

Our Cheder's VOICE



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FROM *the* MENAHEL

Dear Parents,

"Noach was a big Tzadik" while being the lyrics of a popular song aren't in sync with the Chabad perspective. Noach's teivah allowed him to save himself and his family while the rest of the world perished. Our Rebbe teaches us to go out and bring Yidden back to Yiddishkeit, not to insulate, secure, and protect ourselves.

To be sure, chassidus takes many lessons from the story of the mabul, however, it isn't about Noach's righteousness. The mabul waters, represent distraction and worry, from worldly things and the teivah represents the words of davening and learning that protect us and help us use storm of olom hazeh to rise above it all and serve Hashem with extra devotion.

It is important that we learn and understand the teachings of our Rebbeim and are able to discern what messages and values are appropriate for our children. We don't send our children to a Chabad school hear about the Rebbe, but to embrace the Rebbe's values.

As parents, our mission is to provide our children with pure Chabad values. They may learn about other perspectives once they have clear personal values and they can distinguish between different approaches.

Thank you to the PTA, specifically the Thaler family for sponsoring the Rosh Chodesh gift to the entire Cheder.

Wishing you a good Shabbos,

Rabbi Kaplan

SCHEDULE UPDATES



**This Sunday, October 22,
7 Cheshvan, 2023**
Parent Teacher Conference -
No school

Happy Birthday!

Eliyahu Vernik, Zvi Konikov, Chesky
Konikov, Yehuda Weiner, Mendel
Sandhaus

May you have a Shnas Hatzlochah

שידוך בשטו"מ her Miss Margareten Mazal tov

TIP
OF
THE
WEEK

Tuesdays
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STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



a PEEK at OUR WEEK

This week in our fall unit we learnt how the leaves change colors. In poetry, we read a beautiful fall poem and enjoyed designing it. Using dot art our first graders also decorated fall pictures. In math, we are continuing our unit on subtraction, we read the problem story by each example and solved it using the bar model. This week in our reading center we read many new sight words so fluently.

Mrs. Mandel- Grade 1A

The story "The Leaf Thief" was read aloud. The squirrel has a problem and is very disturbed for the leaves have gone missing. The bird, mouse and woodpecker tell him to relax for this happens every year. Finally, the squirrel figures out that the WIND stole the leaves and when Winter comes the grass goes missing too. We focused on character traits, sequence of events and syllables. In Math, we are changing ones into tens and tens into hundreds. The boys knew that 100 pennies, 10 dimes, 4 quarters, 20 nickels etc. all makeup the value of one dollar. Adding to our unit on Idioms we learned "Hold your horses" and "Frog in my throat" and Fish out of water". Looking forward to meeting parents and sharing nachas grams with you. Gut Shabbos!

Mrs. Levin - Grade 2A

This past week seems to have flown by with so many exciting things happening! Rabbi Sirota brought in a dart board where you throw balls instead of darts. The boys were so excited that they spent every Recess during English lining up and playing (see photos). In Writing we continued learning about proper sequencing, and did a project (see photos). In Reading we began learning about endangered animals, and in Science we have almost completed our unit on Animals. This Monday, iy"H, the boys will be receiving their Animal Report Project. Please help your son choose the animal he would like to research. He MAY NOT begin the project without permission. Since there is such a variety to choose from, it's one animal per Talmid. We also had a Spelling test and a Vocabulary test. There will iy"H be Math Test coming up the first week of November...stay posted. Finally, Thursday brought with it the highlight of the week: News on the Run, which included a picture of Menachem Morgenstern's uncle in Eretz Yisroel! We discussed the Rebbe's directive of Torah, Tefillah and Tzedaka, and Menachem's uncle was in the picture depicting Tefillah! And then finally, what everyone has been eagerly anticipating.....we had our first STEM class with Dr. Shnitzel (see photos). The boys had a blast (literally) learning about Carbon Dioxide and how it interacts with other items, such as salt and mentos...as opposed to plain drinking water. I am looking forward to meeting with you on Sunday. Have a guten Shabbos!

Mrs. Eckstein - Grade 3A

Grade five is full of ideas as we forge ahead into our writing assignment. What creativity we have! In math we completed our understanding of decimal concepts. This includes reading decimals, comparing them and putting them in order from least to greatest. It also includes rounding. Next week we will learn how to align decimals for adding and subtracting. We had a math test on the skills we learned. In science we were fascinated as we watched the experiment- the bottle eats the egg. It demonstrated how warm air has less pressure so the pressure on top was greater and pushed the egg in. Vacuum packed foods use this concept to keep bacteria out. In reading we began an autobiography called "Small Steps." It is a first person account of how Peg Kehert went through her journey with polio. We began unit 3 in Wordly Wise. Have a great Shabbos.

Mrs. Triegeter - Grade 5

[Link for Pics](#)

