

Our Cheder's VOICE

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FROM *the* MENAHEL

Dear Parents,

Cheder is off to a great start BH. Thank you for your partnership in setting us up for success. With your help, the first day was a smashing success, and your support was palpable and made a world of difference.

We are back to cheder, so let's jump right into learning. In this week's parshah, Ki Sova, we learn about the mitzvah of Bikurim. Bikurim sanctifies the ordinary and connects every city where Yiden live with Yerusholayim and the beis hamikdosh.

During the time of the beis hamikdosh, the Yidden would take turns participating in the avodah. Each family would spend a week in the summer and one week in the winter to go up to Yerusholayim. The bikurim offerings were brought for 22 weeks starting Shavuos and on.

Cheder shares many characteristics with bikurim. At cheder we sanctify the ordinary, we make every day of a child's life holy. Cheder makes Torah learning the center of our life. All our mundane activities eating, sleeping, and playing become the setting for the diamond that is Torah and mitzvos.

The exact time for every Yid to bring bikurim depended on how close or far they lived to Yerushalayim. This teaches us that in educating our children, the road length varies for every boy. Interest, competence, experience, and skill contribute to the length of the journey for each student.

Please help us guide your child along this path so that his cheder life truly be like bikurim; entirely dedicated to Hashem, with no distractions or outside influences, focusing only on sanctity and holy purpose.

Wishing you a good Shabbos,

Rabbi Kaplan

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SCHEDULE UPDATES



Monday, Chai Elul:

White shirt day

Tuesday:

ERCSD, Clarkstown,
North Rockland

Wednesday:

Suffern Central begins

Happy Birthday!

Shlomo Lustig, Yisroel Ginsburg

May you have a Shenos Hatzlochah!

Mazal Tov Zani Klein on the occasion of
his Bar Mitzvah

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THE
WEEK

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