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Chavrusa learning Mrs. Nadav ~ Pre1a



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שר קולות וברקים and הר סיני. Homemade אורה chocolate lollies that were on top of the mountain completed the look and were really delicious. Rabbi Lowy, Fourth Grade

# ---- PRECIOUS PARSHA PEARLS --

The Three Rs in last weeks פרשה

### **Respect**

A slave must respect his owner, an owner must respect his slave.

Tuvia Bloom (2) Moshe Weisberg (3) Yoel Weisberg (5) Shlomo Gottlieb (6)

### Ruach

#### Hashem gave us the Shalosh Regalim the ultimate Ruach. Shalom Adler (1) Elya Adler (3) Daniel Peikes (6) Gavriel Gold (8)

נעשה ונשמע

Yehuda Leib Nadav (2) Eliezer Dovid Baldinger (6) Shlomo Gottlieb (6) Mayer Walden (7) Dovi Morell (7) Dov Ives (8) **Responsibility** 

Even if you see your enemy struggling you are responsible to help him.

Daniel Rosen (8)

## How Can I Follow the Example in the *Parsha*?

#### **Respect your** Rebbe

Shalom Gross (7) Dovi Morell (7)

Last Week's Winners Menachem Goldstein (1) Shalom Adler (1) Shimon Greenspan (3) Shlomo Gottlieb (6) Daniel Peikes (6)



Siyum on Parshas Vayeira Rabbi Weissman, Second Grade



Scientist of the Week Mrs. Gendel, Third Grade

A Peek Into Yeshiva Ketana's Upcoming Events

Sunday, February 10th: 11:00 am~ Hascholas Gemara Celebration Monday, February 18th~ No Transportation Dismissal K-8:12:45 pm Tues. - Thurs., February 19-21~ No Transportation Dismissal K-1 3:00 pm; 2-8, 4:15 pm Friday - Sunday, February 22-24~ Off Shabbos - No Sessions

K Moshe Zev Tepper 2 Akiva Weinraub 3 Dovid Ezra Stansky 5 Shmuel Fishman 6 David Saragossi



# Thank you N'shei for this month's Rosh Chodesh treat.

Dedicated by Dr. and Mrs. Heshy Gotesman



L'zecher nishmas Frumit Rina bas Shlomo Aron

In honor of JJ and Daniel's rebbeim and teachers: Rabbi Myski, Rabbi Robinson, Mrs. Lampert and Mrs. Leibovic

Mazel Tov

Eliezer (1) and Chaim Tzvi (4) Eisenstadt on their brother, Yossi's upsherin. Tzvi (P) Gavriel (3) Daniel Silber (6) on the birth of a baby brother Aryeh Leib Brachfeld (7) on his *Bar Mitzvah* Bentzi Schuster (7) on his *Bar Mitzvah* 

Yaakov Koegel (7) on his Bar Mitzvah Dani Kohn (7) on his Bar Mitzvah



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## **Parenting in the Parsha**

### פרשת תרומה Give One, Get One

#### דבר אל־בני ישראל ויקחו־לי תרומה מאת כל־איש אשר ידבנו לבו תקחו את־תרומתי

Tell the Israelite people to bring Me gifts; you shall accept gifts for Me from every person whose heart so moves him.

ויקחו לי תרומה התנה כמה פרטים: א) לא אמר ויתנו לי תרומה, שאז היה מ"ע וחיוב על כל אחד ליתן, וה' רצה שתרומה זו תהיה מנדבת לב ורצון חפשי לא ע"י שום הכרח, ואם היה הצווי שיתנו, היו נותנים בהכרח ע"י הצווים לכן באר שאינו מצוה שיתנו רק שימנו גבאים לקבל ממי שירצה ניתן Malbi″m -

רבי אלעזר איש ברתותא אומר תן לו משלו. שאתה ושלך שלו

Rabbi Elazar, man of Bartusa, says: Give Him from what is His, for you and yours are His

Avos 3:7

Remember that the happiest people are not those getting more, but those giving more.

H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

Let's play a game for a moment. Imagine that you are G-d and you would like a *mishkan*, a dwelling place to connect with your people while they connect with you. Do you need a building campaign? Fundraising? How about a contractor? No. If you are G-d, you need none of that, and yet Hashem wants to build a *mishkan* and He comes to us to contribute!

Of course, the secret lay in the wording of the request for us to give to the *mishkan*. The Torah does not request of the people to give a donation to the *mishkan*, but to take a donation to the *mishkan*. What superficially looks like giving isn't actually giving at all. It is actually taking. Hashem does not need us to give anything for Him to build a *mishkan*, He can do just fine without our help. But, He wants to give us the opportunity to be a part of the building process, to feel ownership of the construction of the *mishkan*. He does not ask us to give, but asks us to take by giving.

The *Mishna* in *Avos* tells us to always bear in mind that everything we have belongs to Hashem and that anything we therefore give Him is simply what belongs to Him already. It is a perspective that our children will need some help to reach.

By the time a child reaches two years, he or she has developed a concept of ownership, the understanding that he, or someone else, can be the owner of specific property. That concept leads the child to want to assert his rights over that property. But, the ownership concept also affords the child, for the first time, the ability to share.

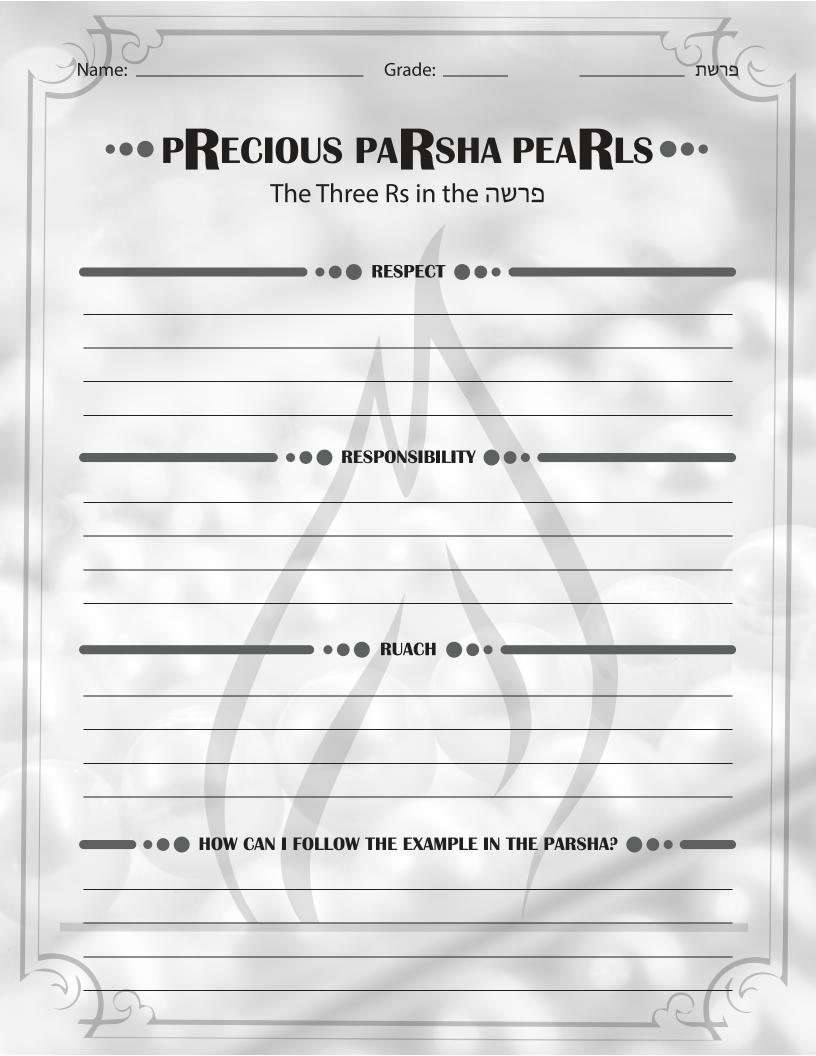
Until the child has a concept that he owns something, there is no reason for him not to let another use it. Once he recognizes his own dominion over his property, then he can make a conscious decision to share what he owns.

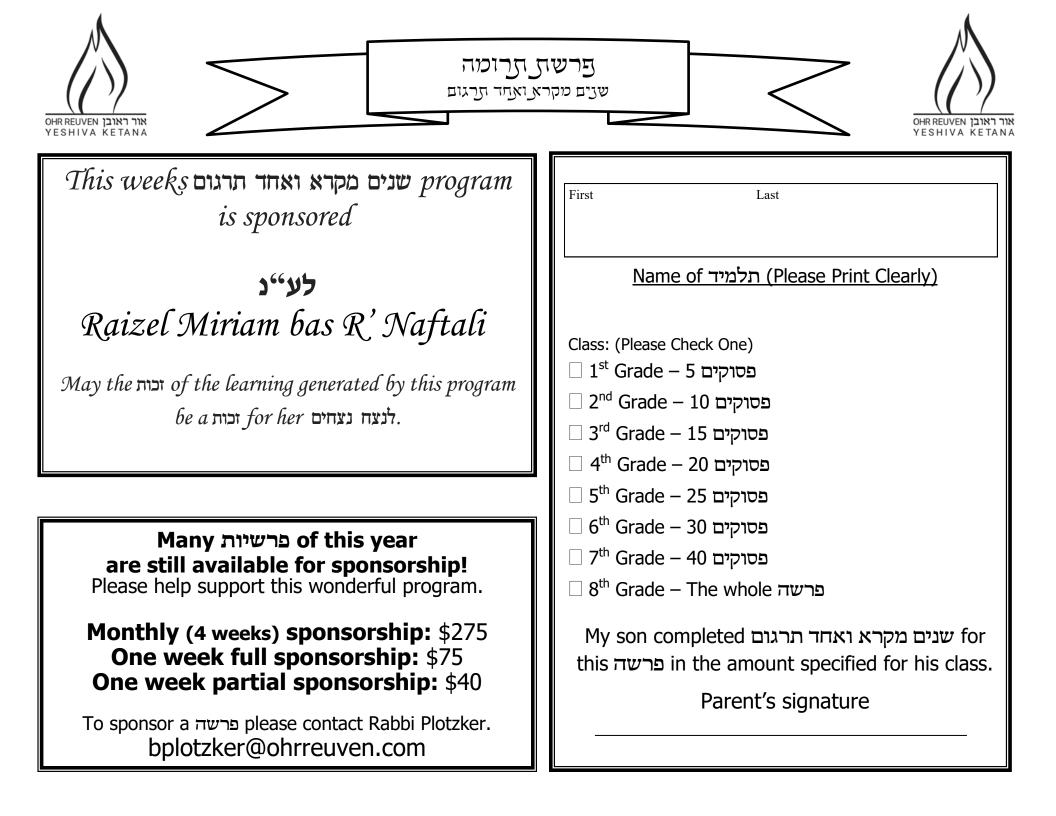
Sharing is pro-social behavior. Sharing helps to develop social bonds among people. Sharing is beneficial to the giver in multiple ways. The act of sharing makes us feel good, as we bring joy to others. Also, sharing benefits us when the object of our sharing has that which we wish to have shared with us in return.

We can encourage children to share by helping them see what they have to gain by sharing. We can also encourage them to share by modeling sharing behavior and setting up situations for them to share with us and with others.

As children grow and mature, we can begin to replace their ownership concept with a Torah perspective on ownership. We can remind ourselves as we teach our children that everything that we own is on loan from Hashem. We can teach our children that the best thing they can get in life is what they give. That will bring them true happiness.

Good Shabbos Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb





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