



Hillel Community Day School

May 11, 2012 – Iyar 19, 5772



Shabbat: Light Candles 8:05pm—Shabbat Ends 9:13pm

Next week:

Monday, 5/14

K&I Sports Club,
3:15-4:15pm

Tuesday, 5/15

Gr. 1-3 Sports Club,
3:15-4:15pm

Wednesday, 5/16

Boys & Girls Club: Activities
with Dave @ Hillel, Gr. 2-6.
P/U at 5:00pm.

Thursday, 5/17

Gr. 3 & Up Sports Club,
3:15-4:15pm

Dates To Keep on Your Radar:

Sunday, 5/20

School-Wide Family Brunch,
11:00-1:00pm at Hillel

Monday, 5/21

K-8 Yom Yerushalayim
Performance, 10:30-11:22.
Parents invited to attend.

Monday, 5/28

Shavout/Memorial Day—
School Closed

Wednesday, 5/30

Art, Literature & Judaic Fair,
6:30-8pm

Thursday, 6/7

Trip to 11:05 Red Wings
Game

Tuesday, 6/26

Hillel's Scholarship Dinner,
6pm at Temple Beth El

Bingo—Aleph

Captain: Jonathan Sadik

Callers: Keith Newman, Al Spanjer

Financial: Edi Pinker, Marty Spokony

Workers: M Brea, A or R Cherney, P

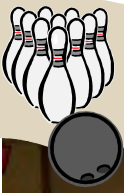
Harvey, Kilimnik, A Nunes-Harwitt,

G Saltzman, I Spivak

Maccabiah Games/Color War



Through the outstanding leadership of the 8th Graders, our Color War was a huge success! Events included an opening ceremony around the flagpole, the Everyone Relay and Volleyball, just to name a few! Congratulations to the BlueTeam (Gevurah Yitzchak) for an exciting victory over the White Team (Chesed Avraham), and to all our students for their encouragement and sportsmanship.



Bowling with The Boys & Girls Club



Our yearly partnership kicked off this week with our first event—bowling at Gates Lanes. This program is a great way to make new friends, have fun and reach out to our greater Rochester community.

There is still space to sign up for our next two events at Hillel: Activities with Dave (5/16) and Capoeira with Ms. Kantor (5/23). Both events are for Grades 2-6. **To enroll your child, e-mail office@hillelschool.org**

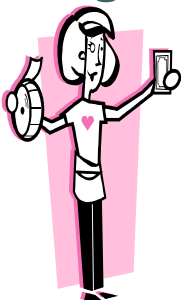
Yom Yerushalayim Performance — Parents Invited to Attend



On Monday, May 21, parents are invited to take a trip with us to Jerusalem as Hillel celebrates Yom Yerushalayim with a K-8 performance in the Gymnasium. The performance will begin promptly at 10:30 and run until lunchtime around 11:25. Parents are invited to attend and stay for our falafel lunch that day. Lunches can be purchased for \$4.00 in the office. If you will be joining us for lunch that day, please RSVP to office@hillelschool.org by May 17th so that we may prepare enough food for all our guests to enjoy. A school-wide rehearsal of the performance is scheduled for Thursday, May 17, from 9-10am. Please avoid making appointments for your child during this time if possible.

To join in the spirit of this special day, we ask that children dress in white shirts and blue skirts/pants (jeans are okay). Parents are encouraged to arrive early to secure the best seats. We hope you can join us for this delightful, fun-filled celebration!

Lag B'Omer Re-Enrollment Raffle Winners



Thank you to the many families who submitted complete enrollment paperwork by the April 18th deadline. On-time enrollment allows the school to most effectively plan programs for the upcoming school year. Each child enrolled by the deadline is eligible for a raffle entry. Each winning family receives a deduction in their tuition bill for 2012-2013. In the presence of all of the school's students and many faculty members, Rabbi Avi Kilimnick inspected the tickets prior to the drawing and witnessed the drawing. Gina Cortese, RN drew the winning tickets.

Congratulations to our winning families:

★First Prize: The Benson Family

★Second Prize: The Rathnam Family

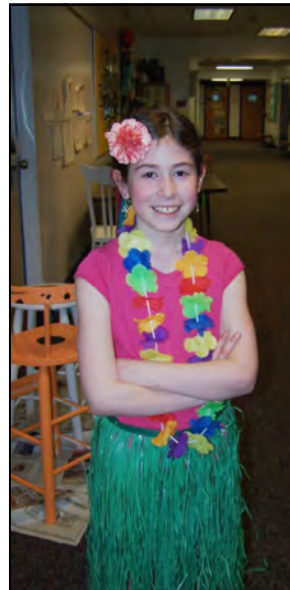
★Third Prize: The Miller Family

Commemorative Journal and Scholarship Dinner Update



Our Scholarship Program builds class sizes and improves our program for every student in the school. Your participation in scholarship fundraisers is strongly encouraged. There is still room in the journal for your ad! Three spaces are still available for Parent Challenge ads. These challenges are generously underwritten by the Kilimnicks and an anonymous family. Order forms are attached to this newsletter.

Tropical Book Fair Fun for All



Our Scholastic Luau Evening event put everyone in a tropical mood! Attendees entered the Book Fair enjoying the sweet sounds of Hawaiian melodies and seeing pictures of islands, marine life, sunsets and beaches. After rigorously shopping the buy one, get one free Book Fair, students headed to the cafeteria to cool off with delicious ice cream sundaes. The evening concluded with beach volleyball.

Mazel Tov to:

- ✧ Board member, Hillel Connection Committee member and past parent Barbara Sobel, on being honored as “Woman of the Year” by The Sisterhood of Congregation Beth Sholom.
- ✧ Eli Pinker on becoming a Bar Mitzvah, to parents Edieal and Monica; siblings Talia, Zev (3), and the entire family.

Thank you:

- ✧ To Larry Broser and Gail Pogal for window washing at Hillel as part of TBK Mitzvah Day program
- ✧ **Book Fair:**
 - Georgiana Saltzman for all her hard work setting up, buying supplies, running the cash register and cleaning up the Scholastic Book Fair. This event could not have been a success without all your help!
 - Also, to Rochelle Cresov, Michal Spivak, Linda Platt, Anne Cherney, Peter Harvey—thank you for all your assistance with our Luau Evening Event.
- ✧ **Maccabiah Games/Color War:**
 - Dave Rogachefsky for organizing another spectacular year of Maccabiah Games. The entire school appreciates your dedication to this exciting event every year.
 - Our Eighth Grade captains for their leadership, sportsmanship and encouragement of our younger students during the Maccabiah Games.
 - Judges Natalie Cifuentes, Rabbi Chaim Hisiger and Rabbi Avi Kilimnick.
- ✧ Volunteers during Tuesday’s faculty meeting: Joan Ganchrow, Rachel Glazer, Sharon Gray and Pamela Jessurum.
- ✧ Linda Platt and Gail Pogal for facilitating our Mother’s Day Roses fundraiser.

Community Events

Send us your community events! E-mail: office@hillelschool.org

Sat-Sun 5/5-20 JCC CenterStage presents the much-anticipated Regional Debut of the Tony Award-Winning musical “PARADE”, the true story of Leo Frank, a Jewish factory manager accused of murdering 13-year old Mary Phagan in post Civil War Atlanta. This highly acclaimed musical is part murder mystery, love story, and searing social commentary. “Parade” is directed by Ralph Meranto, music and lyrics by Jason Robert Brown, book by Alfred Uhry. Sat, 5/5, 8:00pm; Sun, 5/6, 2:00pm; Thu, 5/10, 7:00pm; Sat, 5/12, 8:00pm; Thu, 5/17, 7:00pm; Sat, 5/19, 8:00pm; Sun, 5/20, 2:00pm. Reserved seating \$26; \$24 for JCC Members; \$18 for students. For tickets call (585) 461-2000 ext 235 or online at www.JCCcenterstage.org

Sun 5/20 5:00pm Ora Academy Dinner. Please join us as we honor Jeff and Lyn Springut at the Ora Academy 16th Anniversary Dinner at Congregation Beth Sholom. Couvert is \$100 and valet parking will be provided. To make reservations or to place an ad in the journal, please call the Ora office at 271-8711.

Sun 6/24 12:00pm Torah Dedication and Grand Opening Ceremony! A New Sefer Torah will be presented to Congregation Light of Israel by Dr. Ralph and Limor Madeb in honor of their parents, Dr. Isaac and Lily Madeb & Mr. Henry and Gracia Zylberstein, at Congregation Light of Israel, 1675 Monroe Avenue. Procession will begin promptly at 12:00pm. Please join us for the completion of the Sefer Torah, joyous reception & delicious refreshments. Everyone is invited.

Sun 6/24 6:00pm Congregation Light of Israel cordially invites you to our Inauguration Gala! Join us for an exceptional blend of extraordinary cuisine and cantorial music as we remember the past, honor the present and look toward the future. Cocktails at 6:00pm, dinner at 7:30pm, by Main Event Caterers, Grand Lilac Room, Rochester Riverside Convention Center.

Hillel Parent Challenge Ad Form

Price: \$75 (\$150 value) Size: Quarter page
Template Choices:

A.

Congratulations to the Rosenbaum Family on this well-deserved honor.

Thank you for all you have done for Hillel Community Day School & the Rochester Community

Photo of Child(ren)

With Gratitude,
(Your family name here)

B.

Photo of Child(ren)

Mazel Tov & Best Wishes to Hillel Community Day School

(Your family name(s) here)

C.

Thank you Rabbi Hisiger for your service to Hillel Community Day School and the Rochester community.

Photo of Child(ren)

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The deadline for order and payment is **May 11th**