

פרשת משפטים/ הדלקת נרות 4:50 שבט ו'a / Friday, January 28

Our Cheder's Voic

CHEDER CHABAD BOY'S DIVISION

LETTER FROM THE MENAHEL:

Dear Parents.

As we conclude our first semester, please look out for the report cards that are being mailed today. A tremendous yasher koiach to our Rebbies, teachers and office staff for the amazing zeman. I wish each of them continued and increased *hatzlacha* as they move forward into the second term.

One of the often-quoted statements of the Rambam are, היות הגוף ברי ושלם מדרכי ה, keeping healthy and being in good form are part of our path to serving Hashem. Our intention in taking care of our bodies is what shifts our focus in caring for our bodies from a materialistic and vain exercise to a holy activity that brings us closer to Hashem.

As we take a break for a few days, our intent will establish whether these days will be stepping stones in our connection to Hashem, strengthening our connection and nurturing our children with quality time, focused attention and some more rest, so that they come back to cheder inspired to learn more and bring home more Torah, stronger in their davening and learning, or if they are part of our bucket list of worldly experiences which has children coming back disconnected and will require a few days of adjustment to get back into learning.

The opening verses of this week's *parshah* provides us the proper paradigm for teaching Torah: give them rules and make them crystal clear. There are mishpatim, there are boundaries, responsibilities and commitments, there is an area of obligation, permissibility and prohibition. Whatever we are teaching they must be tasim lifneihem, placed before them like a set table, in other words, abundantly clear.

Let us be the role models for our children, showing them that rest and time off can be and should be utilized as a way to strengthen our connection to Hashem and strengthen our connection with our children, providing them with the nurturing they need to go out and be successful talmidim at Cheder.

This Shabbos is Shabbos mevarchim Adar I. Don't forget to encourage your children to say Tehilim.

Wishing you a good Shabbos,

Rabbi Kaplan

SCHEDULE REMINDERS

Sunday-Tuesday, 28-30 Shevat,

January 30-February 1:

Mid-Winter Break

Wednesday, 1 Adar, February 2:

Back to school





LEARNING MISHNAYIS BAAL PEH

A PEEK AT OUR WEEK

This week the talmidim in grade 3 stretched their multiplication skills to a new level. We used our multiplication facts knowledge to compute algebraic expressions of unknown numbers. We also worked on finding missing numbers in patterns. The boys did a great job at it!

The boys were treated to an art lesson with Mrs. Jacobs this week where they drew and painted a winter scene. The boys did a beautiful job!

This week class 4B learned in Reading that spices play a very important role in our lives, besides giving food a better taste. Mrs. Eckstein carried the theme over to Social Studies as well, when she explained that Columbus had gone looking for new trade routes to get more spices from India and the far East. In addition, we learned how ancient some spices are...they were even used in the times of the Bais Hamikdash! We have also continued to make progress in 'long multiplication' and 'long division'. In Writing this week, in anticipation of some sort of snow event over the weekend, each talmid wrote an ending to a story about the snow storm that was....or wasn't. Enjoy your vacation! I am looking forward to seeing you back refreshed, rejuvenated and ready to learn iy"H next Wednesday!!

The fifth grade read a non-fiction story, "Passage to Freedom." We learned about a Japanese diplomat who saved hundreds of Yidden during World War Two by writing visas for them. This was illegal and he did this at a great sacrifice to himself. He did it because his conscience dictated that this is the correct thing to do. What a hero! In math we continue to make strides with our fractions. We learned how to borrow from a whole number and convert the amount into a fraction. We are getting closer to our social studies project. The class is learning about the three branches of government and the responsibilities of each branch.

OUR CHILDREN'S VOICE

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

















Happy Birthday

Yehoshua Raices, Menachem Mendel Katz, Shlomo Raskin, Avraham Shmuel Simpson, Schneur Zalman Elisha

May you have a Shnas Hatzlochah!

Mazal Tov Yossi Bogomilsky on his Bar Mitzvah.

FATHER AND SON LEARNING IN KITA BEIS





OUR CHILDREN'S VOICE

RABBI JUNIK 22 SHEVAT MEMORIES



SHMUEL ZUCKER RECEIVING \$10 FOR SAYING THE ENTIRE PEREK HEY TANYA BAL PE



GRADE 4 SIYUM



GRADE 6 AND 7 TRIP







Here's your chance to buy your cheder yarmulkes before picture day

В"Н PTA is happy to announce that Cheder Chabad Yarmulkes are now back in stock!

Price: \$8 each

Sizes 3, 4, and 5 available! Your son should pickup your order at the Cheder office. Cash can be sent in with your son, or you can pay via Quickpay, Paypal or Cashapp. Limited quantities available.

Please include your full name and yarmulke size when sending payment cashapp: \$chanieweingarten Quickpay/Paypal (friends and family): boyspta@chedermonsey.org







Picture Day Is Coming Up! February 9th!

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Pear Parents and Students.

Picture day is around the corner on Feb. 9th, so it's time for our students to look their best and put on their brightest smiles for the camera!

This year's picture day will be conducted by Leor Meltser Photography. Please feel free to contact them at 17181 676-2176.



We are so excited and hope you are too! See you soon on the 9th - say cheeeeese!





Friday- look at my missions for my checkout quota תהילים say שבת קודש



Name

Grade_____

Kapitolach said _____

Approx. amount of time spells

Parent signature ...

Bring this paper back to Cheder by Wednesday toget into a raffle.

שבת מברכים



*Mark your Tehillim missions on mashpia account by Tsesday night to receive a Hamantash and get into raffle

MOTZOAI SHABBOS AVOS UBONIM This Week

Motzoai Shabbos Mishpatin

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR FATHERS AND SONS
TO BOND AND SPEND VALUABLE TIME TOGETHER!



· PRIZES

REFRESHMENTS (HOT DOGS)
 MELAVA MALKA STORY

Location:

TZEMACH TZEDEK SHUL 2 LANGERIES DR. MONSEY, NY 10952

7:00 PM-8:00 PM

for all Elementary Boys Grade 1-8

COME LEARN AND ENJOY!!

Please call or email Rabbi Shusterman: 917 282 3505 or ryscheder@gmail.com to sponsor an Avos Ubonim evening - in honor of a birthday, yahrtzeit, or special occasion.

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THIS WEEK'S SPONSORS:

- RABBI AND MRS. WEINSTEIN IN HONOR OF MENACHEMS BIRTHDAY 28 SHEVAT
- RABBI AND MRS, SIMPSON IN HONOR OF AVRAHAM SHMUELS BIRTHDAY 26 SHEVAT