

Where Middos and Learning Are Linked Together

6th-8th Grade Boys News

Last Friday the Boys' Student Council organized pre-Purim Chavrusa learning in the Beis Medrash for the 6th-8th grade boys. The boys learned Seder Iyun and then had a Shiur at the end.











Luach

Friday, March 29 A Candlelighting Time: 6:53PM

Shabbos, March 30 Shabbos Parshas Tzav/ Parshas Parah

Upcoming Events

Monday, April 1 - Wednesday, April 10
PESACH FOOD DRIVE

Hot Lunch

Monday, April 1: Hot Dog Tuesday, April 2: Bagel with Spreads Wednesday, April 3: Chicken Fingers Thursday, April 4: Pancakes Friday, April 5: Pizza















Purim Carnival























































Purim Carnival



2nd Grade Boys News

Miss Gutstein's Super Second Grade had a glow-in-the-dark reading party! The boys enjoyed quiet reading time with glow lights and glow sticks.











5th Grade Girls News

This week in Mrs. Turoff's class we started a new Perek in Chumash! In Mrs. Schur's class we played a fun trivia game! In Mrs. Kalish's class we worked on our Native American projects! In Mrs. Spiliopoulous's class we talked about making "Wanted Organs" projects! On Monday we had the Purim carnival!!! We hope everyone had a happy Purim!!!! By Nina Cohen and Bonnie Dayan



3rd Grade Boys News

In honor of Rabbi Raiz's class completing Shemona Esrei, Rabbi Samber spoke to the class about different Halachos on how we daven, as well as the importance of davening. One specific point was, inasmuch as we are always talking to Hashem, "our best friend", Shemona Esrei is unique, as it is a direct meeting with Hashem. Even after Rabbi Samber left, many boys continued to ask thought-out questions about what was discussed.





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

BAR/BAS MITZVAHS:

*Mr. and Mrs. Levi and Alissa Zeffren on the Bar Mitzvah of their son, Ozzie. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael and Karen Zeffren, Mr. Phil Tanzer and Mr. and Mrs. Lee and Gail Gordon.

*Mr. and Mrs. Yitzchok and Esti Blisko on the Bas Mitzvah of their daughter, Bracha. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph and Nancy Blisko, Mrs. Tzippi Blisko, and Mr. and Mrs. Yossi and Nechama Cohen.

ENGAGEMENTS/WEDDING:

*Mr. and Mrs. Steve and Nicole Fagan on the engagement of their son, Zechariah (class of '16) to Tova Lederman. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph and Iris Fagan and Mrs. Helene Levine.

*Mr. and Mrs. Yitz and Elisha Brandes on the engagement of their daughter, Leora (class of '16) to David Zakaim. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Avraham and Sarah Brandes and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin and Sylvia Elfman.

CONDOLENCES:

*Mrs. Shira Malka Walder, Mr. Moshe Chaim Walder, Mrs. Kathryn Walder Christensen, Mr. Mordechai Avraham Walder and Mrs. Diane Walder Gassel on on the loss of their husband, father, and brother, Dr. Yosef Walder, a"h. *Rabbi Doug Zelden on the loss of his mother, Mrs. Barbara Zelden, a"h.

Community Announcements

*The ORIGINAL Torah Tots' Babysitting Course is BACK!!

Open to Students entering 5th grade and up, the course offers child development, safety and first aid techniques, and activity ideas. Whether you are a "latch key" student, mother's helper, or you would like to babysit for siblings or others, this course will give the confidence and knowledge to be successful!! Over 400 students in the Chicago area have been certified through this course, since 1989!! New series begins: March 26, 2026 Meets: Tuesdays, 5:00-6:15 p.m. in WRP. Approx. 6-8 sessions (depending on class size, with a brief break for Pesach) SPACES LIMITED-morahsharp@hotmail.com



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Shoshana Safirstein Early Childhood Director ssafirstein@ariecrown.org **PRE-NURSERY**

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KINDERGARTEN























The Pre Nursery Stay & Play completed our two week study of rain and rainbows. We loved learning about the water cycle! We painted outsde with water to observe evaporation in action, experimented with clouds, watched light travel through a prism and divide into the colors of the rainbow, and created beautiful rainbow patterning projects!













This week the Nursery Stay And Play read the book "The Little Engine That Could". We discussed how we always need to try and try again to believe in ourselves!! We learned about trains, made engineer caps and marched down the hall chanting "I think I can, I think I can, I think I can". We made a collaborative project where we dipped trains into paint and made tracks, used foam shapes to make a train and to top it off made a "traintastic" snack, an edible train using graham crackers, Oreos and Cheerios! Yum!!









The Kindergarten Yeladim had a super fun Shushan Purim. Not only did they have a blast at the carnival but they got the opportunity to go on a REAL dump truck and speak with and ask A LOT of questions to the firemen about their fire engine.









The Pesach learning has begun! The Kindergarteners have begun their Haggados and learning the Mah Nishtana. They are certain to be ready for the Sedar!











Kindergarten is learning subtraction. In this lesson, the children wrote math sentences on dry erase boards. After figuring out the answer, they had movements to do as many times as the number of the answer!











Connecting with the 'ue' sound that they learned this week, the kindergarteners experimented with glue! They dropped food coloring on a plateful of glue, then added a drop of dish washing soap on the colorful dots. The colors spread making beautiful designs!

PURIM CARNIVALI

















































The time is short and the need is great!!



Boys' Student Council Pesach Maos Chitim Food Drive

Monday, April 1-Wednesday, April 10

Please send the following items:

(Hadar, Leibers, Seasons, Paskesz, Osem, Mishpacha or Gefen brands)

In addition, (and if possible), we'd also like to have each student bring in a dollar.

Every classroom will have its own box. Every \$7.50 will be worth one can.

Larger checks can be made out to Maot Chitim of Greater Chicago. This money goes towards perishable foods and paper goods that cannot be listed.

**** The 2 classes with the most cans will win a pizza lunch!!! ***** ****Our school is attempting to collect 750 cans! ****

The following are suggested items for each grade:

PN, N, Kindergarten

Spices/salt Vanilla extract Potato pancake Mix Matza ball Mix Cake w/ matza meal Cake w/ potato starch Cookie mix

Jello-regular/sugar-free Cocoa powder Cooking spray Potato starch Dried fruit Coconut flakes Soup nuts

1st and 2nd Grade

Tuna fish Soup Potato starch Brown sugar Powdered sugar Vanilla sugar Vanilla Cocoa powder

Honey Lemon juice Spices/salt

Potato pancake mix Matza ball mix Cake w/ matza meal Cake w/ potato starch

Nuts - ground or whole in shell Soup nuts

Matza farfel

3rd Grade

Tuna fish Canned fruit Canned Soup Soup mixes

4th Grade

Cake mixes Farfel Spices Canned Fruit Dried fruit

5th Grade

Vinegar – white/apple cider

Ketchup Tomato sauce Cranberry sauce 6th Grade

Sugar Honey Brown sugar Oil

Apple Juice Lemon Juice Farfel

Sugar

7th Grade

Dried Fruit Shelled walnuts **Applesauce** Sugar Lemon Juice

Farfel

8th Grade

Olive oil Walnut oil

Mayo - regular/low fat

Marinara sauce Sweet and sour sauce





It's the perfect time for you to help keep our food pantry shelves fully stocked! ChesedChicago provides kosher food to hundreds of individuals each month.

DONATE YOUR SURPLUS FOOD ITEMS - EVERYTHING MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

We accept your unused mishloach manos and chometz food items before Pesach.

No homemade, opened, or expired items please!

ITEMS WE NEED

- Barley and beans
- Canned fruits and vegetables
- Canned soups
- Canned tuna and salmon
- Cereal
- Coffee
- Condiments
- Drinks

- Flour, sugar, baking items
- Oil
- Pasta and rice
- Snacks

We also accept Kosher L'Pesach food items

DROP BOX AVAILABLE AT

ARIE CROWN

MARCH 25 - APRIL 11

Please note:

Perishable or frozen items can only be dropped off at our warehouse.

Drop-off bins are located at our warehouse in the loading dock area

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MON - THURS | 9AM - 5PM

SUN & FRI | 9AM – 12PM