



Yedirot

WHERE MIDDOS AND LEARNING ARE LINKED TOGETHER

Mrs. Leonard's 2G class show off the amazing tree pictures that they made in art!



Luach

Friday, December 31

Candle Lighting Time: 4:10 PM

Shabbos, January 1

Shabbos Parshas Va'eira;

Shabbos Mevorchim

Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema: 9:37 AM

Monday, January 3

Rosh Chodesh Shevat

Upcoming Events

Friday, December 31

No School—New Year's Break

Tuesday, January 4

Kindergarten Open House

NEW AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS



Walder Science is offering
After-School Science Builders
at Arie Crown for grades 6-8!

Please see the attached fliers for more information!

Hot Lunches:

Monday, Jan. 3 Hamburger

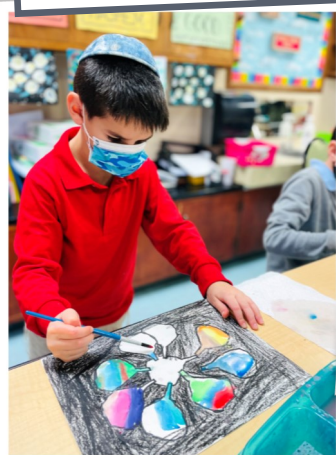
Tuesday, Jan. 4 Baked Potato

Wednesday, Jan. 5 Chicken Fingers

Thursday, Jan. 6 Baked Ziti

Friday, Jan. 7 Pizza

"Emunah Through Art"



ARIE CROWN DISCOUNT CARD



The Arie Crown Discount card has arrived and is now available for purchase. Help raise money for our PTA and receive great discounts at the same time! Many of your favorite local stores are included, from bakeries to restaurants to florists and so much more! For more information or to purchase your discount card, please email Hally Goldstein at Hallygoldstein@gmail.com or contact the Arie Crown office. Discount card is \$15.

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



EXPRESS YOURSELF! Enter the Pogrud Family Essay and Judaic Artwork Contests!

Use your creative skills to explore a Judaic topic via the written word or art.

* **Eligible participants:** 3rd–12th grade students attending an ATT school.

* **Art/Essay submission deadline:** Thursday, January 27, 2022

* **Prize:** \$50.00 check for each winner

* **FOR ESSAY/ARTWORK RULES AND GUIDELINES:** visit www.att.org → Student Programs or call ATT at 773-973-2828.

DAY OF LEARNING

Thank you to **B.J., Ricky, Ruthie and Jesse Novit** for sponsoring Thursday's learning, December 23—19 Teves for a Refuah Shleima for **David Moshe ben Sarah Rachel**.

Thank you to **The Silverman Family** for sponsoring Friday's learning, December 24—20 Teves in memory of their husband, father, and grandfather, **Dr. Jerry S. Silverman z"l, יהודה שמואל בן אריה, לייב ז"ל**, on the occasion of his 1st Yahrzeit. May his Neshama have an Aliyah.

Thank you to **Steve & Susi Appel and Family** for sponsoring Monday's learning, December 27—23 Teves in memory of our dear Mother and Bubbie, **Beatrice Zelenietz, A"H**, and our dear Grandmother and Great-Grandmother, **Sarah Leifman, A"H**. May their Neshamot have Aliyot.

Thank you to **Sy & Bonnie Rosen and family** for sponsoring Monday's learning, December 27—23 Teves in memory of our beloved Father, Grandfather, and Great-Grandfather, **Stanley Rosen z"l, Shlomo Zundel ben Tzvi Hirsch**, on his tenth 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.

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

Births

*Mr. and Mrs. Mitch and Elizabeth Dayan on the birth of their grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and Sara Dayan.

*Mr. and Mrs. Akiva (class of '13) and Isabella Garfinkel on the birth of their daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. Haskell Garfinkel and Mr. and Mrs. William and Shoshana Bokor.

*Mr. and Mrs. Eli and Ayelet (class of '00) Kleinman on the birth of their son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike and Terry Kleinman and Mr. and

Mrs. Alan and Jodi Gershman; and to the great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon and Toby Kirshner.

*Mr. and Mrs. Ari and Sarah (class of '01) Nussbaum on the birth of their son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Suzy Nussbaum and Mr. and Mrs. Abraham and Deborah Bajtner.

Bar/Bas Mitzvahs

*Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Carrie Shacter on the Bar Mitzvah of their sons, Betzalel and Dovid. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald and Rhonda Shacter and Mr. and Mrs. William and Delores Donohue.

The Arie Crown Family would like to express condolences to:

*Mrs. Miriam Mendelsberg on the loss of her father, Mr. Murray Husney, a"h.

HaMakom Yenachem Eschem B'soch Sh'ar Aveilei

Tzion V'Yerushalayim

**Community Announcements**

All 7th & 8th grade boys are invited to a Special Mishmar at Ida Crown Jewish Academy (8233 N. Central Park Ave, Skokie) on Wednesday, January 12, at 8 p.m.! Join ICJA freshmen and sophomores, and our Mechanchim, Rabbi Yoni Fox and Rabbi Mayer Simcha Stromer, for a fun evening of learning, pizza and basketball.

Yeshiva Ohr Boruch, The Veitzener Cheder invites all women in the community to come join in an evening out with world renown chef and cookbook author, Miriam (Pascal) Cohen. The event will include an exclusive food demo as well as a delicious dairy buffet. There will be an exciting Chinese auction with valuable gift packages from our local vendors. The event will place at Yeshiva Ohr Boruch, 2828 W. Pratt, on Motzei Shabbos, January 8th at 8:00 p.m. The entrance fee will be \$25.00, with an additional fee for auction tickets. For any questions please call the Cheder at 773-262-0885.



EC CALENDAR

**Friday, January 14 -
Sunday, January 23**
No School - Winter
Vacation

Shoshana Safirstein
Early Childhood Director
ssafirstein@ariecrown.org

The Nursery has been learning all about the Makkos in Parshas Va'eira! They acted out Makkas Dam (blood) by pretending to be Mitzrim with blood and Jews with water. If the Mitzri paid the Jewish person, then he would end up with a cup of water instead of blood! We also began a number unit corresponding to our counting of the Makkos! The Yeladim enjoyed using tongs and clips to try to get the right amount of pom poms onto the numbers in front of them!

ידיעות קטנות

Yediots K'taNote

PRE-NURSERY

NURSERY

KINDERGARTEN



The Yeladim in the Pre-Nursery Stay and Play had a soaring two weeks learning all about our space unit! They enjoyed creating a delicious rocket ship snack, used pattern blocks to make different space themed pictures, completed an astronaut space training program, and also constructed their very own rockets using a straw as their launchpad! Wow! What a spectacular and out of this world time we had! 🚀🚀🚀



The Kindergarten Yeladim made their stick turn into a snake just like Aharon in this week's Parsha. Our Mitzri Makkos Man is so sad because so far he has suffered from some of the makkos from Parshas Va'eira, with more makkos to come next week in Parshas Bo.



The Kindergarten Yeladim are already up to the letter yud! We added our second nekudah - the kamatz! We are lucky to have so many activities that help to reinforce the letters and sound of the alef beis like Alef Beis Candyland that Morah Aliza created for us, smartboard games and our Alef Bet Gan Books, just to name a few!



As "choref" (winter) is approaching, the Kindergarten Yeladim are preparing! They are making their "bigdei choref" (winter outerwear) and learning the Hebrew words for them. They first made a giant paper doll of themselves and so far have added a me'il (coat), tza'if (scarf) and kova (hat) to dress and undress their doll. K'fafote (mittens) and magafayim (boots) are still to come, so stay tuned!



The Kindergarten children counted and sorted jelly beans while learning the letter "J"! We also had fun playing outside in the first snowfall this winter! After we warmed up with hot cocoa for our "oa" day in phonics!

Have a Good Shabbos!

January 2022

Main Calendar

Compact Mode

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	31 No School - New Years 4:10p Candle Lighting Time	1 Parshas Va'eira; Shabbos Mevorchim 9:37a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
2	3 Rosh Chodesh Shevat	4 Kindergarten Open House for Prospective Parents (10:00-11:00 AM & 1:00-2:00 PM) (tentative)	5	6	7 4:16p Candle Lighting Time	8 Parshas Bo 9:38a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
9 4G Shiras Devorah Program	10	11	12	13	14 No School – Winter Vacation 4:24p Candle Lighting Time	15 → No School – Winter Vacation Parshas Beshalach 9:38a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
16 → No School – Winter Vacation	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 4:32p Candle Lighting Time	22 → No School – Winter Vacation Parshas Yisro 9:37a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
23 → No School – Winter Vacation	24 School Resumes	25	26	27	28 4:41p Candle Lighting Time	29 Parshas Mishpatim; Shabbos Mevorchim 9:35a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema
30 9:00a All-School Mandatory Lice Check	31	1 Rosh Chodesh Adar 1	2 → Rosh Chodesh Adar 1	3	4 4:50p Candle Lighting Time	5 Parshas Terumah 9:32a Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema

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After School **SCIENCE BUILDERS** at Arie Crown

Explore and build cutting-edge STEM projects.
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- CUTTING-EDGE CURRICULUM
- EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT
- EXPERT STAFF
- ENGAGING PROJECTS AND EXPERIMENTS

WHO

Boys in grades 6-8

WHEN

**Wednesdays
4:00-5:00pm**

WHERE

Arie Crown

To sign up or learn more, visit www.walderlab.org/AC or call 773-649-5360.

The cost of the 8-week program is \$80, including all materials.
Need-based scholarships available upon request.

4600 Main St, Skokie, IL 60076



Girls After School **SCIENCE** at Arie Crown

Grades 6-8 | Mondays, 4:00-5:00pm

Winter sessions begin **January 24**. Registration open now.

Get charged up with the science of electricity and magnets! Discover the secrets that power our digital age, while recreating your own electronic devices like flashlights, motors, generators, earphones, and more!

To sign up or learn more, visit www.walderlab.org/AC or call 773-649-5360.

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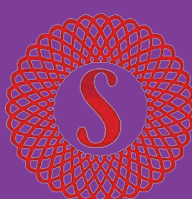
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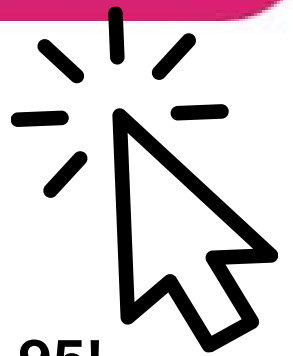
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POGRUND FAMILY Essay Contest

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.