



# Yediots

Where Middos and Learning Are Linked Together

## 2nd Grade Girls

Mazel Tov to Morah Grinblatt's and Morah Feigenbaum's Super Second Grade Girls' classes on their Parshas Noach Siyum!



## Luach

**Friday, January 6**  
Candlelighting Time: 4:15 PM

**Shabbos, January 7**  
Parshas Vayechi  
Sof Zman Kriyas Shema: 9:38AM

## Upcoming Events

**Friday, January 13-**  
**Sunday, January 22**  
No School - Winter Break

**Monday, January 23**  
School Resumes

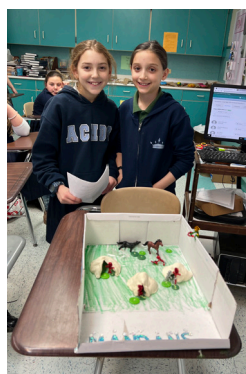
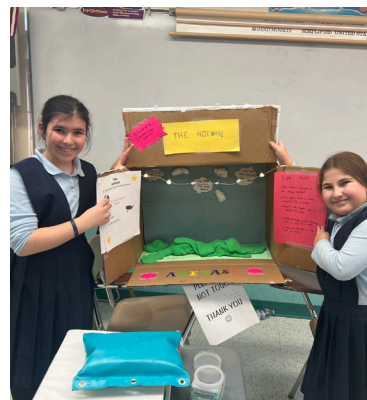
## Hot Lunch

Monday, Jan. 9- Hot Dog  
Tuesday, Jan. 10- Mac and Cheese  
Wednesday, Jan. 11- Chicken Sandwich  
Thursday, Jan. 12- Baked Potato





Recently in Mrs. Kalish's class, the girls have been enjoying displaying their artistic abilities! Between the Chanukah paper-mache activity (which involved shaping aluminum foil into a doughnut shape, creating the mod podge with flour and water, cutting and sticking newspaper to their creations, and, finally, painting the final product) and the Native American research project, the classroom has been an explosion of creativity. The dioramas depicting a scene of each tribe turned out fabulous, and are currently exhibited on tables in the front hallway.





2nd Grade Boys

Super Second Grade Boys enjoy listening to a story during story time in the ספריה before getting a chance to check out their own books.



8th Grade Boys News

This week YU Kollel Torah MITzion visited to kick off a six day Yarchei Kallah style program with our 8th Grade Bochrim. Thank you to the Chevrei Kollel for all of the work they put into this program.



2nd Grade Girls

The girls in Ms. Daybook's "Pawsome" 2nd Grade Reading Class worked extremely hard and reached the top of their reading chart. To celebrate this wonderful accomplishment, the girls had a Sparkle Lunch Date Party. The room was transformed into a spectacular display of sparkles and glitter, and every girl got their very own sparkly tiara to wear to the party !!!! The girls had so much fun at the Sparkle Lunch Date Party!!!!



## 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!

Mara Jankovits • Meira Titievsky • Samuel Grinin • Abie Zigun • Ava Reich • Mordy Dayan • Michael Lopin  
Eva Schultz • Miri Hunter • Eliana Meyers • Benayahu Mirzai • Dovid Shapiro  
Libby Zimmerman • Ariella Safirstein • Goldie Volkowitz • Ella Cohen • Asher Freedman • Matan Kremer  
Daniel Titievsky • Ilana Vladamirskiy • Eitan Klein • Yackov Frank • Meira Kahn  
Michael Goldwag • Ozzie Zeffren • Nechama Richman • Halely Mirzai • Emmy DeAngelis • Jacob Babani  
Gavi Barnett • Nesya Goldman • Sarah Rivka Carlsen • Gabi Glatz • Gabe Nudman • Naftali Porush  
Eliana Levitt

## Community Announcements

All boys in the community are invited to join Chicago Chesed Fund's Shas for Shidduchim through its Shas for Shidduchim Junior program! Boys will complete all of Shisha Sidrei Mishna in 24 hours, from Sunday, February 5 through Monday, February 6. Learning will take place at Agudas Yisroel of West Rogers Park. Following the completion of the Mishnayos, participants are invited to attend our grand Siyum on February 6 at Ateres Ayala. For more information or to sign up, please contact Rabbi Dovid Rifkind at 773-330-1554 or drifkind@gmail.com

Please join us for a Community wide women's evening with Rivky Kleiman. There will be exciting raffles and a light dairy buffet. The event is taking place Sunday, January 8 at Yeshiva Ohr Boruch, 2828 W. Pratt, 8:00 PM. Entrance fee is \$25.00.

### THIS MOTZEI SHABBOS!

Aneinu presents: A Joyful Evening of Torah, Tefilah & Togetherness. Welcoming all women - post-high school & up. Join us for a night of fun as we strengthen each other by connecting, turning to each other, & turning to Hashem. Through the power of laughter, achdus, & Ahavas Yisroel, let's bring healing to the Chicago community. THIS Motzei Shabbos, Jan. 7, at 7:30 at the DoubleTree Hotel, 9599 Skokie Blvd. Doors open 7:15 PM. No charge.

This Sunday! Come make your own fused glass mezuzah case with Yocheved Appel, Y.A. Fused Glass. Class starts at 8 PM and costs \$70 (supplies and tools included). For women only. For questions call/text (574)850-2769. To register visit [www.yafusedglass.com/collections/classes](http://www.yafusedglass.com/collections/classes)

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

### **BIRTHS:**

\*Mr. and Mrs. Moshe and Doreen Mermelstein on the birth of a grandson to Mr. and Mrs. Dovi and Rifky Mermelstein.

\*Mrs. Bernice Novick on the birth of a great-grandaughter in Israel, born to Mr. and Mrs. Shlomo and Daniella Rush. Mazel Tov to the grandparents, Mr and Mrs. Chaim and Sharon Rush.

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

\*Mazel tov to Mrs. Ronna Sharp on the Bas Mitzvah of her granddaughter, Batya, daughter of Lt. and Mrs. Chaim and Penina (class of '99) Taub. Mazel Tov to the great-grandmother, Rebbitzen Lee Glickman.





# ידיעות קטנות Yedirot K'taNote

PRE-NURSERY

NURSERY

KINDERGARTEN

## EC CALENDAR

Friday, January 13-

Sunday, January 22

No School - Winter Break

**Shoshana Safirstein**

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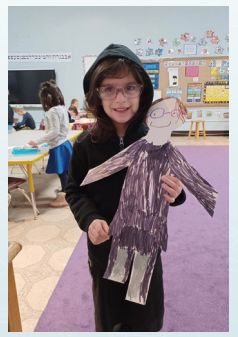
The Olive room is so excited to have started our color unit! Last week we learned all about Adom (red).

This week the color is Tzahov (yellow)! We are exploring each color in many fun and exciting ways. We decorated our Tzahov crayon for our bulletin board, had yummy Tzahov snacks like pineapple, bananas and corn, made our own Tzahov colored Play-doh and worked on our Tzahov page for our Color unit book! We can't wait to learn about the color Katom (orange) next week IY"H!



This week in Stay & Play we learned all about magnets! We discussed the two poles of a magnet, north and south, and then became magnets ourselves! Each of the Yeladim got to wear either an 'N' or an 'S' and showed if they repelled or attracted each other. We also enjoyed testing out the strengths of different magnet items we have in our classroom and even painting with magnets as well!





Now that Choref (winter) is upon us, we had "snow" much fun playing in the Sheleg (snow). We are learning the Hebrew words for winter words as we created an Ish Sheleg (snowman) bulletin board. The Yeladim also made a giant paper doll of themselves and are making Bigdei Choref (winter clothing) to attach to it, of course learning the Hebrew word for each piece of clothing! Stay warm!



So far in Kindergarten math this year, we have learned how to count and write up to number 10. This week we started learning numbers 11 and 12. We like to use counting cubes to help count the numbers.

Have a Good Shabbos!





ועד החינוך דשיקאגו

# The Associated Talmud Torahs

PROUDLY ANNOUNCES  
2022-2023

## POGRUND FAMILY Essay CONTEST

## POGRUND FAMILY JUDAIC ARTWORK CONTEST

**PRIZE**  
**\$50<sup>00</sup>**  
check  
for each  
winner

### GOALS

- To encourage students to do research in their preferred Judaic area of interest for written essay or on a *chag* for artwork
- To explain the relevance of Torah and/or a *chag* 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

### 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: ATT  
Attn: Pogrund Family Contests  
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 Contest – <https://www.att.org/essay-contest/>
- Pogrund Family Judaic Artwork Contest – <https://www.att.org/judaic-artwork-contest/>

For more information, visit <https://www.att.org> → Student Programs → Essay or Art Contest  
or call the ATT office: 773-973-2828

**Deadline:**  
**Wednesday**  
**February 8, 2023**  
**by 5:00 pm**

**FOR YOUR TEACHERS. FOR YOUR CHILDREN.**



NURSERY &  
KINDERGARTEN



# Jr. Super Science Sunday



Nursery and Kindergarten students are invited to join our science enrichment program designed just for them! This educational and fun program is a great way to spark our young scientists' curiosity and excitement for learning. Each week, children will explore a new science topic with engaging hands-on experiments and activities. Registration open now.

## WHEN

Sundays, January 8  
10:00 - 11:00 a.m. or  
1:45 - 2:45 p.m.

## WHERE

3050 W. Touhy Ave.

## SIGN UP

To sign up or learn more, visit  
[www.walderlab.org/sunday](http://www.walderlab.org/sunday) or  
call 773-649-5360.

The cost for 9 spring sessions is \$105. Siblings can join for \$80.

Need-based scholarships are available upon request.



# Introducing Mini Aquatic Lifecycles

Now your kids can experience the wonder  
of raising tiny sea creatures!

This winter, students will explore the aquatic life  
cycles of snails, crayfish, algae, microbes, and  
sea monkeys. They will learn about microscopic life,  
study shell structures, and more with our variety  
of tiny invertebrates.

**Who: Grades 4-6**

**When: Sundays, January 8 – March 26**

**Where: 3050 W. Touhy Ave., Chicago**

**Girls Grades 4-6  
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.**

**Boys Grades 4-6  
3:00 – 4:00 p.m.**

**Cost: \$105, \$80 for siblings.**

*Need-based scholarships available upon request.*

**To sign up or learn more,  
visit [www.walderlab.org/lifecycles](http://www.walderlab.org/lifecycles)  
or call 773-649-5360.**

Class offerings and schedule subject to change  
depending on program interest. Check website  
for the most up-to-date information.

