

CHADASHOT



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Send Rosh HaShana Greetings Through TAPA



Please join TAPA as we share Shana Tova wishes with our TABC families and faculty. Participation includes your name on the e-card greeting as well as a gift for you from TAPA.

The deadline for all orders is [this Sunday](#), September 25th! Please [click here](#) to participate.

Senior Chessed Day Brings Joy to Many

The senior Chessed Day was a wonderful opportunity for our talmidim to give back to the community.

One group, along with our friends from Sinai, went to the Community Food Bank of New Jersey outside of Elizabeth. The warehouse building was about the size of 3 football fields. Our boys' job was to unload, sort and repackage large pallets of donated food into boxes that were categorized as protein, canned goods, cereal, snacks baby products etc.

A second group sang, danced, exercised, played games, and interacted with the Alzheimer residents at the Kaplen JCC on the Palisades. Our talmidim brought incredible joy and energy to everyone there!

The third group inaugurated TABC's partnership with the Rockleigh Jewish Home. Our students ran a carnival for the senior citizens there. The different generations were able to enjoy each other's company and our talmidim benefited from hearing the life stories of the members of the Jewish Home. As commented by the director of the program, *"This was a great day! Thanks to*

Rabbi Yablok in the Jewish Link of NJ



The Jewish Link of NJ recently published an article about Rabbi Yablok. You can read it in full [here](#).

Refuah Shleima

We wish a continued refuah shleima to our Rosh Yeshiva, **Rabbi Yosef Adler**, HaRav Yosef Zev ben Shprintza

We are so happy he is now continuing his recovery at home



your students and the Rabbi and your Mom! I hope they had as much fun as we did! We would love to make this a regular occurrence!"

Our young men clearly represented TABC in the best way possible and made a real kiddush Hashem. Ma Hu rachum, af ata rachum. For more photos, [click here](#).



Calendar

Want to integrate the TABC calendar into your own digital one? Visit our [website calendar page](#) and click "Subscribe" on the top right. Calendars available include Athletics, Admissions, Alumni, and College Guidance. If you choose the Events calendar, you'll get the main school calendar. Calendars are available in iCal, Outlook 2007+, Google Calendar, and .ICS formats.

For a printable version of the calendar, [click here](#).

Freshman Frenzy

The Freshmen spent an enjoyable day together, as they experienced Freshman Frenzy, a day of bonding and getting to know each other better. The day began with a visit to High Exposure, where they participated in climbing, parkour, and America Ninja Warrior training. After a pizza lunch at EJs, they canvassed Queen Anne Road on a photo scavenger hunt. The day ended with sports in Votee Park and the freshmen returned to school feeling much more unified. For more photos, [click here](#).



Israel Report

Please click [here](#) for the latest issue of the Israel Report

Kol Torah

Please click [here](#) for the latest issue of Kol Torah

Faculty Divrei Torah

Please click [here](#) for recordings of Divrei Torah by our esteemed faculty



Upcoming Events

September 25

Teen Learning for Boys
in Grades 6-8
9:45 AM-10:45 AM

September 29

Late Night Learning

October 3-4

Rosh Hashana
No School

October 5

Tzom Gedalia
1:45 Dismissal

October 9

Teen Learning for Boys
in Grades 6-8
9:45 AM-10:45 AM

October 10

Parent-Son Learning

October 11-12

Yom Kippur
No Sessions

October 13

Delayed Opening
9:15 AM

October 17-25

Sukkot Vacation
No Sessions

October 26

Delayed Opening
9:15 AM

Teams & Clubs

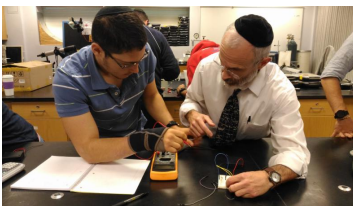
TABC has many opportunities for students to excel and grow outside the classroom. The list of clubs & academic teams is

Engineering Students Make Wonderful Progress

Engineering students Binyamin Jachter, Eli Dickman, and Michael Finkelstein have begun to assemble a 3-D printer for possible incorporation into our engineering program. They hope to finish assembly within two weeks and afterwards to put the printer through a number of trials concerning ease of programming, printing, as well as cost estimates.



Our future engineers have finished a week long review of concepts in volts, currents, and power. Now they have left the classroom and are actually building and measuring the circuits they previously generated theoretically.



College Guidance

FINANCIAL AID NIGHT

This past Monday night, the College Guidance Department, under the direction of Dr. Garry Katz, held its annual Financial Aid Night. The featured speaker was Robert Friedman, Director of Student Finances at Yeshiva University. The program outlined the various aspects of the financial aid process, about the many changes that are occurring this year in terms of the financial aid process. The new FAFSA forms will open this year on October 1st. File early.

COLLEGE VISITS TO TABC SENIORS

extensive. Please visit [our website](#) to read all about them!

Parnas HaYom

Thank you to our recent Parnas HaYom sponsors

Moshe & Rivka Kahan

To dedicate a day of learning or for other sponsorship opportunities, please contact Sharon Rifkind, Director of Development & Communications at [201.837.7696 x123](tel:201.837.7696) or sharon.rifkind@tabc.org.

Year In Review



Have you seen our Year In Review? If you missed it you can find it [here](#).

If you'd like a print copy, please e-mail [Sharon Rifkind](mailto:Sharon.Rifkind).

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The college visitation schedule continued this week. Representatives from SUNY Albany, City College of New York (CUNY) and their Grove School of Engineering, IDC Herziliya of Israel and Washington University in St. Louis came to speak to our seniors. Next week will be the busiest week as twelve colleges are scheduled to make presentations. The seniors have already started working on their college essays and applications.

TIKVAH SUMMER INSTITUTE FOR STUDENTS

This week, Rabbi Gabi Weinberg, a representative of the Tikvah Summer Institute for High School Students and Recent Graduates, visited to promote their High School Institute at Yale University. This year's institute call "Ideas, Community and Tradition" will take place between June 25th and July 6th. The high competitive program enables students to explore, in university level seminars, some of the most important texts and ideas on the subjects of Jewish theology, human nature, ethics, economics, politics, and morality in the public square. Over the past few years a number of TABC students have attended this amazing program. Present seniors, Hillel Koslowe and Yehuda Koslowe were among the representatives from TABC.



Pictured: A reunion of all those students who have attended the Tikvah program at Yale over the past few years. Six of our seven participants attended. (Yehuda Koslowe '17, Aaron Fishkind '16, Meir Barg '16, Hillel Koslowe '17, Aaron Eckstein '15, Jared Mayer '13)

TABC Seniors Live Torah U'Madda Ideal Over the Summer

We are proud of how our talmidim, Avi Cooper '17 and Daniel Zolty '17, exemplified the ideals of Torah U'Madda, which we strive to impart. Over the summer both took part in prestigious science-related programs. Daniel, together with Moshe Davis '17, attended the Cooper Union Summer

TABC. For question, reach to [Sharon Rifkind](#) about Matching Gifts today.

Tweeting Up A STORM!

Please follow the Students Activities Page on Twitter [@TABC_Activities](#). Rabbi Miretzky, our new Student Activities Director, will be tweeting all about the excitement going on at TABC.

Follow us on Facebook!

Facebook is a wonderful way to see exciting snapshots of what's going on in TABC between issues of Chadashot. Follow us by clicking Like [here](#).

TAPA

TAPA is always looking for volunteers to help with programs and events throughout the year.

Please contact tapa@tabc.org

CHADASHOT

Chadashot is now archived on our website. In case you missed a week you can click [here](#) to view past issues.



Program and Avi took part in the Wireless Information Network Laboratory at Rutgers University. The two then learned b'chavruta each night, working through the yeshiva's summer limmud of Ta'anit. Kol hakavod.

Torah & Science Elective Update

Some of the most exciting developments in the Torah and Science Elective occurs after class is over. After noting that the Big Bang Theory supports the Torah version of Creation (and rejects Aristotle's assertion of the world being eternal), Tani Greengart '18 sent me the following note:

Some scientists believe that there were multiple Big Bangs before the one 14 billion years ago, and that the universe is at least a trillion years old, and possibly infinitely old.

Rabbi Jachter decided to forward this question to the two top Orthodox scientists who have written extensively (and appeared as guest speakers at TABC) about the interface of Torah and Science, Dr. Nathan Aviezer and Dr. Gerald Schroeder. We were thrilled to receive prompt replies from both eminent authorities who responded in more or less the same manner. The following is Dr. Aviezer's response:

First of all, let me congratulate you (and Tani!) for having (being) such a bright student. As Tani correctly points out, some recent theories of physics assume the existence of multiple universes and multiple Big Bangs. These theories are still speculative, but let us assume that these theories eventually become confirmed. What are the implications of these theories for the Torah creation narrative?

It is important to realize that the Torah is not a science textbook. The Torah only includes information that is relevant to us, that is, to contemporary human beings. Therefore, it follows that the Torah is describing our universe and our Big Bang. The Torah word "creation" thus means the creation of our universe." Previous Big Bangs and other universes which have no connection with us

would not be included in the Torah.

Our class is fortunate indeed to have the support of Dr. Aviezer and Dr. Schroeder to help us in our efforts to grapple with conflicts between Torah and Science.

Parent Volunteers Needed



Family involvement at TABC is critical to our success. We are so grateful for the contributions that parents and alumni make of their time, skills and resources. We invite you to participate by joining one of our active committees for this school year.

Specific Volunteer Opportunity: The Board is establishing a Grants Committee to pursue foundation and government grants for the school. If you have any expertise in this area and are able to serve on the committee, please contact [Gail Novetsky](#). Any help would be appreciated.

Please [click here](#) to see how else you can get involved.

Teen Learning

Read an article about this outstanding program [here](#).

TABC invites all boys in grades 6-8 to



TEEN LEARNING @ TABC

Sunday Mornings at TABC | 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM
9/18 • 9/25 • 10/9

Join us for breakfast and an opportunity to learn b'chavruta with TABC juniors and seniors, as well as a special shiur with Rabbi Daniel Fridman.


Advance registration is appreciated
tinyurl.com/TABCteenlearning

Questions? Please email teenlearning@tabc.org



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