



פרשת ויקהל / הדלקת נרות 5:25  
כ"ד אדר א' / Friday, February 25

# Our Cheder's Voice

CHADER CHABAD BOY'S DIVISION

## LETTER FROM THE MENAHEL:

Dear Parents,

This week we will mark thirty years since 27 Adar I, 5752, the day the Rebbe fell ill at the Ohel and after which we have not heard the Rebbe's words. The Rebbe taught us to utilize every opportunity to strengthen our commitment to Torah and Mitzvos and to increase our involvement and practice of good deeds.

The obstruction on our Great Luminary leads us to a Parsha related lesson.

We have been learning about the Mishkan for many several weeks now, and it is only in this weeks parshah, Vayakhel that the Torah tells us that the Yidden donated more than what was needed for the mishkan. The Yidden's generosity was greater than the need.

There is an amazing and relevant message for each and every one of us in this anecdote. The *Yetser Horo* tries convince us that we don't have what it takes to deal with the challenges of our times, that the spiritual and material needs of *klal Yisroel* are so great, that we will never be able to properly provide what our *neshomos* need. Perhaps the Rebbe was up for it, but how can we take on and achieve that which the Rebbe did not?

In reply to this feeling of being inadequate the Torah tells us that the Yidden have the *koichos* to provide everything needed and more. Yidden have the power to take on all challenges we are given and come out on top. We have the power to raise our children as authentic *chassidim*, with true *yiras shomayim* and *midos tovos*. And yes, we have the power to bring Moshiach!

Wishing you a good Shabbos,  
Rabbi Kaplan

SCHEDULE  
REMINDERS

Wednesday, 6 Adar II, March 9: Chidon Final

Sunday, 17 Adar II, March 20: Online KHK Final

Our  
Children's  
voice

Library read-a-thon:

Don't forget to keep reading. All money due by March 15th.

# A PEEK AT OUR WEEK

This week, the boys of second grade completed our unit on Community Helpers. We learned that they are very important; they keep the community safe and healthy, make life better for the people in the community, and help the community function more efficiently. Other community helpers assist us in times of emergency. We read about the job of the bEEkEEper, relating to the vowel team EE. Of course, we went outdoors for recess, to enjoy the mild weather. See the pictures.

It is wonderful walking into class each day and watch the lebidigkeit and achdus of the boys singing Purim songs and dancing ! Class 4B has graduated to DOUBLE DIGIT division! This is hard work and builds on all their previous knowledge in almost every area of Math since first grade! (Please encourage your sons to keep honing and polishing their skills!) B"H the boys find it not only challenging, but rewarding as well. In Reading we learned about the 'theme' and 'message' of a story. The theme of the story we learned was that sometimes winning isn't everything. This led to a discussion on 'vatranus' (which was in unit 11 of Wordly Wise...yield). In Science we have completed the unit on the planets, which the talmidim know very well. In Social Studies, we have almost completed the unit on the Southwest region of the United States. The boys are improving in their knowledge of the geography of the United States. IY"H they should continue advancing and learning in ALL areas! Have a guten Shabbos!

The bulletin board of 5th grade is finally up! Every boy worked hard and contributed to this informative display of the United States government division of powers. We had our math midterm and will be learning how to multiply fractions next week. The class is in the middle of unit 10 in Wordly Wise. We completed our work on the story "The Silent Lobby," and had a reading comprehension test. wishing you much nachas and a gut shabbos.

**Thank you to the Abel and Simpson families for  
sponsoring breakfast for our Minyoners!**

# STUDENT OF THE WEEK



## Happy Birthday

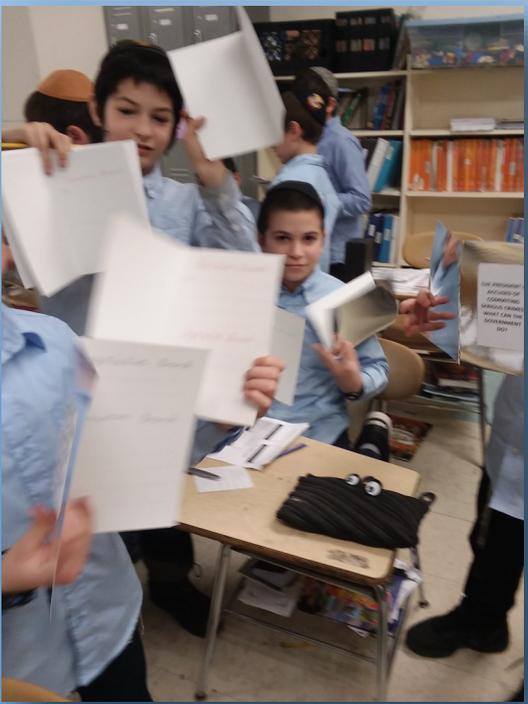
Gabi Herrman

May you have a Shnas Hatzlochah!

Mazal Tov to Mrs. Eckstein on the birth of a granddaughter!

Mazal tov to the Seewald family on the birth of a baby boy!

# GRADE 5 PREPARING BULLETIN BOARD ON DIVISION OF POWERS



# GRADE 1B FINISHED THEIR 3RD READER!



OUR CHILDREN'S VOICE



# ENRICHMENT IN THEIR NEW LOCATION



# GRADE 1-A



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# CONNECTION POINT WINNER

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## GRADE 6 SERIOUSLY LEARNING AMID PURIM PREPARATIONS



## GRADE 4B DANCING FOR CHODESH ADAR



# GRADE 2



OUR CHILDREN'S VOICE

# MOTZOAI SHABBOS

# AVOS UBONIM

*This Week*

*Motzoai Shabbos Vayakhel*

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

**7:30PM-8:30 PM**

for all Elementary Boys  
Grade 1-8

## COME LEARN AND ENJOY!!

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