read and spell. This week we added the "TH" to our repertoire. In honor of PTC we wrote beautiful thank you cards to our parents. This week we were privileged to have art class with Mrs. Jacobs, we learned how to draw a clown using all different types of shapes. The boys had a great time and drew adorable clowns in honor of Purim.

Mrs. Volfman

Firstly, I wish to thank all the parents who came out to PTC. It is a vital form of communication that allows for sharing your son's progress, as well as hearing your feedback. Much yiddishe nachas!! This week we practiced adding and subtracting three digits with regrouping/borrowing. The boys caught on so quickly and can be proud of their good work. We read a short story about a king who saved a stranger's life and as an expression of her gratitude, she offered to bless the king. She asked the king to think of three wishes that would make him happy. The boys wrote down their own wishes too. Unanimously, they voted, We want Moshiach now!! I shared my wish, asking Hashem to heal cholei yisroel, to which they responded instantly with a thunderous "Amein". I stood there in absolute awe of the sezeese kinderlach. Gut shabbos!

Mrs. Levin

It was lovely to meet with all the parents who came out in the rain and damp this week for PTC. I wish you all continued nachas. Please be in touch if you have anything to discuss. I will be reaching out over the next week or so to the parents that couldn't attend. The boys were very excited all week as they eagerly anticipated Rosh Chodesh Adar, as well as a double Siyum with Rabbi Sirota. In Science, the boys completed their presentations on the Five Senses (see pictures). Next week, IYH we will begin the next science unit on Weather and the Water Cycle. In Spelling we learned how to do a crossword puzzle! In Writing, we wrote stories about a Purim (mis) adventure and the boys took turns reading their stories to their classmates. In Math we have completed all the times tables! We made flash cards and began the next step in multiplication; multiplying two digits by one digit. There will be a Math Test this coming Wednesday. In Script we learned the letters "L", "E", "T" and "I". The highlight of the week (other than the Siyum) was STEM class with Dr. Shnitzel. A fun time was had by all! PLEASE ensure that your son brings adequate snacks and that he has re-stocked up on any missing vital school supplies, such as pencils!! Have a guten Shabbos!

Mrs. Eckstein

This week in math we learned how to convert an improper fraction to a mixed numeral. We also reviewed reducing fractions, and making equivalent fractions using the lowest common multiple. For a good time we made factor trees in prime factorization. Unit ten was completed in Wordly Wise and we had a test on it. The class started a new story where we focused on all kinds of conflict and learned the various ways a character is developed in a story. We are just starting the story and will continue next week. A great time was had as we played a Wordle game.

Mrs. Trieger

[Link for Pics](#)

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CHEDER CHABAD
8TH GRADE PRESENTS:

PURIM CARNIVAL

משנכנס אדר
מרבין בשמחה!

TICKETS

3 TICKETS - \$1.00

10 TICKETS - \$3.00

18 TICKETS - \$5.00

35 TICKETS - \$10 + SODA & SNACK OF CHOICE

VIP UNLIMITED TICKETS - \$20.00 + SODA & ALL SNACKS!

SNACKS

POPCORN - \$1.00

COTTON CANDY - \$1.00

CHIPS - \$1.00

HAMANTASHEN - \$1.00

DRINKS

SODA - \$1.00

SNAPPLE - \$2.00

**BOOTHS WILL COST FROM 1-3 TICKETS
THERE WILL BE A \$25 GIFT CARD RAFFLE!**

12 ADAR | MARCH 5

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OR 8TH GRADE CLASSROOM