



December 22, 2017

Pre-K Happenings

Notes

Please continue to send in 2 daily **HEALTHY SNACKS** (fruits, vegetables, dairy, and grains). We have two snack times: AM/PM.

Send in a sports-style **WATER BOTTLE** for your child.

Make sure your child has a **WINTER season**

appropriate change of clothes in the classroom.

Send in extra kippah and clips for boys and elastic hair ties for girls.

Shalom Families!

It was a pleasure celebrating Chanukah with you and our special visitors at the Chanukah Chagigah!

The children met so many wonderful community helpers this week!

We met a digital product manager and learned about how credit companies figure out ways to make it easy, and safe to pay for things on your phone. We met a lawyer who makes sure people follow rules at work. She also helps people solve arguments and creates contracts. We met a pediatric pulmonologist who takes care of children that have coughing and breathing problems. We also met a nuclear medical engineer who repairs medical equipment that doctors use. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered their time with us this week and for everyone's continued support.

This week we turned our writing center into a dramatic play optometrist's doctor's office; equipped with office hours, patient form and an eye chart. It was a lot of fun playing doctor!

Some of the books we read this week were *What Does It Mean to Be Present* by Rana DiOrio, *Bad Kitty* by Nick Bruel, *Jeremy Draws a Monster* by Peter McCarty, and *The Adventures of Beekle: The Unimaginary Friend* by Dan Santat.

In *Handwriting Without Tears*, the children practiced writing the letter E.

We were so happy to see the light in the eyes of the children when they sang, danced, and saw their parents, grandparents, aunts, and uncles at the Chanukah party. Thank you to all of you!

This week we started with the story "boker tov" which is one of the topics of the year. The children color, cut, and glue the book which will be finished at the end of the year. For parasha, we learned about Yosef and how he met again with his father, Yaakov, after so many years. Next week there will be no school, but the children still made a project of "hamalach hagoel" for parashat Vayechi. This is the blessing that Yaakov gave to Yosef's sons, Ephrayim and Menashe. (The children know the song). We say this blessing every night before we go to sleep. After break we will start with the topic of winter. Enjoy your vacation!

Shabbat Shalom,
Morah Charlene & Morah Batell



How You Can Help

Kindly wash the rest blankets.

**HAVE A WONDERFUL
WINTER
BREAK!!!!!!**













