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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

TEAM SPIRIT

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Friday
March 17, 2023
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פרשת ויקהל פקודי
פרשת החדש
שבת מברכים

Through the
Classroom Door
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GO FOR THE GOAL

Erev Shabbos Parashas Vayakheil-Pekudei, Shabbos HaChodesh 5783

Dear Parents,

A question that arises when the *Parshiyos of Vayakheil and Pekudei* arrive, is how do we understand the Torah's repeating at great length, what was essentially discussed previously in *Parshiyos Terumah and Tetzaveh*? The *Gemara* has a rule that every letter in the Torah has meaning. Here we have over 200 *pesukim* that basically serve as a review, seemingly teaching nothing new!

“...how do we understand the Torah's repeating ... what was ... discussed ... in Parshiyos Terumah and Tetzaveh?”

Rav Avraham Pam *zt'l* says there is a monumental lesson here that justifies the many dozens of extra *pesukim*. There is a basic difference between *Terumah-Tetzaveh* and *Vayakheil-Pekudei*. In the former, the word (וַיַּעַשׂ) (you shall make) is used to introduce the commandments to build the *Mishkan* and its utensils and the Priestly garments. In the latter two *parshiyos* the word (וַיַּעַשׂ) (and he made) is used to describe the fact that *Moshe* did make the *Mishkan* and its utensils and the Priestly garments. This is the *chiddush* (novel concept) here – that the planning became a reality – the וַיַּעַשׂ became a ויעש

Many construction projects start off with magnificent plans and yet by the end, after cost overruns and other stumbling blocks, the finished project bears little resemblance to the original blueprint. The ויעש apparently did not become a ויעש

The same is true with personal *goals*. We make grand resolutions during the *Yomim Noraim* only to see them fizzling out by *Chanuka*. When we ask ourselves “are we living up to what we resolved to do?” we're not always so pleased with the response. How many great hopes for the next foolproof diet wither in the same fashion? The ויעש apparently did not become a ויעש

“...the planning became a reality – the ויעש became a ויעש.”
How can a person translate plans, dreams and aspirations into solid results? *Rav Pam* states it is only possible through harnessing the trait of *zerizus* (alacrity and zeal). The *Mesillas Yesharim* (chapter 7) says that *zerizus* means two things: Firstly, to begin the mitzvah right away and not to push it off. Secondly, once the mitzvah has been started, to see it through to completion.

There are situations in life when plans are made to accomplish great things, but due to delays in their implementation, pitfalls and opposition arise that effectively thwart the fulfillment of the plans. *Zerizus* means bringing the plans to fruition. This aspect of *zerizus* is in effect – focus. One's vision is not distracted from the goal – no matter what comes up along the way – the zealous person keeps his eyes on the prize, and is not deterred.

How do we develop this *midah* of *zerizus* in our children? No self-help book will assist much with this one. Lecturing, cajoling or coercing won't help one bit. There are two ways, and each one is indispensable. As with all deep-rooted character traits – parents teach by example. If we are focused, goal-oriented and not easily deterred when the going gets rough, our children will internalize that. Secondly, we need to develop within our children the concept of working towards a goal, and living up to a commitment. Don't allow your child to undertake a project that he can't possibly achieve. Your child's failure to achieve his goal won't teach him to modify his goals in the future; it will teach him to not even try to stretch beyond his comfort zone. A realistic goal, with support, encouragement and holding him responsible to follow through, are a greater guarantor of developing the *middah* of *zerizus*. Few things in life make a person more trustworthy and reliable, than actually accomplishing what it is that they set out to do.

“They will be from among the doers and makers, not the critics and passive observers.”

If you want your children to have a successful life, *zerizus* is a key. They will be from among the doers and makers, not the critics and passive observers. Developing such children – now that's a worthwhile goal!

Best wishes for a well-planned and beautifully executed Shabbos!

Rabbi Kalman Baumann
Principal

מזל טוב

To Mr. and Mrs. Yossi Berger and family on the birth of a boy!

To Mr. and Mrs. Noach Furman and family on the birth of a girl!

To our ACE program teacher, Mrs. Molavi on the birth of a girl!

To Ms. Sara Tamir on the upcoming wedding of her granddaughter!

רפואה שלימה

Chaim Shmuel Ben Leah Yocheved
Binyomin Simcha ben Adina Minya
Mina Yehudis bas Masuda Marsel
Nuta Moshe ben Sarah

Yitzchok Mordechai ben Malka

HaRav Chesriel Yosef ben Dalish Rivka
Meir Nachum ben Salhah

Refael Avraham Meir ben Zelda Baila
Yisroel Yitzchak ben Chana Gittel
Chaya Adina Malka bas Chana Gittel
Reva Braindel bas Miriam

Chava Devorah bas Chana Malka

Lost and Found

Our lost and found bin is growing!

All unclaimed items will be thrown away or considered hefker after April 1st. Please encourage your child to go to the office to find his or her lost items.

Calendar Reminders

Tuesday evening, March 21 -
Azkara for Rabbi Dovid Sharfman ZT"L
See attached flyer

Thursday, March 23 -
Rosh Chodesh - Official Uniform Day

Pesach Break
Sunday, April 2 - Sunday, April 16
Classes resume on Monday, April 17

Calendar Clarification

Re: Pesach Break
Last day of school for all KES
classes is Friday, March 31.

Hasmada/Chemda Program

Sponsorships opportunities are available for our semi-annual Learning & *Chessed* Programs taking place during Pesach Break. The voluntary learning and *mitzvos* of our students will serve as a *zechus*, in memory of, in honor of or for a *refuah shelaima* for a loved one.

Sponsorships begin at \$50. Please visit the link below
ytcte.org/hasmoda

3B-1 Spotlight

When learning their 'Wordly Wise' words, Mrs. Gil's students discovered that James Naismith created the game of basketball. The boys enjoyed creating their own basketball game and had fun playing with their models. The whole lesson had words related to the beginning of a new sport of basketball such as court, league, tackle, interval, amaze, recreation, milestone, etc.



Science Fun! During science this week, Mrs. Gil's class had fun making gummy bears from scratch. They used gelatin, water and heat to melt the mixture and then filled the bear molds. They discussed why the two mixtures together formed a solid shape. What a great hands-on learning experience!



World Kidney Day

2G-1: On Friday, March 10, 2G-1 celebrated "World Kidney Day." Our very own YTCTE IT director, Mr. Avraham Eliezer Friedman, came and spoke to the girls about his experience donating a kidney five years ago. Mr. Friedman explained the function of our kidneys and what made him decide to become a donor. Mr. Friedman's presentation gave the girls a better understanding on how we should never take our bodily systems for granted.



PI Day in Fifth Grade

On 3/14, the 5th grade girls celebrated PI day! The girls came prepared by memorizing the PI numbers and presented it in front of their class. Their teachers, Mrs. Ehrenreich and Miss Palti surprised the girls with a pizza pie for lunch and they made real mini fruit pies!





Create a World of Kindness

~ עולם חסד יבנה ~



Granny's Hotline:
863-345-2036

Last week we learned about how *Hachnosas Kallah* includes both taking care of a *Kallah's* financial needs and bringing simcha to her at her wedding. The *Shulchan Aruch* says that if a community has *tzedaka* money that isn't meant for something specific, it should be given to *Hachnosas Kallah* because it is the greatest form of *tzedaka*. That must be why there are so many *Hachnosas Kallah* organizations! We even learned about a brand new project in Lakewood where *chassanim* give a portion of their *maaser* from their wedding gifts to other *chassanim* who don't have money to buy their *kallah* the usual "kallah gifts." When it comes to *chessed*, *Klal Yisrael* thinks of everything!

Bio of a Baal Chessed

There's an amazing story about *R' Dov Orenstein*, a wealthy man who lived in *Yerushalayim* many years ago. A *Rav* once came to him on behalf of an orphan he knew asking for help paying for his wedding. *R' Dov* offered to pay for the whole thing, but asked in return that he be invited to the *chasuna*. In the busyness of preparations, the *Rav* and the *chosson* didn't remember to invite *R' Dov* until the *chuppah* was about to start. They left the wedding hall right then and there to go and personally invite *R' Dov*. When they entered *R' Dov's* home, they startled dangerous thieves who had broken in, thereby saving *R' Dov* and his wife. *R' Dov* clearly recognized how his *chessed* of *Hachnosas Kallah* had protected him, and to thank *Hashem* he built buildings in the *Meah Shearim* neighborhood that would allow *chassanim* and *kallahs* to live there for free for a period of time after their wedding. These buildings, called *Batei Orenstein*, exist until today!

Chap a Chessed!

Share in someone's *simcha* to increase their joy. This can be by actually going to it, bringing a gift to their home, or even calling to say *mazel tov!*
Ask your daughter about the exciting *Guess Who Kallah* game that we played at this week's *Erev Shabbos* Assembly/Kindness Club Meeting!

☆☆ Kindness Club Stars ☆☆

Chavi Soskin
Ellie Schwartz
Avital White
Orr Ioffe
Tzivi Hollander
Rena Dreyfuss
Tziporah Lichtman
Rachel Greenbaum
Abby Berkson
Ilana Maman
Talya Nissel
Batsheva Nissel
Eden Alishayev
Tamara Feinstein
Aliya Mayerson
Leah Pomper
Talia Barouk
Ariela Brick-Turin
Judy Elbaz
Aviva Laredo
Yael Laredo
Michal Weiss
Bracha Friedman

Esti Goldenberg
Leah Slepoy
Andi Oppenheimer
Rose Kopelman
Yahli Ben-Harush
Yael Ohana
Michal Lundner
Yocheved Kolodny
Ora Nussbaum
Eemunah Lasry
Miryam Berdugo
Gaya Langford
Leah Naftali
Meira Mazurek
Chana Platt
Zahava Nachbar
Rachel Ginsburg
Yael Gabsi

Raffle Winners

Aviva Laredo
Michal Weiss
Orr Ioffe

Caught in the Act!



Bracha Friedman & Esti Goldenberg



Aliyah Weiss



Tamara Feinstein



Rena Dreyfuss

Bnos and Pirchei



BNOS

בס"ד

WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU!

NMB

TIME CHANGE

3:30-4:30

Kindergarten

3rd Grade

Bella Gewurtz

Yocheved Reichman
(entrance through green walk through gate)

930 NE 172nd Street

937 NE 171st Street

1st Grade

4th Grade

Laylay Slepoy

Rochel Friedman

830 NE 178th Street

17631 NE 7th Place

2nd Grade

5th Grade

Lielle Tzur

Orly Benhayoun

800 NE 172nd Terrace

920 NE 172nd Street

We apologize for the greater distance between the locations this week. We are trying to give as many girls as we can an opportunity to host Bnos before the year is over.

Miami Beach

3:30-4:30

1st and 2nd Grade

Leah Nevarez
901 W 43rd Ct

3rd Grade

Yalie Sharbani
4545 N Jefferson Ave

4th and 5th Grade

Batsheva Grusd
870 W 43rd Ct

Hollywood

NO BNOS

THIS

SHABBOS

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שבת פרשת ויקהל/פקודי

March 18, 2023

כה' אדר תשפ"ג

bnos@bymiami.org

NO
UPCOMING
EVENTS

BNOS AGUDAS YISRAEL IS A PROJECT OF BAIS YAAKOV MIAMI



Boys
Oneg Shabbos Groups
Grades 1st-5th

תצוה	3/4	OFF
כי תשא	3/11	OFF
ויקהל-פקודי	3/18	3:00-4:00
ויקרא	3/25	3:00-4:00

Hosted by
Our Local Shuls

Grade 1 at Gan Ariel
Grade 2 at Young Israel
Grade 3 at Mikdash Melech
Grade 4 at Kollel House
Grade 5 ... at Torah VeEmunah

For sponsorship opportunities
please call
Rabbi Chaim Mandel
305 807 7589

Leaders cannot be responsible for your children after Pirchei is over.
Please make the necessary arrangements

The Sharfman family invites you to an

Azkara

AS WE APPROACH THE SIXTH YARTZEIT OF
RABBI DOVID SHARFMAN, ZT”L



Tuesday Night, March 21 • 8:30 PM

אָזְרָה לַיּוֹם כ' ט' אָדָר

GUEST SPEAKERS

Rabbi Ben Tzion Shafier
TheShmuz.com

“Understanding Life Settings”

Rabbi Yehoshua Hoschander

Assistant Menahel, Yeshiva Zichron Paltiel, Staten Island, NY

“A Brother-in-law Recounts”

For Men and Women at the Yeshiva Klurman Campus

1025 NE Miami Gardens Drive

Program begins 8:30 PM - Maariv to follow

This event will also be streamed at ytcte.org/live



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