Nachas News

Gan Israel Preschool Date: Jan 12, 2018 Parsha: Va'iera

Announcements

IMPORTANT DATE CHANGES:

- Dad's night out- <u>new date Mon. Jan 29th</u>. Gan Israel dads are invited to join Mendel (Yaakov's dad) for bowling. More details soon.
- Staff Work Day No school date change: <u>old date Mon March 5th. New date is Fri</u> <u>March 8th.</u>

Reminder: No school this Monday- MLK Day

Quiz Night is coming! Next Sat. Jan 20th. Parents have two tickets included in their fees. I hope to see you there. It is a great opportunity to meet fellow preschool parents and support our Gan.

Photo of the Week



Next Week's Snack Family Deitsch (Hirsh & Nosson), Armellini-Keren, Winerman

Director's Message

Please let me know if you are able to help set up (from 6:30 PM) or clean up on quiz night. Lots of hands make light work.

Thank you to our parents who have already donated and/ or solicited for items for our silent auction. There is still time to contribute. Need ideas? Ask your hairdresser, manicurist, jeweler, **or** favorite shop or donate a gift card to a local shop or service or tickets to a show, sporting event etc.

Aftercare Antics!

We LOVE Morah Katie!



Let's Play House







Shabbos Times:

Candle lighting: 4:50 PM

Shabbos ends: 5:52 PM

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2- Year Old - 3 day class

I missed the children this week but I know that they had a fantastic week with Morah Zelda. We continued with the themes of friendship and MLK. We looked at what we look like and then they drew self portraits with colored pencils. Many of the children added in their parents to the pictures. The children made peace signs with Morah Zelda on Wednesday.





We have been "catching" the children showing real signs of empathy and caring. Many of them go over to check on another child if they are sad. They are also working on sharing and using their words to help their friends understand what they need and want.



In circle we continued to talk about MLK and how he wanted all people to be friends and be at peace. We didn't let the weather stop us and we had a great time playing outside on the undercover deck.



Shabbat shalom Morah Amy and Morah Zelda

2-Year-Old – 5 day class

In Circle time we discussed how nice is to have a friend and share. Here are the children giving the bracelets to their friends. They made bracelets as a friendship symbol.



Making our friendship bracelets. Using our fine motor skills to string the different shape and color beads.



The children enjoyed working together and decorate the Dove symbol of peace !



The children are caring for their babies and playing Imma and Abba





Shabbat shalom, Morahs Suzy, Shari and Miki

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3-Year-Old Class

This week we've spent further exploring Martin Luther King Jr. and the lessons we can learn from him such as friendship, kindness, peace, using words not force, and working together to accomplish a goal. We continued to discover new things about ourselves and our friends.

Avi and Lyla had fun looking in the mirror at themselves and creating funny faces

Taking the lessons of MLK Jr. to heart, the children have been playing together, doing teamwork to clean up, and really trying to use their words when disagreements arise.



Drawing faces of ourselves and our friends for our crayon box friendship bulletin board (Ayalah and Liya)

Boy has it been cold outside. We had fun making snow playdoh. At first, it felt like slimy like the consistency of oobleck, and oh so much fun. After playing with it like that, we continued to work with this material, adding some additional ingredients until it became more playdoh-like, and then crunchy like snow.







We love Morah Goldie!

Welcome to our new friend Liya! We are so happy you joined our class. Everyone gave Liya a big welcome and included her in play right away!

Science -- exploring color mixtures, liquids, and pouring

Shabbat Shalom!

Morah Amy and Morah Goldie

Pre K Class

We have filled our hands with lots of love! The class examined cool colors, tracing our hands as well as cutting them out. We are creating a huge class poster in honor of Rabbi Akiva and Dr. Martin Luther King who both shared the idea of loving one another without judgment.



We examine the letter I and fell in love with making inch worms. We slid the inchworms up and down using the wet glue. It was amazing!







Shabbat shalom, Morah Terri & Morah Maddy.