

# REUVEN REVIEW

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



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## HASMADAH PROGRAM

With the conclusion of the *Hasmadah Program*, YKOR is proud to say that our goal was reached and then some. An impressive over **50,000** minutes was learned in total by our *talmidim* through *Shavuos!*

## Healthy Habits

By law, the major 8 allergens (do you remember them from last week?) **must** be declared, in simple terms, within the ingredient list OR in a separate allergen statement on all, FDA regulated, packaged food items.

HOWEVER,...advisory/precautionary statements on packaged foods (ex: “may contain..., processed in a facility..., etc.”) “suggesting” an allergen contamination is NOT regulated. (That means that food manufacturers can print these statements, regardless of the ingredients and risk.)

Random testing found peanut protein in 7 % of the products with advisory/precautionary statements. (That may seem insignificant but NOT to a child with a food allergy!)

Studies show peanut and nut allergens can be cleaned from hands with soap and water or commercial wipes. Hand sanitizer does NOT remove peanut/nut allergens.

Please remember to keep all peanut/nut products at home! Help keep our boys in yeshiva safe!

Thank you Nurse Aimee for sharing "Healthy Habits" with the "Reuven Review"

## Shavuos Assembly

On Friday, Erev Shaous, grades 1-5 participated in a pre-*Shavuos* night with *Talmidim* assembling in the dining room. Rabbi Rawicki addressed the boys, speaking about the greatness of the upcoming Yom Tov and *kabolas haTorah*. Each student received a special booklet as they prepared to learn together in preparation for *Shavuos* night. The *talmidim* began to sing *Ahava Raba* with a great fervor which was a special sight to watch and was soon followed by the kol Torah. As the sweet sounds of the well over 100 *talmidim* who were learning either *chumash*, *mishnayos* or *gemara* reverberated throughout the building reflecting the *geshmak* and devotion felt by YKOR *talmidim* to *limud haTorah*. All of those in attendance were moved. Rabbi Rawicki then reviewed the *Aseres Hadibros* with the *talmidim* who utilized a worksheet handout.



This was followed by an inspirational video presentation of *Bais Medarsh Govoha* in Lakewood, the



largest *Torah* institution in the USA and was then followed by more singing and dancing to the tune of תורת ה' תמימה.

Before the *talmidim* were dismissed each class visited the conference room where they were awarded chocolate bells, a mini mountain representative of Har Sinai, graciously sponsored by the Nshei. While waiting in line for their turn, *talmidim* joined in singing and dancing with songs especially apropos *Iekovod Shavuos*.



## Sefer Torah for Shavuos

In honor of the Yom Tov of *Shavuos*, the Pre-1A learned all about how a *sefer Torah* is made. They noted that the letters in a *sefer Torah* are not exactly like the *Alef Bais* letters which they read on a daily basis. The boys created their own "parchment paper" which resembled a real *klaf*. They then used a feather quill and ink to try to write the letters as a *Sofer Sta"m* does. They discovered that it was more challenging than they originally might have thought. Pictured(R): Sammy Tenenbaum writing a letter on his imitation *klaff*.



### Shavuos Shteiging

Lkvod Shavuos, there was an impromptu seventh-grade *kumzitz* with Rabbi Rawicki held on *erev Shavuos* in the conference room. This kicked off the impetus inspiring more than half of the boys in the class to learn all of *Hakones, Hachovel, and Mishnayos Eruvin* over *Shavuos*. As a class, more than 170 *Daf Gemarah* and 1,261 *mishnayos* were learned over the course of the three days. To celebrate these impressive achievements the seventh grade was treated to a night out at a restaurant.

In addition to the learning, Akiva Yampel took the initiative to arrange for the class to finish the whole *Sefer Tehillim* as a *zechus* for the *refuah sheleima* of Dovy Brodie. When Rabbi Brodie was told about the class's effort he was so moved that he wanted to do something for the boys as well; a round of jumbo, cold Arizona iced tea was ordered and appreciated by every one of the participants.



### Great Accomplishers

Rabbi Peikes's eighth graders finished the entire *sefer moed*. They had a joint class *sefer* at Rabbi Senters shul finishing the first two *perakim* of *makkos* and made a *siyum* at a special class *neilas hachag*.

## Middle School Updates

Seventh graders studying the skeletal system, sketching movements and the movable joints that are involved in those movements



Sixth graders researching and diagramming ancient cities

### GOING TO THE DOCTOR BEFORE CAMP?



Please make sure to review the message from the Nurse's Office in the Registration Packet that was emailed (and is available online) to see if your son needs any updated health records/immunizations before the start of the next school year. If your son does need anything updated, please take care of that as early as possible and send the updated medical forms to [businessoffice@ohrreuve.com](mailto:businessoffice@ohrreuve.com) so we can have the information when confirming registration and preparing admit cards in the summer.



### REGISTRATION REMINDER!

Registration is an annual process for both, returning and newly admitted families. **If you did not receive the email from the Business Office with registration and forms or if you have any questions regarding registration, please contact the Business Office as soon as possible.**

[businessoffice@ohrreuve.com](mailto:businessoffice@ohrreuve.com)/(845) 362-8362, ex. 108

### Mazal Tov

6th grader, **Moishe Czeglédi**, on completing *Sefer Yechezkel*  
5th grader **Ari Maimon**, 3rd grader **Dani** and 1st grader **Yoni** on the birth of their new baby brother  
Rabbi Pruzansky's 2nd graders, on completing פרשת חיי שרה

### A Peek into Upcoming YKOR Calendar

**Monday, May 28,**

**NO TRANSPORTATION**, Arrival: K-5: 9:00, 6-8: 7:45, Dismissal: 12:45

**Thursday, May 31,**

Registration Forms due to the Business Office/Registration Discount

**Sunday, June 10,**

Preschool Graduations

**Sunday, 17,**

*Siyum Mishnayos* Breakfast and Middle School Honors dinner



**K** Avraham Levi Whitehouse, Ami Wanounou **P** Elisha Friedman **2** Aryeh Muller, Meir Cohen **3** Yakov Fishman **4** Gavriel Perlman, Gavriel Shalom Laster **5** Tzvi Schwab, Daniel Silber **6** Yehuda Gamzeh

Machzikei Torah  
Zichron Yitzchak



מחזיקי תורה  
זכרון יצחק

# LEARNING PROGRAM

## Erev Shabbos & Shabbos



שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום

*Raffle*

- Grades 1-2: Until שני
- Grades 3-4: Until שלישי
- Grades 5-6: Until רביעי
- Grades 7-8: Whole פרשה

לז"נ הרב ירחמיאל שלום  
משה בן הרב ישראל זצ"ל  
מגיד שיעור - ישיבה דרך חיים

**GRAND RAFFLE  
ON JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup>**  
IN ADDITION THERE WILL BE A  
WEEKLY RAFFLE  
FOR A \$25 GIFT CARD

שבת פרשת

- Learned 15 minutes on Erev Shabbos
- Learned 15 minutes (Grades 1-4) / 30 minutes (Grades 5-8) on Shabbos
- Learned שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Yeshiva \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Completed forms must be received by **June 10th** to be included in the raffle.

Completed forms should be faxed to 646-595-2402 or emailed to [egoldberg417@gmail.com](mailto:egoldberg417@gmail.com).

**ALL  
LEARNING  
COUNTS!**

**Grand raffle will take place on Tuesday, June 12th  
50 PRIZES WILL BE RAFFLED OFF!!**

**BAMIDBAR / SHAVUOS  
WEEKLY WINNER  
WILL BE UPDATED NEXT WEEK**

### EREV SHABBOS / FRIDAY NIGHT

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### SHABBOS

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### שנים מקרא ואחד תרגום

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_