

This week Mrs. Tziporah Gelman came to do some music and movement classes with our 1st and 2nd grade boys!

They had so much fun!





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!

Luach

Friday, January 7 Candle Lighting Time: 4:16 PM

<u>Shabbos, January 8</u> Shabbos Parshas Bo; Sof Z'man Kriyas Shema: 9:38 AM

Upcoming Events

<u>Friday-Sunday, January 14-23</u> No School—Winter Break

<u>Sunday, January 30 (Rescheduled)</u> 4G Shiras Devorah Program

ARIE CROWN DISCOUNT CARD

The Arie Crown Discount Card is here! Please see Page 2 for more information on how you can get one and start your savings!

Hot Lunches:

Monday, Jan. 10 Hamburger Tuesday, Jan. 11 Baked Potato Wednesday, Jan. 12 Chicken Fingers Thursday, Jan. 13 Baked Ziti Friday, Jan. 14 No School

8th Grade News

By Danielle Fagan

Last year in Mrs. Abowitz's 7th grade class, the girls, along with Mrs. Abowitz's help, did a tremendous Mitzvah. After watching an uplifting and emotional video about Holocaust survivors, we had a better understanding of the Tzarot they went through, and we wanted to do whatever we could to help out. We discussed what would be some good ways to help an organization as beautiful and helpful as Chasdei Na'ami. Chasdei Na'ami does not only help Holocaust survivors, but it also helps orphans and widows in need. After some consideration, we decided that talking about doing the Mitzvah just was not enough; we had to take action and start doing. As many of us were capable of working small jobs, such as babysitting, we decided to put together our Maaser money over a few months and donate it to Chasdei Na'ami. We began the journey of collecting money around January, and over the course of just three months, even with donations of just a few dollars, we managed to collect \$365 by April. This felt amazing, knowing we accomplished something as incredible as this Mitzvah.

Wednesday, December 29, 2021, Mrs. Abowitz entered Mrs. Prero's classroom smiling brightly. She informed Mrs. Prero of the Mitzvah we had done and showed us a letter from Chasdei Na'ami, which praised us for the beautiful Mitzvah we did. We ended class on a good note, which left each one of us, including Mrs. Prero, feeling inspired and happy. Have a good Shabbos!

5th Grade News

By Meira Zissman and Adira Isenberg

This week, in both classes, we had amazing raffles with great prizes. We made skits in Mrs. Turoff's class for Chumash. In Mrs. Borth's class, we started our paragraphs for our Explorer reports. In Mrs. Spiliopoulos's class, we took out a skeleton to help us learn about the skeletal system. This week, since it was Rosh Chodesh, we gathered downstairs with the 4-8 girls to sing Hallel. In "Emunah and Art", we painted a beautiful project that teaches us we should all be thankful for our full vision. Have a good Shabbos!

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 Pogrund 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.

2nd Grade News

By Ms. Coe and Mrs. Leonard



DAY OF LEARNING

Monday's learning, January 3—1 Shevat was sponsored in loving memory of **Aaron Dovid Weinberger**, **A"H**, Beloved grandfather of Shmuel and Yogi Friedman. May his memory forever be a blessing.

Dedicating a day of learning at Arie Crown is a meaningful way to commemorate a Yahrtzeit, 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

- *Rabbi and Mrs. Dov and Leah Atlas on the birth of their great-granddaughter, born to Rabbi and Mrs. Sender and Chaya Elka Union!! Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Yosef and Sora Atlas. *Mr. and Mrs. Lothar and Sue Kahn on the birth of their great-grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Simcha and Batya Kraines.
- *Rabbi and Mrs. Ariel and Divora Marinelli on the birth of their daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rich and Leah Marinelli and Mrs. Rachel Allswang.
- *Mr. and Mrs. Joe and Becky Zimmerman and Mr. and Mrs. Yehoshua and Shira Nudell on the birth of their grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Chaim (class of '98) and Tzivia Zimmerman in Arizona.

Engagements/Marriages

- *Board of Trustees Member, Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Lynne Brody on the wedding of their grandson, Moshe, son of Rabbi and Mrs. Hillel and Devorah Brody.
- *Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin and Batyah Cohen on the marriage of their son, Tzadok (class of '14) to Charna Rosenberg. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Carole Cohen and Mr. and Mrs. Irv and Mindy Kempner.
- *Mr. Vadim Muchnik on his engagement to Chani Holland.

Bar/Bas Mitzvahs

- *Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Angela Khvilovsky on the Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Eliana. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Boris and Sofia Khvilovsky and Mr. and Mrs. Leonid and Stella Vinokurov.
- *Rabbi and Mrs. Yona and Mindy Reiss on the Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Ayelet. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Marion Reiss and Mr. and Mrs. Howard and Renee Spear.
- *Rabbi and Mrs. Tovia and Rachel Volkowitz on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Tzvi Yair. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Moshe and Raisa Volkowitz and Mr. and Mrs. Barry and Phyllis Smith.

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 us for 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 take 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.

Junior Gan Israel Day Camp registration is now open! Professional, personalized, for preschoolers ages 2-6. Benefit from our 40 years of success. Www.juniorganisrael.org, or contact Mrs. Zeesy Posner @ 847-452-7770.



EC CALENDAR

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

Shoshana Safirstein Early Childhood Director ssafirstein@ariecrown.org



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PRE-NURSERY

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KINDERGARTEN



The Yeladim had a great time this week continuing our Color Unit with the color Blue (Kachol). They enjoyed collaging with kachol materials for the color unit bulletin board in our classroom, enjoyed eating Kachol snacks, baking Blueberry muffins and making Kachol play dough!



This week we continued our snow unit. We had so much fun painting and decorating our snowmen with our white puffy paint! We enjoyed playing outside in the snow. We did a science experiment with baking soda and vinegar and made our very own colorful snow volcano. It was great to watch our volcano erupting in bright colors! We got to make adorable edible snowmen using bananas, chocolate chips, and pretzels.









The Yeladim in Kindergarten had a busy week! They finished up their Mitzri Makkos Man. The poor guy has all 10 makkos on him now that we have learned Parshas Bo.

The Yeladim also finished all the pieces for their בגדי חורף paper dolls. They now know מעיל, hat, מעיל/coat, מעיל/coat, לכפפות/boots, and עכפפות/ceein. They had a great time playing with their dolls and putting their actual ידגב to use!



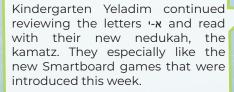




























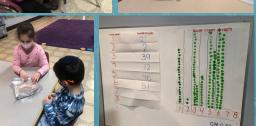
Lastly, for Rosh Chodesh Shevat, the Kindergarten Yeladim made crowns. We have begun to learn a bit about ט"ו בשבט, as we will be on break when the חג האילנות occurs.

Kindergarten is learning the "oa" sound. The children did the "Boat Float" challenge! Working with a partner, they made foil boats and competed to see whose boat would hold the most pennies before sinking. They charted and graphed the results, making this a fun reading, science and math project!











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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

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POGRUND Essay Contest 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
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 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:

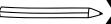
- Pogrund Family Essay Rules: Visit https://www.att.org/essay-contest/
- Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork Rules: Visit https://www.att.org/judaicartwork-contest/

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.



