

עת צרה ליעקב

Dear Arie Crown Family,

As we enter the first שבת of the year, a new beginning, our feelings are one and the same - this is not the new beginning we were hoping for. We stand together with כלל ישראל in deep worry and intense prayer for כלל ישראל, ובראשם חיילי צה״ל, השבויים, והתושבים that are in harm's way. The תורה tells us in the last פסוק of this week's פרשה that מצה חן בעיני השם was עמר מצה חן בעיני השם אוני השם that not coincidentally are the same letters of his name). Defining the Middah of In is tricky. How does one become endeared to another? The answer is not in any one specific action, rather in just being your best self.

Over the past few days we have watched our תלמידות and תלמידות internalize that their brothers and sisters in ארץ ישראל need their help. Watching them say תהילים, hearing the ideas that they came up with to raise money for, and sensing the atmosphere of just trying to be our best selves as a זכות for those that need our help right now, has been inspiring. Our message at school has shared no alarming words - just that our brothers and sisters in ארץ ישראל are going through a hard time - yet the students felt the need for action and have responded. As we have gathered for תהילים, and perhaps from the conversations that they have been having with their families at home, the older students have come to recognize that this is a serious situation - and they have responded. We are super proud of them.

In this weeks Yediot you will see regular routines taking place at school. Maintaining this normalcy for our children despite our hearts being so heavy is crucial right now. And of course, let us not forget that the co of the learning and good מינוקות של בית רבן fo מידות serves as the greatest creator of protection during these difficult times.

May the זכות מפילות תפילות we have taken on, the extra צדקה that we are raising, and the extra efforts in our בין אדם לחבירו that we are working on serve as a protection for all of those that need it, and may we see ישועת ה' כהרף עין.

Rabbi Kirshner

#### Luach

Friday, October 13

**<sup>≜</sup>Candlelighting Time: 5:52PM** 

<u>Shabbos, October 14</u> Shabbos Parshas Bereishis

## **Upcoming Events**

Sunday, October 15 Mandatory Lice Check at the Main Building- 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM

### **Hot Lunch**

Monday, Oct. 16: Hot Dog Tuesday, Oct. 17: Mac and Cheese Wednesday, Oct. 18: Chicken Fingers Thursday, Oct. 19: Grilled Cheese Friday, Oct. 20: Pizza

### The Students of Arie Crown Do For Israel

In light of the situation in Israel, our students returned to school after vacation, ready to do their part in any way they could to help support Israel and Am Yisrael. Per the directive of the Vaad Roshei Yeshiva of Torah U'Mesorah, all classes, second grade and up, have been saying an extra Perek of Tehillim each day, in addition to the regular Perakim that they say. Some of the classes have been saying names of Chayalim before they say the Tehillim. In addition, after Minyan each morning, the older boys have also been saying two extra Perakim of Tehillim.

On Thursday, Arie Crown joined in the ATT Tehillim hookup with a message from Rabbi Paysach Krohn followed by Tehillim with many of the ATT schools. During the time the students were not saying Tehillim, there was amazing quiet and respect for everyone davening and those we were davening for. Following the Tehillim, there was a special Mincha for all students in grades 5-8 where Avinu Malkeinu was recited.

In addition to the Bein Adam L'Makom activities that our students have been doing, there are also the Bein Adam L'Chavero activities that are taking place. In some of our General Studies classes, the students wrote letters to the Chayalim to let them know that they were thinking about them and davening for them. Both our 8th Grade Girls and 8th Grade Boys are planning fundraisers to send money to Israel. The girls' money will be used to buy games, toys, and books for children that have been displaced from their homes. The boys' fundraiser will be to benefit the Chayalim. The 8th Grade students will be coming around to classrooms next week to collect the money.

There are many Arie Crown alumni who are serving in the IDF. Please use the following link to send us their names: https://forms.gle/mwYlgRlW6c9EPMsRA. In the zchus of all of our combined actions may we merit to see an end to this difficult time immediately and greet Mashiach speedily!

### **Arie Crown Boys Choir News**

On the first night of Chol Hamoed Sukkos the boys from the Arie Crown Boys Choir performed at the Bnei Reuven Simchas Beis HaShoava!

ACBC is generously supported by the Ralla Klepak Foundation for Education in the Performing Arts.





### **3rd Grade Boys News**

Yakir Klein and Mordy Dayan saying a Rashi to Rabbi Samber פר We ♥יים. We



# **Boys Mishmar News**

First night of Mishmar! Thank you Yeshurun for opening your doors to us once again!





















### **5th Grade Girls News**

Thank you to Bracha Dayan for bringing in her family tree that traces back directly to Dovid Hamelech!



## 8th Grade Science News

In each of the 8th grade science classes, the students completed their unit on properties of water and some students began their unit on atoms!





























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

#### **BIRTHS:**

\*Mr. and Mrs. Gershie and Elianna (class of '09) Vann on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Jeremy and Erica Simon. Mazel Tov to the great-grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Merrill and Debra Zahtz and Mrs. Phyllis Simon.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Elisha (class of '10) and Robbie Rosenwasser on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim and Terri Rosenwasser.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Efrem and Neena Holley on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Steven and Judy Holley.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Adam and Ronit (class of '04) Kahn on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandmother, Mrs. Roslyn Kohanchi and Mr. and Mrs. Jamie and Carol Kahn. Mazel Tov to the great-grandmother, Mrs. Mehri Amrami.

#### **BAR/BAS MITZVAHS:**

\*Mr. Eli Lebovics and Mrs. Chana Lebovics on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Ezra. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Rabbi and Mrs. Yehuda and Chaya Lebovics and Mrs. Shoshana Packouz.

\*Dr. and Mrs. Max and Rivkah Leah Friedman on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Yogi. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. Barry Friedman, Mrs. Devorah Friedman and Mrs. Miriam Weinberger.

\*Rabbi and Mrs. Phil and Rachie Karesh on the Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Rayli. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Steve and Cheryl Karesh and Mr. and Mrs. David and Shayna Schechter.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Moshe and Shoshana Marshak on the Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Miriam. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis and Rochelle Marshak and Mr. and Mrs. Earl and Debbie Sternfeld.

\*Rabbi and Mrs. Shlomo and Rena Caplan on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Akiva Meir. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Caplan and Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Tatelbaum.

### **ENGAGEMENTS/MARRIAGES:**

\*Dr. and Mrs. Jeremy and Erica Simon on the upcoming wedding of their daughter, Atara to Shimon Shapansky. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Merrill and Debra Zahtz and Mrs. Phyllis Simon.

### **CONDOLENCES:**

\*Mrs. Mindy Lebovics on the loss of her mother, Mrs. Rivka Oster, a"h.

## **Community Announcements**

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