

Hebrew Day Institute

לכבוד שבת

L'chvod Shabbat



June 6, 2008

ISRAEL @ 60 PERFORMANCE



Our children were the ONLY Jewish day school students to perform on the National Mall. We could not have achieved this once in a lifetime experience without the support of our parents. THANK YOU!!!



Upcoming Dates to Remember

Tzedakah of the Month

World Wild Life Fund

School Closed

No school on Monday, June 9 and Tuesday, June 10 in observance of Shavuot.

Last Day of School

Friday, June 13th is our last day of school. Noon dismissal.



Birthday Buddies

During recess Friday, May 30th, we held our Birthday Buddies Birthday Party for students whose birthdays fall between January, 2008 and June, 2008 in the Media Center.

The following students celebrated with us:

Aaron Rubinstein

Aviva Pollack

Dora Greenwald

Elan Rubin

Hadar Pohl

Naomi Weinstein

Jason Salzberg

Samara Fair

Leah Schaperow

Mara Black

Martin Lempert

Rebecca Hall

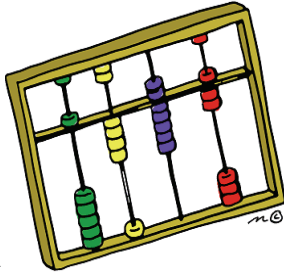
Rina Torchinsky

Sivan Shilo

Samantha Noland

Sarah Meiselman

During the party students looked at the new books purchased and selected a book to be donated in his or her name. A commemorative bookplate was placed in that book and the donor student was the first one to check out the book. There were snacks and everyone had fun during the party



Math Message

By Robin A. Lempert

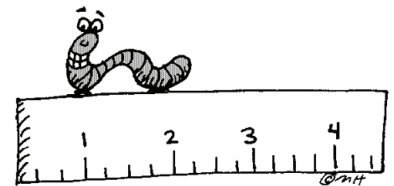
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Summer Math Online Practice

The summer is a great time to practice math by playing games online. It's also a great time to point out numbers and math wherever you see them.

This summer's math requirement: all students should practice math, using the Everyday Math online games, for a total of at least 2 hours for the summer. (Teachers will be able to check student progress and time spent working with the games.) Instructions for how to login for the games can be found on the school website.

The school website also has a collection of links to websites that have online math activities, games and practice drills. The levels within each game vary and most games become increasingly difficult as the games are played. At the bottom of the page you'll find some favorite games.

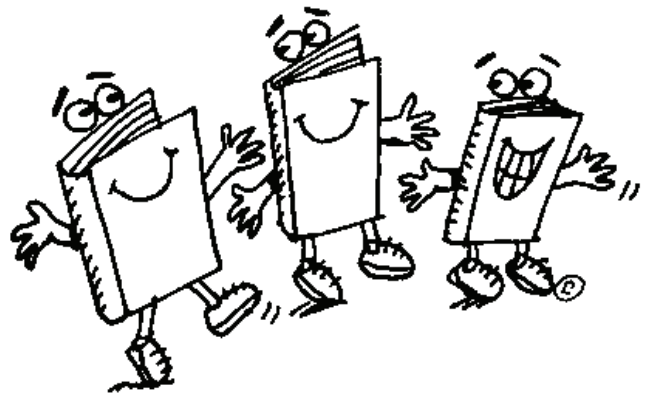


SUMMERTIME, AND THE LIVIN' IS EASY ...

(GEORGE GERSHWIN)

Students are expected to participate in the school's Summer Reading program. Here are the details:

- Each grade will be have 1 required book that all students will read. In addition, students will be expected to read additional books (the number of books depends on the grade your student is entering).
- At least one book read should have Judaic content.
- Students will complete a reading log for all the books read this summer.
- Students will also complete a project on 1 of their books and a book report on a 2nd book. Details about projects, book report forms, reading logs and suggested book lists can be found on the school website
- Projects, book reports and reading logs will be due back at school the first week of school in September 2008.
- Students may choose their reading books from the grade-level lists already distributed. Students may also choose additional books that are not on this list but are age appropriate. All books should be age appropriate and parent-approved.





6TH GRADE GRADUATION

Thursday, June 12th at 7:00 pm is our 6th grade Graduation Ceremony in the Main Sanctuary. All parents are invited and encouraged to attend. Students in grades 2–5 will be performing. Please have your children here by 6:45 pm and wear their blue Hebrew Day Institute shirts. Thank you!



KINDERGARTEN AND SCHOOL-WIDE MOVING UP CEREMONY

Thursday, June 12 at 2:00 pm
All Kindergarten parents are invited to attend.

SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS WILL BE POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE BY THE END OF JUNE!

CHECK OUR WEBSITE THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER FOR IMPORTANT SCHOOL UPDATES AND INFORMATION!





SHAVUOT

One of the three Pilgrim Festival, observed on 6th and 7th of Sivan, it commemorates the giving of the Ten Commandments and Torah on Mount Sinai. It is also known as Z'man Mattan Torah Atenu which means the season of giving of the Torah.

CHAG SEMEACH FROM THE TEACHERS AND STAFF!

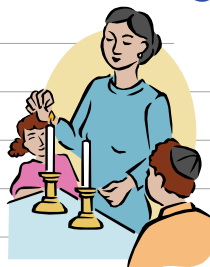


SHABBAT SHALOM FROM THE TEACHERS AND STAFF AT HEBREW DAY INSTITUTE

Candle Lighting Time



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Friday, June 6 8:13 pm

