



#### Luach

Friday, December 27

Candle Lighting Time: 4:06 PM

Shabbos, December 28

Shabbos Parshas Mikeitz

Shabbos Chanukah; Rosh Chodesh

Teves—Day 1

Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema: 9:35 AM

Sunday, December 29
Rosh Chodesh Teves—Day 2
8th Night of Chanukah

#### **Upcoming Events**

<u>Friday-Sunday, December 27-29</u> No School—Shabbos Chanukah

Wednesday, , January 1
No School—New Year's

### **HOT LUNCHES:**

Monday, Dec. 30 Chicken Fingers

Tuesday, Dec. 31 Pizza

Wednesday, Jan. 1 No School Thursday, Jan. 2 Baked Ziti

### Faculty Chanukah Luncheon

The PTA extends a tremendous thank you to all of our parent volunteers that made this year's Chanukah Luncheon a great success!

The decor was beautiful and festive, the food was plentiful

and delicious, and Rabbi Samber spoke beautifully about Chanukah and our amazing Rebbes, Moros, Teachers and school wide staff.

Thank you to all who made it so special:

Chanukah Luncheon Committee - Lori Miller, Shira Ninio, Ami Sommer and Raanana Stein.

Volunteers - Zach Appel, Chava Avner, Marni Goldberg, Ronit Gutnicki, Nicole Kremer, Becky Levi, Shuli Popel, and Melissa Shabat.

Early Childhood Chanukah Luncheon Committee - Sarah Kleinman, Ilana Perl, Brooke Schneider, and Julie Weiss.

Also a huge Yasher

Koach to Staci Aronson and Meir Belsh on organizing all the parent volunteers to be in the classrooms. A super job well done! Thank you!

A big thank you to Rucky Aronin for all of your creativity and hard work behind the scenes.

And to our incredible PTA treasurer, Eli Kalutsky, — THANK YOU for organizing all of the gifts from the parents.

### 4th Grade News

By Ella Kohn, Avigail Goldberg, and Daniella Brenner

In Mrs. Dubovick's Kittah Daled we are having Chanukah party. It will be at Mrs. Dubovick's house on Motzei Shabbos the 7th night of Chanukah. We are also lookina forward to our first Chumash Siyum and it will take place

Mrs.

in





Dubovick's Kittah Daled classroom on Wednesday. This week we had no keywords or lvrit tests. We also made a Chanukah sticker project and it was so fun! We also are starting to know more and more Shiras Devorah tunes and it is so much fun getting together with Mrs. Reiss's class. In Ms. Karen Benezra's class we had a Chanukah/b-day party. We will be having another Rosh Chodesh store on the last day of Chanukah. We played a fun balloon Chanukah game in class. Don't forget to add in to your davening Al Hanisim and Hallel. Have a great Chanukah and an awesome Shabbos Chanukah.





### 8th Grade News

By Mrs. Krinsky and the 8th grade girls

Here are pictures from our trip to the Skokie Library! Overall, the trip was a success. huge listened to a special presentation from one of the librarians; she taught us how to use Skokie library system and how check out

books. The girls were able to check out books for their upcoming research projects.









## Kindergarten and 1st Grade News

By Ms. Kessel and Mrs. Shechter

Ms. Kessel's first grade boys read non-fiction books to Mrs. Shechter's kindergarten class. We are so proud of our first grade boys and the kindergarteners were a wonderful audience.









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#### MIDDOS MATTER CORNER



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

### \* \* \* \* \* MIDDOS MATTER ALL STARS!! \* \* \* \*

As part of our new Middos Matter program, teachers have been writing Middos Matter tokens for students showing off their Respectful, Responsible and Safe behaviors around school. Every week, we randomly select 10 students from the All Stars to see Rabbi Samber and receive a small prize. Congratulations to last week's winners!

### We collected sooooo many Matter tickets this year already! WOW!

Congratulations to last week's

All-Star winners!

Naftali Belsky (1B)

Mina Brandes (6G)

Avigavil Bugay (7G)

Shalom Chinn (7B)

Yisrael Fedida (2B)

Yonit Finestone (5G)

Yonatan Lesser (5B)

Zehava Piltz (7G)

Nechama Richman (3G)

Luelle Stern (4G)

Congratulations to our

Golden Ticket faculty winners last week!

Mrs. Elana Dubovick and Mrs. Miriam Prero!

### THANK YOU!



A huge thank you to Rochie Porush, Ronit Gutinicki, Ruki Halpert, Rivkie Greenland, Avigail Garden and Leora Strick for your time, energy, and efforts coordinating the Grandparent Chanukah mailing. We appreciate you going above and beyond on this amazing project!

### **CHANUKAH UNPLUGGED**



Chanukah Unplugged! Arie Crown is very excited to once again be running our "unplugged" program this Chanukah.

We are encouraging everyone to utilize the time that the Chanukah candles are burning to unplug from electronics, and plug in to their family as we focus on the themes of Chanukah - Lehodos U'lehalel, giving praise and thanks to Hashem!

Unfortunately, some of the unplugged boxes were lost in transit, so a number of students brought home the information in a bag. Thank you for your patience and flexibility, and please still participate!!

We look forward to another successful year of making our simchas Chanukah more meaningful!

#### DAY OF LEARNING

Wednesday's learning, December 18—20 Kislev, is dedicated in memory of Horav Avrohom Chaim Levin ZT"L, הרב אברהם חיים הלוי זצ"ל בן אליעזר הלוי זצ"ל.

Thank you to **The Goldman Family** for dedicating Wednesday's learning, December 18—20 Kislev, in loving memory of **Wendy Goldman, Zelpa Masha bas Avraham Chaim A"H**.

Thank you to Sammy, Ezra, and Yosef Lebovics for sponsoring Thursday's learning, December 19—21 Kislev, in loving memory of R' Kalman Moshe ben Reuven Avigdor A"H. May his neshama have an Aliya. By his grandchildren.

Friday's learning, December 20—22 Kislev, is dedicated in loving memory of Rabbi Jack Shapiro, Yaakov Shmuel ben Zorach A"H, on the occasion of his 2nd Yahrzeit. May his neshama have an aliyah. By his family.

Thank you to **Yocheved and Hudi Appel & family** for sponsoring Monday's learning, December 23—25 Kislev, is sponsored in memory of our dear grandfather and greatgrandfather, **Henry Nosson Ben Rachel A"H**, on his shloshim. May his neshama have an Aliya.

To sponsor a day or week of learning, please contact Sam Medow in the Business Office. Thank you.

# ATT POGRUND FAMILY JUDAIC ARTWORK AND ESSAY CONTESTS





The ATT proudly announces this year's Pogrund Family Essay & Judaic Artwork Contests for students, grades 3-12, of its affiliated schools. Funded through the generosity of the Pogrund Family, the contests provide students the opportunity to demonstrate their creativity, ability to research Jewish topics, and to express themselves through writing/art. Deadline for essay/art submission is Thursday, January 30, 2020. See Essay & Judaic Artwork Contest CLICK HERE for the rules or call 773-973-2828. Flier attached.

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

### <u>Births</u>

\*Mr. and Mrs. Morris and Malka Loterstein on the birth of their granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron (class of '00) and Rachel Loterstein.

### **Engagements/Marriages**

\*Rabbi and Mrs. Yechezkel and Rivkie Fried on the engagement of their daughter, Shoshana, to Yitzchok Wrona. Mazel Tov to the grandmothers, Mrs. Sara Baver and Mrs. Miriam Baver.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Frank and Susan Kleinerman on the engagement of their son, Harry (class of '10), to Esther Schwartz.

\*Rabbi and Mrs. Ben Dov and Debby Leibenstein on the engagement of their granddaughter, Shoshana, daughter of Rabbi and Mrs. Levi Leibenstein, to Avrohom Kupetz.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Arnie and Janice Levitan on the engagement of their daughter, Sarah (class of '11) to Jeffrey Gaynes of Chicago. Mazel Tov to the grandmother, Mrs. Bette Anderson.

\*Rabbi and Mrs. Yehuda and Shani Nadoff on the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Menucha, to Chezkel Langsam.



### **Community Announcements**

Snacks2go is your one-stop shop for all your serving-size snacks! We carry a full line of Wise, Herr's, Jays, and Krunchers! Pretzels too! Check out all our choices at <a href="https://www.snacks2gokosher.com">www.snacks2gokosher.com</a>!! Happy Kids=Happy Moms!!

Looking for a playgroup for your two year old? At Little Grownups we boast a beautiful facility, with centers such as dramatic play, sensory, manipulatives, quiet corner, blocks and trucks, and writing and art. Plus an outdoor playground and a heated indoor biking area. Registration is open for year 2020-2021.To get a tour or to register call Estie Wolf @ 917-324-2356. Based on the Arie Crown school calendar.

Maayan Midwest would like to thank all of you who danced with us at our amazing Dance Party! There was a pearl bracelet that was found at the party please call the office to claim it. To apply for camp or find out more information please call us at 847-440-4940 or visit campmaayan.com. Priority scholarship funding for Chicago families ends January 31.

Parshas Mikeitz 28 Kisley 5780 December 26. 2019



# ידיעות קטנות Yediot K'taNote

Pre Nursery Nursery Kindergarten

### **EC** Calendar

Wednesday, Jan. 1 No School

Friday, Jan. 17-Sunday, Jan. 26 No School-Winter Break

Shoshana Safirstein
Early Childhood Director
ssafirstein@ariecrown.org











Dear Rebbeim, Moros, Teachers, Staff, and Administration,

The PTA and the following families want to express their thanks to all of you who give so much to our children. Your hard work and efforts better the lives of our children and for that we cannot thank you enough.

### Happy Chanukah! Robyn Cohen and Tami Drapkin, Presidents Chani Isenberg, Vice President

Happy Chanukah! Miriam, Shelly

& Yair Aberman

David & Adina Aberman and Meir

Sarah, Schuyler, Eliana, and Yehuda Abrams

Tal and Daniella Adar

Srully and Tzivia Allswang and family

The Altman Family

Hudi & Yocheved Appel & family

Emma and Maya Appel Applebaum Family Alita Arnold

Dovid & Rucky Aronin Adam and Chevi Aronson

Thank you for hard work, Boruch, Staci, Sara,

and Ari Aronson Etiel Atkin

The Babani Family
The Barnatan Family
Barnett Family

Nochum, Sharona, and Yehuda Aryeh Bauman

David & Yocheved Bechhofer

Avigayil Bejar The Belsh Family

Moshe Ben-Porat and family

Happy Chanukah!

Best Wishes, The Bereliani Family

Eli & Baila Berkovich ZC Berkovich

Moishe and Nechama Berkovits

The Berkovits Family
The Berkowitz Family

Etan and Rifi Bleichman and Family

Esther Blisko Hindy Bogachkov

Frelichen Chanukah! Thank you for everything you do and instill in our children

everyday!

Fondly, The Bokors

Happy Chanuka! Reuven and Nechama Brand

and family

The Brandes Family

Thank you for all that you do! Naftali and menucha Brenner

Tani Bresler

Ariel, Tamar, Chavi, Mia, and Mali Campbell

The Carlsen Family
The Carmen Family
Allyson Center and Family
Hirsch and Bryna Chinn

Avigayil, Ella & Bayla Cohen

**Avital Cohen** 

Benji, Batyah and Danya Cohen Elliot & Shoshanah Cohen (Shalom Tzvi,

Chaya, Bracha, Binyamin Aryeh, Yehudah)

Ezra Cohen Nava Cohen

Tzvi & Nechama Cooper & Family Chag Chanukkah Samayach! From: Mishpachat Dallal

Dayan Family

The DeAngelis Family The Dimbert Family Dissen Family

Orli Drapkin

Chaim and Chana Dubovick

Noson & Elana Dubovick and Family

Michael and Keren Dukes

Family Ebert

Arianna Emanuel

Natan Eisenberg and Family

Shmuel & Sori Estersohn The Fagan Family The Fedida Family Yanky and Huvie Feiler

Mr. and Mrs. Roger and Julie Feinberg

Arielle Feldman

Elchanan & Aliza Finestone Motty & Dassie Finkel Jordan, Sara and Yoni Fox Aliza and Aaron Fox

The Fox Family
The Frank Family

Tzvi and Orah Frankenthal and Kids Adam and Cindy Freed & Family Moishe and Liz Freedman & Family Dovid and Chammie Freedman & Family

The Fried Family

Dovid & Shosh Friedman & Family

Happy Channukah from Goldie and Shlomo

Rivkah and Max Friedman Yehuda Friedman and Family

Yehuda and Rivkie Friedman and Family

Melissa and Jake Gabay Shira & Ezra Galston

Binyamin and Chaya Garden and family Doni and Rivka Garden and Family Tzvi and Avigayil Garden and Family Yaakov and Debbie Garfinkel and Family Maurice & Tova Garfinkel and Family Channie, Asher and Alex Gelerinter Rabbi Shaanan & Tziporah Gelman

Tova Gerstein
The Gertsberg Family

Gertz Family

Michael and Lisa Glass and Jonah

The Glatz Famly

Adam and Chaili Glickman

Goizman Family Golber family

Dovid & Devorah Goldberg and Family Freddie and Orlit Goldman and family

Yonah and Talia Goldman

Yoni and Hally Goldstein & Family

Chaim and Yocheved Goldwag and Family

Meira Gottesman

Happy Chanuka from the Gottlieb Family

The Goykhman Family Meira Greenberg and Family

Happy Channuka from the Greenberg Family

(Yosef and Gracie)

Dani Greenland and Family

The Grilli Family
The Grunfeld Family
The Gubin Family
Abie and Ronit Gutnicki

Shimmy, Benny, Eli and Rafi Halpert

Happy Chanukah!! So grateful for all you do

to give Sonny a great year.

Kol hakavod David and Chaya Tova Hartman Happy Chanukah and Thank You for all that you continuously do! Mark, Penina, Aaron, JJ,

Asher and Shaya Hartman

Dina and Jeremy Hartstein and Family

The Heifetz Family The Herman family The Hoberman Family

Bradley Holman and Jodi Holman

Zack and Ayelet Horovicz The Hunter Family The Ida Family

Happy Chanukah! Love, The Isenberg Family

Mimi and Eliyahu Isenberg The Jakubowski Family Jankovits Family Shevy Joseph Lani and Levi Kahn

Eli & Heidi Kalman

Yossi and Goldy Kalman and family Meyerson Yosef Shapiro and Family Chaim and Naomi Kalman & Family The Meystel Family Eli and Naomi Shicker and Family The Kalutsky Family Happy Chanukah! From, Aviva, Noah, Shia & The Shulman Family Benjy, Elana, Zecharya & Ami Kandelman Levi Miller Todd, Rachel, Zehavi and Michal Rina Siegal Rochel Reva Kantrowitz Jody Miller The Silverman Family Aaron, Malka, Yonatan, Hadar, Ayelet and Phil and Rachie Karesh and family Miretzky Family Josh & Tamar Mishkin and Family The Kark Family **Gavriel Simkovich** AY and Molly Karsh Rabbi Levi and Yifat Mostofsky Chaim Simon and Family Chana Katz Tova Nathan The Smolarcik Family The Keener Family **Neikrug Family** The Sommer Family Keren family The Ninio Family Aryeh and Shoshana Sova Eliana, Levi, Aliza, Baila, Angela and Michael **Ruthie Novit** The Spector Family Ari and Sarah Nussbaum and family Thank you for all you support and dedication. Khvilovsky Happy Chanukah! The Spero family Beth Kirshner Miraim Osgood & Family The Kirshner Family Jude Ovitsky Happy Chanukah! Kevin, Rena, Yair and Liam Ovitsky **Shalom Spiegel** Sara Kirshner The Klein Family Gavriela Panner The Sprung Family The Kleinerman Family From Yonah and Ahuva Peikes and Family Leeya Starck, Ayden Starck, Raanan Starck Happy Chanukah!!! Thank you for all your David and Beth Perkel and Family Avi and Deena Stein The Perl Family hard work. We really mean it. Raanana and Reuven Stein and family Hershel & Rivka Kleinman The Perkins Family Mitchell and Dara Steinberg and Family Happy Chanukah! Eli, Ayelet, Yehoshua, and Jeff, Rivkie, & Yehuda Boruch Perman To the amazing teachers, administration, and Talia Kleinman The Piltz Family support staff- thank you for all that you do to Yehuda & Sarah Kleinman (Nava) Mashi and Yehuda Polstein enrich our children's lives! Happy Channuka! best wishes, The Kohanchi Moshe and Tzippy Polstein Todd & Raphaela Stern Sammy Polster Nava Strick Mr. and Mrs. Babak Kohanpour Efrem Popel With much appreciation, the Strusmans Asher and Shalva Kohn and Family The Porush family Elisha Sturmwind Lena & Gavriel Prero Shari Kohn & family Suss kids The Kolsky Family Thank you for all of your hard work and Cara and Moshe Sweet Rivka and Chana Kost patience! I love school! Love, Daliah Prero Talyansky family Raccah Family Gregory & Lena Titievsky Shirelle Kost Lynn and Aaron Kraft and family The Rapoport Family The Trilisky Family Nicolette Kremer The Rashkow Family Allison Troppe The Kroll Family Malka and Ari Reich Turk family Mordy and Atara Turoff and Family Lilly Kucher The Reifer Family Bracha Kupchik Mindy and Rabbi Yona Reiss, Yishai and Vladimirskiy Family Noah Landman Avelet The Volkov Family The Landsman Family Perel & Daveed Rine & Family The Volkowitz Family David and Brooke Warso Chemda Lazovsky Noah and Marnina Rosen & Family Lebedinsky Family Josh and Michal Rosen & Family The Wechslers Sammy, Ezra and Yosef Lebovics and their Yitzy and Emmie Rosenblum The Weil Family grateful parents Shoshi and Josh Ross and family Avigail Weiss and Aryeh Weiss Daniel, Tova, Eitan and Yishai Rubin Mordy & Mindy Lebovics Julie Weiss Ari, Leah, JJ and Caleb Lebowicz The Rubin Family Yoni and Tzippy Wengrow Happy Chanukah from the Lehrfield family. Boruch and Rissel Russell and Family The Wexler Family The Leibtag Family Shoshana and Yoni Safirstein and family Rafael and Shira Wiesenberg Moishe and Yocheved Safrin Yonatan Lesser Geoff and Shira Winner The Samberg Family The Wittlin Family Lev Family Dovid & Bruchie & Mordechai Levi Anaelle Wolf

Sarah & Yehuda Wolper The Yeverovich Family Michael and Yael Zahtz

From Kira Zeffren and family. Thanks for a

great year

Leah Zelden and Family

Dovid and Estee Zigun, Moshe's appreciative

parents

Talia and Josh Zisook David and Mindi Zissman Leah Raizel Zysman

Jonah Levinson The Loberant Family Happy Chanukah from the London Family Wendy Margolin Moshe & Shoshana Marshak and Family Miri Mashiach & Family Yaacov, Esther and Devorah Mashiach Elimelech & Tari Mayer The Medow Family The Mermelstein Family

Noa Levi

Adina, Carla and Jim Levine

Daphna Levinson and Family

Yardana, Danya and Lev Schayer

**Ayelet Schayer** 

Avigail and Eitan, Ella and Micah Schechter Thank you for all you do! Love, Yali Schneider

The Schnell Family

Thank you! Jay and Chana Malka Schultz

Avi and Faygie Schwartz The Schwimmer Family Rivka Shabat Family **Shaul Shabat** 

Thank you! Happy Chanukah! The Shabat's (Aviva & Shimmy) **Gedalya and Tamar Shames** 

Yisrael and Elana Shapiro



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# Pogrund Family Essay Contest

# Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork Contest

## GOALS

- To encourage students to do research in their preferred Judaic area of interest for written essay or on a chag for artwork
- To explain the relevance of Torah/chag 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

### **GUIDELINES**

- 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: pogrundessayart@att.org ONLINE: Go to http://www2.att.org/Pogrund-Family-Essay-Contest-Rules-1
- Artwork should be hand delivered to the ATT at 3531 Madison Street, Skokie, IL 60076

### **SEE CONTEST RULES:**

- ☆ Pogrund Family Essay Rules: Visit http://www2.att.org/Pogrund-Family-Essay-Contest-Rules-1
- Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork Rules: Visit http://www2.att.org/pogrund-family-judaicartwork-contest-rules

For more information, http://www2.att.org/news-announcements-1?aid=240 or call the ATT office: 773-973-2828

### **Deadline:**

Thursday, January 30, 2020, by 5:00 p.m.





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