

## Where Middos and Learning Are Linked Together

#### 2nd Grade Boys News

Mrs. Cziment's 2nd grade boys made and fried sufganiyot!





#### 7th Grade Girls News

The 7th grade girls were very busy celebrating Chanukah by building friendships, dancing and singing on the ice as one of their great activities for Chanukah!





#### Luach

Friday, December 16

**A Candlelighting Time: 4:04 PM A Candlelighting Time: 4:04 PM A Candlelighting Time: 4:04 PM A Candlelighting Time: 4:04 PM** 

Shabbos, December 17

Parshas Mikeitz

Sof Zman Kriyas Shema: 9:34AM

Rosh Chodesh Teves

#### **Upcoming Events**

Sunday, December 25
Rosh Chodesh Teves

No School - Chanukah Break

Monday, December 26 Limudei Kodesh Only;

Dismissal for EC: 11:20 AM

Dismissal for Grades 1-8: 11:30 AM

#### **Hot Lunch**

Tuesday, Dec. 27- Mac and Cheese Wednesday, Dec. 28- Chicken Sandwich Thursday Dec. 29- Baked Potato Friday, December 30- Pizza





#### 7th & 8th Grade Boys News

This past Motzei Shabbos, Parshas Vayeishev, the Seventh and Eighth grade boys had a very special Melava Malka at Arie Crown. The night began with an introduction by Rabbi Yosef Cohen on the topic of "Where to light the Menorah". R' Kirshner led the boys in heartfelt Tehillim L'Refuah Sh'leimah Rabbi Reuven Gross. The boys then paired up with Chavrusos in the Beis Midrash and studied the sources together from a specially prepared packet. Together with the dedicated and caring Rabbeim of seventh and eighth grade, Rabbi Nadoff, Rabbi Sherman and Rabbi Riesel, the boys familiarized themselves with important concepts in Hilchos Chanukah from the Gemara, Shulchan Aruch and Achronim. In the words of R' Cohen, "The learning felt like any high level Yeshiva, the boys all being there only because they wanted to learn."

The Chavrusa time was followed by a fifteen minute shiur on the topic where Reb C. explored different practical questions discussed by Rav Moshe Feinstein and other Halachik authorities. After the learning, R' Saks raffled off gift cards for Burger Buddies and Five Below provided by R' Kirshner. While the boys enjoyed delicious, hot pizza, Rabbi Samber in his signature, dynamic style talked about the importance of being sensitive to other's needs and feelings with a powerful lesson from Yosef Hatzaddik in this last week's Parsha.

After the Melava Malka the boys enjoyed an exciting three on three basketball tournament arranged by Elisha Neikrug and the eighth grade student council. The amazing turnout of Talmidim and Rabbeim for this phenomenal program was beyond successful, the spirit of Chanukah being tangibly ignited through the fire of extra Motzai Shabbos learning at school and the warmth of Arie Crown Achdus.

Thank you also to R' Rand, Rabbi Gottesman and R' Binyomin Samber for attending and for R' Binyomin Samber for your work on putting together the source sheets. Thank you to R' Saks for coordinating this event.









#### 6th Grade Girls News

Miss Levitansky's 6th grade girls had a blast finishing up their volcano unit by erupting their own volanoes!

















#### 2nd Grade Girls News

Mrs. Leonard's Super Second Grade Girls learned all about where they live in the world. They know their address, their city, state, country, continent and planet. They loved making their Me on the Map project!



#### Gym News by Mrs. Jedd

We have started our basketball unit in P.E. class. The 7th grade girls shown are participating in a game of "Hot Shot Basketball". This game is a super fun way to practice the skills of dribbling and shooting while also adding a competitive element!













#### 1st Grade Girls News

Morah Steinfeld and Morah Atlas's first grade girls made beautiful Chanukah decorations/placemats.





Morah Shapiro's class is getting into the Chanukah spirit!













#### **5th Grade Boys News**

Rabbi Schwarcz and Rabbi Roth's 5th grade boys had fun making dreidels out of candy!















#### **8th Grade Boys News**

At the 8th grade boys Mishmor trip to Nickel City, Rabbi Cohen's class put all of their tickets together to buy signs to decorate their classroom.



#### **1st Grade Boys News**

These are the boys in Morah Rosen's Kitah Aleph who reached Level Two! We are so proud of them and love to see them reach even higher levels!

Pinchas Ovitsky · Avraham Zigun · Aviel Marinelli · Yosef Meyerson · Eitan Kramer

#### **Middos Matter News**



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

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

As part of our Middos Matter program, teachers have been giving Middos Matter points for students who have demonstrated their Respectful, Responsible, Safe and Kind behaviors around school. Every week, we recognize the students who have earned the most points in each class that week and they each receive a small prize.

Congratulations to the winners from last week!

Izzy Tarshish • Shua Kirshner • Miri Goldwater • Coco Karsh • Eliana Wengrow • Akiva Kraft • Natan Eisenberg Aliza Zeffren • Libby Lebedinsky • Rosie Bernath • Davidi Raccah • Esti Richman • Rayli Stein • Eli Garfinkel Yaron Wittlin • Shari Kohn • Dalia Goldman • Shimmy Barnatan • Itay Wexler • Shlomo Greenberger Talia Fridberg • Yair Efron • Maya Rosen • Eitan Hunter • Gavi Klein • Levi Khvilovsky • Akiva Bereliani Jacob Babani • Avigayil Goldberg • Avigayil Loebmann • Ariella Titievsky • Zahava Volkov

#### **Community Announcements**

Live your Summer at Camp Maayan (4-10th grade girls) and Camp Matziv (4-10th grade boys)! We are located on beautiful grounds in Cassapolis, MI, with new bunkhouses, beautiful lake, in-ground pool, unique workshops and personalized programming! Bring your friends and have the summer of your life! mmwcamps. com; 847-440-4940

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

#### **BIRTHS:**

\*Mr. and Mrs. Yitzy and Emmie Rosenblum on the birth of a daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Avrohom and Gracie Rosenblum and Mr. and Mrs. Barry and Dana Mase.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Eliyahu (class of '10) and Moria Kohanchi on the birth of a daughter. Mazel Tov to the grandmother, Mrs. Roslyn Kohanchi.

\*Mr. and Mrs. Yaakov and Sarah Cohen on the birth of a son. Mazel Tov to the grandmothers, Mrs. Shelley Cohen and Mrs. Laurie Garfinkel.

#### **ENGAGEMENTS/MARRIAGES:**

\*Mr. and Mrs. Yoni and Shoshana Safirstein on the engagement of their daughter, Rena (class of '16) to Ari Eisenberger. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Tziporah Safirstein and Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Esther Stein.

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

\*Mr. and Mrs. Aaron and Lori Miller on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Shia. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mrs. Sandy Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Sam and Fran Einhorn.

#### **CONDOLENCES:**

\*Mr. Yecheal Tarshish on the loss of his sister, Mrs. Frumey Shubov, a"h.



#### **EC CALENDAR**

Monday, December 26
Dismissal 11:20 AM

Shoshana Safirstein Early Childhood Director ssafirstein@ariecrown.org







**PRF-NURSERY** 

NURSERY

KINDERGARTEN

Chanukah fun in the Plum Room!













































The Pre-Nursery Yeladim had an exciting week in Stay & Play learning about the ocean. They played with a sensory bin and used hand-eye coordination to fish for sea creatures in the water. The Yeladim enjoyed a yummy ocean snack made with Jell-O. Lastly, they painted a fish bowl!

The Kindergarten Yeladim have been practicing their Aleph-Bet reading!





## Connecting to Chanukah, the Skokie Fire Dept. visited to teach the Yeladim about fire safety.

























The Kindergarten classes had an AMAZING Chanukah party with their parents! They had activity stations in their classrooms followed by a sing-along led by Rabbi Elisha Prero and Mr. Eli Cooper, both Zaides of Arie Crown students!



















This week we are learning and mastering the letter J! We used jelly beans to count, sort and learn how to graph in math. Puzzles and games were everywhere for Chanukah week, we are learning and having fun at the same time!

# Have a Good Shabbos!



# tappy (harukah!

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!

Atara Schayer and Becky Starck, Presidents Malkie Kohn, Vice President

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The Ben-Porat Family

Happy Chanuka! From Akiva Bereliani &

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Moishe & Nechama Beekovits Rami Berkowitz and Family

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Elisheva and Aaron Cohen

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Happy Channukah from Goldie

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Olivia & Hersh Friedman and Avraham

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Thank you for all your hard work! The

Kleinman Family

Happy Chanukah! Thanks for a great

start to the year! Eli and Ayelet

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Mr. and Mrs. Babak and Sahar

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Fraylachin Chanukah! Abe, Malkie &

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Happy Chanukkah, thank you for all

that you do! The Krinsky Family

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Happy Chanukah! Levi Miller & Shia

Miller

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Shoshie and Benjamin Neikrug

Avi Ninio

Benny Ninio

Moti and Shira Ninio and family

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Happy Chanukah from the Peikes

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care of our kids!

Dovid and Beth Perkel and Family

The Perkins Family

Andy, Ilana, Adella and Shane Perl

The Pollack Family

Yudi and Mimi Polsky

Aryeh & Rachel Polsky & Family

Aryeh and Elisheva Polstein

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Happy Chanukah from the Safirstein's

Happy Chanukah! Yaakov, Mindy, Akiva, Chaim, and Leah Samberg



Leah Scharman The Schayer Family Micah Schechter & Family Raquel Scher and family Thank you for all you do!! Happy Chanukkah! Love, Yali, Yishai and Asher Schneider From Jay & Chana Malka Schultz Teddy Schwartz Avi and Faygie Schwartz Becky and Yosef Schwartz Happy Chanukah from Yossi and Deborah Schwimmer Joey and Devorah Seif Seruya Family Shimmy Shabat The Shames Family Yisrael & Elana Shapiro Millie Sharfman Tobie Sharfman Mr & Mrs Nosson Shir

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# DO YOU WANT STC TO CONTINUE?

# JOIN US IN SPRINGFIELD.

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AND EXPECTED RETURN IS 5:00 PM.

## LOBBY DAYS

WEDNESDAY **01.04.23** 

THURSDAY **01.05.23** 

TUESDAY **01.10.23** 

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