

# REUVEN REVIEW

YOUR WINDOW INTO THE WORLD OF YESHIVA KETANA OHR REUVEN...



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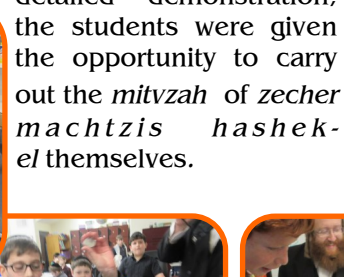
## YESHIVA RAFFLE!

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### Machatzas Hashekel Minhag and More

On Taanis Esther, the eighth graders went from class to class educating the *talmidim* with a hands-on demonstration of how the *mitzvah* of *machatzas hashekel* is actually performed. After the detailed demonstration, the students were given the opportunity to carry out the *mitzvah* of *zecher machtzis hashekel* themselves.



Talmidim on Purim with Rabbi Peikes and Rabbi Auslander, 8th-grade rebbeim



R' Efraim Wachsman and 7th grader Eli Kamensky putting on *tefillin* for the first time



Pre-1Aers Usher Vaksman and Aki-Kahana demonstrating which  $\text{אז}$  is which for newly learned  $\text{ש}$  and  $\text{ז}$



Mazel Tov to Rabbi Lowy, our 4<sup>th</sup> grade rebbe, on his son's *chasunah*.

Pictured: A number of Rabbi Lowy's *talmidim* who came to *vinch mazal tov* and share in the *simcha* at the *chasunah*



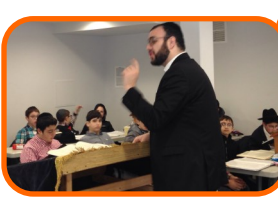
# Electric Atmosphere

Power down? The atmosphere at YKOR was definitely up! Last week, despite the fact that the classrooms were darker than usual, all of the *talmidim* who walked into the yeshiva were ready to learn with their usual enthusiasm. Then the shades in each classroom were pulled up to get the most natural light possible from outside as the boys were ready to forge ahead creating their own electric atmosphere. The power in yeshiva might have been down, but no one would have noticed given how the learning by our undaunted *talmidim* was definitely more than up to par.

*Talmidim shoveling out cars during recess at Rabbi Senter's shul*



The *talmidim* in grades sixth, seventh and eighth, were happy to have the privilege of learning in Rabbi Senter's Shul for the day. The *Rosh Hayeshiva* came over specially to address those *talmidim* in their temporary location.



# Power Out-ing

Thanks as well for the thoughtfulness of two of our yeshiva's families who provided the kindergarten and Pre-1A boys with a change of pace last week. Both classes were thrilled to relocate to their classmate's home for the day so that the classes could operate on full power. Thank you to the Silber family for hosting the kindergarten class, and thank you to the Brachfeld family for hosting the Pre-1A class as well as Rabbi Senter for hosting the sixth, seventh and eighth-grade classes. It was really appreciated and a great *zechus*. A special thank you to all of the caring Morahs and assistants for going out of their way to help make it all happen. More power to you!



Dear Parents,

- Please be aware that all students who **did not** receive transportation this year **must** fill out an application to receive busing for the 2018-19 school year.



Please click [HERE](#) for East Ramapo and Suffern Central transportation forms.

Please note: the districts will only accept transportation forms until their deadline of **April 1st**.

Please complete these forms and return via

**East Ramapo:** mail to  
EAST RAMAPO CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION OFFICE  
[105 SOUTH MADISON AVENUE,  
SPRING VALLEY, NEW YORK 10977](#)

**Suffern Central:** email to:  
[transportation@ramapocentral.net](mailto:transportation@ramapocentral.net). This will ensure proof of receipt.

- Also note, Students who **did receive** transportation this year:

**East Ramapo :**

Will receive a form in the mail that must be completed and returned by April 1st.

**Suffern Central:**

**Every student must complete an application** to receive busing. Please complete the form and email to [transportation@ramapocentral.net](mailto:transportation@ramapocentral.net) by April 1st.

## A Change of Place

When Rabbi Prupas's seventh graders took note of the beautiful weather in the midst of winter, they decided, with the agreement of their rebbe, to make the most of it. Instead of the usual learning in the classroom, the entire class was escorted outside where the rarified spring-like day added to the overall enthusiasm that went into learning that day's *mishnayos*.

Breaking routine and going outdoors has the potential to be distracting, but these *talmidim* chose to use the opportunity to just enjoy the weather firsthand instead of casting wistful glances through the window. Overall, it was a great experience which inspired them to learn better. Rabbi Prupas was so impressed with the positive attitude of his *talmidim* that he will certainly not hesitate to do it again soon – especially with spring just around the corner.



## Pre 1-A Goes for Gold

Morah Deena's Pre-1A reviewed the letter "G" in such an exciting way. They decorated glasses with the alphabet and played Go for Gold, a game in which each boy had to move through a challenging path in order to reach the gold coin at the end. Good going, guys!

Daniel Gotesman and Yehuda Smolen with their "G", created with blocks



## 18-19 REGISTRATION INFO

Registration is an annual process for BOTH newly admitted and returning families. The registration process includes submitting required forms and making arrangements for tuition payments.

An email with your family's registration forms for the 2018-19 school year will be sent shortly **AFTER** the Pesach break.

Please look out for your registration email after Pesach!

In Case of Inclement Weather  
Please call the YKOR Message Line  
920-940-8936

## Mazal Tov

1st grade Morah, Mrs. Rivkah Golovan upon her marriage  
Alumnus, Dovid Schwab, upon his marriage  
7th grader, Shalom Mordechai Mause, on becoming a *Bar Mitzvah*  
5th grader, Gavi Luwish, on becoming a *Bar Mitzvah*  
1st grader, Menachem Tepper, on the birth of a baby sister  
3rd grader, Avi Bunick, on his sister's *chasunah*  
5th grader, Bentzi Weiss, on the birth of his new neice

## A Peek into Upcoming YKOR Calendar

**Tuesday, March 27,**

Dismissal: K-12:00, P-8 1:00

**Wednesday - Sunday, March 3/28-4/8**

*Pesach* Vacation, No Sessions

**Monday, April 9,**

Sessions Resume



פרשת ויקרא  
שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום



This weeks שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום program  
is sponsored by

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*in honor of*

***RABBI PLOTZKER***

***and his entire shiur,***

*whose dancing and treats*

*לכבוד שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום*

*inspire the yeshiva*

*to fulfill this tremendous מצוה!*

**Many פרשיות of this year**

**are still available for sponsorship!**

Please help support this wonderful program.

Sponsor a week in honor of a שמחה, a birthday,  
in memory of a loved one, or for any reason at all!

**To sponsor a פרשה please contact Rabbi Plotzker.**

**bplotzker@ohrreuven.com**

First

Last

Name of תלמיד (Please Print Clearly)

Class: (Please Check One)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – 5 פסוקים
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – 10 פסוקים
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – 15 פסוקים
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade – 20 פסוקים
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade – 25 פסוקים
- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade – 30 פסוקים
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade – 50 פסוקים
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade – The complete פרשה

My son completed שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום for  
this פרשה in the amount specified for his class.

Parent's signature

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