

Calendar

Fri., Nov. 10- Veterans Day/ Professional Development -**No School**
Tues., Nov. 21- Reg. Schedule, Parent Conferences 6:30pm-9pm
Wed., Nov. 22- Parent Conferences 9am-12pm-**No School**
Thurs., Nov 23- Fri. Nov. 24 Thanksgiving Break-**No School**

From the Principal

Dr. Lea E. Goldstein

Last Shabbos, my husband and I were fortunate enough to attend Torah Umesorah's 67th Annual National Leadership Convention. It was beautiful. Over 1,700 people attended and there were dozens of inspirational lectures, presentations, workshops and celebrations. There were great opportunities to network, speak to educators with very similar joys and struggles, and collaborate with talented mechanchim with varied, rich ideas and experiences. We were so excited to sit with and be inspired by our long-time and new mentors and to speak with and receive brachos from numerous Gedolim. It was an extraordinary weekend of great chizuk.

Upon my return, I have already begun implementing some fantastic advice, and contacting vendors for more information about promising new materials. We've also received calls asking us to share some of DHR's impressive programming in middos, curriculum mapping, our focus on skill-building, and administrative innovations.

In the words of R' Yehuda Brecher, the true purpose of the convention is to empower mechanchim "to guide students to embrace their individuality, grow through challenges and become confident, capable leaders of tomorrow".

Fun & Learning at DHR



Special VIP visit

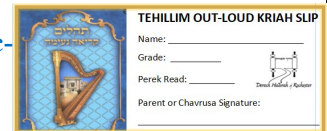
5th-8th boys were honored to welcome Rav Moshe Tuvia Lief, Morah D'Asra of Agudath Israel Bais Bin-yomin in Brooklyn. Rabbi Lief was the Guest Speaker at the Siyum on Seder Nashim on Sunday evening, and Rabbis Lagunov and Balgley arranged for the special shiur and visit to DHR on Monday morning.



Tehillim Out Loud Kriah Program!

Introducing DHR's new **Tehillim Out Loud Kriah Program!** Our Gedolim have been encouraging the daily recital of additional Tehillim—and, at DHR—our teachers and those staffing our SULAM program have been motivating students to get more Hebrew reading practice. Thus, this new initiative combines our goals! Students need to simply read a perek/kapitel of Tehillim out loud and then have their parent or someone else who listened sign their form.

We are kicking off this program today! There will be three boxes in the office: one for students in K-4, another for 5-8 girls and a third for 5-8 boys. Completed Tehillim slips should be placed in the box matching the student's grade. On every Rosh Chodesh (starting this Tuesday), we will pull one lucky Tehillim slip from each box. Winners will win prizes—and it's win-win-win since our **talmidim will be saying Tehillim, practicing their kriah and potentially winning Tehillim raffles.** Please encourage your children of all ages to participate!



Benching Superstars....

Chaim Eli Abrahamson
Yosef Brea
Ephraim Burger
Goldie Cohen
Moussia Cohen
Zelda Deitch
Ella Eidelman
Miriam Eidelman
Naomi Finegold
Zevi Gestetner
Miriam Goldstein
Nosson Hein
Baruch Ber Herman
Meira Herman



Nava Hirschfeld
Sara Katz
Yisroel Kosov
Zecharia Kuyunov
Rikki Lagunov
Russi Max
Esther Mittel
Rina Malka Ribakow
Nechemia Solomon
Tzipporah Twersky
Rena Vatch
Levi Yaros
Moshe Zargary

Middos Mention...



...Miriam cleaned up the entire Lego area in the library. How thoughtful!



...Ms. Pochodylo happily substituted for math class each day that Mrs. Polatoff was out. So helpful!

Don't forget- Parent /Teacher Conferences...

...Parent -Teacher Conferences are less than two weeks away. Please see the attached information, dates and schedules. Hope to see all of you there!
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Wed., Nov. 22- Parent Conferences **9:00 am-12:00pm**

Community Events - Please Participate!

Chanukah Soldiers- Once again, we are asking DHR families to help us send **Chanukah cards, baked goods** and/or **care packages** to U.S. soldiers serving around the world. Chanukah Cards and Care Packages need to be at DHR by **9:00am on Monday, November 20th and/or families can drop off packages on Sunday November 19th at TBK - 9:30 am to 1:00 PM at the South (rear) entrance**

Thank you to...

... Kate Lipsky for her generous \$500 donation!
... Dovid Meir and Nitzevet Miller for their generous \$200 donation!
...Those who immediately sent in their Yizor or other Yom Tov commitments. If you haven't gotten to it yet, please fulfill your pledge today.
...Yudi and Shoshana Polatoff and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Polatoff for their monthly contributions to DHR's Sharon Polatoff Memorial Scholarship Fund!