

CHADASHOT



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27 Tevet

Inter-Generational Learning

Lo yamush haTorah mepicha u'mepi zaracha. The sounds of multi-generational learning permeated the halls of TABC during the **annual Dec 25th Yom Iyun**. Freshman and sophomore parents joined the yeshiva for a beautiful davening. Afterwards, everyone was able to take part in the siyum from the summer learning. Moshe Davis '17, gave a dvar Torah, followed by Jonathan Haberman '19 finishing Massechet Megillah and the hadran by Zachary Ottenstein '18. The nearly 300 participants then partook in a festive breakfast. The highlight of the day was the **opportunity for parents to learn together with their sons**, in their sons' regular shiurim. Parents were able to experience the wonderful level of learning that their children experience daily and the talmidim were able to witness firsthand their parents' passionate commitment to talmud Torah.

Special congratulations and kudos go out to the many students who participated in the day's siyumim.

Navi: Zachary Greenberg, Ezra Jacobs, Aharon Nissel, Joseph Segal and Boaz Simantov

Mishna: Benji Meiner

Gemara: Natan Barnett, Gavi Book, Ariel Forman, Avraham Gellman, Jonathan Haberman, Yonatan Katz, Orrin Kigner, Noah Miller, Zachary Ottenstein, Eli Schiff, Binyomin Schulhof, Noam Spinowitz, Akiva Sturm, Yonatan Sturm, Yosef Teitelbaum, Efraim Tiger, Akiva Wieder

Navi & Mishna: Yonatan Kurz, Eitan Leff, and Asher Powers

Mishna & Gemara: Avrumi Davis & Moshe Davis

Navi, Mishna, & Gemara: Matan Leff

For more photos of this special event, please [click here](#).



Annual Dinner

Thank you to each of you who came to or contributed to last night's TABC Annual Dinner. Record attendance, record alumni participation and record fundraising combined with wonderful, deserving honorees, beautiful decor, delicious food, and Rabbi Adler's entertaining presentations made for a special and memorable

evening.

Thank you to our Dinner chairs Elizabeth Naor & Miriam Lightman and their committees for all their hard work. Keep an eye out next week for full coverage and photos.

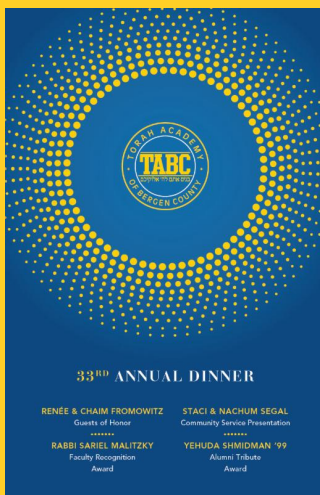
Mazal Tov once again to our honorees.

Renée & Chaim Fromowitz
GUESTS OF HONOR

Staci & Nachum Segal
COMMUNITY SERVICE PRESENTATION

Rabbi Sarel Malitzky
FACULTY RECOGNITION AWARD

Yehuda Shmidman '99
ALUMNI TRIBUTE AWARD

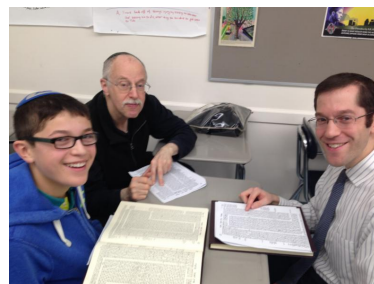


It's not too late to contribute!
[Click here](#) to donate.

Sunday Learning

Sunday morning shiur with Rabbi Wiener is on hiatus until after Winter Break.

Israel Report



We were particularly touched by the following feedback which Rabbi Malitzky received from a parent attendee.

Thank you so much for checking in. We had a lovely morning; we were warmed by the beautiful mutual respect that we saw between the students and teachers. Your students and staff all look like they genuinely love being in school; it's a special energy.

Late Night Learning

The Beit Midrash was packed for another night of late night learning. 90 TABC talmidim, together with 8th graders, heard a shiur from Rabbi Chaim Marcus, Rav of Springfield. After **shirum** from Rabbis Kahn and Malitzky, they participated in "**Teen Topics**" with Rabbi Adler, a highlight in which Rabbi Adler discusses **contemporary issues** that are very much on the minds of our talmidim. After sports, 23 talmidim stayed up until nearly midnight learning with Rabbi Raphi Mandelstam. Such hatmada will serve them well in their continuing learning and growing as bnei Torah. For more photos [click here](#).



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

Kol Torah

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



Upcoming Events

January 14
Last day of sessions
1:15 Dismissal

January 15-20
Mid-Term Exams

January 21-31
Intersession

Parnas HaYom

We would like to thank our recent Parnas haYom Sponsors

The Lejtman Family

To dedicate a day or learning, or for other sponsorship opportunities, please contact Sharon Rifkind, Director of Development & Communications at 201.837.7696 x123 or Sharon.Rifkind@tabc.org.

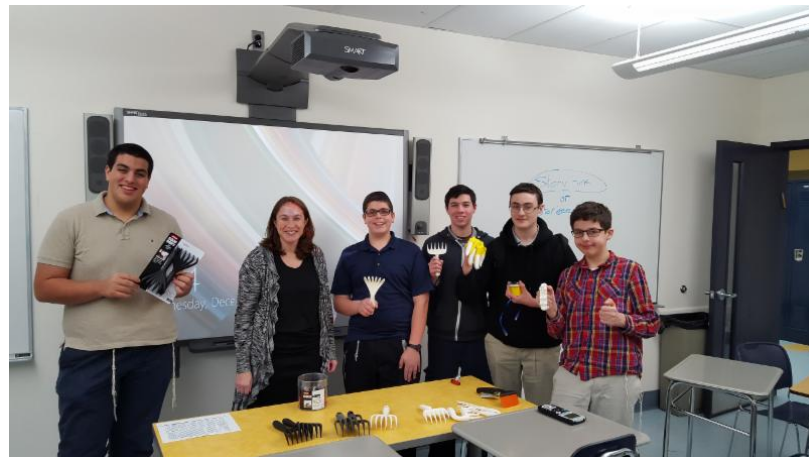
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Do you work for AIG? Goldman Sachs? Quest Diagnostics? Pfizer? One of the many other companies listed [here](#)? Did you know that hundreds of companies throughout the US offer **matching gifts** to qualified 501(c)(3) organizations? Please inquire about matching your gift to

Engineering Club hears from OXO Engineer

The Engineering Club had the opportunity to meet with Mrs. Michelle Sohn, an OXO Products Engineer. Mrs. Sohn presented a recent invention made by OXO and described the **process the engineers at OXO go through to create tools**. They first see if the product can sell, they then design it, print a 3D model and test different designs before settling on one and perfecting it. Mrs. Sohn brought in some of these models and the final product, to demonstrate the steps involved in creating utensils.

Through her engaging presentation, students learned more about what it means to be an engineer and what product engineers do on a day to day basis. We are grateful for Mrs. Sohn taking the time out of her schedule to help foster STEM interests at TABC.



Dr. Master's Class Goes on an Odyssey

We began our study of *The Odyssey* by converting many of the book's chapters into short plays and performing our new renditions for the class. After we studied why each word was there-"Like the Torah," remarked one student-we were able to comprehend the story behind the story, "**Like the Midrash on the p'shat**," and began to see the themes **relevant to our own lives**. Concurrently, we studied related poems like Tennyson's "Ulysses," and Margaret Atwood's updated version

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

TABC Joins Team Yachad in Jerusalem Marathon

Torah Academy of Bergen County has been a friend of Yachad for several years and we are now glad to announce that we will be running with Team Yachad in the 2016 Jerusalem Marathon. We are excited and proud to be part of such a tremendous organization, and cannot wait to show our support while running through the streets of Jerusalem!

[Click here to donate!](#)

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](#).

Tweeting Up A STORM!

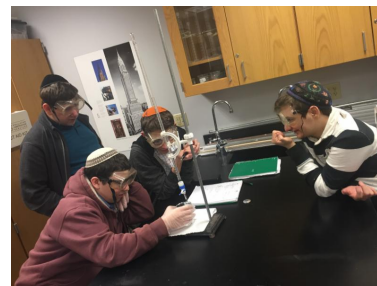
Please follow the Students Activities Page on Twitter [@TABC Activities](#). Rabbi Miretzky, our new Student Activities Director, will be tweeting all about the excitement going on at TABC.

of the "Siren Song," and finally thought we had exhausted all possibilities for understanding this great epic, when we found yet a new way. After learning how to correctly incorporate dependent and independent clauses and participial phrases into our writing, we created our own **original adventure for Odysseus**, using the most elegant sentences we could construct. Move over, Homer!



TITRATION LAB

This week, Doc's chemistry students performed several titration labs. **Titration is used throughout the world to find the concentrations of chemicals** - in this case sulfuric acid. For more photos, [click here](#).



TABC Drama Club Performs A Separate Peace

On Monday evening, December 28th, the TABC Drama Club performed John Knowles' ***A Separate Peace***, starring **Shai Gutfreund '17, Benjy Kleiner '16, Noam Miller '19, Aharon Nissel '18, Dovid Pearlman '19, Netzach Schuman '19 and Yitzchak Tollinsky '18**. We are very proud of the incredible work and preparation of our Drama Club, led by **Director Frank Avellino and Black Box Studios**. The performance took place at Temple Emeth and was followed by a cast party sponsored by TAPA. Thank you to Cindy Forgash and to the parents of our performers who provided all the food.

Seeking Parent Volunteers

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

A special thank you to Divsha and Martin Tollinsky for organizing and running the cast party.



TABC Torah Available Globally

Each week a new D'var Torah by one of our esteemed faculty members will be available online at www.yutorah.org/tabc. The series is well under way, so check it out!

CHADASHOT

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

TAPA

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

Please contact tapa@tabc.org

Responding to Chillul Hashem

Y17 Gemara class with Rabbi Fridman had a special shiur dedicated to learning sources about Chillul Hashem and murder of innocents in response to the horrifying video released showing "observant Jews" celebrating the murder of 18 month old Ali Dawabsheh. **The shiur focused on the prohibition of murder, the seriousness of Chillul Hashem, and the responsibility of Torah observant Jews to positively present Torah values to the broader Jewish community and to the general public.**

Senior Night Out

The seniors bonded even more on a recent Motzaei Shabbat on their Senior Night Out. They played **basketball, soccer, spike ball, bubble soccer and archery tag**. After a night of ball, **Dougie's** and hanging out, the event culminated with **Schachrit** back in TABC.



STORM Sports Report

WRESTLING OPENER

TABC's STORM Wrestling Team, one of the hardest working

groups in TABC, opened its season recently having matches with **Leonia HS, Dwight Morrow, Teaneck HS, Frisch, and RTMA**. The STORM presented itself well. TABC's Wrestling Team is one of the few sports groups in school playing against non-yeshiva teams. The program is directed by Coach Yoni Ellman.



WRESTLING TOURNAMENT



TABC Storm Wrestling traveled the long distance to Brick Memorial High School to participate in their annual tournament. The *STORM* had considerable success against their public school opponents, even though the public schools practice many more hours a

week, a testament to TABC's technique and training. **Shalom Gottesman '16, Netanel Arussy '16, and Orrin Kigner '16 each placed first in their respective weight classes. David Meiseles '18 came in second in his and other place winners included Avigdor Schiffman '16, Ovadia Esquenazi '16, Yehuda Fuksbrumer '16, and Gabe Greenberg '19.**

TABC VARSITY HOCKEY STORMS BACK TO REMAIN UNDEFEATED

Following a conference win against SAR on Sunday, December 20th, the TABC Varsity Hockey team traveled to the five towns to take on the HAFTR Hawks in an inter-conference game on Saturday night, December 26th. Everyone there knew this game would be a fun battle between the 8-0 STORM and the 10-1-1 Hawks. Fans from both schools piled into the gym and the **intensity was at a high from the beginning of the first period**. The scoring started early as Zach Kramer gave HAFTR the lead with a beautiful shot from just past the half court line. After drawing a penalty, Jake Berger scored a power play goal for HAFTR giving them a 2-0 lead, which is how the first period ended. But the *STORM* would not go away that easily. In the second period Captain Yair Knoller '16 got his own rebound and was able to rip the ball top shelf cutting the lead to one. Play continued back and forth with goalies Shua Beilin '16 and Ryan Gluck holding down the fort for both teams. Late in the third, TABC drew a penalty. On the power play, Captain Ari Fuchs '16 sent a pass across to Shua Naor '16 who one timed a shot with Daniel Levy '16 in front, who calmly roofed the rebound to tie the game up with less than two and a half minutes to play. The game would head to overtime tied at 2. In overtime Coach Mo Fuchs put out Daniel Levy, Yair Knoller and Calev Minsky '16 to

start for the 3 on 3 overtime. The overtime period was as intense and exciting as expected. First, off of a chance from HAFTR, Shua Beilin made a beautiful right pad save to keep the game tied. A minute later, Daniel Levy chipped the ball to Yair Knoller behind the net who banked a shot off of the HAFTR goalie into the net to end the game and give TABC the **overtime win of 3-2**. With the win, TABC moves on to 9-0 with games against JEC, Kushner and Frisch to come prior to the break.

Alumni Updates

DONI COHEN '12 COMBINES IDF SERVICE WITH WORK FOR THE ISRAELI RABBINATE

Mr. P. received the following message, which touched us deeply.

75 years ago, my mother's mother's mother ran off into the woods with her sister during a Nazi death march from Auschwitz.

This week her great-grandson finished his commander's course in the Israel Defense Forces and will be teaching the professions of the IDF Rabbinate to newly enlisted soldiers.

"Yeshuat Hashem k'heref ayin!" ("Hashem's salvation comes in the blink of an eye!")



TABC Alumnus Ben Book '15 Published by YU S. Daniel Abraham Israel Program



To see a recent dvar Torah by Ben Book '15, who is currently studying at Yeshivat HaKotel, please [click here](#).

We are immensely proud of the deep thoughtfulness which Ben demonstrated in his writing.

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