



Yediots

WHERE MIDDOS AND LEARNING ARE LINKED TOGETHER

4th Grade News

By Gila Altman, Shaina Dubovick, and Rivka Fox

This week in Mrs. Dubovick's Kitah Daled, we are practicing a lot for our big Shiras Devorah performance. We will be performing, IY"H, on Tuesday, January 12. Each day we go to the Bais Medrash to practice in our positions. We have also been learning motions for the tunes. We are looking forward to getting our parts/solos next week, IY"H! We are all so excited for this big performance. (See pictures of us practicing.)

We started our new cumulative section of Ivrit words with list #9. It almost felt like the beginning of the year. This week we are up to list #10 and doing really well in Ivrit.

We finished Perek Gimmel in Chumash and had a Chumash quiz on Wednesday. We are looking forward to preparing for our first Chumash Siyum this year, next week, IY"H.

Baruch Hashem we had 100% attendance on Tuesday and Wednesday this week and are so happy that Baruch Hashem, everyone's feeling well. Thank you Hashem!

Have a good Shabbos!

P.S. We are really excited last Thursday when Student Council broke out Erev Shira 2021. Can't wait!!



Luach

Friday, January 1

Candle Lighting Time: 4:11 PM

Shabbos, January 2

Shabbos Parshas Vayechi

Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema: 9:37AM

Upcoming Events

Friday, January 1

No School—New Year's Day

WINTER ADVISORY



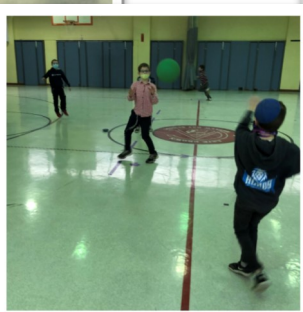
It's winter! We'll continue to have outdoor recess as often as possible unless it is raining or extremely cold. Please send your children with warm coats, hats, gloves, and boots. For little ones, an extra set of clothes to keep in their locker is a great idea. Please label everything. Thanks for your help!

Physical Education News

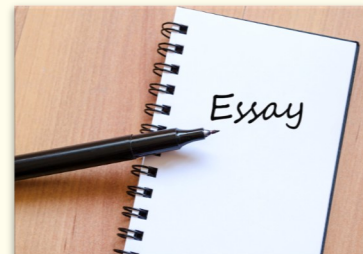
By Mrs. Jedd and Mrs. Meged

What happens when you combine the elements of kickball and basketball at Arie Crown? Lots of energy and fun!

Students have renamed this game "Kisketball" or "Kisket" for short. Just ask any 4th through 8th grader. Rules vary based on grade level.



ATT POGRUND FAMILY JUDAIC ARTWORK AND ESSAY CONTESTS



Attention ATT students in Grades 3-12! Only a few weeks left to participate in the ATT's Pogrud Family Judaic Artwork and Essay Contests. Deadline for artwork/essay submission is Wednesday, January 27, 2021, by 5:00pm. Sponsored by the Pogrud Family, the contest provides students the opportunity to demonstrate their art/writing skills as they explore a Jewish topic. FOR ARTWORK/ESSAY RULES AND GUIDELINES, visit www.att.org → Student Programs or call ATT at 773-973-2828.

DAY OF LEARNING

Thank you to **Erica and Jeremy Simon** for sponsoring Thursday's learning and activities at ACHDS, December 24—9 Teves, in loving memory of **Ronald Simon a"h, חיים ראובן שלמה בן שבח אליעזר ע"ה**. Grandfather of Chaim Simon, עמו"ש and many other current, past, and future ACHDS students, IY"H. May his neshama continue to have an aliya and may he continue to be a Malitz Yosher for his family and for all of Klal Yisroel.

Thank you to **The Garden and Wengrow Families** for dedicating Sunday's learning, December 27—12 Teves, in memory of **Mr. Adolph Weiss a"h, אברהם משה בן דוד מנחם**. Beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather on the occasion of his third yahrzeit on י"ב טבת. May his neshama have an Aliyah.

Thank you to **The Administration, Board of Directors, Staff and Students of Arie Crown Hebrew Day School** for dedicating Sunday's learning, December 27—12 Teves, in memory of **Mr. Emanuel Ray z"l**, a pillar of Arie Crown Hebrew Day School. May his neshama have an Aliyah.

Thank you to **Tzvi Yaakov, Rifka, Eliyahu, Shalva, and Eliana Miretzky** for dedicating Tuesday's learning, December 29—14 Teves, in memory of **Gershon Wieder** on his Yartzeit, **Gershon Ben Yaakov Tzvi, z"l**. May His Neshama Have an Aliyah.

Thank you to **The Administration, Board of Directors, Staff and Students of Arie Crown Hebrew Day School** for dedicating Wednesday's learning, December 30—15 Teves, in everlasting memory of a pillar of Arie Crown Hebrew Day School, **Mrs. Shirley Rothner a"h, שרה ריבה בת יעקב צבי הכהן ופריידה מלכה**. May her neshama have an aliya.

Wednesday's learning, December 30—15 Teves, is dedicated in loving memory of **HaRav Yehuda Leib ben Yosef a"h** (Otherwise known as Rabbi Zayde) on the occasion of his yahrzeit. May his neshama have an Aliyah. By **His Great-Grandchildren**.

Dedicating a day of learning at Arie Crown is a meaningful way to commemorate a Yartzeit, merit a Refuah Shaleima, 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. 611.

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

*Rabbi and Mrs. Yaakov (class of '05) and Racheli (class of '04) Roth on the birth of their daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel and Julia Roth and Board of Trustees and Vaad Hachinuch Member, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie and Jessica Weiss; and to the great-grandparents, Mrs. Pauline Roth, Mrs. Lisa Weiss, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert and Martha Goldsmith.

*Mrs. Esther Ehrlich on the birth of her granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Yoni and Relly (class of '09) Raskin.

*Board of Trustees Member, Mr. and Mrs. Barry and Harriet Ray on the birth of their great-granddaughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Dovid and Dassi Wohlgelernter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Shua and Tybi Ray.

Engagements/Marriages

*Board of Trustees Member, Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Lynne Brody on the engagement of their granddaughter.

*Mr. and Mrs. Joseph and Laura Greer and Mr. Evan Lafer on the engagement of their son, Zev (class of '12) Lafer to Hadar Karavani.

Bar/Bas Mitzvahs

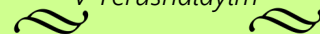
*Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin and Shoshana Neikrug on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Naftali. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Leonard and Margaret Matanky; and to the great-grandparents, Mrs. Trude Matanky and Mrs. Bernice Novick.

The Arie Crown Family would like to express condolences to:

*Mrs. Jenny Jacobson (past Arie Crown parent), Mrs. Elizabeth Farr, Mr. Kevin Klein, Mr. David Klein and Mrs. Judy Greenspon on the loss of their mother and sister, Mrs. Barbara Klein, a"h.

*Mrs. Sharyl Ross (past Arie Crown parent) on the loss of her father, Carl Fischman, a"h.

*HaMakom Yenachem Eschem B'soch Sh'ar Aveilei Tzion
V'Yerushalayim*



Community Announcements

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ידיעות קטנות Yediot K'taNote

PreNursery Nursery Kindergarten

EC Calendar

Jan. 15-Jan. 24

Winter Break

Jan. 25-27

Remote Learning Days

Shoshana Safirstein

Early Childhood Director

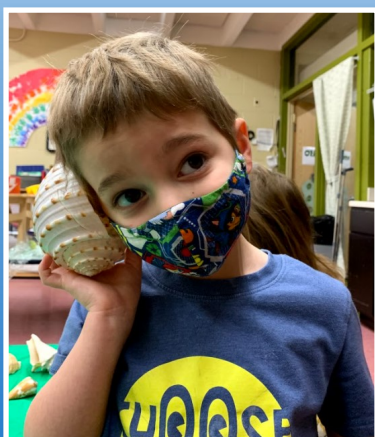
ssafirstein@ariecrown.org

Reminder: All Yeladim need a coat, hat, gloves, boots, and snow pants. All items must be labeled. Thank you!

The Yeladim enjoy the first snowfall of the season!

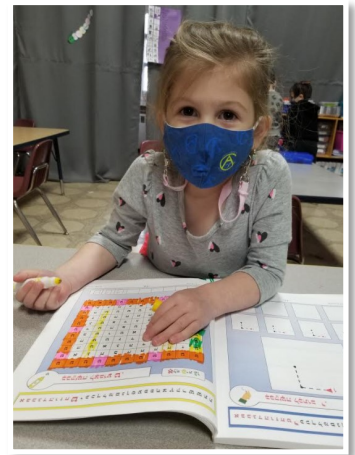
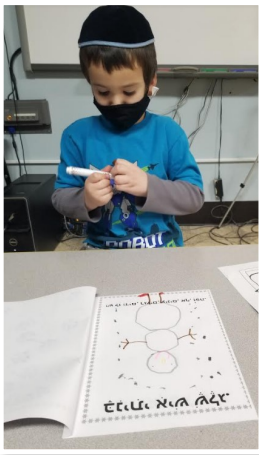


Pre-Nursery Stay & Play has fun with Ocean Week!



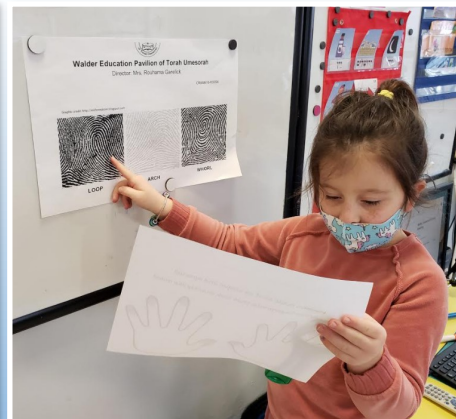
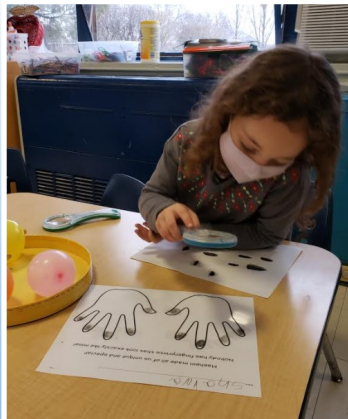
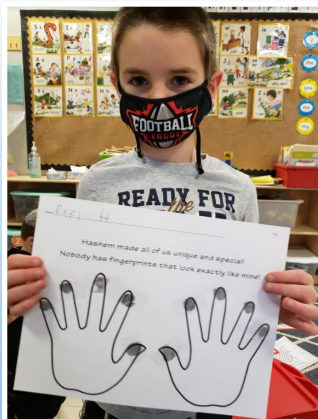
Kindergarten continues learning about *bigdei choref*/winter clothing

The Yeladim painted and added accents to the *meil*/coat for their *ish sheleg*/snowman.



Kindergarten learns about fingerprints

In Parshas Vayechi, we learned that Yaakov gave a different bracha to each of his sons since each one was unique. We discussed what makes each of us special and investigated the one thing that is different in every person - fingerprints! We tested our prints to see which of the three main types we had on our fingers using a pencil, paper, clear tape, and a magnifying glass for observations. We "lifted" our prints and put them on paper to compare. We also tried it using a stamp pad and balloons. We are becoming scientists!



The Nursery yeladim learned about the special bracha of *Hamalach Hagoel* that many children say before going to sleep. They created signs to hang by their beds featuring themselves sleeping under a cozy, patchwork blanket.



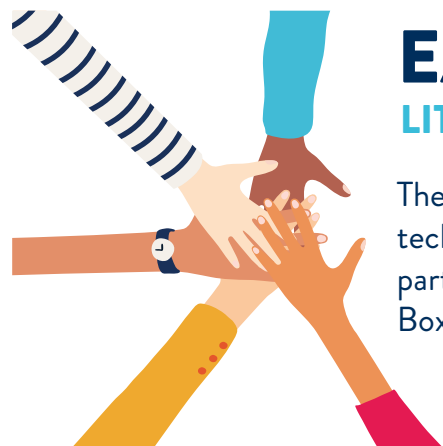
January 2021

Main Calendar

Compact Mode

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	31	1 No School - New Years Day 4:11p Candle Lighting Time	2 Shabbos Parshas Vayechi 9:37a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
3	4	5	6	7	8 4:17p Candle Lighting Time	9 Shabbos Parshas Shemos; Shabbos Mevorchim 9:38a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
10 Chez Crown (Tentative)	11	12	13	14 Rosh Chodesh Shevat 9:00a 4G Shiras Devorah Program	15 No School - Winter Vacation 4:25p Candle Lighting Time	16 → No School - Winter Vacation Shabbos Parshas Va'eira 9:38a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
17 → No School - Winter Vacation	18 → No School - Winter Vacation	19 → No School - Winter Vacation	20 → No School - Winter Vacation	21 → No School - Winter Vacation	22 → No School - Winter Vacation 4:34p Candle Lighting Time	23 → No School - Winter Vacation Shabbos Parshas Bo 9:37a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
24 → No School - Winter Vacation	25 School Resumes	26	27	28 Tu B'Shvat	29 4:42p Candle Lighting Time	30 Shabbos Parshas Beshalach 9:35a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
31	1	2	3	4	5 4:51p Candle Lighting Time	6 Shabbos Parshas Yisro; Shabbos Mevorchim 9:31a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema

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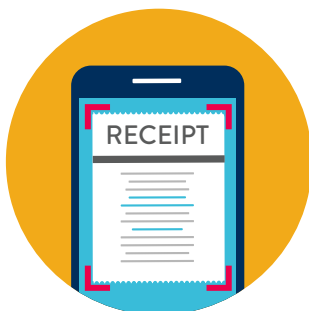
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POGRUND FAMILY Essay Contest

POGRUND FAMILY Judaic Artwork Contest

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: pogrundessayart@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

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

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 or call the ATT office: 773-973-2828

Deadline: Wednesday, January 27, 2021 by 5:00 p.m.

**PRIZE
\$5000**
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each
winner

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