



Yediots

WHERE MIDDOS AND LEARNING ARE LINKED TOGETHER

Arie Crown is proud to have been featured on CBS news for participating in the Clean Speech Illinois Program. Thank you to Rabbi Yosef Cohen, our 8th Grade Rebbe and Mr. Eric Rothner for being the liaisons in bringing the Clean Speech Illinois program to our school and many others in the community.



CLEAN SPEECH ILLINOIS IS UNDER WAY!!



Clean Speech Illinois is a city-wide project that is being done by all Jewish Day Schools in Chicago, including ACHDS. It is a month-long awareness program, during November, where the Students will focus on No Lashon Hora

or Nivul Peh, as well as positive speech between peers—in other words Clean Speech! All students received Clean Speech swag last week! To sign up for the daily videos visit cleanspeech.com/Illinois.

This program is being sponsored by The Rothner Family.

Luach

Friday, November 12

Candle Lighting Time: 4:12 PM

Shabbos, November 13

Shabbos Parshas Vayeitzei

Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema: 9:07 AM

Upcoming Events

Sunday, November 14, 21

AC's New Building and Campus Tour
Pre-Registration Required.
(see attached flier for more info)

Monday, November 15

Parent/Teacher Conferences via Zoom
For Grades 1-8. Virtual Book Fair.
No After School Programs

Wednesday, November 17

Picture Day—All Grades (see page 4 for more information)

Hot Lunches:

Monday, Nov. 15 Hamburger
Tuesday, Nov. 16 Baked Potato
Wednesday, Nov. 17 Chicken Fingers
Thursday, Nov. 18 Baked Ziti
Friday, Nov. 19 Pizza

The boys in Morah Caplan's Kitah Alef are enjoying working in different stations to practice their Kriah skills as well as learning to work together with their classmates.



1st Grade News

By Morah Rosen

Morah Rosen is so proud of:

Moshe Babani

Yisroel Fox

Adir Gelman

Eitan Goldberg

Rafi Halpert

Ely Katz

Michoel Kohanchi

Erez Levinson

Lazer Rubin

Yitzy Shacter

Eliyahu Shames

Ahron Shapiro

Ephraim Zissman

Bentzion Zuckerman



who reached Level 2 of the First Grade Level Program!
Looking forward to seeing all my students reach even "higher levels"!

3rd-8th Grade News

By The 8th Grade Girls' Student Council

This year the Girls' Student Council is focusing on being a "link in the chain" and "passing it on". The incredible opening activity, created by the entire Eighth Grade girls, was set up as הר סיני and showed the מסורה starting from משה רבינו down to the Arie Crown girls. The Eighth Grade girls set up booths with creative activities depicting different משניות from פרקי אבות. For the rest of the year the girls,



grades three through eight, will learn the lessons of פרקי אבות every Friday. Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Shimon Fink and Mr. and Mrs. Tomer Bitton for generously sponsoring the beautiful ArtScroll Pirkei Avos that each student will learn from each week.

Kudos to the Eighth Grade girls!!! Their energy and positivity made the opening activity a huge success! Thank you to Martin and Gabriel for all their hard work! Thank you also to Miss Sima Cohen for her endless energy and help! Stay tuned for details of our program!!!

5th-8th Grade News

With thanks to the Walder Science Center, we were privileged to host Rabbi Barnea Selavan and Mr. David Millner at Arie Crown this week. These distinguished guests are archeologists from Eretz Yisrael who run an organization called Foundation Stone. Over two mornings with little to no breaks, they enamored our 5th-8th grade boys and girls with Torah straight from Eretz Yisrael. From showing the Talmidim routes on maps that made their Navi learning come to life to passing around pottery from thousands of years ago, or from showing them copper spheres or flipping a coin that was from the times of the Maccabim, our Talmidim and Talmidos were mesmerized as their Torah learning came to life.

Thank you to Rabbi Weiner and Rabbi Alkhovsky from the Walder Science Center for bringing this special program to our building!



5th Grade News

By Chaya Tziporah Piltz

This week in Mrs. Turoff's 5th Grade, we had a special presentation from two archeologists from Israel. We saw such cool and old artifacts from thousands of years ago, such as a statue of a man riding a horse, a coin from the time of the Maccabees and one with the face of Hadrian, the man whose decrees killed Rabbi Akiva! In Mrs. Schur's class we began learning Shiras Chana! On Monday we had opening activity! It was so cool with all the different booths, such as laser tag, blindfolded makeup and so many more amazing and creative booths! In Mrs. Spiliopoulos's class we learned a fun trick to divide fractions called keep, change, and flip! We are also having a quiz on cells on Thursday. In Mrs. Borth's class we are working on our map skills and reading "Home of the Brave." We had an amazing week!

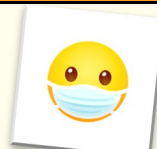


PICTURE DAY**Don't forget your smile!!****Wednesday, November 17****Picture Day—All Grades**

1. Ordering of pictures is on-line only! Orders must be placed prior to picture day. For easy online ordering visit www.ordercp.com. Enter your SCHOOL CODE: 10046901. This option will not be available after picture day.
2. Please do not wear green!
3. Girls in grades 1-7 do not need to wear a uniform shirt. However, a uniform skirt must be worn.
4. 8th Grade girls that would like to wear a dress for pictures should change into school uniform after the picture. (There will not be full pose pictures.)
5. 8th Grade boys will be photographed in dress shirt, tie, and suitcoat and can change afterwards.
6. 8th Grade students do not order pictures ahead. They will receive proofs in a few weeks, at which time you can order online.

MASKS AND WATER BOTTLES**Reminder!**

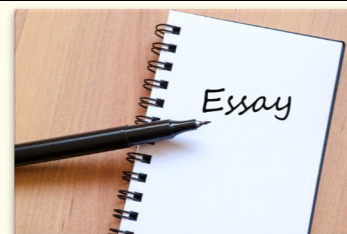
Please send an extra mask
in your child(ren)'s backpack.



Sometimes they get dirty or break in the middle of the school day.

Please send a water bottle with your child(ren) to school.

There are no water fountains— only refill stations. Thank you!

**ATT POGRUND FAMILY JUDAIC ARTWORK
AND ESSAY CONTESTS**

Calling all 3rd-12th grade students attending an ATT school! It's time for the Pogrud Family Essay and Judaic Artwork contests! Demonstrate your writing and/or art skills as you explore a Judaic topic. Winners receive a \$50.00 check. Deadline for art/essay submission is Thursday, January 27, 2022. **FOR ESSAY/ARTWORK RULES AND GUIDELINES**, visit www.att.org → Student Programs or call ATT at 773-973-2828.

The 8th Grade students built beautiful dodecahedrons (using 12 pentagons), illustrating information from books they recently read--as part of a Combined project for Mrs. Goodfriend & Ms. Wexler's class in Strategies for Math & Reading. The girls had fun showing theirs off to the other middle school girls.



DAY OF LEARNING

Thank you to **The Board of Directors, Administration, Staff and Students of Arie Crown Hebrew Day School** for dedicating the month of Kislev's learning starting, November 5—1 Kislev in memory of **Arie Crown, a"h**, on the occasion of his Yahrzeit.

Monday's learning, November 8—4 Kislev is sponsored in memory of **Rabbi Meir Shapiro, z"l**, someone who made huge impacts in our lives and the community. By **Yehuda ('95) and Rebecca Biber, Shira ('97) and Danny Kroll, Pearl ('98) and Daniel Magence**.

Thank you to **The Friedman Family** for dedicating Tuesday's learning, November 9—5 Kislev L'iluy Nishmas **Avraham ben Moshe Yosef** on his 10th Yahrzeit.

Dedicating a day of learning at Arie Crown is a meaningful way to commemorate a Yahrzeit, merit a Refuah Sheleima, and recognize a special occasion or Simcha. If you are interested in dedicating a day of learning, please [click here](#), or call Levi Zeffren at 847-982-9191 Ext. 325.

VIRTUAL BOOK FAIR

The Arie Crown Fall 2021 Scholastic Book Fair is **LIVE NOW!**

Once again we are hosting a virtual book fair!

Now through November 21! With Chanukah around the corner, there are so many great gift options. Over 6,000 products to choose from! Plus it's a great way to raise money for our PTA and put books into our children's classrooms. Be sure to support our book fair now!

To make a purchase, visit:
www.scholastic.com/bf/arielcrownhebrewdayschool1

MIDDOS MATTER CORNER

Arie Crown's Middos Matter school-wide initiative is continuing strong! "Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Safe, Be Kind" are our schoolwide expectations.

**** **MIDDOS MATTER ALL STARS!!** ****

As part of our Middos Matter program, teachers have been giving Middos Matter points for students who have demonstrated their Respectful, Responsible, Safe and Kind behaviors around school. Every week, we recognize the students who have earned the most points in each class that week and they each receive a small prize. Congratulations to last week's All Stars!

Congratulations to 3RD GRADE, who earned the most points this week with 6044 points in 1 week! WOW!



Kahoot Winner:

4th Grade Girls—Mrs. DeAngelis



*Congratulations to last week's
Top Point Earners of the Week in each class!*

Michael Kohanchi

Eli Galston

Tobie Sharfman

Penina Gertz

Shimmy Cohen

Shalom Yonah Kohn

Tova Gerstein

Sorala Gendelman

Yaron Wittlin

Yisrael Zev Kleinman

Emma Appel

Leora Fine

Cheely Mermelstein

Shlomo Greenberger

Aliza Siegal

Tovi Finkel

Yeshaya Shacter

Michael Goldwag

Adira Isenberg

Daniella Sommer

Avrumi Silver

Elya Gendelman

Talia Schwartz

Rivka Berkovich

Talia Rubin

Yonit Finestone

Ayden Starck

Betzalel Shacter

Daniel Zuckerman

Coby Aronson

Dani Allswang

Mina Brandes

Marayah Center



Congratulations to last week's Spot it!

**Gym classes with the best sportsmanship and behavior -
1B Rosen and 8G2 Schultz/Gerber**



Congratulations to last week's Teacher on the Wheel Winners!
Mrs. Jedd and Mrs. Abrams

The Arie Crown Family would like to extend a Mazel Tov to:**Births**

*Board of Trustees Member, Dr. and Mrs. Gary and Cheryl Hoberman on the birth of their granddaughter, born to Rabbi and Mrs. Scott (class of '04) and Sara Hoberman.

*Mr. and Mrs. Ira and Judith Kahn on the birth of their granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe and Sara (class of '07) Reinstein.

*Mrs. Ruth Siegal on the birth of her great-great-granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Shloimy and Chani Rosenberg, grandchildren of Rabbi and Mrs. Moshe and Adrienne Kenzer.

*Mr. and Mrs. Oren and Noemy Skidelsky on the birth of twin grandsons, born to Mr. and Mrs. Noam (class of '12) and Avigayil Skidelsky. Mazel tov to great-grandparents, Mrs. Sharon Skidelsky and Mr. and Mrs. Howard and Shoshana Benditzon.

*Rabbi and Mrs. Josh and Talia Zisook on the birth of their son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Kenneth and Shelley Zisook and Dr. and Mrs. Philip and Aviva Greenland.

*Executive Board Member, Mr. and Mrs. David and Brooke Warso on the birth of their granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron (class of '08) and Nechama Warso. Mazel Tov to the great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard and Pamela Cohen.

Engagements/Marriages

*Board of Trustees Member, Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Lynne Brody on the engagement of their grandson, Moshe Brody, to Bashi Tropper.

*Rabbi and Mrs. Yosef and Basya Cohen on the marriage of their son, Eliyahu to Hadassah Kamins. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin and Myrna Cohen and Mrs. Mindy Giffin.

*Mr. and Dr. Joel and Marni Goldberg on the marriage of their daughter, Reva (class of '14) to Ahron Smolensky. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. June Goldberg, Ms. Sandra Tobin, and Mr. and Mr. David Tobin.

*Mr. and Mrs. Karl and Rochelle Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Mordechai and Zehavah Allen on the engagement of their children, Trevor (class of '05) and Lily.

*Rabbi and Mrs. Yehuda and Shani Nadoff on the engagement of their daughter, Chaya, to Eliezer Keller.

*Rabbi and Mrs. Chaim and Renee Russell on the marriage of their granddaughter, Ashira, to Yossi Jacobson.

Bar/Bas Mitzvahs

*Mr. and Mrs. Eli and Baila Berkovich on the upcoming Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Rivka, Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Estella Berkovich and Dr. and Mrs. Michael and Basya Schwarcz.

*Board of Trustees Member, Dr. and Mrs. Gary and Cheryl Hoberman on the Bas Mitzvah of their granddaughter. Mazel Tov to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellie and Ashley (class of '98) Klapper.

*Mr. and Mrs. Jay and Cindy Meystel and Dr. and Mrs. Robert and Ellen Friedman on the recent Bar Mitzvah of their grandson, Gershon Friedman.

*Mr. and Mrs. Reuven and Raanana Stein on the upcoming Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Yardana. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Esther Stein and Vaad Hachinuch Member, Rabbi and Mrs. Leonard and Margaret Matanky; and great-grandmothers, Mrs. Naomi Jacobson, Mrs. Trude Matanky and Mrs. Bernice Novick.

The Arie Crown Family would like to express condolences to:

*Mrs. Elizabeth Shapiro, Rabbi Hillel and Morah Leah Shapiro, and Rabbi Shmuel and Mrs. Naomi Sutton on the loss of their husband

and father, Arie Crown's revered Principal Emeritus, Rabbi Meir Shapiro, z"l. For four decades, Rebbe, as he was affectionately known to thousands, molded our great Mosad HaTorah into one of the most respected Jewish Day Schools in the United States and beyond. Shiva is at the Shapiro Residence, 6833 North Kedzie Ave., Unit 315, in Chicago. Mrs. Shapiro will be sitting Shiva until Erev Shabbos at 3 PM. Mr. Hillel Shapiro will be sitting shiva until Tuesday morning. Minyanim: Shacharis 7:30 AM; Mincha 4:10 PM.

HaMakom Yenachem Eschem B'soch Sh'ar Aveilei Tzion

V'Yerushalayim

Community Announcements

Discover Ida Crown Jewish Academy (ICJA) at our Open House, Wed., Nov. 17, at 7 p.m.! 7th and 8th grade students are invited to tour ICJA's state of the art building, meet our award-winning teachers, connect with fellow students and families, and learn what ICJA has to offer you. With our stellar Judaic studies, top-level academics, over 50 student clubs and sports teams, YU Kollel programs on site, robust community service programs, exciting student activities and warm nurturing atmosphere, ICJA has something for everyone. Explore what ICJA has to offer you! For more information and to sign up, go to our website at www.icja.org.

Ladies, come join us at the new, state of the art, United Bikur Cholim kitchen. We want YOU to come help prepare, cook and package kosher meals. In conjunction with Chicago Mitzvah Campaigns, Chicago Chesed Fund and Chai Lifeline, the UBC Kitchen will now be providing meals to a much larger community and the on-site senior center. Please be part of the movement and SIGN UP! www.ubckitchen.com. Access code ***UBCK.

Mazel Tov Bas Mitzvah girls!! Come learn with Mrs. Aviva Lopin to make your day even more special. Speech included – zoom or in-person available. Call/Whatsapp 773-405-3656. (I have years of experience in multiple schools and camps).

BSD SWIM SCHOOL is now accepting new students for the fall and winter. Under the leadership of acclaimed international swim instructor Yossi Dafner. All lessons are taught with a new proven method that focuses on high quality lessons and sharp skill building. Students learn FAST to become water safe. Instructor has taught over 3000 kids already how to be water safe. Please call or text 773-234-2939. Also offering lessons for girls with an experienced female swimming instructor.

Live your Summer at Camp Maayan (4-10th grade girls) and Camp Matzav (4-10th grade boys)! \$200 early bird discount ends November 15th. Bring your friends and have the summer of your life! mmwcamps.com; 847-440-4940.

All 7th and 8th grade girls are invited to the first GNOL Jr (Girls' Night Out Learning Jr.) of the year! Join girls from different schools for an exciting activity and learn about Bein Adam L'Makom and 'Plant the Seeds' to a successful relationship with Hashem. Tuesday, November 16th, 7:00-8:00 p.m. at KINS, 2800 Northshore Ave. Register at <https://forms.gle/E6io7WQLHqLoayNX9> or reach out to Mrs. Nina Silver at Nina.weiss298@gmail.com.

Moshava Ba'ir Chicago has officially opened registration! Following an incredibly successful first summer—we're excited for Year 2! Apply today to get in on the early bird rates: mbc.moshavabair.org.



ידיעות קטנות

Yediots K'taNote



EC CALENDAR

**Wednesday,
November 17**
Picture Day

**Thursday-Friday
November 25-26**
No School - Thanksgiving

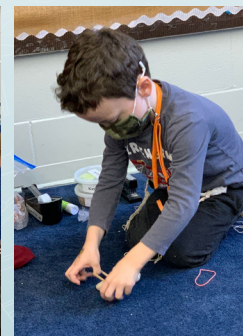
Monday, November 29
No School -
Chanukah Break

Shoshana Safirstein
Early Childhood Director
ssafirstein@ariecrown.org

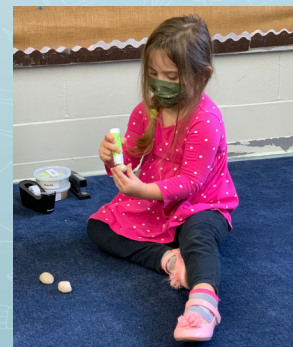
PRE-NURSERY

NURSERY

KINDERGARTEN



The Silver Room Nursery friends learned about how Hashem turned all the rocks around Yaakov Avinu into one big rock. Using a variety of sticky materials, the Yeladim tried their best to make a bunch of rocks into one big rock too, but ultimately they concluded that only Hashem can do things like that! They had lots of fun trying and problem solving!



The Pre Nursery Stay & Play classes loved learning all about BUGS!! We searched for bugs using magnifying glasses, collaged our own artistic bug creations, ate bug themed snacks, painted with fly swatters, and did several bug themed movement activities--both indoors and outdoors!



The Kindergarten Yeladim had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Patach this week. Dr. Patach says "ahh." The Yeladim were very excited about learning their first nekudah. Beginners' reading skills have begun! They have also been busy cutting, gluing, coloring and writing in preparation for Chanukah.



The Kindergarten Yeladim enjoyed working on their muscles in the gross motor room.



In math we used dry erase boards and Unifix Cubes to see "Equals To" in real life.



Have a Good Shabbos!

TAKE A SNEAK PEEK OF

Arie Crown's
NEW
BUILDING & CAMPUS

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A TOUR OF OUR NEW BUILDING
AND TO LEARN ABOUT HOW YOU CAN
MAKE YOUR MARK ON THIS INCREDIBLE PROJECT!

NOVEMBER 14TH & 21ST
10:00AM - 11:30AM

FOLLOWED BY LIGHT REFRESHMENTS



Space is limited!

Please contact Levi Zeffren at lzeffren@ariecrown.org to RSVP

For more information about this landmark effort please visit

www.ShareOurFuture.org

HELP US WISH OUR DEDICATED TEACHERS AND STAFF



The Arie Crown Zira G. Ray PTA is collecting **Chanukah Gelt** from families to show our appreciation for the hard work and efforts of our Rabbeim, Moros, Teachers and Staff this year!

SUGGESTED GIFT:

\$15 FOR FULL DAY STUDENTS

\$10 FOR HALF DAY STUDENTS (PN, N)

STAY 'N PLAY STUDENTS ARE CONSIDERED FULL DAY

DEADLINE IS NOV 24

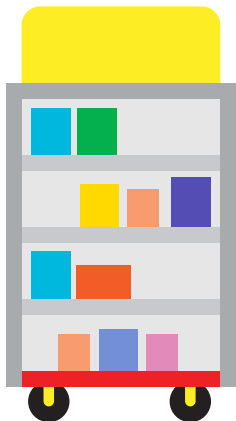
•To contribute online visit:

<http://tinyurl.com/chanukahgelt2021>



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CleanSpeech.com/Illinois

Coming
This
November!

Building Our Community - One Conversation At A Time

With Thanks To Our Ambassador Organizations



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GREAT NEWS! Arie Crown Hebrew Day School has licensed Shazak.com for use exclusively in school premises, with access to every Parsha plus Holidays!

Now, all teachers & students of Arie Crown, can have their own family account - for home use - at a super discount!



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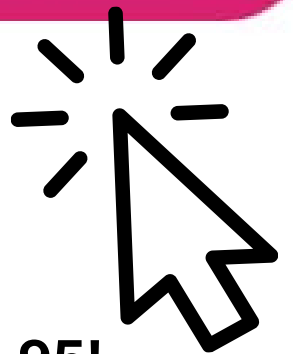
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ASSOCIATED TALMUD TORAHS OF CHICAGO NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

2021 Rabbi Isaac Mayefsky Memorial Lecture

Chicago, IL – November 4, 2021 - On Saturday evening, December 11, 2021 at 8:00 p.m., the Associated Talmud Torahs of Chicago will sponsor the Thirty-Fifth Annual Rabbi Isaac Mayefsky Memorial Lecture. This lecture is dedicated to the memory of Rabbi Isaac Mayefsky, who served the Chicago Jewish community with distinction for more than four decades.

The theme of this year's lecture will be "Raising Resilient Children in a Confusing World" and will be presented by Rabbi Jonathan Rietti, captivating speaker and renowned educator. Rabbi Rietti will address how to enhance relationships with children and how to build a child's resilience in our ever-changing world. He will explore the Torah's timeless and successful parenting prescription. The program will provide parents with skills that can be employed for all children, toddler to teenager.

The Associated Talmud Torahs is the supervisory agency for a network of day schools, high schools, and afternoon Hebrew schools. The agency provides educational programs for Jewish children, lay adults and professionals throughout the Chicagoland area.

The lecture will take place at The Associated Talmud Torahs, ICJA Entrance – 8233 Central Park Avenue in Skokie. Admission is free. For more information, contact the Associated Talmud Torahs at 773-973-2828.

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POGRUND FAMILY Essay Contest

POGRUND FAMILY Judaic Artwork Contest

PRIZE
\$50⁰⁰
check for
each winner

GUIDELINES

- Eligibility: Students in grades 3-12 who attend an ATT school
- Maximum # of Entries: 1 Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork entry and 1 Pogrund Family Essay entry per student
- Written Essays may be submitted by:
 - MAIL: 3531 Madison Street, Skokie, IL 60076
 - EMAIL: pogrundfamilyessayart@att.org
 - ONLINE: Go to <https://www.att.org/essay-contest/>
- Artwork should be hand delivered to the ATT at 3531 Madison Street, Skokie, IL 60076

SEE CONTEST RULES:

- Pogrund Family Essay Rules: Visit <https://www.att.org/essay-contest/>
- Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork Rules: Visit <https://www.att.org/judaic-artwork-contest/>

For more information, visit <https://www.att.org> → Student Programs → Student Contests or call the ATT office: 773-973-2828

GOALS

- To encourage students to do research in their preferred Judaic area of interest for written essay or on what chesed means to me for artwork
- To explain the relevance of Torah/chesed to all aspects of life
- To allow students the opportunity of strengthening their commitment to Judaism through writing and/or art
- To provide a platform for students to express their creativity using writing /art

DEADLINE:
THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 2022
BY 5:00 PM

FOR YOUR TEACHERS. FOR YOUR CHILDREN.